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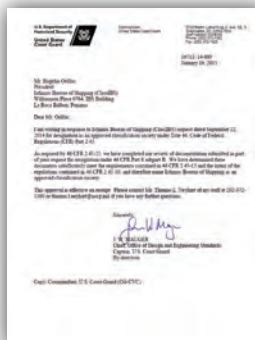
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PROFILE

Since its founding in 1995, Isthmus Bureau of Shipping also known as **ClassIBS**, has been dedicated to protecting the environment and ensuring the safety of lives and property at sea.

ClassIBS, an esteemed Independent Classification society, is committed to ensuring operational and regulatory compliance by providing reliable, dependable, and trustworthy services. Our team possesses technical expertise and professionalism guaranteeing dedicated serving our clients.



SHIP CLASSIFICATION

As a classification society our responsibility is to verify that vessels are maintained in accordance with applicable **ClassIBS Rules** for design, construction and/or periodic survey. **ClassIBS** is an essential link in the overall safety chain of the marine industry.

- NEW BUILDING
- PLAN APPROVAL
- VESSELS IN OPERATION
- TYPE APPROVAL



The society's set of Rules standards are updated as deemed necessary so as to embrace new technical requirements.

STATUTORY AND FLAG STATE SERVICES

Statutory work is carried out in strict compliance with the IMO's **international conventions** and codes, as well as per the national regulations of the Flag States, **ClassIBS is authorized by more than 15 Flag State Administrations** to carry out statutory certification on their behalf. Major international conventions and codes directly relevant to the surveying and certification activities of ClassIBS include the following:

- SOLAS
- MARPOL
- Tonnage
- ISM
- ISPS
- Maritime Labour Convention
- Ballast Water Management
- HK Convention – IHM
- AFS
- CSC I972
- Other Codes as: IMDG / IMSBC / MODU / NOx / IP / SPS



Amongst the following Flag States:



PORT STATE CONTROL

ClassIBS's dedication to Quality Shipping as well as its commitment towards continuous Port State Control (PSC) improvement, signifies a major non-stop objective for the society. Several components were adopted to include:

- Maintaining contacts with the corresponding MOUs
- Concrete actions to vessels having shown an increased detention ratio
- Improved monitoring process for each detention and especially to those attributed to **ClassIBS** by PSC.
- Thorough review of vessels previous PSC performance history (among others), prior deciding for vessel's entry with **ClassIBS**.
- PSC Concentrated Inspection Campaigns (CIC) as applied by several MOU Authorities is also monitored.

As a result of the above, significant improvement over **ClassIBS's** PSC statistics and performance has been witnessed for the past 3 years.

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WORLDWIDE SERVICES NETWORK



America

1. Argentina
2. Brazil
3. Canada
4. Colombia
5. Ecuador
6. Guyana
7. Mexico
8. Panama
9. Paraguay
10. Peru
11. United States
12. Uruguay

Europe

13. Denmark
14. Germany
15. Greece
16. Italy
17. Netherlands
18. Romania
19. Spain
20. Turkey
21. United Kingdom

Middle East

22. Egypt
23. Israel
24. Qatar
25. Saudi Arabia
26. United Arab Emirates

Asia

27. China
28. Hong Kong-Sar
29. India
30. Indonesia
31. Japan
32. Pakistan
33. Philippines
34. Singapore
35. South Korea
36. Taiwan
37. Vietnam

Africa

38. Ghana
39. Ivory Coast
40. Nigeria
41. Senegal
42. South Africa



PROFILE

MLS is law firm affiliated to the IBS Marine Group, comprised by attorneys and professionals with nearly 30 years of experience within different practice areas of the law.

The success of the firm is built upon the professional integrity of its members, the personalized relationship between our lawyers and our clients and our availability and sense of immediacy, while providing them, through our expertise, with the highest standards of legal services.

MLS & Associates covers the full spectrum of maritime-related matters, most notably:

- All type of registrations of vessels and yachts in across different jurisdictions, such as Panama, Belize, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Vanuatu, Palau, Togo, Jamaica, Honduras, Marshall Islands and Liberia.
- Request discounts to vessels that are registered in Panama.
- Extensions and renewal of patents and radio licenses.
- Change of name, ownership, tonnages, type of service or any other modification of records the vessel may require.
- Obtaining navigation permits for jurisdictional waters.
- Assistance in payment of annual taxes.
- Search report of vessels.
- Review/preparation of legal documents.
- Preliminary and permanent registration of Ownership Titles and Mortgages, Discharges, Addendum to and Assignment of Mortgages and any related documents.
- Issuance of Legal Opinions related to Ship Finance transactions, as well as non-maritime related transactions involving Panamanian companies.
- Obtainment of certificates of ownership and encumbrances.
- Consent for deletion and Deletion certificates.
- Approval for private security companies.
- Approval for companies to act as services providers for lifeboats and launching appliances.
- Obtaining of operation licenses for auxiliary maritime services.
Apply for CSR, ISSC, WRC, BCC, CLC92, DMLC Part I, MSMC, ITC, BWMP, ISM endorsement, exemption, authorizations from Segumar Office.
- Filing of remedies against sanctioning process initiated by the Panama Maritime Authority to Panamanian flagged vessels.
- Obtainment of International Capture Fishing License and International Fishing License for activities related to fishing (for the first time, renewals, due to changes on particulars of the vessel, among others).
- Registration / renewal of authorizations in the following RFMOs: WCPFC, IATTC, ICCAT, SPRFMO and NPFC.
- Obtainment of certifications and authorizations from the Aquatic Resources Authority of Panama ("ARAP").

- Filing of remedies against administrative sanctioning process imposed by ARAP to Panamanian flagged vessels
- Coordination of sanitary inspections for obtainment of EU certificates.
 - Maritime Litigation:
 - Ship Arrest in Panamanian waters and in transit through the Panama Canal
 - Cargo Claims
 - Maritime insurance
 - Collisions and salvage
 - Claims before the Panama Canal Authority

INCORPORATION OF COMPANIES

MLS & Associates also offers services for the incorporation of offshore companies in a diversity of jurisdictions, particularly in Panama, British Virgin Islands and Marshall Islands, among others.

We assist you with the following:

- Incorporation of Company (drafting and registration of the Articles of Incorporation).
- Issuance of shares certificates and stock register book.
- Appointment of nominee directors.
- Power of Attorney (drafting and registering).
- Drafting of Minutes of Meetings of Directors/Shareholders.
- Obtainment of Public Registry certificates.
- Obtainment of operation licenses.
- Payment of companies' annual duties.

OTHER SERVICES

- Immigration visas/permits (for non-residents, temporary residents, permanent residents).
- Trademark registrations.
- Tax residency applications.

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ABOUT ITI

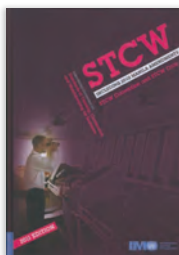
Isthmus Training Institute (ITI), member of the IBS Marine Group, was founded to fulfill the training requirements of the STCW convention and its amendments. ITI is an ISO 9001 certified company, and it is authorized to conduct STCW courses under the following Flag State Administrations:



PANAMA



HONDURAS



BRIDGE SIMULATOR

The navigational simulator provides key elements, with new features to support specialized training applications.

- New level of radar picture processing
- Integration with real on-board navigation system
- New advanced effects in mathematical modeling
- Built-in communication and recording facilities
- Greatly improved instructor capabilities
- Highly realistic visualization system



ENGINE ROOM SIMULATOR

- Familiarization
- Standard operation and watch keeping
- Advanced operation and troubleshooting
- Vessel resource management



LIST OF COURSES

- Master and Chief Mate on ships of 500 Gross Tonnage or more
- Chief Engineer and Second Engineer Officer (First Engineer Officer) on Ship of Propulsive power more than 3000kw.
- Yacht Captain
- Dangerous, Hazardous and Harmful cargoes.
- Medical Care
- Ship's cook course according to the Maritime Labour Convention, 2006 and ADM Resolution No. 068-2013
- Training Course for Instructors
- Radar, ARPA, Bridge teamwork and Search and Rescue-Management Level
- Boat Operator
- Advanced Training for Liquefied Gas Tanker Cargo Operations
- Advanced Training for Oil Tanker Cargo Operations
- Advanced Training for Chemical Tanker Cargo Operations
- Basic Training for ships subject to the IGF code
- Basic Training for Liquefied Gas Tanker Cargo Operations
- Basic Training for Oil and Chemical Tanker Cargo Operations
- Passenger Ship Crowd Management training
- Passenger Ship Crisis Management and Human Behavior
- Security Awareness Training for all Seafarers
- Security Awareness Training for Seafarers with Designated Security Duties
- Train the Simulator Trainer and Assessor
- Engine Room Resources Management
- Bridge Resource Management
- Leadership and Teamwork
- Able Seafarer-Engine in a manned Engine-Room or designated to perform duties in Periodically Unmanned Engine-Room.
- Able Seafarer-Deck
- Ratings Forming part of a Navigational watch
- Ratings Forming part of an Engineering watch
- Ordinary Seamen
- Radar Navigation, Radar Plotting and Use of ARPA-Operational level
- Company Security Officer
- Ship Security Officer
- Port Facility Security Officer
- General Operator certificate for GMDSS
- Restricted Operator Certificate for GMDSS
- Fire Prevention and Fire Fighting
- Elementary First Aid
- Medical First Aid
- Personal Safety and Social Responsibilities
- Marine Environmental Awareness
- Engine Room Simulator
- Ship Simulator and Bridge Teamwork
- Fast Rescue Boat
- Survival Craft and Resue Boats other than Fast Rescue Boats
- Advanced Training in Fire Fighting
- Personal Survival Techniques
- Operational Use of Electronic Chart Display and Information System (ECDIS)
- Use of Leadership and Managerial Skills
- High Voltage Installations-Management level
- High Voltage Installations-Operational Level
- Safety Training for Hotel Staff
- Officer in charge of a Navigational Watch- Only under Honduras Flag
- Officer in charge of an Engineering Watch-Only under Honduras Flag
- Stowage and Cargo Handling Course-Only under Honduras Flag

Among others

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MR Services, Inc. (MRS), member of IBS Marine Group, is a Panamanian company founded in 2009, that provides Satellite Communications Services to the international ship community. Our solid position in the satellite communications industry enables us to offer the best rates to our customers.

Our services are directed to two main areas:

ACCOUNTING AUTHORITY WITH ASSIGNED "CODE - "PG17"

As Accounting Authority, we are authorized by the most important ship Administrations to represent the vessels and to guarantee the air time for the Global communication of our ships, providing:

Internet usage, ship to shore and shore to ship communications, voice Calls, Fax messages, SMS, Sim Cards.

POINT SERVICE ACTIVATION "PSA 3175"

We are one of the world's leading Inmarsat Point Service Activators, we have the access to Inmarsat system to carry out the following transactions in minutes:

- Activation of new terminals
- Assignments of Inmarsat numbers (INM)
- Replace of terminals
- Activations of units to be used as SSAS and LRIT
- Update of information in existing terminals,
- Deactivations
- Barring of terminals due to unsettled accounts





OTHER SERVICES

- Registration of INM-C shore to ship email accounts
- Registration of Skyfile
- LRIT activations and follow-up to vessels under test
- Provide of air time cards

AUTHORIZATIONS BY FLAG REGISTRIES

Radio Accounting Authority



Belize	Bolivia	Cambodia	Comoros	Cook Island
Gabon	Georgia	Guatemala	Guinea-Bissau	Honduras
Jamaica	Jordan	Lithuania	Malta	Micronesia
Moldova	Palau	Panama	Saint Kitts & Nevis	Sierra Leone
Tanzania	Togo	Tuvalu	Vanuatu	

Point Service Activation of INMARSAT terminals



Bolivia	Cambodia	Comoros	Cook Island	Gabon
Georgia	Guatemala	Guinea-Bissau	Honduras	Jamaica
Jordan	Lithuania	Malta	Micronesia	Moldova
Palau	Panama	Sierra Leone	Saint Kitts & Nevis	Tanzania
	Togo	Tuvalu	Vanuatu	



ISTHMUS MARINE DOCUMENTATION (IMD)

Isthmus Marine Documentation (IMD), with more than 25 years of experience is the leadership Flag State Inspection Company duly authorized by the Panama Maritime Authority.

IMD counts with a network of highly qualified Flag State Inspectors worldwide.

FLAG STATE INSPECTION COVERED AREAS

ARGENTINA

BRAZIL

CHILE

CHINA

CROATIA

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

SPAIN

INDIA

INDONESIA

ITALY

JAPAN

KOREA

MEXICO

GERMANY

LATVIA

GUYANA

PERU

PHILIPPINES

RUSSIA

SINGAPORE

AFRICA

SRI LANKA

TURKEY

UNITED KINGDOM

UNITED ARAB EMIRATES

URUGUAY

USA

VIETNAM





Besides the Panama flag state inspections, IMD also represents other maritime administrations as Vanuatu and Belize. Flag State inspections is a previous requirement for acceptance of a vessel in a Registry that need to be carried out.

OUR SERVICES: PUBLICATIONS SALE

IMD provides the below list of publications duly stamped by the Panama Maritime Authority.

- Bridge Log Book
- Deck Log Book
- IMO Crew List
- Oil Record Books
- Diesel Motors
- Garbage Record
- Bell Book
- GMDSS Logbook
- Nautical Charts





SEAFARERS ENDORSEMENTS - PANAMA

Panama ships are subject to the provisions in accordance with the STCW 78/95/2010 Convention concerning the competency of officers and seamen.



SEAFARERS ENDORSEMENTS – OTHER REGISTRIES

BELIZE

HONDURAS

VANUATU

PALAU

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