

JS 44 (Rev. 12/07)

CIVIL COVER SHEET

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1. (a) PLAINTIFFS: Scott Sanders; (b) County of Residence of First Listed Plaintiff: Patterson, LA; (c) Attorney's (Firm Name, Address, and Telephone Number): Timothy J. Young, THE YOUNG FIRM, 400 Poydras Street, Suite 2090, New Orleans, LA 70130, 504-680-4100. DEFENDANTS: C&G Welding, Inc and Tetra Technologies, Inc.; County of Residence of First Listed Defendant: Houma, LA.

11. BASIS OF JURISDICTION (Place an "X" in One Box Only)
 1 U.S. Government Plaintiff
 2 U.S. Government Defendant
 3 Federal Question (U.S. Government Not a Party)
 4 Diversity (Indicate Citizenship of Parties in Item III)

111. CITIZENSHIP OF PRINCIPAL PARTIES (Place an "X" in One Box for Plaintiff and One Box for Defendant)
Citizen of This State: PTF DEF 1, DEF 4
Citizen of Another State: PTF DEF 2, DEF 5
Citizen or Subject of a Foreign: PTF DEF 3, DEF 6

IV NATURE OF SUIT (Place an X in One Box Only)
Grid with categories: CONTRACT, REAL PROPERTY, TORTS, CIVIL RIGHTS, PRISONER PETITIONS, FORFEITURE/PENALTY, LABOR, IMMIGRATION, BANKRUPTCY, SOCIAL SECURITY, FEDERAL TAX SUITS, OTHER STATUTES.

V. ORIGIN (Place an "X" in One Box Only)
 1 Original Proceeding
 2 Removed from State Court
 3 Remanded from Appellate Court
 4 Reinstated or Reopened
 5 Transferred from another district (specify)
 6 Multidistrict Litigation
 7 Judge from Magistrate Judgment
Appeal to District

VI. CAUSE OF ACTION
Cite the U.S. Civil Statute under which you are filing (Do not cite jurisdictional statutes unless diversity):
Brief description of cause: Jones Act, General Maritime Law and Diversity

VII. REQUESTED IN COMPLAINT:
 CHECK IF THIS IS A CLASS ACTION UNDER F.R.C.P. 23 DEMAND \$
CHECK YES only if demanded in complaint: JURY DEMAND: Yes No

VIII. RELATED CASE(S) IF ANY (See instructions): JUDGE DOCKET NUMBER

DATE: 1/31/12
SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY OF RECORD: [Handwritten Signature]

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RECEIPT # AMOUNT APPLYING IFP JUDGE MAG JUDGE