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BRIEF COMPANY PROFILE

Bona Fide Marine is a successor of "Captain G.A Chettle & Associates", a reputable Marine Surveying and Consulting Firm, Durban branch, which was formed in 1953.

Bona Fide Marine is a Closed Corporation type of company, registered in South Africa, Registration No. CK 1998/056501/23.

Services

Bona Fide Marine specialises in providing General Marine Surveying & Consulting Services to the Marine Industry.

Various services include, but are not limited, to:

- Draft Surveys,
- On/Off Hire Surveys,
- Bunker Surveys (all types),
- Cargo Hold Cleanliness Inspections,
- Cargo Inspections (Pre-Shipment, Cargo Damage/Contamination, etc.),
- Cargo Separation Inspections (in Cargo Holds),
- Cargo Sampling,
- Motor Vehicle Inspections (incl. Stowage & Lashing Inspections),
- Container Unpack/Repack Monitoring, etc., etc.
- Ship's Pre-Purchase Inspections,
- Flag State Inspections (including in Offshore Industry)

Bona Fide Marine surveyors complete, in recent periods, various above mentioned and other inspections/surveys on about 50-60 ships each month, mostly in Durban and Richards Bay Harbours, but also in other Southern African Ports and wider.

In addition to the above, Bona Fide Marine's subsidiary (sister Company) in Richards Bay, **Thor Marine Independent Marine Services** completes further +/- 50 inspections/surveys monthly on various ship's in Richards Bay Harbour.

Clients

The extensive list of other regular Clients in Southern Africa includes:

- Ship's Agents: Wilhelmsen Ships Services, LBH Group, Rennies Ships Agency, Mentor Shipping, Tidal Shipping, etc.,
- Ship Owners/Managers: Hoegh Autoliners, MOL, etc.,
- Other international and local Marine Surveying companies (P & I Associates, Bureau Veritas, SGS, Control Union and others).

In addition, Company's Managing Director Vido Cavor is appointed Inspector/Surveyor for a number of Flag State and Classification administrations, such as:

- The Bahamas Maritime Authority
- Barbados Ships Registry
- China Corporation Register of Shipping (Taiwan)
- Maritime Authority of Jamaica
- International Classification Registry (Singapore) Pty Ltd
- Panama Maritime Authority
- Panama Shipping Registrar Inc.
- Guardian Bureau of Shipping (Syria)
- Sierra Leone International Shipping Registry
- St. Kitts & Nevis International Ships Registry
- ICS Class (Panama)
- Royal Bureau of Shipping (UAE, Tanzania)
- Togolese International Ship Registry
- Conarina (USA)

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Current Personnel

1. Vido Cavor (Director)

- Person in charge of all Dry Cargo Marine Surveying & Consulting in Southern Africa.
- Responsible for maintenance of relevant International Inspection Standards, Procedures, Methods, etc.
- 29 years experience in all aspects of Marine Surveying
- CV attached

2. Terrance Govender (Operations Manager)

- 20 years experience in all aspects of Marine Surveying

3. Turfin Appana (Marine Surveyor)

- 8 years experience in all aspects of Marine Surveying

4. **Pragalathan Naidoo** (Marine Surveyor)
 - 15 years experience in all aspects of Motor Vehicle and Ro-Ro Cargo Inspections, Stowage, lashing, etc.
5. **Adrian Roskruge** (Marine Surveyor)
 - 15 years experience in all aspects of Motor Vehicle and Ro-Ro Cargo Inspections, Stowage, lashing, etc.
6. **Capt. Dave King** (Consultant)
 - 20 years experience in General Marine Surveying
 - Further 19 years experience in Bureau Veritas Ship's Classification Surveying
7. **Netisha Mijan** (PA, Administrator, Accounts)
 - 20 years experience in Marine Industry

In addition to the above full-time Bona Fide Marine employees, and employees of Thor Marine Independent Marine Services in Richards Bay, a network of Approved Sub-Contractors is used from time to time, when required, in all Southern African Ports (names are available on request).

Additional Information

- Bona Fide Marine is a long-standing member of Durban Chamber of Trade Industry.
- Bona Fide Marine is a long-standing contributor to National Sea Rescue Institute.

I believe, based on the above facts, as well as on proven track record over the past years, that **Bona Fide Marine** is in a very good position to provide reliable and professional Marine Surveying & Consulting services in Southern African region and wider.

References are available on request.

Yours faithfully,

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