

ICC SEMINAR ON PROCUREMENT AND TRADE

7 November 2012, Paris

IMPACT ON GLOBAL TRADE OF RECIPROCAL ACCESS LEGISLATION IN PUBLIC AND UTILITY PROCUREMENT MARKETS

14:00

Opening remarks

Co-chairs of the ICC Task Force on Public Procurement

Michael Bowsher QC

Partner
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Lauri Railas

Counsel
Krogerus Attorneys Ltd.

The EC proposed regulation on public procurement

Policy background and perspectives

Moderated by Mr. Lauri Railas, co-chair of the ICC Task Force on Public Procurement

Erik Nooteboom

Head of Unit on Public procurement
Acting Director, DG Market, European Commission

Stephane Reynolds*

Cabinet of Malcolm Harbour, Member of the European Parliament

The Industrial Context

Free Trade Concerns

Moderated by Michael Bowsher, QC

Dr. Peter Schäfer

Federation of German Industries
BDI

The External Context

Effects on large non-EU markets – Engagement with GPA

Moderated by Jane Jenkins, Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer LLP

Pr Christopher R. Yukins

Georges Washington University Law School
Counsel, Arnold Porter LLP

Lessons from 70 years of US experience with domestic preferences in public procurement

Alan W. H. Gourley

Partner
Crowell & Moring LLP

Robert Anderson*

WTO Secretariat
Committee on Government Procurement

The Perspective of International Organizations:

WTO, UNCITRAL, ESA

Pierre Reynaud

Head of International Law and European Union Legal Affairs
ESA

Caroline Nicholas

International Trade Law Division
UN Office of Legal Affairs, UNCITRAL

18:00

Cocktail

* Attendance to be confirmed



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