

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION
OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGES



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In the Matter of)
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Wilh. Wilhelmsen Holding ASA)
a public company,)
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Wilhelmsen Maritime Services AS,)
a private company,)
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Resolute Fund II, L.P.,)
a private company,)
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Drew Marine Intermediate II B.V.,)
a private company, and)
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Drew Marine Group, Inc.,)
a corporation,)
)
Respondents.)
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Docket No. 9380

**ORDER GRANTING UNOPPOSED MOTION
FOR LEAVE TO AMEND COMPLAINT**

On March 5, 2018, Federal Trade Commission (“FTC”) Complaint Counsel filed an Unopposed Motion for Leave to Amend Complaint (“Motion”). The Commission’s Complaint, dated February 22, 2018, named Wilhelm Wilhelmsen as a Respondent. Complaint Counsel states that after conferring with counsel for Respondents, it has agreed to amend its Complaint because Wilh. Wilhelmsen Holding ASA, a public company, should be named Respondent instead of Wilhelm Wilhelmsen.

Rule 3.15(a) of the FTC’s Rules of Practice sets forth: “If and whenever determination of a controversy on the merits will be facilitated thereby, the Administrative Law Judge may, upon such conditions as are necessary to avoid prejudicing the public interest and the rights of the parties, allow appropriate amendments to pleadings” 16 C.F.R. § 3.15(a).

Complaint Counsel believes, and states that Respondents have represented to Complaint Counsel that they believe, that allowing the requested amendment will facilitate determination of this controversy on the merits. Complaint Counsel further argues that the public interest will be served by granting leave to amend and that there is no prejudice to either side in allowing the requested amendments.

Upon consideration of the above stated reasons, the Unopposed Motion is GRANTED, and it is hereby ORDERED that Complaint Counsel may file with the Office of the Secretary of the FTC the public and confidential versions of the Amended Complaint attached as Exhibits A and B to the Motion, no later than March 8, 2018. This Order shall not impact any deadlines.

ORDERED:



D. Michael Chappell
Chief Administrative Law Judge

Date: March 6, 2018

Notice of Electronic Service

I hereby certify that on March 06, 2018, I filed an electronic copy of the foregoing Order Granting Unopposed Motion for Leave to Amend Complaint, with:

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