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The following form may be used in connection with obtaining necessary information from the master and keeping the Commandant advised:

PART A (To be prepared by master when and if repairs, etc are desired).

(1) Nature of damage: _____

(2) Cause of damage: _____

Exact nature of repairs desired: _____

I, _____, hereby certify that the desired services as listed above are necessary to place the radio apparatus in serviceable condition.

C. Bruseendorf
(Signature)

MASTER STATED NO REPAIRS DESIRED.

(Title or rank)

(Name of vessel)

PART B (To be prepared by Coast Guard representative)

(1) Name of vessel: FRANCIS R. HART Type: SS TANKER
Nationality: HONDURAN

(2) Name of master: C. BRUSEENDORFF

(3) Owner of vessel: EMPRESS HONDURAS DE VAPORES
(Give under remarks* complete information as to ownership, charter, and status of officers and crew).

(4) Arrival within the jurisdiction of the United States:
Hour 1400 Date 9/27/42 Place SABINE PASS SEA BUOY

(5) Desired departure from the jurisdiction of the United States:
Hour: UNKNOWN Date UNKNOWN Place SABINE PASS SEA BUOY

(6) Last previous port: NEW ORLEANS

(7) Nature of service: PETROLEUM TRANSPORTATION
Purpose of visit: TO LOAD CARGO

(8) Port bound to: PORT ARTHUR, TEXAS

*(9) Remarks: 51 IN CREW, ARMED & DEGAUSSED. CHARTERED BY WAR ADMINISTRATION. AGENTS, LYKES BROTHERS. NORMAL SEA SPEED LOADED, 12.5 KNOTS.

HOME PORT, TELA

PART B (CONTINUED)

DESCRIPTION OF RADIO AND SIGNAL APPARATUS

(10) TRANSMITTERS:

Type: (1) ET-3626B. (2) ET-8003. (3) ET-8002.

Manufactured by: R. C. A.

Power: (1) 750 Watt. (2) 50 Watt. (3) 150 Watt.

Frequency Range: (1) & (2) 375-500 Kc. (3) 5520-16660 Kc.

Frequencies to which calibrated: (1) & (2) 375-400-425-454-468-500 Kc.

(3) 5520 TO 16660 Kc.

(11) Brief description of any signalling apparatus: SEMAPHORE & INTERNATIONAL CODE
FLAGS. BLINKER ON BRIDGE

(Blinker, bridge semaphore, flags, etc.)

(12) Brief description of sealing operations: SEALED MASTER SWITCH WHICH CONTROLLED
POWER TO ALL TRANSMITTERS.

Date: 27 SEPTEMBER, 1942

I hereby certify that I have, in accordance with orders of the District Coast Guard Officer, Eighth Naval District, sealed the radio apparatus of the above named vessel. The serial ~~xxxxxx~~ (number) of the seals used ~~xxxx~~ (is): ONE (1) LEAD WIRE SEAL #8.

FRANCIS R. HART

(Name of vessel)

MORRIS C. WILLIAMS

(Signature)

B.M. 2c

(Rating or rank)

Attached to: UNIT SABINE STATION
OF EIGHTH NAVAL DISTRICT

PART C (TO BE PREPARED BY DISTRICT COAST GUARD OFFICER)

First Indorsement Date: 3 November, 1942.

1. Forward for information of the Commandant, U. S. Coast Guard.

N. W. NELSON,

Lieutenant, U.S.C.G.

District Intelligence Officer.