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| 8:00 am| Registration Opens  
Continental Breakfast                                           |                                                                                  |
| 8:30 am| Welcome and Call to Order                                                         | Michael Taubitz  
Global Regulatory Liaison,  
General Motors Corporation and  
Chair, ANSI Company Member Forum  
William Primosch  
Senior Director,  
International Business Policy,  
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| 8:45 am| Small Group Discussions  
Pooling Individual Points of View on REACH Implementation  
Topics for discussion include the identification of:  
- Areas of concern and/or need  
- Best practices and/or work already underway  
- Commonalities across sectors  
- Suggestions for leveraging resources | All Participants  
Dialogue and information sharing within informal groups  
Scribe and Spokesperson responsible for documenting  
3-5 common or key points raised during the small group discussions |
| 10:00 am| Break                                                                            | Moderators will compile input from the small group discussions and report back to the group in plenary session |
| 10:30 am| Plenary Session  
- Present and discuss summary report of common/key points  
- Develop consensus on priorities  
- Identify key topics for further discussion | All Participants  
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| 11:30 am| Closing Discussion and Next Steps  
Topics for discussion include the identification of:  
- Means to address issues and concerns  
- Means to leverage industry sectors  
- Opportunities  
- Suggested next steps and actions | All Participants  
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| 12:00 pm| Adjournment                                                                       |                                                                                  |

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