UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS CORPUS CHRISTI DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

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VS. \$
CRIMINAL ACTION NO. C-08-393

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GENERAL MARITIME MANAGEMENT
(PORTUGAL) L.D.A., et al,

Defendants.

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The Clerk shall send the checks to the United States Embassy in the Philippines care of Robert E. Courtney, III, Department of Justice Attache, American Embassy Manila, 1201 Roxas Boulevard, Ermita, 1000 Manila, Philippines, telephone number (6 32) 301-2000.

It is further ORDERED that Robert E. Courtney, III, Department of Justice Attache, American Embassy Manila shall arrange for the distribution of the checks to the individual whistle blowers and thereafter notify this court of the distribution.

SIGNED and ORDERED this 9th day of June, 2009.

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