20 YEARS OF THE INTERNATIONAL TRIBUNAL FOR THE LAW OF THE SEA The contribution of the Tribunal to the Rule of Law

5 – 6 October 2016 Programme

Wednesday, 5 October 2016

9 - 9:30 a.m. Registration

9:45 – 10 a.m. Welcoming remarks

Vladimir Golitsyn, President of the Tribunal

10 - 11:30 a.m.

Panel 1:

The Tribunal's jurisprudence and its contribution to the Rule of Law

Panel:

Judge David Anderson, former ITLOS Judge

Judge José Luis Jesus, ITLOS

Judge Elsa Kelly, ITLOS

Judge Jin-Hyun Paik, ITLOS

Judge Tullio Treves, former ITLOS Judge

Chair: President Vladimir Golitsyn

Question and Answer session

11:30 a.m. - noon Coffee break

Noon – 1:30 p.m.

Panel 2:

The contribution of the Tribunal to the progressive development of International Law

Panel:

Professor Doris König, Justice, Constitutional Court of the Federal Republic of Germany

Professor Francisco Orrego Vicuña, Heidelberg University Center for Latin America

Professor Bernard H. Oxman, University of Miami School of Law

Professor Tullio Scovazzi, University of Milano-Bicocca

Professor Yoshifumi Tanaka, University of Copenhagen

Judge Peter Tomka, International Court of Justice

Chair: Judge Shunji Yanai, ITLOS

Question and Answer session

1:30 – 3 p.m. Lunch break

3 - 4:30 p.m.

Panel 3:

The contribution of the Tribunal to the Rule of Law: the point of view of practitioners

Panel:

Professor Alan Boyle, Edinburgh Law School

Professor Alain Pellet, Emeritus Professor of the University Paris Ouest Nanterre La Défense, former member and former President of the International Law Commission Mr Paul Reichler, Partner, Co-Chair, International Litigation and Arbitration Department Foley Hoag LLP

Sir Michael Wood, Barrister, Member of the International Law Commission Chair: Judge Rüdiger Wolfrum, ITLOS

Question and Answer session

5 p.m. Reception

Thursday, 6 October 2016

Panel 4:

Improving working methods in international adjudication

10 – 10:30 a.m. *A view from the ICJ*

Judge Ronny Abraham, President of the ICJ

10:30 – 11 a.m. The experience of the Tribunal

Judge Joseph Akl, ITLOS

11 – 11:30 a.m. A perspective from the EFTA Court

Judge Carl Baudenbacher, President of the EFTA Court

11:30 – noon Coffee break

Noon – 1 p.m. Panel Discussion

Panel:

Judge Jean-Pierre Cot, ITLOS Judge Albert Hoffmann, ITLOS Judge Tafsir Ndiaye, ITLOS

Chair: Vice-President Boualem Bouguetaia, ITLOS

Question and Answer session