

Department of Environmental Conservation

DIVISION OF SPILL PREVENTION AND RESPONSE Prevention, Preparedness, and Response Program

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August 8, 2017

Kelly Clark Holland America Group 450 Third Avenue West Seattle, WA 98119

Subject: Emerald Princess JNU EGCS Sheen, Spill #: 17119917903, No Further Action

Dear Ms. Clark:

The Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation (department) has completed its review of the case file for the above referenced spill. Based on the available information, and the department's determination described in the August 8, 2017 letter "Holland America Group July 31, 2017 Letter Responses to Spills from Vessels Oosterdam, Amsterdam, and Emerald Princess", the department has determined that the discharge of scrubber water during normal operations is not a discharge of oil and no further containment or cleanup is required for this site at this time.

Please note that this determination is based on current available information and should new information become available, the department reserves the right to reevaluate this determination. If additional areas or levels of contamination are discovered in the future that are not included in the information submitted to the department, you are required under 18 AAC 75 to contact this office at 907-465-5340. In addition, cost recovery under Alaska Statute 46.08.070 will continue until all state costs have been reimbursed.

If you have questions or comments regarding this matter, please contact me at 907-465-5367 or kelley.tu@alaska.gov.

Sincerely,

Kelley Tu

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