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## **ARC's M/V *Endurance* Rescues Sailor from Sinking Sailboat near Charleston, SC**

170 miles off the coast of Charleston, South Carolina – The American Roll-On Roll-Off Carrier (ARC)-owned M/V *Endurance*, which had just loaded more than 1900 pieces of high priority military cargo destined for Europe to support ongoing NATO exercises, responded to a 'Mayday' call from the *Black Pearl*, a small sailboat which was sinking 12 nautical miles from their position. Once the *Black Pearl* was in visual range, the *Endurance* Captain, Glenn Koshak, deftly maneuvered the M/V *Endurance* into position to lower a rescue ladder and recover the exhausted sailor who was the sole occupant of the boat. Ultimately, he was transferred at sea to the U.S. Coast Guard Cutter USCGC *Yellowfin* and returned to shore.



The swift and professional actions of the M/V *Endurance* Captain and Crew reflect the best values of the American Merchant Mariner and American Roll-On Roll-Off Carrier. "Helping a sailor in distress on the open seas is a moral imperative regardless of the priority of our cargo. I'm just happy we could help," said Captain Koshak. The M/V *Endurance* is one of the largest, most capable commercial vessels in the global fleet with a 320 metric ton (MT) stern ramp, main deck maximum height of 20 feet (6.25 meters), and 262,252 square feet of militarily useful capacity.

### **About ARC**

ARC provides Government Services including global logistics and shipping services. ARC and its U.S. affiliates own and manage the largest U.S.-flag roll-on roll-off (Ro-Ro) fleet. This includes providing American-owned, managed, and crewed Ro-Ro shipping and intermodal services committed to the requirements of the Department of Defense, other U.S. Government departments and agencies, and commercial customers.

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