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In The Name Of God

Dear Captain, Good Day, Kindly note that recently explosion in cargo hold occurred on board one of our fleet vessel, fully loaded with iron ore & en-route to disch. port,which led to human injury, damage to ship's structure & affecting of ship's cargo & her commercial schedule.

Investigation revealed that shipper declaration of cargo not been submitted to master before commencement of loading and there was discrepancy of information in various cargo documents.

As per company & international regulations, the shipper is obliged to provide cargo declaration to the master which contain the actual characteristic of the cargo.Also, cargo information in all relevant documents such as shipper declaration, M/R, manifest as well as voyage instruction has to be the same,without any discrepancy & misguidance of master.

If any of mentioned obligations not fulfilled by shipper prior & during loading operation, proper action has to be taken by master including prevention of loading commencement, issuance of LOP, NOP as applicable, informing of head office concerned departments, collecting of adequate supporting documents, etc for protecting of owners benefits & protection of life & property on board.

You are requested to confirm receipt, discuss the contents in the next consolidated meeting on board & keep a copy in the file DA-11 .

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