7TH COPENHAGEN AIR FINANCE LEGAL SEMINAR

Copenhagen | Friday 1st June 2018
Axel Towers
EALA is pleased to invite you to attend its 7th Copenhagen Air Finance Legal Seminar, to be held at Gorrissen Federspiel’s domicile in Copenhagen.

EALA’S MISSION
Since 1989, EALA has arranged conferences and seminars in Europe focusing on important legal issues regarding the aviation industry. Over those 29 years, EALA has gained international recognition and respect as a leading forum for the discussion of topical developments regarding aviation law. The first Copenhagen Air Finance Legal Seminar was held back in 2006 and here, 12 years later, the 7th seminar is taking place.

The theme of the event is around the two neighbours, Tivoli Gardens and Axel Towers. The selected conference hotel is Tivoli Hotel which is in walking distance from Nimb, the renowned Tivoli restaurant where the pre-conference drinks and dinner event happen. Tivoli’s neighbour, Axel Towers, has recently received the prize for being Copenhagen’s most beautiful building and is the venue of the seminar itself.

This year we again maintain the recurring panel on current issues in air finance and leasing and yet again the insurance update takes a practical angle on relevant insurance matters. One panel deals with news in respect of the Cape Town Convention and one discusses practical air debt matters. As a new feature, the final panel of the day is a Q&A session with the days’ moderators from the other panels who will (try to) give answer to whatever complicated question on leasing and financing that the audience may have. The moderators are flanked by a frequent banker guest to assist in finding the right answers.

All delegates and speakers are cordially invited to attend the pre-conference drinks and dinner on Thursday evening, 31st May 2018.

Please book at your earliest convenience for this interesting event organised by EALA.
THURSDAY 31ST MAY 2018

19:00 – 23:00
DRINKS RECEPTION AND DINNER
Nimb, Bernstorffsgade 5 | Copenhagen

12:45 – 14:15
LUNCH
Axelborg Bodega, Axeltorv 1 | Copenhagen
(opposite to Axel Tower’s main entrance)

14:15 – 15:45
AIR FINANCE AND LEASING, CURRENT ISSUES

Moderator
Gavin Hill, partner, Vedder Price LLP, London

Panellists
Ralf Springer, partner, Norton Rose Fullbright LLP, Munich
Kam Mahil, director legal, Loan Market Association, London
Ken Rush, partner, Walkers, Dublin

15:45 – 16:15
REFRESHMENTS | Coffee/tea break

16:15 – 16:45
INSURANCE UPDATE

Speaker
Nicholas Medniuk, solicitor, CMS, Bristol

16:45 – 17:30
THE MODERATORS – AND A BANKER

Moderator
Morten Hans Jakobsen, partner, Gorrissen Federspiel, Copenhagen

Panellists
Phillip Durham, partner, Holland & Knight LLP, New York
David Bartlett, senior vice president and counsel, GECAS & PK Airfinance, Luxembourg
Mattias Reuleaux, legal counsel, managing director, NORD/LB, Hannover

17:30
CLOSING REMARKS
By the president of EALA, Pablo Mendes de Leon

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FRIDAY 1ST JUNE 2018

CONFERENCE
Axel Towers, Gorrissen Federspiel, Axeltorv 2 | Copenhagen

08:30 – 09:00
REGISTRATION
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09:00 – 09:15
WELCOME ADDRESS
Pablo Mendes de Leon, president of EALA, professor of air and space law, Leiden University, Leiden, and
Morten Hans Jakobsen, partner, Gorrissen Federspiel, Copenhagen

09:15 – 10:45
CAPE TOWN, WHAT’S NEW

Moderator
Phillip Durham, partner, Holland & Knight LLP, New York

Panellists
Deirdre Ni Chearbhaill, head of transaction legal, Avolon, Dublin
Victoria Koob, partner, Holland & Knight (UK) LLP, London
Georgina O’Riordan, partner, McCann Fitzgerald, Dublin
William Browne, legal vice president, BBAM Aviation Services Limited, Dublin

10:45 – 11:15
REFRESHMENTS | Coffee/tea break

11:15 – 12:45
AIR DEBT – THE RISKS, THE STRUCTURES, THE DOCUMENTS

Panellists
David Bartlett, senior vice president and counsel, GECAS & PK Airfinance, Luxembourg
Niall Cronin, vice president origination, PK Airfinance, Shannon
Clifford Work, general counsel, Milestone Aviation Group, Dublin
PRACTICAL INFORMATION

COCKTAIL RECEPTION AND DINNER,
THURSDAY 31ST MAY 2018
Delegates, moderators and panellists are invited to a drinks reception
and dinner to commerce at 19:00 at
Nimb, Bernstorffsgade 5 | Copenhagen.
If a speaker or delegate wishes to bring a companion, a payment of
EUR 140 will be required.

CONFERENCE VENUE
Axel Towers, Gorrissen Federspiel, Axeltorv 2 | Copenhagen

REGISTRATION FEE
The conference registration fee (includes attendance of sessions, confer-
ence materials, dinner, two cocktail receptions and luncheon) is EUR
690 for members and EUR 795 for non-members. The 2018 membership
fee is EUR 40 for individuals and EUR 120 for companies/firms.
Reduced fees of EUR 490 for members and EUR 595 for non-members
are available for delegates from the Baltic States, Eastern Europe and
the Balkan states. By special application to EALA’s treasurer, a reduced
fee of EUR 100 is available for a limited number of students.

CANCELLATION/CHANGES
Cancellations will be accepted until 25th May 2018, subject to a de-
duction of EUR 50 to cover administrative costs. Thereafter, no refund
can be offered. Cancellations should be notified to EALA’s treasurer,
Nikolai Ehlers at the address provided in the registration form. The
name of a registering delegate may be substituted at any time before
commencement of the conference.

PROGRAMME CONTENT
The language of the conference will be English. While every effort will
be made to maintain the programme as described EALA reserves the
right to alter the content of the conference or the identity of the panel-
lists without notice.

ATTENDANCE CERTIFICATION
To obtain a certificate of attendance in respect of the conference,
please contact Sofia Birk Bærenholdt,
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HOTEL ACCOMMODATION
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Heading of e-mail: Booking, Gorrissen Federspiel discount arrangement.
The discounted prices range from DKK 1,230 for a standard single
room to an executive double room at DKK 2,130. Junior suites are
available at DKK 2,930.
We avail ourselves of Gorrissen Federspiel’s discount arrangement with
Tivoli Hotel, so please make sure to follow the booking instructions in
order to get the discounted price.