

LOGISTICS FOR EUROPE

TOWARDS RESILIENT AND COMPETITIVE SUPPLY CHAINS

23 NOVEMBER 2022, RESIDENCE PALACE, BRUSSELS

The 'Logistics for Europe' event brings logistics industry representatives, including shippers, freight forwarders, and logistics experts, and European law makers together in a constructive dialogue on the future of freight transport. This year's joint event will address new and outstanding questions:

- How to ensure the EU remains a competitive and sustainable place for logistics?
- Should the EU take more action in support of more resilient and competitive supply chains?
- How changes to the competition rules can restore trust and confidence in the container shipping industry, which is vital to the European business and consumers

13:30 **REGISTRATION & COFFEE**

14.00 **SETTING THE SCENE**

Moderator: Christa Sys, holder of the BNP Paribas Fortis chair on transport, logistics and ports at University of Antwerp

Roman Stiftner, President ESC, **Paolo Bisogni** (ELA), **Willem van der Schalk** (CLECAT)
Collaboration to build resilience & strengthen competitiveness: a brief exchange between the shippers, forwarders, and logistics associations

Koen De Leus, Chief Economist, BNP Paribas Fortis: *Economic outlook: accelerating energy transition and digitalisation to sustain Europe's economy at times of uncertainty*

Charlotte Nørlund-Matthiessen, Policy Adviser in the Cabinet of Commissioner Adina Vălean
How to implement Europe's ambitions for a green transition in a disruptive environment?

Steven Pope, Group Head Trade Facilitation (Go Trade) at Deutsche Post DHL Group
Trends in Global Trade

SESSION 1: MAKING SUPPLY CHAINS FIT FOR FUTURE

What are the operators in trade, transport and logistics worried about? Short presentation of the ESC/CLECAT survey on major concerns of shippers and logistics sector in a disruptive economic, societal, and geopolitical environment

Nicolette van der Jagt, Director General, CLECAT

Expert panel discussion on energy transition, sustainability, digitalisation and labour force challenges, at times of geopolitical disruptions with speakers from the logistics industry.

Moderator: Jordi Espin, Secretary General, Spanish Shippers' Council & Strategic Relations Manager, ESC

- **Bart de Muynck**, Chief Industry Officer, project 44
- **Danielle Tap**, Director of Partner Programs, Digital Container Shipping Association
- **Sophie Chapellier**, Project Manager, FRET 21
- **Marc Cottignies**, Engineer Expert, ADEME
- **Robert-Frans Niers**, Group Director Plan & Deliver a.i., Zeelandia
- **Martijn Vermunt**, Supply Chain Manager, Shell Chemicals Europe B.V.
- **Alessandro Pitto**, Managing Director, Casasco & Nardi S.p.a., President Fedespedi

Response from the European Commission on how to scale up Sustainable Solutions in freight Transport and the role of digitalisation to enable more sustainable and efficient transport?

Szymon Oscislawski, Deputy Head of Unit, DG MOVE, Maritime Transport and Logistics

16:00 - 16:30 **COFFEE BREAK**

SESSION 2: THE CASE FOR MARITIME COMPETITION REGULATION REFORM

Developments in Container shipping Market Structure affecting the Global Maritime Supply Chain

Moderator: Anne Federle, Partner Competition & EU Law, Bird & Bird LLP

Mike Garratt, Chairman and Founder, MDS Transmodal

Olaf Merk, Project Manager, Ports and Shipping, International Transport Forum (online)

Expert panel discussion on service performance in the maritime logistics supply chain, customers' needs, trends such as concentration, vertical integration and new business models. Is the CBER still fit-for-purpose in view of industry trends such as concentration and vertical integration? How to ensure a fair playing field?

- **Henrik Mørch**, Director of Services, DG COMP, European Commission
- **Lennart Heip**, Global Modal Leader International Trade Operations, Dow
- **Jens Roemer**, Managing Director, a. hartrodt
- **Anne-Sophie Fribourg**, Vice President - Global Ocean Freight, Zencargo
- **Damian Viccars**, Brussels Representative, World Shipping Council
- **Philippe Corruble**, EM Normandie, Avocat Of Counsel, Stream

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18.15 -19.15 **COCKTAIL RECEPTION**