WHO BEARS THE COSTS OF TERRORISM?
Allocating the risk under the draft ICAO Unlawful Interference Convention

THURSDAY 5th MARCH 2009; 14.00-18.00hrs
No.4 Hamilton Place, London

CONFERENCE SYNOPSIS
The atrocities of 9/11 were a graphic reminder to the world of the damage that can be done by civil aircraft as result of terrorist acts.

This seminar will provide a timely consideration of the convention proposed by the International Civil Aviation Organisation to provide compensation for such events, which is the subject of an international diplomatic conference to be held in April-May 2009.

The seminar will consider the existing mechanisms providing remedies for aerial terrorism, the road to ICAO’s draft convention and the terms of the draft itself. It will then consider the proposals contained in the draft convention from a number of different perspectives. These topics will be addressed by a distinguished panel of speakers, with time provided to debate the issues arising.

The seminar will be followed by a drinks reception to which all attendees are invited.

This event is co-organised by the Royal Aeronautical Society (RAeS) and the British Institute of International and Comparative Law (BIICL).

REGISTRATION
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PROGRAMME

Thursday 5th March 2009

13.45  Registration and Coffee

14.00  Welcome and Introduction
       Prof Robert McCorquodale, Director, British Institute of International and Comparative Law

14.10  SESSION ONE: Terrorism, Civil Aviation and the Unlawful Interference Convention
       Chairman: Sarah Williams, Dorset Fellow of Public International Law, BIICL

       • Existing mechanisms for compensation: Overview of arrangements following 11 September and other aerial incidents
         Prof Dr Pablo Mendes de Leon, International Institute of Air & Space Law, Leiden University

       • The road to Montreal: finalising the text of the draft Convention
         Kate Staples, Aviation and Commercial Coordination, Department of Transport

       • Scope of application of the Unlawful Interference Convention
         Peter Macara & Nick Medniuck, Clyde & Co LLP

15.50  Coffee

16.20  SESSION TWO: Perspectives on the Unlawful Interference Convention: the three layers and beyond
       Chairman: Giles Kavanagh, Barlow Lyde & Gilbert LLP

       • The industry perspective
         Michael Gill, Legal Counsel, International Air Transport Association

       • The insurance perspective
         Sean Gates, Gates and Partners and Legal Adviser to the International Union of Aviation Insurers

       • The consumers’ perspective
         Simon Evans, Chief Executive, Air Transport Users Council

       • An independent perspective
         George Tompkins Jnr, Wilson Elser LLP

18.00  Concluding Remarks
       Robert Lawson, Barrister, Quadrant Chambers, London

18.15  Drinks Reception – sponsored by Quadrant Chambers

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