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MEMO TO STAFF

Subject: TWIC Revisited

From the last memo (M0466)

“Bottom line:

If you are going to renew a license, and you fall into one of the excluded categories you will not need to renew your TWIC card. Save \$132.50! If you do not yet hold a TWIC, and you are going to apply for a license, you will need to apply for your TWIC card, but you DO NOT need to go back to pick it up. For everybody else it's business as usual.

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Add to the above statements:

IF you have a TWIC card and are applying for **anything*** with the USCG, put a copy of the card in the paperwork package you are sending to the USCG, or

IF you have applied for your TWIC card, but have not yet received it, and are applying for **anything*** with the USCG, put a copy of your TWIC payment receipt in the package, and

Realize that ALL new and/or renewed licenses and MMD's are issued as Merchant Mariners Credentials (MMCs), and the USCG cannot issue them without a copy of the applicant's digital picture. The only place they are willing or able to look for this picture is in the applicant's TWIC file at TSA.

*Anything except a “Document of Continuity” which does not require TWIC applications or cards

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