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From: Commander, Military Sealift Command
To: Joseph Lynch, Blackrock Technical Services, LLC.

Subj: QUALIFICATION OF BLACKROCK TECHNICAL SERVICES, LLC TO PROVIDE
SERVICE AND REPAIR SUPPORT FOR GE AND WESTINGHOUSE MAIN PROPULSION
ELECTRIC MOTORS (1000VDC OR LESS)

Ref: (a) COMSC Instruction 4490.1C

1. Reference (a) establishes Military Sealift Command (MSC) policy and procedures for qualification requirements in the procurement of items critical to safety and the modification, repair and overhaul of those items assigned to Military Sealift Command vessels. The Instruction designates the MSC Engineering Director as the Design Control Activity (DCA) responsible to ensure that the design, production and performance standards are met for ship critical safety items. The instruction further assigns responsibility to the DCA to establish qualification requirements and to qualify and identify vendors that meet the criteria and standards for ship critical safety items.
2. Blackrock Technical Services requested biennial reevaluation of their qualification (originally issued 6 July 2022) and submitted all required information. An MSC N7 Engineering DCA evaluation team reviewed that information and determined Blackrock Technical Services meets the relevant qualification criteria for maintenance and repair services on GE and Westinghouse direct current main propulsion electric motors of 1000VDC or less
3. Blackrock Technical Services is deemed qualified to provide OEM-equivalent maintenance and repair services on MSC ships for GE and Westinghouse direct current main propulsion electric motors of 1000VDC or less. This qualification must be re-evaluated no later than 24 months from the date of this letter. Within its sole discretion, MSC may revoke qualification at any time if Blackrock Technical Services fails to provide quality maintenance and repair services, or if Blackrock Technical Services is unable to sustain the capabilities required in reference (a).
4. The MSC point of contact is Benjamin Hawbaker, ph: (757)341-6211; email: msc_nonoem_qual@us.navy.mil.

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