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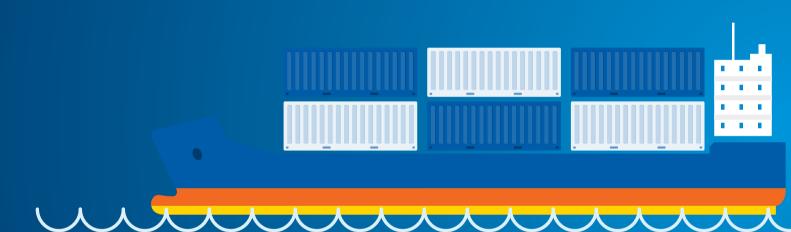
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SSA MISSION STATEMENT





The Association will protect and promote the interests of its members. It will undertake maritime related activities which are relevant and beneficial to its members.



The Association will take the views of the maritime industry as a whole. It will play its role to promote the maritime interests in Singapore and the rest of the world. To do so, the Association will cooperate and actively engage other maritime stakeholders both locally and globally.



FOR SINGAPORE

The Association will work closely with the government of Singapore to protect the extensive maritime interests of Singapore and to promote Singapore as a major hub port and premier International Maritime Centre.



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



- The Ship Agents and Shipbrokers Association of Singapore (formed in 1978) championed the cause of bona fide shipping agents; and
- The Singapore National Shipowners' Association (formed in 1979) which represented shipowners and the shipping trade irrespective of the types and services.

Located in the NOL Building, the SNSA started with around 135 companies in its membership and comprised mainly of shipowners, ship managers, tug and barge operators and shipping agents. The association was helmed by Mr Lua Cheng Eng, CEO of Neptune Orient Lines Ltd, who would remain as the Association's longest serving President from 1985 to 2003.

Of particular note was the fact that the SNSA secretariat started with just 3 staff, one of whom was Mr Daniel Tan who served the secretariat since day 1 of the SNSA till his retirement as Executive Director in August 2014. Today, the SSA Secretariat has grown to a current staff strength of 13.

A Plan Comes Together

Due to the severity of Singapore's recession of the mid-1980s, the government appointed an Economic Committee headed by then Minister of State for Defence and Trade and Industry Mr Lee Hsien Loong, with the task of identifying Singapore's competitive strengths and shortcomings and to propose policy changes to reclaim Singapore's competitive edge. Amongst its many pronged deliberations, the Economic Committee worked with then Trade Development Board, now International Enterprise Singapore,

to develop an international maritime programme to change the face of Singapore's maritime industry.

In light of such policy changes, the Maritime and Port Authority of Singapore (MPA) was established in February 1996 as a statutory board under the auspices of the Ministry of Transport by merging the National Maritime Board. Marine Department and regulatory departments of Port of Singapore Authority (PSA). The MPA would take on the role as Port Regulator, National Sea Transport Representative in the international arena and champion Singapore's aspiration to be a global hub port and a top International Maritime Centre. Meanwhile. PSA was restructured as PSA Corporation Limited as a port and terminal operator.

To support these changes, and to better meet the changing needs of its growing membership, the SNSA also underwent a restructuring exercise. As a result, in 1997, the SNSA was renamed the "Singapore Shipping Association" – this renewed and revamped Association would speak with one voice on both domestic and international issues, and expand its membership to ancillary services supporting the maritime industry, with co-opted representation in the council.

Today, the SSA is the most inclusive shipping association in the region. Shipowners, operators, ship managers and shipping agents are accepted as ordinary members, while those in ancillary services, including P&I clubs, banks, classification societies, insurance companies, legal firms, shipbuilders, ship repairers and ship suppliers, can join as associate

members. In this all-encompassing association, academics, specialists and retired industry professionals may sign up as individual members, while those who have done the association proud are inducted as honorary members. As of 31 March 2015, there are 277 Ordinary, 194 Associate, 1 Ordinary and 3 Honorary members in its membership.

The SSA is fortunate to have dedicated and committed members who have stepped up in growing numbers through the years to volunteer their expertise on its Council, Operational Committees, Sub-Committees and ad hoc Working Groups to advance the interests of Singapore's shipping industry. Through their active participation, the committee members have helped to streamline daily operations, enhance efficiency and establish the SSA's position as a thought leader on a host of technical and operational issues, allowing it to take a lead role in formulating a national position on regulatory issues and international conventions.

Over the years the various committees have been tweaked to respond to changing industry requirements. Currently the main Operational Committees within the SSA are as follows:

- International Committee which deals with international and macroeconomic issues affecting the shipping industry;
- Services Committee which addresses domestic issues arising from ship operations and port services, cruise industry, bunkering

as well as training for shore-based staff:

- Technical Committee which focuses on technical, environmental, maritime safety & security matters, mostly relating to developments at the International Maritime Organization (IMO) and growing concerns with the spike of piracy incidents;
- Legal and Insurance Committee reviews international legal and liability regimes developments that affect Singapore-based ship operators; and
- Offshore Services Committee to reflect the growing importance of the offshore sector and Singapore's role in its development; and
- Young Executives Group which provides a platform for staff of SSA member companies below 45 years of age to come together to organise educational, networking and community outreach activities for the membership.

Securing the future

While the association appreciates the value of experience, it also recognises the importance of self renewal. In 2006, Mr S.S. Teo as president pushed for the amendment to the SSA constitution to limit the term of the president to a maximum of three consecutive terms or 6 years, thereby ensuring that there would be sustained opportunities for leadership renewal and fresh ideas.

At this same time, this Council also set up the SSA Young Executives Group (YEG), with the intention of identifying a new generation to be



groomed to take over leadership positions in the Council. Starting off as an ad hoc group, the YEG was formally established in 2006 with a proper organizational structure, its own office bearers and clear terms of reference. Subsequently, it was inducted as a full SSA Committee in 2012. In terms of activities, the YEG has an active annual schedule volunteering to speak at educational talks, gathering to network at cocktail events, organizing the ever popular bowling tournament for the SSA membership and frequent outreach programs to the less fortunate.

As change is the only constant in this dynamic maritime industry, this process of self-renewal helps to ensure that the SSA has a sustained pool of leaders coming forth to represent Singapore's shipping industry.

In 2005, the Association took a bold move and purchased its own premises at 59 Tras Street, fulfilling its long-held dream of having its own premises. Located in the heart of the city, it is within reach for most members, making it a focal point for the SSA's expanding membership.

Manpower Development Initiatives

To raise the profile of the maritime industry, the SSA has been an active participant and supporter of the Maritime Outreach Network (MaritimeONE) since its inception in 2007.

Together with the Singapore
Maritime Foundation, Maritime and
Port Authority of Singapore and
Association of Singapore Marine
Industries, this partnership has
synergised its efforts in heightening
awareness and publicising the
myriad career opportunities of our
vibrant maritime industry to the
general public, with a particular
focus on our young people.
Initiatives include but are not
restricted to offering scholarships,
organising career talks in schools,

sea tours, visits to maritime-related establishments and producing publications, radio and cinema advertisements. These initiatives are ever-evolving, but are always seeking to bump up the 'wow factor' and to attract more talent to our industry.

As a measure of the Association's commitment towards supporting education and encouragement of local youth to join the maritime industry, these are some key initiatives which the SSA is participating in currently:

- Tripartite Maritime Manpower Taskforce (Seafaring) and Tripartite Maritime Manpower Taskforce (Shore);
- MaritimeONE scholarships for polytechnic students embarking

- in Singapore Maritime Academy's (SMA) diploma courses and Singapore Management University students selecting to undertake the Maritime Economics Concentration route:
- Travel bursaries for needv students who travel to Norway for their exchange programme under Nanyang Technological University's Bachelor of Science (Maritime Studies) programme; and
- Book vouchers for top graduands of SMA diploma courses.

Raising SSA's profile in national and international maritime fora

Over the past decades, the Association has nurtured and developed close relationships with a large number of stakeholders, both local and foreign.

In the Association's efforts to promote the interests of its members and to enhance Singapore's competitiveness as an International Maritime Centre, the SSA maintains a close working relationship with various government agencies, such as the MPA, Singapore Customs, the Immigration and Checkpoints Authority, the Republic of Singapore Navy and Police Coast Guard. In particular, the SSA has been very honoured to be called upon by the MPA to provide industry perspectives on a multitude of projects - from providing suggestions to enhance safe navigation in Singapore waters, to deliberating on every aspect of the Maritime Labour Convention and other IMO conventions to organising the Singapore Maritime Week.





In our ongoing efforts to help safeguard ships and our seafaring community, the SSA also maintains strong working relations with the Regional Agreement on Combating Piracy and Armed Robbery Against Ships in Asia (ReCAAP) Information Sharing Centre and the multinational Information Sharing Centre (IFC) based in Singapore.

These regular dialogue sessions with our local partners have been very fruitful in resolving industry-wide shipping problems and ensured a common understanding of the needs and issues within the industry.

On the regional and international front, the SSA plays an active role in the Federation of ASEAN Shipowners Associations (FASA), boosted by fact that its Executive Director also serves as FASA's Secretary General.

Asian Shipowners Forum (ASF)

In 1997, on behalf of FASA, the SSA played host to the 6th ASF. Over 150 representatives from shipowners' associations in seven Asian regions attended the two-day meeting.

In 2004, the SSA hosted the ASF's annual gathering a second time. The 13th ASF will be remembered for years to come, as the heads of the ASF delegation were received by then Singapore Prime Minister Mr. Goh Chok Tong while President S. R. Nathan hosted them to dinner and a garden party at the Istana.

Acting through FASA, SSA continues to actively promote and support the

ASF - with the ASF membership estimated to control about 50% of the world merchant fleet today, it has become even more vital for the Asian voice to be heard.

International Chamber of Shipping (ICS)

The SSA is a member of the ICS. the principal international trade association for shipowners, where it has been taking an increasingly active role. Mr Esben Poulsson, SSA Honorary Secretary represents the Association on the Board of the ICS in London and since 2012, is one of four Vice Chairmen. As he said in a press statement. "The SSA is committed to making a meaningful contribution to the working of the ICS and I hope that through my appointment, I can add value to this effort. Singapore has become a major international maritime centre and so it is not only important for its voice to be heard internationally but for Singapore to help influence the growth and development of world shipping."

International Maritime Organization (IMO)

The SSA does not have a permanent seat nor observer status at the IMO. However, the Association is still able to participate actively as a member of the Singapore delegation led by MPA. The MPA also organises pre- and post-meeting briefings of IMO's Marine Environment Protection Committee (MEPC) and Maritime Safety (MSC) meetings so that members of the SSA are kept updated on the latest developments at the IMO.

Some good things will remain status quo

As the SSA commemorates its 30th year of service to the maritime industry and ever-evolving to meet our members changing needs, the Association is pleased to assure its members that it would continue to organise its quarterly cocktails and annual dinners, tea talks, seminars and other networking events which the membership has been so supportive of. It will also continue to provide opportunities for dedicated and committed members to serve on the Association's Council. Operational Committees, Sub-Committees and Work Groups so that together, we can continue to promote the Association's mission and goals and strive for greater heights for our industry.

Last but not least, sincere appreciation and thanks go out to each and every individual who had played a part in the Association's journey thus far. Thank you for your efforts and continued support.

Happy Birthday SSA! To more good years!

KEY MILESTONES 1985-2015



The founding Council when the SNSA was formed from 5 existing shipping related associations on 29 January 1985. In the same year, SNSA was admitted as a member of the Federation of ASEAN Shipowners Associations (FASA).

As the industry expanded, associate members were admitted to the SNSA. Initially limited to a select few, the definition was steadily broadened. Following the association's restructuring in 1996, any company aligned with the shipping industry can join as an associate member.

The SNSA was appointed secretariat for the Singapore Maritime Employers' Federation (SMEF), the sole trade union representing maritime employers in Singapore.

The SNSA Training Institute was set up to provide short development courses for shore-based staff. Initially running just 2 courses in shipping documentation and operations, the executive development programme has been offering 15 courses since 2011 with MPA Maritime Cluster Fund support for eligible participants.

1985 1986

1991

SNSA held its 1st anniversary dinner on 2 June. Guest of Honour was Dr Lee Boon Yang, Minister of State, Ministry of Trade and Industry.

In the same year (1986), SNSA established the Registry of Accredited Shipping Agents. It also introduced a Guide to Shipping Agency Fees (such as B/L fees) to deter price undercutting amongst its members. This was abolished in 2006 in light of the Singapore Competition Act which came into force.





The SNSA became the permanent secretariat for FASA, the association's first permanent home in 21 years. With this responsibility, the SNSA (and in later years SSA) Executive Director takes on the role of Secretary General of FASA. In the past the FASA secretariat was rotated along with the chairmanship among the member countries.



Following a major restructuring, the Singapore Shipping
Association (SSA) was formed to replace the SNSA as the representative of the shipping community. With the revamp, the association has a new logo, a new constitution and a new committee structure, in line with Singapore's aspiration to be an international maritime centre.



There was a change of guard at the SSA as Mr Teo Siong Seng succeeded Mr Lua Cheng Eng as SSA President.

1992 1996

1997

2000

2003

The Singapore Bunkering Procedure (SBP) was developed jointly by the SNSA and the then Port of Singapore Authority to safeguard the interests of buyers lifting bunkers in Singapore. It became a national standard, the CP 60, when it was adopted by the Productivity and Standards Board in 1996 and later updated as SS600:2008 and SS600:2014. Being the only national standard in the world, it was used by the International Organisation for Standardisation as a basis for the development of the ISO 13739 Petroleum Products — Procedures for the Transfer of Bunker Fuel to Ships.



Also in 1992, the Asian Shipowners Forum was formed to bring together shipowners in the region. SSA joined the ASF as a member of the FASA bloc. The SSA officially rejoined as a member of the International Chamber of Shipping (ICS), the principal international trade association for shippowners.

KEY MILESTONES 1985-2015



SSA hosted the 13th Asian Shipowners Forum. The highlight for the meeting delegation was being received by then Singapore Prime Minister Mr Goh Chok Tong and hosted to a dinner and garden party in the Istana by President S. R. Nathan.

The constitution was amended to expand the membership to individuals and to limit the president's term in office to a maximum of three consecutive terms. In addition, amendments were incorporated giving the SSA Council greater flexibility in forming operational committees to address the association's needs.



The SSA Young Executives Group (YEG) was established.

2004

2005

2006

2007



SSA realized its long-held dream of having its own premises when it purchased a 3,500sqft conservation building at Tras Street in Tanjong Pagar. Located in the heart of the city, it is within reach for most members, making it a focal point for the SSA's expanding membership.

The MaritimeONE initiative was launched drawing together SMF, MPA, ASMI and SSA to work towards collectively raising awareness of the maritime industry as well as to profile education and career opportunities to the students and committed individuals. SSA President Mr S. S. Teo was its founding Chairman.



been serving on the Council continuously since 1991, takes over the helm from Mr S.S. Teo.





SSA was lead organiser of the panel discussion that launched the Maritime Labour Convention. Broadcasted globally from the bridge of 'APL Yangshan', Dr Cleopatra Doumbia-Henry, Director of International Labour Organization's (ILO) International Labour Standards Department, led the discussion with representatives from MPA, SSA and Singapore Maritime Officers Union.

The Singapore War Risk Mutual was established with the support of the SSA. SSA had mooted the idea to strengthen Singapore's offerings in the marine insurance sector.



A new logo was also unveiled in keeping with SSA's forward-going direction as the continued active voice of the Singapore shipping industry. By being anticipative, leading and collaborative, SSA continues to serve and support the interest of its members through meaningful regular dialogue with the Singapore government and other maritime associations. SSA helps Singapore to become the leading International Maritime Centre by navigating the future.

2010 2011 2013 20



2015



The SSA celebrates its 25th anniversary with a gala dinner at the newly opened Marina Bay Sands ballroom which was graced by Deputy Prime Minister Mr Teo Chee Hean and attended by over 2000 people.

As the SSA's membership becomes more international, the SSA constitution was amended to allow a representative, who is either a Singaporean or a Permanent Resident, from an ordinary member company to stand for election as president of the SSA Council.

Mr Daniel Tan, Executive Director of the SSA retires after 29 years. Mr Michael Phoon takes over the running of the Secretariat.

In 2014, the SSA organisesd its largest gala dinner to date on its 29th anniversary. Graced by Mr Lui Tuck Yew, Minister for Transport the dinner was attended by over 2100 attendees.



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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

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"Singapore's shipping sector is gathering significant attention, and as momentum builds, it is timely that SSA has invested in fresh talent to take us to the next level."

GENERAL OUTLOOK

While the prospect for the global shipping industry remains generally weak, with freight rates still depressed, and there are still many challenges looming on the horizon, today's global economic climate is very much improved compared with the dark days of 2008 and 2009.

On the home front, I was very pleased to note that a recent report by Norwegian consulting firm Menon ranked Singapore as the world's most important maritime capital. While there remains room for improvement, especially with regard to maritime technology, maritime finance and law, the report named Singapore as the most attractive and competitive city for the maritime industry, given the ease of doing business here and the complete maritime cluster. Furthermore, the Singapore economy grew a moderate 2.6 per cent in the first three months of 2015 over the same period a year ago, and that GDP is projected to grow between 2% to 4% for the rest of the year.

In this regard, I am confident that Singapore's shipping industry as a whole will be able to remain on an even keel and stay the course.

THE SINGAPORE SCENE

Collectively, Singapore's achievements have reinforced Singapore's role as an International Maritime Centre (IMC).

Singapore has maintained its position as an important global hub port with vessel arrivals of just over 2.37 billion GT and 581.3 million tonnes of seaborne cargo carried. The Port of Singapore also maintained its position as one of the world's busiest container ports, handling more than 33.9 million TEUs in 2014, an increase of 30.9% from a low of 25.9 million TEUs in 2009.

The Singapore Registry of Ships (SRS) remains among the top ten registries in the world - besides having a young fleet, the SRS is well known as a quality registry with high standards.

Despite a shift in focus on quality over quantity in recent years, the bunkering industry continues to perform relatively well, with more than 42.416 million tonnes of bunkers delivered in 2014.

GROWING SINGAPORE AS AN IMC

To strengthen Singapore as an IMC, the SSA, under the guidance of the SSA Council (2013/2015), has identified areas among Singapore's maritime clusters that can benefit from additional incentives in order to grow. In particular, SSA has identified the fields of ship financing and ship insurance as being in need of greater encouragement in order to grow.

To this end, I was very pleased by the launch of the first Singaporebased national mutual war risks insurer, the new Singapore War Risks Mutual (SWRM) Class, in February this year.

With the establishment of this dedicated facility, Singapore will now join the ranks of other leading maritime nations – in addition to benefiting from real-time advice, service and claims handling, participating Singapore

"..SSA must lead, and set the direction for our industry..."

- Vision of International engagement, and not just presence
- Crafting the cornerstones of an International Maritime Centre



shipowners will also benefit from flexible coverage and greater control over their war risk insurance cover at competitive rates.

Forming Strategic Alliances

The Association has continued to build on our critical strategic partnerships with other industry stakeholders such as Ministry of Transport (MOT), the Maritime and Port Authority of Singapore (MPA), the Ministry of Manpower (MOM), the Singapore Workforce Development Agency (WDA), the Singapore Maritime Academy (SMA), the Association of Singapore Marine Industries (ASMI), the Singapore Chamber of Maritime Arbitration (SCMA) and the Singapore Maritime Foundation (SMF).

In particular, in the long-term interests of maintaining Singapore as an IMC, SSA has continued to work closely with its tripartite partners in ongoing efforts to actively promote the maritime industry and seafaring careers as viable and attractive choices for Singaporean school leavers.

Also, the Association was very pleased to have the opportunity to express its support for the Competition Commission of Singapore's proposed renewal of the Block Exemption Order for Liner Shipping Agreements.

In addition, as part of your Association's commitment towards promoting Singapore as an IMC, SSA has worked very closely with MPA to produce a National Geographic documentary, "Inside Maritime Singapore", which will premiere on the National Geographic Channels tonight, 30 June 2015, at 7:00PM! By leveraging on these critical strategic partnerships, we actively promote

your interests as we continue to strive to enhance Singapore's competitiveness as an IMC.

A Growing Voice

Over the past two decades, the Association has nurtured and developed close relationships with a large number of stakeholders, not only local but also foreign and international ones.

In the spirit of ASEAN solidarity, we are active members of the Federation of ASEAN Shipowners' Associations (FASA). At the regional level, working through FASA, the Association has also worked tirelessly at developing and maintaining a close working relationship with the members of the Asian Shipowners' Forum (ASF), where SSA is the chair of the ASF Safe Navigation & Environment Committee.

SSA is also an active and enthusiastic participant on the global stage. Following the election of SSA to the Board of Directors of the International Chamber of Shipping (ICS) in May 2012, we have been engaged in discussions at the ICS on issues of concern to the global shipping industry. Drawing on the considerable experience and expertise of its members, representatives from the SSA have also been active members of the Singapore delegation to the IMO.

I am also pleased to report that your Association has played host to delegations from various foreign organisations – in addition to courtesy calls from international bodies such as ICS, UK Chamber of Shipping of Shipping, IACS, INTERTANKO and BIMCO, we have

also entertained visits from national organisations such as the Japanese Shipowners' Association, the Korea Port Tugboat Future Policy Forum and senior executives of State-Owned enterprises and government officials from Guangdong, China.

INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENTS

As shipping is a global industry, the Association has had to pay close attention to global and regional issues which may have an impact on Singapore's shipping industry. In particular, the Association has been very concerned with the everpresent threat of piracy and armed robbery against ships. We were also actively engaged in discussions at the International Maritime Organization (IMO) relating to the reduction of Greenhouse Gas (GHG) emission from ships, as well as the implementation of the International Convention for the Control and Management of Ships' Ballast Water and Sediments (the Ballast Water Convention).

Piracy & Armed Robbery

Maritime piracy and armed robbery remains a huge threat to international shipping. Not only does the threat of piracy and armed robbery threaten the lives and safety of our seafarers, but it also increases the risk of pollution to our marine environment.

Whilst we were pleased to note that the situation off the coasts of Africa appears to be under control, we have noted with great concern that a number of prominent maritime organisations have made statements on the situation in the Straits of Malacca and the South China Sea that have painted a picture of

unchecked lawlessness and extreme danger to all who sail these waters.

In view of this, the Association has prepared a Technical Report with detailed analysis using available public data in an attempt to assess and judge the validity and/or justification of these claims. It is to be hoped that this Technical Report will help SSA members and other stakeholders will be better equipped to adopt a balanced view and be more discerning when reading reports of maritime piracy and armed robbery.

Environmental Measures

In the interest of ensuring a level playing field, SSA continues to stand by its position that any global environmental regulations that have been adopted must be practical, implementable and sustainable. Such regulations should also be subjected to a full and rigorous cost - benefit analysis.

In this regard, following the vote in the European Parliament, adopting a regional EU Regulation on the Monitoring, Reporting and Verification (MRV) of individual ship emissions of CO2, the Association joined the ICS, BIMCO and Intercargo in expressing its dismay of the outcome. In particular, the Association expressed its deep concern at the EU's insistence in incorporating controversial elements, such as the publication of commercially sensitive data on all ships trading to the EU - an idea which had previously been rejected by the majority of IMO governments at the 67th meeting of the IMO Marine Environment Protection Committee in October 2014.

Similarly, the Association has expressed concern that the IMO has yet to adequately address industry's

concerns over the implementation and enforcement of the Ballast Water Convention

Nonetheless, the SSA will continue to support the work of the International Maritime Organization, which has demonstrated that it can take the lead in developing pro-active and practical regulatory measures for global application.

OUR ASSOCIATION

Our Association's membership has continued to grow as more maritime related companies set up their base in Singapore. As of 1st June 2015, we have 474 Members, comprising 280 Ordinary Members, 194 Associate Members and 2 Individual Members. The Association also has 3 Honorary Members, namely: Mrs. Lim Hwee Hua, Mr. Ong Kok Wah and Mr. Yeo Cheow Tong.

The SSA's Young Executives Group (YEG), which just celebrated its 9th anniversary in May this year, now stands at over 1000 members. We hope that these young maritime professionals will continue to make enthusiastic and positive contributions to Singapore's shipping industry.

This year, the SSA Newsletter "Waves" turned 8. By drawing on contributions from SSA members, journalists and other industry experts, Waves continues to ensure that provide SSA members with updated information on the Association and developments in the shipping industry.

Singapore's shipping sector is gathering significant attention, and as momentum builds, it is timely that SSA has invested in fresh talent to take us to the next level. As you may know, Mr. Michael Phoon has taken on the role of Executive Director. In addition, the Association also appointed a full time Technical Director, Capt. Ang Chin Eng, who will be responsible for ensuring the Association maintains its pledge of delivering a high level of technical advice and service to its members against a rapidly changing international regulatory landscape.

CONCLUSION

My fellow Councillors and the volunteers serving on the Association's Committees and Sub-Committees have given me tremendous support. Without their dedication, hard work and excellent support in promoting the interests of the Association, the SSA would not have been able to accomplish its goals.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank them for taking the time away from their own careers to support the efforts of the SSA.

I would also like to thank all our members whom I am deeply grateful for the continued support given to our Association.

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



Mr. Patrick Phoon

President,
Singapore Shipping Association

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- Realizing safer, greener, and more efficient ships
- Bridge between Singapore and global R&D





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- Deepening debt & equity capital markets for maritime growth
- Implementing the pillar of maritime finance

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"...To remain as a leading maritime nation, Maritime Singapore has to be nimble and adapt to changes..."

- Bringing expertise into Singapore War Risk Mutual
- Implementing the pillar of maritime insurance



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SECRETARIAT

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Mr. Michael Phoon **EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR**

Marianne Choo **GENERAL MANAGER**





"Honoured to be part of an energetic, dynamic and passionate team to shape the future of Singapore's maritime industry. We shall aspire and inspire to ensure Maritime Singapore continues to grow and prosper"

Capt. Ang Chin Eng TECHNICAL DIRECTOR

"We have a ◀ wonderful team at SSA"



Quek Tsui Chiang **ASSISTANT MANAGER**



Gena Lim **EXECUTIVE SECRETARY**

"The prospect of ◀ being in one of the world 's busiest industry is very exciting"



Lau Ying Wen **EXECUTIVE OFFICER**

Jolyn Teo Pei Shan **EXECUTIVE OFFICER** (CORPORATE COMMUNICATIONS)



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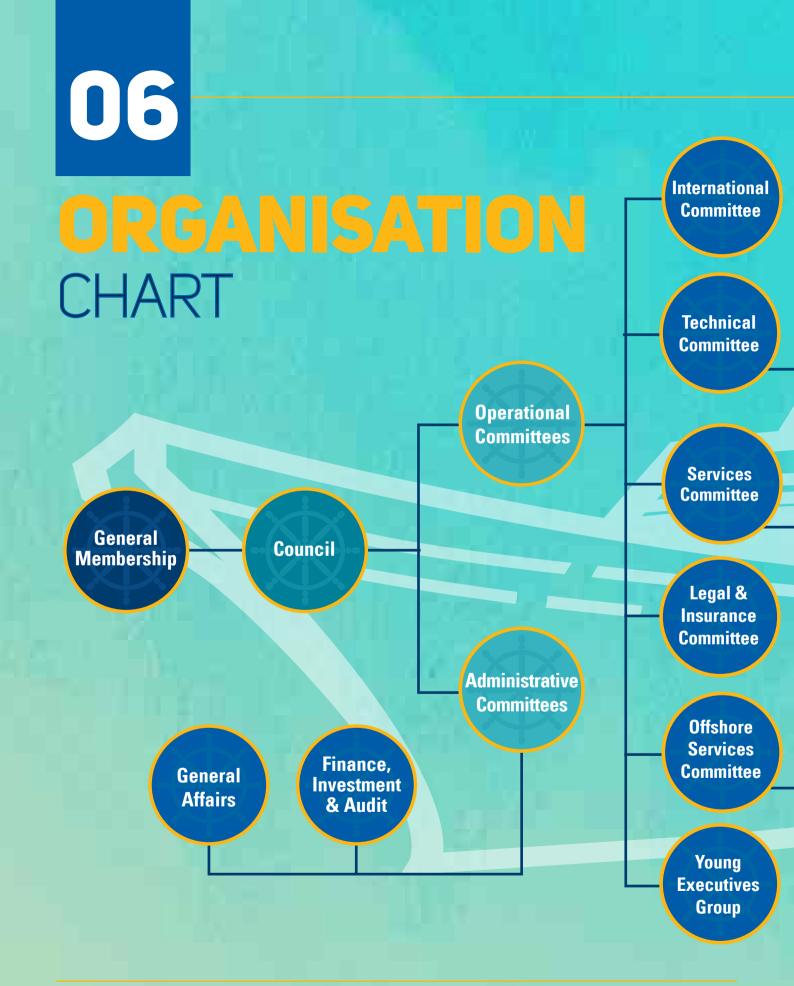


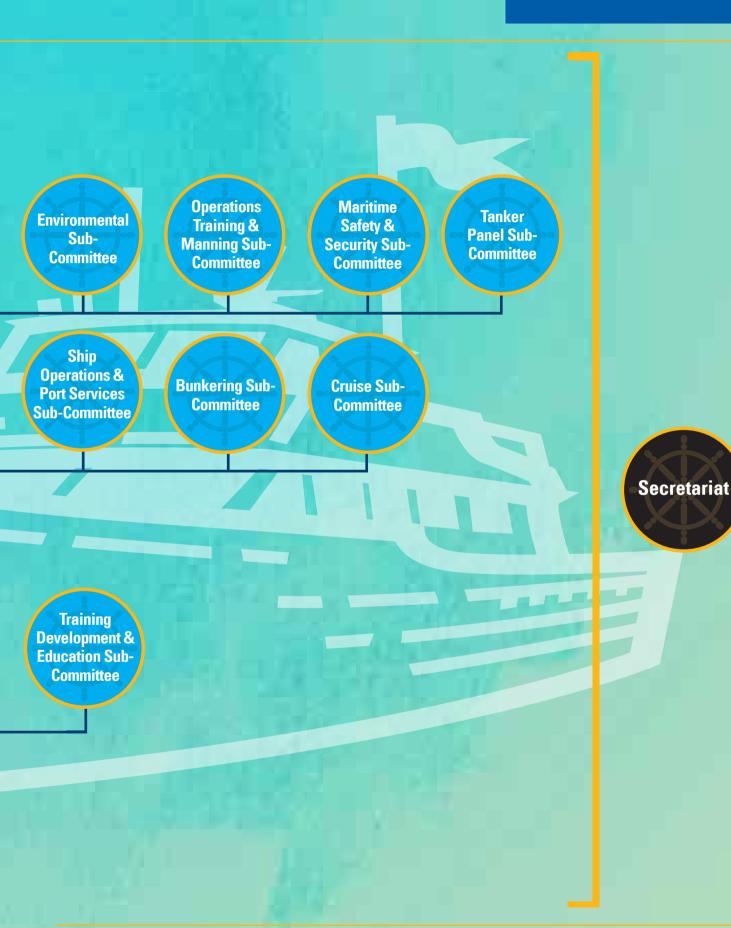


Marissa Enriquez **ACCOUNTS & ADMIN EXECUTIVE**

"Creativity, innovation, connected, teamwork, leadership, training provider, that's no other than SSA...., the heart of the shipping industry in Singapore"







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ACTIVITIES

REPORT

"Over the past two decades, the Association has nurtured and developed close relationships with a large number of stakeholders, not only local but also foreign and international ones."

SSA ACTIVITIES 2014/2015



ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING (AGM)

The SSA 18th AGM was held on 3 July 2014 at the Marina Mandarin Hotel Singapore. It was attended by 115 Ordinary, 20 Associate Members and 1 Individual Member. The Meeting adopted the SSA Annual Report (2013/2014) and Financial

Report ended 31 December 2014. The AGM re-appointed M/S Rohan Mah and partners as the Association's external auditors and M/S Allen and Gledhill as its honorary legal advisor for 2014/2015. The Meeting unanimously re-appointed Mr. Teo Siong Seng, Mr. Aloysius Seow,

Mr. Patrick Phoon and Mr. Ong Kok Wah to the SSA Board of Trustees.

COUNCIL

During the period in review, Mr. Carsten Ostenfeldt resigned from the Council on 31 December 2014. The Council accorded votes of appreciation to Mr. Carsten Ostenfeldt who was also Chairman of the SSA TechnicalCommittee, for his past contributions and support and wished him well in his new endeavours.



STANDING (L-R):

Mr. Tan Chin Hee,

Mr. Aloysius Seow, Mr. Rene Piil Pedersen,

Ms. Gina Lee-Wan,

Mr. Carsten Brix Ostenfeldt,

Ms. Katie Men,

Mr. Neil Glenn,

Mr. Lee Keng Mun

ABSENT

Mr. Toshio Kurashiki

SEATED (L-R):

Ms. Lisa Teo,

Mr. Patrick Phoon,

Mr. Esben Poulsson



The Council met once every two months. It reviewed the reports of the two administrative committees and six operational committees, and decided on all major policy decisions for the Association.

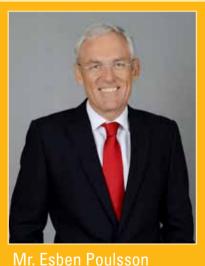
Currently, the composition of the SSA Council (2013/2015) is as follows:

President	Mr. Patrick Phoon Deputy Managing Director, Evergreen Shipping Agency (Singapore) Pte Ltd
Honorary Secretary, Chairman of General Affairs Committee	Mr. Esben Poulsson Chairman, AVRA International Pte Ltd
Honorary Treasurer and Chairman of Finance, Investment and Audit Committee	Ms. Lisa Teo Executive Director, Corporate Development, Pacific International Lines (Pte) Ltd
Chairman of International Committee	Mr. Rene Piil Pedersen Director, Group Public Affairs, Maersk Singapore Pte Ltd
Chairman of Legal and Insurance Committee	Ms. Gina Lee-Wan Partner, Allen and Gledhill LLP
Chairman of Offshore Services Committee	Mr. Neil Glenn Managing Director, Swire Pacific Offshore Operations (Pte) Ltd
Chairman of Services Committee	Mr. Aloysius Seow Chief Operating Officer, Ocean Tankers Pte Ltd
Chairman of Technical Committee	Mr. Carsten Brix Ostenfeldt Managing Director, Thome Ship Management Pte Ltd
Chairman of YEG Committee	Ms. Katie Men Managing Director, Iseaco Holdings Pte Ltd
Council Members	Mr. Lee Keng Mun Head of Shipping Asia, HSH Nordbank AG, Singapore Branch
	Mr. Toshio Kurashiki Managing Director, Nippon Kaiji Kyokai Singapore Pte Ltd
	Mr. Tan Chin Hee Director, Pacific Carriers Limited

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEES' REPORT

"..we have to build SSA credentials with broader engagements..."

- International Ambassador, bringing SSA into Americas, establishing SSA into Europe
- Awareness and PR for SSA



Mr. Esben Poulsson
CHAIRMAN
AVRA International Pte Ltd

GENERAL AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

The General Affairs Committee was headed by the Honorary Secretary, Mr Esben Poulsson and supported by Councillor and YEG Committee Chairman, Ms Katie Men. All matters relating to the Association's public relations, collaterals, social activities and the Secretariat's administrative affairs comes under their area of responsibility.



Membership

As of 1 June 2015, the Membership of the SSA stood at 474 members









The 3 Honorary Members, namely: Mrs Lim Hwee Hua, Mr Ong Kok Wah and Mr Yeo Cheow Tong.

The Association welcomed 21 new members into the Association since the last AGM. During the same period, 20 members had resigned.







SSA Secretariat

The SSA Secretariat is supported by a staff of 13 which is headed by its new Executive Director, Mr Michael Phoon who came onboard on 1 August 2014. He succeeded Mr Daniel Tan who had retired after 29 years of dedicated service to the Association.

On 15 April 2015, the SSA also appointed a full time Technical Director, Capt Ang Chin Eng who has over 40 years of experience in the maritime sector. The Technical Director's appointment is testimonial of the Association's pledge of delivering a high level of technical advice and service to its members against a rapidly changing international regulatory landscape.

Besides the SSA, the staff also provides a range of secretarial support to the Singapore Maritime Employers Federation (SMEF), the Federation of ASEAN Shipowners' Associations (FASA) and the Safe Navigation and Environment Committee (SNEC) of the Asian Shipowners' Forum (ASF).

Corporate Communications

The Secretariat continues to maintain the SSA website at http://www.ssa.org.sg, which provides regular updates and information on the Association's latest activities such as seminars, talks, courses and other social events. SSA circulars and press releases are also made

available on the website.

The Association publishes a quarterly newsletter, "Waves" which is distributed in both electronic and paper formats to all SSA members and the maritime community at large. Over the past year, members and journalists were invited to contribute thought provoking and informative articles on themes of 'Ballast Water Management Convention' as well as a look back over the past 30 years to commemorate the Association's 30th Anniversary in 2015.











SSA 29th Anniversary Gala Dinner

The Association's 29th Anniversary Gala Dinner was held on 26 September 2014 at Marina Bay Sands Singapore. The Guest-of-Honour was Mr Lui Tuck Yew, Minister for Transport and Second Minister for Defence. Over 2,000 members, guests and associates were in attendance.







Members' Networking Sessions

** Cocktail Receptions
Besides the Annual Gala Dinner in
September, the SSA also organised
3 regular Cocktail Receptions
for its members to interact and
network – in July 2014 to coincide
with its Annual General Meeting, in
December 2014 to mark the yearend and in February 2015 to usher in
the Lunar New Year.

These receptions were very wellattended by SSA members and representatives from maritime stakeholders and government agencies.

* Golf Friendly Event

During the year in review, the

Association has organised 2 Golf

Friendly Events - on 10 July 2014

and on 4 June 2015 – the latter with
the Singapore Maritime Employers'

Federation. Both events were held at
the Singapore Island Country Club
for members to pit their golfing skills
congenially against each other while
enjoying a session of networking.

These events were very wellattended by SSA members and representatives from maritime stakeholders and government agencies.

The SSA sincerely appreciates the generosity of its members who had very kindly sponsored the Association's Gala dinner, cocktail receptions, golf friendly and other events over the past year.

Awards, Bursaries and Supporting Manpower Development Initiatives

* Awards and Bursaries
The SSA strongly supports and encourages the education and participation of young people, especially Singaporean school leavers, who have an interest in joining the shipping industry.

For the academic year 2014/2015, the SSA deliberated and agreed to sponsor 4 scholarships of \$10,000 each under the MaritimeONE scholarship programme. SSA Council Member Mrs Gina Lee-Wan presented the scholarships at the MaritimeONE scholarship ceremony on 14 August 2014 to:

- 1. Mr Haiqal Nawa and Mr Ng Jian Xin, exemplary graduates from the Institute of Technical Education (ITE) who are enrolled in the 3 year Marine Engineering course at the Singapore Maritime Academy;
- **2. Ms Koh Ke Hui,** who is enrolled in the 3 year Maritime Business course at the Singapore Maritime Academy;
- 3. Mr Ong Woei Chian, who is a 4th year student of the Maritime Economics Concentration Programme at the Singapore Management University.

In 2009, the Association set up the Singapore Shipping Association Travel Bursary Endowment Fund with the Nanyang Technological University (NTU), which presents a \$5,000 travel bursary award each year to a financially needy student enrolled in the NTU Bachelor of



Science (Maritime Studies) degree programme. This award helps fund their travel to the Norwegian School of Management in Oslo, Norway for a one-semester exchange programme during their third year of study. From the 2014 cohort, Mr Willis Ng received the award.

Manpower Development Initiatives Since 2014, the SSA has been an integral member of the two Tripartite Maritime Manpower Taskforces - Seafaring (TF-Sea) and Shore (TF-Shore) - in response to the Government's SkillsFuture initiative. TF-Sea will primarily address the challenges in recruiting and retaining of talent for seafaring careers via the use of training grants and achievement awards, TF-Shore will develop skills-based career progression pathways and competency frameworks to equip companies involved in port operations, vessel operations and ship broking with hiring strategies.

As a measure of the Association's commitment towards training Singaporeans as seafarers, SSA

also continues to support the Tripartite Nautical Training Award (TNTA) initiated by the Singapore Maritime Officers' Union (SMOU), Workforce Development Agency (WDA), and the National Trades Union Congress (NTUC) Employment and Employability Institute (e2i) to train Singaporeans as seafaring deck officers to work onboard Singapore ships.

In addition, in order to help address the long-term manning needs facing the harbour craft sector, SSA members continued to work closely with MPA and other stakeholders to train Singaporeans to serve aboard port limit vessels under the Marine Engineers Special Limits (MESL) and the Deck Officers Special Limits programme (DOSL), which aim to train Singaporeans to serve as marine engineers and deck officers aboard vessels plying within Singapore's special limits.

The Association is very appreciative of the SSA member companies who have provided berths for MESL and DOSL cadets during their sea-phase training.





* Corporate Social Responsibility
The Association is a strong advocate of
giving back to society and organises regular
community outreach events for its members and
Secretariat through the SSA Young Executives
Group (YEG).

Through the SSA YEG, members and staff were giving the opportunity to interact with beneficiaries of the Children's Cancer Foundation and Ju Eng Home as well as lending their hand through volunteering at the Willing Hearts Soup Kitchen – to prepare, pack and deliver meals for the underprivileged in Singapore.)

In April 2015, Mission RASI (Row Around Singapore Island) comprising of a group of 40 enthusiasts from the maritime and insurance community in Singapore, undertook a self-funded 24 hour endurance rowing challenge to raise funds for the Mission to Seafarers. In light of this admirable initiative, sponsors came forth with their support, including the Association, who pledged \$10,000 towards this worthy cause.

STRONG RELATIONS AT HOME AND ABROAD

* Relations with Local Bodies In its efforts to promote the interests of its Members and to enhance Singapore's competitiveness as an International Maritime Centre, the SSA maintains strong working relationships with various relevant government agencies such as the Maritime and Port Authority of Singapore (MPA), the Singapore Customs (SC), the Immigration and Checkpoints Authority (ICA), the Republic of Singapore Navy (RSN), and the Police Coast Guard (PCG).

In addition to conducting regular dialogue sessions to resolve industry-wide shipping problems and to ensure a common understanding

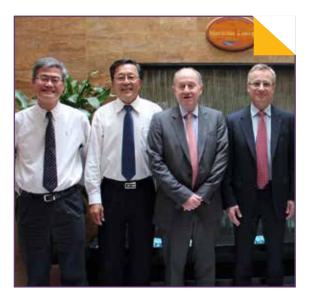
of the needs and issues within the industry, SSA is represented on the board, advisory committees and working committees of several government statutory departments. Likewise, some of these government agencies are also invited to participate in several SSA Committees as observers.

On an operational level, the Association continues to work closely with other maritime stakeholders and government agencies to help streamline operations, address technical concerns and rationalise costs. with a view towards maintaining Singapore's competitive edge.

Close working relationships are also maintained with other maritime stakeholders such as the Association of Singapore Marine Industries (ASMI), the Singapore Maritime Officers' Union (SMOU), the Singapore Organisation of Seamen (SOS), the Singapore National Shippers' Council (SNSC), the Singapore Maritime Academy (SMA) and the Singapore Maritime Foundation (SMF).

The SSA is also a member of the Singapore Business Federation (SBF) and the Singapore Chinese Chamber of Commerce & Industry (SCCCI).









* Relations with Foreign Bodies
The SSA is an active participant and member in regional and international fora.

The SSA participated in the 40th FASA Annual General Meeting in Manila, Philippines on 1 December 2014 and the 47th FASA Executive Committee Meeting on 18 May 2015. The 47th FASA Executive Committee Meeting was held concurrently with the 24th Asian Shipowners' Forum (ASF), which was held on 18 to 20 May 2015 in Jeju, Korea.

As a member of FASA, the SSA President Mr Patrick Phoon holds the Chairmanship of the ASF Safe Navigation and Environment Committee (SNEC). The SSA hosted the 28th Interim Meeting of the SNEC in Singapore on 23 March 2015. The SSA also participated in the ASF's Shipping Economics Review Committee, the Seafarers Committee and the Ship Insurance and Liability Committee meetings held during the past year.

Internationally, the SSA is an active member of the International Chamber of Shipping (ICS). Mr Esben Poulsson, Honorary Secretary of the SSA is also one of the four Vice Chairmen of the ICS. In these capacities, he has been flying the Singapore flag high by speaking at numerous conferences and meetings over the past year: the Multiport Ship Agencies Network Annual General Meeting 13 October 2014 in Singapore; European Shipping Week 3-5 March 2015 in Brussels, Belgium; Connecticut Maritime Association Shipping Conference held on 23-25 March 2015, in Stamford, Connecticut, USA, just to name a few.

SSA also continues to nurture 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).

In its ongoing efforts to help safeguard ships and seafarers, the SSA also maintains strong working relationships with the Regional Agreement on Combating Piracy & Armed Robbery Against Ships in Asia (ReCAAP) Information Sharing Centre (ISC) and the multi-national Information Fusion Centre (IFC) based in Singapore.





★ MaritimeONE

The SSA and its other maritime partners, the MPA, SMF and ASMI, play an active role under the MaritimeONE initiative since its launch in April 2007. The MaritimeONE partnership activities include industry awareness talks, scholarship offers, student outreach events and regular networking events for employers and tertiary students.

From 2013 – 2015, the SSA spearheaded the Maritime Open House (or Maritime Experiential Programme) project for upper secondary school students.

The Maritime Experiential
Programme was held on 26
May 2015 for 198 students.
The students participated in a
sea tour and also received a
guided tour of the PSA Port,
Jurong Port, Keppel shipyard,
Singapore Maritime Gallery and
PSA Marine.







* Talks and Seminars

The Association organises talks and seminars regularly to help keep its members informed and up-to-date with the latest developments in the shipping industry. By inviting distinguished and highly-qualified speakers to share their experiences and expertise, the SSA's talks and seminars help members manage the dynamic, ever-changing nature of the maritime sector.

The talks and seminars that were organised were very well-received as they not only served to update the participants with the current trends and developments in the shipping world, but also offered an opportunity for them to network with the shipping fraternity.





			- June 2014 to June 2015					
	Date	Event	Speakers(s)	Venues				
1.	3 July 2014	Corporate Income Tax Seminar for Ship Owners and Operators (co-organised by SSA, MPA and IRAS)	Ms Rebecca Liang – Senior Tax Officer, IRAS Mr Tay Ang Sim – Group Tax Specialist, IRAS	IRAS Auditorium				
2.	25 August 2014	SSA Talk on: Changing Climate & Shipping	Dr. Anthony H. Knap – Director, Marine Insurance Solutions Ltd	FTSE Room, Capital Tower				
3.	12 January 2015	SGX and SSA Seminar on: Capital Market Opportunities for the Maritime Sector in Singapore	Ms Alice Gwee – Director, Marketing and Business Development Listings, Singapore Exchange Ms Gail Ong – Head – Equity Capital Markets Practice, WongPartnership LLP Mr Patrick Phoon – President, SSA Mr Simon Lim – Head of Listings, South East Asia and Sectors, Singapore Exchange Ms Tay Hwee Ling – Partner, Global IFRS and Offerings Services, Deloitte & Touche LLP Panelists: Mr Loo Choo Leong – Group Finance Director, Pacific Radiance Ltd Mr Thomas Preben Hansen – CEO, Rickmers Trust Management Mr Andrew Teo – Joint Lead, Singapore Coverage, Corporate Finance, Global Investment Banking, OCBC Bank Mr Eugene Cheng – Group CFO, EZRA Holdings Ltd Panel Discussion Moderator: Mr Lee Keng Mun – Head of Shipping Asia, HSH Nordbank AG and SSA Councillor	SGX Auditorium, SGX Centre 1				
4.	6 February 2015	SSA & Moore Stephens LLP Talk on: Financial Reporting Challenges for 2014 and beyond – Perspectives of a Company Director	Ms Poh Lay Choo — Partner, Moore Stephens LLP Mr Wong Koon Min — Director of Technical, Compliance and Methodology, Moore Stephens LLP	FTSE Room, Capital Tower				
5.	10 February 2015	SSA & PwC Talk on: Cyber Threat in the Digital Age	Mr Vincent Loy – Partner, PwC	PwC Building				

6.	20 April 2015	SSA & ICS Forum on: Maritime Regulatory Landscape – 2015 and Beyond and the AMVER Award Ceremony	Mr Masamichi Morooka – Chairman, ICS Panelists: Capt George Solomon – Chairman of SSA Maritime Security Sub-Committee Mr Peter Hinchliffe – Secretary General of ICS Session Chairman: Mr Esben Poulsson - SSA Honorary Secretary and ICS Vice-Chairman	Pan Pacific Hotel
7.	9 June 2015	SSA & Western Union Business Solutions Talk on: How to Manage the Challenges of Currency Volatility & Overseas Payment – Best Practices & Case Studies	Mr David Britten – Head of Dealing, Western Union Business Solutions Mr Lee Tarn Hwei – Head of Sales, Western Union Business Solutions	FTSE Room, Capital Tower



"..Steering the enrichment of Maritime talents for the industry..."

- Conducive environments for talent development
- Stable workforce key to business development



EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
CORPORATE DEVELOPMENT
Pacific International Lines (Pte) Ltd



FINANCE, INVESTMENT AND AUDIT

The Honorary Treasurer Ms. Lisa
Teo, Executive Director (Corporate
Development) of Pacific International
Lines (Pte) Ltd, led the Finance,
Investment and Audit Committee,
which oversees all matters pertaining
to the Association's finances,
investments, accounts audit and
surplus funds of the Association.

Based on the Auditor's report on the Accounts of the Association for the financial year ended 31 December 2014, the Association remains financially strong.

OPERATIONAL COMMITTEES' REPORT

INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE

"... Singapore must maintain its leadership as the centre of Shipping ..."

- Keep the competitiveness of the Singapore flag "secondto-none"
- Remove barriers to trade and secure free and fair market access



Mr. Rene Piil Pedersen
DIRECTOR
GROUP PUBLIC AFFAIRS
Maersk Singapore Pte Ltd

International Committee (2013-2015)

▶ CHAIRMAN

Mr. Rene Piil Pedersen

Managing Director - A P Moller Singapore Pte Ltd

VICE CHAIRMAN

Mr. Ng Kwang Chiau

Senior Vice President - Ocean Tankers (Pte) Ltd

▶ MEMBERS

Ms. Lim Zhi Shuang

Group Public Affairs Adviser - A P Moller Singapore Pte Ltd

Capt. R. Janardhanan

General Manager - Anglo-Eastern Shipmanagement (Singapore) Pte Ltd

Mr. Seah Boon Chong

Director, Sales - APL Co Pte Ltd

Ms. Evelyn Lim

Tax Director - BDO LLP

Mr. Kristian Vandermeer

Group Director - Ben Line Agencies (Singapore) Pte Ltd

Mr. Arvind Mohan

Managing Director - Bibby Ship Management (Singapore) Pte Ltd

Mr. Matthew Stoney

GM BP Maritime Services Securite & ER Advisor - BP Singapore Pte Ltd

Capt. Vibhas Garq

Vice President, Head of Fleets - BW Maritime Pte Ltd

Mr. Tony Linden

Business Development Director - Det Norske Veritas Pte Ltd

Capt. Anil Singh

Director - Eastern Pacific Shipping Pte Ltd

Mr. Andrew Lee

Partner - Hill Dickinson LLP

Mr. Lim Han

Director - Hong Lam Marine Pte Ltd

Mr. Pang Hoi Onn

General Manager - IMC Shipping Co Pte Ltd

Capt. Gurpreet Singh Bhullar

General Manager (Sales) - Inchcape Shipping Services (S) Pte Ltd

Mr. Ganesa Pillai Natarajan

Country Manager - Indian Register Of Shipping

Capt Vincent Leo

General Manager (Operations)
- Jardine Shipping Agencies

Mr. Ng Ee Ping

General Manager - Kontiki Shipping Pte Ltd

Capt. Subhangshu Dutt

Executive Director - Krishnapatnam Port Pte Ltd

Capt. Raineesh Rana

Regional Marine Operations Manager - Maersk Tankers Singapore Pte Ltd

Mr. Nicholas F. Fisher

Chief Executive Officer - Masterbulk Pte Ltd

Mr. Christopher Kirton

Managing Director - Norstar Ship Management Pte Ltd

Capt. George Edmund

Assistant General Manager - Pacific International Lines (Pte) Ltd

Ms. Elaine Ng

Partner - PricewaterhouseCoopers Services LLP

Mr. George P. Kynigos

Partner/Director - Safe Ship Likyan Management Singapore Pte Ltd

Mr. Francis Goh

Managing director - Sea Consortium Pte Ltd

Mr. Divay Goel

Head of Investments - Siva Ships Intl Pte Ltd

Mr. Ian Offland

Fleet Operations Director - Swire Pacific Offshore Operations (Pte) Ltd

Mr. Sanjeev Namath

Head, New Projects - Synergy Marine Pte Ltd

Mr. Scott Woodward

Director - Toll Logistics (Asia) Limited

Capt. Rahul Choudhuri

COO - "Veritas Petroleum Services (Asia) Pte Ltd (DNVPS)"

Mr. Colin Jarraw

Partner - Virtus Law LLP

Councillor Mr. Rene Piil Pedersen from A P Moller Singapore Pte Ltd is the Chairman of this International Committee.

The International Committee focuses on the international competitiveness of the Singapore maritime cluster and addressed a number of issues during the 2013 to 2015 term. Three key issues are highlighted below:



The ASEAN Economic Community promises to promote regional cooperation and deepen economic ties amongst the South East Asian Nations by end 2015. The Committee looked into the opportunities that such an integration would bring to the Singapore maritime cluster, and developed a vision paper with a set of recommendations to liberalise trade in order to realise an ASEAN Single Shipping Market. This paper was shared with MPA and serves as a reference for relevant authorities and associations in spelling out the long term desires of Singapore shipping companies for the ASEAN integration.

Shipping plays a significant role to ASEAN's economic prosperity and the Committee is of the view that free trade within ASEAN will ultimately benefit the population in South East Asia in fueling economic growth and raise living standards while at the same time bring



significant opportunities to the Singapore maritime cluster.

⊕ Singapore's Double Taxation Agreements Network A strong network of Double Taxation Agreements (DTAs) for Singapore will improve the attractiveness of its tax environment and strengthen Singapore as a leading international maritime center. The Committee identified a list of countries where Singapore needs to enhance its existing tax treaties in order to be relevant in today's context and proposed new tax agreements of countries which are expected to be important in the future.

The outcome of a position paper which consolidates a list of countries where Singapore needs to work on to the benefit of

shipping and offshore companies will serve as a structured and constructive reference when relevant authorities in Singapore are to negotiate tax treaties with other nations when the opportunities arise.

Piracy remains a huge threat to international shipping. The Committee monitored global developments, shared best practices with each other on specific piracy incidents and was deeply concerned about the worsening situation on fuel siphoning and hijacking happening at our doorsteps in the Straits of Malacca and Singapore. The concern was conveyed to the MPA for their appropriate actions with relevant stakeholders and authorities.

SERVICES COMMITTEE

"..we need to instill professionalism and be the trusted advisor.."

- Championing standards for Bunkering technology adoption (MFM, certifications..)
- Pragmatic influence on national maritime policies



Mr. Aloysius Seow
CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER
Ocean Tankers Pte Ltd

Chaired by Councillor Mr. Aloysius Seow from Ocean Tankers Pte Ltd, this Committee oversees the activities of the Bunkering, Cruise and Ship Operations and Port Services Sub-Committees.



Services Committee (2013-2015)

▶ CHAIRMAN

Mr. Aloysius Seow

Chief Operating Officer - Ocean Tankers Pte Ltd

▶ VICE CHAIRMAN

Mr. Kek Beng

Director, Operations - MOL (Singapore) Pte Ltd

▶ MEMBERS

Capt. Raveendran P

Director, Operations - APL Co Pte Ltd

Mr. Glen Barrett

Regional Voyage Operations Manager - BP Singapore Pte Ltd

Mr. Ray Chen

Assistant Manager, Port Agency Operations - Ben Line Agencies (Singapore) Pte Ltd

Dr. Khorshed Alam

Vice President & Regional Manager -Germanischer Lloyd (S) Pte Ltd

Mr. Goon Ghen Cheit

Fleet Manager - Hong Lam Marine Pte Ltd

Capt Deepak Khanchandani

Manager (Singapore Cruise Centre) - Inchcape Shipping Services (S) Pte Ltd

Capt Vincent Leo

General Manager (Operations) -Jardine Shipping Agencies

Capt. Hemant Gupta

Senior Manager - Jurong Port Pte Ltd

Mr. Cheah Aun Aun

Marine Operations Manager - Lloyd's Register Asia

Mr. Ronnie See

Director - NYK Group South Asia Pte Ltd

Mr. Ang Kok Kiang

General Manager, Agency & Sales -Pacific International Lines (Pte) Ltd

Capt. Nasir Subahrie

Deputy Director Claims - Pandisea Pte Ltd

Mr. Eddy Ng

Head of Container Operations - PSA Corporation Limited

Mr. Peter Chew Cheng Ming

Managing Director - PSA Marine (Pte) Ltd

Mr. Pieter Oosterhof

Regional Commercial Manager -Resolve Salvage & Fire (Asia) PteLtd

Capt. Kumar Thottapili Anil

Senior Manager - STET Maritime Pte Ltd

Mr. Rohit Banta

General Manager - Synergy Marine Pte Ltd

Mr. Frankie Tan Sui Yan

Director/General Manager - Wallem Shipping (S) Pte Ltd

BUNKERING SUB-COMMITTEE

Chaired by Dr. Khorshed Alam from DNV GL, the Bunkering Sub-Committee works closely with the MPA to enhance the development of the bunkering industry in Singapore.

Bunkering Sub-Committee (2013-2015)

▶ CHAIRMAN

Dr. Khorshed Alam

Vice President & Regional Manager -Germanischer Llovd (S) Pte Ltd

VICE CHAIRMAN

Capt. SK Singam

Sr. Crew Manager - Stellar Shipmanagement Services Pte Ltd

MEMBERS

Mr. Nazri Bakar

Operations Manager - Bomin Bunker Oil Pte Ltd

Mr. Rohit Tuli

Ship Operator - BP Singapore Pte Ltd

Mr. Vijay Saul

Senior Voyage Manager - Chevron Asia Pacific Shipping Pte Ltd

Mr. Badarudin Bin Amat

Operations Manager - Consort Bunkers Pte Ltd

Capt Mittra Neeraj

Manager Operations - Eastern Pacific Shipping Pte Ltd

Ms. Jenny Liaw

Manager (Bunkers) - Equatorial Marine Fuel Management Services

Capt Mohammad Ahsanul Hag

Khan

Fleet Manager, Harbour - Hong Lam Marine Pte Ltd

Mr Benson Sim

Senior Operations Manager - Inchcape Shipping Services (S) Pte Ltd

Mr. Mohd Yunos s/o Haniffa

Head - Port Agency Operations - Jardine Shipping Agencies

Capt. Sved Borhan

Marine Manager (DPA & CSO) - JR Orion Services Pte Ltd

Mr. Alex Tang

FOBAS, Regional Manager

- Lloyd's Register Asia

Mr. Umesh Vinay Shinde

GM, Technical Operation - Maersk Tankers Singapore Pte Ltd

Mr. Thiang Cheong Sheng

Vice President - Maersk Tankers Singapore Pte Ltd

Mr. Linus Lee

Managing Director - OHC Shipmanagement Pte Ltd

Capt. Yoon Peng Kwan

Deputy GM, Fleet Division - Pacific International Lines (Pte) Ltd.

Capt. Nasir Subahrie

Deputy Director Claims - Pandisea Pte Ltd

Mr. Pai Kheng Hian

General Manager - Sentek Marine & Trading Pte Ltd

Mr. Paul Yong

Trading Operator - Shell Eastern Trading (Pte) Ltd

Mr. Desmond Chona

General Manager - Sinanju Marine Services Pte Ltd

Mr. Jason Chin

General Manager - Wilhelmsen Ships Service (S) Pte Ltd



* Singapore Standard for Mass Flow Meters (MFM)
In 2014, it was announced that the mandatory use of MFM on bunker tankers carrying marine fuel oil will take effect from 1 January 2014.

The Sub-Committee continuously discussed implementation issues when they arise to ensure smooth implementation of the MFM by end December 2016. The Sub-Committee strongly believes that with the implementation of the MFM, the number of quantity disputes will decrease and that Singapore will continue to be the global bunkering Port.

The Sub-Committee will continue to actively engage the relevant stakeholders in addressing any issues that may arise from the use of MFMs.

* Bunkering in Singapore The Association continues to work closely with MPA to further develop and enhance the bunkering industry in the Port of Singapore. The number of bunker disputes was well under control. Last year, there were only 39 disputes out of 38,299 vessels bunkered In its efforts to improve the professionalism and high standard of bunkering in Singapore, SSA sought representation in the SPRING Singapore Working Groups for the Review of the Singapore Standard for Quality Management for Bunker Supply Chain (QMBS) (SS524:2006) and the Singapore Standard Code of Practice for Bunkering (SS600:2008). The review has resulted in further revisions to the two Standards. The revisions of these documents will take into effect 1 September 2015.

	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
No. of quantity disputes	27	30	49	36	35
No. of quality disputes	2	1	4	3	4
Others	-	- 1		0	-
Total no. of disputes	29	32	53	39	39
No. of vessels bunkered in the Port+	35,572	37,753	38,082	38,614	38,299
No. of disputes as a % of vessels bunkered	0.08%	0.08%	0.14%	0.10%	0.10%





CRUISE SUB-COMMITTEE

Chaired by Mr. Frankie Tan of Wallem Shipping (S) Pte Ltd, the Cruise Sub-Committee works closely with the MPA, the Immigration and Checkpoints Authority (ICA), the Singapore Tourism Board (STB) and other stakeholders to develop and enhance Singapore's Cruise Industry. The Sub-Committee addressed operational issues of concern raised by port agents and continued to work closely with all the relevant stakeholders to ensure that there are sufficient berths for the increasing number of international cruises calling at Singapore.

Cruise Sub-Committee (2013-2015)

▶ CHAIRMAN

Mr. Frankie Tan Sui Yan

Director/General Manager - Wallem Shipping (S) Pte Ltd

▶ VICE CHAIRMAN

Steven Ang

Assistant Vice President - Star Cruise Pte Ltd

▶ MEMBERS

Mr. Victor Ong

Director - Cambiaso & Risso (Singapore) Pte Ltd

Mr. Ron Gunawardana

Supervisor - GAC (Singapore) Pte Ltd

Mr. Law Fook Wah

Operations Manager - Inchcape Shipping Services (S) Pte Ltd

Mr Yeong Kwon Wah

Operations Manager - Mediterranean Shipping Company S E A (S) Pte Ltd

Mr. Kek Beng

Director, Operations - Mediterranean Shipping Company S E A (S) Pte Ltd

Capt. Foo See Poh

General Manager - NYK Group South Asia Pte Ltd

Ms. Norma de la Fuente

Head of Mk & BD - SATS-Creuers Cruise Services Pte Ltd

Ms. Christina Siaw

CEO - Singapore Cruise Centre Pte Ltd

Mr. Dennis Lim

Operations Manager - Tailwind Shipping Pte Ltd

Mr. Keith Lai

Executive Director - Universal Shipmanagement Pte Ltd

Mr Alvin Lee

Operation Manager - Wilhelmsen Ships Service (S) Pte Ltd

SHIP OPERATIONS AND PORT SERVICES **SUB-COMMITTEE**

The Ship Operations and Port Services Sub-Committee is chaired by Mr. Kek Beng of MOL (Singapore) Pte Ltd. The Sub-Committee works closely with the MPA, terminal operators and other service providers to overcome any problems associated with ship operations and port services in Singapore.

* Ongoing MPA/SSA Meetings on Operational

As part of its on-going efforts to engage the MPA on matters concerning the Singapore's maritime industry, SSA continues to conduct meeting with MPA every quarter to discuss issues relating to ship operations and port services in the Port of Singapore.

Pilotage Issues

In 2014, arising from feedback from Members with regards to the pilotage service levels due to pilotage delay and re-programming which caused financial implications on the shipowners/operators, the Sub-Committee initiated discussions with PSA Marine. Noting that the delays were caused by a chain reaction of factors, the Sub-Committee then worked together with PSA Marine, the terminal operators as well as MPA to find solutions to improve pilotage service levels.

Ship Operations and Port Services Sub-Committee Members (2013-2015)

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"...quality crews mean quality ships..."

- Promoting pragmatic goalbased regulations
- Championing sustainable green initiatives in a blue economy



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COO - Asia, ME & Africa - Veritas Petroleum Services (Asia) Pte Ltd The Technical Committee was chaired by Councillor Mr. Carsten Brix Ostenfeldt from Thome Ship Management Pte Ltd. Following Mr. Ostenfeldt's resignation from the Council in late 2014, the SSA President, Mr. Patrick Phoon, assumed the position of Interim Chairman of the Committee, with the support of Vice-Chairman, Capt. Tey Yoh Huat.

There are three Sub-Committees under the Technical Committee and they are the Maritime Safety and Security Sub-Committee, Environmental Sub-Committee and the Operations, Training and Manning Sub-Committee.

A summary of the main issues which have been discussed at the Committee and Sub-Committees are as provided below:

⊕ Ballast Water Management (BWM) Convention

The BWM will enter into force after 30 countries representing 35% of the world's tonnage ratify the Convention. As of 20 May 2015, 44 States representing 32.86% of world shipping tonnage have ratified the Convention.

In response to increasing interest in the Convention, the Committee agreed to review its position vis-àvis the BWM Convention, taking into account the latest developments (i.e. the revision of G8 Guidelines to make it more robust as well as non-penalisation of early movers), if the Convention were to be ratified.

Based on the outcome of the review, as it was expected that the

Convention will come into force in a matter of time, the Technical Committee recommended SSA should support Singapore's ratification of the Convention. In this regard, in November 2014, SSA informed MPA that SSA would not object to Singapore's ratification of the Convention, so long as industry's outstanding concerns are addressed in a pragmatic, practical and implementable manner.

Monitoring, Reporting and Verification (MRV)

The Committee noted that even though at MEPC 67, it was agreed that a data collection system on "fuel consumption" should be developed, MEPC 68 did not make any decision on whether the system would be based on a voluntary basis or made mandatory.

The Committee further noted that in April 2015, the European Parliament had adopted a regional EU Regulation on the Monitoring, Reporting and Verification (MRV) for all ships in EU ports. This regulation is expected to come into force on 1 January 2018.

In this regard, Committee agreed that any requirements to establish a global system for monitoring and reporting of fuel consumption for the international shipping sector must be agreed upon at the IMO level.

The Committee will continue to monitor developments relating to MRV.



ENVIRONMENTAL SUB-COMMITTEE

Chaired by Capt. Tey Yoh Huat, the Sub-Committee considered matters relating to the prevention and control of pollution from ships such as the Ballast Water Management Convention, Ship Recycling and Greenhouse Gas Emission among many others, and advised the Technical Committee accordingly. However, due to the duplication of items discussed in the Sub-Committee and in the Technical Committee, the Sub-Committee was dissolved in the mid-2014. All matters relating to environmental and protection are continually discussed in the Technical Committee.

Environment Sub-Committee (2013-2015)

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MARITIME SAFETY & SECURITY SUB-COMMITTEE

The Maritime Safety & Security Sub-Committee was newly structured for the term 2013/2015 to look into matters affecting maritime safety in addition to security issues as discussed by the previous Sub-Committee. Chaired by Capt. George Solomon of Neptune Orient Lines Ltd, the Sub-Committee worked closely with the MPA, the ReCAAP Information Sharing Centre (ISC), the Republic of Singapore Navy (RSN) and other relevant stakeholders to discuss proposed measures and submissions concerning maritime safety and security, and to make appropriate recommendations, including practical measures, to improve the safety and security arrangements for ships.

The Sub-Committee analysed the latest statistics on piracy and armed robbery that threatened international shipping around the world. Noting from the statistical and situational reports from the International Maritime Bureau (IMB), the number of attacks reported in Somalia in 2014 continued to decrease, and the hijacking of vessels in West Africa appeared to have subsided in the last quarter of 2014.

In the Asia region, the Sub-Committee monitored closely, through the situational reports from the ReCAAP ISC, incidents of piracy, armed robbery and fuel siphoning in the Straits of Malacca and Singapore, ports and anchorages in the region, and the South China Sea.

On the safety aspect, the Sub-Committee discussed matters regarding safety of navigation in the Straits of Malacca and Singapore and Singapore waters. The Sub-Committee also looked into the safety arrangements for seafarers working on board the vessel, operational procedures of the vessel, as well as places of refuge for vessels in distress.

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OPERATIONS, TRAINING AND MANNING SUB-COMMITTEE

The Operations, Training and Manning Sub-Committee is chaired by Capt. Anuj Sahai from Resolve Salvage and Fire (Asia) Pte Ltd and aims to better address the operational, training and manning issues that may arise from international regulations, in particular, STCW and MLC. In addition, as part of the Sub-Committee's efforts to promote the training and safety, the Sub-Committee holds outreach sessions to the students at the Singapore Maritime Academy. Topics for these outreach sessions include Navigational Safety & Engine Room Operational Safety as well as Salvage & Emergency Response.



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OFFSHORE SERVICES COMMITTEE

"...understanding Offshore begins with an open door policy..."

- Developing awareness and understanding of Offshore issues
- Building capability through education and training



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The Offshore Services Committee is chaired by Councillor Mr. Neil Glenn of Swire Pacific Offshore Operations (Pte) Ltd. The Committee works to address issues of concern to the offshore marine sector and establish Singapore as an attractive centre for the global offshore marine industry. Mr. Glenn also has a Sub-Committee under his care. During the period in review, some of the main issues addressed by the Committee were as follows:

* Category 4 Port Dues for Offshore Support Vessels (OSVs) In 2013, as part of the Maritime & Port Authority's (MPA) revision of port tariffs, MPA planned to re-classify private facilities as non-shipyards, as these facilities, whilst enjoying a CAT 3 rate, may not be carrying out any shipyard activities. SSA advised MPA that taking this stance, and imposing a new tariff without offering a viable alternative would have a negative impact government's intention of promoting Singapore as an offshore hub. Subsequently, a working group was formed in engaging MPA and to promote further understanding of the offshore marine sector. Taking into consideration the inputs arising from the discussions of the Working Group, MPA developed a concessionary port dues rate for OSVs – the Category 4 (CAT 4) rate which took into effect 1 January 2014.

Industry Outreach Sessions
In its efforts to raise awareness

and understanding of the offshore industry within the broader Singapore maritime community, Offshore Services Committee members Pacific Radiance Ltd and Swire Pacific Offshore Operations (Pte) Ltd hosted educational talks, sharing sessions and vessel visits over the past year.

Maritime Cluster Fund (MCF)
It was noted that the Maritime
Cluster Fund (MCF) provided by
MPA could only be used in the
training of Singaporeans and PRs
thus the Committee felt that SSA
should work together with MPA to
give proper consideration in allowing
MCF training grants for approved
training courses for Singapore ship
owners/operators at approved
Singapore based facilities.

TRAINING, DEVELOPMENT AND EDUCATION SUB-COMMITTEE

Chaired by Capt. Mike Meade of M3 Marine Group Pte Ltd, the Training, Development and Education Sub-Committee was newly formed for the term 2013/2015 to better address the training, development and education issues related to the offshore marine industry that may arise from various international bodies. Together with other educational institutions (local or foreign), the Sub-Committee aims to promote offshore marine personnel training programs in-line with the training standards set by the international bodies.

Offshore Training, Development and Education Sub-Committee (2013-2015)

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"...the only constant is change, and we have to be on top of it at all times.."

- Establishing sound legal frameworks and promoting standards of legal excellence for the Singapore Maritime Industry
- Ensuring there is no room for 'what if', only 'what is'



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Chaired by Councillor Mrs. Gina Lee-Wan of Allen and Gledhill LLP, the Legal and Insurance Committee examined the legal aspects of policies and issues affecting the shipping community.

Provided below is a summary of the main issues that have been addressed by the Committee during the period under review:

Singapore War Risks Mutual (SWRM)



The Legal and Insurance Committee continued discussions in relation to the establishment of a War Risks facility in Singapore. It discussed the possibilities of collaboration and management by various entities.

In general, the Committee agreed that the creation of a Singapore War Risks facility will be beneficial to Singapore shipowners in terms of securing the best cover for crew and ships through economies of scale thereby achieving significant costsavings. In addition, the creation of such a facility would strengthen Singapore as a maritime centre.

On 20 February 2015, Mr. Lui Tuck Yew, the Minister for Transport and Second Minister for Defence, announced the launch of the Singapore War Risks Mutual by the Standard Club Asia (Standard Asia).

** Electronisation of Transferable Records used in International Trade The Committee has been engaged in ongoing discussions with the Attorney General Chambers (AGC) with regard to the electronisation of transferable records in international trade.

The Committee had in principle agreed to the 'electronisation' of transferable records (e.g. bills of exchange, promissory notes, bills of lading, warehouse receipts), as it would bring vast advantages in terms of trade facilitation to the shipping and trading industry.

YOUNG EXECUTIVES GROUP COMMITTEE

"..it's important that we engage our young talents in Maritime.."

- Leveraging "i-generation" preferences, to engage the young (ie Face-time, social volunteerism..)
- Real career professionals with real conversations to inspire the young



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The Young Executives Group (YEG) continues to enjoy strong support from SSA member companies. As of 1 June 2015, more than 1,090 young shipping executives have joined the YEG.

Established in 2005, the main role of the YEG is to encourage young shipping executives' greater awareness of SSA and to encourage them to participate in the Association's activities with a view of nurturing future leaders for the Association.

The Young Executives Group committee is chaired by Councillor Ms. Katie Men of Iseaco Holdings Pte Ltd, and the activities of the YEG are focused in three main areas, namely: Community Outreach, Education and Networking. Events were also organised to suit the age group (45 years and below) of the YEG members.

During the period in review, the YEG organised the following events:







	Event	Speakers/Venues	Date		
1.	YEG Facetime with SSA Councillors! (Session 2)	Venue: SSA Conference Room Speakers: Mr Lee Keng Mun, SSA Councillor Ms Lisa Teo, SSA Honorary Treasurer	24 June 2014		
2.	SSA YEG Educational Talk & Networking Session: Recent Developments in Admiralty Law	Venue: Duane Morris & Selvam LLP Speaker: Mr Raghunath Peter Doraisamy , Partner, Duane Morris & Selvam LLP	17 July 2014		
3.	SSA-YEG Durian Degustation & Networking	Venue: Ah Seng Durian @ Ghim Moh Market	23 July 2014		
4.	YEG Facetime with SSA Councillors! (Session 3)	Venue: SSA Conference Room Speakers: Mr Aloysius Seow, SSA Councillor & SSA Services Committee Chairman Mr Carsten Brix Ostenfeldt, SSA Councillor & SSA Technical Committee Chairman Ms Gina Lee-Wan, SSA Councillor & SSA Legal & Insurance Committee Chairman Mr Kurashiki Toshio, SSA Councillor	26 August 2014		
5.	SSA YEG Educational Talk & Networking Session: Maritime Resource Management Training – Developing People for Safer Shipping	Venue: SSA Conference Room Speaker: Ms Katie Men, Managing Director of Iseaco Holdings Pte Ltd and SSA Councillor and SSA YEG Committee Chairman	17 September 2014		
6.	YEG Cup Song Performance at the SSA 29th Anniversary Gala Dinner	Venue: Marina Bay Sands Singapore YEG Members: Mr Desmond Chong/ Mr Jonathan Choo/ Ms Katie Men/ Ms Lao Mei Leng/ Ms Lee Siaw Yen/ Ms Liu Ting/ Mr Sebastian Ho/ Mr Sky Hu	26 September 2014		
7.	SSA YEG Community Outreach: Pink Cocktail	Venue: SSA Conference Room	14 October 2014		
8.	YEG Facetime with SSA Councillors! (Session 4)	Venue: SSA Conference Room Speakers: Mr Neil Glenn, SSA Councillor and SSA Off- shore Services Committee Chairman Mr Tan Chin Hee, SSA Councillor	28 October 2014		
 9.	SSA YEG Bowling Challenge 2014	Venue: Kallang Bowl	20 November 2014		

10.	SSA YEG Educational Talk & Networking Session: The Proposed Reform of Insurance Law and Unseaworthiness Due to Crew (In)Ability	Venue: Norton Rose Fulbright (Asia) LLP Speaker: Mr Ian Teare , Partner, Norton Rose Fulbright (Asia) LLP	27 November 2014
11.	SSA YEG Year End Networking Event	Venue: Art Bar @ The Butter Factory	10 December 2014
12.	SSA YEG Community Outreach: Movie Screening & Luncheon with Children's Cancer Foundation	Venue: Cathay Cineleisure Orchard	15 December 2015
13.	YEG Networking Event by BIMCO and CSOA, in Cooperation with SSA	Venue: Conrad Centennial Singapore	27 February 2015
14.	SSA YEG Community Outreach: Visit to Ju Eng Home for Senior Citizens	Venue: Ju Eng Home	2 March 2015
15.	SSA YEG Lunar New Year 'Lo-Hei' Dinner	Venue: Penthouse @ PIL	3 March 2015
16.	SSA YEG Educational Talk & Networking Session: Liability and the Limitation Convention – Possibilities, Process and Pandemonium?	Venue: Joseph Tan Jude Benny LLP Speaker: Mr John Sze , Deputy Managing Partner, Joseph Tan Jude Benny LLP	31 March 2015
17.	SSA YEG Community Outreach: Volunteer at the Willing Hearts Soup Kitchen	Venue: Willing Hearts Soup Kitchen	18 April 2015
18.	SSA YEG 9th Anniversary Celebrations	Venue: The Bank Bar	29 May 2015





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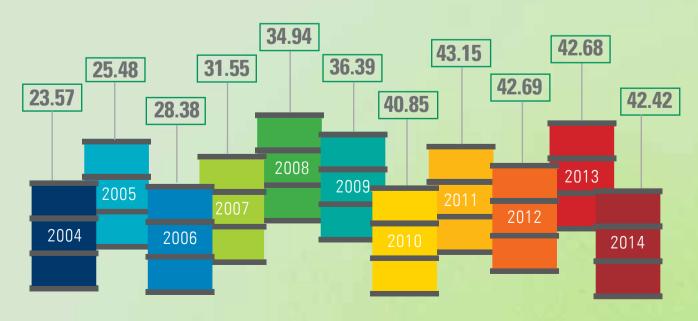
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CONTAINER THROUGHPUT (million TEUS)



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TOTAL SEABORNE CARGO

TOTAL CARGO (in '000 Tonnes)



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	2006	***										 3,109	27.71