

## Cruise Ship Sustainability

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### Purpose

- Describe who we are
- Discuss our evolutions while in port
- Discuss what can go wrong
- Discuss sustainability initiatives
- Solicit your ideas for how we can work together better
- Answer any questions you may have

























## Carnival Corporation & plc

Currently 82 ships in operation

- Ten brands
- Operate from more than 20 ports world wide
- Call at more than 400 ports worldwide
- More than 7 million guests annually (project over 10 million by 2011)

## **Company History**

#### A "young" company with some "old" pieces

- 1972: Carnival Cruise Lines formed wth one ship
- 1987: Initial public offering of stock
- 1989: Holland America Line acquired
- 1992: Seabourn Cruise Line acquired
- 1997: Costa Cruises acquired
- 1998: Cunard Line acquired
- 2003: Merged with P&O Princess Cruises plc
  - Princess Cruises
  - P&O Cruises
  - AIDA Cruises
  - Ocean Village

Aggressive new construction program

## Sustainability Issues

#### Logistics

- Berthing arrangements
- Port access for service contractors
- Longshoreman activity
- Safety
  - Self-sufficient for routine activities
  - Emergency response from port/local agencies
- Environmental protection
  - Spill prevention
  - Discharges
  - Air emissions
- Security
  - Most reliance on port authorities

## **Turn Around Port Activities**

- Guest embarkation
- Supply onload





- Waste offload
- Security provision





## Port Visit Security

Port assessments

 Conducted prior to first visit
 Repeated periodically

 Assessment standard issued to:

- Ensure common approach across brands

Allow sharing and common acceptance

### Port Assessment Elements

General information & contact details

- Status of ISPS compliance
- Identification of responsibilities
- Availability & capability of shoreside and waterside patrols
- Ship planned berth location
- Communication procedures
- Local security concerns and risks

#### Port Assessment Elements: Perimeter Security

- Assess the port's "outer" perimeter
- Check contiguous fence line with breaks manned by security personnel
- Look for areas vulnerable to breach



#### Port Assessment Elements: Security Notifications

- Look for signs that notify approaching persons of security zone
- Check for signage at all entry points and strategic locations



#### Port Assessment Elements: Pier Side Security Zone

- Materials for temporary security zone near vessel
- Marshalling area remote from ship to screen provisions
- Contiguous "inner" perimeter manned at all breaks



#### Port Assessment Elements: Standoff Distance



#### Port Assessment Elements: Access Control

- Identification confirmation
- X-ray
- Archway metal detector
- Secondary screening
- Vehicle screening
- Explosive detection
- Cameras and alarms



## General Port Call Security Considerations during Visits

- Security arrangements
  - Designed to present "hard target"
  - Addresses vulnerabilities identified in port assessment
  - Addresses known threats
- Communications
  - PFSO available to meet with ship
  - Declaration of Security completed if required
  - Frequent, open, easy communication (e.g. radio exchange)
- Joint drills and/or exercises when appropriate
- Incident response
  - First response by ship/shore personnel
  - Proximity and responsiveness of local government security forces and law enforcement

Despite Our Best Efforts... Things Do Go Wrong

Most "big" things go wrong at sea
 But require rapid return to port
 Often require highest level of support

Most "little" things go wrong in port

## A Few Recent Headlines

Sea Sick -- Infection Outbreaks Challenge the Cruise Ship Experience

Cruise Ship Can't Shake Flu Bug Virus Outbreak Reported for Second Straight Voyage

Cruise Liner Dumps Oil in Paradise

Fire Breaks Out aboard Cruise Ship; One Dead

14 Seriously Hurt When Cruise Ship Rolls Off Port Canaveral

Pirates Attack Cruise Ship

## Seabourn Spirit Pirate Attack



5 Nov 2005 Near Somalia







## Star Princess Balcony Fire



## Most "Little" Things Don't Make the Headlines (Fortunately!!)

 Accidents handling supplies



Small spills





## Sustainability Initiatives

- Packaging
- Recycling
- Waste Treatment
  - Advanced Wastewater Treatment
  - Plasma Arc Incinerator
- Air Emissions Reductions
  - Gas Turbine Engines
  - Biofuels
  - Exhaust Scrubber
  - Shore Power

## Recycling



- Solid waste
  - Paper
  - Metals
  - Glass
- Industrial waste
  - Batteries
  - Fluorescent bulbs
  - Cooking oil



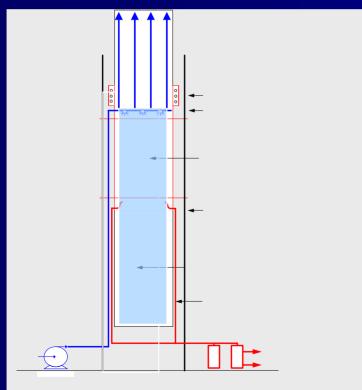
## Air Emissions



COMPONENTS
Particulate
Sox
NOx
CO<sub>2</sub>

#### Seawater Scrubber Applying Shore Technologies at Sea

#### Scrubbed air exhaust



- Exhaust routed through seawater bath.
- "Scrubbing" benefits:
  - Almost complete elimination of SOx emissions
  - Substantially reduces particulate matter
  - Decreases NOx emissions
- Benefits at sea and in port.

## Shore Power in Juneau, AK



# Suggestions?

What should we do differently?

What can we do better?

**Questions?**