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AND TECHNICAL CONSULTANTS ON FOOD TRANSPORTATION-MARINE CLAIMS-LOSS PREVENTION**

PORT OF LA GUAIRA-VENEZUELA-MUD SLIDES-DECEMBER 16-17, 1999

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Disastrous mud flood took place in La Guaira and Vargas State, Venezuela, on December 16-17, 1999, with elevated loss of life, property, destruction of infrastructure, including various container yards at the port of La Guaira. Also, losses of reefer cargo occurred in non-affected container yards caused by a black out that took place in the area lasting for more than a week.

Pictures shown here were taken during a survey on December 29, 1999.









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