

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD**

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD,)	
Complainant,)	
)	Docket Number: 2023-0282
vs.)	
)	Enforcement Activity ID: 7746897
SAMUEL JOSEPH LEMUEL THOMAS,)	
Respondent.)	

CONSENT ORDER

Issued: September 21, 2023

By Order of Chief Administrative Law Judge: Hon. Walter J. Brudzinski

Appearances:

For the Coast Guard

CWO Anthony T. Galfo
USCG Sector Maryland-National Capital Region

For the Respondent

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CONSENT ORDER APPROVING SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

On August 31, 2023, the parties in this case submitted a Motion for Approval of a Settlement Agreement and Entry of Consent Order to the Administrative Law Judge for approval under 33 C.F.R. § 20.502.

I have carefully reviewed the terms of the Settlement Agreement and find that it is fair, 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. This Consent Order shall constitute full, final, and complete adjudication of this proceeding.



Hon. Walter J. Brudzinski
Chief Administrative Law Judge
United States Coast Guard

Date: September 21, 2023