



Universal Commercial Adjudication Division

UCAD-NO 0005

LEGITIMATE SALVAGE DECLARATION

Each claim of legitimate salvage must be accompanied by a completed and witnessed copy of this Declaration in order to receive recompense from [Corporation], hereafter "CORPORATION," at guaranteed Market Rate.

Corporation: _____

A "Salvor" is defined as: any entity or crew with actual physical possession of Salvage in Question. "Actual physical possession" is defined as: physical custody or control of such ship, constructed device, or other material which constitutes the Salvage in Question.

We, [Name of Crew or Ship], hereafter Salvors, here undersigned, do therefore swear under penalty of perjury and bodily insecurity that the below information is true and correct to the best of our knowledge and reasonable efforts were made to acquire such information if before unknown to us. We agree compensation for such Salvage shall be made in accordance to Market Value (specified below) and CORPORATION may reject the transaction and seize purported Salvage if conditions for Legitimate Salvage are not met.

i Name of Crew/Ship: _____

1. Salvage in Question: (Ship / Material / Constructed Device):

Physical Description: _____

Primary Purpose: _____ **Market Value:** _____

2. Enumeration of Acquisition. To receive compensation, each claim of Legitimate Salvage shall declare at least four (4) of seven (7) elements of Legitimate Salvage. Please check the appropriate elements below and provide such corollary information and evidence as necessary.

a. **Value.** I hereby declare, assure, and admit such Salvage has an aforementioned Market Value and my taking such Salvage precipitated its return to the CORPORATION, and thus the return of such Value. I furthermore declare such Salvage WAS taken by myself and/or my subordinate crew in order to ensure the safety of such Salvage by [Danger Avoided], and my taking thereof did not further endanger the structural integrity of such Salvage by [Precautions Taken], and such taking thereof was immediately necessary to preserve the Salvage's monetary or material value.

i Danger Avoided: _____

ii Precautions Taken: _____

b. **Critical Damage.** I hereby declare, assure, and admit such Salvage's critical components DID CONTAIN significant or irreparable damages; including: [Damaged Critical Parts] and such damage included [Critical Damage] which rendered aforementioned components inoperable.

i **Damaged Critical Parts:** _____

ii **Critical Damage:** _____

c. **Lack of Living Crew.** I hereby declare, assure, and admit such Salvage DID NOT CONTAIN lives in being upon or near such Salvage at such time of Acquisition. Additionally, the last instance of proximate lives in being exceeded twenty four (24) Company Standard Hours prior to Acquisition or were otherwise unknown despite good faith discovery efforts. Such last instance of lives in being is evidenced by **(Notarized Receipt / Transponder Code / Video Footage).**

d. **Inconvenient Space.** I hereby declare, assure, and admit such Salvage WAS within a sector of space, located at [Coordinates of Location Salvaged] as evidenced by **(Ship's Manifest / Distress Beacon Coordinates / Company Witness),** heretofore unduly onerous to retrieve by CORPORATION, and the Salvor's efforts were necessary for its return to CORPORATION.

i **Salvage Coordinates:** _____

e. **Adverse Possession.** I hereby declare, assure and admit such Salvage was previously in possession of [Competing Corporation], and provide this **(Transponder Code / Ship Manifest / Corporate ID Tag / Trade Dress)** indicating Competing Corporation's prior Salvage claim. I furthermore declare such information is accompanied with a notarized Notice of Attempt to Contact.

i **Competing Corporation:** _____

f. **Scientific Necessity.** I hereby declare, assure and admit such Salvage contains valuable scientific value, namely, potential exposure to novel organic or inorganic sentient Entities, to wit: [Entity Description]. I furthermore declare such exposure, evidenced by [Exposure Description] is of such great scientific and humanitarian value that Salvor's acquisition was immediately necessary. Salvor affirms samples of the Entity remain within such Salvage.

i **Entity Description:** _____

ii **Exposure Description:** _____

g. **Mortal Danger.** I hereby declare, assure and admit the transportation, measures taken to secure, or other contemporaneous circumstances of the salvage operation called for extreme decisions placing the Salvor's vessel or crew in mortal danger, resulting in **(Bodily Injury / Death / Critical Ship Damage),** including but not limited to [Description of Such Injury, Death, or Critical Damage].

i **Description:** _____

Signed: _____
Salvor(s) CORPORATION Witness