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UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE TO-C

TENDER OFFER STATEMENT UNDER SECTION 14(d)(1) OR 13(e)(1)

OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

OSG AMERICA L.P.

(Name of Subject Company (Issuer))

OVERSEAS SHIPHOLDING GROUP, INC.

(Offeror)

Common Units representing limited partner interests

(Title of Class of Securities)

671028 10 8

(CUSIP Number of Class of Securities)

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Items 1-11.

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Item 12. Exhibits.

Exhibit (a)(1): Press Release Issued by Overseas Shipholding Group, Inc. on September 24, 2009

Item 13. Information Required by Schedule 13E-3.

N/A

EXHIBIT INDEX

 $\frac{\text{Exhibit}}{(a)(1)}$

Description Press Release Issued by Overseas Shipholding Group, Inc. on September 24, 2009