PREVENTION AT SEA

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Tip of the Week – Preventing Risk

CASE STUDY #40 PaSea H.EL.M.E.T. Marine Risk Assessment

RISK ELEMENT: Vapour Return Manifolds

MRA FINDING: The word 'VAPOUR' was stenciled with white letters on the vapour manifolds

REF. ISGOTT 7.7.2

THE VAPOUR CONNECTION SHOULD BE CLEARLY IDENTIFIED BY PAINTING THE OUTBOARD ONE METER SECTION WITH YELLOW & RED BANDS AND BY STENCILING THE WORD 'VAPOUR' IN BLACK LETTERS UPON IT.

THIS WAS AN INDICATION THAT THE CREW & THE ASHORE ATTENDEES WERE NOT AWARE OF THE REQUIREMENTS AND FURTHER FAMILIARIZATION WAS REQUIRED.

FURTHERMORE, INSTRUCTIONS REGARDING CORRECT STENCILING OF THE VAPOUR MANIFOLDS HAS TO BE SENT BY THE COMPANY AND RELEVANT FEEDBACK TO BE REQUESTED FROM ALL FLEET VESSELS IN ORDER TO AVOID SUCH REOCCURENCE.

Making Prevention A HABIT!