

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

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD)	
Complainant)	
)	Docket No. 2024-0198
vs.)	
)	MISLE Activity ID: 7879685
FRANCIS ALOYSIUS BUCHHEIT JR)	
Respondent.)	

ORDER OF WITHDRAWAL

The United States Coast Guard (Coast Guard) filed a Complaint on April 10, 2024, seeking revocation of Respondent, Francis Buchheit’s, Merchant Mariner Credential. On April 28, 2025, the Coast Guard and Respondent filed a Joint Stipulation of Withdrawal pursuant to 33 C.F.R. § 20.311(a)(1). The Joint Stipulation of Withdrawal noted that the parties had come to a full resolution of the issues underlying the Complaint, making future litigation unnecessary.

The Joint Stipulation of Withdrawal did not indicate whether dismissal of this matter would be with or without prejudice. Accordingly, under 33 C.F.R. § 20.311(b), withdrawal herein will be without prejudice.

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, the Complaint herein is **WITHDRAWN**, and this administrative proceeding is **WITHDRAWN** from the ALJ Docket without prejudice.

Done and dated this 30th day of April, 2025,
at New Orleans, Louisiana

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'B. Curley', written over a horizontal line.

**HON. BRIAN J. CURLEY
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD
ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE**