

Merchant Shipping Act 1894

1894 CHAPTER 60

PART III

PASSENGER AND EMIGRANT SHIPS.

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EMIGRANT SHIPS.

Supplemental.

359 Owner responsible for default in absence of agreement.

- (1) In the absence of any agreement to the contrary, the owner of a ship shall be the person ultimately responsible as between himself and the other persons by this Part of this Act made liable in respect of any default in complying with any requirement thereof.
- (2) If any person so made liable pays any money by this Part of this Act made payable to or on behalf of a steerage passenger, he shall be entitled, in the absence of any such agreement as aforesaid, to sue for and recover from the owner the amount so paid, together with costs.