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## **CIVIL COVER SHEET**

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I. (a) PLAINTIFFS					DEFENDANTS						
Odyssey Marine Exploration, Inc.  (b) County of Residence of First Listed Plaintiff Hillsborough (EXCEPT IN U.S. PLAINTIFF CASES)  (c) Attorney's (Firm Name, Address, and Telephone Number)					Unidentified, Shipwrecked Vessel, its apparel, tackle, appurtenances						
					and cargo located within center point coordinates  County of Residence of First Listed Defendant (IN U.S. PLAINTIFF CASES ONLY)  NOTE: IN LAND CONDEMNATION CASES, USE THE LOCATION OF T LAND INVOLVED.  Attorneys (If Known)						
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VIII	. RELATED CAS IF ANY	E(S) (See instructions):	JUDGE	_/		DOG	CKET NUMBER				
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