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facts upon which to make a determination that the entry of the applicant at the time and for the purpose indicated is or is not in accordance with the criteria set forth in §761.6.

- (2) Request additional information from the applicant if required, or
- (3) Issue an entry authorization as requested or modified as circumstances require, or
- (4) Deny the request and advise the applicant of his right to appeal, or,
- (5) Forward the application to the next superior in command together with a statement of the investigation conducted and the reason for forwarding and comments or recommendations as appropriate.
- (d) Authorizations. Entry authorizations will state the purpose for which the entry is authorized and such other information and conditions as are pertinent to the particular authorization. Authorizations to enter and re-enter may be issued to resident U.S. citizens and be valid for a specified time not to exceed two years. Authorizations may be issued to U.S. citizens residing abroad and to aliens to enter and re-enter for a specified period of time required to accomplish the purpose for which the authorization was issued not to exceed one year.

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§ 761.12 Ships: Group authorizations.

Ships or other craft in the following categories, except those ships which have been denied individual authorization or have had a prior authorization revoked, may enter the defense areas indicated without individual authorizations:

- (a) U.S. Public vessels, to enter all defense areas.
- (b) U.S. private vessels which are: (1) Under charter to the Department of Defense (including the Military Sealift Command), or (2) operating under a contract or charter with the Department of Defense providing for the employment of such vessels, or (3) routed by a Naval Control of Shipping Office, or (4) employed exclusively in support of and in connection with a Department of Defense construction, maintenance, or repair contract and whose crews carry individual entry clear-

ances, to enter defense areas as authorized by controlling Defense Department agency.

- (c) [Reserved]
- (d) Privately owned local craft, registered with and licensed by appropriate local U.S. Government authorities, and owned and operated by local inhabitants who have been granted an authorization to enter the local defense area at the discretion of the local commanders.
- (e) Foreign flag ships traveling on diplomatic or other special clearance or for which special arrangements have been made under international agreements or treaties.
- (f) Ships operating under a group authorization issued by the Chief of Naval Operations.
- (g) Ships in distress, subject to local clearances and control by senior officer present.

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§ 761.13 Ships: Individual authorizations.

- (a) Applications; form; filing. Applications for authorization to navigate ships within the limits of defense areas shall be filed with the cognizant Entry Control Commander by letter or telegram including the following information and any additional information that may be relative to the proposed operation:
 - (1) Name of ship.
- (2) Place of registry and registry number.
- (3) Name, nationality and address of operator.
- (4) Name, nationality and address of owner.
 - (5) Gross tonnage of ship.
- (6) Nationality and numbers of officers and crew (include crewlist when practicable).
- (7) Number of passengers (include list when practicable).
- (8) Last port of call prior to entry into area for which clearance is requested.
- (9) Purpose of visit.
- (10) Proposed date of entry and estimated duration of stay.
- (b) *Processing*. Authorization for single entries or for multiple entries for a period not to exceed one year may be