



Advisory Committee on Supply Chain Competitiveness (ACSCC)

Department of Commerce, Room 3407

Wednesday, April 15, 2015

AGENDA

(Open to the Public)

Light lunch available at 11:30 a.m.

- 12:00 - 12:10 p.m.** **Committee Welcome/Introduction and Meeting Logistics**
David Long
Director, Office of Supply Chain, Professional and Business Services
U.S. Department of Commerce
- 12:10 - 12:20 p.m.** **Introductory Remarks and Meeting Goals by Chair and Vice Chair**
Chair Rick Blasgen
President and Chief Executive Officer
Council of Supply Chain Management Professionals (CSCMP)
- Vice-Chair Page Siplon**
Chief Executive Officer
TeamOne Logistics
- 12:20 - 1:05 p.m.** **ITDS Update and Discussion**
Christa Brzozowski, Senior Advisor to the Secretary, Office of Policy, DHS
Maria-Luisa Boyce, Senior Advisor for Private Sector Engagement, CBP
Steve Hilsen, Lead Executive, Single Window Initiative, CBP
Updates on ITDS program, status of ACSCC recommendations, and pilot testing plans
- 1:05 - 1:50 p.m.** **Freight movement group: Framing the Issues in Port Congestion**
Dr. Walter Kemmsies, Chief Economist, Moffatt & Nichol
Background for ACSCC analysis of port congestion issues; discussion.
- 1:50 - 2:15 p.m.** **Regulatory group: Permit Speed/Reform Proposals for Infrastructure Projects**
Dean Wise, Vice President, BNSF
Review current near-term permitting and process improvement reform issues, in light of recent Executive and Legislative branch activities; possible area for ad hoc group to present recommendations for rapid action.
- 2:15 - 3:00 p.m.** **Discussion/Preview Day 2 Agenda and Work Plan**
Rick Blasgen leads discussion and review of subcommittee activity, to identify key action items for each on Day 2 of the meetings.