

NATWEST MARKETS PLC (FORMERLY KNOWN AS THE ROYAL BANK OF SCOTLAND PLC) v  
STALLION EIGHT SHIPPING CO SA (THE "MV ALKYON")

Admiralty practice – Arrest of vessel by mortgagee – Shipowner applying for order releasing vessel from arrest unless mortgagee provided cross-undertaking in damages – Whether cross-undertaking should be imposed as condition of release.

[2018] 2 Lloyd's Rep. 601

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RJ AND ANOTHER v HB

Arbitration – Serious irregularity – Arbitrator giving a remedy not sought by the parties – Whether award should be set aside or remitted – Whether arbitrator should be removed – Arbitration Act 1996, sections 24 and 68.

[2018] 2 Lloyd's Rep. 613

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SEADRILL GHANA OPERATIONS LTD v TULLOW GHANA LTD

Contract – Force majeure – Hirer of oil rig terminating contract on ground of force majeure – Whether hirer entitled to rely on force majeure clause – Whether VAT payable on sums due to owner – Whether withholding tax payable – Ghana VAT Act, section 42 – Ghana Petroleum Income Tax Act 1987.

[2018] 2 Lloyd's Rep. 628

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