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The report "Incentive-based Instruments for Environmentally acceptable Sea Transportation" by the shipping expert Prof. Dr. M. Zachcial from Bremen was a basis for the discussion at the conference. Existing systems, such as the Green Award, the Norwegian approach, and the differentiated fairway dues in Sweden were compared and it was discussed how a cooperative international solution can be achieved. In nine sessions, such as Maritime Transport and the Environment, Experience with Incentive-based Instruments, Economic analysis and Recommendations, Statements from European Ports, Incentive Based Instruments and the ship-

ping Industry, Setting standards for Green Shipping, Competitive Advantages of Green Shipping, International Standards and How to achieve green shipping? about 33 lectures were given and discussed. Conference proceedings are being in preparation.

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