

SAFETY / Q&A / CERTIFICATIONS Marine Safety Bulletin: 03/15USA

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PRIORITY LEVEL: NORMAL

EQUIPMENT:

LSA's ELECTRIC MOTOR WINCHES AND ASSOCIATED TELESCOPIC SYSTEMS WITH SHOCK ABSORBERS (LIFEBOATS, TENDERBOATS AND RESCUEBOATS STATIONS)

TEMPORARY INSTRUCTIONS VALIDITY AND APPLICABILITY:

Starting date: October, 2015

End date: Upon receiving the final Technical Notice instruction by Manufacturer.

Vessel: M/S Sunshine

BULLETIN CONTENTS AND CLARIFICATIONS:

These temporary instruction are not applicable to a real emergency abandon ship and any lowering operations Extra operating safety instructions to prevent contain unwanted mechanical over-stresses.

This Bulletin applies to every of the following activities:

- 1) Lifeboats / Tenders/ Rescue boats maintenance
- 2) Lifeboats / Tenders/ Rescue boats trainings
- 3) Lifeboats / Tenders/ Rescue boats drills
- 4) Lifeboats / Tenders/ Rescue boats any LSAs service
- 5) Lifeboats / Tenders/ Rescue boats day to day operations

REFERENCE:

Shock absorber tests.

DISTRIBUTION:

N.A.

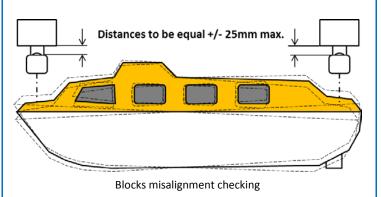
EXTRA OPERATING SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS:

See instructions on next pages.



WINCHES FITTED ON TENDER STATIONS ONLY

- 1. STOP the electrical hoisting when the boat blocks distance is approximately 2÷3m from the davit's block stop on the trolley;
- 2. Make sure that both fall blocks are evenly distanced from the Davit's head:



- 3. Resume the electrical hoisting in LOW speed;
- 4. STOP the hoisting when the blocks are right underneath the davit's trolley at about 10÷20cm.



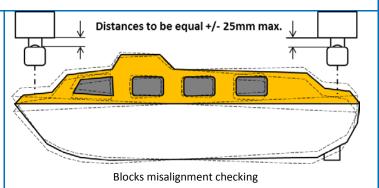
5. Use the hand crank to complete the hoisting maneuver up to the block stop against the trolley.





WINCHES FITTED ON LIFEBOATS & RESCUE BOATS STATIONS ONLY

- 1. STOP the electrical hoisting when the boat blocks distance is approximately 2÷3m from the davit's block stop on the trolley;
- 2. Make sure that both fall blocks are evenly distanced from the Davit's head:



- 3. Resume the electrical hoisting.
- 4. STOP the heaving when the blocks are right underneath the davit's trolley at about 10÷20cm.



5. Use the hand crank to complete the hoisting maneuver up to the block stop against the trolley.



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