# UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

In re:

INTERNATIONAL SHIPHOLDING CORPORATION, *et al.*,<sup>1</sup>

Chapter 11

Case No. 16-12220 (SMB)

Debtors.

Jointly Administered

# ORDER AUTHORIZING THE DEBTORS TO (I) CONSUMMATE THE SALE OF THE GREEN DALE, (II) REJECT THE TIME CHARTER, AND (III) PAY JACQ. PIEROT JR. & SONS, INC. AND H CLARKSON & COMPANY LIMITED COMPENSATION FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES RENDERED AND <u>REIMBURSEMENT OF ACTUAL AND NECESSARY EXPENSES INCURRED</u>

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Upon the motion of the above-captioned debtors and debtors in possession (collectively, the "<u>Debtors</u>")<sup>2</sup> for entry of this Order authorizing the Debtors to (i) consummate the sale of the Green Dale pursuant to the Memorandum of Agreement attached hereto as <u>Exhibit 1</u> (the "<u>MOA</u>") dated as of April 7, 2017, between LCI Shipholdings, Inc., and Sallaum Lines SAL free of clear of all liens, claims, and encumbrances, (ii) the Time Charter upon the transfer of the Green Dale; and (iii) remit payment to Jacq. Pierot Jr. & Sons, Inc. and H Clarkson & Company Limited for fees and any reimbursable expenses authorized pursuant to the order approving their retention to effectuate the sale of the Green Dale; and the Court having jurisdiction to consider the motion and the relief requested therein in accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 1334 and the *Amended Standing Order of Reference* from the United States Southern District of New York,

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The Debtors in these cases, along with the last four digits of each Debtor's federal tax identification number, are: International Shipholding Corporation (9662); Enterprise Ship Co. (9059); Sulphur Carriers, Inc. (8965); Central Gulf Lines, Inc. (8979); Coastal Carriers, Inc. (6278); Waterman Steamship Corporation (0640); N.W. Johnsen & Co., Inc. (8006); LMS Shipmanagement, Inc. (0660); U.S. United Ocean Services, LLC (1160); Mary Ann Hudson, LLC (8478); Sheila McDevitt, LLC (8380); Tower LLC (6755); Frascati Shops, Inc. (7875); Gulf South Shipping PTE LTD (8628); LCI Shipholdings, Inc. (8094); and Marco Shipping Company PTE LTD (4570). The service address for each of the above Debtors is 601 Poydras Street, Pan American Building, Suite 1850, New Orleans, Louisiana 70130.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein have the meanings set forth in the motion.

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dated as of January 31, 2012; and consideration of the motion and the relief requested therein being a core proceeding in accordance with 28 U.S.C. §§ 157(b)(2); and venue being proper in this jurisdiction pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1408 and 1409; and due and proper notice of the motion being adequate and appropriate under the particular circumstances; and a hearing having been held to consider the relief requested in the motion; and upon the Estrada Declaration, the Pierot Declaration, the Rogers Declaration, the record of the hearing and all proceedings had before the Court; and the Court having found and determined that the relief sought in the motion is in the best interests of the Debtors' estates, their creditors, and other parties in interest, and that the legal and factual bases set forth in the motion establish just cause for the relief granted herein; and any objections to the requested relief having been withdrawn or overruled on the merits; and after due deliberation and sufficient cause appearing therefor, it is hereby **FOUND** 

# AND DETERMINED THAT:

A. The transaction contemplated by the MOA constitutes the highest and best offer for the Green Dale, and will provide a greater recovery for the Debtors' estates than would be provided by any other available alternative. The Debtors' determination that the MOA constitutes the highest and best offer constitutes a valid and sound exercise of the Debtors' business judgment.

B. The MOA represents a fair and reasonable offer to purchase the Green Dale under the circumstances of these chapter 11 cases. No other person or entity or group of entities has offered to purchase the Green Dale for greater value to the Debtors' estates than the Buyer.

C. Approval of the motion and the MOA and the consummation of the transactions contemplated thereby are in the best interests of the Debtors, their creditors, their estates, and other parties in interest.

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D. The terms of the MOA and the sale transaction contemplated therein are fair and reasonable, reflect the Debtors' exercise of prudent business judgment consistent with their fiduciary duties, are the best available to the Debtors under the circumstances.

E. LCI Shipholdings, Inc., may sell the Green Dale free and clear of all liens, claims, and encumbrances because, in each case, the party asserting an interest could be compelled, in a legal or equitable proceeding, to accept money satisfaction for its interests or has consented to such sale.

F. The Debtors' decision to reject the Time Charter effective as of the closing of the MOA is an exercise of the Debtors' business judgment.

G. Jacq. Pierot Jr. & Sons, Inc. and H Clarkson & Company Limited were retained pursuant to Bankruptcy Code section 328(a) according to the terms of the Brokers Retention Order and the Brokerage Agreement, and the terms and conditions of such retention have not proven improvident in light of developments not capable of being anticipated at the time of the retention.

H. The findings and conclusions set forth herein constitute the Court's findings of fact and conclusions of law pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 7052. To the extent that any findings of fact constitute conclusions of law, they are adopted as such. To the extent any conclusions of law constitute findings of fact, they are adopted as such.

## IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED THAT:

1. The motion is granted to the extent set forth herein.

2. The Time Charter shall be rejected at the earlier of (i) the transfer of the Green Dale in accordance with the MOA or (ii) the Effective Date. Any party asserting a claim arising

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from the rejection of the Time Charter must file proof of such within thirty (30) days of the later of (i) the transfer of the Green Dale or (ii) the Effective Date to file proof of such claim.

3. Subject to paragraph 7 of this Order, notwithstanding the relief granted herein and any actions taken hereunder, nothing contained in this Order shall constitute, nor is it intended to constitute, an admission as to the validity or priority of any claim against the Debtors, the creation of an administrative priority claim on account of the pre-petition obligations sought to be paid, or the assumption or adoption of any contract or agreement under Bankruptcy Code section 365.

4. The MOA, and all of the terms and conditions thereof, is hereby approved.

5. Pursuant to Bankruptcy Code sections 105(a), 363(b), and 363(f), the Debtors are authorized, and empowered to take any and all actions necessary or appropriate to consummate the sale transaction of the Green Dale with the Buyer upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth in the MOA and this Order, without further application to, or order of, the Court.

6. Upon closing under the MOA, the Buyer shall take title to and possession of the Green Dale free and clear of all liens, claims, and encumbrances pursuant to Bankruptcy Code section 363(f).

7. Subject to paragraph 8 of this Order, and not withstanding anything contained in the Motion, the MOA, or any other sale documents, the sale proceeds of the Green Dale transaction, less closing costs and the fees and expenses owed to H Clarkson & Company Limited and Jacq. Pierot Jr. & Sons, Inc. pursuant to the Brokerage Agreement (the "<u>Brokers'</u> <u>Compensation</u>"), shall be held in a segregated account of the Debtors, and any and all liens and/or security interests against the Green Dale shall attach to such proceeds in the same priority

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as the liens and/or security interests against the Green Dale (including, for the avoidance of doubt, as such priority is set forth in the Final DIP Order), and such proceeds shall only be released (i) pursuant to the terms of the Plan or (ii) upon further order of the Bankruptcy Court authorizing the withdrawal of such funds, free and clear of all liens and encumbrances.

8. The Debtors admit, acknowledge, stipulate and agree that upon closing of the MOA, Citizens will have a valid, perfected, binding, non-avoidable, and enforceable first priority security interest in, and liens on, the proceeds from the sale transaction contemplated under the MOA, subject only to the priming lien of the DIP Lenders and the payment of the Brokers' Compensation.

9. Except as expressly permitted or otherwise specifically provided in this Order, all persons or entities holding liens, claims, or encumbrances on all or any portion of the Green Dale arising under or out of, in connection with, or in any way relating to the Debtors, the Green Dale, the operation of the Debtors' business prior to the closing of the Green Dale sale transaction, or the transfer of the Green Dale to the Buyer, hereby are forever barred, estopped, and permanently enjoined from asserting against the Buyer, its successors or assigns, or their property, such persons' or entities' liens, claims, and encumbrances in and to the Green Dale.

10. The provisions of this Order authorizing the sale of the Green Dale by the Debtors free and clear of liens, claims, and encumbrances shall be self-executing, and none of the Debtors, the Buyer, or any other party shall be required to execute or file releases, termination statements, assignments, cancellations, consents or other instruments to effectuate, consummate, and/or implement the provisions hereof with respect to the sale; *provided, however*, that this paragraph shall not excuse such parties from performing any and all of their respective obligations under the MOA or as otherwise set forth in this Order or requested by Buyer.

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11. Without limiting the foregoing, upon consummation of the transactions set forth in the MOA, the Buyer shall be authorized to file termination statements or lien terminations in any required jurisdiction to remove any record, notice filing, or financing statement recorded to attach, perfect, or otherwise notice any lien or encumbrance with respect to the Green Dale (but not the proceeds thereof) that is extinguished or otherwise released pursuant to this Order under section 363 and the related provisions of the Bankruptcy Code. A certified copy of this Order may be filed with the appropriate clerk and/or recorded to act to cancel any of the liens, claims, and encumbrances on the Green Dale of record.

12. This Order is and shall be binding upon and govern the acts of all persons and entities, including, without limitation, all filing agents, filing officers, title agents, title companies, recorders of mortgages, recorders of deeds, registrars of deeds, administrative agencies, governmental departments, secretaries of state, federal and local officials and all other persons or entities who may be required by operation of law, the duties of their office, or contract, to accept, file, register, or otherwise record or release any documents or instruments, or who may be required to report or insure any title or state of title in or to any lease; and each of the foregoing persons and entities is hereby directed to accept for filing any and all of the documents and instruments necessary and appropriate to consummate the transactions contemplated by MOA; provided that nothing herein shall relieve any entity of the obligation to pay filing fees required to be paid under non-bankruptcy law.

13. If any person or entity which has filed statements or other documents or agreements evidencing liens, claims, and encumbrances on, interests in, all or a portion of the Green Dale shall not have delivered to the Debtors prior to the closing of the MOA, in proper form for filing and executed by appropriate parties, termination statements, instruments of

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satisfaction, releases of liens and easements, and any other documents necessary or desirable to the Buyer for the purpose of documenting the release of all liens, claims, and encumbrances on the Green Dale, which the person or entity has or may assert with respect to all or any portion of the Green Dale, the Debtors are hereby authorized and directed, and the Buyer is hereby authorized, to execute and file such statements, instruments, releases, and other documents on behalf of such person or entity with respect to the Green Dale.

14. The Buyer is purchasing the Green Dale in good faith and is a good faith buyer within the meaning of Bankruptcy Code section 363(m), has not violated Bankruptcy Code section 363(n) by any action or inaction, and the negotiation and execution of the MOA was at arms' length and in good faith.

15. Upon closing under the MOA, the Debtors are authorized to pay from the proceeds of the sale (i) Jacq. Pierot Jr. & Sons, Inc. \$34,000 in fees and \$0 in expenses and (ii) H Clarkson & Company Limited \$68,000 in fees and \$0 in expenses.

16. Notice of the motion as provided herein was good and sufficient and such notice satisfies the requirements of Bankruptcy Rules 6004(a) and 6006(c) and the Local Bankruptcy Rules.

17. Notwithstanding the possible applicability of Bankruptcy Rule 6004(h), this order shall be immediately effective and enforceable upon its entry.

18. The Debtors are authorized to take all actions necessary to effectuate the relief granted pursuant to this order.

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19. The Court retains jurisdiction with respect to all matters arising from or related to

the interpretation or implementation of this order.

New York, New York Dated: <u>May 1<sup>st</sup></u>, 2017

<u>/s/ STUART M. BERNSTEIN</u> United States Bankruptcy Judge 16-12220-smb Doc 737 Filed 05/02/17 Entered 05/02/17 09:22:13 Main Document Pg 9 of 9

# EXHIBIT 1

Memorandum of Agreement

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# MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT

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			Norwegian Shipbrokers Associati Memorandum of Agreement for sal purchase of ships, Adopted by BIMCO Code-name	on's e and in 1956.
			SALEFORM 2012 Revised 1966, 1983 and 1986/87, 1993	2
D	ated: 7th April 201	17		1
		nc., Trust Company Complex, Ajeltake Road, Ajeltak	e Island, Majuro, Marshall	2
Is	alands MH 96960 (	Name of sellers), hereinafter called the "Sellers", have a	agreed to sell, and	
C		or nominee (nominee to be fully owned entity contro of buyers), hereinafter called the "Buyers", have agreed / Green Dale		3
10	MO Number: 91813	76		5
C	lassification Societ	y: ABS		6
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Y	ear of Build: 1999	Builder/Yard: Kanasashi Co. Ltd. Toyohashi Worl	ks	8
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h	ereinafter called the	e "Vessel", on the following terms and conditions:		10
	efinitions			11
		days on which banks are open both in the country of the		12
		in <u>Clause 1</u> (Purchase Price) and in the place of closing d Switzerland, Lebanon, Dubai (add additional jurisdic		13 14
*6	Buyers' Nominated	Flag State" means Panama (state flag state).		15
"(	Class" means the c	lass notation referred to above.		16
-(	Classification Socie	ty" means the Society referred to above.		17
7	Deposit" shall have	the meaning given in Clause 2 (Deposit)		18
	"Deposit Holder" means JACQ. PIEROT JR. & SONS, INC. New York as Escrow Agent (state name and location of Deposit Holder) or, if left blank, the		19	
S	ellers' Bank, which	shall hold and release the Deposit in accordance with	this Agreement.	20
	n writing" or "writte egistered letter, e-n	n" means a letter handed over from the Sellers to the B nail or telefax.	uyers or vice versa, a	21 22
. "	Parties" means the	Sellers and the Buyers.		23
1	Purchase Price" me	eans the price for the Vessel as stated in Clause 1 (Pure	chase Price).	24
1	Sellers' Account" m	leans	(state details of	25
b	ank account) at the	e Sellers' Bank. ns Regions Bank (state name of bank, branch and deta	aile) or if left blank, the bank	26
		rs to the Buyers for receipt of the balance of the Purcha		27
1	Purchase Pric			28
- Charles	The Purchase	Price is USD 6,800,000 (United States Dollars Six Mill and amount both in words and figures).	lion Eight Hundred Thousand	29
2	Deposit			30
1	As security for the correct fulfilment of this Agreement the Buyers shall lodge a deposit of 10% (ten per cent) or, if left blank, 10% (ten per cent), of the Purchase Price (the			31
		n interest bearing account for the Parties with the Depo		32 33
		after the date that:		34
1	(i) this Ag	reement has been signed by the Parties and exchange	d in original or by	35
		or telefax; and	67.0 CT	36
	(ii) the De	posit Holder has confirmed in writing to the Parties that	the account has been	37
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		opened.	38	
		eposit shall be released in accordance with joint written instructions of the Parties.	39	
		st, if any, shall be credited to the Buyers. Any fee charged for holding and releasing the	40	
		sit shall be borne equally by the Parties. The Parties shall provide to the Deposit Holder	41	
	all nee	cessary documentation to open and maintain the account without delay.	42	
3.		Payment		
		livery of the Vessel, but not later than three (3) Banking Days after the date that Notice of	44 45	
	Readiness has been given in accordance with <u>Clause 5</u> (Time and place of delivery and notices):			
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	(i)	the Deposit shall be released to the Sellers; and	47	
	(ii)	the balance of the Purchase Price and all other sums payable on delivery by the Buyers	48	
		to the Sellers under this Agreement shall be paid in full free of bank charges to the Sellers' Account.	49 50	
4.	Inspe	ction	51	
		he Buyers have inspected and accepted the Vessel's classification records. The Buyers	52	
	have a	also inspected the Vessel at/in Freeport, Bahamas (state place) on 8th February 2017 (state and have	53	
		ted the Vessel following this inspection and the sale is outright and definite, subject only terms and conditions of this Agreement.	54 55	
		he Buyers shall have the right to inspect the Vessel's classification records and declare er same are accepted or not within(state date/period).	56 57	
	The S	ellers shall make the Vessel available for inspection at/in(state place/range) within(state date/period).	58 59	
	The B	uvers shall undertake the inspection without undue delay to the Vessel. Should the	60	
	Buyers cause undue delay they shall compensate the Sellers for the losses thereby incurred.		61	
	The Buyers shall inspect the Vessel without opening up and without cost to the Sellers.		62	
	During the inspection, the Vessel's deck and engine log books shall be made available for examination by the Buyers.		63 64	
	The sale shall become outright and definite, subject only to the terms and conditions of this		65	
	Agreement, provided that the Sellers receive written notice of acceptance of the Vessel from		66	
		ivers within seventy two (72) hours after completion of such inspection or after the ast day of the period stated in <u>Line 59</u> , whichever is earlier.	67 68	
	Shoul	d the Buyers fail to undertake the inspection as scheduled and/or notice of acceptance of	69	
	the Ve	essel's classification records and/or of the Vessel not be received by the Sellers as	70	
		aforesaid, the Deposit together with interest earned, if any, shall be released immediately to the		
	Buyers, whereafter this Agreement shall be null and void.			
	*4(a) and 4(b) are alternatives; delete whichever is not applicable. In the absence of deletions,		73	
	alternative <u>4(a)</u> shall apply.		74	
5.		and place of delivery and notices	75	
	(a) The Vessel shall be delivered and taken over safely afloat at a safe and accessible berth or		76	
		rage at/in Jacksonville, Florida (state place/range) in the Sellers' option.	77	
		of Readiness shall not be tendered before: 1st April 2017 (date)	78 79	
	Cancelling Date (see Clauses 5(c), 6 (a)(i), 6 (a) (iii) and 14): 1st June 2017			
	(b) The Sellers shall keep the Buyers well informed of the Vessel's itinerary and shall provide the Buyers with thirty (30) days approximate notice and twenty (20), ten (10), five (5) a three (3) days' notice of the date the Sellers intend to tender Notice of Readiness and of the intended place of delivery.			
	When the Vessel is at the place of delivery and physically ready for delivery in accordance with this Agreement, the Sellers shall give the Buyers a written Notice of Readiness for delivery.			
	(c) If the Sellers anticipate that, notwithstanding the exercise of due diligence by them, the		85	
		I will not be ready for delivery by the Cancelling Date they may notify the Buyers in writing	86	
	stating the date when they anticipate that the Vessel will be ready for delivery and proposing a		87	
	new C	ancelling Date. Upon receipt of such notification the Buyers shall have the option of	88	
	- 188	cancelling this Agreement in accordance with Clause 14 (Sellers' Default) within three (3)	89	

	If the I Seller notific	ng Days of receipt of the notice or of accepting the new date as the new Cancelling Date. Buyers have not declared their option within three (3) Banking Days of receipt of the s' notification or if the Buyers accept the new date, the date proposed in the Sellers' ation shall be deemed to be the new Cancelling Date and shall be substituted for the elling Date stipulated in line 79.	90 91 92 93 94
	If this Agreement is maintained with the new Cancelling Date all other terms and conditions hereof including those contained in <u>Clauses 5(b)</u> and <u>5(d)</u> shall remain unaltered and in full force and effect.		
	withou	incellation, failure to cancel or acceptance of the new Cancelling Date shall be entirely it prejudice to any claim for damages the Buyers may have under <u>Clause 14</u> (Sellers' It) for the Vessel not being ready by the original Cancelling Date.	98 99 100
	the De	ould the Vessel become an actual, constructive or compromised total loss before delivery eposit together with interest earned, if any, shall be released immediately to the Buyers any bank fees, whereafter this Agreement shall be null and void.	101 102 103
6.	Divers Inspection / Drydocking		
	(a)* (i)	The Buyers shall have the option at their cost and expense to arrange for an underwater inspection by a diver approved by the Classification Society prior to the delivery of the Vessel. Such option shall be declared latest nine (9) days prior to the Vessel's intended date of readiness for delivery as notified by the Sellers pursuant to <u>Clause 5(b)</u> of this Agreement. The Sellers shall at their cost and expense make the Vessel available for such inspection. This inspection shall be carried out without undue delay and in the presence of a Classification Society surveyor arranged for by the Sellers and paid for by the Buyers. The Buyers' representative(s) shall have the right to be present at the diver's inspection as observer(s) only without interfering with the work or decisions of the Classification Society surveyor. The extent of the inspection and the conditions under which it is performed shall be to the satisfaction of the Classification Society. If the conditions at the place of delivery are unsuitable for such inspection, the Sellers shall at their cost and expense make the Vessel available at a suitable alternative place near to the delivery port, in which event the Cancelling Date shall be extended by the Sellers may not tender Notice of Readiness prior to completion of the underwater inspection.	105 106 107 108 109 110 111 112 113 114 115 116 117 118 119 120 121
	(ii)	If the rudder, propeller, bottom or other underwater parts below the deepest load line are found broken, damaged or defective so as to affect the Vessel's class, then (1) unless repairs can be carried out afloat to the satisfaction of the Classification Society, the Sellers shall arrange for the Vessel to be drydocked at their expense for inspection by the Classification Society of the Vessel's underwater parts below the deepest load line, the extent of the inspection being in accordance with the Classification Society's rules (2) such defects shall be made good by the Sellers at their cost and expense to the satisfaction of the Classification Society without condition/recommendation** and (3) the Sellers shall pay for the underwater inspection and the Classification Society's attendance.	122 123 124 125 126 127 128 129 130 131 132
		Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Agreement, if the Classification Society do not require the aforementioned defects to be rectified before the next class drydocking survey, the Sellers shall be entitled to deliver the Vessel with these defects against a deduction from the Purchase Price of the estimated direct cost (of labour and materials) of carrying out the repairs to the satisfaction of the Classification Society, whereafter the Buyers shall have no further rights whatsoever in respect of the defects and/or repairs. The estimated direct cost of the repairs shall be the average of quotes for the repair work obtained from two reputable independent shipyards at or in the vicinity of the port of delivery, one to be obtained by each of the Parties within two (2) Banking Days from the date of the imposition of the Parties fail to obtain such a quote within the stipulated time then the quote duly obtained by the other Party shall be the sole basis for the estimate of the direct repair costs. The Sellers may not tender Notice of Readiness prior to such estimate having been established.	132 133 134 135 136 137 138 139 140 141 142 143 144 145
	(iii) —	If the Vessel is to be drydocked pursuant to Clause <u>6(a)(ii)</u> and no suitable dry-docking facilities are available at the port of delivery, the Sellers shall take the Vessel to a port where suitable drydocking facilities are available, whether within or outside the delivery range as per <u>Clause 5(a)</u> . Once drydocking has taken place the Sellers shall deliver the Vessel at a port within the delivery range as per <u>Clause 5(a)</u> which shall, for the purpose of this Clause, become the new port of delivery. In such event the Cancelling Date shall	146 147 148 149 150 151

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	be extended by the additional time-required for the drydocking and extra steaming, but limited to a maximum of fourteen (14) days.	1
(b)*	The Sellers shall place the Vessel in drydock at the port of delivery for inspection by the	1
	silication Society of the Vessel's underwater parts below the deepest load line, the extent	1
	a inspection being in accordance with the Classification Society's rules. If the rudder,	1
propeller, bottom or other underwater parts below the deepest load line are found broken,		
	aged or defective so as to affect the Vessel's class, such defects shall be made good at the	1
	rs' cost and expense to the satisfaction of the Classification Society without	1
	ition/recommendation**. In such event the Sellers are also to pay for the costs and	1
	nses in connection with putting the Vessel in and taking her out of drydock, including the	1
	ock dues and the Classification Society's fees. The Sellers shall also pay for these costs	1
20.08002	expenses if parts of the tailshaft system are condemned or found defective or broken so as	1
	fect the Vessel's class. In all other cases, the Buyers shall pay the aforesaid costs and	1
	nses, dues and foes	1
69777	the Vessel is drydocked pursuant to Clause 6 (a)(iii) or 6 (b) above:	1
(i)	The Classification Society may require survey of the tailshaft system, the extent of the	1
	survey being to the satisfaction of the Classification surveyor. If such survey is	1
	not required by the Classification Society, the Buyers shall have the option to require the	1
	tailshaft to be drawn and surveyed by the Classification Society, the extent of the survey	1
	being in accordance with the Classification Society's rules for tailshaft survey and	1
	consistent with the current-stage of the Vessel's survey cycle. The Buyers shall declare	1
	whether they require the tailshaft to be drawn and surveyed not later than by the	1
	completion of the inspection by the Classification Society. The drawing and refitting of	1
	the tailshaft shall be arranged by the Sellers. Should any parts of the tailshaft system be	1
	condemned or found defective so as to affect the Vessel's class, those parts shall be	1
	renewed or made good at the Sellers' cost and expense to the satisfaction of Classification Society without condition/recommendation**.	1
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(iii)	The costs and expenses relating to the survey of the tailshaft system shall be borne by the Runner unless the Classification Society services such a new to be period out as if	1
	the Buyers unless the Classification Society requires such survey to be carried out or if	1
	parts of the system are condemned or found defective or broken so as to affect the Vessel's class, in which case the Sellers shall pay these costs and expenses.	1
(111)	The Buyers' representative(s) shall have the right to be present in the drydock, as	1
	observer(s) only without interforing with the work or decisions of the Classification-	1
	Society surveyor.	1
(iv)	The Buyers shall have the right to have the underwater parts of the Vessel cleaned	1
	and painted at their risk, cost and expense without interfering with the Sellers' or the	1
	Classification Society surveyor's work, if any, and without affecting the Vessel's timely	1
	delivery. If, however, the Buyers' work in drydock is still in progress when the	1
	Sellers have completed the work which the Sellers are required to do, the additional	1
	docking time needed to complete the Buyers' work shall be for the Buyers' risk, cost and	1
	expense. In the event that the Buyers' work requires such additional time, the Sellers	1
	may upon completion of the Sellers' work tender Notice of Readiness for delivery whilst	1
	the Vessel is still in drydock and, notwithstanding Clause 5(a), the Buyers shall be	1
	obliged to take delivery in accordance with Clause 3 (Payment), whether the Vessel is in	1
	drydock or not.	1
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	Sellers shall deliver the Vessel to the Buyers with everything belonging to her on board	2
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	uyers shall take over remaining bunkers and unused lubricating and hydraulic oils and es in storage tanks and unopened drums and pay <del>either</del> :	218 219
(a) *	he actual net price (excluding barging expenses) as evidenced by invoices or vouchers; or	220
	he current net market price (excluding-barging expenses) at the port-and-date of delivery Vessel or, if-unavailable, at the nearest bunkering port,	221 222
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	exchange for payment of the Purchase Price the Sellers shall provide the Buyers with the ing delivery documents:	233 234
(i)	Legal Bill(s) of Sale in a form recordable in the Buyers' Nominated Flag State, transferring title of the Vessel and acknowledging that in accordance with the Sale Order stating that the Vessel is free from all mortgages, encumbrances and maritime liens or any other debts whatsoever, duly notarially attested and legalised or apostilled, as required by the Buyers' Nominated Flag State;	235 , 236 237 238
(ii)	Evidence that all necessary corporate, shareholder and other action has been taken by the Sellers to authorise the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement;	239 240
(iii)	Power of Attorney of the Sellers appointing one or more representatives to act on behalf of the Sellers in the performance of this Agreement, duly notarially attested and legalised	241 242

Certificate or Transcript of Registry issued by the competent authorities of the flag state on the date of delivery evidencing the Sellers' ownership of the Vessel and that the (iv) 244 245 Vessel is free from registered encumbrances and mortgages, to be faxed or e-mailed by 246

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such authority to the closing meeting with the original to be sent to the Buyers as soon as 247 possible after delivery of the Vessel; 248 (V) Declaration of Class or (depending on the Classification Society) a Class Maintenance 249 Certificate issued within three (3) Banking Days prior to delivery confirming that the 250 Vessel is in Class free of condition/recommendation; 251 Certificate of Deletion of the Vessel from the Vessel's registry or other official evidence of (vi) 252 deletion appropriate to the Vessel's registry at the time of delivery, or, in the event that 253 the registry does not as a matter of practice issue such documentation immediately, a 254 written undertaking by the Sellers to effect deletion from the Vessel's registry forthwith 255 and provide a certificate or other official evidence of deletion to the Buyers promptly and 256 latest within four (4) weeks after the Purchase Price has been paid and the Vessel has 257 been delivered; 258 (vii) A copy of the Vessel's Continuous Synopsis Record certifying the date on which the 259 Vessel ceased to be registered with the Vessel's registry, or, in the event that the registry 260 does not as a matter of practice issue such certificate immediately, a written undertaking 261 from the Sellers to provide the copy of this certificate promptly upon it being issued 262 together with evidence of submission by the Sellers of a duly executed Form 2 stating 263 the date on which the Vessel shall cease to be registered with the Vessel's registry; 264 (viii) Commercial Invoice for the Vessel; 265 (ix) Commercial Invoice(s) for bunkers, lubricating and hydraulic oils and greases; and super slow 266 steaming equipment. (x) A copy of the Sellers' letter to their satellite communication provider cancelling the 267 Vessel's communications contract which is to be sent immediately after delivery of the 268 Vessel: 269 (xi) Any additional documents as may reasonably be required by the competent authorities of 270 the Buyers' Nominated Flag State for the purpose of registering the Vessel, provided the 271 Buyers notify the Sellers of any such documents as soon as possible after the date of 272 this Agreement; and 273 (xii) The Sellers' letter of confirmation that to the best of their knowledge, the Vessel is not 274 black listed by any nation or international organisation. 275 (b) At the time of delivery the Buyers shall provide the Sellers with: 276 (i) Evidence that all necessary corporate, shareholder and other action has been taken by 277 the Buyers to authorise the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement; and 278 (ii) Power of Attorney of the Buyers appointing one or more representatives to act on behalf 279 of the Buyers in the performance of this Agreement, duly notarially attested and legalised 280 or apostilled (as appropriate). 281 (c) If any of the documents listed in Sub-clauses (a) and (b) above are not in the English 282 language they shall be accompanied by an English translation by an authorised translator or 283 certified by a lawyer qualified to practice in the country of the translated language. 284 (d) The Parties shall to the extent possible exchange copies, drafts or samples of the 285 documents listed in Sub-clause (a) and Sub-clause (b) above for review and comment by the 286 other party not later than (state number of days), or if left blank, nine (9) days prior to the 287 Vessel's intended date of readiness for delivery as notified by the Sellers pursuant to 288 Clause 5(b) of this Agreement. 289 (e) Concurrent with the exchange of documents in Sub-clause (a) and Sub-clause (b) above, 290 the Sellers shall also hand to the Buyers the classification certificate(s) as well as all plans. 291 drawings and manuals, (excluding ISM/ISPS manuals), which are on board the Vessel. Other 292 certificates which are on board the Vessel shall also be handed over to the Buyers unless 293 the Sellers are required to retain same, in which case the Buyers have the right to take copies. 294 (f) Other technical documentation which may be in the Sellers' possession shall promptly after 295 delivery be forwarded to the Buyers at their expense, if they so request. The Sellers may keep 296 the Vessel's log books but the Buyers have the right to take copies of same. 297 (g) The Parties shall sign and deliver to each other a Protocol of Delivery and Acceptance 298 confirming the date and time of delivery of the Vessel from the Sellers to the Buyers. 299 Encumbrances 300

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The Sellers "Sale Order" shall provide warrant that the Vessel, at the time of delivery, is free from all 301 charters,

encumbrances, mortgages and maritime liens or any other debts whatsoever, and is not subject 302 to Port State or other administrative detentions or any claim. The Sellers hereby undertake to indemnify 303 the Buyers against all consequences of claims made against the Vessel which have been incurred 304 prior to the time of delivery. 305

### 10. Taxes, fees and expenses

Any taxes, fees and expenses in connection with the purchase and registration in the Buyers' Nominated Flag State shall be for the Buyers' account, whereas similar charges in connection with the closing of the Sellers' register shall be for the Sellers' account.

### 11. Condition on delivery

The Vessel with everything belonging to her shall be at the Sellers' risk and expense until she is delivered to the Buyers, but subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement she shall be delivered and taken over as she was at the time of inspection, fair wear and tear excepted.

313 However, the Vessel shall be delivered free of cargo and free of stowaways with her Class 314 315 maintained without condition/recommendation\*, free of average damage affecting the Vessel's class, and with her classification certificates and national certificates, as well as all other 316 certificates the Vessel had at the time of inspection, valid and unextended without 317 condition/recommendation\* by the Classification Society or the relevant authorities at the time 318 of delivery. 319 320 "inspection" in this Clause 11, shall mean the Buyers' inspection according to Clause 4(a) or 321 4(b) (Inspections), if applicable. If the Vessel is taken over without inspection, the date of this Agreement shall be the relevant date. 322 \*Notes and memoranda, if any, in the surveyor's report which are accepted by the Classification 323 324 Society without condition/recommendation are not to be taken into account. 12. Name/markings 325 326

Upon delivery the Buyers undertake to change the name of the Vessel and alter funnel markings.

13. Buyers' default

Should the Deposit not be lodged in accordance with <u>Clause 2</u> (Deposit), the Sellers have the right to cancel this Agreement, and they shall be entitled to claim compensation for their losses and for all expenses incurred together with interest.

Should the Purchase Price not be paid in accordance with <u>Clause 3</u> (Payment), the Sellers have the right to cancel this Agreement, in which case the Deposit together with interest earned, if any, shall be released to the Sellers. If the Deposit does not cover their loss, the Sellers shall be entitled to claim further compensation for their losses and for all expenses incurred together with interest.

#### 14. Sellers' default

Should the Sellers fail to give Notice of Readiness in accordance with <u>Clause 5(b)</u> or fail to be ready to validly complete a legal transfer by the Cancelling Date the Buyers shall have the option of cancelling this Agreement. If after Notice of Readiness has been given but before the Buyers have taken delivery, the Vessel ceases to be physically ready for delivery and is not made physically ready again by the Cancelling Date and new Notice of Readiness given, the Buyers shall retain their option to cancel. In the event that the Buyers elect to cancel this Agreement, the Deposit together with interest earned, if any, shall be released to them immediately.

Should the Sellers fail to give Notice of Readiness by the Cancelling Date or fail to be ready to validly complete a legal transfer as aforesaid they shall make due compensation to the Buyers for their loss and for all expenses together with interest if their failure is due to proven negligence and whether or not the Buyers cancel this Agreement.

In the event that approval of the Bankruptcy Court is not given and the Sale Order not provided as per Clause 19 herein by 31st May 2017, the Deposit shall be returned to the Buyers net of any bank fees within three (3) banking days after either the Bankruptcy Court's decision or 31st May 2017, whatever the earlier case may be.

#### 15. Buyers' representatives

After this Agreement has been signed by the Parties and the Deposit has been lodged, the Buyers have the right to place two (2) representatives on board the Vessel at their sole risk and 350 351 352

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expense. 353 These representatives are on board for the purpose of familiarisation and in the capacity of 354 observers only, and they shall not interfere in any respect with the operation of the Vessel. The 355 Buyers and the Buyers' representatives shall sign the Sellers' P&I Club's standard letter of 356 indemnity prior to their embarkation. 357 16. Law and Arbitration 358 (a) \*This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with English law and 359 any dispute arising out of or in connection with this Agreement shall be referred to arbitration in 360 London in accordance with the Arbitration Act 1996 or any statutory modification or re-361 enactment thereof save to the extent necessary to give effect to the provisions of this Clause. 362 The arbitration shall be conducted in accordance with the London Maritime Arbitrators 363 Association (LMAA) Terms current at the time when the arbitration proceedings are 364 commenced. 365 The reference shall be to three arbitrators. A party wishing to refer a dispute to arbitration shall 366 appoint its arbitrator and send notice of such appointment in writing to the other party requiring 367 the other party to appoint its own arbitrator within fourteen (14) calendar days of that notice and 368 stating that it will appoint its arbitrator as sole arbitrator unless the other party appoints its own 369 arbitrator and gives notice that it has done so within the fourteen (14) days specified. If the 370 other party does not appoint its own arbitrator and give notice that it has done so within the 371 fourteen (14) days specified, the party referring a dispute to arbitration may, without the 372 requirement of any further prior notice to the other party, appoint its arbitrator as sole arbitrator 373 and shall advise the other party accordingly. The award of a sole arbitrator shall be binding on 374 both Parties as if the sole arbitrator had been appointed by agreement. 375 In cases where neither the claim nor any counterclaim exceeds the sum of US\$100,000 the 376 arbitration shall be conducted in accordance with the LMAA Small Claims Procedure current at 377 the time when the arbitration proceedings are commenced. 378 (b) \*This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with Title 9 of the 379 United States Code and the substantive law (not including the choice of law rules) of the State 380 of New York and any dispute arising out of or in connection with this Agreement shall be 381 referred to three (3) persons at New York, one to be appointed by each of the parties hereto, 382 and the third by the two so chosen; their decision or that of any two of them shall be final, and 383 for the purposes of enforcing any award, judgment may be entered on an award by any court of 384 competent jurisdiction. The proceedings shall be conducted in accordance with the rules of the 385 Society of Maritime Arbitrators, Inc. 386 In cases where neither the claim nor any counterclaim exceeds the sum of US\$ 100,000 the 387 arbitration shall be conducted in accordance with the Shortened Arbitration Procedure of the 388 Society of Maritime Arbitrators, Inc. 389 (c) This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of 390 (state place) and any dispute arising out of or in connection with this Agreement shall be 391 \_ (state place), subject to the procedures applicable there. referred to arbitration at 392 \*16(a), 16(b) and 16(c) are alternatives; delete whichever is not applicable. In the absence of 393 deletions, alternative 16(a) shall apply. 394 17. Notices 395 All notices to be provided under this Agreement shall be in writing. 396 Contact details for recipients of notices are as follows: 397 For the Buyers: Sallaum Lines Germany GmbH, Grosse Baeckerstrasse 3, 20095 Hamburg, 398 Germany / Email: md@sallaumlines.de / PIC: Kay Lemcke. For the Sellers: Brooke Y. Grehan, LCI Shipholdings, Inc, email: grehanby@intship.com. 399 18. Entire Agreement 400 The written terms of this Agreement comprise the entire agreement between the Buyers and 401 the Sellers in relation to the sale and purchase of the Vessel and supersede all previous 402 agreements whether oral or written between the Parties in relation thereto, with the exception of any 403 commission agreement between the Parties and their brokers. Each of the Parties acknowledges that in entering into this Agreement it has not relied on and 404 shall have no right or remedy in respect of any statement, representation, assurance or 405 warranty (whether or not made negligently) other than as is expressly set out in this Agreement. 406

Any terms implied into this Agreement by any applicable statute or law are hereby excluded to 407 Triss document is a computer generated SALEFORM 2012 tom printed by submitly of the Neuvogian Disptackers' Association. Any insertion or deletion to the form must be clearly visible. In this even of any modification made to the pre-printed teed of this document which is not clearly visible, the took of the coginal approved document shat apply. BIMCO and the Neuvogian Shipbenkers' Association assume no responsibility for any loss, duringe or expense as a result of discrepancies between the original approved document and this computer generated document.

the extent that such exclusion can legally be made. Nothing in this Clause shall limit or exclude any liability for fraud. 408

### 19. Approval of the Bankruptcy Court

On July 31, 2016, the Seller filed voluntary petitions pursuant to Title 11 of Chapter 11 of the United States Bankruptcy Code. The Sellers case is pending before the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York (the Bankruptcy Court). The sale of the Vessel is expressly contingent upon the entry of an order (the Sale Order) from the Bankruptcy Court approving the sale of the Vessel to the Buyer free and clear of all liens, claims and encumbrances.

### 20. Commission

An address commission of 2% of the purchase price is payable to the Buyers, which may be paid by way of deduction from the purchase price.

This agreement is drawn in two originals of even tenor and date, one to be retained by the Sellers and the other by the Buyers.

For and on behalf of the Buyers on behalf of the S 10/04/2017 PETER M. JOHNSTON Name: Name: Title: E.V.

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