



FARO Marine Services Pty Ltd

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Faro Marine Services Pty Ltd, a South Australian owned and operated marine and cargo surveying company, was established in 2000 with the aim to provide an independent professional service within the maritime industry. This it achieved and it has further developed over more than 20 years into a trusted, reliable, efficient company that values the knowledge and experience it holds but which is constantly learning and adapting to the needs and requirements of a changing industry.

Since inception the company has grown from strength to strength, not only servicing clients based locally and interstate but also internationally. For this reason, the company, although based in Adelaide, South Australia, can offer a full range of services to not only all ports and locations within South Australia, but also throughout Australia and abroad.

The business aims to maintain its strong family-based connections, with Paula Mensitieri (Captain Nello's daughter) having past experience working within the marine surveying industry and more recently in Insurance, Risk Management and WHS, is now holding the company's Director of Business role, overseeing the Business running incl. marketing, finance, insurance & risk management and administration.

Services

The following services are conducted under Faro Marine Services Terms and Conditions which can be made available on request:

- Authorised Officer BVAR Surveys
- Grain Surveys
- Hatch Cover (Hose & Chalk) Testing
- Hatch Sealing (Watertightness and security) Surveys
- Hold and Tank Cleanliness Surveys
- On/Off Hire Condition Surveys
- Bunker Surveys
- Draught Surveys
- Lashing/Securing Surveys
- Cargo Measurement Surveys
- Pre-purchase Surveys
- Cargo Condition Surveys
- Container Condition Surveys
- Bulk and Liquid Cargo Sampling
- Loadmaster/Cargo/Supercargo/Shipping Superintendence
- P&I (Protection & Indemnity) Surveys and Investigations
- Stockpile Measurement & Quantity Assessment
- Marine Surveyor Training (Cert IV accredited)

Team

DIRECTOR / OPERATIONS MANAGER / MARINE SURVEYOR

Mr Sergio Mensitieri

Mr Mensitieri was born in Naples (Italy) from an extended family of Mariners. His own father sailed with the Italian Navy and served as a medical officer for passenger liners. His uncles sailed as Master Mariners primarily for Grimaldi Shipping.

Sergio and his family migrated to Australia in 1971, learning to speak both fluent English and Italian.

In 1998, Sergio completed a Bachelor of Education passing with Honours and over the years developed his teaching career finishing with Marcellin Technical College which aims to equip teenagers with a trade skill, focusing on teaching mathematics & physics.

Mr Mensitieri commenced employment as a surveyor for Faro Marine Services at the beginning of 2013 after finding a sincere interest in the marine industry. Particularly after having already accompanied and assisted on some inspections over the years with his father in law, Captain Nello Magliulo.

By the end of 2014, Mr Mensitieri attained his Diploma in Marine Surveying from the Australasian Institute of Marine Surveyors. He also completed the DRY BULK UNIT giving him a specialisation in Grain Surveying and has been conducting Grain Surveys both at Anchorage and at Berth since January 2015. Mr Mensitieri is also an accredited authorised Officer for the Department of Agriculture having completed many hold inspections as an External AO.

Sergio received exclusive training from Captain Nello, performing a vast array of survey categories since his commencement of employment and, in February 2016, was promoted to Operations Manager, responsible for the majority of surveying work the company undertook.

On the 1st July 2019 Sergio Mensitieri became Principal and co-Director of the company

Memberships

AIMS – Member of Australasia Institute of Marine Surveyors CCMS – Commercial Certified Marine Surveyor BV – Bureau Veritas Inspector

FOUNDER / FREELANCE CONSULTANT

Captain Aniello (Nello) Magliulo

Obtained Master Mariner Class 1 (Foreign-Going) qualification in 1968. Subsequent to completing Nautical College in Naples (Italy), he served at sea from 1962 until 1974 on a wide variety of merchant vessels in worldwide trade, including general cargo, bulk carrier, refrigerated cargo, tanker, ro-ro and passenger liner.

Captain Magliulo migrated to Australia in 1974 and commenced employment with Société Générale de Surveillance (SGS Australia - formerly General Superintendence Company) in Sydney in June 1975 as a Marine Surveyor. By the end of the same year, he had helped expand SGS Petroleum Services Australia-wide.



In August 1979, Captain Magliulo moved to Adelaide to set up a South Australian office, covering several senior management positions including State Manager. In 1987, Nello was a lecturer for the Redwood (Petroleum & Petrochemical) Division, conducting Training Courses. In 1988, he was appointed as International Shipping Co-ordinator and in 1994, the National Redwood Manager for SGS Australia.

In November 1996 Captain Magliulo joined ITS Caleb Brett as Marine Manager with the specific responsibility of P&I Surveys and Investigations.

In March 2000, Nello decided it was time to step out on his own and formed his very own company Faro Marine Services Pty Ltd, which he saw grow strength to strength. Over the years he expanded his business, training additional staff until 1st July 2019 when he passed the business onto Sergio Mensitieri, as part of his succession plan.

Captain Nello is only semi-retired and is remaining available as an expert consultant in the field and to perform P&I work when required.

Memberships

CMMA – Member of Company of Master Mariners of Australia

