

wastewater to the tundra in the original general permit but the size was not included in the final issuance of the general permit. This has been included in the modified general permit. A condition has been added to the permit clarifying that hydrostatic test water may not be discharged from pipelines that have been previously used to transport crude oil.

Within 120 days following service of notice of EPA's final permit decision under 40 CFR 124.15, any interested person may appeal this general NPDES permit in the Federal Court of Appeal in accordance with section 509(b)(1) of the Clean Water Act.

Regulatory Flexibility Act

After review of the facts presented in the notice printed above, I hereby certify pursuant to the provision of 5 U.S.C. 605(b) that this general NPDES permit will not have a significant impact on a substantial number of small entities. Moreover, the permit reduces a significant administrative burden on regulated sources.

Dated: February 3, 1998.

Roger K. Mochnick,

Acting Director, Office of Water.

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EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY COMMISSION

Sunshine Act Meeting

AGENCY HOLDING THE MEETING: Equal Employment Opportunity Commission.

DATE AND TIME: Tuesday, February 24, 1998 at 2:00 P.M. (Eastern Time).

PLACE: Conference Room on the Ninth Floor of the EEOC Office Building, 1801 "L" Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20507.

STATUS: Part of the meeting will be open to the public and part of the meeting will be closed.

MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:

Open Session

1. Announcement of Notation Votes, and
2. Operational Reports by the Office of General Counsel and the Office of Field Programs.

Closed Session

Litigation Authorization; General Counsel Recommendations.

Note: Any matter not discussed or concluded may be carried over to a later meeting. (In addition to publishing notices on EEOC Commission meetings in the **Federal Register**, the Commission also

provides a recorded announcement a full week in advance on future Commission sessions.) Please telephone (202) 663-7100 (voice) and (202) 663-4074 (TTD) at any time for information on these meetings.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION: Frances M. Hart, Executive Officer on (202) 663-4070.

This Notice Issued February 10, 1998.

Frances M. Hart,

Executive Officer, Executive Secretariat.

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FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

[Docket No. 98-02]

Gateway International, Inc. v. Eastern Mediterranean Shipping; Notice of Filing of Complaint and Assignment

Notice is given that a complaint filed by Gateway International, Inc. ("Complainant") against Eastern Mediterranean Shipping ("Respondent") was served February 6, 1998. Complainant alleges that Respondent is a non-vessel operating common carrier that violated sections 10(b)(6)(D) and 10(d)(1) of the Shipping Act of 1984, 46 U.S.C. app. §§ 1709(b)(6)(D) and 1709(d)(1), by accepting for shipment household goods and personal effects of staff members for a newly established non-profit hospital in Kenya, together with donated medical equipment for that hospital, receiving ocean transportation charges for the shipment, failing to deliver the shipment, and not responding to repeated requests by Complainant's personnel for information as to the location and status of the shipment.

This proceeding has been assigned to the office of Administrative Law Judges. Hearing in this matter, if any is held, shall commence within the time limitations prescribed in 46 CFR 502.61, and only after consideration has been given by the parties and the presiding officer to the use of alternative forms of dispute resolution. The hearing shall include oral testimony and cross-examination in the discretion of the presiding officer only upon proper showing that there are genuine issues of material fact that cannot be resolved on the basis of sworn statements, affidavits, depositions, or other documents or that the nature of the matter in issue is such that an oral hearing and cross-examination are necessary for the development of an adequate record. Pursuant to the further terms of 46 CFR 502.61, the initial decision of the presiding officer in this proceeding shall be issued by February 8, 1999, and the

final decision of the Commission shall be issued by June 8, 1999.

Joseph C. Polking,

Secretary.

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FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

[Docket No. 98-01]

The Board of Commissioners of the Port of New Orleans v. Kaiser Aluminum and Chemical Corporation and the Board of Commissioners of the St. Bernard Parish Port, Harbor & Terminal District and the St. Bernard Port, Harbor & Terminal District; Notice of Filing of Complaint and Assignment

Notice is given that a complaint filed by The Board of Commissioners of the Port of New Orleans ("Complaint") against Kaiser Aluminum and Chemical Corporation and the Board of Commissioners of the St. Bernard Parish Port, Harbor & Terminal District and the St. Bernard Port, Harbor & Terminal District ("Respondents") was served February 3, 1998. Complainant alleges that Respondents violated sections 4(b), 8 and 10 of the Shipping Act of 1984, 46 U.S.C. app. §§ 1703(b), 1707 and 1709, by entering into a lease agreement and publishing tariffs that deviate materially from provisions of Complainant's tariff, such deviations being contrary to Louisiana laws while the terms of the lease between Respondents require adherence to such laws, and providing unlawful preferences, concessions or reductions to maritime operators, carriers and shipper customers within the harbor limits of the Port of New Orleans.

This proceeding has been assigned to the Office of Administrative Law Judges. Hearing in this matter, if any is held, shall commence within the time limitations prescribed in 46 CFR 502.61, and only after consideration has been given by the parties and the presiding officer to the use of alternative forms of dispute resolution. The hearing shall include oral testimony and cross-examination in the discretion of the presiding officer only upon proper showing that there are genuine issues of material fact that cannot be resolved on the basis of sworn statements, affidavits, depositions, or other documents or that the nature of the matter in issue is such that an oral hearing and cross-examination are necessary for the development of an adequate record. Pursuant to the further terms of 46 CFR 502.62, the initial decision of the presiding officer in this proceeding shall