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24<sup>th</sup> August, 2009

The Maritime Administration,  
US Department of Transportation,  
1200, New Jersey Avenue, S.E.  
West Building, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor.  
Washington, D.C. 20590

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The United States Environmental Protection Agency,  
1650, Arch Street,  
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19103-2029

Dear Sir/Madam,

**RE: Bonny and Anders**

The undersigned, Star Maritime Corp (the "Owner"), is the owner of each of the MV Bonny (ex 1<sup>st</sup> LT. Alex Bonnyman, U.S. O.N. 680897), SKN 1001856, registered and flagged in St Kitts and Nevis (the "Bonny"), and the M/V Anders (ex PFC James Anderson Jr, U.S. O.N. 679513), SKN 1001 857, registered and flagged in St Kitts and Nevis (the "Anders", collectively with the Bonny, the "Vessels"). We understand that there are certain rumors being circulated to the effect that the Owner is currently planning to scrap these Vessels. These rumors are unfounded. We reiterate to you that the Owner currently plans to employ the Vessels in the cargo trade. The Owner has taken steps and incurred significant expenses since acquiring title to these Vessels on July 15, 2009 to prepare the Vessels for trade.

Since acquiring title to these Vessels the Owner has incurred and/or has committed expenditure estimated to be around USD 2,272 Million for the Vessels which includes the cost of putting the Vessels in class, bunkering, crewing, Hull & Machinery and P & I Insurances, crew insurance, agency fees, port dues and other related expenses.

Please note that the technical managers of the Vessels are C. B. Marine Limited, London (address: Neckinger Mills, Ground Floor West, 162-164 Abbey Street, Bermondsey, London SE1 2AN), (the "Managers"). For any aspects relating to the Vessels, please feel free to call Mr. Steve Huty or Mr. Steve Dawson of C. B. Marine Limited, on Tel: +44 845 0344 300 Fax: +44 (0) 20 7117 1830 (email: SH@cbmarine.co.uk; ESD@cbmarine.co.uk).

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Any suggestion by any party that the Vessels are currently intended to be scrapped are refuted and we invite you to contact our Managers should you have any questions regarding the operation of these Vessels.

Thanking You.

Yours truly

For Star Maritime Corp.



(Suryakant Pai)

Attorney in fact.

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