



## ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION FOR COMMODITY TRADING SHIPPING AND TRADE FINANCE (ACT)

16 October 2014

Embassy of Switzerland in the United Kingdom

16-18 Montagu Place - London W1H 2BQ

### PROGRAMME

16:30 **Registration**

17:00 **Opening Remarks**

Nicholas C. Niggli (Head of the Economic, Trade & Finance Section, EMBASSY OF SWITZERLAND TO THE UNITED KINGDOM)

17:10 **Arbitration and Mediation under ACT:**

17:10 **London-Geneva synergies for efficient dispute resolution**

Stéphane Graber (Secretary-General, GTSA)

Eric Biesel (Director, Member of the Executive Committee, CCIG)

Elliott Geisinger (President, Swiss Arbitration Association, ASA, & Partner, SCHELLENBERG WITTMER)

17:30 **A flexible procedure for dispute resolution in commodity trading**

Domitille Baizeau (Partner, LALIVE)

17:50 **Views of users and counsel**

Vicken Bayramian (General Counsel, METINVEST INTERNATIONAL SA)

James Hargrove (Partner, Eversheds, SOLICITOR ADVOCATE)

Jeff Isaacs (Partner, HILL DICKINSON)

18:35 **Selecting the right arbitrator and mediator**

Philippe Berta (Partner, PHILAW)

Jean-Baptiste Leclercq (GUNVOR)

19:00 **Q&A**

19:25 **Closing Remarks**

19:30 **Cocktail Reception**

**Venue:** Swiss Embassy - 16-18 Montagu Place - London W1H 2BQ

**Time:** 17:00-20:30

**To Register:** Please send an email at [info@gtsa.ch](mailto:info@gtsa.ch)

**Deadline:** 10 October 2014

**Registration Fee:** £ 70 (tax incl.)

*Please note that the number of attendees is limited. Your participation will be confirmed upon receipt of the Registration Fee. Any cancellation must be sent by email to [info@gtsa.ch](mailto:info@gtsa.ch) by 10 October 2014, at the latest; otherwise, the total amount of the Registration Fee will be due.*

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