

MOHAMMAD HALIL-Laundryman-Crew in 9<sup>th</sup> month of a 10-month contract. Had worked on the Norwegian Wind, Norwegian Dream. His emergency assignment was to stand outside the hotel director's door to assist special needs passengers. That is, passengers who needed wheel chairs. This was his first time on the Norway. Generally works from 0500 to 1730, with a 3-hour lunch break in the middle.

Was working in the laundry room at the time of the event. About 0640 he thought a bomb had gone off. There were about 10 other people working in the laundry room with him and they kept on working. They continued to do this until, about 3 minutes later the electricity went off. The emergency lights went on. They people in the laundry left together.

They went to the Dolphin deck to see what was going on. He went to his cabin to get his safety card and flashlight. His cabin was on the Caribbean Deck. He was waiting in his cabin when he heard Code Alpha, and then Code Bravo. Then he heard the 7 short and 1 long blasts, which signaled to him that he needed to go to his emergency station. He went to the hotel director's office door and waited there for further instruction. Ten other crew had similar assignments. Two passengers needed wheelchair assistance, an elderly woman and a male passenger who had cancer.

He stayed outside the hotel director's door, as assigned, until he was told to report to the theater.