



AGENDA

Legal Issues Forum 2012: Incorporation by Reference, Reasonable Availability, and Copyright

Wednesday, October 10, 2012 | 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Newseum, 555 Pennsylvania Ave. NW, Washington DC
 (Please use Freedom Forum Entrance on 6th Street)
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9:00 –9:05 am	<p>Welcoming Remarks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Joe Bhatia, President and CEO, American National Standards Institute (ANSI)
9:05 – 9:35 am	<p>Keynote Address The Public-Private Partnership: Government Reliance on Voluntary Consensus Standards</p> <p>20 minutes followed by a 10-minute interactive Q&A session</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ John Cooney, Partner, Venable LLP
9:35 – 12:55 pm	<p>Discussion Incorporation by Reference, Reasonable Availability, and Copyright</p> <p><i>A moderated discussion on issues surrounding the incorporation by reference of voluntary consensus standards into government regulation. Topics will include reasonable availability, copyright concerns, and more.</i></p> <p>Interactive roundtable discussion – no presentations. A coffee break will be called by the moderator at a suitable time.</p> <p>Introduction</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Patricia Griffin, Vice President and General Counsel, ANSI <p>Moderator</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Emily Bremer, Attorney Advisor, Administrative Conference of the United States <p>Panelists</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Michael Goldenberg, Senior Counsel, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission ▪ Rae McQuade, President and COO, North American Energy Standards Board ▪ Thomas O’Brien, Vice President and General Counsel, ASTM International ▪ Esa Sferra-Bonistalli, Senior Attorney, U.S. Coast Guard

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Clark Silcox, General Counsel, NEMA ▪ Peter Strauss, Professor, Columbia Law School ▪ Vanessa Allen Sutherland, Chief Counsel, Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation ▪ Rachel Weintraub, Director of Product Safety and Senior Counsel, Consumer Federation of America
12:55 – 1:00 pm	<p>Conference Wrap-up / Closing Remarks <i>Overall response to Forum</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Joe Bhatia, ANSI

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