

# IMO-IRENA-UNCTAD

## COP 28 SIDE EVENT

### THE 2023 IMO GHG STRATEGY:

#### 'DEFINING THE GLOBAL LEVEL-PLAYING-FIELD FOR SHIPPING DECARBONIZATION'

9 December 2023, 11.30-13.00, SE Room 4 (Blue Zone)

| Time        | Session/topic   | Speakers   |
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| 11.30-11.35 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Welcome remarks</li><li>• 2023 IMO GHG Strategy: key elements</li></ul>   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Mr. Arsenio Dominguez, Director, Marine Environment Division and Secretary-General elect, IMO</li></ul>  |
| 11.35-11.45 | Intergovernmental collaboration to support a net-zero future for international shipping   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Ms. Rebecca Grynspan, Secretary-General, UNCTAD (video)</li><li>• Mr. Francesco La Camera, Director-General, IRENA</li></ul>   |
| 11.45-12.10 | Government perspectives on the implementation of the 2023 IMO GHG Strategy: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Need for a global ruleset</li><li>• Role of GHG emission pricing in shipping</li><li>• Challenges and opportunities</li></ul>   | Moderator: Mr. Arsenio Dominguez, IMO <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Mr. Mark Harbers, Minister of Infrastructure and Water Management, the Netherlands</li><li>• Mr. Avinash Persaud, Special envoy to the Prime Minister on investment and financial services, Barbados</li><li>• Mr. Andreas Bjelland Eriksen, Minister of Climate and the Environment, Norway (tbc)</li></ul>   |
| 12.10-12.55 | Maritime value chain perspectives on increasing availability of alternative fuels to ensure achieving the reduction targets in the 2023 IMO GHG Strategy: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Demand &amp; pricing signals from the shipping sector</li><li>• How to support first movers</li><li>• Promoting a just and equitable transition</li></ul> | Moderator: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Mr. Jan Hoffmann, Chief, Trade Logistics Branch, UNCTAD</li></ul> Panel: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Mr. Bud Darr, Group Executive Vice President, Maritime policy and government affairs, MSC</li><li>• Mr. Christophe Pouts, Chair of Fuels and Products Working Group, IPIECA</li><li>• Ms. Alicia Eastman, President, InterContinental Energy</li><li>• Mr. Cem Ugur, Director Group Shipping, Tata Steel</li></ul> |
| 12.55-13.00 | Concluding remarks  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Mr. Arsenio Dominguez, IMO</li></ul>   |