

ICC Task Force on Public Procurement presents:

The new EU Directive: Towards Market-based Defence and Sensitive Security Procurement

Date: Tuesday, 1 February 2011

Venue: International Chamber of Commerce
[38 Cours Albert 1er, 75008 Paris, France](#)

Objective

The August 2011 deadline for implementation of the new European Commission (EC) Directive on defence and sensitive security procurement is fast approaching. The Directive enhances the prospects of establishing an integrated European Defence Equipment Market but raises many questions and issues.

In order for international businesses to fully understand, comply and reap the benefits of the Directive 2009/81/EC, it is important to have a comprehensive understanding of its scope, its relationship to existing law and regulation and the required compliance procedures.

This unique ICC one-day seminar looks not only at informing the delegates as to the substance of the Directive, but also at the wider implications and opportunities that it presents in terms of exemptions, derogations and governmental challenges as well as its impact on the business sector. The seminar will also highlight remedies that may be available in circumstances where there has been a failure to comply with the Directive.

The goal of this seminar, bringing together government and industry representatives, is to facilitate an understanding of the Directive and its implications in the context of both its legal framework but also by reference to the commercial practicalities of involvement in the defence and security sectors after implementation takes effect.

Who should attend?

- Management and counsel in the defence and security sector
- Practitioners in industry of selling defence and security equipment
- Defence and security policy officials
- Academics in the field of defence and security procurement
- Officials from EU Institutions



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8:30 – 9:30 **Registration and breakfast**

Morning session

9:30 – 12:30

PANEL 1: The scope of the new Defence Directive, what is caught and what is not?

PANEL 2: What compliance involves: procurement procedures and procurement law

12.30 – 13.30 **Lunch**

Afternoon session

13:30 – 17:30

PANEL 3: Key issues for implementation: how will the new rules affect the industry and what are their concerns?

PANEL 4: Opening up EU Defence Procurement Markets – What is new?

15.30 – 16.00 **Coffee break**

PANEL 5: Remedies: will the new Directive lead to a US style challenge culture?

CLOSING REMARKS

Cocktail Reception

17:30 – 19:00

CHAIRS

- **Mr. Michael Bowsher QC** – Monckton Chambers (UK) – Panel 1
- **Dr. Hans-Joachim Prieß** – Partner, Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer LLP (Germany) - Panel 2
- **Mr. Nico Spiegel** – Legal Officer, C3, Formulation and Enforcement of Public Procurement Law III, DG Internal Market and Services, European Commission (Belgium) - Panel 3
- **Mr. Lauri Railas** – Attorney-at-law, Krogerus Attorneys (Finland) – Panel 4
- **Mr. Alan Gourley** – Partner, Crowell & Moring LLP (UK) – Panel 5

PANELISTS

- **Mr. Bertrand Marc-Allen** – Vice President and Assistant General Counsel, Global Law Affairs, Boeing Company, (USA)
- **Mr. Bill Giles** – Director General Europe, BAE Systems (Belgium)
- **Mrs. Donatella Catapano** – VP for International Contracts and Special Projects, Agusta Westland (Italy) *(to be confirmed)*
- **Mr. Dr. Burkard Schmitt** – Defense Expert, C3, Formulation and Enforcement of Public Procurement Law III, DG Internal Market and Services, European Commission (Belgium)
- **Dr. Klaus Moosmayer** – Chief Counsel Compliance, Siemens (Germany)
- **Dr. Martin Trybus** – Director of the Institute of European Law, Birmingham University (UK)
- **Mrs. Jane Jenkins** – Partner, Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer LLP (UK)
- **Mr. Lars Ajaxon** – Senior Advisor, Swedish Security and Defence Industry (Sweden)
- **Mrs. Lorraine Romero** – General Counsel, Thales-Raytheon Systems Co, LLC (USA)
- **Mr. Michael Abels** – Partner, Oppenhoff & Partners (Germany)
- **Mr. Michael Walter** – Senior Vice President of EADS (Germany)
- **Mr. Paul Khoury** – Partner, Wiley Rein LLP (USA) *(to be confirmed)*
- **Dr. Aris Georgopoulos** – Head of the Public Procurement Research Group (PPRG), University of Nottingham (UK)

more panelists representing various sectors will be confirmed in the coming weeks

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Venue: International Chamber of Commerce (Conference room: 1, 2, 3)
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