



Resolve Salvage & Fire – Progress Update

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Currently, there are three key operations Resolve Salvage & Fire 'Resolve' is carrying out on behalf of the owner and insurer:

Reducing the bow

- So far, Resolve has removed 1006 tonnes of steel from the bow.
- They need about 20 near perfect working days to complete this work.
 - The nature of the final stages involves work right on or below the surf zone, which is why conditions have to be perfect to minimise potential risk to worker safety.
 - The two images below show the bow before Resolve started work, and a shot that was taken early yesterday morning.



Recovery of debris

- When Resolve hasn't been able to work on the bow due to weather and swell conditions, they have been working to recover debris from the sea floor between the bow and stern sections.
 - *So far, they have removed 620 tonnes of debris, which is largely container based scrap metal.*

Hold 4 – Recovery of cargo

- The third and latest scope of work involves the removal of cargo and container debris in hold 4, to try and locate and assess the current state of two containers of beads originally located in Bay 28.
- Once these two containers have been located, they need to be assessed to determine whether the beads remain. If they are still in there, Resolve will develop a plan to remove them.



- Resolve is expected to continue work to complete each of the above projects throughout the remainder of 2013.

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