

Labour shipbuilding announcement 'massive boost



GMB Union has responded to Labour's shipbuilding announcements today [Sunday] – including a new £115 million research ship to be built in the UK.

Charlotte Brumpton-Childs, GMB National Secretary, said:

“Today’s announcement is a massive boost for the UK’s proud shipbuilding sector.

“These yards have kept our country safe; from the ships that beat the Armada to those that sunk the Bismarck.



“But for too long juicy contracts have been sent to overseas – often subsidised – yards. This policy could reinvigorate UK yards and the communities that depend on them.”

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