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INTERNATIONAL LAW WEEK-END IN NEW YORK (Nov. 12-13).

The full program is printed below. It provides two days of panel discussions plus a dinner and a luncheon with speakers. Topics to be featured are:

International lawmaking under contemporary pressures Reflection on trends in international law International investment Questionable foreign payments Sovereign immunity Is international terrorism beyond legal control? United Nations law making and the private sector

Action is now required of members planning to attend: Clip the coupon on page 3 and mail with checks for the subscription luncheon and dinner. There is no charge for registration. Guests may accompany members, and a hospitality table will help them arrange a program in New York.

THE MADRID CONFERENCE (Aug. 29-Sept. 4, 1976)

The Spanish Branch was a gracious host for the 57th International Law Association Conference. Twenty-five American Branch members attended with spouses in many cases. Proceedings will be published by the London headquarters to contain the reports on commercial arbitration, terrorism, human rights, undersea installations and surface installations other than ships, access to water resources, environmental protection, enforcement of parole and probation orders, international monetary law, traffic accidents, land-locked states. Reports submitted by American Branch Committees are printed in the Branch Proceedings, mailed to members in August, 1976. The social program included a trip to the Monastery of Escorial, a "bull fight" picnic, visits to museums, and a gustatorial treat at the traditional banquet.

International Law Weekend in New York 1976

PROGRAM

All meetings are to be held at the House of the Association of the Bar of the City of New York, 42 West 44th Street, Manhattan, except the Friday evening dinner, which will occur at the Princeton Club, 15 West 43rd Street, Manhattan.

Friday: Nov. 12

2:30 P.M.

Annual business meeting of the American Branch, I.L.A. (Treasurer's

report, news from London, winter plans, committee activities)

4:00 P.M.

Two events:

Panel:

"Questionable Foreign Payments," Robert von Mehren of the New York

Bar, chair.

Panelists: E. Allan Farnsworth, Alfred McCormack, Professor of Law,

Columbia University

William F. Kennedy, Counsel, General Electric Co.

Seminar:

"International Investment: Focus on the United States," Barbara Rossotti

of the District of Columbia Bar, Chair.

Discussants: Cynthia Lichtenstein, Professor of Law, Boston University

Stephen E. Davis, Vice President and General Counsel, Schroeder's

Incorporated.

7:00 P.M. (seating promptly at 7:30)

Reception and Dinner

(at the Princeton Club, 15 West 43rd Street. Black tie optional. Advance

subscription required).

INTERNATIONAL LAWMAKING UNDER CONTEMPORARY PRESSURES

T.T.B. Koh, Permanent Representative of Singapore at the United Nations.

Saturday: Nov. 13

10:00 A.M. Two events:

Panel:

"Sovereign Immunity," Charles N. Brower of the District of Columbia

Bar, chair.

Panelists: Franklin K. Willis, Assistant Legal Adviser for Inter-American Affairs, Department of State; Timothy B. Atkeson, District of Columbia

Bar.

Commentators, John R. Stevenson, former Legal Adviser, Department of State, and Andreas F. Lowenfeld, Professor of International Law, New

York University.

Seminar:

"Is International Terrorism Beyond Legal Control?", Alona E. Evans,

Professor of Political Science, Wellesley College, chair.

Discussants: Thomas M. Franck, Professor of Law, New York University; Nicholas R. Doman, New York Bar; John F. Murphy, Professor of Law, University of Kansas, and co-director of the American Society of Interna-

tional Law's study project, "Legal Control of Terrorism."

12:30 P.M.

Luncheon

(at the Association of the Bar. Advance subscription required)

REFLECTIONS ON TRENDS IN INTERNATIONAL LAW

Richard R. Baxter, Professor of International Law, Harvard University and Editor-in-Chief, American Journal of International Law.

2:30 P.M.

Panel:

"United Nations Law-Making and the Private Sector," Oscar Schachter,

Professor of International Law, Columbia University, Chair.

Discussants: G.W. Haight of the New York Bar, and delegates to the

United Nations General Assembly.

HOSPITALITY COMMITTEE, Susan L. Hazard, chair.

The Committee will maintain a hospitality table at the Association of the Bar throughout the sessions to aid spouses and guests of participants in planning their sojourn in New York, Maps, guides, museum notices will be available.

REGISTRATION FORM (Subscriptions must reach New York by November 8)

REGISTRAR: James P. Beggans, Jr., Esq. 14 Wall Street — 19th floor New York, N.Y. 10005 Tel: 212-349-7400

Please register the following for the INTERNATIONAL LAW WEEK-END, November 12-13, 1976. (Make checks payable to American Branch, I.L.A.) ☐ Dinner reservations desired (guests may be included) \$16 per plate (No tickets will be distributed) Names of guests (to facilitate seating, as all participants and guests will be seated at tables hosted by members of the Executive Committee of the American Branch, I.L.A.) ☐ Luncheon reservations desired (guests may be included) \$13 per plate (No tickets will be distributed. A list of subscribers will be at the door). Guests names are not required as there will be no designated seating. THERE IS NO CHARGE FOR REGISTRATION

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