

Commercial Customs Operations Advisory Committee (COAC) Final Agenda

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**Commercial Customs Operations Advisory Committee
(COAC)
U.S. Customs and Border Protection**

Office of Training and Development

**1717 H Street, NW
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Washington, DC 20006**

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09:00 a.m. – 01:00 p.m.

09:00 a.m. **Opening Remarks**

CBP: Acting Commissioner Kevin McAleenan

Treasury: Timothy Skud, Deputy Assistant Secretary
Tax, Trade and Tariff Policy, Department of the Treasury

DHS: Christa Brzozowski, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Trade Policy, Foreign
Investment & Transport Security

ICE: Dan Ragsdale, Deputy Director, U.S. Immigration and Customs
Enforcement

COAC: Vincent Iacopella, Member
Julie Ann Parks, Member

09:30 a.m. **The Trade Modernization Subcommittee will discuss the progress of the International Engagement and Trade Facilitation Working Group which is identifying examples of best practices in the U.S. and abroad that facilitate trade. The subcommittee will discuss the progress of the Revenue Modernization Working Group which will be generating advice pertaining to the strategic modernization of U.S. Customs and Border Protection's revenue collections processes and systems. Additionally, the subcommittee will discuss the progress of the Rulings and Decisions Working Group which has been identifying process improvements in the receipt and issuance of Customs and Border Protections Headquarters' rulings and decisions. Finally, the subcommittee will discuss the progress of the newly formed E-Commerce Working Group.**

CBP: Jeffrey Nii, Director, Interagency Collaboration Division, Trade Policy and
Programs, Office of Trade
David Dolan, Director, International Organizations and Agreements, Office of
International Affairs

Sherri Jordan, Director, Financial Systems Division, Office of Finance,
Financial Operations Directorate, Office of Enterprise Services

Alice Kipel, Executive Director, Regulations and Rulings, Office of Trade
Michael Walsh, Director, IPR and E-Commerce Division, Trade Policy and
Programs, Office of Trade

COAC: Lenny Feldman, Member
Cindy Allen, Member

10:15 a.m. **Public Comment Period**

10:25 a.m. **The One U.S. Government Subcommittee will discuss the progress of the Fish & Wildlife Service (FWS) Working Group, The subcommittee will also discuss progress of the Automated Commercial Environment (ACE) Single Window effort.**

Special

Guest: Sheila Einsweiller, Senior Wildlife Inspector, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

CBP: Jeffrey Nii, Director, Interagency Collaboration Division, Trade Policy &
Programs, Office of Trade
Kimberly Marsho, Director, Communications and Training, Trade
Transformation Office (TTO), Office of Trade

COAC: Amy Magnus, Member
Madeleine Veigel, Member

10:50 a.m. **The Exports Subcommittee will discuss final work and potential recommendations of the Truck Manifest Sub-Working Group, which has been comparing the proposed truck manifest data elements with Canadian elements. The Post Departure Filing Group will discuss its progress in finalizing the details of its Table Top Exercise.**

CBP: Jim Swanson, Director, Cargo Security and Controls, Cargo and
Conveyance Security, Office of Field Operations

Kimberly Marsho, Director, Communications and Training, Trade
Transformation Office (TTO), Office of Trade

COAC: Elizabeth Merritt, Member
Heidi Bray, Member

11:20 a.m. **Public Comment Period**

11:30 a.m. **Break**

11:40 a.m. **The Trade Enforcement and Revenue Collection (TERC) Subcommittee will discuss the progress made on prior TERC, Bond Working Group, and Intellectual Property Rights Working Group recommendations, as well the recommendations from the Forced Labor Working Group.**

CBP: Troy Riley, Executive Director, Trade Remedy Law Enforcement Directorate (TRLED), Office of Trade
Jeffrey Nii, Director, Interagency Collaboration Division, Trade Policy & Programs, Office of Trade

COAC: Lisa Gelsomino, Member

12:10 p.m. **The Global Supply Chain Subcommittee will report on the progress of the Customs-Trade Partnership Against Terrorism (C-TPAT) working group that is reviewing and developing recommendations to update the C-TPAT minimum security criteria.**

CBP: Elizabeth Schmelzinger, Director, Customs-Trade Partnership Against Terrorism, Cargo and Conveyance Security, Office of Field Operations

COAC: Adam Salerno, Member
Brandon Fried, Member

12:30 p.m. **The Trusted Trader Subcommittee will continue their discussions on their vision for an enhanced Trusted Trader concept that includes engagement with CBP to include relevant partner government agencies with a potential for international interoperability.**

CBP: Elizabeth Schmelzinger, Director, Customs-Trade Partnership Against Terrorism, Cargo and Conveyance Security, Office of Field Operations

COAC: Alexandra Latham, Member
Michael Young, Member

12:45 p.m. **Update on the COAC Annual Trade Efficiency Survey**

COAC: Celeste Catano, Member
Michael White, Member

12:50 p.m.

Public Comment Period

01:00 p.m. **Adjourn**

