

March 31, 1971

THE MARITIME LAW ASSOCIATION  
OF THE UNITED STATES**SEVENTY-SECOND ANNUAL DINNER — MAY 7, 1971**

The Seventy-Second Annual Meeting of the Association will be held in Room "B" of the Auditorium, Ground Floor, Chase Manhattan Bank, One Chase Manhattan Plaza, New York, N. Y. on May 7, 1971 commencing at 9:45 A.M.

The Annual Dinner, for members of the Association and their guests, will be held on Friday evening, May 7, 1971 in the Grand Ballroom of the Hotel Commodore, 42nd Street at Lexington Avenue, New York City.

Cocktails will be served in the East Ballroom and Grand Foyer at 6:45 P.M. and dinner will be served in the Grand Ballroom at 8:00 P.M.

Dress will be *black tie only*. The membership is reminded that the Executive Committee has passed a resolution stating that members and their guests attending the dinner are to be attired in dress which requires black tie.

The charge for the Dinner, including cocktails, will be \$17.50 for members and \$24.00 for guests.

The Judges of the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit and the Judges of the United States District Courts for the Eastern and Southern Districts of New York are being invited to attend the Dinner as guests of the Association. Members are requested to advise the Chairman of the Committee on Dinner Arrangements of the names of any Federal Judges from other Circuits or Districts who are likely to be in or near New York at or about the time of the Meeting. The President of the Association will be pleased to extend the Association's invitation to them.

The Commodore must be advised well in advance, not only of the number who will attend the Dinner, but also the number of meat and fish courses to be served. It is therefore important that all reservation forms clearly indicate a choice of either meat or fish for the main course. The Committee enlists your cooperation in attending to this detail.

If you expect to attend the Dinner, the Committee would appreciate your acting promptly in completing the enclosed reservation

form and sending it, with your check payable to The Maritime Law Association to:

FRANCIS M. O'REGAN, Esq.  
Chairman of the Committee on  
Dinner Arrangements  
Bigham, Englar, Jones & Houston  
99 John Street  
New York, New York 10038

The other members of the Dinner Committee are:

MESSRS. JAMES J. KENNY  
EMIL A. KRATOVIL, JR.  
GUY E. C. MAITLAND  
DAVID W. MARTOWSKI  
MARTIN B. MULROY  
HENRY J. ROBINSON  
JAMES J. TAYLOR

Reservations can be made only when payment has been received by the Chairman. Refunds will not apply to cancellations received after May 3, 1971.

Members are requested to indicate on the reservation form with whom they desire to be seated. The Committee will endeavor to be guided accordingly.

The Executive Committee has passed the following resolution:

"Law Day, 1971, has been proclaimed by President Richard Nixon for appropriate observance on Saturday, May 1, 1971.

Our Association, along with the various state and local bar associations, has been requested by the American Bar Association to cooperate in the promotion of such appropriate observance.

The very timely theme of the observance of Law Day, 1971, is 'Channel Change Through Law and Reason'.

Now, therefore, we, the Executive Committee of your Association, do hereby urge the members of the Association to contact the Law Day Chairmen of their respective local bar associations to determine what assistance can be rendered to insure the success of the observance of Law Day, 1971".

FRANCIS J. O'BRIEN,  
*Secretary.*