

marine surveyors group

Yacht Survey Report Vessel "MALAFEMMENA"

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This report is to certify, that at the request of Tropper Andrew C. Polumbo, of the Mass. State Police, Troop F Headquarters, the undersigned surveyor did attend the Motor Vessel "MALAFEMMENA" on October 3, 1983., and again on October 12, 1983., to form an opinion as to the cause of the subject vessel sinking.

Our report is as follows.

Description

The subject vessel is a 27' Chris Craft Catalina.

She has a light blue fiberglass hull, white boot stripes and red antifouling paint on the bottom.

The name and port of hail on the transom are in white, stick on, vinyl letters, the name "MALAFEMMENA" and the port of hail "Boston".

At the time of attendance, the deck has been cut off of the vessel and was laying upside down on its roof next to the hull. The hull was upright on blocks and the following conditions was noted:

Topsides of the hull are completely covered with incrustation, dirt, grease, and oil. The blue hull could be distinguished in and around this incrustation.

The red antifouling paint on the bottom was still visible.

The engine was in the middle of the cockpit below the deck, the deck has been removed.

The engine is a 350Q, 235 Horsepower Chris Craft V8.

The Massachusetts Registration Number is MS 9LP with an expiration date of December of 1981, which was noted on the port and starboard forward bows of the vessel, it was applied with white stick on letters.

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Upon attending the vessel on October 3, 1983., not much could be determined