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Welcome from Conference Committee

Kia ora, ngā mihi maioha ki a koutou katoa.
Warm greetings to you all.

The New Zealand Branch and National Executive of the Aviation Law Association of Australia and New Zealand are delighted to welcome you to the 36th annual ALAANZ conference.

The organising committee has developed a diverse program intended to advance the primary objectives of the Association, being the promotion of knowledge of aviation law and the exchange of ideas about aviation. We have secured a stimulating mix of international and domestic speakers.

This Conference is proudly brought to you in New Zealand's largest and most cosmopolitan city, Auckland. Known as "the city of sails" Auckland life is centred on the harbour. This was a significant factor in our choice of the location for the conference.

We trust that you will enjoy your time here.

We hope that you will enjoy the program's many opportunities to exchange ideas, network and enjoy New Zealand's hospitality.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "D Ferrier".

Duncan Ferrier
ALAANZ 2017 Conference Chair

Conference Secretariat

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Wednesday, 3 May – Day 1

- 5.00 – 6.00pm **Registration**
Pre-Function Area, Hilton Hotel, Auckland
- 6.00 – 8.00pm **Welcome Function**
Aquamarine Room 3, Hilton Hotel Auckland
Sponsored by HWL Ebsworth Lawyers

Thursday, 4 May – Day 2

- 7.30am **Registration**
- 8.00am **Arrival Tea and Coffee**
Sponsored by Sparke Helmore Lawyers
- 9.00am **Conference Welcome**
- 9.10am **Conference Opening Address**
- 9.40 – 10.40am **Session 1**
Aviation: Present and Future Challenges
Professor Paul Dempsey, Director,
Institute of Air & Space Law, McGill University;
Montreal Canada
Dr Lee Jae Woon, Assistant Professor,
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University, Singapore
- 10.40am **Morning Tea**
Sponsored by Holman Webb Lawyers
- 11.10 – 12.40pm **Session 2**
Sponsored by Carter Newell Lawyers
Airlines
Session Chair: Glenn Biggs, Partner,
Carter Newell Lawyers
Leslie MacIntosh, Deputy General Counsel,
IATA
John Blair, Legal Consultant and former
General Counsel. Air New Zealand
Geoff Bowmaker, CEO, Nauru Airlines
- 12.40 – 1.00pm **AGM**
Mr Mark Gray-Spencer, President ALAANZ
- 1.00 – 2.15pm **Lunch**
Sponsored by McLarens Aviation

- 2.15 – 3.15pm **Session 3**
Queenstown Airport After
Dark Flights
Session Chair: Simon Liddy, Partner,
HWL Ebsworth Lawyers
Mark Hughes, Deputy Director, Air Transport and
Airworthiness Civil Aviation Authority New Zealand
Mike Clay, GM Operations & Safety,
Queenstown Airport

- 3.15pm **Afternoon Tea**
*Sponsored by Civil Aviation Authority and
Aviation Security Service New Zealand*

- 3.40 – 4.40pm **Session 4**
Regulatory issues panel
Panel Chair: Kim Murray, Barrister,
Lambton Chambers
Graeme Harris, Director, New Zealand CAA
John Sneyd, Chief Legal Counsel, NZCAA
Adam Anastasi, Manager, Legal Advisory, Drafting
and Procurement, CASA
Associate Professor Geoff Dell, Discipline Leader
- Accident Investigation & Forensics Transport & Safety
Science Program Group, School of Human, Health
& Social Sciences, CQUniversity QLD, Australia

- 4.40 – 5.40pm **Session 5**
Emerging Aviation Technologies
& the Law:
Steve Moore, Deputy Director, General
Aviation, NZCAA
Dr Maria Pozza, Solicitor, Lane Neave,
Christchurch
Andrea Wadsworth, Airworthiness
Engineer, NZCAA
- 5.40pm Close of Day 1
- 7.00 – 10.30pm **Conference Dinner**
Euro Restaurant and Bar
22/147 Quay St, Auckland
Sponsored by Aerosure Asia Pacific Pty Ltd
Dinner Guest Speaker: Mike Allsop
"If you believe you can, you will"

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Friday, 5 May – Day 3

8.00am

Arrival Tea and Coffee

Sponsored by Sparke Helmore Lawyers

9.00 – 10.30am

Session 6

Insurance/International Session:

Session Chair: Kevin Bartlett, Partner, Sparke Helmore Lawyers

Alastair Stuart, Account Director, Aerosure Asia Pacific Pty Ltd

Mert Hifzi, Partner, Holman Fenwick Willan, Singapore LLP

Paul Freeman, Partner, Clyde & Co, Singapore

10.30 – 11.00am

Morning Tea

11.00 – 12.00pm

Session 7

American Litigation Session:

Session Chair: Tony Pyne Legal Advisor, McLaren's Aviation

Stuart Fraenkel, Partner, Nelson and Fraenkel LLP, Los Angeles

Kevin Sutherland, Partner, Clyde and Co US LLP

12.00 – 1.00pm

Session 8

David Boughen Memorial Address

Port Arthur tragedy - 21 Years On - the untold Hobart Airport Story.

Session Chair: Shannon O'Hara, Senior Associate, Carter Newell Lawyers

Ken Keech, Civil Aviation Relations, Australian International Airshow

1.00 – 2.15pm

Lunch

Sponsored by Charles Taylor Adjusting

2.15 – 3.45pm

Session 9

Airports and Terrorism
- keeping our airports safe

Panel Session

Panel Chair: Greg Rector, Managing Director, Aerosure Asia Pacific Pty Ltd

Jan Frazer, Senior Legal Counsel, Auckland International Airport Limited

Michael Singleton, General Manager, Corporate Affairs, Christchurch International Airport Ltd

Ben Smith, Group Manager, Strategic Development, Aviation Security Service (AVSEC)

3.45 – 4.45pm

Session 10

Sponsored by Civil Aviation Safety Authority (CASA)

Accident Investigation/SAR

Session Chair: Joe Rule, Manager Legal Branch, Legal Services, CASA

Cathryn Bridge, General Manager & Legal Business Services, Transport Accident Investigation Commission

Nigel Clifford, General Manager Safety and Response, Maritime New Zealand

4.45 – 5.00pm

Conference Close

Mark Gray-Spencer
ALAANZ President



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GENERAL INFORMATION

Conference Venue

The 36th Annual ALAANZ Conference will be held at The Hilton Auckland, New Zealand, which is an iconic hotel near central Auckland attractions. Sleek rooms, gorgeous views, the perfect location - have it all at Hilton Auckland. The waterfront hotel has sun decks, private balconies and walls of windows for views of the harbour you won't find anywhere else. The Hilton Auckland is a quick walk from the central business district and Quay Street restaurants, shops and nightlife.

The conference dinner will be held at Euro. Euro's waterside location alludes to the exclusive use of the freshest and finest local seafood, produce and ingredients. Its legendary kitchen philosophy of technique and tradition riffing with new flavours and executional expressions create a menu that is deceptively simple; startlingly involving; and at every mouthful, delicious.

Conference Registration

Conference Registration and payment can be done either online at www.alaanz.org or by completing the registration forms at the back of this brochure and returning it to the Conference Secretariat via email to rachel@meccaconcepts.com.au, via post to ALAANZ Conference, c/- MECCA Concepts Pty Ltd, PO BOX 2646 Mount Waverley VIC 3149, or via fax to +61 3 9530 4286.

Offline Method of Payment

If you are not registering online, registration fees may be paid by Cheque, Direct Deposit into the ALAANZ Conference Account, or credit card – American Express, MasterCard or Visa. Cheques should be made payable to MECCA Concepts – ALAANZ Conference Account and sent to the Conference Secretariat.

Registration Cancellation

All cancellations must be notified in writing to the Conference Secretariat – MECCA Concepts. A refund of the registration fee less a cancellation fee of \$100 will apply to cancellation received on or before Friday 15th April 2017. After this date, no refund or cancellation will be possible, although substitute delegates are welcome. All refunds will be processed after the Conference.

Accommodation Cancellation

Cancellation of accommodation rooms less than 30 days before event may incur full accommodation charges for all nights booked.

Student Registration

The ALAANZ 2017 Conference has developed a student registration rate to encourage full time students to participate and further educate themselves in Aviation Law. To take advantage of this, please contact Rachel Washington, Conference Secretariat at rachel@meccaconcepts.com.au for information on student registration costs.

Dress Code

Dress code for the Conference, Welcome Cocktail Function and Conference Dinner is business attire or smart casual.

General registration Information

Every care has been taken to ensure this program is correct at the time of printing, however the Conference Organising Committee reserves the right to alter the program.

Included in registration fees:

Full Delegates (Early Bird, Member, Non-member)

All Conference Sessions
Welcome Cocktail Function – Wednesday night
Morning and afternoon teas during conference
Lunch – Thursday and Friday
Conference Dinner – Thursday night
Name Badge
Conference Program and Sponsor Guide
USB of presentations/papers from the conference
– posted after the conference

Day Delegate

Conference Sessions on the day
Morning and afternoon Tea
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Does not include Social functions

Accompanying Person

Welcome Function – Wednesday night
Conference dinner – Thursday night

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Conference Venue: Hilton Auckland

The Conference has reserved a block of rooms at Hilton Auckland, at a reduced Group Rate.

To obtain this rate please book your accommodation through the Conference Secretariat.

Accommodation is limited - book early to avoid disappointment.

I REQUEST THE FOLLOWING ACCOMMODATION

- ☐ KING HILTON GUEST ROOM WITH BREAKFAST FOR ONE \$355 NZD PER NIGHT
- ☐ KING HILTON GUEST ROOM WITHOUT BREAKFAST \$330 NZD PER NIGHT

DATE OF ARRIVAL

DATE OF DEPARTURE

NO. OF NIGHTS

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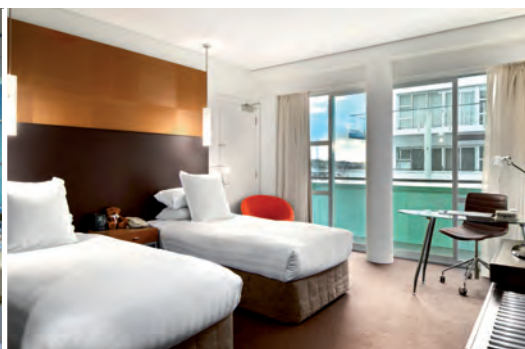
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This becomes a Tax Invoice on payment.

Please register me for the 36th Annual Conference (one form submitted per delegate, please photocopy as required).

Please clearly PRINT all details. All registration fees are in Australian Dollars.

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