

MAERSK BISCAY

IMO No: 8406339 TANKER 1986 / 16282 GT

OWNER & HOMPEPORT:

B. Schulte Group, Germany
Douglas

YARD INFORMATION:

Odense Staalskibsvaerft A/S 114
Lindö (Denmark)

SCRAPPING INFORMATION:



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GENERAL INFORMATION:

Name: Cielo Di Biscaglia IMO No: 8406339
Ex: Maersk Biscay Built: 10/1986
Type: Chemical Tanker Status: In Service
SubType: Flag: Isle of Man
DWT: 27,350 Draft: 11.41 Builder: Odense Steel Shipyard
GT: 16,282 LOA: 170.00 Owner: Schulte B.
NT: Beam: 23.14 Speed/Cons: 14.50/20.00
Class: LR Depth: 15.37 Engine Type: Burmeister & Wain

OWNER & FLAG HISTORY:

BISCAGLIA 30-01-2006 LRF
CIELO DI BISCAGLIA 14-01-2002 LRF
MAERSK BISCAY 12-05-2000 LRF
Flag Date of record Source
Liberia 27-09-2004 LRF
Isle of Man 12-05-2000 LRF
Registered owner Date of record Source
WINGED FOOT SHIPPING LTD 30-01-2006 LRF
D'AMICO TANKERS LTD 27-09-2004 LRF
GREEBA PARTNERS 14-01-2002 LRF
MERRYWINDS 14-01-1997 LRF
Ship manager Date of record Source
ISHIMA PTE LTD 09-01-2006 LRF
D'AMICO SOCIETA DI NAVIGAZIONE 27-09-2004 LRF
DORCHESTER MARITIME 14-01-1997 LRF

SALES, TRANSFERS & RENAMINGS:

RAS MAERSK	1986-97	
MAERSK BISCAY	1997-02	Merrywinds Ltd. (Dorchester Marine Ltd.), Isle of Man
CIELO DI BISCAGLIA	2002-04	Greeba Partners Ltd., Isle of Man
CIELO DI BISCAGLIA	2004-06	D'Amico Tankers Ltd., Liberia
BISCAGLIA	2006-	Winged Foot Shg. Ltd., Liberia

GENERAL VESSEL INFORMATION:

After charter contract with Danish A.P. Möller (Maersk) five tankers of German B. Schulte Group have been changed their charter contracts and being renamed. These five vessels were bought by A.P. Möller for at least U.S. \$ 100 million. The deal included the so-called R-tankers (27350 dwt/29375 cbm): ROBERT MAERSK, RAS MAERSK, ROMO MAERSK, RITA MAERSK & RASMINE MAERSK. They were renamed MAERSK BARENTS, MAERSK BISCAY, MAERSK BOTHNIA, MAERSK BALTIC & MAERSK BAFFIN.

The owner A.P. Möller insisted of chartering back the vessels definitely under European flags. Later B. Schulte Group has placed the vessels to a charter contract with Italian D'Amico Societa di Navigazione SpA whose will operating the vessels as CIELO DI BAFFIN, CIELO DI BARENTS, CIELO DI BISCAGLIA, CIELO DI BOTHNIA & CIELO DI BALTICO. Recently, Italian D'Amico Societa di Navigazione SpA wanted to buy all the vessels.

(AK 03+04/2002)

Sold by Hanseatic to Italian buyers en bloc with CIELO DI BOTHNIA (ex MAERSK BOTHNIA) for USD 12 mio each (P+C deal)
www.cotzias.gr - August 2004

Sold as CIELO DI BISCAGLIA by Schulte Group subsidiary Dorchester Marine Ltd. to unknown Greek interests for US\$ 12 mio.
AK 7+8/2004

Sold to Bryggen Shipping & Trading A/S, Norway enbloc with CIELO DEL BALTICO (ex-MAERSK BALTIC). Will be renamed MONTE ACE

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