

**Commercial Customs Operations Advisory Committee
Rapid Response Subcommittee
United States-Mexico-Canada
Agreement (USMCA) Working Group
Draft Recommendations**

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1. COAC recommends that CBP should recommend to the Office of the United States Trade Representative the following agenda item for inclusion at the next Article 7.24 Trade Facilitation Committee meeting:
 - a. That the United States, Mexico and Canada establish a means to include outside stakeholders (*e.g.*, civil society, organized labor, private sector, etc.) in the work of the USMCA Trade Facilitation Committee established by Article 7.24 of the agreement.
 - b. Looking to COAC as a model, this mechanism should, at a minimum, provide regular and routine ways to transmit views to the Committee and to learn about its work on an ongoing basis.