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BP Oil Spill and Its Impact on Maritime Law

Deepwater Horizon Explosion



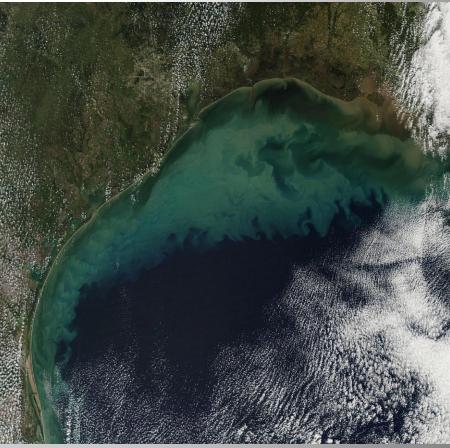


Leaking Well Head and Blowout Preventer



Satellite View After the Spill





Types of Claims

- Jones Act and Death on the High Seas Act Claims
- Non-Seaman Personal Injury Claims
- Medical Monitoring Claims
- Economic Loss Claims
 - Commercial Fishermen
 - Seafood processing and distributing
 - Hotels and Resorts
 - Restaurants/Business Claimants
 - Recreational Business Claimants
 - Recreation Claimants
 - Real Property/Tourism Claimants
 - Plant and Dock Worker Claimants
 - Ship Repairers/Maintenance (Commercial Divers)
- Environmental Damage Claims
- Civil RICO Claims
- State and Local Government Claims for Loss of Tax Revenues
- Federal Government Claims for Oil Pollution with Possible Criminal Sanctions

Jones Act and Death on the High Seas Act Claims



Non-Seaman Personal Injury Claims





Medical Monitoring



Commercial Fishing Interests







Damaged Oyster Beds



Before spill

Covered in oil



Gulf Coast Hotels & Resorts







Restaurants & Business Claimants







Recreational Business Claimants



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Tourism/ Real Property Claims

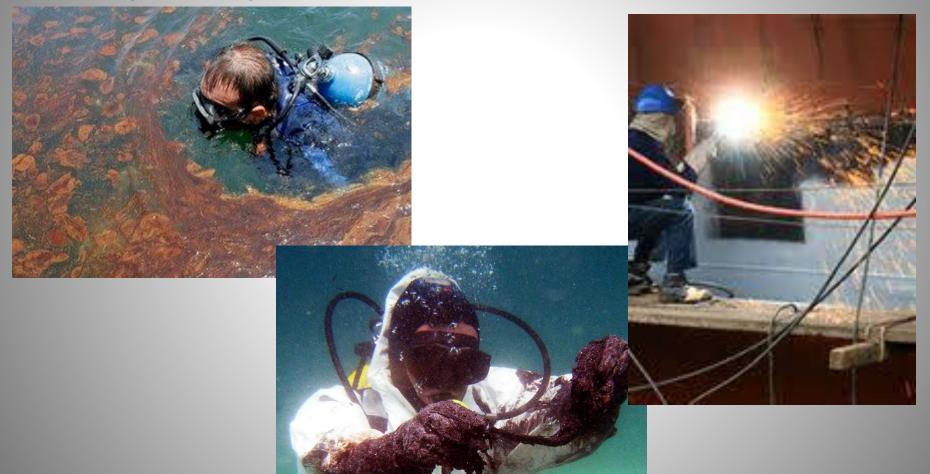


Plant & Dock Workers





Ship Repairers & Maintenance



Environmental Damage



Marsh Damage



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