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'Berthea' gets three-year charter

The 61,000-dwt tanker Berthea (built 1981) has reportedly been taken by US-based Heidenreich Marine for three years of trading.

The vessel, which is 90 per cent owned by Bergvang Shipping of Norway, is said to be getting USD 15,000 per day.

Berthea was originally on a long-term charter to Scanports until 2002 at USD 17,500 per day for the final five years, but last year the charterer cancelled the deal and paid compensation to the owner.