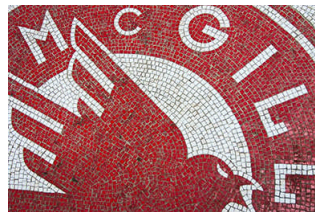




Pan-European Organisation of Personal Injury Lawyers

Athens PEOPIL & McGill 8 & 9 October 2010



**CONFERENCE ON
INTERNATIONAL AVIATION LIABILITY & INSURANCE:
CURRENT ISSUES AND CONTROVERSIES**

FRIDAY & SATURDAY, OCT. 8-9, 2010

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FRIDAY, OCT. 8

9:00 – 10:30

RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN AVIATION LIABILITY

- AIR CARRIER LIABILITY
- JURISDICTION AND FORUM NON CONVENIENS
- RECOVERY OF NON-ECONOMIC DAMAGES (recovery for pain and suffering, loss of consortium, loss of society, post traumatic stress disorder)
- MANUFACTURERS' LIABILITY
- AIR NAVIGATION SERVICE PROVIDER LIABILITY
- THE MONTREAL SURFACE DAMAGE CONVENTIONS OF 2009

CHAIR:

CLIVE GARNER – IRWIN MITCHELL (LONDON)

SPEAKERS:

PROF. PAUL STEPHEN DEMPSEY – MCGILL UNIVERSITY (MONTREAL)

GEORGE LELOUDAS – GATES & PARTNERS (LONDON)

RICARDO MARTINEZ-CID – PODHURST ORSECK (MIAMI)

STELIOS STYLIANOU – LAW FIRM OF STELIOS STYLIANOU (ATHENS)

10:30 – 11:00

REFRESHMENT BREAK

11:00 – 12:30

RECENT DEVELOPMENTS IN AVIATION INSURANCE

- INSURANCE OF WAR AND TERRORISM RISKS, NUCLEAR RISKS, AND WEAPONS OF MASS DESTRUCTION
- POLICY FORMS AND ENDORSEMENTS ADOPTED BY THE INTERNATIONAL INSURANCE MARKET TO DEAL WITH THE RIGHTS OF AIRCRAFT FINANCIERS AND LESSORS (AVN 67C ETC)
- DISCLAIMER CLAUSES IN AIRCRAFT MANUFACTURER CONTRACTS

CHAIR:

CHRISTOS CHRISANTHIS – LAW FIRM OF CHRISTOS CHRISANTHIS (ATHENS)

SPEAKERS:

PHILIP CRYSTAL – SWISSRE (ZURICH)


ROD MARGO – CONDON & FORSYTH, LLP (LOS ANGELES)

WILHELM WESTERSTAD – WILLIS (STOCKHOLM)

12:30 – 1:30

LUNCH





1:30 – 3:00

ACCIDENT INVESTIGATIONS

- NEW EU REGULATIONS ON ACCIDENT INVESTIGATION
- CRIMINALIZATION AS A THREAT TO INFORMATION ACCESS
- SHOULD FAMILY ASSOCIATIONS PARTICIPATE IN ACCIDENT INVESTIGATIONS?
- WHAT IS THE IMPORTANCE OF INDEPENDENCE OF THE ACCIDENT INVESTIGATOR?
- THE DIFFERENT INVESTIGATIONS: THEIR OBJECTIVES AND ROLES

CHAIR:

Justin T. Green– KREINDLER & KREINDLER (NEW YORK)

SPEAKERS:

STEPHAN ERIKSSON - ADVOKATERNA LIMAN & PARTNERS AB (STOCKHOLM)

JEAN-PAUL TROADEC – BEA (Bureau d’Enquêtes et d’Analyses pour la sécurité de l’aviation civile) (PARIS)

PHIL GILES – NATIONAL AIR SAFETY INVESTIGATION ADVISORS (LONDON)

Hans Ephraïmson-Abt - Air Crash Victims Families Group (ACVFA)

SPEAKER FROM GREEK ACCIDENT INVESTIGATION BOARD (INVITED)

3:00 – 3:30

REFRESHMENT BREAK

3:30 – 5:00

THE REGULATION OF PASSENGER RIGHTS

- EU RULES ON DELAY, DENIED BOARDING, AND FLIGHT CANCELLATIONS
- REGULATION OF ACCESS BY PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES
- SECURITY, FACILITATION & PRIVACY
- ADVERTISING REGULATIONS
- LUGGAGE FEES

CHAIR:

THEODORE M. KOKKINIS – OLYMPIC GROUP (ATHENS)

SPEAKERS:

JOHN BALFOUR – CLYDE & CO. (LONDON)

PAUL FITZGERALD – MCGILL UNIVERSITY (MONTREAL)

MICHAEL GILL – IATA (GENEVA)

PROF. SVANTE O. JOHANNSEN – UNIVERSITY OF GOTHENBURG (GOTHENBURG, SWEDEN)

6:00-7:00

RECEPTION





SATURDAY, OCTOBER 9

9:00

MORNING WALKING TOUR OF THE ACROPOLIS, THE PLAKA, THE NEW ATHENS MUSEUM, AND THE HISTORIC CENTER OF ATHENS.

FOR REGISTRANTS STAYING OVER, ADDITIONAL TOURS OF DELPHI, THE GREEK ISLANDS AND OTHER LOCALES ARE AVAILABLE AT MODEST PRICES.

