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Dear All

Peter Gad Naschitz

It is only in recent weeks that I have come to be aware that Peter Gad Naschitz, the President of the Israeli Maritime Law Association, passed away in September last year. Rosalie Balkin, who recently visited Israel, contacted his daughter and she has now written to us.

Peter was the founding partner of one of the largest law firms in Israel and practised as an attorney for 62 years, during most of that time as a maritime lawyer.

In addition to practising law he was a lecturer in maritime law at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem, he participated in a number of CMI Conferences and was a Titulary Member of the CMI. He also was responsible for drafting the Maritime Laws in Israel, including the amendment of the Carriage of Goods by Sea Ordinance and the Admiralty Court Law.

I understand that a memorial service marking the first year since his passing will be held on 6 September. I am sending the condolences of the CMI to his daughter and family.

Yours faithfully

Stuart Hetherington