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ABBREVIATIONS

IMO – International Maritime Organization

ILO – International Labor Organization

SOLAS – International Convention for Safety of Life at Sea

MARPOL – International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships

IMDG – International Maritime Dangerous Goods

ARPA – Automatic Radar Plotting Aid

VHF – Very High Frequency

A Common Problem Onboard Ship That Affected Seafarer Quality of Work

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This study was done in order to analyze and determine the common problem onboard ship that affected seafarer quality of work. One of the famous and efficiency modes of transportation was by water. Water transportation has been used for a long time ago. It is the one the global economy catalyst. Now a day, this type of transportation is used as a basic transport or trade. It is one of the alternatives for transport a cargo to the other country by using vessels. While transporting the cargo, problems may occur to the ship and crew. Long period of time to transport the goods are one of examples of the problems face by seafarer. Therefore, the purpose of this study is to determine the problems that always face by seafarer. Second one are, is to identify what are the factors that contribute to the problems. Last but not least, are to determine some recommendation that perhaps can reduce the common problems occur on ship as well as to the crew. The methods of this research are done by; interview, questionnaire and study of the related research. The research framework was created to classify the flow and the main picture of the study. The problems occur onboard ship actually can affect the performances of the crew and even disturbed the operation of the ship. Based on the problems, factor and recommendation, perhaps we can reducing the problems from occur onboard ship nevertheless can smoother the operation to the ship to maintain the transportation of goods are in good condition.

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