

# Port Administration and Legal Issues Seminar

February 12-13, 2019

Port Everglades Cruise Terminal 2 Building  
1801 SE 20<sup>th</sup> Street, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33316

## Tuesday, February 12

7:30 – 8:30 a.m.

### Registration

#### Sponsored by:

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8:00 – 8:30 a.m.

### Continental Breakfast

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8:30 – 8:45 a.m.

### Welcome and Opening Remarks

*Kurt J. Nagle, President & CEO, AAPA  
Tom Schroeter, Associate General Counsel, Port of Houston Authority,  
Chairman, AAPA Law Review Committee*

8:45 – 10:15 a.m.

### Employment Law and Human Resources Issues

*The panelists will discuss current trends in employment law and other human resources issues.*

#### Moderator:

*Charles E. Klug, Jr., Chief Legal Officer, Port Tampa Bay*

#### Speakers:

*W. Reynolds Allen, Of Counsel, Allen Norton & Blue, Tampa, FL*

*Lisa Griffin Hodgdon, Of Counsel, Nelson Mullins Broad & Cassel, Tampa, FL*

10:15 – 10:30 a.m.

### Break

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10:30 – Noon

### Structuring Lease Provisions

#### Moderator:

*Louis Colletta, Jr., Executive Counsel, Port of New Orleans*

#### Speakers:

*Tom Tanaka, Deputy General Counsel, Port of Seattle*

*Mark Ittel, Partner, Bermello, Ajamil & Partners, Inc., Fort Lauderdale, FL*

*Paul M. Heylman, Esq., Partner, Saul Ewing Arnstein & Lehr LLP, Washington, DC*

Noon – 1:30 p.m.

### Lunch

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**Kelley Drye**



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## Tuesday, February 12 *(continued)*

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1:30 – 3:15 p.m.

### **A Survey of Rail Issues**

*Hear about rail service issues, federal preemption under the Interstate Commerce Commission Termination Act, and on-dock and rail access issues/projects.*

**Discussion Leader:**

Kevin M. Sheys, Esq., Partner, Nossaman, LLP, Washington, DC

**Speakers:**

Gregory V. Iannarelli, Esq., General Counsel, GT USA Wilmington, LLC

Karyn A. Booth, Partner, Thompson, Hine & Flory, Washington, DC

Dawn McIntosh, Deputy City Attorney, Long Beach City Attorney Office

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3:15 – 3:30 p.m.

### **Break**

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**Lewis, Longman & Walker, P.A.**



3:30 – 5:00 p.m.

### **Dredging and Environmental Issues**

*A panel discussion of environmental issues associated with development and dredging at ports.*

**Discussion Leader:**

Andrew W. Homer, Special Counsel, Kelley Drye & Warren LLP, La Jolla, CA

**Speakers:**

Erik Neugaard, MS, AICP, CWB, PWS, Environmental Program Manager,  
Port Everglades

Frederick L. Aschauer, Jr., Lewis, Longman & Walker, P.A., Tallahassee, FL

Peter R. Knight, Esq., Partner, Robinson & Cole LLP, Hartford, CT

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5:30 – 7:00 p.m.

Poolside, Hilton Fort  
Lauderdale Marina  
1881 SE 17<sup>th</sup> Street  
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33316

### **Reception**

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## Wednesday, February 13

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8:00 – 8:30 a.m.

### **Continental Breakfast**

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**Baker Wotring LLP**



8:30 – 9:30 a.m.

### **Marine Terminal Operator Regulation Under the Shipping Act**

*Speakers will address discuss updates on Shipping Act regulation of leases and Federal Maritime Commission cases.*

**Moderator:**

Heather McCloskey, Deputy City Attorney, Port of Los Angeles

**Speakers:**

John Longstreth, Partner, K&L Gates LLP, Washington, DC

Ashley W. Craig, Partner, Venable LLP, Washington, DC

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**Wednesday, February 13** *(continued)*

9:30 – 10:45 a.m. **Chassis Pools, Demurrage and Other Port Charges**

**Speakers:**

*C. Jonathan Benner, Partner, Thompson Coburn LLP, Washington, DC  
Matthew J. Antonelli, Associate, Saul Ewing Arnstein & Lehr LLP, Washington, DC*

10:45 – 11:00 a.m. **Break**

**Sponsored by:**

**Thompson Coburn LLP**



11:00 a.m. – Noon **Longshore and Labor Issues**

*A discussion of upcoming longshore labor agreements as well as the impact on ports of the Supreme Court decision in Janus v. AFSCME finding that that nonunion workers cannot be forced to pay fees to public sector unions.*

**Speaker:**

*Paul M. Heylman, Esq., Partner, Saul Ewing Arnstein & Lehr LLP, Washington, DC*

Noon – 1:30 p.m.

**Lunch**

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1:30 – 2:30 p.m.

**Risk Management Issues: Loss Mitigation Strategies for Ports**

*This session will explain what port authorities should look for in their insurance programs and provide practical tips about how to maximize recovery of insurance claims.*

**Speaker:**

*Robert M. Horkovich, Esq., Chair, Insurance Recovery Group, Anderson Kill, New York, NY*

2:30 – 3:30 p.m.

**Document Retention**

**Speaker:**

*Danny W. Wan, Port Attorney, Port of Oakland*

3:30 – 3:45 p.m.

**Break**

**Sponsored by:**

**Anderson Kill**



3:45 – 5:00 p.m.

**Security, Cybersecurity and Privacy Law: Considerations for U.S. Ports and Port Counsel**

**Discussion Leader:**

*Thomas G. Schroeter, Associate General Counsel, Port Houston, Chairman, AAPA Law Review Committee*

**Speakers:**

*Joseph M. Lawless, Senior Transportation Security Specialist, Edward Davis LLC  
Christy Coffey, VP of Operations, Maritime & Port Security Information Sharing and Analysis Organization (MPS-ISA), NASA/Kennedy Space Center, FL  
Al Leiva, Of Counsel, Baker Donelson, Ft. Lauderdale, FL*

