



'Giant' Lloyd to lead ICV in Europe

Captain Michael Lloyd, marine adviser and new business manager for dangerous environment training specialist Mines Rescue Marine, has been named senior vice-president of passenger safety lobby group International Cruise Victims Association (ICV). He becomes a member of the ICV board and executive committee.

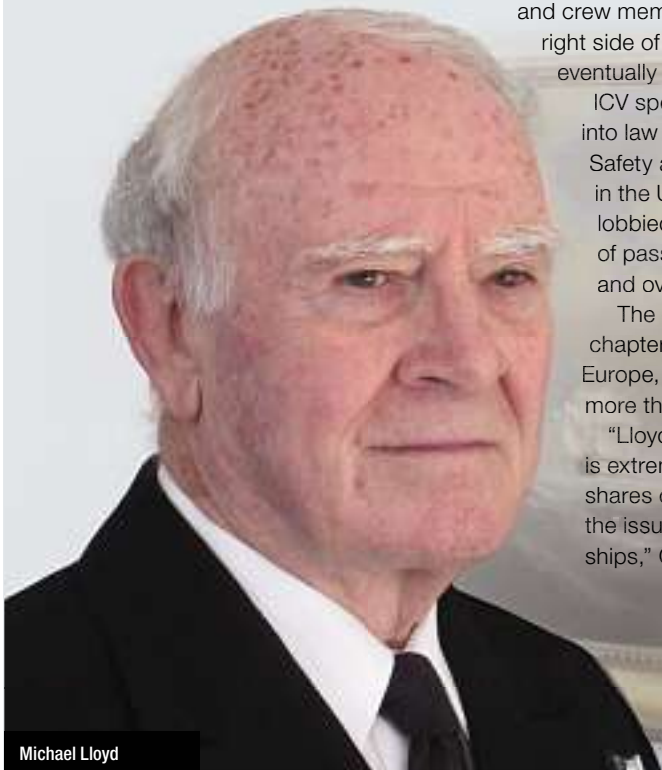
Lloyd, who is resident in the United Kingdom, will be responsible for leading the US-based organisation's efforts in Europe.

Speaking to *Fairplay*, ICV president Kendall Carver described Lloyd as a "giant in the maritime industry". He added: "We are on a long road to bring safety to passengers and crew members but we are on the right side of the issue and we will eventually win this battle."

ICV spearheaded the passing into law of the Cruise Vessel Safety and Security Act (2010) in the United States and lobbied for higher standards of passenger safety in the US and overseas.

The organisation has chapters in Australia and Europe, with representatives in more than 20 countries.

"Lloyd has written extensively, is extremely well known, and shares our passion to address the issues of crimes on all ships," Carver told *Fairplay*.



Michael Lloyd

First Ship Lease Trust loses senior execs

More senior executives have departed Singapore-listed First Ship Lease Trust, chief commercial officer **Vijay Kamath**, 43, being the most recent to leave.

Kamath, who joined FSL Trust in 2008, was described as a "20-year shipping veteran" in FSL Trust's annual report. He had previously held positions with the National Bank of Fujairah in Dubai and Essar Shipping in India.

At the end of September, FSL Trust company secretary **Rebecca**

Cheng resigned with no reason given, along with chief risk officer **Kwa Lay San**.

The departures were preceded by the resignations of former CEO **Philip Clausius**, chairman and director **Wong Meng Meng**, finance chief **Cheong Chee Tham**, and director **Phang Thim Fatt**. The four men cited a difference of opinion with the board.

Former FR8 CEO **Alan Hatton** was appointed in late August as a successor to Clausius.



Vijay Kamath

FSL Trust

Wan Hai Lines founder dies at 85

Chen Chao-chuan, founder of Taiwanese carrier Wan Hai Lines, has passed away at the age of 85.

Chen graduated from the National Taipei College of Business before going on to join his father's enterprise, after which he held a series of positions including president of the China Corporation Register of Shipping and national policy adviser to the Office of the President of the Republic of China.

At present, Chen's family business includes Wan Hai Lines, Shihlin Paper, Eyon

Technology, Formosa Fun Coast, Taipei Port Container Terminal Corporation (TCPC), and a number of invested companies. The asset value of this family, according to the calculation of Taiwan's *Apple Daily*, totalled more than TWD100Bn (\$3.4Bn).

Chen has seven children. His only son, Chen Bo-ting, is at present serving as chairman of Wan Hai Lines.



Chen Chao-Chuan

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