

**Polar Shipping and Arctic Development Symposium: A Joint Program of the MLA International Organizations Committee and the Polar Working Group of the CMI**

0900-0910	Introduction and Opening Remarks	<b>Aldo Chircop</b> , Chair, Polar Shipping IWG of the CMI <b>Phillip Buhler</b> , Chair, IOCS Committee of the MLA
0910-1015	Keynote Speaker	<b>ADM Robert Papp (Ret)</b> , Chair, Arctic Council, Special Representative for the Arctic, U.S. Dept. of State
1015-1045	Tea and coffee break	
1045-1145	Panel Discussion on Status and Issues with the Polar Code	<b>Phillip Buhler</b> , Moseley, Prichard, Parrish, Knight & Jones, Jacksonville, Moderator <b>RADM Steven Poulin</b> , Judge Advocate General and Chief Counsel, USCG <b>Peter Pamel</b> , Borden, Ladner Gervais LLP, Montreal <b>Tore Henriksen</b> , Professor & Director, K.G. Jebsen Center for the Law of the Sea, University of Tromso – The Arctic University of Norway
1145-1300	Panel Discussion on Civil Liability for Drilling and Transportation of Petroleum Products	<b>Larry Kiern</b> , Winston & Strawn, LLP, New York, Moderator <b>Lars Rosenberg Overby</b> , Hafnia Law Firm, Copenhagen <b>Bert Ray</b> , Keesal Young & Logan, Anchorage <b>David Walker</b> , Royston, Rayzor Vickery & Williams LLP, Houston
1300-1400	Lunch Break	
1400-1445	Regulation of Fisheries Regimes	Introduction: <b>Mark Coberly</b> , Chair MLA Fisheries Committee <b>Ambassador David Balton</b> , Deputy Assistant Secretary for Oceans and Fisheries, Bureau of Oceans and International Environmental and Scientific Affairs, U.S. Department of State
1445-1545	Polarworthiness, Load Lines and Related Issues of Vessel Safety	<b>RADM Frederick Kenney</b> , USCG (Ret.), Director, Legal Affairs and External Regulations Division, International Maritime Organization <b>Aldo Chircop</b> , Prof. of Law and Canada Research Chair in Maritime Law & Policy, Schulich School of Law, Dalhousie University <b>Peter Cullen</b> , Stikeman Elliott, Montreal

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1545-1630	Vessel Traffic Control and Separation Schemes	<b>Gary Rasicot</b> , Director of Marine Transportation Systems, USCG <b>Alexander Skaridov</b> , Professor, Chair Leader, Admiral Makarov Maritime University, St. Petersburg, Russian Federation
1630-1700	Lessons from the Antarctic	<b>David Baker</b> , Group Secretariat, International Group of Protection & Indemnity Clubs