

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

EASTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

*** CRIMINAL NO. 11-195**

v.

*** SECTION: "L"**

DARRYL J. GRANIER, SR.

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FACTUAL BASIS

If this case had gone to trial, the government would have proved the following beyond a reasonable doubt by competent evidence:

A representative from REC Marine Logistics, in Galliano, Louisiana, located in the Eastern District of Louisiana, would testify that on October 30, 2008, the defendant **DARRYL J. GRANIER, SR.**, submitted United States Coast Guard License #1045563 certifying that he was licensed as a "master or steam or motor vessels of not more than 100 gross registered tons (domestic) upon near coastal waters" in connection with his application for a position as a captain. The representative would further testify that when the company contacted the United States Coast Guard Regional Exam Center to verify the status of **GRANIER**'s license, the company learned that License #1045563 did not belong to the defendant and that **GRANIER** did not possess a valid license. Therefore, the company did not hire the defendant.

A representative from the United States Coast Guard (“Coast Guard”) would testify that the defendant **DARRYL J. GRANIER, SR.**, had applied for a Coast Guard license in 2004 and was denied. The Coast Guard witness would further testify that the U.S. Coast Guard license #1045563 was issued to a person living in New Orleans, Louisiana.

In addition to the above testimony, the government would introduce a copy of the fraudulent license and the defendant’s application for employment as a captain.

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