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## **SSA'S MISSION STATEMENT**

### AS AN ASSOCIATION...

The Association will protect and promote the interest of its members. The Association will undertake activities on shipping matters which are beneficial to its members.

### FOR THE INDUSTRY...

The Association will take the view of the shipping industry as a whole. It will play its due role to promote the interests of shipping in Singapore, ASEAN, Asia and the world. To do so, the Association will cooperate with other shipping organisations, in ASEAN, Asia and elsewhere.

### FOR SINGAPORE...

The Association will work closely with the Government of Singapore to promote the extensive maritime interests of Singapore and to promote Singapore as a major port and international maritime centre.

### FOR INTERNATIONAL SHIPPING...

The Association will cooperate with government and non-governmental organisations to promote freedom of the sea, safety at sea and to protect the marine environment.



MR. TEO SIONG SENG SSA President

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## While the US sub-prime mortgage upheaval seems to have had an impact on global financial systems, the maritime sector in the Asian region in general and Singapore in particular continues to grow.

Nonetheless, we must continue to monitor the world economy carefully and realistically. Furthermore, as the industry contends with fast-rising oil prices, inflationary pressures, increasing environmental sensitivity and the demise of liner conferences, we must be prepared to face new challenges.

### THE INTERNATIONAL SCENE

From a commercial point of view, the dry bulk sector has reached an unprecedented high level of growth due to factors such as the massive increase in cargo volume, especially China's imports of iron ore. As factors that might adversely affect the market in the near future are unlikely to develop, the dry bulk sector can expect to continue enjoying strong growth.

With regard to the tanker sector, the market had remained at a weak level until late November 2007, but could react to elements such as the decline of US oil stock and the expected withdrawal from the market of a number of single hull VLCCs.

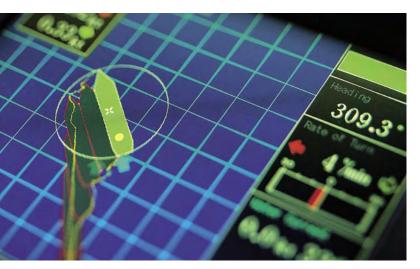
For the liner sector, however, despite a healthy growth rate on most trades, except the Trans - Pacific, concerns remain that the current rate levels are insufficient to cover the dramatic cost increases, particularly bunker fuel, to recoup past investments, and to facilitate the required investment for the future. Also of concern are increasing shortages of port capacity in the West and some Asian countries, as well as a record delivery of new container tonnage over the next 2-3 years.



The Association has also noted that the antitrust immunity systems for ocean carrier agreements have been under review in various countries and regions such as China, India, Japan, Singapore and the EU. China passed its anti-monopoly law in August of 2007, and it will become effective on 1 August 2008. India adopted a bill to provide statutory powers to the Competition Committee of India (CCI) to enforce their Competition Act of 2002, and it is expected to take effect in the next 6 to 12 months.

The Association would like to take this opportunity to once again urge its members to comply with the requirements put forth by the Competition Commission of Singapore and provide full cooperation.

Focusing on environmental issues, the IMO has announced that MARPOL Annex VI will be revised to reduce the sulphur emissions from ships over the next 10 years, and that it is now prepared to consider measures to reduce emission of other such greenhouse gases as nitrogen oxides, carbon dioxide and particulate matter. The Association welcomes the goal-based approach adopted by the IMO in reducing sulphur emissions and continues to express its firm commitment to safeguarding the environment.



Piracy and the threat it poses to life and property remains a pressing concern for our community. While the number of attacks in South-East Asia has decreased drastically due to the continued vigilance of the littoral States of Malaysia, Indonesia and Singapore, the number of attacks in 2007 have increased due to the increased number of incidents off Somalia and Nigeria. Given the global nature of shipping, the Association remains concerned over the increasing threat of attack off Somalia and Nigeria.

This has already prompted the London Joint War Committee (JWC) to list the Gulf of Aden under its enhanced war risk areas on 2 May 2008. Your association is disappointed that the JWC did not have prior consultation with the shipping industry before it was implemented. We are now working closely with the ASF and the ICS to address this issue.

#### THE SINGAPORE SCENE

Singapore's maritime industry continues to enjoy steady growth. An ever-increasing number of shipping companies and other maritime-related companies have established their presence in Singapore, drawn by comprehensive infrastructure and industry synergies as incentives provided by a responsive and receptive government. These incentives have also encouraged shipping companies already established in Singapore to increase their activities and further reinforcing Singapore's position as a maritime hub and International Maritime Centre.

In addition to Singapore exhibiting continued gains in shipping tonnage, cargo throughput, container throughput, bunker sales and ship registration, Singapore's port saw a shipping tonnage of 1.459 billion gross tons (GT) calling in 2007, a 11% increase over the record set in 2006.

Singapore continued to maintain its commanding lead as the world's busiest container port, handling over 27.9 million TEUs of containers in 2007.

As at the end of 2007, the Singapore Registry of Ships (SRS) was the 4th largest in the world with a fleet of more than 3,500 vessels totaling 39.6 million gross tons. In addition to having the world's youngest fleet, the SRS is known as a quality registry with high standards.

Singapore has also continued to lead as the largest bunkering port in the world, crossing the 30 million ton mark for the first time to reach 31.5 million tons of bunkers delivered last year.

#### YOUR ASSOCIATION

The SSA membership has continued to grow. As of 1st June 2008, we have 345 Members, comprising 216 Ordinary Members, 128 Associate Members and 1 Individual Member.

On the home front, the SSA eNewsletter, "Waves", comes into its second year and continues to be a popular publication among the membership. The Association also celebrated the 2nd Anniversary of the SSA Young Executives Group (YEG). Membership in the YEG has more than doubled, with a total of 370 members. It is to be hoped that these Young Executives will continue to make positive contributions to Singapore's shipping industry. We are also working in discussion with the Hong Kong Shipowners Association to establish some exchanges between the young members of both associations.



The SSA continues to work closely with the Maritime & Port Authority (MPA) and the Singapore Maritime Foundation (SMF) to jointly organise seminars and tea talks for the maritime community. In addition to proactively voicing industry concerns to MPA, the Association has formed an IMO Committee to assist MPA in developing Singapore's position on various issues that might arise.

With the growing world fleet, there is an increased demand for seafarers and shore – based personnel to man the ships and shore – based offices. The Singapore shipping community is no different and is also in great need of trained and qualified personnel. The Association is therefore working very

closely with the MPA and SMF through the MaritimeONE forum to strongly encourage Singaporean school leavers, polytechnic and university undergraduates to pursue a maritime career.

Furthermore, the Association has also worked hard to develop close ties with the Regional Cooperation Agreement on Combating Piracy & Armed Robbery against Ships in Asia (ReCAAP) Information Sharing Centre (ISC) as part of its strong commitment to enhancing safety and security for ships transiting the Straits of Malacca and Singapore.

SSA has also been instrumental in assisting the establishment of the ASF Permanent Office in Singapore. The Association has also been working tirelessly at developing and maintaining a close working relationship with the ASF Secretariat.

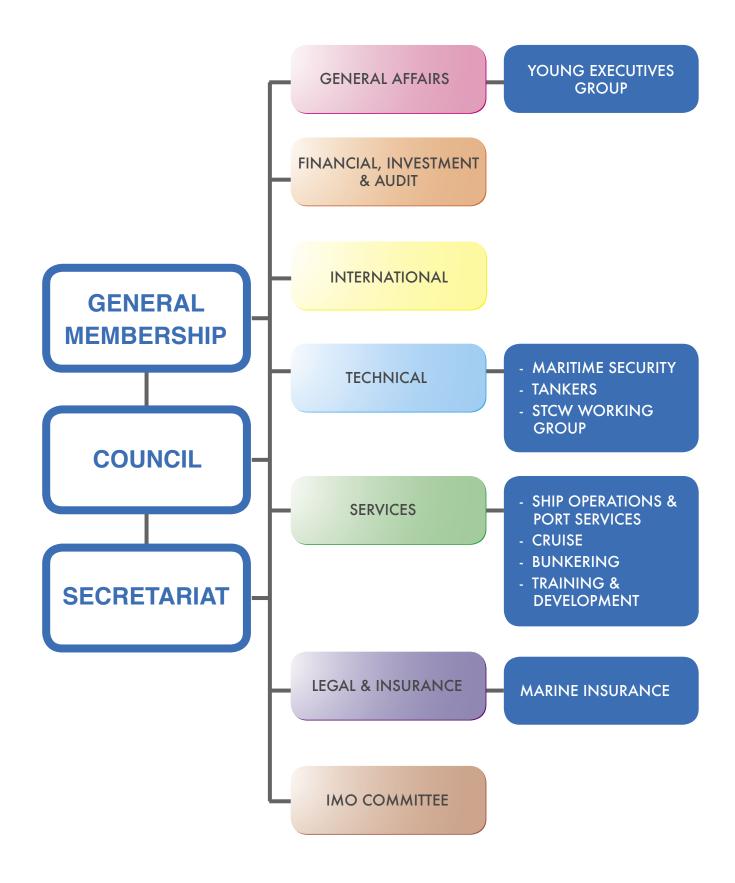
#### CONCLUSION

The SSA is fortunate to have dedicated and committed members willing to serve on the Council, the various Committees and Sub-Committees. I thank them for their hard work, dedication and excellent support in promoting the interests of the SSA. I am grateful to what they had done as a team to advance the wellbeing of your Association and we will also need to continue to engage members to cater to their needs.

I would like to thank all members of the Association for their support.

Last but not least, I would also like to thank the Secretariat for the efficient discharge of their duties.

## **ORGANISATIONAL STRUCTURE**



## **COUNCIL MEMBERS 2007/2009**



MR. TEO SIONG SENG President Managing Director Pacific International Lines (Pte) Ltd



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MR. RAGNAR NIELSEN Councillor President Masterbulk Pte Ltd

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#### **Young Executives Group**

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#### ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING (AGM)



The SSA 11th AGM was held on Friday 15 June 2007 at the M Hotel Singapore and was attended by **93** Ordinary and **14** Associate Members. The Meeting adopted the President's Annual Report and the Association's Activities and Financial Report ended 31 December 2006.

The AGM re-appointed M/S Rohan Mah & partners as the Association's external auditors for 2007/2008.

The AGM re-appointed M/S ComLaw LLC as the honorary legal advisor for the Association for another year.

Being an election year, the AGM was informed that the Secretariat had received 9 nominations for election to the incoming Council (2007/2009). Of the 9 nominations, the following 7 members were elected to the SSA Council (2007/2009):

	COMPANY	NAME OF REPRESENTATIVE	COMPANY POSITION
1	Evergreen Shipping Agency (S) Pte Ltd	Mr. Patrick Phoon	Deputy Managing Director
2	'K' Line Pte Ltd	Mr. Kenichi Kuroya	Managing Director
3	New Econ Line Pte Ltd	Mr. Kaw Jit Kee	Executive Director
4	Neptune Orient Lines Ltd	Mr. Goh Teik Poh	Senior VP, Global Operations & Network*
5	Ocean Tankers (Pte) Ltd	Mr. Aloysius Seow	Chief Operating Officer
6	Pacific International Lines (Pte) Ltd	Mr. S. S. Teo	Managing Director
7	Torm Singapore Pte Ltd	Mr. Esben Poulsson	President

\*Designation at time of election

The Meeting unanimously re-appointed Mr. S. S. Teo and Mr. Chan Tuck Hoi to the SSA Board of Trustees of Properties.

In addition, the AGM further appointed Mr. Patrick Phoon and Mr. Ong Kok Wah to the Board of Trustees.



The seven elected members of the SSA Council (2007/2009) with SSA Secretariat Executive Director.

#### COUNCIL

The first meeting of the SSA Council (2007/2008) was held immediately after the 11th AGM on 15 June 2007. During that meeting, the SSA office bearers were elected for a two-year term.

- Mr S. S. Teo, Managing Director of Pacific International Lines (Pte) Ltd, was elected as President.
- Mr. Patrick Phoon, Deputy Managing Director of Evergreen Shipping Agency (S) Pte Ltd was elected as Honorary Secretary.
- Mr. Goh Teik Poh, Senior Vice President Global Operations & Network, Neptune Orient Lines, was elected as Honorary Treasurer.

The SSA Council (2007/2009) currently comprises seven elected Ordinary members, two co-opted Ordinary members and two co-opted Associate members. These four co-opted Members are as follows:

#### Ordinary:

- · Mr Douglas Robinson, Chief Operating Officer, V Ships (Asia) Pte Ltd
- Mr Ragnar Nielsen, President, Masterbulk Pte Ltd

#### Associate:

- Ms Seong Koon Wah Sun, Managing Director, Bayerische Hypo-und Vereinsbank
- · Mr Nicholas Sansom, Senior VP & Head of Marine, Asia, Marsh (S) Pte Ltd

The Council met once every two months. It reviewed the reports of the five operational Committees and decided on any major policy decisions for the Association.

#### ADMINISTRATIVE & OPERATIONAL COMMITTEES

During the period in review, the SSA Council was supported by two Administrative Committees and four Operational Committees. The Administrative Committees were the General Affairs Committee and the Finance, Investment and Audit Committee, whereas the Operational Committees were the International Committee, the Technical Committee, the Services Committee and the Legal & Insurance Committee.

The re-alignment of Committees was adopted at the last Annual General Meeting where the major change was the merger of the Domestic and Services Committees.

#### ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEES' REPORTS GENERAL AFFAIRS

• The General Affairs Committee was headed by the Honorary Secretary, Mr. Patrick Phoon. Under his direction, all matters pertaining to the Association's public relations, Association's collaterals, social activities and the Secretariat's administrative affairs came under his responsibility.



From left to right: New look of SSA newsletter "Waves", SSA Press Conference.

#### Membership

As of 1 June 2008, Membership of the SSA stood at **345** members, of whom **216** are Ordinary Members, **128** are Associate Members and **1** is an Individual Member. The SSA welcomed **57** new members into the Association in the past 1 year since the last AGM.



#### Young Executives Group

The Young Executives Group (YEG) was set up to serve as a platform in connecting young shipping executives in the industry by generating greater awareness of the Association activities and also encouraging greater participation. Through these activities, the YEG aims to nurture future leaders for the Association.

Since the last AGM, the YEG has been officially incorporated as a SSA sub-committee under the General Affairs Committee. Now moving into its second year, response continues to be very enthusiastic, with just over 370 volunteers serving on the YEG.

Throughout the year, the YEG has organised networking events, a bowling and soccer competition, sailing with the disabled, amongst other events. The YEG celebrated its 2nd Anniversary with an Anniversary Party held on 6 March 2008 at the Lunar Asian Fusion Bar with over 120 members attending.



Council Member Ms. Seong Koon Wah Sun continues to provide guidance to the members of the YEG in their activities.



#### Secretariat

The SSA Secretariat is managed by a staff of 9 which is headed by the Executive Director, Mr. Daniel Tan. It also provides secretarial support to the Singapore Maritime Employers Federation (SMEF), the Federation of ASEAN Shipowners' Associations (FASA) and the Safe Navigation & Environment Committee of the Asian Shipowners Forum.

#### SSA Website

The SSA Secretariat maintains its website at <u>http://www.ssa.org.sg</u>. The site has been enhanced to provide information on the Association's latest activities with regular updates on seminars, talks, courses and cocktail gatherings. Copies of SSA circulars and press releases are also posted immediately on the website.

Members and non-Members alike can easily access the posted information and sign up for various activities on-line. In addition, the website offers advertising opportunities at very competitive rates.

#### · Relations with Local Bodies

The SSA continued to maintain strong working relationships with the various relevant government agencies, which include the Maritime and Port Authority of Singapore (MPA), the Singapore Customs (SC), the Immigration and Checkpoints Authority (ICA) and other related government agencies.

SSA is also represented on the board, advisory committees and working committees of several government statutory departments. Likewise, some of these government agencies are also invited to participate in several SSA Committees as observers.

Dialogue and exchange sessions are organised frequently to ensure strong communications between SSA and the various agencies to ensure there is a common understanding of the needs and issues within the industry.

The SSA is a member of the Singapore Business Federation.

A close working relationship is also maintained with other maritime related organisations like the Singapore Maritime Officers' Union (SMOU), the Singapore Organisation of Seamen (SOS), the Singapore National Shippers' Council (SNSC), the Singapore Maritime Academy (SMA), Association of Singapore Marine Industries (ASMI) and the Singapore Maritime Foundation (SMF).

The SSA also plays an active role in promoting the maritime industry with ASMI, MPA and SMF through the various MaritimeONE initiatives.



Launch party of "mariTIME" pictorial magazine - a project undertaken by MaritimeONE partners ASMI, MPA, SMF and SSA to portray the vibrant careers available in the maritime industry.

#### Relations with Foreign and International Bodies

Regionally, the SSA is an active member of the Federation of ASEAN Shipowners' Associations (FASA) and the Asian Shipowners Forum (ASF).

In May 2007, members of the ASF unanimously agreed to set up a permanent secretariat in Singapore, after a decade of lobbying by FASA. The SSA assisted in setting up the permanent office and also played host to the Chairmen of the seven member shipowner associations of the ASF in a July 2007 meeting to appoint the first Secretary General of the ASF permanent office.

After much deliberation, Mr. Wang Cheng, then, Vice General Manager of the Transportation Division, COSCO (Group) China, was appointed.

The SSA participated in the FASA 36th Executive Committee Meeting in Busan, Korea on 28 May 2007 and the 37th Executive Committee Meeting in Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam on 24 August 2007.

The SSA also participated in the FASA 33rd Annual General Meeting in Bangkok, Thailand on 30 November 2007.

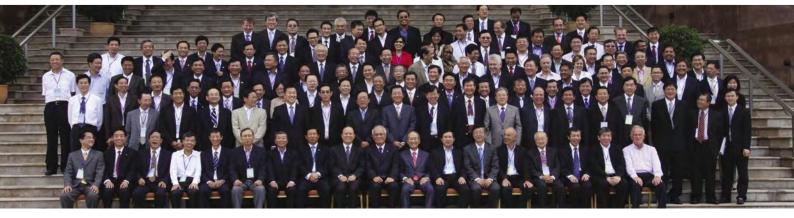
As a member of FASA, the SSA was nominated to chair the ASF Safe Navigation and Environment Committee (SNEC). In conjunction with the FASA 33rd AGM, the 14th Interim Meeting of the ASF SNEC was held in Bangkok on 30 November 2007.

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The SSA also sent a delegation comprising 11 participants to the 17th ASF which was held from 2 to 4 June 2008 in Boao, Hainan Province, China.



## The 17th Asian Shipowners' Forum 第 17 届亚洲船东论坛年会



Internationally, the SSA is a member of the International Chamber of Shipping (ICS). It also maintains good working relationships with various international organisations such as the International Maritime Organisation (IMO), the International Association of Independent Tanker Owners (INTERTANKO), the Baltic and International Maritime Council (BIMCO), International Association of Dry Cargo Shipowners (INTERCARGO), the International Group (IG) of P & I Clubs and the International Association of Classification Societies (IACS).

Following the establishment of the Regional Agreement on Combating Piracy & Armed Robbery Against Ships in Asia (ReCAAP) Information Sharing Centre (ISC) in Singapore in November 2006, the Association has also developed close ties with the ISC in its ongoing efforts to help safeguard ships in Asia.

#### · SSA 22nd Anniversary Gala Dinner

The SSA celebrated its 22nd Anniversary with a Gala Dinner at the Raffles Ballroom, Raffles City Convention Centre on 21 September 2007. The Guest-of-Honour for the Gala Dinner was the Senior Minister of State for Finance & Transport, Mrs. Lim Hwee Hua. The event was attended by a record 1,230 members, guests and associates of SSA.









#### • Members' Get-Together

The SSA organises quarterly evening Cocktail get togethers for its members to interact and network. The get-togethers organised by the Association during the year in review have been increasingly well-attended by members and representatives from the shipping-related government departments, with the number of participants steadily increasing with each event.



The Association deeply appreciates the companies that came forward to sponsor the cocktails and looks forward to other members' contributions for future events.

#### Educational Awards

In keep ing with its past practice, the Association continued to provide academic awards to deserving top graduates of the Singapore Maritime Academy's maritime diploma courses, namely the Diploma in Marine Engineering, the Diploma in Nautical Studies and the Diploma in Maritime Transport and Technology.

#### · Talks & Seminars

Given the dynamic, ever-changing nature of the maritime sector, the Association regularly organises talks and seminars to keep its members informed and up-to-date as to the latest developments affecting members of the shipping industry. The SSA has had the pleasure and good fortune to be able to invite distinguished and highly-qualified speakers to share their experiences and expertise with the Association's members.



These talks and seminars were well participated by members and friends of the shipping industry. The SSA will continue to organise more talks and seminars to update members on the current trends and developments in the shipping world.



#### List of SSA Talks in the past year

S/NO	EVENT	SPEAKERS	DATE
1	The Scope of P & I Cover & Cargo Liabilities	Ms. Wendy Ng, Claims Director, Charles Taylor Mutual Management (Asia) Pte Ltd	11 July 2007
2	Regulatory Developments Now and In The Future – A Class Perspective?	Mr. Tor Svensen, Chairman, International Association of Classification Societies	7 September 2007
3	Actual & Documentary On-Deck Carriage of Cargo: Can the Hague- Visby Rules Still Apply?	Mr. Govind Asokan, Partner, Rodyk & Davidson	10 October 2007
4	Feedback Session on the Cross Border Currency/Bearer Negotiable Instruments Reporting Regime (CBCRR)	Commercial Affairs Department, Singapore Police Force	16 October 2007
5	Preparedness & Response to Oil Spill Shipping Incidents	Mr. Alexandre Nicolau, Technical Advisor, Oil Spill Response & East Asia Response Limited	6 November 2007
6	2008 Economic Outlook for the Shipping Industry	Mr. Yves Bogni and Mr. Dominic Schnider, UBS Wealth Management Research	29 January 2008
7	Attractive Tax Incentives for the Shipping Industry – Maximise the Tax Benefits	Ms. Ho Mui Peng, Partner and Ms. Lina Lew, Senior Manager Pricewaterhouse Coopers	26 February 2008
8	Rule 'B' Attachments – How to Get Them, How to Avoid Them	Mr. Thomas Tisdale, Partner, Tisdale Law Offices LLC	3 April 2008
9	Liquidity Management for the Shipping Industry – cum – Wine Appreciation Talk	Mr. Melvyn Low, Director, Head, Cash Management Global Transaction Services, Citibank N.A.	22 April 2008
10	The Maritime Labour Convention	Mr. Georg T. Smefjell, Head of Section (Marine Management Systems), Project Manager (ILO Development), Det Norske Veritas Pte Ltd	21 May 2008

#### FINANCE, INVESTMENT & AUDIT

The Finance, Investment and Audit Committee is headed by the Honorary Treasurer, Mr. Goh Teik Poh. He takes charge of all matters pertaining to the Association's finances, investments, accounts audit and surplus funds of the Association.

The Association is financially strong as reflected in the Audited Financial Statements of the Association for the financial year ended 31 December 2007.



#### OPERATIONAL COMMITTEES' REPORTS INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE

The International Committee is headed by Councilor Mr. Kenichi Kuroya, Managing Director of "K" Line Pte Ltd.

A summary of the main issues that have been addressed by the Committee during the period in review is as follows:

#### • Piracy & Armed Robbery Updates

The International Committee noted that, while areas such as Bangladesh and the Malacca Straits have specific high-risk areas and locations identified, as well as any mitigating factors such as a decrease in incidents due to increased patrolling in the case of the Malacca Straits on the IMB website, no such qualifiers were listed for the Singapore Straits.

As such, the Committee advised that SSA propose to IMB that similar qualifiers be published for the Singapore Straits so as to avoid any misunderstandings on the part of various industry stakeholders. The Committee also proposed that IMB acknowledge the role played by the littoral States in enhancing security in the Straits of Malacca and Singapore.

#### ASEAN Charter

The Committee welcomed the historic adoption of the ASEAN Charter, as the Committee is of the opinion that the integration of ASEAN into a single economic community could have considerable implications for the maritime industry, especially with regard to such issues as ship ownership and crewing.

It was also proposed that the scope of the International Committee be extended to explore the impact of the ASEAN Charter on the whole logistics chain including land-based operations, as well as how the opportunities offered by the Charter could be used to further enhance Singapore's maritime industry.

· Enhancing Safety, Security & Environmental Protection in the Straits of Malacca & Singapore



The Singapore Meeting on the Straits of Malacca & Singapore: Enhancing Safety, Security & Environmental Protection was held from 4 to 6 September 2007. The purpose of the Meeting was to provide a follow-up forum to build on the outcome of the two IMO meetings held in Jakarta (2005) and Kuala Lumpur (2006).

The International Committee welcomed the launch of the Co-Operative Mechanism, which makes provisions for a forum under which user States, the shipping industry and other stakeholders can engage in further discussion on the Straits, as well as to make financial contributions or contributions in kind to a range of projects.

The adoption of the Co-Operative Mechanism will give the littoral States ownership of discussions on the Straits, though the IMO will remain firmly engaged in any future discussions on the project.

In particular, the International Committee was pleased to note that all financial contributions to the Mechanism will be strictly voluntary, and transactions will be made in a clear, transparent fashion.

#### The Consultative Shipping Group

The Consultative Shipping Group (CSG) of governments was established in 1962. The Group considers shipping policy issues on the basis of shared commitment to broad principles of free and fair competition, open market access and non-discrimination.

The International Committee was pleased to note that Singapore is expected to participate actively in the CSG following its entry into the Group in September 2007.

In anticipation of an increased role on the part of Singapore in the CSG, the Committee further expressed its hope that the Association would be able to assist in the development of a Singapore position at the CSG.

#### **TECHNICAL COMMITTEE**

Councillor Mr. Goh Teik Poh, Senior Vice President, Global Operations & Network for Neptune Orient Lines Ltd chairs the Technical Committee, which has been re-aligned from the previous Technical, Safety, Environmental & Training Committee. He has two sub-committees under his care, namely the Maritime Security Sub-Committee and the Tanker Sub-Committee.

Provided below is a summary of the main issues that have been addressed by the Committee and its Sub-committees during the period in review:

#### • Piracy & Armed Robbery

The Committee noted that, according to the Annual Report by the International Maritime Bureau (IMB), the number of piracy and armed robbery attacks worldwide has **increased** compared with 2006. The number of attacks through the end of 2007 had increased to 263, which is 24 more attacks (10% increase) than the 239 reported for 2006.

Among the 263 attacks listed, 169 vessels were boarded and 18 vessels were hijacked. The number of hostages taken has increased, though the number of crew kidnapped or killed has decreased, with 292 hostages taken, 63 kidnapped and 5 killed in 2007, compared to 188 hostages taken, 77 crew kidnapped and 15 killed for 2006.

The pirates and armed robbers boarding vessels were reportedly better-armed with a number of incidents involving guns.

Nigeria and Somalia have been identified as crucial hotspots with 42 reported incidents in Nigeria and 31 incidents in Somalia. Elsewhere, such as South East Asia, these piracy incidents are on the wane due to continued efforts by national authorities. The number of incidents in the Malacca Straits, previously a hotspot, has continued to drop since 2004.

#### Incidents of Piracy and Armed Robbery in 2007

	2006	2007	Trend (%. 2006-2007)
Worldwide reported attacks	239	263	+10.04
No. of actual attacks (including hijacks)	176	187	+6.25
No. of attempted attacks	63	76	+20.63
No. of attacks ( <b>actual &amp; Attempted</b> ) whilst ships were underway at high seas	88*	111*	+26.14
No. of attacks ( <b>actual &amp; Attempted</b> ) while ships were at berth or at anchor	150*	145*	-3.33
No. of hijacks	14	18	+28.57

#### Source: IMB Annual Report 2007

\*: 1 reported attack in 2006 and 7 reported attacks in 2007 did not specify if the ship was at berth, at anchor or underway.

• Regional Co-Operation Agreement on Combating Piracy and Armed Robbery Against Ships in Asia (ReCAAP)

The Regional Cooperation Agreement on Combating Piracy & Armed Robbery against Ships in Asia (ReCAAP) is a multi-lateral government-to-government anti-piracy effort. In December 2007, as part of a cooperative agreement, the ReCAAP ISC was given consultative status at the International Maritime Organisation (IMO). ReCAAP currently focuses solely on incidents in Asia, though a number of European states have expressed an interest in participating.

The Committee welcomed the establishment of the ReCAAP ISC in Singapore and expressed the hope that the ISC would be able to work closely with the shipping industry to enhance maritime safety in Asia.







#### Maritime Labour Convention

Following the adoption of the International Labour Organisation (ILO) Consolidated Maritime Labour Convention (MLC) in February 2006, MPA has been consulting with SSA on how best to adapt Singapore's legislation to comply with the requirements of the MLC.

One particular issue of note would be the required hours of rest specified by the MLC. Currently, Singapore's Merchant Shipping Act prescribes 70 hours of rest for seafarers over a period of 7 days. The MLC, however, provides for 77 hours of rest in any 7-day period. In addition, MPA is considering applying these hours of rest to seafarers on all vessels, including ships on coastal runs as well as ships with frequent ports of call and short turn-around times.

The Committee agreed that while 77 hours of rest might be feasible for long-haul international vessels, it would not be feasible, especially for vessels on coastal runs and vessels with frequent ports of call and short turn-around times.

It was further noted that the hours of rest could not always be achieved simply by increasing manning levels, especially on smaller vessels, since there might not always be sufficient space to accommodate additional crew.

#### Industry Container Best Practice Guidelines

Following a UK Marine Accident Investigation Board (MAIB) report on the collapse of a stack of containers on board the Annabella, an industry Working Group had been formed to develop a Code of Best Practices for the container industry. It was further noted that this was strictly an industry initiative to develop regulations and best practices for container operations.

As the purpose of the Working Group would be to ensure that the Code of Best Practices would reflect industry requirements, the Technical Committee agreed that SSA should participate in the Working Group.

The Committee noted that a consolidated draft of the Code was considered at the last meeting of the Industry Working Group held on 30 January 2008 in Washington D.C, USA. It was further noted that the draft would need to be streamlined and that the final draft would have to be considered before being circulated to the industry at large for comments.

#### **Maritime Security Sub-Committee**

The Maritime Security Sub-Committee is chaired by Mr. George Solomon of Neptune Shipmanagement Services (Pte) Ltd. The Sub-Committee works closely with the MPA, the ICA and the Republic of Singapore Navy (RSN) and the ReCAAP ISC to discuss proposed measures and submissions concerning maritime security and to make the appropriate recommendations including practical measures to improve security arrangements for ships transiting or calling at Singapore and the surrounding region.

 Piracy and Armed Robbery Reporting The Maritime Security Sub-Committee encouraged all SSA members to submit reports of any incidents of piracy or armed robbery occurring in Asian waters to the relevant ReCAAP Focal Points. The Sub-Committee also noted that the ReCAAP ISC will only publish incident reports after verifying and validating information provided by the participating States. While the Sub-Committee agreed that this may result in some lag between the actual incident and the public release of an incident report, it was agreed with the ReCAAP ISC's intent to generate credible and constructive reports that may be used by all interested parties as opposed to unverified, sensationalized announcements.

 100% Scanning for Containers Calling at US Ports The Sub-Committee noted, with effect from 1 July 2012, all containers entering US ports have to undergo 100% scanning.

Prior to implementation, trials will be carried out in different ports. As for Singapore, it appears that the trial and actual implementation have been delayed as the necessary equipment are in place as yet.

The challenge facing Singapore would lie in accommodating the high volume of transshipment containers entering Singapore bound for the US.

#### **Tanker Sub-Committee**

The Tanker Sub-Committee is chaired by Mr. Vijay Bhandari of Teekay Shipping (Singapore) Pte Ltd. The Sub-Committee engages itself in discussion mainly on issues emerging from the IMO and some local operations.



#### Inert Gas Systems for Tankers

At MSC 83, a number of decisions were made with regard to the installation of inert gas (IG) systems on tankers under 20,000 dwt. In particular, the Sub-Committee welcomed an agreement that work should consider measures for new ships, taking into account the different operational demands on chemical tankers.

The Sub-Committee noted that there is already commercial pressure from charterers to install IG systems on tankers, and that installation might not necessarily be feasible for smaller tankers.

#### **SERVICES COMMITTEE**

The Services Committee is chaired by Councillor Mr. Aloysius Seow, Chief Operating Officer of Ocean Tankers (Pte) Ltd.

Following the adoption of the streamlined SSA Constitution at the 10th Annual General Meeting of the Association in 2006, the Sub-Committees under the former Domestic Committee and Services Committee have been brought within the ambit of the Services Committee.

As such, the Chairman has under his care the Bunkering Sub-Committee, the Cruise Sub-Committee, the Ship Operations & Port Services Sub-Committee and the Training & Development Sub-Committee.

Provided below is a summary of the main issues that have been addressed by the Committee and its Sub-committees during the period in review:

#### **Bunkering Sub-Committee**

The Bunkering Sub-Committee is chaired by Mr. Kan Hoi Yuen of Shell Eastern Trading (Pte) Ltd. The Sub-Committee works closely with the MPA to develop and enhance the bunkering industry in Singapore.



#### • Incentives to Renew Singapore's Bunker Tanker Fleet

The Sub-Committee continued to provide feedback to MPA with regard to various MPA proposals designed to provide the bunkering industry with incentives to update and renew Singapore's bunker tanker fleet, so as to help protect the marine and air environment in and around the Port of Singapore.

In addition to providing an industry perspective on MPA's proposal to revise its Gate System so as to only issue new Harbour Craft Licenses (Bunker Tanker) to oil tankers which are subject to and comply with Regulations 19 and 13 of MARPOL Annex VI, the Sub-Committee has also provided feedback on MPA's initiative relating to harbour craft port dues for bunker tankers.

Under this initiative, MPA has stated that the harbor craft port dues will be waived for 5 years for the new double hull bunker tankers registered before 31 March 2011. At the same time, with effect from 1 January 2009, MPA will also increase the port dues surcharge for bunker tankers over 15 years of age.

CP 60 Video

The Sub-Committee noted that the current CP 60 training video (produced in 1993) was due for a revamp to incorporate the updates through the years. As such, the Sub-Committee has agreed that SSA should work together with MPA to develop a new CP60 video for free distribution to all ships calling in Singapore.

• Review of CP 60 & CP 77

The Sub-Committee has worked closely with MPA to educate and inform the maritime industry as to the requirements of Singapore Standard Code of Practice for Bunkering (CP 60) and the Singapore Standard Code of Practice for Bunker Surveying (CP 77) through Port Marine Circulars and printed informational placards for distribution to all vessels bunkering in Singapore.

The Sub-Committee, in conjunction with MPA and SPRING Singapore, also reviewed CP 60 and CP 77 to ensure that the two Codes would continue to enhance the efficiency and professionalism of Singapore's bunker industry.

#### Summary of Bunker Operations in Singapore

	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
No. of Quantity Disputes	12	13	25	14	11
No. of Quality Disputes	2	2	4	2	5
Others	-	1	-	-	1
Total No. of Disputes	14	16	29	16	17
No. of Vessels Bunkered in the Port+	21,694	22,804	25,479	27,103	29,729
Total No. of Disputes Against No. Of Vessels Bunkered	0.06%	0.07%	0.11%	0.06%	0.06%

+ MPA source.

#### Material Safety Data Sheets

Following the IMO decision to make the carriage of Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS) mandatory for the transport of MARPOL Annex I cargoes and marine fuel oils, Singapore expressed its concerns over the proposals that cargo-specific MSDS be prepared for all Annex I cargoes, including bunker fuel.

In light of Singapore's position as a major bunkering hub, SSA viewed that providing a cargo-specific MSDS for all Annex I cargoes, including bunker fuel, is impractical due to the large volume of bunker sales (in excess of 30 million tons) every year. Not only would cargo-specific MSDS have a negative impact of bunkering operations, the requirement would also be at odds with requirements imposed by ISO standards.

At the request of MPA, members of the Bunkering Sub-Committee, under the auspices of the SSA IMO Committee, worked closely with MPA and the International Bunker Industry Association (IBIA) to develop a Singapore position emphasising the importance of applying ISO standards to a generic MSDS for bunker fuel as opposed to cargo-specific MSDS.

The proposal was accepted at IMO and will be considered for adoption at the upcoming 84th session of the IMO Maritime Safety Committee in May 2008.

#### **Cruise Sub-Committee**

The Cruise Sub-Committee is chaired by Mr. Frankie Tan of Harpers Shipping (Singapore) Pte Ltd. The Sub-Committee works closely with the MPA, the ICA, the Singapore Cruise Centre (SCC) and the Singapore Tourism Board (STB) to develop and enhance the cruise shipping industry in Singapore.

· Berths for Cruise Vessels

Due to congestion arising from an increasing number of calls at Singapore and the limited number of available berths at the Singapore Cruise Centre (SCC), the Cruise Sub-Committee continued to express concern that the resultant increase in waiting time and the inability to assign a specific berth to a cruise vessel in advance might have an adverse impact on the development of the cruise sector.

Working closely with MPA, PSA, SCC and the Singapore Tourism Board (STB), a set of guidelines for the assigning of PSA berths to cruise ships has been developed. In addition, guidelines allowing for anchorage operations for cruise ships calling at Singapore have also been developed as a last resort in the event that there are absolutely no other berths available.

ICA CREW System

In 2006, the Immigration & Checkpoints Authority (ICA) implemented the CREW system – an on-line system that will assist in immigration clearance for all vessels.

Members of the Cruise Sub-Committee continued to work closely with ICA to further develop the CREW system with the intent of exploring the feasibility of extending the system to cover crew of cruise vessels calling in Singapore.



Ship Operations & Port Services Sub-Committee

The Ship Operations Sub-Committee is chaired by Capt. Chak Kwok Wai of NYK Group South Asia Pte Ltd. The Sub-Committee works closely with the MPA to develop and enhance ship operations and local port services.



MPA Maritime Safety Working Group

In 2005, MPA formed a Maritime Safety Working Group (MSWG) to work on various projects relating to safety issues in Singapore waters. Capt. P. Raveendran, Director of Operations for APL Co Pte Ltd, Capt. Joseph William, General Manager (Fleet Management) for Pacific International Lines (Pte) Ltd and Capt. Mohamed Zein bin Ismail, Operations Manager for Hong Lam Marine Pte Ltd serve as SSA's representatives on the MSWG.

The MSWG was tasked to develop and implement internationally-agreed and recognised signals to assist vessels transiting the Singapore Straits, enhancing the safety of navigation. Trials to assess the effectiveness of the night signal (three all-round green lights in a vertical line) have been successful.

The Sub-Committee was pleased to note that initial trials were successful and continues to assist MPA in generating additional data to facilitate submission of the signals for adoption at an international level.

Workplace Safety & Health (WSH) Act

From 1st March 2006, the Factories Act had been repealed and replaced by the Workplace, Safety and Health Act. This Act and the WSH (Risk Management) Regulations 2006 which comes into effect from 1 September 2006 places great emphasis on Safety and imposes strict responsibility and liability on all stakeholders.

The Sub-Committee met with representatives from the Ministry of Manpower (MOM) in October 2007 to engage MOM directly with regards as to how the WSHA has imposed constraints on some routine maintenance tasks for ships.

At the meeting, MOM re-affirmed that their principal concern was that safety cannot be compromised, especially since deaths have been the result of workplace-related accidents. MOM further confirmed that the WSHA is merely a framework, and that it is the responsibility of the stakeholders to come up with means to achieve the goals set forth by the WSHA.

As such, it was agreed that stakeholders work together to develop a set of guidelines for some common routine tasks that ships might need to complete whilst in port that are satisfactory for all parties concerned. This would simplify the process by which the terminals could grant approval to a ship seeking to carry out these tasks.







Shortage of Crew for Harbour Craft

In light of the increasing shortage of trained crew available to man harbour craft, the Sub-Committee has worked closely with MPA, MOM and other relevant stakeholders to explore ways to address the issue. Some of the options explored include streamlining training programs, maximising the utility of the existing pool of manpower as well as facilitating the hiring of crew from alternative sources.

Cross Border Currency/Bearer Negotiable Instruments Reporting Regime (CBCRR)

Following its adoption by Parliament in August 2007, the Cross Border Currency/ Bearer Negotiable Instruments Reporting Regime (CBCRR) took effect from 1 November 2007. Under the CBCRR, all persons who move currency or bearer-negotiable bonds (CBNI) with a total value exceeding S\$30,000 or its equivalent in foreign currency into or out of Singapore are required to make a declaration.

Following its entry into force, the Sub-Committee, along with the Cruise Sub-Committee, has discussed with the Commercial Affairs Department of the Singapore Police Force to determine how the requirements of the CBCRR may be reconciled with operational requirements for the maritime industry.

#### **Training & Development Sub-Committee**

Formerly known as the Vocational Training Sub-Committee, the Training & Development Committee is chaired by Mr. Sim Hee Ping of Neptune Shipmanagement Services (Pte.) Ltd. The role of the Sub-Committee is to assist shipping staff in upgrading their professional skills, and to support and cooperate with other educational institutions in providing executive training courses for the shipping industry.

The Sub-Committee is currently in the process of updating and renewing the courses offered by the Association under the SSA Skills Training & Development Program to ensure that the courses stay relevant to current demands.

The Program currently offers the following shipping and shipping-related courses:

- Principles of Shipping Documentations & Practices
- · Principles of Shipping Operations & Practices
- · Effective Written Communication in the Shipping Industry
- Container Management
- Marine Insurance
- Shipping Law & Disputes
- 1-Day Course on the Code of Practice for Bunkering (CP 60:2004)
- Understanding Import/Export Techniques and Documentation
- · Principles of Shipbroking & Chartering
- · 1-Day Course on the Basics Of Dangerous Goods Management
- 1-Day Course on Introduction to Shipping

The Association also cooperates with the Singapore Maritime Academy and the MPA on the following course programmes:

- Certificate of Performance (COP) Programme
- Diploma in Ship Operations & Management (DSOM)



#### **LEGAL & INSURANCE COMMITTEE**

Chaired by Councillor Mr. Nick Sansom, Senior Vice President, Head of Marine, Asia of Marsh (Singapore) Pte Ltd, the Legal & Insurance Committee reviews proposed international conventions and domestic legislation that would affect Singapore's shipping industry.

In addition to the Legal & Insurance Committee, Mr. Sansom has one sub-committee under his care, namely the Marine Insurance Sub-Committee.

Some of the issues discussed were:

#### • UNCITRAL Draft Transport Law

The Committee continued to monitor developments and issues emerging on the continued discussion on the UNCITRAL Draft Transport Law. The Members have had some very active discussions and good exchanges on the proceedings at the ICS Legal Committee and that of the UNCITRAL Working Group III.

#### Crimes Committed on Ships

At the 93rd session of the IMO Legal Committee held in October 2007 in Panama, India and the Comite Maritime International (CMI) proposed draft guidelines for adapting the national legislation of Flag and Coastal States to address crimes committed on ships.

While the Legal Committee agreed that protection of seafarers was of the utmost importance, it was further agreed that, from Singapore's perspective, it might not be feasible for Singapore as a Flag State to investigate crimes committed outside of its territorial waters.

#### Wreck Removal Convention

The Legal Committee continued to provide feedback on the possible implications ratification of the Wreck Removal Convention might have on Singapore's maritime industry. The Convention will provide a legal basis for coastal States to remove, or have removed, shipwrecks that may adversely affect the safety of lives, property, or the environment when located outside the territorial sea. As the Convention will cover ships of 250 dwt and above, the main issue of concern for the Committee was that it might not be feasible or viable to impose compulsory insurance on smaller ships in the 250-300 dwt range.

#### The International Convention on Liability & Compensation for Damage in Connection with the Carriage of Hazardous & Noxious Substances (HNS) by Sea

The Legal Committee agreed to continue monitoring the development of the HNS Convention. Of particular concern to the Committee would be any adverse impact Singapore's ratification of the Convention might have on owners.

The Legal Committee was pleased to note that the declaration of cargo required by States that have ratified the Convention will not apply to transshipment cargo. Instead, only imported cargo would have to be included in the declaration of contributing cargo. This was an issue of concern in light of Singapore's position as a major transshipment hub.



**Marine Insurance Sub-Committee** 

The Marine Insurance Sub-Committee is chaired by Ms. Grace Wong of Neptune Orient Lines Limited. The Sub-Committee's role is to monitor and review insurance issues that affect the shipping community.

Singapore Arbitration

Working closely with the Singapore Chamber of Maritime Arbitration and the Singapore Maritime Federation as well as a number of Singapore lawyers, the Marine Insurance Sub-Committee continued to work on drafting an Arbitration Clause allowing for Singapore arbitration that would be acceptable to the BIMCO Documentary Committee.

 War & Terrorism Cover for IMO Liability & Compensation Conventions With regard to the IMO liability and compensation conventions, problems may arise when shipowners are required to obtain State-approved certificates of financial responsibility in relation to liability under the conventions, but the insurance cover available for war/terrorism risks may be insufficient and subject to market exclusions.

The Sub-Committee noted that, whilst a solution to the problem was agreed in the context of the Athens Convention 2002, IMO has stated that the solution found in relation to the Athens Protocol was a special case which could not be copied, and that, in relation to the other Conventions, the market would have to find and present a commercial solution.

#### **IMO COMMITTEE**

At the 2nd Meeting of the SSA Council (2007/2009) held on 26 July 2007, it was agreed that a SSA IMO Committee be formed to discuss and provide MPA with industry feedback to various issues deliberated at the IMO. The MPA welcomed this initiative as it assisted them in developing a Singapore position with regard to various IMO issues.

Chaired by Councillor Mr. Patrick Phoon, Deputy Managing Director, Evergreen Shipping Agency (Singapore) Pte Ltd, the IMO Committee comprises members drawn from all 4 SSA Operational Committees for their expertise, as well as the 4 Chairmen of the Operational Committees.



To assist the IMO Committee in their work, MPA has agreed to conduct briefings for the Committee both prior to and immediately after major meetings of the various IMO Committees such as the Marine Environment Protection Committee (MEPC) and the Maritime Safety Committee (MSC).

In addition to the work done on Material Safety Data Sheets, the Committee has also worked closely with MPA to develop a Singapore position on the ongoing review of MARPOL Annex VI to lower sulphur content in marine fuels. Following MEPC 57, the Committee was pleased to note that the limits on sulphur content set by MEPC retained the principles set forth by industry with regard to the need for goal-based compliance options, the need to stimulate technical innovation and the need to establish both short-term and long-term goals.

## **PORT STATISTICS**

Source: Maritime & Port Authority of Singapore As at 12 June 2008

#### Container Throughput

Year	Container Throughput (million TEUS)
1997	14.14
1998	15.14
1999	15.94
2000	17.09
2001	15.57
2002	16.94
2003	18.41
2004	21.32
2005	23.19
2006	24.79
2007	27.94

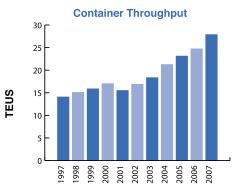
#### Bunker Uplift

Year	Bunker uplift (million tonnes)
1997	16.90
1998	18.06
1999	18.89
2000	18.65
2001	20.35
2002	20.10
2003	20.80
2004	23.57
2005	25.48
2006	28.38
2007	31.55

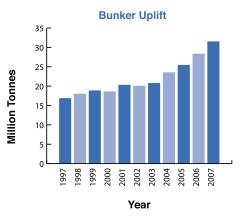
Total Seaborne Cargo (in '000 Tonnes)							
		General Cargo		Bulk	Cargo		
Year	Total Cargo	Containerised	Conventional	Oil	Others		
1997	327,506.70	170,140.10	15,418.60	129,786.60	12,161.30		
1998	312,322.10	160,317.90	12,650.40	127,168.00	12,185.80		
1999	325,902.20	176,568.60	11,984.80	124,385.70	12,963.10		
2000	325,591.10	185,857.00	13,719.80	113,329.40	12,684.90		
2001	313,487.00	171,208.60	14,867.10	113,759.10	13,652.20		
2002	335,155.90	183,954.90	14,565.60	120,667.30	15,968.10		
2003	347,694.10	191,687.60	14,759.90	123,374.70	17,872.00		
2004	393,417.60	223,503.30	17,378.20	129,328.20	23,207.90		
2005	423,267.60	241,973.00	20,291.10	137,826.20	23,176.30		
2006	448,503.90	258,553.00	22,840.30	153,029.50	14,081.20		
2007	483,616.10	289,094.20	25,823.20	157,382.30	11,316.40		

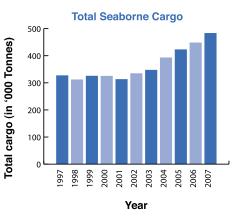
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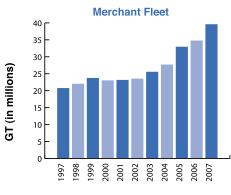
Year	GT(millions)	No of Vessels
1997	20.77	3,380
1998	22.03	3,412
1999	23.75	3,360
2000	23.04	3,335
2001	23.17	3,353
2002	23.55	3,355
2003	25.57	3,063
2004	27.70	3,109
2005	32.96	3,219
2006	34.79	3,249
2007	39.60	3,553



Year







Year

## Ships Owned, Managed and/or Operated By SSA Members (Ships > 1000 GT) As at 19 June 2008

VESSEL TYPE	No. of Vessels	GT	DWT	TEU
Bulk Carrier	343	12,030,058	21,831,756	1,738
Container Ship	525	14,110,247	16,221,435	686,359
Chemical Tanker	220	3,437,917	5,721,075	-
General Cargo Ship	109	1,846,518	2,524,514	66,715
Liquefied Gas Carrier	137	3,088,648	2,993,578	114,974
Miscellanous	29	646,563	800,535	-
Non-Propelled Barge	67	141,719	199,635	-
OBO Carrier	15	662,611	1,186,880	-
Offshore Supply Vessel	63	125,856	47,168	-
Oil Tanker	319	8,461,146	15,535,571	-
Passenger Ferry	2	28,417	2,591	-
Product Tanker	156	3,856,466	7,149,568	-
Tug	21	33,361	31,150	-
Vehicle Carrier	17	771,386	255,745	13,000
Very Large Crude Container	74	9,635,922	18,386,406	_
TOTAL VESSELS	2,097	58,876,835	92,887,607	882,786

## Vessels and Tonnage by Register - Owned, Managed and/or Operated by SSA members (Ships > 1000 GT) As at 19 June 2008

REGISTRY	No. of Vessels	GT	DWT	TEU
Antigua & Barbuda	14	194,841	255,432	12,546
Bahamas	87	2,243,035	3,520,738	19,569
Belize	2	2,102	2,965	-
Bermuda	3	231,781	412,844	-
Bolivia	1	3,738	6,661	-
Cambodia	1	2,479	4,300	-
Cayman Islands	2	48,504	77,564	-
China	12	130,094	228,875	580
Croatia	1	39,422	75,100	-
Cyprus	23	559,757	862,673	4,534
Denmark	2	29,744	43,755	-
France	3	336,615	629,784	1,740
Germany	24	1,658,666	1,834,795	1,067
Gibraltar	3	10,917	22,920	1,055
Greece	1	60,007	107,161	-
Hong Kong	132	5,176,397	8,523,840	49,776
India	7	172,817	249,702	, <u> </u>
Indonesia	43	166,944	222,806	5,668
Isle of Man	8	164,284	194,983	2,508
Italy	7	167,636	365,610	-
Japan	3	133,106	129,455	9,100
Kiribati	2	6,068	9,282	-
Korea	2	18.051	26.144	653
Liberia	45	2,385,703	3,711,347	15,993
Madeira	1	1,552	1,648	-
Malaysia	96	2,712,686	4,269,050	2,086
Malta	19	265,185	420,552	1,203
Marshall Islands	59	2,686,766	4,573,157	53,557
Mexico	4	238,654	433,738	-
Mongolia	8	48,488	74,733	-
Myanmar	5	43,476	50,175	-
Netherlands	1	9,300	3,200	-
Norway	15	469,474	805,867	6,645
Panama	322	10,716,349	17,991,586	104.388
Philippines	2	19,820	28.916	-
Qatar		47,300	54,000	-
Russia	2	21,828	28,619	562
Singapore	1.024	25,425,809	38,910,048	545,910
St Kitts & Nevis	3	3,759	1.586	
St Vincent & The Grenadines	8	98,051	138,125	490
Thailand	26	416,226	593,140	19,764
Turkey	1	38,433	74,044	
Tuvalu	9	145,314	213,206	-
United Kingdom	49	1,331,254	2,312,097	22,370
Vanuatu	1	29,732	52,301	
Vietnam	9	164,671	259,774	1,022
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Total Vessels	2,097	58,876,835	92,887,607	882,786

#### Honorary Member

Mr Yeo Cheow Tong

BUSINESS TYPE	REF	TEL
SHIPOWNERS - OCEAN-GOING SHIPS		
"K" Line Pte Ltd	Or-2	62156215
A P Moller Singapore Pte Ltd	Or-4	63183601
AET Tankers Pte Ltd	Or-6	61002288
Altus Shipping Pte Ltd	Or-7	63233500
ANL Singapore Pte Ltd	Or-10	63233119
Brostrom Tankers Singapore Pte Ltd	Or-24	62731122
Celeste Holding Pte Ltd	Or-29	68371555
COSCO (Singapore) Pte Ltd	Or-37	68850910
Cosmo Chartering Pte Ltd	Or-39	62224610
Crystal Water Navigation Pte Ltd	Or-42	63331600
Daiichi Chuo Shipping (Singapore) Pte Ltd	As-25	63243010
Diamond Tanker Pte Ltd	Or-46	63382000
EP Carriers Pte Ltd	Or-53	62227788
Epic Product Carriers Pte Ltd	Or-54	65388557
Far Glory Holdings Pte Ltd	Or-60	63398988
Felix Maritime Pte Ltd	Or-61	62227911
Gearbulk (Singapore) Pte Ltd	As-38	65004000
Gemadept (S) Pte Ltd	Or-65	62231059
Genshipping Pacific Line (Pte) Ltd	Or-66	63363533
Getax Ocean Trades Pte Ltd	Or-67	68367798
I.M. Skaugen Marine Services Pte Ltd	Or-85	62266006
IMC Shipping Co Pte Ltd	Or-87	63362233
J.Lauritzen Singapore Pte Ltd	Or-89	62758000
KGJS (Singapore) Pte Ltd	As-62	64112200
Kumiai Navigation (Pte) Ltd	Or-99	65327001
Masterbulk Pte Ltd	Or-106	62296100
MC Shipping Pte Ltd	Or-107	64231045
Mercator Lines (Singapore) Pte Ltd	Or-110	62209320
MSI Ship Management Pte Ltd	As-76	65172400
Neptune Orient Lines Limited	Or-114	62789000
Norden Tankers & Bulkers Pte Ltd	Or-118	63954233
Odfjell Singapore Pte Ltd	Or-124	63491300
Pacific Carriers Ltd	Or-130	67333500
Pacific Eagle Lines Pte Ltd	Or-131	62729828
Pacific International Lines (Pte) Ltd	Or-132	62218133
Pacmar Shipping Pte Ltd	Or-134	62213608
Parakou Shipping Pte Ltd	Or-137	65368838
QC Shipping Pte Ltd	Or-143	62270020
Regional Container Lines (Pte) Ltd	Or-144	62200388
Shell Tankers (Singapore) Private Limited	Or-158	63848000
Shreyas World Navigation Pte Ltd	Or-160	64130560
Simatech Shipping Pte Ltd	Or-161	62233859
Songa Shipping Pte Ltd	Or-172	63390848
Star Maritime Pte Ltd	Or-176	63242916
STX Pan Ocean Singapore Pte Ltd	Or-181	64616210
Tailwind Shipping Pte Ltd	Or-186	62209277
Thoresen Shipping Singapore Pte Ltd	Or-190	63190630

#### Individual Member Capt Alpha Abraham

#### TEL BUSINESS TYPE REF SHIPOWNERS - OCEAN-GOING SHIPS (cont'd) Tolani Shipping (S) Pte Ltd Or-194 67206720 Torm Singapore Pte Ltd Or-196 65343431 U-Ming Marine Transport (S) Pte Ltd Or-203 62899397 United Ocean Ship Management Pte Ltd Or-205 68545566 Universal Navigation Pte Ltd Or-206 63241466 Varun Shipping Company Limited, Singapore Or-210 63207803 Branch Wan Hai Lines (S) Pte Ltd Or-213 62261588

#### **SHIPOWNERS - BUNKER TANKERS**

Bomin Bunker Oil Pte Ltd	Or-22	62219222
CBS Ventures Pte Ltd	Or-28	62227011
Consort Bunkers Pte Ltd	Or-36	63443008
Feoso Oil (S) Pte Ltd	Or-62	67321732
Global Energy Trading Pte Ltd	As-40	62789133
Golden Island Diesel Oil Trading Pte Ltd	Or-70	62948066
Grandeur Trading & Services Pte Ltd	Or-71	62538266
Hai Soon Diesel & Trading Pte Ltd	Or-72	62938770
Hong Lam Marine Pte Ltd	Or-81	63336577
Ignition Point Pte Ltd	Or-86	67331414
Northwest Resources Pte Ltd	Or-119	63466116
Ocean Tankers (Pte) Ltd	Or-123	68632202
Oxalis Shipping Co Pte Ltd	Or-129	62220679
Palmstone Marine Services Pte Ltd	Or-135	64732460
Prestige Marine Services Pte Ltd	Or-141	62761118
Sentek Marine & Trading Pte Ltd	Or-155	62996630
Singamas Petroleum Trading Pte Ltd	Or-164	62233777
Stellar Shipmanagement Services Pte Ltd	Or-178	65591668

#### **SHIPOWNERS - TUGS, BARGES & SUPPLY BOATS**

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Amsbach Marine (S) Pte Ltd	Or-8	67349052
Eastern Navigation Pte Ltd	Or-50	62683222
Jaya Offshore Pte Ltd	Or-91	62651010
Jurong Marine Services Pte Ltd	Or-95	62616681
Keppel Smit Towage Pte Ltd	Or-96	66684222
Kim Heng Marine & Oilfield Pte Ltd	Or-97	67779990
Marina Offshore Pte Ltd	Or-104	62953311
Oil Spill Response and East Asia Response Limited	Or-125	62661566
Pacific Richfield Marine Pte Ltd	Or-133	65382623
Penguin Boat International Limited	Or-139	67769832
PSA Marine (Pte) Ltd	Or-142	63211922
Sea-Shore Marine Pte Ltd	Or-153	62209595
Sindo Damai Singapore Pte Ltd	Or-163	63345100
Smit Singapore Pte Ltd	Or-171	66684222
Swire Pacific Offshore Services Pte Ltd	Or-184	62943088
Tiong Woon Marine Pte Ltd	Or-191	62617888

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BUSINESS TYPE	REF	TEL	BUSINESS TYPE	REF	TEL
SHIP MANAGERS			SHIP AGENTS (cont'd)		
"K" Line Ship Management (Singapore) Pte Ltd	Or-3	63051100	Barwil Agencies Pte Ltd	Or-18	63954545
Anglo-Eastern Shipmanagement (Singapore)	Or-9	62243119	Beauford Marine Pte Ltd	Or-19	65599700
Pte Ltd			Ben Line Agencies (Singapore) Pte Ltd	Or-20	62253522
Apex Ship Management Pte Ltd	Or-11	63048910	BSA Transportation Pte Ltd	Or-25	62275268
B+H Equimar Singapore Pte Ltd	Or-16	63235253	C F Sharp Shipping Agencies Pte Ltd	Or-27	65367636
Bernhard Schulte Shipmanagement (Singapore) Pte Ltd	Or-21	62722220	C.M.I. Maritime Pte Ltd	As-18	68372079
BSM Service Delivery Centre One	As-14	63095000	China Shipping (S) Agencies Pte Ltd	Or-31	65330898
BW Shipping Managers Pte Ltd	Or-26	63372133	Chinpo Shipping Co (Pte) Ltd	Or-32	62972311
Columbia Shipmanagement (Singapore) Pte Ltd	Or-35	67324144	Chipolbal Shipping Pte Ltd	Or-33	62206168
Cosmic Ship Management Pte Ltd	Or-38	62788233	Clipper Bulk (Singapore) Pte Ltd	Or-34	63259460
Da Sin Shipping Pte Ltd	Or-43	62219168	Costar Shipping Pte Ltd	Or-41	62261900
D'Amico Shipping Singapore Pte Ltd	Or-44	65860860	Delmas Shipping (S) Pte Ltd	Or-45	63377344
EMS Ship Management (Singapore) Pte Ltd	Or-52	64668551	Dongnama Shipping (Singapore) Pte Ltd	Or-47	64210708
Executive Ship Management Pte Ltd	Or-57	63240500	Eagle Corporation Pte Ltd	Or-48	62227788
Glory Ship Management Pte Ltd	Or-69	65361986	EAS Maritime Agencies Pte Ltd	Or-49	65351088
Hanjin Shipping (S) Pte Ltd	Or-74	62227055	ECL (Singapore) Pte Ltd	Or-51	67740555
I - Ship Pte Ltd	Or-84	65570330	Evergreen Shipping Agency (Singapore) Pte Ltd	Or-56	63477188
JR Orion Services Pte Ltd	Or-94	62262963	Far Eastern Services (Pte) Ltd	Or-59	62989355
Kontiki Shipping Pte Ltd	Or-98	62220555	Foong Sun Shipping (Pte) Ltd	Or-63	63231133
Lucky Shipmanagement Pte Ltd	As-67	63388155	GAC (Singapore) Pte Ltd	Or-64	64771400
M.T.M. Ship Management Pte Ltd	Or-102	62279888	Hamburg Sud Singapore Pte Ltd	Or-73	68802935
Neptune Shipmanagement Services (Pte) Ltd	Or-115	63714600	Hapag-Lloyd (Singapore) Pte Ltd	Or-75	62236119
Nor Offshore Ltd	Or-117	63198788	Harpers Shipping (Singapore) Pte Ltd	Or-76	62211388
NYK Shipmanagement Pte Ltd	Or-122	64167500	Heung-A (Singapore) Pte Ltd	Or-78	65119102
OSG Ship Management Asia Pacific Pte Ltd	Or-127	65358289	Hiap Woon Shipping (S) Pte Ltd	Or-79	62226511
OSM Ship Management Pte Ltd	Or-128	62212533	Horizon Shipping Agencies (S) Pte Ltd	Or-82	62245333
Pan-United Shipping Pte Ltd	Or-136	63057368	Hyundai Merchant Marine (Singapore) Pte Ltd	Or-83	63399844
Rickmers Shipmanagement (Singapore) Pte Ltd	Or-146	63726300	Inchcape Shipping Services (S) Pte Ltd	Or-88	64122900
Satsuma Shipping Pte Ltd	Or-149	65570925	Jardine Shipping Agencies	Or-90	63232716
Sleipner Shipping Pte Ltd	Or-169	62244317	Johnasia (S) Pte Ltd	Or-93	62235922
SM Lito Shipmanagement Pte Ltd	Or-170	62252088	Line Fast Pte Ltd		62237223
SSC Ship Management Pte Ltd	Or-173	62250630	Maersk Singapore Pte Ltd		63238323
Svitzer Far East Pte Ltd	Or-182	64122000	Maritime 24 (Pte) Ltd		67358580
Tanker Pacific Management (Singapore) Pte Ltd	Or-187	64335888	Mediterranean Shipping Company S E A (S) Pte Ltd	Or-108	63277030
Thome Ship Management Pte Ltd	Or-189	62207291	Megaports Agencies Pte Ltd	Or-109	62738088
Titan Ocean Pte Ltd	Or-192	63338888	MISC Agencies (Singapore) Pte Ltd	Or-111	62201522
Trademar Pte Ltd	Or-197	62259122	Modern Shipping Agencies Pte Ltd	Or-112	62208558
Transocean Shipmanagement (Pte) Ltd	Or-200	62210333	MOL (Singapore) Pte Ltd	Or-113	62252811
Universal Shipmanagement Pte Ltd	Or-207	67465955	New Econ Line Pte Ltd	Or-116	63193333
V.Ships (Asia) Pte Ltd	Or-208	68850610	Nortrans Shipping Pte Ltd	Or-120	63198799
Vanguard Shipmanagement (S) Pte Ltd	Or-209	62976866	NYK Group South Asia Pte Ltd	Or-121	62950123
World Tankers Management Pte Ltd	Or-215	62996122	OOCL (Singapore) Pte Ltd	Or-126	64383383
			Paterson Shipping Pte Ltd	Or-138	63485766
SHIP AGENTS			Poh Tiong Choon Shipping (Pte) Ltd	Or-140	63236888
"K" Line (Singapore) Pte Ltd	Or-1	62218977	Richfield Marine Agencies (S) Pte Ltd	Or-145	62250133
Advance Container Lines (Pte) Ltd	Or-5	62212621	Samudera Shipping Line Ltd	Or-148	64031687
APL Co Pte Ltd	Or-12	63714946	Sea Consortium Pte Ltd	Or-150	62239033
Armada (Singapore) Pte Ltd	Or-13	65112988	Sea Consortium Pte Ltd	Or-150	62239033
Asia Navigation Pte Ltd	Or-14	62231771	Sealion Shipping (S) Pte Ltd	Or-151	63393637
Austen Maritime Services Pte Ltd	Or-15	63232066	Seamaritime Agency Pte Ltd	Or-152	63333230
Baltic Far Fast Shinning Pte Ltd	Or-17	62206169	Coouvell Marine Dto Ltd	0- 154	00057070

Or-17 62206169

Seawell Marine Pte Ltd

Baltic Far East Shipping Pte Ltd

Or-154 62257878

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SHIP AGENTS (cont'd)		
Shell Eastern Petroleum (Pte) Ltd	Or-156	63848000
Shin Yamato Agencies Pte Ltd	Or-159	62220317
Sin Chiao Shipping Agency (Pte) Ltd	Or-162	62241011
Sinoda Shipping Agency Pte Ltd	Or-167	62272711
Sinose Maritime Pte Ltd	Or-168	62201144
SSC Shipping Agencies Pte Ltd	Or-174	62366288
Star Cruise Pte Ltd	Or-175	62261168
Star Shipping Agencies (S) Pte Ltd	Or-177	62206666
Straits Link Ship Agencies & Management Pte Ltd	Or-179	62259938
Straits Ship Services (Pte) Ltd	Or-180	62986662
Swire Shipping Agencies Pte Ltd	Or-185	63703288
Teekay Shipping (Singapore) Pte Ltd	Or-188	62217988
Toko Line (Singapore) Pte Ltd	Or-193	62209144
Tong Joo Shipping Pte Ltd	Or-195	62211333
Trans-International Shipping & Forwarding (S) Pte Ltd	Or-198	63451066
Transmarine Navigation (Singapore) Pte Ltd	Or-199	63380328
TSKLine (S) Pte Ltd	Or-201	62950123
Tunas (Pte) Ltd	Or-202	62201933
United Arab Shipping Agency Company (Singapore)	Or-204	62755788
Vasco Maritime Pte Ltd	Or-211	62255510
Wallem Shipping (S) Pte Ltd	Or-212	62712611
Winstonnage Agencies Pte Ltd	Or-214	63234322
YangMing Shipping (Singapore) Pte Ltd	Or-216	63724648

#### SHIP BROKERS

Braemar Quincannon Private Limited	As-13	65330069
Clarkson Asia Pte Ltd	As-21	63390036
Fearnleys Asia (Singapore) Pte Ltd	As-34	63050988
Hartmann Shipping Asia Pte Ltd	As-45	62263233
HBC Asia Pte Ltd	Or-77	63039111
Island Shipbrokers (Pte) Ltd	As-57	65366466
Jenjosh Energy Pte Ltd	Or-92	67450811
Kennedy Marr Offshore (Singapore) Pte Ltd	As-61	64109450
Maersk Broker Asia Ltd	As-68	63238392
Mentz Decker Asia Pacific Pte Ltd	As-73	68849045
Norstar Shipping (Asia) Pte Ltd	As-81	65331040
Odin Marine (Singapore) Pte Ltd	As-86	63331900
R S Platou (Singapore) Pte Ltd	As-94	63368733
Simpson Spence & Young	As-106	65367988
Team Shipbrokers (S) Pte Ltd	As-116	62225545

#### **BUNKER SUPPLIERS**

Aegean Bunkering (Singapore) Pte Ltd	As-1	65010100
Alliance Oil Trading Pte Ltd	As-3	65570168
BP Singapore Pte Ltd	Or-23	63718888
Bunker House Petroleum Pte Ltd	As-15	62220337
Chevron Singapore Pte Ltd	Or-30	63181288
Costank (S) Pte Ltd	Or-40	68850860
Equatorial Marine Fuel Management Services Pte Ltd	Or-55	62591314

#### **BUSINESS TYPE** REF TEL BUNKER SUPPLIERS (cont'd) 68858737 ExxonMobil Asia Pacific Pte Ltd Or-58 Global Marine Transportation Pte Ltd 62223112 Or-68 Hin Leong Trading (Pte) Ltd Or-80 65122588 Innospec Limited Branch Office Singapore As-53 63366286 Seabridge Bunkering Pte Ltd As-102 65364198 Searights Maritime Services Pte Ltd As-103 63441108 Sinanju Marine Services Pte Ltd As-107 63765066 Singapore Petroleum Company Limited Or-165 62766006 Total Trading Asia Pte Ltd As-123 68494242 **BUNKER TRADERS** Fratelli Cosulich Bunkers (S) Pte Ltd As-36 62208389 Kuo International Bunkering Pte Ltd Or-100 63184677 Scandinavian Bunkering (Singapore) Pte Ltd As-101 62207337 Shell Eastern Trading (Pte) Ltd Or-157 63848000 Standard Oil & Marine Services Pte Ltd As-112 63240830 **BUNKER SURVEYORS** DNV Petroleum Services Pte Ltd 67792475 As-29 Maritec Pte Ltd As-71 62718622 **BANKS/SHIP FINANCIERS** Bayerische Hypo-und Vereinsbank AG 64133568 As-10 **BNP** Paribas 62101512 As-12 Buss Capital Funds Singapore Partnership As-17 62272426 Citibank N.A., Singapore Branch As-20 62242622 Commerzbank AG As-23 63110000 DnB NOR Bank ASA, Singapore Branch As-28 62206144 DVB Group Merchant Bank (Asia) Ltd 65113433 As-32 Fortis Bank S A/N V, Singapore Branch As-35 65394988 HSH Nordbank AG, Singapore Branch 65509000 As-49 ING Bank N.V. Singapore Branch As-52 62326230 Malayan Banking Berhad As-69 65507133 Mizuho Corporate Bank Ltd As-75 64230330 Natixis, Singapore Branch As-77 62241455 Norddeutsche Landesbank Girozentrale As-79 63231223 Nordea Bank Finland Plc, Singapore Branch As-80 63176500 OCBC Bank As-85 65301446 Rabobank International As-95 65363363 Societe Generale, Singapore Branch As-110 62227122 Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation As-115 68820454 (Singapore Branch) The Bank Of Nova Scotia Asia Limited As-118 63058388 The Development Bank Of Singapore Limited As-119 68784642 As-120 62398029 The Hongkong And Shanghai Banking Corporation Ltd UBS AG As-125 64953278 United Overseas Bank Limited As-126 65339898

#### SHIPPING FUND MANAGERS

FSL Trust Management Pte Ltd	As-37	68363000
Pacific Transportation Asia Pte Ltd	As-87	65122312

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BUSINESS TYPE	REF	TEL
SHIPPING FUND MANAGERS (cont'd)		
PST Management Pte Ltd	As-93	64293401
Rickmers Trust Management Pte Ltd	Or-147	63726300
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American Bureau Of Shipping	As-4	62768700
Bureau Veritas	As-16	62752886
China Classification Society, Singapore Office	As-19	63241618
Det Norske Veritas Pte Ltd	As-26	67791266
Germanischer Lloyd (S) Pte Ltd	As-39	68359610
Korean Register of Shipping, Singapore Rep Office		62213319
Lloyd's Register Asia	As-66	62789444
Nippon Kaiji Kyokai	As-78	62223133
RINA Hong Kong Limited Singapore Branch	As-98	65327737
P & I / SHIP INSURANCE BROKERS		
Aon Singapore Pte Ltd	As-6	62218222
Asia Capital Reinsurance Group Pte Ltd	As-7	62233111
Assuranceforeningen Skuld (Gjensidig) Singapore Representative Office	As-8	64911125
AXA Corporate Solutions Marine Division, Asia Pacific	As-9	63387288
Benfield Asia Pte Ltd	As-11	65327797
Groupama Transport Singapore Branch	As-43	63257536
HSBC Insurance (Asia) Limited	As-48	62256111
Jardine Lloyd Thompson Private Limited	As-58	63336311
L F Chong Company	As-64	62254778
L.C.H.(S) Pte Ltd	As-65	62213366
Marsh (Singapore) Pte Ltd	As-72	63320288
North Of England P&I Association Ltd (Representative Office)	As-82	64110160
Pandisea Pte Ltd	As-88	67345515
Raetsasia P&I Services Pte Ltd	As-96	62277820
Seasia P&I Services Pte Ltd	As-104	63237732
The Standard Steamship Owners' P&I Assn (Asia) Ltd	As-121	65062896
Thomas Miller (South East Asia) Pte Ltd	As-122	63236577
Willis (Singapore) Pte Ltd	As-128	62219877
FREIGHT FORWARDERS		
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MARINE EQUIPMENT SUPPLIERS		
Engtek Pte Ltd	As-33	62656288
Index-Cool Marine & Industry Pte Ltd		62881337
Interpool Containers Limited (Singapore Branch)		62212425
Rolls-Royce Marine Singapore Pte Ltd		68621901
Teho Ropes & Supplies Pte Ltd		67448777
Transas Marine Pacific Pte Ltd		64433061
MARINE LAWYERS		
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Ang & Partners	As-5	62242530
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Drew & Napier LLC	As-30	6535073
Haridass Ho & Partners	As-44	6533232
Holman Fenwick & Willan	As-47	6534019
Ince & Co	As-50	6538666
Joseph Tan Jude Benny Advocates & Solicitors	As-59	6220938
Norton Rose (Asia) LLP	As-83	622373
Rajah & Tann LLP	As-97	6535360
Rodyk & Davidson	As-99	6885367
Stephenson Harwood	As-113	6226160
MARINE TRAVEL		
Griffin Travel Pte Ltd	As-42	6294937
Instone Singapore Pte Ltd	As-54	6233510
MARITIME EDUCATION		
ST Education & Training Pte Ltd	As-111	6477668
STET Maritime Education Pte Ltd	As-114	6477668
MEDIA REPRESENTATIVES		
Helix Media Pte Ltd	As-46	6294850
Marine Money Asia Pte Ltd	As-70	6222945
Petromedia Pte Ltd	As-89	6324092
Seatrade Communications Ltd (Representative Office)	As-105	6294228
PORT/TERMINAL OPERATORS		
Jurong Port Pte Ltd	As-60	6265066
Portek International Limited	As-90	6873111
PSA Corporation Limited	As-92	6274711
Singapore Cruise Centre Pte Ltd	As-108	6513222
Vopak Terminals Singapore Pte Ltd	As-127	6273567
SLOP RECEPTIONS		
NSL OilChem Services Pte Ltd	As-84	6513399
Singaport CleanSeas Pte Ltd	Or-166	6778153
OTHERS		
Cotecna Singapore Pte Ltd	As-24	6278293
Drewry Maritime Services (Asia) Pte Ltd	As-31	6220692
Integrated Learning Systems Pte Ltd	As-55	6396694
Mitsui & Co (Asia Pacific) Pte Ltd	As-74	6321311
PricewaterhouseCoopers	As-91	6236338
Sinspec Marine Services Pte Ltd		6224308
Svitzer Salvage Asia Pte Ltd		6224964
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TYPE	VESSEL TYPE DESCRIPTION
BC	Bulk Carrier
CC	Combination Carrier
CS	Container Ship
CT	Chemical Tanker
GCS	General Cargo Ship
LGC	Liquefied Gas Carrier
MISC	Miscellaneous
NPB	Non Propelled barge
OBO	OBO Carrier
OSV	Offshore Supply Vessel
OT	Oil Tanker
PF	Passenger Ferry
PT	Product Tanker
TUG	Tug (incl. Anchor Handling Tug and related Supply Vessel)
UV	Utility Vessel
VC	Vehicle Carrier
VLCC	Very Large Crude Carrier