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With more than seven million containers flowing through U.S. ports annually, maritime security experts fear that the easiest way for terrorists to introduce a nuclear device or Weapon of Mass Destruction may be inside one of these boxes. The U.S. already has several container security initiatives underway. Are they working or should the shipping industry and government be doing something else? Is 100% scanning of containers useful and practical? Seafarers are a valuable link in the maritime security chain. So why are we treating them as part of the problem rather than the solution?

These are just a handful of issues that will be addressed at **MARINE LOG'S MARITIME & PORT SECURITY 2008** by prestigious speakers from around the world. They will relate their firsthand experience of living in today's maritime and port security environment. They will draw on that experience to point out how to avoid common,

easily avoided, compliance lapses that can result in penalties and delays to ships and cargoes.

The conference is supported by exhibits and is once again being held in parallel with the annual **RAILWAY SECURITY FORUM & EXPO**.

The conference fee includes all sessions, luncheons and social breaks, as well as the cocktail reception and the conference documentation on CD (mailed post-conference).

For More Information

For more details on registering for this event, contact conference coordinator Michelle M. Zolkos at (212) 620-7208, mzolkos@sbpub.com.

For more details on tabletop displays and sponsorships, contact conference director Jane Poterala at (212) 620-7209 or e-mail: jpoterala@sbpub.com

Conference program

MODERATOR: Daniel F. Sheehan, P.E.

JANUARY 28

Continental breakfast | Sponsorship available | Expo open

Welcome by *Marine Log*

Keynote Address

Port Security: Responding to a natural disaster or terrorist incident

John A. Witte, Jr., Executive VP, Donjon Marine Co., Inc. & President, American Salvage Association

Port security: How federal agencies are measuring up to the challenge

Steve Caldwell, Dir., Maritime Security Issues, GAO

Coffee break | Sponsored by *Blank Rome Maritime* | Expo open

Maritime security and maritime safety: The enforcement relationship

RADM David P. Pekoske, Asst. Commandant for Operations, U.S. Coast Guard

What's in the Washington regulatory pipeline?

Jon Waldron, Esq., Partner, Blank Rome LLP

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Luncheon Address: Congressman Elijah E. Cummings, House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, Chairman of the Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Maritime Transportation

Cargo security: the JAXPort approach

Tricia A. Covais, VP & COO, Horizon Services Group

Port security grants: What's available? Which proposals get priority?

Gerald Del Rosario, Program Mgr., Transportation Infrastructure Support, FEMA/GPD, U.S. DHS

Gulf of Mexico Offshore Installations: The security issues

Charlie Papavizas, Esq., Partner, Winston & Strawn LLP

Energy break | Sponsorship available | Expo open

CommandBridge: A way of managing port security resources and responses

Stephen D. Dryden, President & CEO, The Mariner Group

TWIC: What's working, what's not

Jeanne Grasso, Esq., Partner, Blank Rome LLP

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What is IMO working on?

Erik Seither, Marketing Mgr., Region North & South Americas, DNV Classification (Americas) Inc.

Is it time to take a new look at your security planning?

Michael Bohlman, Board of Directors Member, BIMCO

Coffee break | Sponsorship available | Expo open

Seafarers: Still part of the answer, not part of the problem

Douglas B. Stevenson, Esq., Dir., Center for Seafarers' Rights, The Seamen's Church Institute

The role of the flag state in maritime security

Dr. Clay Maitland, Managing Partner, Marshall Island Ship Registry, IRI

Piracy: practical steps shipowners can take

Stan Ayscue, Business Development Mgr., SecureWest International, Inc.

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Luncheon Address: Don Phillips, transportation journalist

Gaps in port security: A shipping agent's perspective

Jeffrey J. Milstein, Operations Mgr., Moran Shipping Agencies, Inc.

Security training for the maritime sector

Ron Thomason, Asst. VP-Maritime, TranSystems

Adjourn

Program subject to change/augmentation.

Tabletop exhibits & sponsorships available.

Market to both the rail and maritime industries.

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For program updates, or to register online, visit www.marinelog.com

Conference Schedule

MARITIME & PORT SECURITY will be in session on Monday, January 28 from 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM and on Tuesday, January 29, from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM in the Grand Ballroom at the Crystal Gateway Marriott Hotel, 1700 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, VA. Registration for the conference will take place in the Grand Ballroom Foyer from 4:00 to 6:00PM on Sunday, January 27 and again at 8:00 AM on Monday, January 28.

A cocktail reception for all delegates and speakers will be held from 5:10 PM to 6:10 PM on Monday, January 28.

Registration

The conference registration fee is \$850 per participant, payable in advance for all registrants. The fee covers participation in all conference sessions, the conference CD-ROM, the luncheon on both days and the cocktail reception on Monday, January 28. Please return the registration form below. Your registration will be confirmed by e-mail. Questions regarding registration can be directed to Michelle Zolkos, Conference Coordinator, at (212) 620-7208, mzolkos@sbpub.com.

Proceedings

All paid attendees at **MARITIME & PORT SECURITY** will receive a CD-ROM containing all available conference presentations. CDs will be distributed by mail post-conference.

Hotel Accommodations

The Crystal Gateway Marriott Hotel has set aside a block of rooms at \$199 single/double for attendees at **MARITIME & PORT SECURITY**. The block will be held until 30 days prior to the conference; those reserving after that date will depend upon room availability. We suggest that you contact the hotel directly (703) 920-3230 for room reservations—please mention “MarineLog” when arranging your accommodations. You will receive room confirmation directly from the Crystal Gateway Marriott Hotel.

Cancellation Policy

Confirmed registrants who cancel less than one week prior to the conference are subject to a \$195 service charge. Registrants who fail to attend are liable for the entire fee unless they notify Marine Log in writing prior to the conference.

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