

Commodore David Squire CBE, FNI, FCMI
Royal Fleet Auxiliary (retired)

Commodore David Squire retired from the Royal Fleet Auxiliary Service (RFA) in March 1999, after a long and distinguished career, which has spanned over 35 years and included a wide range of demanding appointments at sea and ashore, culminating in a 5 year appointment as Commodore and Chief Executive of the RFA.

Since his retirement from the RFA, he has remained active in the maritime world, as a member of the Papers and Technical Committee of the Nautical Institute; as a member of the Operations Committee of the Royal National Lifeboat Institution (RNLI); and as a Trinity House Navigational Examiner. He was a Nautical Assessor to the Marchioness/Bowbelle Formal Investigation, in 2001.

He is the editor **Alert!**, the award-winning International Maritime Human Element Bulletin; the editor of the Journal of the Honourable Company of Master Mariners; and Secretary to the Marine Accident Investigators' International Forum.

As an Elder Brother of Trinity House he is a Trustee of the Corporate Board and an Assistant to the Court; and Director of the Trinity House Merchant Navy Scholarship Scheme.

David Squire is a Fellow of the Nautical Institute, a Fellow of the Chartered Management Institute, a Freeman of the Honourable Company of Master Mariners, a Justice of the Peace, a past President of the Anchorites (2004) and a Rotarian. He is a Trustee of the Falkland Islands Memorial Chapel.