

## Twenty First Annual Conference

Monday, 5 October 2015

*Offices of The Maersk Group, Copenhagen  
followed by  
Reception and Dinner at the offices of Gorrissen Federspiel*



**Keynote Speakers:**

*Margrethe Vestager, Commissioner for Competition, European Commission  
&  
Søren Skou, CEO, Maersk Line A/S*

**THE EMLO CONFERENCE MARKS THE OPENING OF DANISH MARITIME DAYS  
(5-9 OCTOBER 2015)**

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EMLO also presents its Arctic Conference – ‘Legal Challenges and Risks for the Shipping Industry’ at the Royal Danish Naval Academy on Tuesday 6 October 09.00-16.30 followed by a cocktail reception – details available from <http://www.emlo.org/arctic/>



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**Twenty-First Annual Conference**

***2015 Roundup on Competition Law in International Shipping and Ports***

The Conference takes place at the start of Danish Maritime Days and is a must for anyone wanting to keep up to date with the latest international developments in competition law affecting shipping, ports and specific areas of the maritime industry.

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**Conference Monday 5 October 2015**

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| <b>Venue</b>       | <b>Offices of the Maersk Group – Esplanaden 50, DK-1098 Copenhagen</b>  |
| <b>08.45-09.00</b> | <b>Registration and refreshments</b>  |
| <b>09.00-09.15</b> | <b>Welcome Address</b><br>The Rt. Hon. The Lord Phillips of Worth Matravers, KG, Chairman of EMLO   |
| <b>09.15-09.45</b> | <b>Keynote Speaker</b><br>Margrethe Vestager: EU Commissioner for Competition   |
| <b>09.45-10.15</b> | <b>Keynote Speaker</b><br>Søren Skou: CEO, Maersk Line A/S  |
| <b>10.15-11.15</b> | <b>Panel Discussion – Responding to the Keynote speakers: themes to include:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- a review of what has happened and is happening in EU competition law within the maritime sector</li> <li>- consolidation and cooperation in the container industry</li> <li>- a discussion about <i>Mastercard</i>, <i>Cartes Bancaires</i> and <i>Bananas</i>, multi-jurisdictional compliance</li> <li>- coordination between national competition authorities</li> <li>- tricky issues in the maritime and port sectors</li> <li>- implications for the future structure of the industry</li> </ul> <p><b>Chair :</b> <b>Fergus Randolph QC, Brick Court Chambers</b><br/> <b>Speakers:</b> Peter Camesasca, Partner, Covington and Burlington LLP<br/> Matthew Levitt, Partner, Hogan Lovells International LLP<br/> Rob Murray, Partner, Mishcon de Reya<br/> Dr Markus Schöner, Partner, CMS Hasche Sigle<br/> Matthijs Visser, RBB Economics</p> |
| <b>11.15-11.35</b> | <b>COFFEE</b>   |
| <b>11.35-12.10</b> | <b>Panel discussion (continued) and Q&amp;A</b>   |
| <b>12.10-12.45</b> | <b>Reviewing trends in abuse of dominance cases relevant to shipping and ports: is the EU approach to excessive pricing, access to infrastructure and exclusionary conduct adequate?</b> <p><b>Chair:</b> <b>Gus Braakman, Advocaat in Rotterdam and Secretary General of EMLO</b><br/> <b>Speakers:</b> Niels Ersbøll, Partner, Arnold &amp; Porter LLP<br/> Martin André Dittmer, Partner, Gorrissen Federspiel</p>   |
| <b>12.45-14.00</b> | <b>LUNCH</b>  |

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| 14.00-14.45     | <b>Shippers and Shipping in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century</b><br>Chair: <b>Peter Appel, Managing Partner, Gorrissen Federspiel</b><br>Mark Clough QC, Dentons Europe.   |
| 14.45-15.30     | <b>What has been happening in EU Maritime Law Generally?</b><br><b>A Review of Developments 2013-2015</b><br>Chair: <b>Peter Appel</b><br>Dr Vincent J.G. Power, Partner, A&L Goodbody  |
| 15.30-15.45     | TEA   |
| 15.45-16.15     | <b>Revised EU Maritime Strategy 2020</b><br>Chair: <b>Philip Wareham, Legal Director, Hill Dickinson LLP</b><br>Christine Berg (invited), Head of Unit "Maritime Safety" DG MOVE,<br>European Commission  |
| 15.45-16.25     | <b>Antitrust claims in the courts: US experience vs. the EU Damages Directive</b><br><b>– is there a viable "European" way?</b><br>Chair: <b>Rob Murray, Partner, Mishcon de Reya</b><br>Dr Barbara Veronese, Partner, CEG Europe<br>Laurent Geelhand, Managing Partner, Hausfeld, Brussels |
| 16.25-16.30     | <b>Closing remarks: Lord Phillips, Chairman of EMLO</b>   |
| 16.30           | <b>End of conference</b>  |
| 18.30 for 19.00 | <b>Reception and Dinner</b><br>Gorrissen Federspiel – H.C. Andersens Boulevard 12, 1553 Copenhagen  |

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**TITLE: 'LEGAL CHALLENGES AND RISKS FOR THE SHIPPING INDUSTRY'**

**VENUE: ROYAL DANISH NAVAL ACADEMY**

**DATE: TUESDAY 6 OCTOBER 09.00-16.30 FOLLOWED BY A COCKTAIL RECEPTION**

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