# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

#### FORM 8-K CURRENT REPORT

#### Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): June 15, 2020 (June 9, 2020)

## **Eagle Bulk Shipping Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

#### **Republic of the Marshall Islands**

001-33831

98-0453513

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

(Commission File Number)

(IRS employer identification no.)

#### 300 First Stamford Place, 5th Floor Stamford, CT 06902

(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code) (Registrant's telephone number, including area code):(203) 276-8100

(Former Name or Former Address, if Changed Since Last Report): None

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):

following provisions (see General Instruction A.2. below):			
	Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)		
	Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)		
	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))		
	Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))		

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	EGLE	The Nasdaq Stock Market LLC

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§ 230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§ 240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company $\square$
If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new
or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

#### ITEM 1.01. ENTRY INTO A MATERIAL DEFINITIVE AGREEMENT.

On June 9, 2020, Eagle Bulk Ultraco LLC ("*Ultraco*"), a wholly-owned subsidiary of Eagle Bulk Shipping Inc. (the "*Company*"), entered into the Third Amendment (the "*Third Amendment*") to the Credit Agreement (as amended from time to time, the "*Credit Agreement*"), by and among Ultraco, as borrower, certain wholly-owned vessel-owning subsidiaries of Ultraco, as guarantors, the lenders thereunder (the "*Lenders*"), ABN AMRO Capital USA LLC, as facility agent and security trustee for the Lenders, ABN AMRO Capital USA LLC, Credit Agricole Corporate and Investment Bank, Skandinaviska Enskilda Banken AB, DNB Bank ASA, and Danish Ship Finance, as mandated lead arrangers, and ABN AMRO Capital USA LLC, as arranger and bookrunner.

The Third Amendment increased the commitments by \$22.6 million pursuant to Section 2.21 of the Credit Agreement (the "*Second Incremental Borrowings*"). In connection with the Third Amendment, a fee of \$0.4 million was paid to the Lenders.

The incremental amount of the facility is secured by two Ultramaxes already owned by the Company, the M/V Hong Kong Eagle and the M/V Santos Eagle. Pursuant to the Third Amendment, the Company drew down \$22.6 million. As of June 9, 2020, the total debt outstanding under the Credit Agreement, excluding the amounts outstanding under the revolving credit facility, is \$182.1 million. Ultraco must repay the aggregate principal amount of the Second Incremental Borrowings in (i) fifteen consecutive quarterly principal repayment installments of an amount equal to \$512,500 beginning on July 27, 2020 and occurring every 90 days thereafter and (ii) a final balloon payment in an amount equal to the aggregate principal amount of the Second Incremental Borrowings on January 25, 2024, the maturity date of the Credit Agreement.

The description of the Third Amendment is qualified in its entirety by reference to the text of the Third Amendment, which is included as Exhibit 10.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated herein by reference.

## ITEM 2.03. CREATION OF A DIRECT FINANCIAL OBLIGATION OR AN OBLIGATION UNDER AN OFF-BALANCE SHEET ARRANGEMENT OF A REGISTRANT.

The information provided in Item 1.01 above is incorporated herein by reference.

#### ITEM 7.01. REGULATION FD DISCLOSURE.

On June 15, 2020, the Company issued a press release announcing the Third Amendment as described above in Item 1.01 of this Current Report on Form 8-K. A copy of the press release is attached hereto as Exhibit 99.1.

The information in this Item 7.01 of this Current Report on Form 8-K, including the exhibit, shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Exchange Act, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of such section, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act or the Exchange Act, except as expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing.

## ITEM 9.01. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND EXHIBITS.

## (d) Exhibits.

Exhibit Number	Description		
10.1	Third Amendment, dated June 9, 2020, by and among Eagle Bulk Ultraco LLC, as borrower, certain initial and additional guarantors, as guarantors, Eagle Bulk Shipping Inc., as parent and guarantor, the lenders thereto, the swap parties thereto and ABN AMRO Capital USA LLC, as facility agent and security trustee.		
<u>99.1</u>	Press Release, issued by Eagle Bulk Shipping Inc., dated June 15, 2020.		

#### **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

#### EAGLE BULK SHIPPING INC.

(registrant)

Dated: June 15, 2020 By: /s/ Frank De Costanzo

Name: Frank De Costanzo
Title: Chief Financial Officer

#### THIRD AMENDMENT TO CREDIT AGREEMENT

This THIRD AMENDMENT to the Credit Agreement referred to below, dated as of June 9, 2020 (this "Third Amendment"), by and among EAGLE BULK ULTRACO LLC, a Marshall Islands limited liability company, as Borrower (the "Borrower"), the existing Upstream Guarantors, the Parent, the Additional Guarantors, including HONG KONG EAGLE LLC and SANTOS EAGLE LLC, each a Marshall Islands limited liability company (together, the "Additional Guarantors" and each an "Additional Guarantor"), as joint and several guarantors, the Lenders party hereto, ABN AMRO Capital USA LLC, as Facility Agent (in such capacity, the "Facility Agent") and ABN AMRO Capital USA LLC as Security Trustee (in such capacity, the "Security Trustee"). Capitalized terms used herein but not otherwise defined in this Third Amendment have the same meanings as specified in the Credit Agreement referenced below, as amended by this Third Amendment.

#### RECITALS

WHEREAS, the Borrower, the Guarantors from time to time party thereto, the Lenders from time to time party thereto, the Swap Banks from time to time party thereto, the Facility Agent, the Security Trustee and the other parties thereto have entered into that certain Credit Agreement, dated as of January 25, 2019, in the amount of up to \$210,000,000, as amended by that certain First Amendment to Credit Agreement, dated as of October 1, 2019, providing for Incremental Commitments in the amount of up to \$34,320,000 and an additional uncommitted accordion in the amount of up to \$60,000,000, as further amended by that certain Second Amendment to Credit Agreement, dated as of April 20, 2020, providing for the amendment of certain covenants (as further amended, restated, amended and restated, supplemented or otherwise modified prior to the date hereof, the "Credit Agreement");

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 2.21 of the Credit Agreement as amended by this Third Amendment, the Borrower hereby requests (and this Third Amendment hereby constitutes a written notice to the Facility Agent pursuant to such Section 2.21 requesting) the Incremental Lenders to make available Incremental Commitments pursuant to the second of up to two (2) increases in the Term Facility Commitments to finance the Additional Guarantors' Additional Young Vessels described in Annex I attached hereto, and to make Loans to the Borrower in up to two (2) Borrowings during the 2020 Incremental Commitment Availability Period (as defined below) in an aggregate principal amount equal to the lesser of (i) \$22,550,000 and (ii) the sum of (x) 50% of the aggregate Fair Market Value of any Additional Vessels to be financed by the second Incremental Commitment plus (y) 55% of the aggregate Fair Market Value of any Additional Young Vessels to be financed by the second Incremental Commitment, and in any case in a maximum borrowed amount of \$11,000,000 in the case of the vessel SANTOS EAGLE and \$11,550,000 in the case of the vessel HONG KONG EAGLE, each an Additional Young Vessel, financed by the relevant Borrowing, and the Facility Agent, the Security Trustee, the Borrower, the Guarantors, the Lenders and each Incremental Lender have agreed, subject to the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth, to provide for such Incremental Commitments, which will be added to, and constitute part of, the Commitments and the Total Commitments; and

WHEREAS, the Borrower, the Guarantors, the Lenders, the Incremental Lenders, the Facility Agent and the Security Trustee have agreed to amend the Credit Agreement as hereinafter set forth to provide for such Incremental Commitments;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the covenants and agreements contained herein, as well as other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto agree as follows:

<u>SECTION 1.</u> <u>Amendments to Credit Agreement</u>. The Credit Agreement is, effective as of the Third Amendment Effective Date, and subject to the satisfaction of the conditions precedent set forth in <u>Section 4</u> below, hereby amended as follows:

- (a) <u>Definitions</u>. <u>Section 1.01</u> of the Credit Agreement is hereby amended by:
- (i) adding the following new definitions thereto in the proper alphabetical order:
- **"2020 Incremental Borrowing"** means a Borrowing consisting of a Loan made pursuant to the 2020 Incremental Commitments.
  - "2020 Incremental Commitments" means Incremental Commitments made pursuant to this Third Amendment.
- **"2020 Incremental Commitment Availability Period"** means the period from and including the Third Amendment Effective Date to but excluding the 2020 Incremental Commitment Termination Date.
- **"2020 Incremental Commitment Termination Date"** means June 30, 2020 or such later date as may be agreed between the Borrower, the Facility Agent and the Incremental Lenders (except that, if such date is not a Business Day, the 2020 Incremental Commitment Termination Date shall be the next preceding Business Day).
- "Electronic Signature" means an electronic sound, symbol, or process attached to, or logically associated with, a contract or other record and adopted by a person with the intent to sign such contract or record.
- "**Third Amendment**" means that certain Third Amendment to Credit Agreement, dated as of June 9, 2020, among the Borrower, the Guarantors, the Facility Agent, the Security Trustee and the Lenders party thereto.
  - "Third Amendment Effective Date" has the meaning specified in Section 4 of the Third Amendment.
- (ii) amending and restating the following definitions thereto:
- "Commitment" means a Revolving Facility Commitment, a Term Facility Commitment, a First Incremental Commitment or a 2020 Incremental Commitment, as applicable.
- "Commitment Termination Dates" means each of the Term Facility Commitment Termination Date, the Revolving Facility Commitment Termination Date, the First Incremental Commitment Termination Date and the 2020 Incremental Commitment Termination Date.

and

(iii) deleting the footnote numbered "1" at the definition of "Related Parties";

- (b) <u>Paragraph (e)</u> of <u>Section 2.06</u> of the Credit Agreement is renumbered to <u>paragraph (f)</u>, and a new <u>paragraph (e)</u> is inserted in proper alphanumeric order as follows:
  - "(e) <u>2020 Incremental Borrowings</u>. The Borrower shall repay the aggregate principal amount of the 2020 Incremental Borrowings in (i) fifteen (15) consecutive quarterly principal repayment installments of an amount equal to \$512,500 (subject to pro-rata reduction if the total amount of the 2020 Incremental Borrowings is less than \$22,550,000) beginning on July 27, 2020 and occurring every ninety (90) days thereafter and (ii) a final balloon payment on the Maturity Date in an amount equal to the aggregate principal amount of the 2020 Incremental Borrowings outstanding on the Maturity Date."

and

(c) <u>Paragraph (a)</u> of <u>Section 2.21</u> of the Credit Agreement is amended by deleting the words "the acquisition of" in the third line of said paragraph.

#### SECTION 2. 2020 Incremental Commitments.

- (a) Each Incremental Lender, subject to the occurrence of the Third Amendment Effective Date and upon satisfaction of the applicable conditions set forth in Section 5, hereby severally agrees to make Loans to the Borrower in up to two (2) Borrowings on a Business Day during the 2020 Incremental Commitment Availability Period in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed such Incremental Lender's 2020 Incremental Commitments as set forth opposite its name on <u>Annex II</u> attached hereto.
- (b) The Incremental Lenders, the Lenders, the Facility Agent, the Security Trustee, the Borrower and the Guarantors agree that this Third Amendment effects the provisions of Section 2.21 of the Credit Agreement as amended by this Third Amendment with respect to the second of up to two (2) Incremental Commitments and shall constitute a Joinder Agreement pursuant to and in accordance with Section 2.21 of the Credit Agreement as amended by this Third Amendment.
- (c) Upon the incurrence of a Loan pursuant to this Third Amendment, such Loan shall be subject to the interest rates (including the Margin and the Commitment Fee) and terms, repayment, voluntary prepayment terms and mandatory prepayment terms applicable to the Loans as set forth in the Credit Agreement.
- (d) On (and subject to the occurrence of) the Third Amendment Effective Date, each Incremental Lender party hereto to the extent provided in this Third Amendment and the Credit Agreement, shall have the rights and obligations of a Lender thereunder and under the other applicable Loan Documents.
- (e) The Borrower and each Guarantor acknowledges and agrees that (i) the Borrower shall be liable for all Obligations with respect to all Loans made to the Borrower pursuant to this Third Amendment and (ii) all such Obligations (including all such Loans pursuant to this Third Amendment) shall constitute Guaranteed Obligations and shall be entitled to the benefits of the Security Documents and the Guarantees.
- (f) The 2020 Incremental Commitment of each Incremental Lender shall automatically terminate upon the earlier of (i) the making of the Loans pursuant to this Third Amendment on the Third Amendment Effective Date if the Loans relating to all of the Additional Young Vessels are drawn in a single Borrowing, (ii) the making of Loans pursuant to this Third Amendment on the date of the second

Borrowing permitted under this Third Amendment if the Loans relating to the Additional Young Vessels are drawn in two (2) Borrowings or (iii) the 2020 Incremental Commitment Termination Date.

- (g) The proceeds of the Loans pursuant to this Third Amendment shall be used by the Borrower solely for the purposes set forth in the second recital of this Third Amendment and any amounts repaid, prepaid or cancelled may not be reborrowed.
- (h) The Borrower agrees to pay to the Facility Agent for the account of each Incremental Lender a commitment fee on the undrawn and un-cancelled amount of the 2020 Incremental Commitment of such Incremental Lender, which shall accrue at a rate per annum equal to 1% of such Incremental Lender's undrawn and un-cancelled 2020 Incremental Commitment during the period from and including the date of this Third Amendment up to but excluding the 2020 Incremental Commitment Termination Date. Accrued commitment fees on the 2020 Incremental Commitments shall be payable (i) on the date of each 2020 Incremental Borrowing and (ii) on the 2020 Incremental Commitment Termination Date to the extent any 2020 Incremental Commitments remain undrawn on the 2020 Incremental Commitment Termination Date. Commitment fees on any cancelled portion of the 2020 Incremental Commitment of an Incremental Lender shall be paid on the date such cancellation is effective.
- <u>SECTION 3.</u> <u>Representations and Warranties.</u> In order to induce the Incremental Lenders party hereto to enter into this Third Amendment, to make the Loans pursuant hereto and to amend the Credit Agreement in the manner provided herein, each Security Party hereby represents and warrants that:
- (a) the representations and warranties set forth in <u>Article III</u> of the Credit Agreement and in each other Loan Document shall be true and correct in all material respects (or true and correct in all respects in the case of representations and warranties qualified by materiality or Material Adverse Effect) on and as of the Third Amendment Effective Date with the same effect as though made on and as of such date, except to the extent such representations and warranties expressly relate to an earlier date (in which case such representations and warranties shall be true and correct in all material respects (or true and correct in all respects in the case of representations and warranties qualified by materiality or Material Adverse Effect) on and as of such earlier date).
- (b) both before and after giving effect to this Third Amendment, no Default or Event of Default shall have occurred and be continuing; and
- (c) this Third Amendment has been duly authorized, executed and delivered by each Security Party party hereto and each of this Third Amendment and the Credit Agreement, as amended hereby, constitutes a legal, valid and binding obligation, enforceable against each Security Party in accordance with its terms, subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium or other similar laws affecting creditors' rights generally and subject to general principles of equity, regardless of whether considered in a proceeding in equity or at law.
- <u>SECTION 4.</u> <u>Conditions of Effectiveness</u>. The effectiveness of this Third Amendment (including the amendments contained in <u>Section 1</u> hereof and agreements contained in <u>Section 2</u> hereof) are subject to the satisfaction of the following conditions (the date of satisfaction of such conditions being referred to herein as the "*Third Amendment Effective Date*"):
- (a) this Third Amendment shall have been duly executed by the Borrower, each Guarantor, the Lenders, the Incremental Lenders, the Facility Agent and the Security Trustee (which may include a copy transmitted by facsimile or PDF or other electronic method), and delivered to the Facility Agent;

- (b) a duly executed original of a Guarantor Accession Agreement made among the Additional Guarantors and the Facility Agent;
- the Facility Agent shall have received (i) a certificate of an officer or an officer of the sole member, as the case may be, of each Security Party dated the Third Amendment Effective Date, certifying (A) either (i) that attached thereto is a true and complete copy of each Organizational Document of such Security Party, or (ii) that the copies of such Security Party's Organizational Documents as previously certified and delivered to the Facility Agent on the Closing Date (or, if later, the date of joinder of such Security Party as a Guarantor under the Loan Documents) remain in full force and effect on the Third Amendment Effective Date, without modification or amendment since such prior date of certification and delivery, (B) that attached thereto is a true and complete copy of resolutions duly adopted by the Board of Directors or sole member of such Security Party authorizing the execution, delivery and performance of this Third Amendment and the other Loan Documents (including, if applicable, as amended by this Third Amendment) to which such Security Party is a party and, in the case of the Borrower, the borrowing of the Loans hereunder, and that such resolutions have not been modified, rescinded or amended and are in full force and effect and (C) as to the incumbency and specimen signature of each officer, director and attorney-in-fact authorized to execute this Third Amendment and any Loan Document or any other document delivered in connection herewith or therewith on behalf of such Security Party, (ii) a certificate as to the goodstanding of each Security Party as of a date reasonably near to the Third Amendment Effective Date certifying that each Security Party is duly formed and in goodstanding under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation and (iii) an original or certified copy power of attorney under which any Loan Document is executed on behalf of a Security Party;
- (d) the Facility Agent shall have received copies of all consents which a Security Party requires to enter into, or make any payment under, any Loan Document, each certified as of a date reasonably near the Third Amendment Effective Date by an authorized person of such party as being a true and correct copy thereof, or certification by such authorized person that no such consents are required;
- (e) the Facility Agent shall have received such documentation and other evidence as is reasonably requested by the Facility Agent or a Lender in order for each to carry out and be satisfied with the results of all necessary "know your customer" or other checks which it is required to carry out in relation to the transactions contemplated by this Third Amendment and the other Loan Documents, including without limitation obtaining, verifying and recording certain information and documentation that will allow the Facility Agent and each of the Lenders to identify each Security Party in accordance with the requirements of the PATRIOT Act;
- (f) two valuations, each dated no more than thirty (30) days prior to the Third Amendment Effective Date, addressed to the Facility Agent (at the expense of the Borrower) by an Approved Broker indicating the Fair Market Value of each of the Delivered Vessels, the Additional Young Vessels identified in Annex I to the First Amendment and each of the Additional Young Vessels to be financed by the 2020 Incremental Commitments;
- (g) the Facility Agent shall have received in form approved by the Facility Agent an amendment to each Vessel Mortgage duly executed by the owner of the relevant Vessel reflecting this Third Amendment, and evidence that such amendment has been duly recorded in accordance with the Laws of the Approved Flag;

- (h) evidence that each Additional Guarantor who is the owner of an Additional Young Vessel has duly opened an Operating Account and has delivered to the Facility Agent all resolutions, signature cards and other documents or evidence required in connection with the opening, maintenance and operation of such accounts with the Account Bank;
- (i) a duly executed original of (i) an amendment to the Membership Interest Pledge and (ii) an Account Pledge with respect to each Additional Guarantor who will be the owner of an Additional Young Vessel, and of any documents required to be delivered thereunder;
- (j) the Borrower shall have paid all costs, fees, expenses and other amounts due and payable pursuant to the Loan Documents and in connection with this Third Amendment (including without limitation upfront fees payable in connection with that certain Fee Letter, dated June 9, 2020, made among the Borrower and the Facility Agent, relating to upfront fees in connection with this Third Amendment);
- (k) the Facility Agent shall have received such legal opinions and other documents reasonably requested by the Facility Agent in connection with this Third Amendment; and
- (l) (i) all representations and warranties set forth in <u>Section 3</u> of this Third Amendment shall be true and correct in all material respects (or true and correct in all respects in the case of representations and warranties qualified by materiality or Material Adverse Effect) on and as of the Third Amendment Effective Date with the same effect as though made on and as of such date, except to the extent such representations and warranties expressly relate to an earlier date (in which case such representations and warranties shall be true and correct in all material respects (or true and correct in all respects in the case of representations and warranties qualified by materiality or Material Adverse Effect) on and as of such earlier date) and (ii) no Default shall have occurred and be continuing or would occur after giving effect to the Incremental Commitments or to the incurrence of the Loans pursuant to this Third Amendment and the application of the proceeds therefrom.
- <u>SECTION 5.</u> <u>Conditions Precedent to Each Borrowing of 2020 Incremental Commitments</u>. The obligation of each Incremental Lender to make each Loan under this Third Amendment is subject to the following conditions precedent having been satisfied (or waived in writing by the Facility Agent with the written consent of the Required Lenders) on or prior to the date of the relevant Borrowing:
- (a) the Facility Agent shall have received a Borrowing Request in respect of all or part of the Loans under this Third Amendment by no later than the applicable time required pursuant to Section 2.03 of the Credit Agreement (or such shorter period as may be agreed by the Facility Agent);
- (b) the Facility Agent shall have received a certificate of an officer of the Borrower (for itself and as sole member of each Upstream Guarantor, as the case may be) and of the Parent certifying that no Default shall have occurred and be continuing;
- (c) the Facility Agent shall have received on or before such Borrowing, a certificate of an officer of the Borrower (for itself and as sole member of each Upstream Guarantor) and of the Parent, in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to the Facility Agent, dated as of the relevant Borrowing (the statements made in such certificate shall be true on and as of the date of such Borrowing), certifying copies of the resolutions of the Borrower as sole member of each Upstream Guarantor approving each Loan Document and each other document contemplated thereby to which any Obligor is or is to be a party, and certifying that each of the statements and confirmations made in the certificate(s) delivered pursuant to Section 4(c) remain true, complete and up-to-date, in full force and effect, and have not been

amended, modified, suspended or revoked (other than with respect to the transfer of the sole membership of each Upstream Guarantor to the Borrower);

- (d) the Facility Agent shall have received on or before such Borrowing, a certificate of an officer of the Borrower (for itself and as sole member of each Upstream Guarantor) and of the Parent, in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to the Facility Agent, dated as of the relevant Borrowing (the statements made in such certificate shall be true on and as of the date of such Borrowing), certifying that each document it is required to provide in connection with such Borrowing is in full force and effect as at the date of such Borrowing;
- (e) the Facility Agent shall have received on or before such Borrowing, a copy of a certificate of goodstanding of each Obligor dated as of a date reasonably near the date of such Borrowing, certifying that such Obligor is duly formed and in good standing under the laws of its jurisdiction of formation;
- (f) the Facility Agent shall have received, on behalf of itself and the other Finance Parties, a favorable written opinion of (i) Reed Smith LLP, counsel for the Security Parties, and (ii) any other legal advisors on matters of the law of such jurisdiction as the Facility Agent may require, in each case (A) dated the Third Amendment Effective Date (or such other date agreed by the Facility Agent), (B) addressed to the Facility Agent and the other Finance Parties and (C) covering customary matters for incremental loan facilities relating to this Third Amendment and the other Loan Documents delivered in connection with this Third Amendment as the Facility Agent shall reasonably request;
- (g) the Borrower shall have paid all costs, fees, expenses and other amounts due and payable pursuant to the Loan Documents and in connection with this Third Amendment:
- (h) upon the request of any Incremental Lender made through the Facility Agent, a promissory note executed and delivered to the order of such Incremental Lender in the form of Exhibit L attached to the Credit Agreement, or any other form approved by the Facility Agent;
- (i) the conditions precedent set forth in Section 4.02 and 4.03 of the Credit Agreement shall have been satisfied (or waived in writing by the Facility Agent with the consent of the Incremental Lenders);
- (j) two valuations each dated no more than thirty (30) days prior to the date of the relevant Borrowing, addressed to the Facility Agent (at the expense of the Borrower) by an Approved Broker indicating the Fair Market Value of each Additional Young Vessel to be financed by the relevant Borrowing;
- (k) evidence that, if the tests set out in Article VII or Section 5.04 of the Credit Agreement were applied immediately following the making of the relevant Borrowing, the Borrower would not be obliged to provide additional security or repay part of the Borrowings as therein provided (determined on the basis of the most recent valuation for each Vessel delivered pursuant to Section 5.03 of the Credit Agreement); and
- (l) (i) all representations and warranties set forth in Section 3 of this Third Amendment shall be true and correct in all material respects (or true and correct in all respects in the case of representations and warranties qualified by materiality or Material Adverse Effect) on and as of the date of such Borrowing with the same effect as though made on and as of such date, except to the extent such representations and warranties expressly relate to an earlier date (in which case such representations and

warranties shall be true and correct in all material respects (or true and correct in all respects in the case of representations and warranties qualified by materiality or Material Adverse Effect) on and as of such earlier date) and (ii) no Default shall have occurred and be continuing or would occur after giving effect to the incurrence of the Loans pursuant to this Third Amendment and the application of the proceeds therefrom.

#### SECTION 6. Effects on Loan Documents.

- (a) Except as specifically amended herein or contemplated hereby, all Loan Documents shall continue to be in full force and effect and are hereby in all respects ratified and confirmed.
- (b) The execution, delivery and effectiveness of this Third Amendment shall not operate as a waiver of any right, power or remedy of any Lender or the Facility Agent or the Security Trustee under any of the Loan Documents, nor constitute a waiver of any provision of the Loan Documents or in any way limit, impair or otherwise affect the rights and remedies of the Lenders or the Facility Agent or the Security Trustee under the Loan Documents.
- (c) (i) Each Security Party acknowledges and agrees that, on and after the Third Amendment Effective Date, this Third Amendment shall constitute a Loan Document for all purposes of the Credit Agreement (as amended by this Third Amendment) and (ii) each Security Party hereby (A) agrees that all Obligations shall be guaranteed pursuant to the Guarantees set forth in Article VIII of the Credit Agreement in accordance with the terms and provisions thereof and shall be secured pursuant to the Security Documents in accordance with the terms and provisions thereof, and that, notwithstanding the effectiveness of this Third Amendment, on and after the Third Amendment Effective Date, the Guarantees and the Liens created pursuant to the Security Documents for the benefit of the Finance Parties continue to be in full force and effect on a continuous basis and (B) affirms, acknowledges and confirms all of its obligations and liabilities under the Credit Agreement and each other Loan Document to which it is a party, in each case after giving effect to this Third Amendment, all as provided in such Loan Documents, and acknowledges and agrees that such obligations and liabilities continue in full force and effect on a continuous basis in respect of, and to secure, the Obligations under the Credit Agreement and the other Loan Documents, in each case after giving effect to this Third Amendment.
- (d) On and after the Third Amendment Effective Date, (i) each reference in the Credit Agreement (as amended by this Third Amendment) to "this Agreement", "hereunder", "hereof", "herein" or words of like import referring to the Credit Agreement, and each reference in the other Loan Documents to "Credit Agreement", "thereunder", "thereof" or words of like import referring to the Credit Agreement shall mean and be a reference to the Credit Agreement as amended by this Third Amendment, and this Third Amendment and the Credit Agreement as amended by this Third Amendment shall be read together and construed as a single instrument, and (ii) the 2020 Incremental Commitments shall constitute part of the "Commitments" and "Total Commitments".
- (e) Nothing herein shall be deemed to entitle the Borrower, nor the Guarantors to a further consent to, or a further waiver, amendment, modification or other change of, any of the terms, conditions, obligations, covenants or agreements contained in the Credit Agreement as amended by this Third Amendment or any other Loan Document in similar or different circumstances.
- <u>SECTION 7.</u> <u>Expense Reimbursement and Indemnification</u>. The Borrower hereby confirms that the expense reimbursement and indemnification provisions set forth in <u>Section 11.03</u> of the Credit Agreement as amended by this Third Amendment shall apply to this Third Amendment and the transactions contemplated hereby.

#### SECTION 8. Amendments; Severability.

- (a) This Third Amendment, (i) prior to the Third Amendment Effective Date, may not be amended except by an instrument in writing signed by the Security Parties, the Facility Agent and the Lenders and (ii) after the Third Amendment Effective Date, may not be amended nor may any provision hereof be waived except in accordance with the provisions of Section 11.02(b) of the Credit Agreement.
- (b) To the extent any provision of this Third Amendment is prohibited by or invalid under the applicable law of any jurisdiction, such provision shall be ineffective only to the extent of such prohibition or invalidity and only in such jurisdiction, without prohibiting or invalidating such provision in any other jurisdiction or the remaining provisions of this Third Amendment in any jurisdiction.
- SECTION 9. Governing Law; Waiver of Jury Trial; Jurisdiction. THIS THIRD AMENDMENT AND ANY CLAIMS, CONTROVERSY, DISPUTE OR CAUSE OF ACTION (WHETHER SOUNDING IN CONTRACT, TORT OR OTHERWISE) BASED UPON, ARISING OUT OF OR RELATING TO THIS THIRD AMENDMENT AND THE TRANSACTIONS CONTEMPLATED HEREBY SHALL BE GOVERNED BY, AND CONSTRUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH, AND GOVERNED BY, THE LAW OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK (including Sections 5-1401 and 5-1402 of the General Obligations Law but otherwise excluding the laws applicable to conflicts or choice of law). The provisions of Sections 11.09(b), 11.09(c), 11.09(d) and 11.10 of the Credit Agreement as amended by this Third Amendment are incorporated herein by reference, mutatis mutandis.
- <u>SECTION 10.</u> <u>Headings</u>. Section headings in this Third Amendment are included herein for convenience of reference only, are not part of this Third Amendment and are not to affect the construction of, or to be taken into consideration in interpreting, this Third Amendment.

#### SECTION 11. Counterparts & Electronic Execution.

- (a) This Third Amendment may be executed in counterparts (and by different parties hereto in different counterparts), each of which shall constitute an original, but all of which when taken together shall constitute a single contract.
- (b) The words "execution," "signed," "signature," and words of like import in or relating to any document to be signed in connection with this Third Amendment, the Credit Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby shall be deemed to include Electronic Signatures, which shall be of the same legal effect, validity or enforceability as a manually executed signature, to the extent and as provided for in any applicable law, including the Federal Electronic Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act, the New York State Electronic Signatures and Records Act, or any other applicable similar state laws based on the Uniform Electronic Transactions Act. The word "delivery," and words of like import in or relating to any document to be delivered in connection with this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby shall be deemed to include delivery by electronic mail, which shall be of the same legal effect, validity or enforceability as physical delivery, to the extent and as provided for in applicable law. Any provision in this Agreement and the transactions contemplated hereby relating to the keeping of records shall be deemed to include the keeping of records in electronic form, which shall be of the same legal effect, validity or enforceability as the use of a paper-based recordkeeping system, to the extent and as provided for in any applicable law.

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1. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Third Amendment to be duly executed and delivered by their respective proper and duly authorized officers or attorneys-in-fact, as the case may be, as of the day and year first above written.

#### **BORROWER:**

EAGLE BULK ULTRACO LLC

By: /s/ Frank De Costanzo

Name: Frank De Costanzo

Title: CFO

#### **PARENT:**

EAGLE BULK SHIPPING INC., as Parent and Guarantor

By: /s/ Frank De Costanzo

Name: Frank De Costanzo

Title: CFO

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#### **EXISTING UPSTREAM GUARANTORS:**

**GANNET SHIPPING LLC** GOLDEN EAGLE SHIPPING LLC GREBE SHIPPING LLC IBIS SHIPPING LLC IMPERIAL EAGLE SHIPPING LLC JAY SHIPPING LLC KINGFISHER SHIPPING LLC MARTIN SHIPPING LLC NIGHTHAWK SHIPPING LLC CAPE TOWN EAGLE LLC FAIRFIELD EAGLE LLC MYSTIC EAGLE LLC SOUTHPORT EAGLE LLC STONINGTON EAGLE LLC **GROTON EAGLE LLC** ROWAYTON EAGLE LLC MADISON EAGLE LLC WESTPORT EAGLE LLC GREENWICH EAGLE LLC NEW LONDON EAGLE LLC HAMBURG EAGLE LLC SYDNEY EAGLE LLC COPENHAGEN EAGLE LLC DUBLIN EAGLE LLC

By: /s/ Frank De Costanzo

Name: Frank De Costanzo

Title: CFO

#### ADDITIONAL GUARANTORS

HONG KONG EAGLE LLC SANTOS EAGLE LLC

By: /s/ Frank De Costanzo

Name: Frank De Costanzo

Title: CFO

## ABN AMRO CAPITAL USA LLC, as Facility Agent, Security Trustee and Lender

By: /s/ Amit WynaldaName: Amit WynaldaTitle: Executive Director

By: <u>/s/ Maria Fahey</u> Name: Maria FaheyTitle: Director

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CREDIT AGRICOLE CORPORATE AND INVESTMENT BANK, as Lender

By: /s/ Manon Didier Name: Manon DidierTitle: Vice President

By: /s/ Georgios Gkanasoulis Name: Georgios Gkanasoulis Title: Director

SKANDINAVISKA ENSKILDA BANKEN AB (PUBL), as Lender

By: /s/ Mikael Bellander Title: Senior Legal Counsel

By: /s/ Magnus Rundgren Name: Magnus Rundgren Title: Senior Legal Counsel

DNB CAPITAL LLC, as Lender

By: /s/ Samantha Stone Name: Samantha Stone Title: Vice President

By: /s/ Mita Zalavadia Name: Mita Zalavadia Title: Assistant Vice President

DANISH SHIP FINANCE A/S, as Lender

By: /s/ Michael Friech Name: Michael Friech Title: CCO

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By: <u>/s/ Ole Staergaard</u> Name: Ole Staergaard Title: Senior Relationship Manager

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#### ANNEX I

## ADDITIONAL YOUNG VESSELS

Vessel	Official Number	IMO Number	Build Year	Owner
1. HONG KONG EAGLE	8700	9743590	2016	Hong Kong Eagle LLC
2. SANTOS EAGLE	8641	9699347	2015	Santos Eagle LLC

#### ANNEX II

### 2020 INCREMENTAL COMMITMENTS

Incremental Lenders	2020 Incremental Commitments
ABN AMRO CAPITAL USA LLC	\$5,190,079.37
CREDIT AGRICOLE CORPORATE AND INVESTMENT BANK	\$5,190,079.37
SKANDINAVISKA ENSKILDA BANKEN AB (PUBL)	\$5,190,079.37
DNB CAPITAL LLC	\$4,295,238.08
DANISH SHIP FINANCE A/S	\$2,684,523.81
Total	\$22,550,000.00

Eagle Bulk Shipping Inc. Closes on USD 22.6 Million Term Facility Increase

STAMFORD, Conn., Jun. 15, 2020 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Eagle Bulk Shipping Inc. (NASDAQ: EGLE) ("Eagle Bulk" or the "Company"), one of the world's largest owner-operators within the Supramax / Ultramax segment, today announced that Eagle Bulk Ultraco LLC, a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company, closed on a USD 22.6 million incremental term loan under its existing five-year senior secured term loan facility, which bears an interest rate of LIBOR plus 2.50% and matures in 2024. The incremental amount of the facility is secured by two Ultramaxes the Company already owned, the M/V Hong Kong Eagle and M/V Santos Eagle.

Net loan proceeds will be used for general corporate purposes.

Financing for the incremental term loans under the facility has been provided by the Company's existing lenders: ABN AMRO, Credit Agricole Corporate and Investment Bank (Credit Agricole), Skandinaviska Enskilda Banken AB (SEB), and DNB Bank ASA (DNB), and Danish Ship Finance.

About Eagle Bulk Shipping Inc.

Eagle Bulk Shipping Inc. ("Eagle" or the "Company") is a U.S. based fully integrated shipowner-operator providing global transportation solutions to a diverse group of customers including miners, producers, traders, and end users. Headquartered in Stamford, Connecticut, with offices in Singapore and Copenhagen, Denmark, Eagle focuses exclusively on the versatile midsize drybulk vessel segment and owns one of the largest fleets of Supramax/Ultramax vessels in the world. The Company performs all management services in-house (including: strategic, commercial, operational, technical, and administrative) and employs an active management approach to fleet trading with the objective of optimizing revenue performance and maximizing earnings on a risk-managed basis. For further information, please visit our website: <a href="https://www.eagleships.com">www.eagleships.com</a>.

Disclaimer: Forward-Looking Statements

Matters discussed in this release may constitute forward-looking statements that may be deemed to be "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. Forward-looking statements reflect current views with respect to future events and financial performance and may include statements concerning plans, objectives, goals, strategies, future events or performance, and underlying assumptions and other statements, which are other than statements of historical facts. These statements may include words such as "believe," "estimate," "project," "intend," "expect," "plan," "anticipate," and similar expressions in connection with any discussion of the timing or nature of future operating or financial performance or other events.

The forward-looking statements in this release are based upon various assumptions, many of which are based, in turn, upon further assumptions, including without limitation, examination of historical operating trends, data contained in our records and other data available from third parties. Although Eagle Bulk Shipping Inc. believes that these assumptions were reasonable when made, because these

assumptions are inherently subject to significant uncertainties and contingencies which are difficult or impossible to predict and are beyond our control, Eagle Bulk Shipping Inc. cannot assure you that it will achieve or accomplish these expectations, beliefs or projections.

Important factors that, in our view, could cause actual results to differ materially from those discussed in the forward-looking statements include the strength of world economies and currencies, general market conditions, including changes in charter hire rates and vessel values, changes in demand that may affect attitudes of time charterers to scheduled and unscheduled drydocking, changes in vessel operating expenses, including drydocking and insurance costs, or actions taken by regulatory authorities, ability of our counterparties to perform their obligations under sales agreements, charter contracts, and other agreements on a timely basis, potential liability from future litigation, domestic and international political conditions, potential disruption of shipping routes due to accidents and political events or acts by terrorists.

Risks and uncertainties are further described in reports filed by Eagle Bulk Shipping Inc. with the SEC.

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