

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

APPLICATION FOR WAIVER ORDER UNDER NAVIGATION AND VESSEL
INSPECTION CIRCULAR NO. 37

1. Name and nationality of vessel S.S. "CHARLES NORDHOFF" - U.S.
2. Name of operator ALCOA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, INC.
3. Scheduled time of departure of vessel January 4, 1946
4. Mission of vessel Ballast to Gulf of Mexico, per WSA instructions
5. Requirements of law or regulations on which waiver is requested _____

G.R.R. Section 63.7

6. Period of time for which waiver is requested One passage to a Gulf of Mexico Port.
7. Extent to which requested waiver will affect the safety of the vessel and the persons on board None
8. Reasons why waiver is necessary Due to the present labor conditions existent in the Bay Area shipyards, the necessary men and material to hold Annual Inspection are not available.

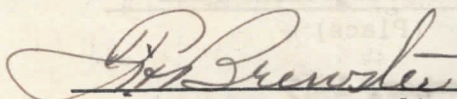
I hereby certify that in my opinion waiver of compliance with the requirements of law specified above is necessary in the conduct of war.

December 27, 1945

Date

San Francisco, California

Place



Signature of applicant
Port Engineer

Title or position

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This is to certify that pursuant to the application on the reverse side hereof a waiver of the requirements of the navigation and vessel inspection laws administered by the Coast Guard has been made effective to the vessel named below to the extent, for the period and under the conditions hereinafter set forth.

1. Name and nationality of vessel SS CHARLES NORDHOFF (United States)
2. Requirements of law or regulation waived (give U.S.C. citation of law and concise statement of provision waived) Without compliance with 46 U.S.C. 391 in that the current Certificate of Inspection to remain in effect until the vessel reaches a gulf coast port of the continental United States.
3. Period of time covered by waiver (for example, 10 days, a particular voyage, etc.) See paragraph 2.
4. Conditions (if any) to which waiver is subject
5. Time within which written application is to be filed with the undersigned in cases where oral application was made

John P. Tibbetts
JOHN P. TIBBETTS

Signature of Coast Guard officer

By direction

220 Appraiser's Bldg.

Address

San Francisco, California

(Place)

27 December, 1945

(Date)