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## 11<sup>TH</sup> SEATRADE MARITIME AWARDS ASIA FINALISTS UNVEILED

**Singapore, 12 March 2018:** Forty-four finalists for the Seatrade Maritime Awards Asia 2018 have convinced an independent panel of judges of their well-deserving achievements over the past year. Held in conjunction with the Singapore Maritime Week on 25 April 2018 at the Marina Bay Sands®, Singapore, the 11<sup>th</sup> Seatrade Maritime Awards Asia gala dinner not only brings together some of the most respected and senior maritime professionals in a premier networking setting but also seeks to recognise and honour remarkable contributions from maritime individuals and companies.

One of the key highlights for this year’s awards is four newly introduced competitive categories, including the Green Shipping Award, Fuel Efficiency Award and Communications at Sea Award. Awards submissions across 13 competing categories were encouraging and forthcoming.

“The Seatrade Maritime Awards Asia recognises efforts from companies that constantly rise above challenges and go the extra mile to outperform itself. Quality of these submissions were impressive and surpasses each edition of the event,” said Marcus Hand, Asia Editor, Seatrade Maritime Review and Chairman of the Seatrade Maritime Awards Asia Judging Panel.

Guest-hosted by Mediacorp CLASS 95 DJ Yasminne Cheng, winners of the 16 awards will be unveiled on the night of the event.

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Appendix: Shortlist of finalists and judging panel

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## Appendix

### Shortlisted Finalists

Categories	Finalists
Education & Training Award	Colombo International Nautical and Engineering College Malaysian Maritime Academy (ALAM) Magsaysay People Resources Corporation Singapore Maritime Academy, Singapore Polytechnic
Green Shipping Award	APL Berge Bulk Singapore Pte. Ltd. Orient Overseas Container Line Ltd PSA Singapore (PSA Corporation Ltd)
Technical Innovation Award	ClassNK Eco Marine Power

	Lighthouse eSolutions Pte Ltd NRG Marine Ltd
Corporate Social Responsibility Award	APL GAC Swire Pacific Offshore Operations (Pte) Ltd Thome Group
Safety Initiative Award	Coltraco Ultrasonics Keppel FELS Limited Keppel Shipyard Limited Sembcorp Marine Ltd
Ship Manager Award	Fleet Management Ltd Great Circle Shipping Agency Limited Pacific Basin Shipping Ltd Thome Group
Ship Owner/Operator Award	APL Berge Bulk Singapore Pte. Ltd. Pacific Basin Shipping Ltd Precious Shipping Public Company Limited
Ports & Terminals Award	China Merchant Port PSA Singapore (PSA Corporation Ltd)
Maritime Law Award	Allen & Gledhill HFW Ince & Co Stephenson Harwood

Ship Finance Award	Allen & Gledhill Ince & Co Stephenson Harwood
Ship Repair & Innovation Award	Colombo Dockyard PLC Keppel Shipyard Limited
Fuel Efficiency Award	APL Pacific Basin Shipping Ltd The China Navigation Company Pte. Ltd
Communications at Sea Award	Marlink Singapore Telecommunications Limited

**Chairman:**

Mr Marcus Hand, Asia Editor, Seatrade Maritime Review

**The Judges:**

Capt Ang Chin Eng - Secretary General, Asian Shipowners' Association

Mr Gerardo Borromeo - Vice Chairman, Chief Executive Officer, Philippine Transmarine Carriers, Inc

Mr Koichi Fujiwara - Chairman & President, ClassNK

Mr Chris Jones – Director, The Baltic Exchange

Ms Maite Klarup - General Manager, Singapore, BIMCO

Mr Ooi Boon Hoe - Chief Executive Officer, Jurong Port

Mr Tim Wilkins - Regional Manager, Asia Pacific, INTERTANKO Asia