UNITED STATES MARITIME COMMISSION Washington

TRANSFER ORDER NO. C-5139

Approving the Sale Alien and Transfer to Panamaian Registry and Flag of the

Cargo Vessel JOHN W. SEARLES

WHEREAS, The United States Maritime Commission on December 19, 1946, authorized the sale of the Cargo Vessel JOHN W. SEARLES, Official No. 244843, to Norness Shipping Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the Republic of Panama, with the privilege of transferring said vessel to foreign registry and flag:

IT IS ORDERED, This 26th day of February 1947, that the approval required by Sections 9 and 37 of the Shipping Act 1916, as amended (46 U.S.C. 808 and 835), of the sale of the Cargo Vessel JOHN W. SEARLES, Official No. 244843, to aliens as above set forth, with transfer to Panamaian registry and flag, be, and it is hereby granted.

UNITED STATES MARITIME COMMISSION

(Sgd.) A. J. WILLIAMS Secretary

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