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## ALARM SYSTEMS: PROPER MAINTENANCE FOR GREATER SAFETY

Alarm systems play an important role in ensuring safety onboard vessels. They enable the crew to react as quickly as possible in an emergency situation, as is illustrated in the case below. It is therefore necessary to carry out regular inspections of these systems to ensure early detection of emergency situations and to avoid incidents.

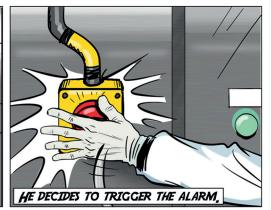
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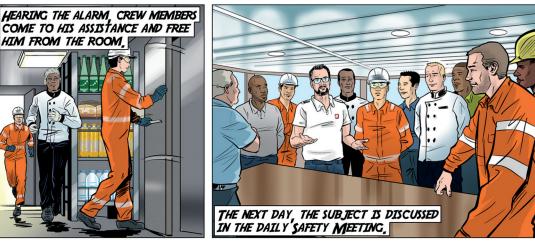
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## **LIFE SAVING RULES**

## DO:

- Regularly check door opening devices.
- Check that alarm systems are operational.
- Remain vigilant at all times in order to react rapidly in case of an incident.
- Report Near-misses to prevent the same type of incident from re-occurring.

## DON'T:

- Carry out incomplete checks.
- Count only on the other departments of the vessel to test safety devices.
- Accept complacency in safety matters.

