I, REYNALDO B. ESTEBAN MAKE THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT REGARDING THE INCIDENT THAT HAPPENED ON 4 NOVEMBER 2012 ONBOARD THE M/V WALLA WALLA.

I WAS ALIGNING THE PORT BILGE PUMP WHEN STEVE TOLD ME TO COME OUT OF THE BILGE. THIS HAPPENED APPROXIMATELY @ 1140. I WENT TO THE DAY ROOM AND AS I WAS PASSING BY # 1 TUNNEL I SAW AND SMELLED THE SMOKE COMING FROM THE MOTOR ROOM. THIS IS THE FIRST TIME I KNEW WHAT HAPPENED.