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Honorable Colleen McMahon
United States District Judge
Southern District of New York
United States Courthouse
500 Pearl St., Room 640
New York, NY 10007

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MEMO ENDORSED

Re: Frisol Bunkering (H.K.) Ltd., v. Central Oil Co. Ltd.
08 Civ. 4994 (CM)
Our Ref. No. 600079-00601

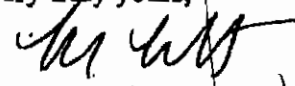
Dear Judge McMahon:

We represent plaintiff Frisol Bunkering (H.K.) Ltd. and refer to your Order dated June 4, 2008, Scheduling an Initial Pretrial Conference. This action is a by now familiar "Rule B" action. Plaintiff seeks to attach \$463,671.87. The merits of the underlying dispute will be resolved by arbitration in Hong Kong. To date, we have attached the amount of \$42,054 and given Defendant (in Seoul, Korea) notice of the attachment pursuant to Local Rule B.2. We are continuing daily service in the hope of fully securing Plaintiff's claim. We have not been contacted by Defendant or by any attorney on its behalf.

We respectfully request that the Court dispense with its usual pretrial order and procedures and direct instead that Plaintiff provide a further status report on or before August 29, 2008.

We are of course at the Court's disposal to address any questions or concern the Court may have and otherwise thank the Court in advance for its consideration and action upon this request.

Very truly yours,


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