DIANA SHIPPING INC. Form 6-K June 14, 2006

FORM 6-K

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D. C. 20549

Report of Foreign Private Issuer Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the month of June 2006

DIANA SHIPPING INC. (Translation of registrant's name into English)

> Diana Shipping Inc. Pendelis 16 175 64 Palaio Faliro Athens, Greece

(Address of principal executive offices)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

Form 20-F |X| Form 40-F |_|

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant by furnishing the information contained in this Form is also thereby furnishing the information to the commission pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Yes |_| No |X|

INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS FORM 6-K REPORT

Attached to this Report on Form 6-K as Exhibit 21.1 is list of the subsidiaries of Diana Shipping Inc. (the "Company"). This list has been updated to reflect the incorporation of Ailuk Shipping Company, Inc., a Marshall Islands corporation.

This Report on Form 6-K is hereby incorporated by reference into the prospectus, filed on April 19, 2006, contained in the Company's effective "Shelf" Registration Statement, as amended, on Form F-3 (File No. 333-133410).

Exhibit 21.1

Name of Significant Subsidiary	Country of Incorporation	Portion of Ownership Interest
Skyvan Shipping Company S.A.	Panama	100%
Panama Compania Armadora S.A.	Panama	100%
Eaton Marine S.A.	Panama	100%
Buenos Aires Compania Armadora S.A.	Panama	100%
Husky Trading S.A.	Panama	100%
Chorrera Compania Armadora S.A.	Panama	100%
Cypres Enterprises Corp.	Panama	100%

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Urbina Bay Trading S.A.	Panama	100%
Darien Compania Armadora S.A.	Panama	100%
Texford Maritime S.A.	Panama	100%
Changame Compania Armadora S.A.	Panama	100%
Cerada International S.A.	Panama	100%
Vesta Commercial S.A.	Panama	100%
Ailuk Shipping Company, Inc.	Marshall Islands	100%

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, thereunto duly authorized.

DIANA SHIPPING INC. (registrant)

Dated: June 13, 2006

By: /s/ Anastassis Margaronis

Anastassis Margaronis President

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