



STEAMSHIP MUTUAL

To the Members

Dear Sirs,

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LOSS PREVENTION POSTERS

The Managers have recently produced the first in what will be a developing series of Loss Prevention posters for use onboard Members' vessels. These posters compare images of actual examples of bad practice with illustrations of appropriate good practice in order to convey the relevant loss prevention messages. Copies of the first four of these posters are enclosed.

There are currently two series of posters with the following themes:

1. The "Work Safely" series - which addresses safe working practices in order to avoid unnecessary personal injury.
2. The "Stay Shipshape" series- which addresses good seamanship and ship husbandry in order to encourage good seamanlike practice, and the identification and repair of deficiencies before they have the opportunity to give rise to claims.

The Managers firmly believe that crewmembers have an extremely important part to play in loss prevention and we hope that Members will find this material useful in reinforcing the requirement for good seamanship and safe working practices onboard ship. If required, further copies of these posters can be obtained from the loss prevention department of the Managers' London Representatives, and pdf versions can be downloaded from the web-site using the following link: <http://www.simsl.com/loss-prevention-posters.html>

Yours faithfully,

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