

**ENVIRONMENTAL TECHNOLOGIES TRADE ADVISORY COMMITTEE (ETTAC) AND
ENVIRONMENTAL TRADE WORKING GROUP (ETWG) MEETING**

July 16, 2024; 11:30 – 3:00 pm

Commerce Research Library

I. Discussion of ETTAC Recommendations with DOC Leadership

11:30-12:15 **Lunch and Networking**

12:15-12:30 **Welcome & Committee Business**

Clare Schulzki, ETTAC Chair

Megan Hyndman, ETTAC Designated Federal Officer

12:30-12:32 **Virtual Opening Remarks by Under Secretary Marisa Lago**

12:32-12:47 **Presentation on Priority ETTAC Recommendations**

ETTAC Chair Clare Schulzki to moderate a discussion with ETTAC members to highlight key themes of the 2022-2024 ETTAC charter and future priority issues for the environmental technologies industry.

12:47-12:50 **Concluding Remarks by Under Secretary Marisa Lago**

12:50-1:00 **Break**

II. Presentation of ETTAC Recommendations to the ETWG

1:00-1:05 **Introductions and Welcome**

Heather Evans, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Manufacturing, ITA, Acting Co-Chair, ETWG

Mark Kasman, Director, Office of International Affairs, EPA, Acting Co-Chair, ETWG

1:05-1:20 **Presentation of ETTAC Recommendations to the ETWG**

ETTAC subcommittees to each provide a 5-minute overview of the recommendation letters submitted during the 2022-2024 charter and the actions they are seeking from DOC and ETWG agencies.

Climate Change, Emerging Technology, and Innovation Subcommittee

Cynthia Hartley, AECOM

Trade Facilitation, Competitiveness, and Standards Subcommittee

Chuck Chaitovitz, U.S. Chamber of Commerce

Ajay Kasarabada, Black & Veatch

Supply Chain and Circular Economy Subcommittee

Debra Johnson, Stantec Consulting Services

III. ETWG Responses and Joint Discussion

Deputy Assistant Secretary Heather Evans and Director Mark Kasman to moderate a discussion between ETWG agencies and ETTAC members focused on specific recommendation topics.

1:20-1:25 **Introductory Remarks**

Heather Evans, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Manufacturing, ITA, Acting Co-Chair, ETWG

Mark Kasman, Director, Office of International Affairs, EPA, Acting Co-Chair, ETWG

1:25-1:35 **Market Intelligence & Trade Promotion Activities | Recs [#1](#), [#3](#), [#4](#)**

Heather Evans, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Manufacturing, ITA

Tom Hardy, Director of Policy and Program Management, USTDA

1:35-1:45 **UNEA Plastic Pollution Negotiation & PFAS | Recs [#2](#), [#7](#)**

Mark Kasman, Director, Office of International Affairs, EPA

Andrew Clark, Division Chief for Chemicals, Air Quality, and Waste, State Department

1:45-1:55 **Implementation of Global Methane Pledge & Carbon Management Incentives | Recs [#5](#), [#6](#)**

Heather Evans, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Manufacturing, ITA

Claire Wang, Senior Advisor, Office of the Special Presidential Envoy for Climate, State Department

Mark Kasman, Director, Office of International Affairs, EPA

Mark de Figueiredo, Director of the Office of Policy, Analysis, and Engagement, Office of Fossil Energy & Carbon Management, DOE

1:55-2:00 **Export Credit Lending Terms for Climate Projects | Rec [#8](#)**

Heather Evans, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Manufacturing, ITA

Isabel Galdiz, Vice President of International Relations, EXIM

Jessica Henson, Deputy Director of the Office of International Trade and Investment Policy, Treasury

2:00-2:10 **Build America, Buy America and Validation Services for Environmental Technologies | Recs [#9](#), [#10](#)**

Mark Kasman, Director, Office of International Affairs, EPA

Callie Conroy, Made in America Office, Office of Management and Budget

2:10-2:15 **Q&A**

2:15-2:20 **Closing Remarks**

Mark Kasman, Director, Office of International Affairs, EPA, Acting Co-Chair, ETWG

Grant Harris, Assistant Secretary for Industry & Analysis, ITA, Co-Chair, ETWG

2:20-2:25 **Group Photo**

2:25-2:30 **BREAK**

IV. ETTAC Committee Business & Next Steps

2:30-2:45 **Discussion of ETTAC 2022-2024 Survey Results**
Evelina Scott, ETTAC Secondary Designated Federal Officer

2:45-2:55 **Next Charter and Application Process**
Megan Hyndman, ETTAC Designated Federal Officer

2:55-3:00 **Public Comment & Adjourn**