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MCALLISTER TOWING OF PHILADELPHIA, INC. ATTN: CAPT. JOSEPH E. BENTON 4 SOUTH KING STREET GLOUCESTER, NJ 08030

DEADSHIP TOW M/V NORD EXPLORER (O.N. 9403097)

I received your dead ship tow request dated April 25, 2015 for the transit of the M/V NORD EXPLORER from Tioga Marine Terminal to Philadelphia Ship Repair that will take place on April 28, 2015. I understand you will utilize the McALLISTER RESPONDER, the REID McALLISTER, and the ALEX McALLISTER for the transit. Based on the information provided, I have no objection to this proposal.

If you have any questions or need further assistance, contact the Sector Delaware Bay Command Center at (215) 271-4807.

Sincerely,

Captain, U.S. Coast Guard

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Commander, Sector Delaware Bay