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**Legal Implications of Space Applications for Global
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PROGRAMME

Day 1

31 March 2008

(16h-18h)

Legal Implications of Space Applications for Climate Change: Principles and Rules

Chairman

Ambassador Peter Jankowitsch, Chair, Advisory Board, Austrian Aeronautics and Space Agency. Former Chairman of COPUOS

Legal Features of the Climate Change Convention: from Kyoto to Bali

Gerhard Loibl, The University of Vienna, Austria

Space Applications and Climate Change

Francesco Sarti, Centre for Earth Observation of the European Space Agency (ESA/ESRIN), Coordination and Planning Office (EOP-SA)

Legal Aspects of Cooperation for Space Monitoring of Climate Change and Sustainable Development

Monserat Filho, Brazilian Society of Space Law, Brazil

Promoting Access to, and Exchange of, Data and Information related to Climate Change: the Legal Perspective

Joanne Irene Gabrynowicz, The University of Mississippi School of Law, United States

Coordinators of the Symposium:
Corinne Jorgenson (Secretary, IISL)
Kai-Uwe Schrogl (Board of Directors, IISL)
Sergio Marchisio (President, ECSL)

Day 2

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Legal Implications of Space Applications for Climate Change: Institutions and Instruments

Chairman

Sergio Marchisio, President, European Centre for Space Law (ECSL)

Coordination Instruments and Satellite Observation of the Climate System: the Contribution of CEOS

Evangelina Oriol Pibernat, Centre for Earth Observation of the European Space Agency (ESA/ESRIN)

Monitoring the Environment for Climate Change: the Case of GMES

Gisela Süß, European Space Agency (ESA)

Monitoring the Kyoto Protocol: Greenhouse Gases Observation & the Global Forest Carbon Monitoring System

Masami Onoda, Japan Aerospace Exploration Agency (JAXA)/the University of Kyoto, Japan

Legal Aspects of Climate Monitoring by Means of Treaty Law

Frans von der Dunk, the University of Nebraska, United States

Concluding Remarks

Vladimír Kopal, the University of Pilsen, Czech Republic