Salvage Report

Recovery Summary

Crew whereabouts unknown; six missing at last count.

All compartments show signs of forced entry.

Personal effects catalogued and sealed.

Torn rigging recovered from lee rail.

All lifeboat davits empty on approach.

Instruments recovered: sextant and pocket chronometer.

No distress flares expended.

Galley firebox cold; meal left unfinished.

Anchor well contains sand inconsistent with charted bottom.

Galvanic pitting evident along handrails.

Evidence tags affixed per protocol.

Operational Recommendations

Assess shoreline drift windows for the next eight hours.

Secure perimeter; restrict access to quay.

Keep detailed notes of water level changes.

Acquire barometric readings at quarter-hour intervals.

Bring coastal charts and almanac to the quay office.

Observe bore action at river mouth during flood.

Update set and drift overlays on the incident map.

Test currents using marked drogue bottles.

Tide staff to be installed at Jetty Two.

Inspect anomalies against spring/neap ranges.

Document precise times of slack water.

Establish follow-up briefing after high tide.

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