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# Essential Legal Principles of Commercial Shipping

Wednesday April 18th and Thursday April 19th, 2007—Shipping Association Complex,  
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- Bills of Lading
- The responsibilities and liabilities of key intermediaries in the transport of goods by sea
- Legal issues in the provision of harbour services
- Recent developments in US Maritime Law affecting Jamaica
- Ship arrest and detention in Jamaica



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