

## MCA EMERGENCY TOWING VESSEL – FAR TURBOT – DOVER

## TASKING 1999 – 2000

Incident DTG & Signal Reference	Summary Narrative
<b>FAR TURBOT</b>	
15 <sup>th</sup> September 1999  <b>'DOMAR'</b>  (Tasking 01-99/00)	13:54 Tasked to proceed and standby vessel 'DOMAR', stopped with cooling water problems. 1 – 1.5 hours to repair. 14:20 vessel affected repairs and resumed passage, ETV stood down.
28 <sup>th</sup> September 1999  <b>'EBERHARD'</b>  (Tasking 02-99/00)	18:27 Tasked to proceed and standby vessel 'EBERHARD', stopped 5 miles off Dover with cooling water problems. 20:16 vessel affected repairs and resumed passage to Fawley.
2 <sup>nd</sup> October 1999  <b>'RHINE MASTER'</b>  (Tasking 03-99/00)	09:41 Tasked to standby vessel 'RHINE MASTER', stopped and adrift with engine problem for 1 hour. 10:01 vessel affected repairs and continued its passage to Cork. ETV released from tasking.
5 <sup>th</sup> October 1999  <b>'RED STONE'</b>  (Tasking 04-99/00)	15:22 Tasked to standby vessel 'RED STONE', stopped with engine exhaust valve problem. 17:45 vessel affected repairs and continued its passage. ETV released from tasking at 17:47.
7 <sup>th</sup> October 1999  <b>'REDONIA'</b>  (Tasking 05-99/00)	Tasked to standby vessel 'REDONIA', stopped with engine trouble 10 miles off Ramsgate.
8 <sup>th</sup> October 1999  MSC <b>'MICHELLE'</b>  (Tasking 06-99/00)	Tasked to standby Panamanian container ship 'MICHELLE', stopped with engine trouble 12 miles East of Dover.
9 <sup>th</sup> October 1999  <b>'ADVENTURE'</b>  (Tasking 07-99/00)	Tasked to standby vessel 'ADVENTURE', stopped and anchored with engine trouble 11 miles off Hastings.
22 <sup>nd</sup> October 1999  <b>F2 BUOY</b>  (Tasking 08-99/00)	18:15 Tasked to locate a large green starboard hand buoy (thought to be the Ruytingen South West buoy), after Cross Griz Nez requested assistance. Taken off task 08:12 23/10/99, after Buoy pushed out of Dover range by persistent Southerly winds.

22 <sup>nd</sup> October 1999 <b>'MARINA ACE'</b> (Tasking 09-99/00)	23:03 Tasked to standby vessel 'MARINA ACE', stopped with engine trouble. 23:50 vessel underway, will complete repairs upon arrival at Bremen.
24 <sup>th</sup> October 1999 <b>'NEMTAS'</b> (Tasking 10-99/00)	22:55 Tasked to standby vessel 'NEMTAS', 9 miles East of Dover with engine defect – problem with cooling jackets, estimated repair time 5 or 6 hours. 14:41 25/10/99 repairs complete, vessel underway.
27 <sup>th</sup> October 1999 <b>'SARAH'</b> (Tasking 11-99/00)	01:38 Tasked to standby vessel 'SARAH', stopped with engine trouble.
1 <sup>st</sup> November 1999 <b>'MARGERET KNUPPLE'</b> (Tasking 12-99/00)	23:05 Tasked to standby vessel 'MARGERET KNUPPLE', stopped with engine trouble. 01:00 02/11/99 vessel affected repairs and resumed passage.
2 <sup>nd</sup> November 1999 <b>'LAKE CHAMPLAIN'</b> (Tasking 13-99/00)	13:28 Tasked to standby vessel 'LAKE CHAMPLAIN', stopped and anchored with unidentified engine trouble.
4 <sup>th</sup> November 1999 <b>'ABU EGILA'</b> (Tasking 14-99/00)	22:34 Tasked to standby vessel 'ABU EGILA', stopped with undetermined engine problems.
11 <sup>th</sup> November 1999 <b>'WORLD PROCESS'</b> (Tasking 15-99/00)	09:12 Tasked to proceed full speed and standby vessel 'WORLD PROCESS', stopped and anchored with electrical problem, causing 2 hour blackout. Tasking cancelled as vessel affected repairs and continued on passage for Gibraltar.
11 <sup>th</sup> November 1999 <b>'THEODOR STORM'</b> (Tasking 16-99/00)	21:40 Tasked to escort vessel 'THEODOR STORM', with fuel contamination problems and proceeding at very slow speed. 06:56 tasking cancelled as vessel now out of radar coverage. Last seen heading North, 5 knots ignoring VHF calls.
15 <sup>th</sup> November 1999 <b>'ICE FERN'</b> (Tasking 17-99/00)	13:10 Tasked to standby vessel 'ICE FERN', anchored 14 Miles off Ramsgate with generator trouble. 14:12 Vessel underway and resuming passage.

17 <sup>th</sup> November 1999  <b>'SEALAND ENDEAVOUR'</b>  (Tasking 18-99/00)	No report in file
18 <sup>th</sup> November 1999  <b>'CANDOURITY'</b>  (Tasking 19-99/00)	20:05 Tasked to proceed at full speed to assist at the request of Cross Griz Nez and the Master of the vessel 'CANDOURITY', stopped with engine trouble 10.6 miles from Calais, France. 02:30 19/11/99 ETV had vessel under tow bound for Dover. 06:12 ETV released after arrival off Dover. Casualty towed in to the harbour by Dover tugs.
13 <sup>th</sup> December 1999  <b>'ROYAL BAY'</b>  (Tasking 20-99/00)	15:37 Tasked to proceed at full speed to assist the vessel 'ROYAL BAY', no's 4 & 10 con rods defective. Low oil pressure detected, adrift for some time. Taken under tow by the tug 'SCOTIAN SHORE', arrived safely at Southampton 14/12/99.
25 <sup>th</sup> December 1999  <b>'KUDEN'</b>  (Tasking 21-99/00)	18:25 Tasked to standby vessel 'KUDEN', stopped 2.5 miles off South Varne Light Buoy with engine trouble. 18:54 vessel underway and resuming passage, ETV stood down.
28 <sup>th</sup> December 1999  <b>'PLIVICE'</b>  (Tasking 22-99/00)	05:42 Tasked to standby vessel 'PLIVICE', stopped and adrift with engine trouble, estimated repair time unknown. 12:03 vessel underway and resuming passage, ETV stood down.
5 <sup>th</sup> January 2000  <b>'FOSSELAND'</b>  (Tasking 23-99/00)	23:24 Tasked to standby vessel 'FOSSELAND' carrying 1140MT 'Animal food', stopped and anchored with engine trouble, estimated repair time unknown. 23:38 vessel affected repairs and resumed passage, ETV called off.
8 <sup>th</sup> January 2000  <b>BUOY RECOVERED</b>  (Tasking 24-99/00)	No report in file
12 <sup>th</sup> January 2000  <b>'FIONA'</b>  (Tasking 25-99/00)	10:48 Tasked to standby vessel 'FIONA', stopped and anchored with engine trouble, estimated repair time unknown. 11:12 vessel underway and resuming passage, ETV stood down.

<p>12<sup>th</sup> January 2000</p> <p><b>COLLISION</b></p> <p>(Tasking 25-99/00)</p> <p>(Given the tasking number 25-99/00, should have been 26-99/00)</p>	<p>22:39 Tasked to proceed at full speed to standby and assist vessel 'PASEDNA UNIVERSAL', involved in a collision with cargo vessel 'NORDHEIM'. 01:00 13/01/00 vessel anchored off Dover, ETV to check for damage, structural integrity. No injuries or loss of bunkers reported, 'NORDHEIM' proceeding to St. Malo ETA 23:00. 22:45 'PASEDNA UNIVERSAL' alongside in Dover undergoing MCA &amp; MAIB inspection.</p>
<p>17<sup>th</sup> January 2000</p> <p><b>'LOMZA'</b></p> <p>(Tasking 27-99/00)</p>	<p>Tasked to standby cargo vessel 'LOMZA', adrift with engine problems.</p>
<p>28<sup>th</sup> January 2000</p> <p><b>'ASAANET'</b></p> <p>(Tasking 28-99/00)</p>	<p>Tasked to act as guard ship to the Belgian fishing vessel 'ASAANET', stopped and anchored with nets fast upon obstruction 12 miles off Dungeness Point.</p>
<p>29<sup>th</sup> January 2000</p> <p><b>'ZEELEEUEW'</b></p> <p>(Tasking 29-99/00)</p>	<p>Tasked to assist the Netherlands Tug 'ZEELEEUEW', which developed engine problems 11 miles South East of Hastings.</p>
<p>2<sup>nd</sup> February 2000</p> <p><b>'VIKING PRINCESS'</b></p> <p>(Tasking 30-99/00)</p>	<p>23:19 F/V 'VIKING PRINCESS' reported to be in danger of sinking with 250 gallons diesel in tanks, abandoned in waterlogged condition and taken under tow by ETV. No pollution observed.</p>
<p>5<sup>th</sup> February 2000</p> <p><b>'AASTUN'</b></p> <p>(Tasking 31-99/00)</p>	<p>16:20 Tasked to standby vessel 'AASTUN', anchored with cylinder problems. 23:00 Vessel affected repairs, ETV escorted vessel to the South Varne Buoy.</p>
<p>6<sup>th</sup> February 2000</p> <p><b>'UNITED TRAVELLER'</b></p> <p>(Tasking 32-99/00)</p>	<p>02:19 Tasked to standby vessel 'UNITED TRAVELLER', anchored 11 miles off Ramsgate to change an oil seal on main engine. 04:10 Vessel affected repairs and resumed passage with ETV in escort until 05:12.</p>
<p>6<sup>th</sup> February 2000</p> <p><b>'BLUE ANGEL'</b></p> <p>(Tasking 33-99/00)</p>	<p>No report in file</p>

9 <sup>th</sup> February 2000 <b>'KILCHEM AMERICA'</b> (Tasking 34-99/00)	05:55 Tasked to standby vessel 'KILCHEM AMERICA', adrift with engine problems, lube oil supply to the main engine failed estimated repair time unknown. 06:32 vessel affected repairs and resumed passage, ETV stood down.
12 <sup>th</sup> February 2000 MSC <b>'ADELE'</b> (Tasking 35-99/00)	08:02 Tasked to standby MSC 'Adele', adrift with engine problems, estimated repair time unknown. 08:59 vessel affected repairs to fuel pumps and resumed passage, ETV stood down.
14 <sup>th</sup> February 2000 <b>'LOK MAHESHWARI'</b> (Tasking 36-99/00)	21:44 Tasked to standby Indian vessel 'LOK MAHESHWARI', adrift with fuel line fracture 8 miles off Dover, estimated repair time unknown. Vessel affected repairs and resumed passage; ETV escorted vessel to the Varne Light vessel and returned to patrol duties.
20 <sup>th</sup> February 2000 <b>'VIVALDI'</b> (Tasking 37-99/00)	10:20 Tasked to standby vessel 'VIVALDI', stopped and anchored with engine trouble 7 miles off Dungeness point, estimated repair time 6 hours to replace cylinder head. Vessel affected repairs and resumed passage, ETV stood down.
20 <sup>th</sup> February 2000 <b>RED FLARE</b> (Tasking 38-99/00)	No report in file
21 <sup>st</sup> February 2000 <b>'ATIXCLO'</b> (Tasking 39-99/00)	11:01 Tasked to standby auto-transport 'ATIXCLO', stopped and anchored with engine trouble, estimated repair time unknown. 12:04 vessel affected repairs and resumed passage, ETV stood down to continue with previous orders.
8 <sup>th</sup> March 2000 <b>'NEPTUNIA'</b> (Tasking 40-99/00)	11:09 Tasked to standby vessel 'NEPTUNIA', stopped and anchored with engine problems, while the crew affected repairs.
8 <sup>th</sup> March 2000 <b>'GALVESTON BAY'</b> (Tasking 41-99/00)	12:10 Tasked to standby vessel 'GALVESTON BAY', stopped and adrift in the North East Lane with engine problems. ETV diverted to another DEFREP when vessel reported she was underway.
8 <sup>th</sup> March 2000 <b>'POUL KOSAN'</b> (Tasking 42-99/00)	12:41 Tasked to standby vessel 'POUL KOSAN', which had left South West lane to shut down before affecting repairs to main engine. Estimated 1 hour to change exhaust gasket.

11 <sup>th</sup> March 2000 <b>OIL AT VARNE</b> (Tasking 43-99/00)	01:45 Tasked to proceed toward 'THE VARNE LIGHT FLOAT', to investigate a report from the 'ASIAN CHORUS' of oil in the area, and to take samples and ascertain extent of pollution.
29 <sup>th</sup> March 2000 <b>'VALIANT NADER'</b> (Tasking 44-99/00)	01:06 Tasked to standby vessel 'VALIANT NADER', with main engine problems.