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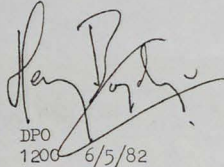
CAPTAIN'S COURT-MARTIAL?

PR Line:

"Certainly there is normally a Board of Inquiry to look into the loss of a ship.

The court-martial would only follow if the Board of Inquiry indicated that disciplinary action was needed - not necessarily against the Captain.

There is no automatic requirement to court-martial the Captain".


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Source: NLC, P Stevens.