

## **“Cases We Have Known”**

### Summaries of cases in which Crumps recently involved

- “AMORGOS” – Advice to Greek Consul and Master and Chief Engineer of grounded vessel detained in Taiwan.
- “BERTRAM 38” – Protecting foreign buyer’s interest in purchase and export of used motor cruiser.
- “BOLAN” – Instructed on behalf of owners/P&I Club to obtain stay to Pakistan court which successfully obtained.
- “BONSAI” – Dispute and litigation re painting in the rain.
- “CAMFAIR” – Log carrier – cargo recovery in Japan – demise clause.
- “CHANG HUNG 11” c/w “GONEN” – Collision in Taiwan Strait, negotiation of liability and claims on behalf of Taiwanese owners and underwriters.
- “CHINA WINDS” – Defend yacht surveyor against negligence claim.
- “DELTA 62” – Sinking and cargo loss, arrest of ex. Sister vessel in Hong Kong, interlocutory application for release.
- “DONG AN” – Summary judgment for full cargo claim plus interest and costs.
- “DONG DANG 999 / BEI JI 7” – Collision in Hong Kong causing sinking of BJ7 and dangerous chemical cargo in Fairway, sale through court of “DONG DANG 999”.
- “FAIRLINE 43” – Vessel abandoned on Marina, Marina operators lien.
- “FELIZ TRADER” – Deaths of crew after typhoon capsized of log-carrier.
- “GOLDEN CELL” – Salvage under Lloyds Open Form of luxury yacht in British Columbia.
- “GOLDEN DRAGON / ACX SEAGULL” – Fog collision in Hong Kong anchorage.
- “HELENA OF THE ORIENT” – Urgent work for purchaser of luxury motor yacht affected by claims.
- “HENG SHENG XING 218” c/w “RIGEL STAR” – Collision off Tsing Yi and sinking of “HENG SHENG XING 218”, negotiating settlement of ship and life claims where “HENG SHENG XING 218” substantially to blame.

- “HENG TAT” – Advice to P&I Club on Club Cover following upon fatality on board due to crew member falling over board.
- “HER AN / MARETE WONSILD” – Finally distributing “MARETE WONSILD” limitation fund following protracted proceedings in Rotterdam after collision on river Schelde.
- “HONG YUAN” – Advice to P&I Club re cargo claim.
- “HONG YUN YOU 9” – Claim against P&I Club arising out of death of crew member in engine room fire.
- “HULL CZ007” (“SILVER OCEAN”) – Arrest of vessel in Hong Kong in new ownership following shipbuilding dispute in PRC.
- “HYUNDAI STRIDE” – Security for Costs resisted on behalf of P&I interests.
- “ISLAND HOPPER” – Advising buyers of five pleasure vessels built in Zhuhai which did not meet specifications as to potential recourse against the Chinese builders.
- “JETSET II” – Stoppage in transit of yacht.
- “JIN XING / WONG HANG CHUEN” – Fog collision in Hong Kong Eastern approaches – negotiating settlement involving ultimately nil payment by client.
- “KUZMA GNIDASH” – Recovery of shipping joint venture / management charges from court sale proceeds after sale of vessel in Hong Kong Court.
- “LAMO” – Damages for non-shipment of mobile phones.
- “LARA JANE” – Proposed arrest for non-payment of yacht repair charges of luxury yacht about to depart Hong Kong.
- “LPG CARRIER” – Purchase from PRC yard after buyer’s default.
- “M63368A/MAGWAY” – Sinking and death of five crew following collision in Lamma Channel.
- “MAHKUTAI” – Indonesian jurisdiction clause – cargo damage – stay – appeal to Privy Council, ultimate recovery on behalf of cargo underwriters.
- “MARIBOR” – Collision in fog in Lamma Channel with barge in tow of tug.
- “MIN RONG YU” c/w “BUNGA SAGA TIGA” – Recovery of negotiated settlement following running down of fishing vessel in East China sea.

- “MSC KERRY” – Damage to refrigerated cargo.
- “PACIFICA” - Marine cargo insurance - “PHANTOM SHIP”.
- “POLICE 44” collision with motor launch - Defence of commander of police fast patrol craft, charged with failing to maintain a proper lookout.
- “SABRINA VENTURE” – Advice to P&I Club on member’s liability in respect of crew fatality due to entering inert space on vessel.
- “SEA DRAGON” – Following near sinking and salvage of house boat junk, negotiating compromise settlement with underwriters.
- “SOUTHERN AMELIA II” – New building affected by typhoons on maiden voyage – abandonment in listed condition, salvage under Lloyds Form, Defence of PRC builders in London Commercial Court.
- “SPARTI” – Assignment / subrogation re seamen’s wages.
- “SUN PRINCE” – Defending proceedings by mortgagees pursuant to Mortgagee Clause in disputed yacht policy.
- “SUN PRINCE” – Luxury motor yacht allegedly stolen from Marina, defending claim on behalf of underwriters, allegations of assured’s mis-conduct.
- “SUNNY” – Recovery of compensation for dependants of deceased Myanmar crewman.
- “TAI SHAN” – Sale through court of high speed catamaran in respect of substantial arrears for bunker supplies.
- “TONG YUN / WALRUS” – Collision, fire and beaching following fog collision in Hong Kong Eastern approaches.
- “TROPIC BIRD” – Claim on yacht underwriters for loss of yacht on delivery voyage from Hong Kong to Thailand.
- “TRUST” - Arrest to enforce English Arbitration award “Saisir Conservatoire” France.
- “UNI ANGEL” t/s “YUE WEI 108” – Recovery of settlement from owners of transshipment barge which had capsized in Hong Kong harbour.
- “UNIVERSAL MK III / XIN HE SHAN” – High speed ferries collide in fairway in fog.
- “UNNAMED FOUNTAIN 29” – Pleasure vessel left unattended and sank after breaking adrift, successfully resisting claim on behalf of yacht underwriters.

- “UNNAMED VESSEL / WAN HAI” – Loss of life claims following collision and sinking off Hong Kong of unnamed vessel.
- “VINCITA” – Cargo recovery – sea water damage on trans-Pacific voyage.
- “VOSA CARRIER” – Piracy off Hong Kong / Hijacking to mainland China.
- “WAN HAI 161” – Bringing recovery proceedings and negotiating settlement in respect of explosion and fire in containerised cargo.
- Claim against warehouse owner in respect of sprinkler leakage onto electrical goods stored.
- Fatal accident when handling cargo on board barge, recovery of damages on behalf of dependants.
- Ferrari – Claim against repairer for alleged negligence leading to tyre blowout in PRC on rally.
- In re. Cargo Policy – Taking over defence of proceedings on behalf of underwriters alleging fraudulent presentation of claim / breach of warranty.
- Advice and prosecuting claim on behalf of liquidator against cargo underwriters who had wrongfully declined claim for missing cigarettes.
- Alleged breach of transfer of business regulations – implementation of rights of creditors on Transfer of Business (Protection of Creditors) Ordinance.
- Recoveries in respect of numerous cargo loss, shortage and damage claims – marine, air, road, rail on behalf of recovery agents.