

Fire Incident at Alang Ship Breaking Yard on 6/10/12

Fire took place in a pump room of a ship in which ship breaking activity was carried out on 6/10/12 in one of the plot at Alang Ship Breaking Yard, Alang, Dist-Bhavnagar. Six workers working in the pump room died due to burn injury.

The inquiry revealed that while cutting the bolt of oil pipe flange with LPG gas cutting equipment, fire took place due to presence of oil and its vapour inside the pipe. Seven workers died.