

Ship Name: **MSC JUDITH**

Ship Type: **Containership**

Flag: **Panama**

IMO Number: **9299549**

Date of Action: **6/25/2023**

Action Taken: **Detention**

Port: **Savannah, Georgia**

Unit: **MSU Savannah**

Recognized Org: **DNV**

Recognized Security
Organization (RSO):

Recognized Org
(RO) Related: **Not Class Related**

Relevant Certificates:

Organization Related
to Detention:

Ship Management: Owners, Operators, or Managers
Compania Naviera Hegetor S.A.
Mediterranean Shipping Co. s.r.l

Deficiencies: Code - Category

**11129 - Operational readiness of
lifesaving appliances**

Description

Each life raft or group of life rafts shall be stowed with a float-free arrangement complying with the the requirements of paragraph 4.1.6 of the Code so that each floats free and, if inflatable, inflates automatically when the ship sinks. PSCO observed the painter lines for the 04 liferafts connected to the cradle and not the weak-link, preventing float free arrangement. In addition, the hydrostatic releases for the 04 life rafts were installed upside down, preventing proper operation and restricting the release of the canister cover.