

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

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

- 1. Name and nationality of vessel SS Joplin Victory - American
- 2. Name of operator U.S.A., War Shipping Administration
Pope & Talbot Inc., McCormick Steamship Company Div. (General Agents)
- 3. Scheduled time of departure of vessel Indefinite
- 4. Mission of vessel Navy cargo
- 5. Requirements of law or regulations on which waiver is requested expiration of certificate
- 6. Period of time for which waiver is requested See below
- 7. Extent to which requested waiver will affect the safety of the vessel and the persons on board not affected

8. Reasons why waiver is necessary Vessel is at present -
on waiver issued 6-15-45 for one voyage or a period of 90 days.
Vessel is at present at anchorage, San Francisco awaiting discharge
berth, Port Hueneme, California. Waiver is being requested to allow
vessel to complete her voyage and discharge her cargo at Port Hueneme
and thence to proceed to either Los Angeles Harbor or return to
San Francisco to hold annual inspection.

I hereby certify that in my opinion waiver of compliance with the requirements of law specified above is necessary in the conduct of war. 12-6-45

Date

[Signature]

Signature of applicant Engineer

Pier #40, San Francisco, Calif.

Place

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 JOPLIN VICTORY (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 completes one coast wise voyage from San Francisco, Calif. to Port Hueneme thence on to Los Angeles Harbour or return to San Francisco.
- 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)

7 December, 1945

(Date)

Title or position

Place