Appendix B to Subpart B of Part 68—Oath for Documentation of Vessels for Use by a Not-For-Profit Oil Spill Response Cooperative

Department of Homeland Security, U.S. Coast Guard

Oath for Documentation of Vessels For Use by a Not-For-Profit Oil Spill Response Cooperative [46 U.S.C. 12106(d)]

Cooperative:
Name _________________________________
Address _________________________________
Jurisdiction where incorporated or organized _________________________________

I, the undersigned officer of ____________, a not-for-profit oil spill response cooperative, swear that I am legally authorized to make this oath on behalf of the cooperative, and its members and that the cooperative has accepted the vessel

I/we ____________, am/are the owner(s) of the vessel. I/we further swear that the vessel has been dedicated to the exclusive use of the cooperative for the purpose of training for, carrying out, or supporting oil spill cleanup operations or related research activities for discharges of oil into the navigable waters of the United States and the Exclusive Economic Zone and that the cooperative has accepted the vessel.

For the Cooperative:
Name _________________________________
Address _________________________________
Cooperative _________________________________
Title or Capacity _________________________________

For Each Vessel Owner:
Name _________________________________
Cooperative _________________________________
Title or Capacity _________________________________

Subscribed and sworn to before me on the day and year shown.

(Notary Public)

Date _________________________________


§ 68.50 Purpose and applicability.

(a) This subpart contains requirements, in addition to those in part 67 of this chapter, for obtaining a coastwise endorsement for a U.S.-built vessel—

1. That is owned by a person that qualifies as a citizen under § 67.35(a), § 67.36(a), § 67.37, or § 67.39(a) of this chapter; and

2. That is demise chartered to a coastwise qualified citizen under § 67.33, § 67.35(c), § 67.36(c), § 67.37, § 67.39(c), or § 67.41 of this chapter.

(b) This subpart applies to a vessel with a coastwise endorsement issued on or after August 9, 2004. It does not apply to a vessel under subpart D of this part.

§ 68.55 Definitions.

In addition to the terms defined in § 67.3 of this chapter, as used in this subpart—

Affiliate means, with respect to any person, any other person that is—

1. Directly or indirectly controlled by, under common control with, or controlling that person; or

2. Named as being part of the same consolidated group in any report or other document submitted to the United States Securities and Exchange Commission or the Internal Revenue Service.

Cargo does not include cargo to which title is held for non-commercial reasons and primarily for the purpose of evading the requirements of § 68.65(a)(2).

Oil has the meaning given that term in 46 U.S.C. 2101(20).

Operation or management, for vessels, means all activities related to the use of vessels to provide services. These activities include, but are not limited to, ship agency; ship brokerage; activities performed by a vessel operator or demise charterer in exercising direction...