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# **MARINE SURVEY REPORT**

**Report Number**: 2009S/1539

Date of Inspection: August 2, 2009

**Commissioned by:** to photograph\*, document and determine the cause, nature

and effect of a fractured bulkhead and related damages.

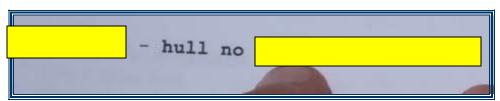
Address:

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**GENERAL** 

Make of Vessel :

HIN/MIC on upper starboard topsides, aft



HIN/MIC from builders' certificate

<sup>\*</sup>A separate file of original digital photographs is available.

#### **SURVEY SITE**

The vessel was inspected afloat at \_\_\_\_\_, Toronto, Ontario. The weather was clear, warm and dry. The owner did attend.

## **SCOPE OF SURVEY**

The purpose of this inspection and survey report is to determine, insofar as possible within the limitations of visual and physical accessibility, through non-invasive and non-destructive means, the vessel's condition at time of survey by reporting deficiencies related to the fracture in the forward saloon bulkhead to starboard of the door.

### Description of deficiencies.

1. The forward saloon bulkhead to starboard of the door shows a horizontal fracture evident on both fore and aft sides of the bulkhead.



**1b.** Bulkhead fracture close-up viewed from saloon. Note gap between door frame mouldings. A close up of this fracture will show vertical and slight horizontal movement along the fracture line.







2. V-berth liner shows a 1" high buckle within the yellow oval.

Generally radial fractures are noted around the cutout in the liner for the transducer as shown by the yellow lines.



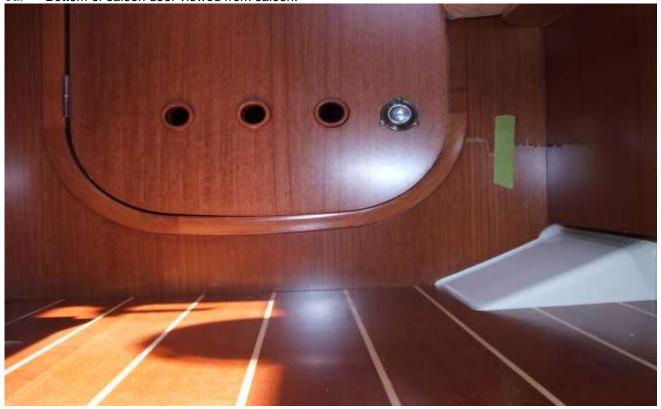
**2a.** Close-up of generally radial fractures in the liner on the aft – outboard side of the transducer cut-out.



3. Top of saloon door viewed from saloon. Saloon door cannot be closed. Frame trim has shifted vertically and horizontally.



**3a.** Bottom of saloon door viewed from saloon.



**4.** Saloon bulkhead and compression post cover viewed from saloon. Arrows show where the compression post cover caulking has separated from the bulkhead. The vertical yellow line shows a separation in the veneer of the compression post cover.



**4a.** Close up showing separated caulking and vertical veneer separation on compression post cover.







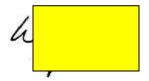
#### **Conclusions**

Cabin trunk, topsides, decks and hull/deck joint appear visibly fair and sound on exterior surfaces. From the interior there appears to have been a significant movement of the side decks, forward saloon bulkhead and compression post cover. This movement was largely vertical with a lesser degree of horizontal movement. The cause of this movement could not be determined without removal of all non structural elements in the suspect area.

#### Recommendation

All joinerwork, cabinetry, wooden cover panels, side deckhead panels and any other wooden structure in contact with the forward saloon bulkhead and compression post should be removed to facilitate a closer inspection of the bulkhead and any supporting structure. Further and more invasive examination may be required.

#### Prepared without prejudice



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