

section 122(g)(1)(B) of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. 9622(g)(1)(B), and includes a covenant not to sue for the Settling Party pursuant to sections 106 and 107(a) of CERCLA, 42 U.S.C. 9606 and 9607(a). For thirty (30) days following the date of publication of this document, the Agency will receive written comments relating to the settlement. The Agency will consider all comments received and may modify or withdraw its consent to the settlement if comments received disclose facts or considerations which indicate that the settlement is inappropriate, improper, or inadequate. The Agency's response to any comments received will be available for public inspection at the Langley Adams Library, 185 Main Street, Groveland, Massachusetts, and U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 1, One Congress Street, Suite 1100, Boston, MA 02114.

DATES: Comments must be submitted on or before January 24, 2000.

ADDRESSES: The proposed settlement is available for public inspection at U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 1, One Congress Street, Suite 1100, Boston, MA 02114. A copy of the proposed settlement may be obtained from Derrick Golden, U.S. EPA, Region 1, One Congress Street, Suite 1100 (HBO), Boston, MA 02114, (617) 918-1448. Comments should reference the Groveland Wells Nos. 1 and 2 Superfund Site, Groveland, Massachusetts and EPA Docket No. CERCLA I-99-0070 and should be addressed to Derrick Golden, U.S. EPA, Region 1, One Congress Street, Suite 1100 (HBO), Boston, MA 02114.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Derrick Golden, U.S. EPA, Region 1, One Congress Street, Suite 1100 (HBO), Boston, MA 02114, (617) 918-1448.

Dated: December 14, 1999.

Patricia L. Meaney,
Director, Office of Site Remediation and Restoration, Region 1.

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FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

Notice of Agreement(s) Filed

The Commission hereby gives notice of the filing of the following agreement(s) under the Shipping Act of 1984. Interested parties can review or obtain copies of agreements at the Washington, DC offices of the Commission, 800 North Capitol Street, N.W., Room 962. Interested parties may submit comments on an agreement to the Secretary, Federal Maritime

Commission, Washington, DC 20573, within 10 days of the date this notice appears in the **Federal Register**.

Agreement No.: 203-011517-006.

Title: APL/Crowley/Lykes Space Charter and Sailing Agreement.

Parties: American President Lines, Ltd., APL Co. PTE Ltd., Crowley American Transport, Inc., Lykes Lines Limited, LLC.

Synopsis: The proposed amendment deletes the Caribbean Service, Gulf Express Service, and Pacific South America Service from the geographic scope of the agreement; changes the name of Crowley American Transport to Hamburg-Sudamerikanische Dampfschiffahrtsgesellschaft Eggert & Amsinck d/b/a/Crowley American Transport; deletes outdated references; and makes other conforming changes based on the forgoing.

Agreement No.: 202-011528-015.

Title: Japan/United States Eastbound Freight Conference.

Parties: American President Lines, Ltd., Hapag-Lloyd Container Line GmbH, Kawasaki Kisen Kaisha, Ltd., Mitsui O.S.K. Lines, Ltd., A.P. Moller-Maersk Sealand, Nippon Yusen Kaisha, Orient Overseas Container Line, Inc., P&O Nedlloyd B.V., P&O Nedlloyd Limited, Wallenius Wilhelmsen Lines AS.

Synopsis: The parties are amending their conference agreement to extend the current suspension for an additional six months, through July 31, 2000.

Agreement No.: 207-011682.

Title: ATL/Signet Joint Service Agreement.

Parties: Associated Transport Line, L.L.C. (ATL), Signet SeaFreight Shipping Company (Signet), Texpress American Line, L.L.C. (Joint Service).

Synopsis: The proposed agreement authorizes ATL and Signet to establish a joint service, to be known as Texpress American Line, L.L.C., that will operate in the trade between U.S. Gulf ports and ports in Guyana, Suriname, Trinidad, and Venezuela. The parties request expedited review.

Dated: December 17, 1999.

By Order of the Federal Maritime Commission.

Bryant L. VanBrakle,
Secretary.

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FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

Security for the Protection of the Public Indemnification of Passengers for Nonperformance of Transportation; Notice of Issuance of Certificate (Performance)

Notice is hereby given that the following have been issued a Certificate of Financial Responsibility for Indemnification of Passengers for Nonperformance of Transportation pursuant to the provisions of section 3, Public Law 89-777 (46 U.S.C. 817(e)) 46 CFR Part 540, as amended:

American Classic Voyages Company,
Two North Riverside Plaza, Suite 200,
Chicago, IL 60606, Vessel: PATRIOT

Cunard Line Limited (d/b/a Cunard),
6100 Blue Lagoon Drive, Suite 400,
Miami, FL 33126, Vessel: CARONIA

Cunard Line Limited (d/b/a Seabourn Cruise Line), 6100 Blue Lagoon Drive, Suite 400, Miami, FL 33126, Vessel: SEABOURN SUN

Hapag-Lloyd Kreuzfahrten GmbH,
Ballindamn 25, D-20079 Hamburg,
Germany, Vessel: c. COLUMBUS,
EUROPA and HANSEATIC

Holland America Line-Westours Inc. (d/b/a Holland America Line), Holland America Line N.V. and HAL Nederland N.V., 300 Elliott Avenue West, Seattle, WA 98119, Vessels: MAASDAM, ROTTERDAM RYNDAM and STATENDAM

Holland America Line-Westours Inc. (d/b/a Holland America Line), Holland America Line N.V. and HAL Antillen N.V., 300 Elliott Avenue West, Seattle, WA 98119, Vessels: NIEUW AMSTERDAM, NOORDAM, VOLENDAM, WESTERDAM and ZAANDAM

Holland America Line-Westours Inc. (d/b/a Holland America Line), HAL Cruises Limited and Wind Surf Limited, 300 Elliott Avenue West, Seattle, WA 98119, Vessel: VEENDAM

Holland America Line-Westours Inc. (d/b/a Windstar Cruises), Wind Spirit Limited, Windstar Sail Cruises Limited and HAL Antillen N.V., 300 Elliott Avenue West, Seattle, WA 98119, Vessel: WIND SPIRIT

Holland America Line-Westours Inc. (d/b/a Windstar Cruises), Wind Star Limited, Windstar Sail Cruises Limited and HAL Antillen N.V., 300 Elliott Avenue, Seattle, WA 98119, Vessel: WIND STAR

Japan Cruise Line, Inc. (d/b/a Venus Cruise), 2-5-25, Umeda, Kita-ku, Osaka 530-0001, Japan, Vessels: ORIENT VENUS and PACIFIC VENUS

Dated: December 17, 1999.

Bryant L. VanBrakle,

Secretary.

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FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

Security for the Protection of the Public Financial Responsibility to Meet Liability Incurred for Death or Injury to Passengers or Other Persons on Voyages; Notice of Issuance of Certificate (Casualty)

Notice is hereby given that the following have been issued a Certificate of Financial Responsibility to Meet Liability Incurred for Death or Injury to Passengers or Other Persons on Voyages pursuant to the provisions of section 2, Public Law 89-777 (46 U.S.C. 817(d)) and the Federal Maritime Commission's implementing regulations at 46 CFR Part 540, as amended:

Clipper Cruise Line, Inc., New World Ship Management Company, LLC and NACL, LLC, 7711 Bonhomme Avenue, St. Louis, MO 63105-1965, Vessel: NANTUCKET CLIPPER

Clipper Cruise Line, Inc., New World Ship Management Company, LLC and YOCL, LLC, 7711 Bonhomme Avenue, St. Louis, MO 63105-1965, Vessel: YORKTOWN CLIPPER

Cunard Line Limited, 6100 Blue Lagoon Drive, Suite 400, Miami, FL 33126, Vessels: CARONIA, QUEEN

ELIZABETH 2 and SEABOURN SUN Hapag-Lloyd Kreuzfahrten GmbH, Hapag-Lloyd Seetouristik (Cruises) GmbH, Hapag-Lloyd (Bahamas) Ltd. and Conti 1 Kreuzfahrt GmbH & Co. KG MS COLUMBUS, Ballindamm 25, D-20079 Hamburg, Germany, Vessel: c. COLUMBUS

Hapag-Lloyd Kreuzfahrten GmbH, Columbia Shipmanagement Ltd., Hapag-Lloyd (Bahamas) Ltd., and Kommanditgesellschaft MS "EUROPA" der Bremer Aktiengesellschaft & Co. KG, Ballindamm 25, D-20079 Hamburg, Germany, Vessel: EUROPA

Hapag-Lloyd Kreuzfahrten GmbH, Hapag-Lloyd Seetouristik (Cruises) GmbH, Hapag-Lloyd (Bahamas) Ltd., and Bunnys Adventure and Cruise Shipping Company Ltd., Ballindamm 25, D-20079 Hamburg, Germany, Vessel: HANSEATIC

Holland America Line-Westours Inc., Holland America Line N.V. and HAL Antillen N.V., 300 Elliott Avenue West, Seattle, WA 98119, Vessels: VOLENDAM and ZAANDAM

Japan Cruise Line, Inc. (d/b/a Venus Cruise), Kanko Kisen Co., Ltd.,

Hankyu Ferry Co. Ltd. and Shin-Nihonkai Ferry Co., Ltd., 2-5-25 Umeda, Kita-ku, Osaka 530-0001, Japan, Vessel: ORIENT VENUS Japan Cruise Line, Inc. (d/b/a Venus Cruise), Kanko Kisen Co., Ltd., Kyowashoji Co., Ltd. and Shin Nihonkai Ferry Co., Ltd., 2-5-25 Umeda, Kita-ku, Osaka 530-0001, Japan, Vessel: PACIFIC VENUS New Commodore Cruise Lines Limited, Crown Cruises Ltd. and Crown Dynasty Inc., 4000 Hollywood Blvd., Suite 385, South Hollywood, FL 33021, Vessel: CROWN DYNASTY Radisson Seven Seas Cruises, Inc., Radisson Worldwide, Inc. and Finship Italy S.r.l., 600 Corporate Drive, Suite 410, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33334, Vessel: SEVEN SEAS NAVIGATOR

Royal Caribbean Cruises Ltd. and Voyager of the Seas Inc., 1050 Caribbean Way, Miami, FL 33132-2096, Vessel: VOYAGER OF THE SEAS

Dated: December 17, 1999.

Bryant L. VanBrakle,

Secretary.

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FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Formations of, Acquisitions by, and Mergers of Bank Holding Companies

The companies listed in this notice have applied to the Board for approval, pursuant to the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956 (12 U.S.C. 1841 *et seq.*) (BHC Act), Regulation Y (12 CFR Part 225), and all other applicable statutes and regulations to become a bank holding company and/or to acquire the assets or the ownership of, control of, or the power to vote shares of a bank or bank holding company and all of the banks and nonbanking companies owned by the bank holding company, including the companies listed below.

The applications listed below, as well as other related filings required by the Board, are available for immediate inspection at the Federal Reserve Bank indicated. The application also will be available for inspection at the offices of the Board of Governors. Interested persons may express their views in writing on the standards enumerated in the BHC Act (12 U.S.C. 1842(c)). If the proposal also involves the acquisition of a nonbanking company, the review also includes whether the acquisition of the nonbanking company complies with the standards in section 4 of the BHC Act (12 U.S.C. 1843). Unless otherwise

noted, nonbanking activities will be conducted throughout the United States.

Unless otherwise noted, comments regarding each of these applications must be received at the Reserve Bank indicated or the offices of the Board of Governors not later than January 20, 2000.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City (D. Michael Manies, Assistant Vice President) 925 Grand Avenue, Kansas City, Missouri 64198-0001:

1. *First Mountain Company Profit Sharing/401k Plan*, Montrose, Colorado; to acquire 40 percent of the voting shares of First Mountain Company, Montrose, Colorado, and thereby indirectly acquire voting shares of MontroseBank, Montrose, Colorado.

B. Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas (W. Arthur Tribble, Vice President) 2200 North Pearl Street, Dallas, Texas 75201-2272:

1. *Midland Bancshares, Inc.*, Midland, Texas; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of Community National Bank, Midland, Texas.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, December 20, 1999.

Robert deV. Frierson,

Associate Secretary of the Board.

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FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Formations of, Acquisitions by, and Mergers of Bank Holding Companies; Correction

This notice corrects a notice (FR Doc. 99-32406) published on page 69765 of the issue for Tuesday, December 14, 1999.

Under the Federal Reserve Bank of Boston heading, the entry for Port Financial Corp., Cambridge, Massachusetts, is revised to read as follows:

A. Federal Reserve Bank of Boston (Richard Walker, Community Affairs Officer) 600 Atlantic Avenue, Boston, Massachusetts 02106-2204:

1. *Port Financial Corp.*, Cambridge, Massachusetts; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of Cambridgeport Bank, Cambridge, Massachusetts, and 5.3 percent of Cambridge Bancorp, Cambridge, Massachusetts, and thereby indirectly acquire control shares of Cambridge Trust Company, Cambridge, Massachusetts.

Comments on this application must be received by January 7, 2000.