



## Captain Zarir Soli Irani, FIIMS

Independent Claims Surveyor,  
Advanced Marine Accident  
Investigator, Expert Witness



- MASTER MARINER FG (Unlimited) from MCA, UK
- MBA, FICS, AFNI, FIIMS, CII, NAMS-CMS
- HAZMAT Course, Warranty surveying course
- Maritime Law-Southampton-short course
- Advanced Accident Investigation course
- NEPIA Loss Prevention course
- Accredited CMID Inspector for offshore vessels.
- Member of Chartered Insurance Institute (CII)-UK
- Fellow, International Institute of Marine Surveying IIMS (Board of Directors)
- Full Member of NAMS CMS Global, USA
- Fellow of International Institute of Chartered Ship Brokers (FICS)
- Regional Director for Antigua & Barbuda Maritime Flag Registration

### PERSONAL PROFILE

Captain Zarir Irani is an Expert witness at DIFC courts & Federal Courts of Appeal at Abu Dhabi, a Master Mariner International claims related expertise as a Survey Principal Marine. He has been a principal consultant since 2004 in the Middle East and has accumulated 28 years of Maritime experience.

Has carried out advanced maritime accident investigation technique workshop.

### EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Principal Marine warranty surveyor and Marine and Claims Consultant, Constellation Marine Services LLC, (Member of Board of Directors)

**April 2007 – Present**

Regional Director, IIMS, (UK)

**October 2007 – Present**

Operations Manager/ Principal Marine Consultant,  
EnR Consultancy

**July 2004 – March 2007**

### TECHNICAL AREA OF EXPERTISE

- ❖ ECMID Inspections
- ❖ Insurance damage and loss adjuster.
- ❖ Collision Investigation of all seagoing vessels and offshore installations.

- ❖ Hull and Structural damage Surveys on board offshore support vessels.
- ❖ Flag Registration Consultants, Hull and Machinery Surveyors.
- ❖ Investigations into grounding, Collisions and/or contact damages.
- ❖ Towing, fastening Surveys, warranty Surveys
- ❖ Investigations into Stoppages at sea, Diversions and delays.
- ❖ Hatch covers Ultrasound inspection. (Training Course from SDT Sherlog)
- ❖ Casualty inspections and Internal Safety Audits.
- ❖ Project Cargo & heavy lifts – Stowage, Lashing approvals and Superintendence.
- ❖ Inquiry into overloading of vessel and/or assisting Master in stability Calculation.
- ❖ Inquiry into Fire and other Marine accidents.
- ❖ Inaccessible cargo space surveys to measure hatch volume.

### RECENT PROJECTS:

- ❖ Expert witness and advisory to the Judge at Federal Courts of Appeal for maritime claims.
- ❖ Material Management Plan for Nuclear Plant.
- ❖ Explosion investigation on Board tankers.
- ❖ E-CMID (AVI) inspector offshore & support vessels.
- ❖ P&I Hull and Machinery Surveys including Ultrasound Hatch Testing
- ❖ Underwater Hull Inspection to Ascertain Hull Damage & Fouling at Anchorage.
- ❖ Rig Moves and Towage Approvals
- ❖ Discharge and Damaged Cargo Survey of Grain in Bulk conducted.
- ❖ Survey to Investigate the Damage to a Steering Gear at Saudi Arabia.
- ❖ Condition Survey of a Mobile Drilling Unit in the field.
- ❖ Conducted magnetic compass Deviation.
- ❖ Pipe Lay Vessel Inspection.
- ❖ Grounding Claims Investigation Oil & Chemical Pollution Investigations
- ❖ Cargo Contamination Claims & Surveys
- ❖ IHM Surveys
- ❖ Towage Approval Surveys, approved by FTA