



## ARIENCE

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**PORT OF REGISTRY:** George Town | **FLAG:** Cayman Islands

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To Whom it my concern,

Michael Lauts has worked on Arience a number of times over the years. I found that Michael's knowledge far exceeded any of the personal at shipyards we went to in regards to Mechanical items.

As a result we would trust him to give the correct information and perform work to the highest of standards in a prompt manner.

We hire Michael to be in charge of any drive line, Rudder, Stabilizer work or Hull doors on the vessel with yard assistance to complete the work.

Michael passes his knowledge onto the yard personal and younger crew in a respectful manner. So in the future they can then be better prepared.

The trust I have in Michael has meant that my time supervising yard personal has been drastically reduced with a big increase on reliability.

His personality is friendly and respectful at all times, and he puts the vessel interest first.

I highly recommend Michaels services for insuring that work is performed to the highest standard in the shortest time frame, with reducing the possibility of mistakes being made by inexperienced shipyard personal. Michael provides Honest and accurate timelines required.

Over the years the quality of yard personal worldwide who have in-depth knowledge has reduced drastically with a faster reduction of knowledge in recent years in particular. As a result this has led to mistakes on installation of mechanical equipment increasing, which ultimately leads to more cost to the vessel. Since using Michael, we have not had any issues on the items he has worked on.

Kind regards,

**Mike Hughes**

**Chief Engineer**

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