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**THE MARITIME LAW ASSOCIATION
OF THE UNITED STATES**

**SEVENTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL MEETING AND DINNER
MAY 6, 1977**

The Seventy-Eighth Annual Meeting of the Association will be held at the Meeting Room of the New York County Lawyers Association, 14 Vesey Street, New York City, on May 6, 1977, commencing at 10:00 A.M.

The Annual Dinner, for members of the Association and their guests, will be held on Friday evening, May 6, 1977 in the Imperial Ballroom of the Americana Hotel, 7th Avenue & 52nd Street, New York City.

Cocktails will be served in the Royal Ballroom at 6:45 P.M. and dinner will be served in the Imperial 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 \$40.00 for members and \$42.50 for guests.

The Judges of the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit and the Judges of the United States District Court 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 Americana must be advised well in advance of the number who will attend the Dinner. Therefore 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:

THOMAS D. TOY, ESQ., Chairman
Committee on Dinner Arrangements
Hill, Rivkins, Carey, Loesberg & O'Brien
96 Fulton Street
New York, N.Y. 10038

The other members of the Committee on Dinner Arrangements are:

Charles C. Goodenough of New York,
Vice-Chairman
John E. Cone of New York
Michael T. Moore of New York
John J. Devine, Jr. of New York
Robert Alexander Hulten of New York
Francis X. Nolan III of New York

Reservations can be made only when payment has been received by the Chairman. Refunds will not apply to cancellations received after May 2, 1977.

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

JAMES J. DONOVAN
Secretary