



## Developments in the Maritime Sector, Emission Trading System, and the 'Suez Crisis'

### WEBINAR

Friday, 23 February 2024, 10.00 CET – 11.00 CET (online)

Dear Roman STIFTNER,

We are happy to invite you to ESC webinar "Developments in the Maritime Sector, Emission Trading System, and the 'Suez Crisis' ".

The webinar deals with two topics. The first one is the 'Suez Crisis' and possible solutions. ESC is concerned about the Houti attacks and emphasises the detrimental impact on global supply chains, sustainability initiatives, and international trade. These incidents exacerbate existing inflationary pressures shippers and consumers face, adding further strain to already complex economic conditions. Protecting crews, cargo, and ships is paramount.

The second topic deals with the developments in the maritime sector, in particular the Emission Trading System and Refuel EU maritime and what companies can expect from those developments.

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### PROGRAMME

**10.00** Opening from the moderator, President of ESC, Roman Stiftner

**10.05** Interventions:

- Annika Kroon, DG MOVE, Unit D1 – Maritime Transport & Logistics
- Lieutenant Commander Ricardo Freitas Braz, European Defence Agency – project officer
- Godfried Smit, Secretary General, European Shippers' Council
- Jim Corbett, Environmental Director, Europe, World Shipping Council

**10.50** Q&A

Sincerely,

ESC team

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