

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY  
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD**

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**UNITED STATES COAST GUARD,**

**Complainant,**

**vs.**

**JOSEPH ROBERT MCCANN,**

**Respondent.**

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**Docket Numbers: 2022-0467 and 2023-0106  
Enforcement Activity Numbers: 7542659 and 7642885**

**CONSENT ORDER APPROVING SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT AND  
ORDER CANCELING HEARING**

**By: Honorable Walter J. Brudzinski, Chief Administrative Law Judge**

**Issued: May 1, 2023**

**Appearances:**

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The United States Coast Guard (Coast Guard) submitted a Motion for Consent Order Approving Settlement Agreement on April 24, 2024. The Settlement Agreement resolves two administrative proceedings pending against Joseph Robert McCann (Respondent), Docket Number 2022-0467 and Docket Number 2023-0106.<sup>1</sup> I have carefully reviewed the terms of the agreement, and find that it is fair and reasonable, and in substantial compliance with the requirements of 33 C.F.R. § 20.502.

**ORDER**

Upon consideration of the record, it is hereby **ORDERED** that the Settlement Agreement is **APPROVED** in full and incorporated herein by reference.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED**, this Consent Order shall constitute full, final, and complete adjudication of Docket No. 2022-0467 and Docket No. 2023-0106.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED**, the hearing scheduled to commence on May 10, 2023 in New York, NY is **CANCELED**.

Done and dated May 1, 2023  
New York, NY

*Walter J. Brudzinski*

HON. WALTER J. BRUDZINSKI  
CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE  
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

<sup>1</sup> On April 28, 2023, I granted the parties' Joint Motion to Consolidate Docket Nos. 2022-0467 and 2023-0106 for Settlement.