INSTRUCTIONS FOR SCHEDULE 310, VESSEL OPERATING STATEMENT

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The information below, required by 46 CFR Part 382.2(b)(8,9), is to be completed on the Schedule 310. This information must be completed annually for the prior calendar year. While not all line items on the Schedule 310 are required by the bulk preference rule, its completion in its entirety is appreciated.

Do not fill in shaded areas.

The following items are required:

Period: January 1 to December 31 of the prior calendar year.

Vessel type: List vessel type and vessel name(s).

Operating Days: Any day on which a vessel or barge unit is in a seaworthy condition fully manned,

and whether in operation or standing ready to begin operations.

Wages: Annual payment for salaries and wages of officers and unlicensed crew, including

relief crews and others regularly employed aboard the vessels, fringe benefits,

vacation payments and accrued payroll taxes.

Subsistence: Annual cost of all edibles including sales taxes and delivery and inspection charges.

Stores: Annual cost of consumable stores, supplies and equipment excluding

fuel but including lube oils and all related sales taxes and delivery

and inspection charges.

M & R: Annual cost of vessel maintenance and repair not covered by insurance,

including accrual for drydocking, if applicable. Do not include capitalized

repair costs or costs of cleaning the vessel's tanks or holds.

Insurance: Annual cost of hull and machinery insurance, protection and indemnity insurance

and other marine risk insurance involving the vessel (not the cargo).

Other Vessel Expense: Annual cost of miscellaneous items incidental to the operation of the vessel,

i.e. fresh water, vessel communication etc. Do not include overhead

expenses such as agency fees and management fees.

Idle Status Costs: If not already included above, include here the annual cost of Wages, Subsistence,

Stores, M&R, Insurance, and Other Vessel Expenses when the vessel is inactive. Also include, wharfage and dockage, port expenses and miscellaneous expenses

attributable to the inactive period.