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## REPORTS ON ACTS OF PIRACY AND ARMED ROBBERY AGAINST SHIPS

### Issued monthly - Acts reported during January 2001

1 In pursuance of the Maritime Safety Committee's instruction to the Secretariat to issue monthly reports of all incidents of piracy<sup>1</sup> and armed robbery against ships<sup>2</sup> reported to the Organization and, in addition, to issue, on a quarterly basis, composite reports accompanied by an analysis, on a regional basis, of the situation and an indication whether the frequency of incidents is increasing or decreasing and advising of any new feature or pattern of significance, the annex hereto provides, in the tabulated format agreed by the Committee, the summary of reports on incidents received between 31 December 2000 and 31 January 2001.

2 The total number of acts of piracy and armed robbery against ships so far reported to the Organization is 2,195, an increase of 66 since 31 December 2000.

3 Previous incidents reported to the Organization since the fifty-ninth session of the Committee have been circulated by various MSC circulars, those issued during the last quarter of 2000 being MSC/Circ.976, MSC/Circ.977 and MSC/Circ.985.

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<sup>1</sup> "Piracy" is defined in the 1982 United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS) (article 101) as follows:

"Piracy consists of any of the following acts:

- (a) any illegal acts of violence or detention, or any act of depredation, committed for private ends by the crew or the passengers of a private ship or a private aircraft, and directed:
  - (i) on the high seas, against another ship or aircraft, or against persons or property on board such ship or aircraft;
  - (ii) against a ship, aircraft, persons or property in a place outside the jurisdiction of any State;
- (b) any act of voluntary participation in the operation of a ship or of an aircraft with knowledge of facts making it a pirate ship or aircraft;
- (c) any act inciting or of intentionally facilitating an act described in sub-paragraph (a) or (b)."

<sup>2</sup> "Armed robbery against ships" is defined in the draft Code of Practice for the Investigation of the Crimes of Piracy and Armed Robbery Against Ships (MSC/Circ.984) (article 2.2) as follows:

"Armed robbery against ships means any unlawful act of violence or detention or any act of depredation, or threat thereof, other than an act of "piracy", directed against a ship or against persons or property on board such ship, within a State's jurisdiction over such offences."



**ANNEX**

**Acts of piracy and armed robbery allegedly committed against ships reported by  
Member States or international organizations in consultative status**

Nº	Ship's name Type of ship Flag Gross tonnage IMO No.	Date  Time	Position of the incident*	Details of the incident	Consequences for crew, ship, cargo	Action taken by the master and the crew	Was the incident reported to the coastal authority? Which one?	Reporting State or international organization	MSC/Circ. 989 ANNEX Page 1
									Action by the coastal State
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1	OCEAN WINNER Oil tanker Singapore 2171 7232846	05/01/00	01°44'.00N 102°33'.00E Off Tg. Tohor Malacca Strait	Pirates boarded the ship while underway	Ship's equipment stolen	-	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
2	CARNATION Container ship Malaysia 4226 7232846	10/01/00	01°43'.00N 102°36'.00E Off Tg. Tohor Malacca Strait	Pirates attempted to board the ship while underway	-	-	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
3	AQI General cargo ship Liberia 11477 7716373	12/01/00	01°51'.50N 102°28'.00E Off Tg. Tohor Malacca Strait	Pirates boarded the ship while underway	Cash and ship's property stolen	-	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
4	MALAYAN EMPRESS General cargo ship Malaysia 1577 8106719	17/01/00	01°43'.70N 102°31'.50E Off Tg. Tohor Malacca Strait	Pirates boarded the ship while underway	Ship's cash stolen	-	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
5	HANG TA Bulk carrier Panama 38898 9149354	04/02/00	Malacca Strait	An attempted attack was foiled while underway	-	-	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
6	NAME NOT REPORTED Bulk carrier	01/03/00	Surabaya (Indonesia)	About 20 armed robbers boarded the ship while at berth	During the attack armed robbers threw stones and Molotov cocktails injuring one crew member	Alert crew repelled armed robbers	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
7	FLYING OFFICER NIRMAL JIT SINGH SEKHON PVC Oil tanker India 28704 8311170	06/04/00	(India)	Armed robbers boarded the ship while at berth	Fuel oil valve tampered with	-	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-

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8	SLFA 1207 Fishing vessel Malaysia	18/04/00	One Fathom Bank Malacca Strait	Pirates boarded the fishing vessel while underway	Ship's cash stolen	-	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
9	TFA 522 Fishing vessel Malaysia	06/05/00	Pulau Lima, Trengganu (Malaysia)	Armed robbers boarded the fishing vessel while underway	Ship's catch and money stolen	-	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
10	RIBUAN JAYA General cargo ship Malaysia 1466 6812687	27/05/00	01°56'.00N 102°21'.00E Off Pulau Undan Malacca Strait	Pirates boarded the ship while underway	Cash (RM6500) and personal valuables stolen	-	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
11	BUILDER General cargo ship Malaysia 1079 7522916	31/05/00	01°53'.00N 102°25'.00E Off Pulau Undan Malacca Strait	An attempted attack was foiled while underway	-	-	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
12	KOA SPIRIT Oil tanker Bahamas 62619 9171838	01/06/00	01°47'.00N 102°28'.00E Off Tg. Tohor Malacca Strait	An attempted attack was foiled while underway	-	-	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
13	HELLAS Container ship Liberia 72934 8010960	08/06/00	01°56'.00N 102°18'.00E Off Pulau Undan Malacca Strait	An attempted attack was foiled while underway	-	-	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
14	CHAHAYA VICTORY General cargo ship Honduras 743 8031641	12/06/00	01°53'.00N 102°25'.00E Off Pulau Undan Malacca Strait	Pirates boarded the ship while underway	Ship's documents and cash stolen	-	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-

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15	MAD EXPRESS Barge carrier France 1000	04/07/00	Bargal anchorage (Somalia)	Armed robbers boarded the ship and detained her while at anchor	All nine crew members taken hostage and ransom money demanded for the release of the crew and ship. The owners negotiated with the armed robbers	-	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
16	AL BADIYAH Oil tanker Kuwait 26356 8619443	04/07/00	Bandar Abbas anchorage (Iran (Islamic Republic of))	Armed robbers boarded the ship while at anchor	Ship's stores stolen	-	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
17	ERATO Yacht Greece	27/07/00	Nafplion (Greece)	An armed robber hijacked the yacht while at anchor and demanded the yacht be sailed to Morocco	The skipper and family of four held hostage. The Hellenic Coast Guard rescued the five in a gun battle with the armed robber, during which one Coast Guard officer was shot in the stomach and the armed robber was gunned down. All five hostages were safely landed ashore	-	Yes. Hellenic Coast Guard informed	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	Hellenic Coast Guard rescued the family
18	JHF 49B Fishing vessel Malaysia	15/08/00	Off Tg. Laboh Malacca Strait	Pirates boarded the fishing vessel while underway	Cash and fishing vessel stolen	-	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
19	JHF 885B Fishing vessel Malaysia	15/08/00	Off Tg. Laboh Malacca Strait	Pirates boarded the fishing vessel while underway	Cash (RM30,000) and fishing vessel stolen	-	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
20	SALAH ALDEEN General cargo ship United Arab Emirates 15455 7612565	30/08/00	02°30'.00N 101°36'.00E Malacca Strait	An attempted attack was foiled while underway	-	-	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-

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21	STOLT BOTON Oil tanker Liberia 18093 9162459	15/09/00	01°46'.00N 102°29'.00E Off Tg. Tohor Malacca Strait	An attempted attack was foiled while underway	-	-	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
22	JUTA JAYA General cargo ship Malaysia 2596 7032260	21/09/00	01°38'.30N 102°50'.00E Off Tg. Labuh Malacca Strait	An attempted attack was foiled while underway	-	-	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
23	C BRIGHT Oil tanker Panama 159422 9108154	22/09/00	01°49'.00N 102°22'.00E Off Pulau Undan Malacca Strait	An attempted attack was foiled while underway	-	-	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
24	XPRESS RESOLVE Container ship Cyprus 8431 8126812	26/09/00	01°56'.00N 102°17'.00E Off Pulau Undan Malacca Strait	An attempted attack was foiled while underway	-	-	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
25	DAMANSARA Oil tanker Malaysia 1598 8421614	26/09/00	01°47'.00N 102°37'.00E Off Tg. Tohor Malacca Strait	A boat with eight pirates approached the ship but failed to board while underway	-	-	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
26	ATLANTIC PIONEER Multi purpose ship Cyprus 12993 9190080	09/10/00	Rio Haina (Dominican Republic)	Robbers armed with knives boarded the ship from a small boat while at berth	-	Anti-piracy watch spotted the armed robbers, raised alarm and chased them away	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
27	BOWDITCH Special purpose ship United States 4260 9075216	12/10/00	05°46'.60N 086°06'.20E Indian Ocean	A forty-foot fishing boat approached the ship while underway and came within 20 feet of the ship. Pirates, two of them concealing weapons in their waistbands, demanded money from the crew. The ship's crew displayed small arms and the boat retreated	-	-	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-

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28	COLE Warship United States 8000	12/10/00	Aden anchorage (Yemen)	A boat loaded with explosives rammed into the ship while being moored and exploded	Seventeen sailors killed and 32 others injured. Explosion damaged the ship and caused a huge hole in the hull	-	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
29	TEVAL Container ship Malta 14865 9081734	15/10/00 03:45 Hrs	Abidjan container terminal (Côte d'Ivoire)	An armed robber used a bamboo ladder to board the ship from the seaward side and escaped in a motorboat waiting below with two accomplices	Ship's property stolen	Crew alerted	Yes. Harbour Master's office and port police informed	BIMCO	-
30	SAMTUNG 001 Fishing vessel Belize 556 7238412	21/10/00	Anchorage between Singapore and Batam Island	Eight Indonesian pirates boarded the ship while at anchor and demanded ransom money for the release of the crew	Four of the crew taken hostage. Captain and one other crew member released. The Captain was hospitalised	-	Yes. Owners in Hong Kong, China informed	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
31	SHAMYA Oil tanker Bangladesh	01/11/00	Klabadar river anchorage (Bangladesh)	Armed robbers boarded the ship while at anchor	Master and another Officer injured and crew's cash and valuables stolen	-	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
32	MANIK MIA-2 General cargo ship Bangladesh	01/11/00	Elisha river anchorage (Bangladesh)	Armed robbers boarded the ship while at anchor	Two crew members assaulted and injured and their cash and valuables stolen	-	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
33	MUNMUN SETU General cargo ship Bangladesh	01/11/00	Elisha river anchorage (Bangladesh)	Armed robbers, pretending to be Government officials, boarded the ship while at anchor	Master assaulted and injured and crew's cash and valuables stolen	-	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
34	AZTLAN Bulk carrier Panama 26047 9118434	04/11/00 03:00 Hrs	Owendo anchorage (Gabon)	Armed robbers boarded the ship while at anchor but were spotted on the ship's forecastle	-	Duty Officer raised alarm preventing anything from being stolen	-	BIMCO	-
35	AGIOS NIKOLAOS S General cargo ship Cyprus 3984 7627601	06/11/00 05:00 Hrs	Lagos anchorage (Nigeria)	Two boats carrying fifteen armed robbers came alongside the ship while at anchor. Four of the robbers armed with knives boarded the ship	Watchman's life threatened and three mooring ropes stolen	-	Yes. Lagos port control informed	BIMCO	-
36	SPLENDOUR General cargo ship Saint Vincent and the Grenadines 16491 7620574	06/11/00 03:00 Hrs	Abidjan anchorage (Côte d'Ivoire)	Four robbers heavily armed boarded the ship via the anchor chain while at anchor	Watchman threatened and ship's property stolen	Alert crew prevented further boarding	-	BIMCO	-

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37	GINA Chemical tanker Norway (NIS) 17958 7359412	07/11/00 03:00 Hrs	Rio Haina Terminal (Dominican Republic)	Six armed robbers boarded the ship via a bamboo ladder while at berth. They broke into the bridge and the engine room. When the alarm was sounded the armed robbers panicked, fired flares and threw metal objects to evade capture and escaped by jumping into the water	Two crew members injured and ship's property stolen	General alarm sounded	Yes. Attempted to contact port authorities by VHF	BIMCO	-
38	MSC ANDES General cargo ship Liberia 18000 8902125	08/11/00 23:10 Hrs	Guayaquil anchorage (Ecuador)	Twelve armed robbers boarded the ship while at anchor, about five miles from the Guayaquil sea buoy	Four containers opened	-	-	BIMCO	-
39	BANGLA MUNI Container ship Bangladesh	09/11/00	01°46'.00N 102°27'.00E Malacca Strait	About 15 pirates boarded the ship while underway	Crew's cash and documents stolen	-	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
40	IBN QUTAIBAH General cargo ship Saudi Arabia 15455 7428964	12/11/00	Mongla (Bangladesh)	Four wooden boats approached the ship while at anchor	Inspection showed some ship's stores stolen	Anti-piracy watch prevented armed robbers from boarding	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
41	AGIOS NIKOLAOS S General cargo ship Cyprus 3984 7627601	13/11/00 06:00 Hrs	Lagos (Nigeria)	Four robbers armed with knives boarded the ship whilst at berth using grappling hooks	Watchman's life threatened and ship's property stolen	Crew and local watchmen spotted armed robbers and pushed them in the water	Yes. Lagos port control informed.	BIMCO	-
42	NAME NOT REPORTED Ferry Bangladesh	14/11/00	Padma river (Bangladesh)	Armed robbers boarded the ferry while underway	32 passengers wounded, all livestock stolen and passengers' and crew's belongings stolen	-	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
43	NIKOLAJ KANTEMIR General cargo ship Russian Federation 3972 8901004	09/12/00 17:55 Hrs	Abidjan (Côte d'Ivoire)	Ten robbers armed with knives drove up in a car right alongside the ship while at berth. The ship's deck was level with the quay at the time, enabling the armed robbers to jump straight on board. The attack was executed whilst the stevedores were having a break between shifts	Two drums of colorant stolen	Two port unarmed security watchmen watched helplessly as the attack was executed	Yes. Port authorities informed	BIMCO	Authorities arrived after the armed robbers had left

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44	BARONESS Oil tanker Singapore 50108 7913294	18/12/00	Berth No.2, Cilacap (Indonesia)	Robbers armed with knives boarded the ship while at berth	Oiler on duty taken hostage and ship's stores stolen	-	-	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
45	DUTCH CONCRETE Yacht Netherlands	27/12/00 00:15 LT	Puerto Santos Bay (Venezuela)	The 43 foot sailing boat was anchored 1/2 mile off the beach when three robbers armed with fire arms boarded. They forced the skipper at gun point to move the yacht out of the bay and stop. The armed robbers then left	Skipper and crew forced to lie down and tied up. Moveable gear including radios and navigational equipment and money stolen	Alarm raised	Police, Harbour Authority and Coast Guard informed through ONSA	ISF	-
46	RESPECT Product tanker Singapore 22607 8808513	31/12/00 04:00 LT	Berth No.1, Pertamina Oil Terminal (Indonesia)	Five robbers armed with weapons boarded the ship	Duty oiler tied up at knife-point and engine spares stolen	Alarm raised and crew mustered	Yes. Local agents and terminal security informed.	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
47	HALIA Oil tanker Liberia 28277 9047362	06/01/01 04:00 LT	Balikpapan port (Indonesia)	Two armed robbers boarded the ship while alongside, via the fire wire on the ship's port side bow. They jumped overboard when they heard the alarm. An unknown number of armed robbers were spotted in a boat nearby	-	Alarm raised. Crew and officers rushed to the area	Yes. SAR Djakarta informed	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
48	RENGGANIS Oil tanker Singapore 2543 9064217	08/01/01 05:00 LT	00°51'.07N 105°06'.94E Off Kepulauan Riau	Fifteen pirates armed with pistols, long knives and other weapons boarded the ship and took control	Officers and crew hit and ship's stores and valuables stolen	-	Yes. SAR Djakarta informed	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
49	BRITISH ARGOSY Oil tanker United Kingdom (Bermuda) 23967 8817667	09/01/01 04:00 LT	Balikpapan anchorage (Indonesia)	Alert crew spotted a small boat approached the forecastle area of the ship while at berth. A second boat approached the stern of the ship and armed robbers boarded at the same time	Mooring rope and lifebuoys stolen	Lights directed on the first boat	Yes. SAR Djakarta informed	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
50	SEAVINHA Oil tanker Malta 23930 8607828	09/01/01 02:00 LT	04°09'.00N 006°59'.05E  (Nigeria)	Armed robbers boarded the ship whilst at anchor via the hawse pipe	-	Alert crew sounded alarm	Yes. National Maritime Authority in Nigeria informed	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-

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51	X-PRESS MALABAR Container ship Malta 7723 7510341	09/01/01 19:05 LT	Kochi anchorage (India)	One armed robber boarded the ship while at anchor. The armed robber jumped overboard and escaped in an unlit boat with nine accomplices	-	Crew confronted the armed robber	Yes. Coast Guard, India informed	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
52	IR BROOJERDI	10/01/01 01:30 LT	Belawan anchorage (Indonesia)	Five armed robbers in a wooden boat attempted to board the ship from the hawse pipe	-	Alert crew noticed the armed robbers, raised the alarm and mustered preventing boarding	Yes. SAR Djakarta informed	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
53	BARBET ARROW Bulk carrier Bahamas 27470 8324373	10/01/01 01:15 LT	Tema anchorage (Ghana)	Two armed robbers boarded the ship via the hawse pipe, but they jumped overboard and escaped in a small canoe when spotted	-	Duty watchman spotted armed robbers, raised general emergency alarm and sounded ship's whistle	Yes. MRCC Ghana informed	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
54	JO LIND Chemical tanker Netherlands 19809 8101305	12/01/01 23:55 LT	4.5 miles NW of Fairway buoy, Kochi anchorage (India)	An armed robber boarded the ship while at anchor via the anchor chain and fled when spotted in a boat with 10 accomplices	-	Anti-piracy crew spotted the armed robber and informed the bridge. The Duty Officer raised the alarm. Water sprayed at hawse pipes. Fire pump kept running after the incident	Yes. Port control and Coast Guard Chennai, India informed	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
55	BALAJI VINTAGE Bulk carrier India 21968 8025317	13/01/01 02:45 LT	Jakarta anchorage (Indonesia)	An armed robber boarded the ship from port side and passed a rope down for other armed robbers to climb up on. The armed robber jumped overboard when spotted and escaped in a boat with 10 accomplices	-	Anti-piracy crew saw the armed robber and informed the Duty Officer who raised the alarm	Yes. Port authority and SAR Djakarta informed	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	Coast Guard patrol boat sent to conduct a search in the area
56	SOUTHWAY Bulk carrier Cyprus 11124 7821635	16/01/01	Douala Port (Cameroon)	Three armed robbers boarded the ship while alongside and broke into the forward paint store	Duty Officer chased by robber armed with a long knife. Some paint stolen	Duty Officer spotted armed robbers	Yes. Douala port police, Cameroon and harbour master informed	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
57	KRISTAL Oil tanker Malta 17954 7333860	17/01/01 08:55 LT	Kakinada (North inner anchorage) (India)	Several fishing boats with armed robbers surrounded the ship. An armed robber boarded from one of the boats and jumped into the water after stealing	Mooring rope and ship's stores stolen	-	Yes. Port central, police and Coast Guard HQ, India informed	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-

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58	LINGFIELD Gas carrier-LPG Panama 3901 8619405	18/01/01 20:37 LT	Mongla River anchorage (Bangladesh)	Two robbers armed with long knives boarded the ship. They jumped overboard and escaped in two boats when alarm sounded	Four shore watchmen and two seamen attacked	Duty Officer raised alarm, sounded horn and mustered crew	Yes. Harbour control and Coast Guard, Bangladesh informed	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
59	SIAM VEERA Oil tanker Thailand 1242 7607986	18/01/01 03:00 LT	Balikpapan anchorage (Indonesia)	Several robbers armed with crowbars tried to board the ship from a small boat. They escaped	-	Duty Officer spotted armed robbers, raised alarm and flashed searchlights on them	Yes. SAR Djakarta informed	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
60	SEA LARK Container ship Singapore 8654 8401054	20/01/01 01:30 LT	Panjang anchorage (Indonesia)	Three armed robbers boarded the ship while at anchor	Second Officer seized by the armed robbers and hit over the head. He managed to contact the bridge Duty Officer by walkie talkie. Ship's stores stolen	Alarm raised	Yes. SAR Djakarta informed	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
61	TORM ALEXANDRA General cargo ship Malta 3972 8912821	20/01/01 04:15 Hrs	Abidjan (Côte d'Ivoire)	Several robbers armed with knives and steel pipes boarded the ship while at berth. They ignored shouts from the crew and had no apparent fear of the shore watchmen as they casually left the ship and nonchalantly loitered on the quay before leaving the harbour area	Two bags of cocoa stolen	Crew alerted	Yes. Port control informed	BIMCO	-
62	PETRO NAVIGATOR Oil tanker Papua New Guinea 1711 8619003	22/01/01 06:45 LT	Lorengau, Manus Island (Papua New Guinea)	Fifteen armed robbers boarded the ship while underway and escaped in the boat which had been launched to assist in mooring	One police officer injured and his firearm stolen and ship's boat stolen	Crew resisted and called police for help. Armed police officers boarded the ship and struggle ensued	Yes. Police and RCC Port Moresby informed	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	Police boarded ship
63	SONG HE Container ship China 24438 8514590	23/01/01 02:10 LT	01°15'.09N 103°24'.10E  (Indonesia)	Five armed robbers boarded the ship while underway and fled when alarm raised	-	Alarm raised	Yes. Maritime and port authority, Singapore and SAR Djakarta informed	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
64	CEMENTIA Bulk carrier Panama 3739 6721474	27/01/01 04:20 LT	03°47'.12N 098°41'.98E Belawan port (Indonesia)	The crew spotted four armed robbers on the ship while at berth	240 litres of paint stolen	-	Yes. Harbour master and SAR Basarnas informed	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-

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65	HIBISCUS Container ship Malaysia 4126 7726976	30/01/01 04:36 LT	01°19'.00N 103°19'.00E Malacca Strait	Pirates attempted to board the ship from a speedboat while underway	-	Alert crew prevented boarding	Yes. VTS Johor and SAR Basarnas informed	ICC-IMB PRC Kuala Lumpur	-
66	SENRITA Bulk carrier Norway 25982 8324385	14/11/01 21:00 Hrs	Port Said anchorage (Egypt)	A crewmember posted at the gangway was approached by a security guard who asked for a cup of coffee. The crewman informed the guard that he could not leave his post and in any case he did not have the key to the mess which was locked at the time. The guard suddenly drew his pistol, cocked it, and held it to the crewman's forehead. Stepping back the crewman turned and ran towards the accommodation entrance with the guard chasing him and with the pistol trained on the crewman's back. As they reached the accommodation entrance, the crewman told the guard that he would inform the Master and port agent of his action. Only then did he cease to threaten the crewman	Crewmember threatened	Crew alerted	-	BIMCO	-

\*The position given should be as accurate as possible including latitude and longitude co-ordinates or as a bearing and distance from a conspicuous landmark