

# Shipping and Combating Climate Change

Thursday, 9 December 2010 from 18:30 to 20:00

Room: Cacao (Cancunmesse Hall D)

All participants at the United Nations Bonn Climate Change Talks are cordially invited and warmly welcomed to participate and actively partake in a side-event on shipping and combating climate change.

## ***Concept for the side event***

The shipping industry is proactively seeking solutions to the environmental, political and economic imperatives to continue mitigating its impact on climate changes. ICS, INTERTANKO and BIMCO will review the current situation and the way ahead. The UN body responsible for shipping, IMO, will give a status for the work at IMO regarding climate change. A key member state Panama will present the shipping case seen from a large shipping nation and a developing country.

## ***Program for the side event***

18:30-18:35 Introduction by the Chair.  
18:35-18:45 ICS (David Tongue): The Role of the Shipping Industry.  
18:45-18:55 IMO (Eivind Vagslid): State of Affair for the Work at IMO.  
18:55-19:05 INTERTANKO (Peter Swift): Shipowners Reducing GHG Emissions.  
19:05-19:15 BIMCO (Lars Robert Pedersen): GHG - The Way ahead for Shipping.  
19:15-19:25 Panama (Ambassador Gilberto Arias): The Situation seen from Panama.  
19:25-20:00 Q&A moderated by the Chair.

The event will be moderated by Lars Robert Pedersen from BIMCO.

## ***Information***

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Slides will be available on the UNFCCC website after the event.