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Mr. W. F. Megonigal, Jr.
Maritime Institute of Technology &
Graduate Studies
692 Maritime Blvd.
Linthicum Heights, MD 21090

Dear Mr. Megonigal:

This is in response to your letter of March 22, 2006, requesting renewal of the approval of your 7-hour Crowd Management course.

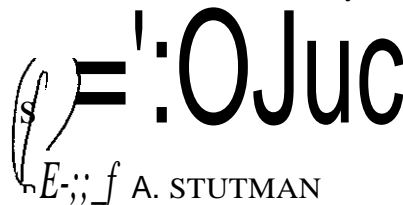
The course satisfies applicable requirements, and the following approval is granted subject to the conditions specified below and in Enclosure (1):

Any applicant successfully completing your 7-hour Crowd Management course and presenting your Certificate of Training at a Regional Exam Center, will satisfy:

- a) the Crowd Management training requirements of Paragraph 1 of Section A-V/2 of the STCW Code for Ro-Ro Passenger Vessels Paragraph 1 of Section A-V/3 of the STCW Code for Passenger Ships Other Than Ro-Ro Passenger Vessels; AND
- b) the Safety Training requirements of Paragraph 3 of Section A-V/2 of the STCW Code for Ro-Ro Passenger Vessels and Paragraph 3 of Section A-V/3 of the STCW Code for Passenger Ships Other Than Ro-Ro Passenger Vessels.

1. The approved instructors for this course are James Caspers, James Cuslm1an, Jolm Kessler, Patrick Tracy, and John Scragg. Requests to add additional instructors must be submitted to this office for evaluation and written approval.
2. Your certificate of training must state the name of the course as *7-hour Crowd Management* and the dates and location at which the training was conducted.
3. This course is approved to be presented at your facilities in Linthictnn Heights, Maryland. In order to give this course at any other location, you must submit a request to the REC in whose zone the training is to be given at least 21 days in advance. An informational copy of this request should be sent to REC Baltimore.

This approval is effective May 1, 2006 and expires on May 31, 2011. Subsequent five-year renewals may be granted upon a written request to this office made at least 30 days before this approval expires.

A. STUTMAN

Chief, Examination and Course Approval Branch
U.S. Coast Guard
By direction

Encl: (1) Terms of Course Approval
(2) Certificate of Approval

Terms of Course Approval
Maritime Institute of Technology & Graduate Studies
7-hour Crowd Management

1. All examinations the student takes to successfully pass the course must be different from any examination he or she has previously taken or did not pass. (46 CPR 10.303(c)).
2. For at least one year after the end of each student's enrollment, you must maintain on file their examinations, a report of practical tests administered, and a record of their classroom attendance. (46 CPR 10.303(d)).
3. Any proposed change to the course, including a change of simulators or training aids, or changes or additions of instructors must be submitted to this office for evaluation and written approval. (46 CPR 10.303(e)).
4. Any proposed modifications to your approved training facility must be submitted to the Officer in Charge, Marine Inspection (OCMI), Baltimore.
5. You must allow, at anytime, the OCMI, Baltimore, or a designated representative, to:
 - a. Inspect your facilities, equipment and records, including scholastic records;
 - b. Interview and survey students to aid in course evaluation;
 - c. Assign personnel to observe or participate in the course of instruction, with or without prior notification; and,
 - d. Supervise or administer the required examinations or practical demonstrations. (46 CPR 10.303(f)).