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## The cruise industry

- Big, bigger, biggest.
- Safety record under pressure.
- Increasing responsibilities for shipmasters.
- Strong industry lobby





#### Changing Industry

- Big, bigger, biggest.
- But what about structural & watertight integrity?
- What about lifesaving
- appliances.
- What about abandon
- ship?



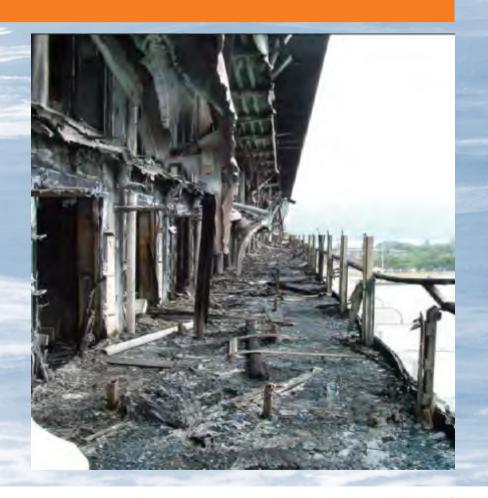


- stability
- angles of heel
- manning levels





- Fire protection.
- Use of materials





Loss of power





- Lifesaving appliances and abandonment
- Crew training (the human element)





## Industry action

- Cruise-line industry
- Professional organisations like IFSMA
- Shippers & insurers



#### **IMO** action

- SLF, MSC, STCW Convention
- Loads of discussions but....



### Key issues

- prevention of collision and grounding
- stability and watertight integrity
- fire protection
- loss of power
- life-saving appliances and abandonment
- crew training (the human element)



# Recommendations for new IFSMA policy

- prevention of collision and grounding
- stability and watertight integrity
- fire protection
- loss of power
- life-saving appliances and abandonment
- crew training (the human element)



