Legal Offshore Day – The legal update for the offshore wind sector

02. Dezember 2026, Grand Elysée Hotel Hamburg

Program

09:00 – 09:15 a.m.: Registration	
Opening Session	
09:15 – 09:20 a.m.	Welcome: Markus Nölke, **WAB e.V.**
09:20 – 09:25 a.m.	Opening: Christian Simonis, **Ocean Breeze Energy**
09:25 – 09:45 a.m.	Keynote presentation on current developments in offshore wind, Prof. Helge Heegewaldt, **President of the BSH**
Site Development & auction design	
09:45 – 10:15 a.m.	Insights into the current state of site development in the EEZ, Dr. Kai Trümpler, **BSH**
10:15 – 10:45 a.m.	Update on the auction design, Ekkehard Hollmann, **BNetzA**
10:45 – 11:00 a.m.	*Break*
11:00 – 11:30 a.m.	Offshore wind from a project development perspective, Tobias Kuntz, **EnBW**
11:30 a.m. – 12 p.m.	Panel discussion: Opportunities and risks of the WindSeeG-draft: • Marieke Lüdecke, **Chatham Partners** (Moderation) • Dr. Kai Trümpler**, BSH** • Ekkehard Hollmann, **BNetzA** • Benedikt Scheel, **Equinor** • Tobias Kuntz, **EnBW**
12 – 1 p.m.: Lunch break	
Energy law/Regulatory affairs	
1 – 1:30 p.m.	Update on Energy Law and Regulation, Dr. Silvia Pestke, **TenneT TSO** und Lisaveta Sher, **Amprion**
Contract Law & Litigation	
1:30 – 2 p.m.	New Engineering Contracts (NEC), Helen Waddell, **Osborne Clarke (UK)**
2 – 2:15 p.m.	*Break*
2:15 – 2:45 p.m.	Contract drafting in offshore practice, Dr. Jürgen Cloppenburg, **Siemens Gamesa**
2:45 – 3:15 p.m.	Conflict management and conflict prevention, Prof. Stefan Leupertz, **Leupertz Baukonfliktmanagement**
3:15 – 3:45 p.m.	*Break*
3:45 – 4:15 p.m.	Panel discussion: Contract Law & Litigation • Martin Launer, **Osborne Clarke** (Moderation) • Ulrike Gantenberg, **Gantenberg Dispute Experts** • Prof. Stefan Leupertz, **Leupertz Baukonfliktmanagement** • Helen Waddell, **Osborne Clarke**
Closing Session	
4:15 – 4:30 p.m.	Summary and Outlook: Martin Launer, **Osborne Clarke** und Christian Simonis, **Ocean Breeze Energy**

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