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VICE CHAIRPERSON'S ANNUAL REPORT TO THE AGM

1. I thank everyone for his or her contribution to the work of the HKMLA over the last year. I would especially like to thank Mr Justice Anthony Chan for his on-going interest in and support for the Association. Also Mr. Donald Sham, our secretary, for the time and effort that he has put into HKMLA's business, and his secretary Kaman Wong for her great assistance during the year.
2. The Association organised, co-organised or supported the following events:-
 - (1) Asian Logistics, Maritime and Aviation Conference (ALMAC) held on 2-3 November 2021, organised by HKTDC
 - (2) 2021 Maritime Week Mock Arbitration at the CMAC Hong Kong and via zoom on 4 November 2021, co-organised by CMAC, CIArb, HKI Arb and HKMAG.
 - (3) Webinar on "General Average - you, me and the common adventure" held on 8 December 2021, co-organised by the ICS HK Branch, the Indian Maritime University, HKMAG and SCMA
 - (4) Webinar on "CMA-CGM Libra: Unseaworthiness (qua carrier v qua navigator) – Implications" held on 15 December 2021, co-organised by the ICS HK Branch, LMAA, SCMA and the Indian Maritime University
 - (5) Dinner with the Admiralty Judge on 28 September 2022 organised by HKMLA
 - (6) Legal Forum on "Why Resolve Maritime Disputes in Hong Kong" took place on 21 November 2022
 - (7) Asian Logistics, Maritime and Aviation Conference (ALMAC) held on 22-23 November 2022, organised by HKTDC
 - (8) Webinar "Environmental Regulations and Requirements: The Potential for Maritime Disputes" on 23 November 2022, organised by HKMAG
 - (9) Panel Discussion "Maritime Corruption: Need for Global Action" on 23 November 2022, organised by ICS HK Branch

- (10) 2022 Maritime Week Mock Arbitration to take place on 25 November 2021, co-organised by CMAC, CIArb, HKIArb and HKMAG
 - (11) Panel Discussion “Steering Through Stormy Seas: Need for Strong Engine and a Clear Destination” on 25 November 2022, organised by ICS HK Branch
 - (12) Lecture & Workshop on “Total Loss and Sue & Labour Charges” held on 26 November 2022, organised by Institute of Seatransport
3. We continue to serve on the Maritime Services Training Board, as appointed by the Educational Bureau of the HKSAR Government.
 4. On the CMI front, we have continued our role as the Hong Kong conduit for circulating information about CMI events and projects to the Hong Kong maritime law community via our mailing list.
 5. We also continue to operate a joint membership scheme for discounted online access to Lloyd’s Reports and Informa text books, which is made open to all interested members.
 6. We hope to bring to all members more events in future as Covid restrictions are further eased.

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