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Ship-Iceberg Collision Incident Report



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Vessel Characteristics

Name: Golden Princess	Prime Mover: Diesel
Flag: Canada	Transmission: Unknown
ASPPR Ice Class: Unknown	Power (kW):
Lloyd's Class: Unknown	# Propellers: 1
Baltic Class: Unknown	Prop. Type: Fixed Pitch (FP)
Vessel Type: Fishing	Service Speed:
Owner: Noble	Stern Form:
Registered Country: Canada	Steel Grade: Unknown
Year of Manufacture: 1989	<u>Miscellaneous Vessel Notes:</u>
Bow Shape: Unknown	Reinforced plastic Fishing vessel.
Stem Angle:	
<u>Dimensions (m):</u>	<u>Mass (tonnes):</u>
Length:	Gross: 136
Beam:	Net: 66
Depth:	Dead:

Collision Details

Date: 25-Jun-1994	Air Temperature: 12
Visibility (nautical miles):	Water Temperature:
Visibility: Good	Wind Speed: 10
Visibility - Fog: Clear	Wave Height:
Visibility - Snow: Clear	Sea State: Moderate
Visibility - Light: Unknown	

Collision Speed:

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Damage Details

Damage Sustained: Yes	Damage Report No. :
Scenario: Unknown	Steel Failure Type: Unknown
Severity: Sinking	Size - Length (m):
Location: Unknown	Size - Height (m):
Code: Hole	Damage Below WL (m):
Length of Downtime:	Damage Above WL - Height (m):
Cost of Downtime:	Damage Above WL - Length (m):
Cost to Repair:	
No. Lives Lost:	
No. Injuries:	Cause of Deaths/Injuries: Unknown
Cargo Loss: Unknown	
Pollution: Unknown	Pollution Potential: Unknown

Cause of Damage:

Striking near Fogo Island [unknown at this time whether ice or ground] though 1 - 5 icebergs reported in area with no bergy bits or growlers.

Damage Description:

Vessel taking on water, was abandoned and eventually sank. Crew saved.

Ice Details

Ice Briefing Received: Unknown

Iceberg Population:

IIP Iceberg Number:

Sea Ice Concentration:

Position of Nearest Known Iceberg:

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Iceberg Shape: Unknown

Latitude: 0 ' " N

Iceberg Size: Unknown

Longitude: 0 ' " W

Length:

Date of Observation:

Width:

Iceberg Tonnage:

Route Details

Geographic Area: Grand Banks

Origin:

Collision Latitude: 49 ° 36 ' 42 " N

Destination:

Collision Longitude: 053 ° 56 ' 00 " W

Distance:

Locale Accuracy: Known

Cargo at Event:

Voyage:

Displacement:

Draft FWD (m):

Captain's Experience: Unknown

Radar Equipped?: Unknown

Radar Details:

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