

## **Speaker for Paper 2**

### **Mr. M. A. Ganesen**

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M. Adthisaya Ganesen holds a first class certificate of competency as a marine engineer officer. He is a Chartered Engineer/Marine Engineer (CEng/CMarEng) with Engineering Council of United Kingdom and a Fellow of the Institute of Marine Engineering, Science and Technology (IMarEST). He joined MISC Bhd as an engineer cadet in July 1979 and left seafaring career to become Project Coordinator at Malaysian Shipyard & Engineering in 1989.

He then served Sembawang Shipyard Ltd. in Singapore as a Marine Engineer until 1991 after which he served Petronas Tankers Sdn. Bhd. as Marine Engineering Superintendent until December 1998. In 1999, he was seconded to MISC Berhad as LNG Tanker Newbuilding Site Manager at MHI, Nagasaki Shipyard.

His last post was as Senior Manager for projects in the Technical Services Division of MISC where he had been responsible for the design, construction, commissioning and delivery of various types of ships including crude oil tankers, LNG tankers and container ships. In January 2005, he assumed his current position as Chief Executive Officer of ALAM.

Also have been appointed to take up following positions at the international level:-

- (a) Committee member of General Purpose Committee of the Society of International Gas Tankers and Terminal Operators (SIGTTO), where had been elected into a working group to prepare papers on gas concentration in insulation spaces of old membrane type LNG Tankers (2001-2004).

- (b) Vice-Chairman for the Committee of Experts for DNV SeaSkill's work on developing competency standards for Shipboard Electrical Engineers (2005-2007).
- (c) Member of the Lloyd's Register Technical Committee for South East Asia.
- (d) Member of the Board of Directors for Global Maritime Education & Training Association (GlobalMET).
- (e) Committee member for the Malaysian Joint Branch for Institute of Marine Engineering, Science and Technology (IMarEST)/Royal Institution of Naval Architects (RINA) (2006-present).
- (f) Advisory Council Member for Seafarers Human Elements Committee (DNV).