ABS SEMINAR

Ballast Water Management

19 June 2012
ABS PLAZA
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You are invited to attend a half-day seminar about ballast water management sponsored by ABS. An explanation on the US Coast Guard's Ballast Water Discharge Standard Final Rule will be provided. A status update of the Ballast Water Management Convention with pertinent updates will be provided as well as overview on the ABS *Guide for Ballast Water Treatment*.

As we are entering the implementation phase for the international requirements, ABS has also selected a speaker to address the perspective of a shipowner and a representative from a marine engineering design firm to discuss options for system selection and installation.

This seminar should be of interest to owners, operators, shipyards, designers, and vendors who wish to be informed on the recent updates in these areas.

There is no charge for attending this seminar. A continental breakfast will be served. To reserve your place, please call or email by 15 June 2012 to:

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Yes, I would like to attend the Ballast Water Management Seminar on 19 June 2012 in Houston. Here is my contact information.

Name: _____

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Agenda

8:00 Registration, Continental Breakfast & Introductions
Bill Lind, ABS

8:15 USCG Ballast Water Discharge Standard Final Rule
CDR Ryan Allain, USCG

9:15 Ballast Water Regulatory Update & the ABS *Guide for Ballast Water Treatment*
Charles Dorchak, ABS

10:15 Break

10:15 Ballast Water Management: An Owner's Perspective
Peter Weber, SeaRiver Maritime, Inc.

11:00 Selection & Installation of Ballast Water Treatment Systems
Spencer Schilling, Herbert Engineering Corp.

12:00 Adjourn