# North's FD&D Team

# **OVERVIEW & KEY FACTS**

Freight, Demurrage and Defence insurance ("FD&D") is a discretionary legal costs insurance that protects our Members' interests and assets. North's FD&D team supports Members in recovering their proper claims for uninsured losses and/or in defending and resisting any actions improperly brought against them, that fall within the remit of North's FD&D Rules.

## In-house Legal Service - Size Matters SPECIALIST IN-HOUSE AWYFRS AROUND THF WORI D Global legal and Proactive Direct access to a skilled and correspondents advice experienced team network Cost effective Available 24/7, Most claims 365 days a year dealt with in-house service

**Financial Strength** 



#### Commitment



**Commercial and Pragmatic** 

WE FOCUS ON PROTECTING YOUR BUSINESS

### QUALIFIED AND SPECIALIST LAWYERS

Our service differs from most other FD&D insurers, in that our FD&D team consists solely of qualified, specialist lawyers and as such, we can provide direct and immediate legal advice and support to Members. We currently employ 45 qualified lawyers; ranging from English solicitors to overseas qualified attorneys. We believe this makes us the largest global team of specialist FD&D lawyers.

**Comprehensive Cover** 

WITH FEW EXCEPTIONS THERE IS NO RULES LIMIT ON FD&D COVER

Claims



Our Lawyers practised with leading law firms and focus exclusively

on FD&D claims Growing Membership

The number of FD&D Members continues to grow year by year

### DON'T LEAVE THINGS TO CHANCE

The scope of our FD&D cover is very wide in that it covers legal costs and expenses properly incurred in numerous types of ship operating disputes falling outside the scope of other insurances. By solely employing qualified lawyers, our team is able to deal with most legal work in house.

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