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Newsletter of the Maritime Law

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NSW Branch Mini Conference

The MLAANZ NSW Branch is pleased to invite members and guests to its annual Mini Conference being held in Sydney at the offices of Mills Oakley on Friday March 20, 2020.

The event is to commence at 2pm and will be followed from 5pm to 7pm with an opportunity for guests to mingle afterwards over drinks and canapes.

The Mini Conference programme will feature:

- Justice Angus Stewart of the Federal Court of Australia speaking on the topic of “Proving your case – evidence of marine casualties”
- Matthew Harvey SC of the Victorian Bar discussing the decision in *Degroma Trading Inc v Viva Energy Australia Ltd* [2019] FCA649 and whether there is a binding arbitration agreement in a draft bill of lading
- Stuart Hetherington (CBP Solicitors) considering the onus of proof in the carriage of goods by sea and the decision in *Volcafe Ltd & Ors v Cia Sud Americana de Vapores SA (t/as CSAV)* [2018] UKSC 61

Bookings can be made [here](#).

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