



NORTH AMERICAN STEEL TRADE COMMITTEE

Department of Commerce
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Washington, DC 20230
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June 7 – 8, 2017

Logistical Agenda

Tuesday, June 6, 2017

- 2:00 – 4:00pm NASTC Industry Planning Session
Wiley Rein Conference Center – 1776 K Street NW
- 6:30 – 8:30pm NASTC Industry Reception & Dinner
DBGB Kitchen – 931 H Street NW

Wednesday, June 7, 2017

- 8:30 – 9:00 Check-In at Department of Commerce – 1401 Constitution Ave NW
Entrance: **TBD**
- 9:00 – 9:30 **Welcome**
 - *Ronald Lorentzen, Acting Assistant Secretary for Enforcement and Compliance*
- 9:30 – 10:00 **Keynote Address**
 - *Secretary Wilbur Ross, US Department of Commerce*
- 10:00 – 10:45 **Industry Updates and Significant Issues**
 - *Eileen Bradner, Nucor Corporation*
- 10:45 – 11:00 Coffee Break
- 11:00 – 12:00 **Internal Trade**
 - Industry Comments
 - *Larry Lasoff, Specialty Steel Industry of North America*
 - Report from the Trilateral Customs Steel Enforcement and Cooperation Dialogue
 - *Alexander Amdur, Director, AD/CVD Policy and Programs Division, U.S. Customs and Border Protection*

- Government Updates
 - U.S. Initiatives (including Presidential Memorandum on the Construction of Pipelines and Executive Orders)
 - Enforcement (including recent trade remedy legislative changes and the use of provisions relating to "particular market situation")

12:00 – 1:00

Lunch

1:00 – 2:00

Internal Trade Continued

- Update: Status of Renegotiation of the North American Free Trade Agreement
 - *John M. Melle, Assistant U.S. Trade Representative for Western Hemisphere*
- U.S. Section 232 Investigation into the Effects of Steel Imports on National Security
 - *Matthew Borman, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Export Administration*
 - *Brad Botwin, Director, Industrial Studies, Office of Technology and Education, Bureau of Industry and Security*

2:00 – 3:30

External Trade

- Industry Comments
 - *Kevin Dempsey, American Iron and Steel Institute (AISI)*
- Global Forum on Steel Excess Capacity – debrief, next steps and other engagement on excess capacity
 - *Speaker: Jean Kemp, Director, Industrial Metals, Materials and Energy, USTR*
- Government Updates
 - Bilateral Engagement with China
 - OECD Steel Committee
 - FTA Negotiations
 - China Non-Market Economy Treatment
 - WTO Cases of Interest to the Steel Industry
 - Other Items

3:30 – 3:45

Coffee Break

3:45 – 5:00

Government and Industry Break-Out Sessions

- Governments: *Room 3092*
- Industry: *Library*

6:30 – 9:00pm

Joint Industry and Government Reception & Dinner

Fiola, 601 Pennsylvania Avenue NW

Guest Speaker: *Senator Ron Wyden (D-OR), Ranking Member, U.S. Senate Committee on Finance*

Thursday, June 8, 2017

9:00 – 9:30

External Trade Continued

- Industry Presentation: Update on Imports of Steel-Containing Goods
 - *David Zalesne, Owen Steel Company*

9:30 – 10:15

Competitiveness

- Industry Comments
 - *Speaker: TBA*
- Industry Panel: Current Impact of the Excess Capacity Situation
 - *Panel:*
 - *Douglas Polk, Vallourec USA*
 - *Beth Ludwig, AK Steel Corporation*
 - *Rick Blume, Nucor Corporation*

10:15 -10:45

Other Issues

- Update on Mexico's Import Licensing System and the SAT-CANACERO Partnership Agreement

10:45 – 11:00

Coffee Break

11:00 – 12:00

Government and Industry Recap Sessions

Governments: *Room 3092*

Industry: *Library*

12:00 – 1:00

Wrap-up, Next Steps, and Next Meeting