

ANNEX 1

JOINT MSC-LEG-FAL MASS WORKING GROUP (MASS-JWG)

SEMINAR ON LEGAL ISSUES

Monday, 17 April 2023, IMO Headquarters

PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME

- 9.30 a.m.** Introductory remarks
Mr. Frederick J. Kenney (Moderator)
Director, Legal Affairs and External Relations Division, IMO
- 9.35 a.m.** Panel 1: The UN Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS) and
Maritime Autonomous Surface Ships (MASS)
- Panellists
- 1 Dr. Alexandros X.M. Ntovas, University of Southampton
 2 Dr. Kristine Elfrida Dalaker, Norwegian Centre for the Law of the
 Sea, UiT The Arctic University of Norway
- 10.00 a.m.** Panel 2: Redefining the role and responsibility of the master of MASS
- Panellists
- 1 Dr. John A.C. Cartner, MSCL + Cartner, PLLC, and Center for
 Ocean Policy & Economics, Northeast Maritime Institute
 2 Dr. Goran Vojkovic and Dr. Melita Milenković, Faculty of
 Transport and Traffic Sciences, University of Zagreb
- 10.25 a.m.** Panel 3: Liability and compensation regime for MASS
- Panellists
- 1 Prof. Henrik Ringbom, Åbo Akademi University, and
 Scandinavian Institute of Maritime Law, University of Oslo
 2 Prof. Baris Soyer, Institute of International Shipping and Trade
 Law, Swansea University
- 10.50 a.m.** Q&A
- 11.00 a.m.** End of seminar
