

Federal Maritime Commission

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relief from statutory and/or Commission tariff requirements.

(2) The authority under this paragraph is redelegated to the Director, Office of Service Contracts and Tariffs, in the Bureau of Trade Analysis.

(m)(1) Authority to approve or disapprove special permission applications submitted by a controlled carrier subject to the provisions of section 9 of the Shipping Act of 1984 for relief from statutory and/or Commission tariff requirements.

(2) The authority under this paragraph is redelegated to the Director, Office of Service Contracts and Tariffs, in the Bureau of Trade Analysis.

(n) Authority contained in Part 530 of this chapter to approve, but not deny, requests for permission to correct clerical or administrative errors in the essential terms of filed service contracts.

§ 501.28 Delegation to the Director, Bureau of Enforcement.

The authorities listed in this section are delegated to the Director, Bureau of Enforcement.

(a) Authority to compromise civil penalty claims has been delegated to the Director, Bureau of Enforcement, by § 502.604(g) of this chapter. This delegation shall include the authority to compromise issues relating to the retention, suspension or revocation of ocean transportation intermediary licenses.

(b) [Reserved]

§ 501.29 Delegation to and redelegation by the Director, Office of Administration.

Except where specifically redelegated in this section, the authorities listed in this section are delegated to the Director of Administration.

(a) Authority to determine that an exigency of the public business is of such importance that annual leave may not be used by employees to avoid forfeiture before annual leave may be restored under 5 U.S.C. 6304.

(b)(1) Authority to approve, certify, or otherwise authorize those actions dealing with appropriations of funds made available to the Commission including allotments, fiscal matters, and contracts relating to the operation of the Commission within the laws, rules,

and regulations set forth by the Federal Government.

(2) The authority under paragraph (b) of this section is redelegated to the Director, Office of Budget and Financial Management.

(c)(1) Authority to classify all positions GS-1 through GS-15 and wage grade positions.

(2) The authority under paragraph (c) of this section is redelegated to the Director, Office of Human Resources.

Subpart D—Public Requests for Information

§ 501.41 Public requests for information and decisions.

(a) *General.* Pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(a)(1)(A), there is hereby stated and published for the guidance of the public the established places at which, the officers from whom, and the methods whereby, the public may secure information, make submittals or requests, or obtain decisions, principally by contacting by telephone, in writing, or in person, either the Secretary of the Commission at the Federal Maritime Commission, 800 North Capitol Street, NW., Washington, DC 20573, or the Area Representatives listed in paragraph (d) of this section. See also Part 503 of this chapter.

(b) The Secretary will provide information and decisions, and will accept and respond to requests, relating to the program activities of the Office of the Secretary and of the Commission generally. Unless otherwise provided in this chapter, any document, report, or other submission required to be filed with the Commission by statute or the Commission's rules and regulations relating to the functions of the Commission or of the Office of the Secretary shall be filed with or submitted to the Secretary.

(c) The Directors of the following bureaus and offices will provide information and decisions, and will accept and respond to requests, relating to the specific functions or program activities of their respective bureaus and offices as set forth in this chapter; but only if the dissemination of such information or decisions is not prohibited by statute or the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure:

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- (1) Office of the Secretary;
- (i) Office of Consumer Affairs and Dispute Resolution Services;
- (ii) [Reserved]
- (2) Office of the General Counsel;
- (3) Office of Administrative Law Judges;
- (4) Office of Equal Employment Opportunity;
- (5) Office of the Inspector General;
- (6) Office of Operations;
- (i) Bureau of Certification and Licensing;
- (ii) Bureau of Trade Analysis;
- (iii) Bureau of Enforcement;
- (iv) Area Representatives will provide information and decisions to the public within their geographic areas, or will expedite the obtaining of information and decisions from headquarters. The addresses of these Area Representatives are as follows. Further information on Area Representatives, including Internet e-mail addresses, can be obtained on the Commission's home page at <http://www.fmc.gov>.

Los Angeles

Los Angeles Area Representative, P.O. Box 230, 839 South Beacon Street, Room 320, San Pedro, CA 90733-0230.

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South Florida

South Florida Area Representative, P.O. Box 813609, Hollywood, FL 33081-3609.

New Orleans

New Orleans Area Representative, U.S. Customs House, 423 Canal Street, Room 309B, New Orleans, LA 70130.

New York

New York Area Representative, Building No. 75, Room 205B, JFK International Airport, Jamaica, NY 11430.

Seattle

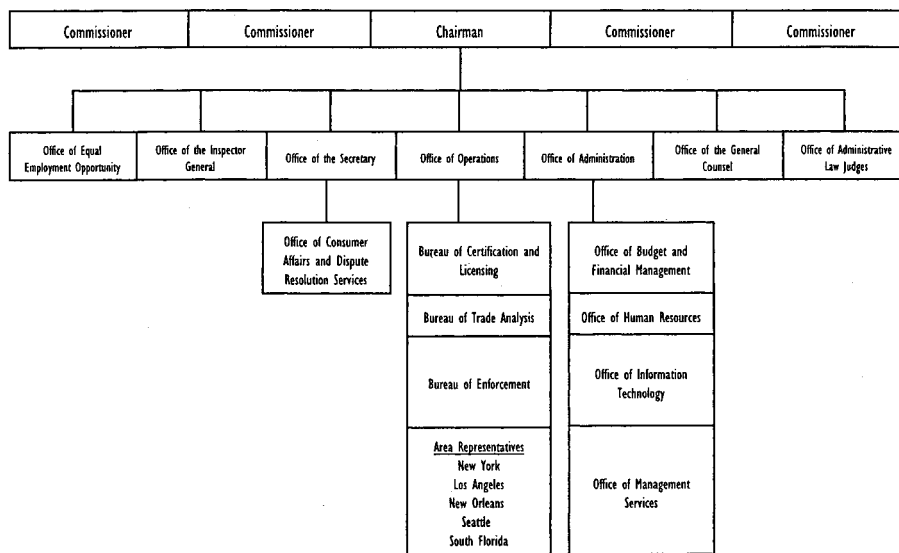
Seattle Area Representative, c/o U.S. Customs, 7 South Nevada Street, Suite 100, Seattle, WA 98134.

- (7) Office of Administration;
- (i) Office of Budget and Financial Management;
- (ii) Office of Human Resources;
- (iii) Office of Information Technology; and
- (iv) Office of Management Services.
- (d) *Submissions to bureaus and offices.* Any document, report or other submission required to be filed with the Commission by statute or the Commission's rules and regulations relating to the specific functions of the bureaus and offices shall be filed with or submitted to the Director of such Bureau or Office.

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