

Devon & Cornwall Joint Branch

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Time: 7:14 pm

Venue: MLA, The Merchant, St Andrew St, Plymouth PL1 2AX

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This talk is in conjunction with the Nautical Institute

Port State Control and the Role of the MCA Roger Gee. CEng. IMarEST. MCA



The vessel Kuzma Minin dramatically ran aground off **Falmouth** in late 2018 and was **detained** by the MCA.

The vessel had to be towed to safety for repairs but still remains in Falmouth.

The UK inspects 1600 foreign flagged vessels each year as part of its responsibility under the Port State Control Regime.

The talk will cover the origins of Port State control, the role of the Paris Memorandum of Understanding and the European Maritime Safety Agency and the risk rating applied to ships and the companies that run them. A description of the inspection process together with potential outcomes will follow. A selection of examples will be used to illustrate the presentation.

Roger Gee is a Principal Consultant Marine Surveyor for the Maritime and Coastguard Agency in the South West of England. In line with all multi-role surveyors within the MCA the position requires him to undertake Port State Control inspections on foreign vessels within the South West of England.

The talk is free and open to all those interested

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