Hazardous Chemicals and Liquefied Gases — Safe Transport by Sea, International Conference Centre, Harrogate, England, September 12—16, 1983

The conference is jointly organised by The Royal Institution of Naval Architects and The Institute of Chemical Engineers, and the sessions will be held jointly with the Symposium outlined previously.

The objective of the conference is to bring together ship and terminal designers/operators and those producing hazardous chemicals and liquefied gases, and to study the problems involved in handling these cargoes in bulk, both at sea and at the ship/shore interface. A particular objective is to study the evolving techniques of hazard analysis and loss prevention and to review their application to marine operations. The Programme Committee is especially interested in the following topics: Hazard identification, risk and reliability analysis; Loss prevention and limitation; Design and construction of ships and terminals; Cargo loading/discharge; Cargo quality, inspection and maintenance; Hazardous properties of bulk cargoes; Fire and explosion protection/prevention; Release of toxic or flammable gases and liquids; Materials of containment; Disposal of hazardous wastes; Human factors related to hazards; Pre-planning emergency procedure; Education, training (especially for emergencies).

The language of the conference will be English; no simultaneous translation will be provided.

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