

U.S. Department of Commerce Civil Nuclear Trade Advisory Committee (CINTAC) Meeting

Seventh Charter, 2020-2022

Thursday, February 17, 2022, 10:00am - 3:00pm EST

Virtual Meeting: MS Teams

10:00am-1:00pm: closed to members of the public 1:00pm-3:00pm: open to members of the public

AGENDA

10:00 – 10:05 Welcome and Roll Call

 Jonathan Chesebro, Designated Federal Officer of the CINTAC, U.S. Department of Commerce, International Trade Administration (DOC/ITA)

10:05 – 10:15 Review of Meeting Goals and Reflections on Committee Progress

• CINTAC Chair Jeff Harper, CINTAC Vice Chair Ralph Hunter

10:15 – 10:45 <u>Discussion</u>: Topics to Raise with Secretary at Future CINTAC Meeting

- <u>Purpose</u>: to discuss topics to raise with the Secretary at a future CINTAC meeting.
- Moderator: CINTAC Chair Jeff Harper

10:45 – 11:15 <u>Briefing</u>: Foundational Infrastructure for the Responsible Use of Small Modular Reactor Technology (FIRST)

- <u>Purpose</u>: to provide a briefing on the State Department's FIRST initiative. There will be time for Q&A.
- Speakers:
 - Laura Denlinger, Senior Counterproliferation Advisor, Deputy Team Chief, Office of Cooperative Threat Reduction, U.S. Department of State (Confirmed)
 - Kirsten Cutler, Senior Science Advisor, Office of Nuclear Energy, Safety and Security, Bureau of International Security and Nonproliferation, U.S. Department of State (Confirmed)



11:15 – 11:45 **TeamUSA Update**

- <u>Purpose</u>: U.S. Government interagency representatives from the TeamUSA Civil Nuclear Working Group will provide updates on current activities and answer questions from CINTAC members.
- Speakers:
 - Jac Goodman, Senior Advisor, Office of International Nuclear Energy Policy and Cooperation, U.S. Department of Energy, Office of Nuclear Energy (DOE/NE)
 - Kirsten Cutler, Senior Science Advisor, Office of Nuclear Energy, Safety and Security, Bureau of International Security and Nonproliferation, U.S. Department of State
 - o Brett Rini, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission
 - Carl B. Kress, Regional Director, Middle East, North Africa, Europe, Eurasia and East Asia, U.S. Trade and Development Agency (USTDA)
 - Mary Sloan, Country Manager, North Africa, Europe, and Eurasia, USTDA
 - Katie Strangis, Senior Policy Advisor for Nonproliferation and International Security, National Nuclear Security Administration
 - o Others TBD

11:45 – 12:30 CINTAC Subcommittee Updates

• <u>Purpose</u>: Subcommittees will provide updates on planned activities.

12:30 – 1:00 Lunch Break

1:00 – 1:30 **Briefing:** EU Sustainable Finance Taxonomy Update

- <u>Purpose</u>: to provide an update on the role of nuclear energy in the European Union's Sustainable Finance Taxonomy. There will be time for O&A.
- Speakers:
 - Michael Kirst, Managing Director, EuroAtlantic Partners (Confirmed)
 - o Robyn Garfield, Commercial Attaché, U.S. Mission to the European Union (USEU) (TBC)
 - o Anna Costiuc, Senior Commercial Specialist, USEU (TBC)

1:30 – 2:00 <u>Discussion</u>: Deployment Subcommittee Draft Letter

<u>Purpose</u>: review draft proposed letter from Deployment Subcommittee. Speaker: Gary Wolski, Chair, CINTAC Deployment Subcommittee



2:00 – 2:30 **Briefing:** Clean EDGE Initiative

- Purpose: to provide an update on Clean EDGE (formerly Asia EDGE), a USG initiative that aims to support and accelerate Asia's clean energy transition by deploying the joint resources, expertise, and technology of the USG and private sector. There will be time for O&A.
- <u>Speaker</u>: Victoria Yue, Senior Climate Trade Policy Specialist, Office of Energy & Environmental Industries, DOC/ITA (Confirmed)

2:30 – 2:40 Conclusion and Next Steps

• <u>Speakers</u>: Jonathan Chesebro, CINTAC DFO; CINTAC Chair Jeff Harper, CINTAC Vice Chair Ralph Hunter

2:40 – 3:00 Public Comment & Adjourn

- Members of the Public RSVPed to attend:
 - o Jackie Toth, Senior Advocacy Director, Good Energy Collective
 - Troy MacMullan, Legislative Assistant, Congressman Paul A. Gosar, D.D.S. (AZ-04)
 - Lauren Hughes, Chief Operating Officer, Washington Policy and Analysis