

One died of carbon monoxide poisoning in Oxelösund harbor

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A 20-year-old man died yesterday after having encountered a workplace accident on a charter ship in Oxelösund harbor on Friday night. It reports Södermanlands Nyheter.

The man got poisoned after taking the wrong way down to the cargo space, says Erik Zetterlund, CEO of Oxelösund Harbor:

"The man intended to go into the cargo hold and chose a route that did not lead there. He chose an incorrect route, and was met with a carbon dioxide pocket and got carbon monoxide poisoning."

Sveigres Radio AB: How did he choose the wrong route?

Zetterlund: "We cannot answer today why he went down there. That is the investigation we can start now.

He also says that that way down from a deck on the deck should have been locked, but that it was not.

The accident is now being investigated by both the police, the Work Environment Authority and internally by the port of Oxelösund.



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