



GROUP OF EXPERTS ON MARITIME NARCOTRAFFICKING
September 25-27, 2018
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SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

Tuesday, September 25

08:30-09:00 Registration of Participants

INAUGURAL SESSION

09:00-09:30 Welcome remarks:

- **RDML Anthony Vogt**, Assistant Commandant for Response Policy, Coast Guard, U.S.
- **Ambassador Adam E. Namm**, Executive Secretary, Inter-American Drug Abuse Control Commission (CICAD/OAS)
- **Giovanni Snidle**, Senior Advisor for Hemispheric Security Policy, Department of State, U.S.

09:30-09:45 Official photo

09:45-10:00 Break

FIRST PLENARY SESSION

10:00-10:15 Information briefing by the Executive Secretariat of CICAD

- **Rafael Parada**, Chief, Supply Reduction Unit, CICAD/OAS

10:15-11:15 Roundtable: main efforts/challenges in maritime narcotrafficking control

During the roundtable, delegates will have the opportunity to introduce themselves and briefly comment on the legal/policy/operational measures undertaken by their institutions to strengthen the control of maritime narcotrafficking

Moderator: Ana Alvarez, Project Manager, Supply Reduction Unit, CICAD/OAS

11:15-13:00 Panel/discussion: emerging threats and drug trafficking trends in the maritime domain

- **Commander Alvaro Eduardo Díaz Rivera**, Director, International Drug Trafficking Maritime Analysis Center (CIMCON), Colombia
- **Ian Ralby**, Consultant, Global Maritime Crime Program, United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC)
- **Lieutenant Colonel (ret'd) Jeffrey Forde**, Director of Operations and Plans, Regional Security System (RSS), Barbados

Moderator: Captain Norman Cabrera, Director, Counterdrug Division, Navy, Colombia



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13:00-14:30 **Lunch**

SECOND PLENARY SESSION

14:30-15:45 **Panel/discussion: fostering regional cooperation in countering maritime drug trafficking to North America**

- **Commander Michael Cintron**, Legal Brief, District Seven, Coast Guard, U.S.
- **Lieutenant Colonel Andrew Ajamian**, Chief, Strategic Initiatives Group, Joint Interagency Task Force South (JIATF-S), U.S.
- **Norberto Rosales Martinez**, Analyst, National Drug Policy Bureau, Office of the General Prosecutor (PGR), Mexico
- **George Landsberger**, Intelligence Analyst, Marine Security Operations Centre, Royal Canadian Mounted Police (RCMP), Canada

Moderator: Commander Pat Culver, Office of Law Enforcement, Coast Guard, U.S.

15:45-16:00 **Break**

16:00-17:15 **Panel/discussion: measures to control cocaine trafficking to European markets**

- **Luis Felipe Montesso**, Customs Officer, Federal Revenue Agency, Brazil
- **Sargent Moises Cifuentes Lopez**, Officer, Judicial Police Counterdrug Technical Unit, Civil Guard, Spain
- **Jose Ferreira**, Head of Operations, Joint Operations Coordination Centre (JOCC), Maritime Analysis and Operation Centre (Narcotics), MAOC (N), Portugal

Moderator: Jose Benito Carrasco Leon, Chief, Department of Counternarcotics Intelligence and Organized Crime, Investigations Police (PDI), Chile

Wednesday, September 26

THIRD PLENARY SESSION

09:00-11:00 **Panel/discussion: maritime security and the control of drug trafficking routes in the Caribbean**

- **Commander Zin-Mark King**, Coast Guard, Trinidad and Tobago
- **Commander John Finley Leonce**, Royal Police Force, Police Marine Unit, St. Lucia
- **Bruno Francerie**, Deputy Director / **Pierre Salducci**, Head of Operations, Centre Interministériel de Formation Anti-drogue (CIFAD), Martinique
- **Captain Aramis A. Cespedes**, Director, Naval Operations M-3, Navy, Dominican Republic

Moderator: Lieutenant Commander Derrick Ferguson, Security Intelligence Officer, Royal Bahamas Defence Force, The Bahamas

11:00-11:15 **Break**



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- 11:15-12:30 **Panel/discussion: regional efforts to control illicit drug trafficking through Central America**
- **Commander Cinthya Alvarado Guitta**, Intelligence Division, Coast Guard, Costa Rica
 - **Captain Jose Nery Barrientos**, Commanding Officer, Special Marine Force, Ministry of Defense, Guatemala
 - **Mario de Jesus Molina Moncada**, National Director, Counterdrug Police, Honduras

Moderator: Ian Ralby, Consultant, Global Maritime Crime Program, UNODC

12:30-14:00 **Lunch**

FOURTH PLENARY SESSION

- 14:00-15:15 **Panel/discussion: the importance of port security in the control of the illicit drug trade logistical chain**
- **Luis Enrique Diaz Valencia**, Chief, Counter Drug and Organized Crime Brigade, San Antonio Port, Investigations Police (PDI), Chile
 - **Major Victor Rolando Morales Aquayo**, Counterdrug Division, National Police, Peru
 - **Captain Norman Cabrera**, Director, Counterdrug Division, Navy, Colombia

Moderator: Commander Boris Brito, Navy, Ecuador

15:15-15:30 **Break**

- 15:30-16:00 **Closing session: conclusions, commitments and recommendations**
- **Rafael Parada**, Chief, Supply Reduction Unit, CICAD/OAS

Thursday, September 27

08:30-09:00 **Travel to USCG Base Miami Beach from DoubleTree Hotel**

- 09:00-12:30 **Site visit: US Coast Guard District Seven Demonstration**
- Welcome remarks, RADM Peter Brown, District Seven Commander
 - D7 Missions Overview
 - Command Center Tour
 - Station Miami Tour
 - Fast Response Cutter (FRC) Tour
 - TACLET static demo