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Ref: IMO Resolution A.521 (13)

Attn: Gustav Holmberg

Subject: EQUIPMENT APPROVAL – Hammar H20 Hydrostatic Release for Liferafts

Dear Mr. Holmberg:

This Administration has no objection to the use of Hammar H20 Hydrostatic Release Device aboard Liberian Flag vessels, where compliance with the Regulations III/23 and 29, of the International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea requires “float-free” arrangements.

This device is not subject to annual servicing, but must be replaced after two years in service.

This approval is based upon the United States Coast Guard Certificates of Approval issued on 28 February 2000, Nos. 160.162/3/2 and 160.062/5/2.

Very truly yours,

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