7th Southern Asia Ports, Logistics and Shipping 2012
Sri Lanka

Cinnamon Grand Hotel Colombo, Sri Lanka
Thursday 26 and Friday 27 April 2012

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• Key Success Factors For Wireless Productivity
• Challenges in Financing Infrastructure Development Projects in Southern Asia

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Dear Valued Colleague,

*Southern Asia Ports, Logistics and Shipping* is the largest annual Container Ports, Shipping and Transport Logistics B2B Exhibition and Conference trade event in Southern Asia.

Sri Lanka Ports Authority is pleased to support this event in the city of Colombo on Thursday 26 and Friday 27 April 2012.

The 7th *Southern Asia Ports, Logistics and Shipping* 2012 will comprise both a world-class Exhibition and Conference. The conference will feature 35 world class speakers in global logistics and transport and the event will be attended by more than 500 senior executives from the world’s leading ports, shippers, cargo owners, shipping lines, freight forwarders, logistics companies, terminal operators, railway operators and port-rail equipment services suppliers from 30 countries.

There will be a concurrent two days Trade Exhibition of 60 international exhibition stands providing a valuable opportunity for companies to market products and services to participants at this prestigious annual event.

This annual maritime transport Exhibition and Conference B2B trade event is designed to promote transportation in the region and your participation and support in making the event’s great success in 2012 in Sri Lanka will be much appreciated and good for our industry.

We look forward to meeting you in our beautiful city of Colombo in 2012 for what promises to be a most rewarding two days maritime transport industry gathering.

Yours sincerely,

Dr. Priyath B Wickrama  
Chairman
Wednesday 25 April 2012

TECHNICAL SITE VISIT

9am 9 15am Transport departs from Lobby of Cinnamon Grand Hotel to the Port of Colombo

9 15am The tour of the Port of Colombo will cover all existing facilities including terminals such as Jaya Container Terminal (JCT), Unity Container Terminal (UCT) & South Asia Gateway Terminal (SAGT) and will include the current developments of the Colombo Port Expansion project (Colombo South Harbour).

11 15am Depart from Port of Colombo for Cinnamon Grand Hotel

11 30am 11 45am Arrive Cinnamon Grand Hotel

Thursday 26 April 2012

7 30am Conference delegate registration. Refreshments served in the exhibition

OPENING CEREMONY

9am 9 05am Organiser’s Remarks
Rory J. Doyle, Managing Director
Transport Events Management
Malaysia

9 05am Keynote Address
Dr. Priyath B Wickrama, Chairman
Sri Lanka Ports Authority
Sri Lanka

9 20am Exhibition opening ceremony and tour of the exhibition by the VIP group

SESSION 1

Sri Lanka: Today and the future of supply chain and maritime logistics

10 30am Chairperson’s Opening Remarks
S N Srikanth, Senior Partner
Hauer Associates
India

10 40am The Colombo Port expansion project (Colombo South Harbour)
Capt. Nihal Keppetipola, Managing Director
Sri Lanka Ports Authority
Sri Lanka

11am Global debt crisis and its implications on shipping
Dr Parakrama Dissanayake, Chairman
Aitken Spence Maritime
Sri Lanka

11 20am Meeting the challenge: Colombo South Harbour planning, design and construction
Martin Young, Chief Resident Engineer
URS/Scott Wilson
Sri Lanka

11 40am A Middle East perspective: Facilitating trade growth with free trade zones
Yaqoub Abdulla, Director of Marketing and Promotion
Hamriyah Free Zone Authority
United Arab Emirates

12pm New terminal construction in Sri Lanka: The Chinese dimension
Dr. Hu Jianhua, Managing Director
China Merchants Holdings International
China

12 20pm Railways strategy: Supporting the success of the Peliyagoda Cargo Village
J Udayakumar, Chief Engineer (Track & Bridge)
Sri Lanka Railways
Sri Lanka

12 40pm Question and answer followed by conference delegates lunch served in the pre-function area located outside the exhibition

SESSION 2

Challenges and opportunities for industry players

2pm The challenges of the maritime legal framework in South Asia
Jayanta Swaminathan, Senior Partner
Julius and Creasy
Sri Lanka

2 20pm Fast forward: How do 3PLs and Total Logistics Providers differentiate their competency in a fast-developing logistics hub?
Niral Kadawatharathe, President and CEO
Freightlinks International
Sri Lanka

2 40pm ICT in Terminal Operations: Ensuring the right fit for efficient and effective operations
Upul Jinadasa, General Manager - Information Technology
South Asia Gateway Terminals
Sri Lanka

3pm Towards a paperless trade and single window initiative in Sri Lanka
Dr. Neville Goonewardena, Director General
Sri Lanka Customs
Sri Lanka

3 20pm Single window readiness in Sri Lanka
Tahseen Khan, UNExT Advisory Committee Member
Trade Facilitation Section, United Nations ESCAP
Thailand

3 40pm Question and answer followed by conference delegates refreshments served in the exhibition

SESSION 3

Total supply chain and logistics operational excellence

4 40pm Inland container transport in relations to expediting operations
Nujith Samarawickrema, Immediate Past President
Association of Clearing and Forwarding Agents
Sri Lanka
Friday 27 April 2012

8am Conference delegate registration. Refreshments served in the exhibition

SESSION 3A
Recent developments in port and shipping

9 25am Chairperson’s Opening Remarks
Capt. Nihal Keppetipola, Managing Director
Sri Lanka Ports Authority
Sri Lanka

9 30am Infrastructure inefficiencies in ground transportation: How does it affect container terminal operators?
Chinthaka Hennayake, President
Association of Container Transporters
Sri Lanka

9 50am Emerging technologies and challenges for the management of modern shipyards
Mangala P. B. Yapa, Managing Director and CEO
Colombo Dockyard PLC
Sri Lanka

10 10am Question and answer followed by conference delegates refreshments served in the exhibition

SESSION 5
Emerging technologies in port and terminal operations

11 10am E-chain systems for port cranes
Peter Pütz, International Project Manager, Cranes & Materialhandling
igus
Germany

11 30am Cutting edge driver cabins for terminal and port operations
Mario Antonioli, Sales and Marketing Coordinator
Brieda Cabins
Italy

11 50am RTG electrification systems
Gunther Schäffer, Senior Manager Global E-RTG Projects
Conductix-Wampfler
Germany

12 10pm Intelligent container handling
Santosh Pradhan, Sales Manager, Port
Konecranes
India

12 30pm Flexible materials handling machinery for ports
Roberto Bencina, Managing Director
Sennebogen
Singapore

12 50pm Question and answer followed by conference delegates lunch served in the pre-function area located outside the exhibition

2pm Specialised equipment lessor
George Deden, Managing Director
Weylease
Hong Kong

2 20pm Automated mooring solutions
Nicklas Pihl, Managing Director
Cavotec
India

2 40pm Safety mechanisms for crane systems
Arno Weil, Vice President Sales
Pintsch Bubenzer
Germany

3pm Question and answer followed by Chairperson’s closing remarks and conference delegates refreshments served in the exhibition
REGISTRATION INFORMATION

To Participate in The 7th Southern Asia Ports, Logistics and Shipping 2012 You need to Register as a Conference Delegate or as a Trade Exhibition Visitor. Conference Delegate Registration Benefits include:

• Technical Site Visit (Wednesday 25 April 2012) • Password Protected Online Conference Papers And Speakers Bio • Conference Luncheons And Refreshment Breaks • Networking Gala Dinner (Thursday 26 April 2012) • Participants Full Contact Details And Official Colour Photos From The Event. Conference Delegate Registration Fees are:

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Complimentary Conference Delegate Registrations Worth GBP995 Per Delegate for Shipping Lines, Terminal Operating Companies And Port Authorities! This Exclusive Offer Applies Only to Employees of Shipping Lines, Container Terminal Operating Companies And Port Authorities. There is a Registration And Administration Fee of GBP200 Per Complimentary Delegate. Business/Photo ID Will be Required.

No Delegate Registration Will be Accepted Without Full Payment

REGISTRATION

Please Complete And Fax Back This Form or Register Online at www.transportevents.com if You Wish to Register Multiple Conference Delegates, Please Copy This Form For Each Delegate And Fax to: + 60 87 426 223 or Email alin@transportevents.com

Conference Registration
I Wish to Attend The Technical Site Visit on Wednesday 25 April 2012 at 9am
* I Wish to Attend The Networking Gala Dinner on Thursday 26 April 2012
* Spouses Welcome to Attend

Exhibition Registration Only
I Wish to Visit The Trade Exhibition Only - Free of Charge

Exhibition Opening Times are:
Thursday 26 April 2012 9am to 5pm
Friday 27 April 2012 9am to 3 30pm

Name: 
Position: 
Organisation: 
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I am Not Able to Attend The Event But I Wish to Purchase The Username And Password to Access The Presented Conference Papers And Speaker Biographies Online at GBP200 / LKR35,500.

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No Refunds Will be Given However, Substitutions Can be Made at Any Time

If a Delegate is Unable to Attend, The Delegate Remains LIABLE For Full Delegate Registration Payment

Delegates Will Not be Admitted Unless Payment Has been Received

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I Acknowledge That I Have Read And Understand The Above Terms And Conditions.

Signed: 
Dated: 

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