



Environmental Liability Directive

7th Stakeholder Conference

BRUSSELS, 16-20 NOVEMBER 2020

Meeting venue: https://ec.europa.eu/info/events/environmental-liability-directive-7th-stakeholder-conference_en

AGENDA

MONDAY 16 NOVEMBER 2020 – “FINANCIAL SECURITY”

- 09.30**
- 1) Welcome message**
Robert Konrad, HoU, European Commission – DG ENV
 - 2) Opening of the agenda of the day**
Hans Lopatta, European Commission – DG ENV
 - 3) Webinar etiquette**
Ivona Malbasic, Prospect C&S
 - 4) “Financial Security study 2019/20”**
Valerie Fogleman, Stevens & Bolton LLP
 - 5) Q&A session**
Moderated by Ivona Malbasic, Prospect C&S
 - 6) “Facilitating Enforcement of the ELD”, an ongoing follow-up study**
Valerie Fogleman, Stevens & Bolton LLP
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11.00 – 11.15 **Virtual coffee break**

- 7) Q&A session**
Moderated by Ivona Malbasic, Prospect C&S
 - 8) Breakout groups**
 - 9) Summary of the group discussions**
Moderated by Ivona Malbasic, Prospect C&S
 - 10) Closing words**
Hans Lopatta, European Commission – DG ENV
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13.00 **Close**

MONDAY 16 NOVEMBER 2020 – AFTERNOON SIDE EVENT

14.00 – 15.00 **“Environmental Liability insurance and risk management for SMEs”**
Organised by BIPAR. For more information, please contact bipar@bipar.eu.

TUESDAY 17 NOVEMBER 2020 – “ELD GUIDELINES ON ENVIRONMENTAL DAMAGE”

- 09.30**
- 1) Opening of the agenda of the day**
Hans Lopatta, European Commission – DG ENV
 - 2) Webinar etiquette**
Ivona Malbasic, Prospect C&S
 - 3) “ELD Guidelines on environmental damage”, part 1**
Hans Lopatta, European Commission – DG ENV
 - 4) Q&A session**
Moderated by Ivona Malbasic, Prospect C&S
 - 5) “ELD Guidelines on environmental damage”, part 2**
Liam Cashman, European Commission – DG ENV
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11.00 – 11.15 **Virtual coffee break**

- 6) Q&A session**
Moderated by Ivona Malbasic, Prospect C&S
 - 7) “Criteria for the Assessment of the Environmental Damage”**
[CAED project](#); Francesco Andreotti, ISPRA
 - 8) Q&A session**
Moderated by Ivona Malbasic, Prospect C&S
 - 9) Closing words**
Hans Lopatta, European Commission – DG ENV
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13.00 **Close**

TUESDAY 17 NOVEMBER 2020 – AFTERNOON SIDE EVENT

14.00 – 16.30 **“8th Environmental Liability Directive Best Practices Seminar: Part 1 - Review of Guiding Principles and Needs”**
Organised by Ad-Hoc Industry Natural Resource Management Group. For more information, please consult the event webpage [17 November 2020 Programme Website](#).

WEDNESDAY 18 NOVEMBER 2020 – AFTERNOON SIDE EVENT

15.00 – 15.30 **“Environmental Liabilities and Responsibilities: An International Discussion”**
Organised by Alberta Energy Regulator. For more information, please contact David.Hardie@aer.ca.

THURSDAY 19 NOVEMBER 2020 – “ENVIRONMENTAL DAMAGE CASES. A NEW PERSPECTIVE FROM THE GROUND.”

- 09.30**
- 1) Opening of the agenda of the day**
Hans Lopatta, European Commission – DG ENV
 - 2) Webinar etiquette**
Ivona Malbasic, Prospect C&S
 - 3) “Environmental damage cases. A new perspective from the ground.”**
Sándor Fülöp, Justice & Environment
 - 4) Q&A session**
Moderated by Ivona Malbasic, Prospect C&S
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10.35 – 10.50 **Virtual coffee break**

- 5) Breakout groups**
 - 6) Summary of the group discussions**
Moderated by Ivona Malbasic, Prospect C&S
 - 7) Closing words**
Hans Lopatta, European Commission – DG ENV
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13.00 **Close**

THURSDAY 19 NOVEMBER 2020 – AFTERNOON SIDE EVENT

14.00 – 16.30 **“8th Environmental Liability Directive Best Practices Seminar: Part 2 - Review of Specific Cases and Lessons Learned”**
Organised by Ad-Hoc Industry Natural Resource Management Group. For more information, please consult the event webpage [19 November 2020 Programme Website](#).

FRIDAY 20 NOVEMBER 2020 – “ELD MULTI-ANNUAL WORK PROGRAMME 2021-2024”

- 09.30**
- 1) Opening of the agenda of the day**
Hans Lopatta, European Commission – DG ENV
 - 2) Webinar etiquette**
Ivona Malbasic, Prospect C&S
 - 3) “ELD Multi-Annual Work Programme 2021-2024”**
Hans Lopatta, European Commission – DG ENV
 - 4) Q&A session**
Moderated by Ivona Malbasic, Prospect C&S
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10.40 – 11.00 **Virtual coffee break**

- 5) “Raising awareness on Environmental Liability Directive in Slovenia”**
[EcoLexLife project](#); Lea Tomačič, Tax-Fin-Lex
 - 6) Q&A session**
Moderated by Ivona Malbasic, Prospect C&S
 - 7) EP initiative “Liability of companies for environmental damage” – views of Members of the European Parliament**
Antonius Manders, Member of the European Parliament
Marie Toussaint, Member of the European Parliament
 - 8) Q&A session**
Moderated by Ivona Malbasic, Prospect C&S
 - 9) Overall summary of the week**
Aurel Ciobanu-Dordea, Director, European Commission – DG ENV
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13.00 **Close**
