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## THE MARITIME LAW ASSOCIATION OF THE UNITED STATES

## ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting will be held at the Association of the Bar of the City of New York, 42 West 44th Street, New York City, on Friday, May 7, 1943, at 4 P. M., preceded by the meeting of the Executive Committee at 3:30 P. M.

The following resolution was adopted by your Executive Committee at its meeting held on February 5, 1943. This resolution, which involves an amendment to our Articles of Association and By-Laws, will be discussed and acted upon:

"Whereas, the last sentence of Article 3 of the Articles of Association and By-Laws presently in force, reads as follows:

'Dues of members in the active service of the United States Government or any of its Departments shall be waived during the time of such service',

WHEREAS, the meaning of the clause 'active service of the United States Government or any of its Departments' is not clear, and

and

WHEREAS, the members of the Executive Committee believe it advisable to clarify this meaning;

Now, THEREFORE, it is the recommendation of the Executive Committee to the Association that Article 3 of the Articles of Association and By-Laws be amended by substituting the following sentence for the sentence referred to above:

'Dues of members in the Armed Services of the United States Government in time of war shall be waived during the time of such service.'"

Please mail promptly any nominations for membership, duly seconded in writing, that you wish to have passed upon at the annual meeting.

The following committees will report at the annual meeting:

Committee on Extension of Admiralty Jurisdiction

Charles R. Hickox, Chairman George Whitefield Betts, Jr. Oscar R. Houston

Committee on Aviation and Admiralty

Arnold W. Knauth, Chairman William E. Collins Joseph Luley Burton H. White Robert W. Williams

Committee on Workmen's Compensation for Seamen

Vernon S. Jones, Chairman William E. Collins John L. Galey

Committee to Investigate the Attitude of the United States Coast Guard in the various Districts in reference to Hearings and the impossibility of obtaining transcripts of the Inspectors' Minutes

> Anthony V. Lynch, Jr., Chairman Edward Ash Seymour P. Edgerton

## Committee on Admiralty Practice

Roscoe H. Hupper, Chairman George Whitefield Betts, Jr. Charles S. Bolster Joseph W. Henderson T. Catesby Jones

Committee to Confer with the Bureau of Marine Inspection and Navigation concerning the new edition of "The Navigation Laws"

> Arnold W. Knauth, Chairman Roy W. Chamberlain Leonard J. Matteson

At the request of the Executive Committee, the President has appointed the following Nominating Committee to propose candidates for election at the May 7th meeting:

T. Catesby Jones, Chairman Robert S. Erskine John C. Prizer Warner Pyne Leon T. Seawell Paul Speer Carl G. Stearns

April 20, 1943.

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