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**STEVEDORE LICENSE APPLICATION
PORT OF LAKE CHARLES**

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**NOTICE TO APPLICANT: IF ANY OF THE INFORMATION THAT YOU PROVIDE ON THIS FORM
CHANGES DURING THE TERM OF THE LICENSE, YOU MUST PROMPTLY PROVIDE THE PORT
WITH THE AMENDED INFORMATION!!**

SECTION ONE: IDENTITY OF APPLICANT		
A	OPERATOR NAME(APPLICANT)	
B	TAXPAYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (TIN)	
C	PHYSICAL AND MAILING ADDRESS	
D	CORPORATE ADDRESS (IF DIFFERENT)	
E	PHONE NUMBER OFFICE: 24 HOUR:	
F	FAX NUMBER	
G	EMAIL ADDRESS	
H	TRADE NAME OR DBA	
I	NAME / ADDRESS OF AGENT FOR SERVICE OF PROCESS	
J	NAME OF PERSON MANAGING OPERATIONS AT POLC FACILITIES	

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SECTION TWO: OWNERSHIP AND CONTROL			
A	FORM OF BUSINESS (CORPORATION, PARTNERSHIP, ETC)		
B	IF PUBLICLY HELD CORPORATION	STATE OF INCORPORATION	
C		IF SO, NAMES OF OPERATING OFFICERS	
D	IF CLOSELY HELD CORPORATION	NAMES OF PERSONS OR ENTITIES OWNING CONTROLLING INTEREST	
E		NAMES OF OFFICERS OF THE CORPORATION	
F	PARTNERSHIP OR VENTURE	NAMES OF PERSONS OWNING CONTROLLING INTEREST	
G		NAMES OF ALL OFFICERS	
H	PROPRIETORSHIP	NAME OF PRINCIPAL	
I	IS APPLICANT RELATED TO ANY OTHER PERSON OR ENTITY CARRYING ON A STEVEDORING BUSINESS BY REASON OF OWNERSHIP, EMPLOYMENT, OR COMMON OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, OR SHAREHOLDERS?		YES / NO
	IF YES, IDENTIFY THE PERSONS OR ENTITY THAT IS RELATED AND DESCRIBE THE NATURE OF THE RELATIONSHIP.		

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SECTION THREE: FINANCIAL HISTORY		YES / NO	EXPLAIN OR LIST IF YES
A	WILL APPLICANT CONDUCT BUSINESS UNDER OTHER NAMES?		
B	WILL APPLICANT SHARE OFFICE SPACE WITH ANOTHER ENTITY?		
C	i. HAS APPLICANT EVER BEEN A PARTY IN ANY LAWSUIT/CLAIM BROUGHT BY THE U.S. GOVERNMENT OR ANY OF ITS AGENCIES, ANY STATE OR PUBLIC PORT AUTHORITY OR ANY COMMERCIAL ENTITY?		
	ii. HAS APPLICANT EVER BEEN A PARTY IN ANY LAWSUIT/CLAIM BROUGHT BY THE PORT OF LAKE CHARLES? IF SO, NAME THE LITIGATION/CLAIM AND NATURE OF THE LITIGATION/CLAIM.		
	iii. HAS APPLICANT EVER BEEN DEBARRED OR DETERMINED INELIGIBLE TO DO BUSINESS WITH THE U.S. GOVERNMENT OR ANY AGENCY THEREOF? IF SO, PLEASE PROVIDE DETAILS?		
D	HAS APPLICANT EVER BEEN CONVICTED OF A CRIMINAL OFFENSE OTHER THAN TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS?		
E	HAS ANY OFFICER, PARTNER, OR PRINCIPAL OF APPLICANT OR PERSON LISTED IN RESPONSE TO QUESTIONS IN SECTION TWO AND SECTION FOUR(E) BEEN CONVICTED OF A CRIMINAL OFFENSE, OTHER THAN TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS?		
F	HAS APPLICANT, OR ANY OFFICER, PARTNER, OR PRINCIPAL OF APPLICANT FILED A BANKRUPTCY PROCEEDING OTHER THAN AS A CREDITOR IN THE LAST TEN YEARS?		
G	DOES APPLICANT HAVE OTHER INFORMATION (SUCH AS INVOLVEMENT IN OTHER LITIGATION) RELEVANT TO A REVIEW OF APPLICANT'S FINANCIAL HISTORY? IF SO, APPLICANT MUST PROVIDE SUCH INFORMATION ON SEPARATE PAGES.		
H	THE APPLICANT'S MOST RECENT AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS, BALANCE SHEET, INCOME STATEMENT, NOTE DISCLOSURES, AND OTHER DOCUMENTS WHICH ARE VERIFIABLE AND INDEPENDENTLY DEMONSTRATES ITS CREDITWORTHINESS, FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY, AND RESOURCES, INCLUDING CREDIT REFERENCES MUST BE ATTACHED TO THE SUBMITTED APPLICATION. AT THE APPLICANT'S EXPENSE, INDEPENDENT VERIFICATION OF FINANCIAL CONDITIONS MAY BE REQUIRED BY THE PORT.		
I	CURRENT BUSINESS REFERENCES MUST BE ATTACHED TO THE SUBMITTED APPLICATION.		

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SECTION FOUR: COMPETENCE	
A	NATURE OF PRESENT BUSINESS AND NEW BUSINESS THE APPLICANT WILL BRING TO THE PORT OF LAKE CHARLES.
B	DESCRIPTION OF EXPERIENCE AND SCOPE OF PRESENT OPERATIONS.
C	ARE LICENSES HELD AT ANY OTHER PORT BY APPLICANT? IF SO, WHERE?
D	HAS APPLICANT EVER BEEN REJECTED OR DENIED AS A LICENSED STEVEDORE BY ANY PUBLIC PORT ENTITY OR HAS ANY PUBLIC PORT ENTITY CANCELLED OR SUSPENDED ANY LICENSE FOR ANY PORT ACTIVITY, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO, AGENCY, TERMINAL, OR STEVEDORING ACTIVITY? IF SO, PLEASE PROVIDE A DETAILED EXPLANATION.
E	DESCRIBE ALL CARGO HANDLING EQUIPMENT OWNED OR LEASED BY APPLICANT AND ATTACH OSHA CURRENT CERTIFICATIONS AS PROVIDED FOR BY CURRENT OSHA REGULATIONS. APPLICANT MUST ADHERE TO ALL OSHA REGULATIONS AND REQUIREMENTS IN ADDITION TO ALL GUIDELINES AND REQUIREMENTS CONTAINED IN THE PORT'S TARIFF NO. 013 OR ANY SUBSEQUENT REVISIONS OR TARIFFS.
F	PROVIDE THE NAME, EXPERIENCE, AND EMPLOYMENT HISTORY OF INDIVIDUAL WHO WILL MANAGE OPERATIONS AT POLC FACILITIES?
G	WILL STEVEDORE COMPANY EMPLOY LOCAL LABOR AND SERVICE PROVIDERS?

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SECTION FIVE:	
I SWEAR OR AFFIRM THAT THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS APPLICATION IS COMPLETE AND CORRECT	Stevedore License Application is subject to Port of Lake Charles Tariff No. 013 or any subsequent revisions or Tariffs.
_____ NOTARY PUBLIC	_____ AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE
_____ DATE	_____ PRINTED NAME
	_____ TITLE

SECTION SIX: INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS																	
A	EVERY HOLDER OF A STEVEDORE LICENSE SHALL MAINTAIN THE FOLLOWING INSURANCE CONTINUOUSLY IN FORCE AND EFFECT:																
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SECTION SEVEN: PAYMENT AND IRREVOCABLE LETTER OF CREDIT
* ATTACH PAYMENT OF APPLICATION FEE * IRREVOCABLE LETTER OF CREDIT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$25,000 MUST BE RECEIVED WITHIN 30 DAYS OF ACCEPTANCE BY THE PORT'S BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
SEE ITEM 380 OF THE PORT OF LAKE CHARLES TARIFF NO. 013 OR ANY SUBSEQUENT REVISIONS OR TARIFFS.

POLC USE ONLY BELOW THIS LINE	
_____ _____ _____	
INSURANCE RECEIVED & APPROVED. _____	DATE: _____
SPECIAL PROVISIONS OF THIS LICENSE: _____	
_____ _____	
PORT OF LAKE CHARLES _____	DATE _____

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LAKE CHARLES HARBOR AND TERMINAL DISTRICT
STEVEDORE LICENSE APPLICATION

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1. Does Applicant have a substance abuse program in effect?

2. If so, is the substance abuse program monitored and enforced?

3. Provide the name and position of Applicant's employee in charge of the Applicant's substance abuse program.

4. Provide the full name of Applicant's employee who is responsible for applicant's safety compliance program.

5. How long has the employee listed in response to Item 4 above been in this position?

6. Provide the full name of Applicant's employee who is responsible for maintenance of Applicant's equipment including pallets.

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7. How long has the employee listed in response to Item 6 above been in this position?

8. Provide a complete description of Applicant's Safety Compliance Program.

9. Provide a complete description of Applicant's Maintenance Programs.

10. Provide the number of Applicant's full time direct employees Applicant will/does employ at the Lake Charles Harbor & Terminal District.

11. Has Applicant timely paid all invoices issued by the Lake Charles Harbor and Terminal District in accordance with the Lake Charles Harbor and Terminal District's Tariff over the last five (5) years?

12. If not, provide an explanation of why any invoice issued by the Lake Charles Harbor and Terminal District was not timely paid in accordance with the Lake Charles Harbor and Terminal District's Tariff.

13. Has Applicant ever been cited by OSHA for any violations while operating at the Lake Charles Harbor and Terminal District or any other Port Authority over the last five (5) years?

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14. If Applicant has been cited by OSHA for any violations while operating at the Lake Charles Harbor and Terminal District or any other Port Authority over the last five (5), please provide complete details of all violations and all corrective action taken by Applicant.

15. The facilities of the Lake Charles Harbor and Terminal District are operated in an environmentally sound manner. Should the Stevedore License be granted or renewed, does the Applicant agree **not** to handle, store or bring onto District property any substances considered hazardous and/or corrosive under any federal, state, or local law, unless first receiving written approval of the District?

16. Provide the Applicant's most recent audited financial statements, balance sheet, income statement, note disclosures, and other documentation, which are verifiable and demonstrate Applicant's creditworthiness, financial responsibility, and resources. If audited or verified financial statements are **not** available, provide any and all documents which demonstrate the applicant's financial creditworthiness and financial responsibility including Applicant's most recent Federal Income Tax return.

17. Has Applicant ever filed or caused to be filed a lawsuit or claim against the Lake Charles Harbor and Terminal District?

18. If the answer to Item 17 was affirmative, please provide the name of the litigation or nature of the claim, the date the litigation or claim was filed or made, and all details related to any such claim or lawsuit.

19. In the event that this License Application is approved and a license is granted or renewed, will Applicant agree to abide by all the provisions of the Lake Charles Harbor and Terminal District's Tariff No. 013, including all subsequent changes and re-issues?

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20. Will Applicant notify the Lake Charles Harbor and Terminal District, in writing within ten (10) working days, of any changes in the information supplied in Applicant's Stevedore Application?

21. A minimum of fifty-thousand (50,000) short tons consisting of 2,000 pounds per ton of waterborne generated cargo must be worked by the permit holder in the permitted year. The minimum ton commitment is fulfilled by tons moving across public docks and/or facilities operated by the Lake Charles Harbor and Terminal District. Failure to meet the minimum tonnage requirement will be a major factor in the consideration of any renewal of an application. The company actually performing the work will be the only company credited with tonnage as required for renewal. Tons will be accounted for only once unless involved in a separate commercial transaction.

___ YES ___ NO

22. Any stevedoring company who receives a permit shall maintain a local office within 15 miles of City Docks which must be staffed on a full time basis. Failure to maintain a staffed, local office will result in cancellation of the permit.

___ YES ___ NO

False statements or violations of any provisions of this Stevedore License Application or the Lake Charles Harbor and Terminal District's Tariff will result in temporary suspension or permanent revocation of the Stevedore License.

Applicant's Signature

Print Name

Company

Title

Date