

**EUROPEAN AIR LAW
ASSOCIATION**

**1994 ANNUAL
CONFERENCE**

**Recent Developments in
EC Air Transport
Law and Policy**

4 November in Amsterdam

The continued implementation of the competition rules of the EC Treaty and the provisions of the third package of aviation liberalisation measures of 1 January 1993 remains of great importance to the Community's aviation industry. This year has seen important activity on access to Community air routes (such as the Orly airport cases), ground handling, state aids and code sharing. These subjects, and others, will be examined in the Association's annual conference for 1994, with a round table session on access to air routes in particular. In addition, in view of the conference's location in Amsterdam, there will be a particular Dutch perspective on certain current issues.

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| 9.00 - 9.30 | Registration |
| 9.30 - 9.40 | Professor Dagtoglou , President of the EALA |
| 9.40 - 9.55 | J.W. Weck , Director General of Civil Aviation, The Netherlands |
| 9.55 - 10.15 | Strategies for the Future, Leo van Wyk , Director KLM |

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| 10.15 - 10.40 | Article 90 and its relevance for air transport, Lord Slynn of Hadley , Judicial Committee of the House of Lords (former Justice of the ECJ) |
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Ground Handling Liberalisation

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| 10.40 - 11.05 | Trevor Soames , Norton Rose Brussels |
| 11.05 - 11.30 | COFFEE |

Panel Discussion

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| 11.30-12.30 | Chairman, Piet Jan Slot (Professor of Economic Law, University of Leiden), Lord Slynn (House of Lords), Serge Durande (Head of Unit, DGIV/D-3), Alie Doorten (Director, KLM), Timothy Ayris (Head of Legal Services, BAA Plc), Trevor Soames (Norton Rose), Dr. Pablo Mendes de Leon (Institute of Air and Space Law, University of Leiden). |
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Open discussion

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| 12.30 - 14.00 | LUNCH |
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- 14.00 - 14.10 Address by the Honorary President of the EALA and Chairman of the afternoon session, **Professor Carl Otto Lenz**, Advocate General of the European Court of Justice.
- 14.10 - 14.35 'Is there a state aid policy?', **Konstantinos Adamantopoulos**, Hammond Suddards, Brussels
- 14.35 - 15.00 Cooperation and strategic alliances in the airline industry, **Peter-Haanappel**, IATA.
- 15.00 - 15.25 Legal questions arising from new marketing devices, in particular code sharing, **Frank Montag**, Deringer Tessin Hermann & Sedemund, Brussels.
- 15.25 - 15.55 **Open discussion**
- 15.55 - 16.15 **TEA**

Panel Discussion on access to air routes and other current policy issues

- 16.15 - 17.15 Chairman, **Professor Carl Otto Lenz** (Advocate General, European Court of Justice), **Kees den Braven** (Head of Air Policy, CAA Netherlands), **Serge Durande** (Head of Unit, DGIV/D-3), **Frederik Sørensen*** (Head of Unit, DGVII/C-1), **Daniel Calleja*** (Cabinet of Commissioner Oreja).
- 17.15 - 17.45 **Open discussion** led by **Professor Carl Otto Lenz**
- 17.45 Closing remarks, **Professor Dagtoglou**
- 18.00 **DRINKS**

* **Invited**

Location

The Golden Tulip, Barbizon Centre, Stadhouderskade 7 (Leidseplein), 1054 ES Amsterdam, The Netherlands.

Fee

(to include lunch, drinks after the conference and conference papers)

£ 250 for members (as at 1st August 1994)

£ 350 for non-members

Please note that the reduced membership rate is only available to those who were members as at 1st August 1994.

Accommodation

A limited number of rooms have been reserved in The Golden Tulip, Barbizon Centre, Stadhouderskade 7 (Leidseplein), 1054 ES Amsterdam; tel: 020-6-851-351; fax 020-6-851-611. Bookings should be made directly with the hotel.

Reservations

Acceptance of reservations is conditional upon availability of space. Reservations may be made by completing the enclosed form and sending it with the fee to the **European Air Law Association, c/o the Treasurer, John Balfour, Frere Cholmeley Bischoff, 4 John Carpenter Street, London, EC4Y ONH.**

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Programme Content

The language of the conference will be English. While every effort will be made to maintain the programme as described, the Association reserves the right to alter the content or the names of the speakers without advance notice.