

## **TTIP talks**

### **Stakeholders' Presentation Event**

With the latest round of TTIP talks taking place in Brussels this week, the European Commission organised another Stakeholders' Presentation Event and debriefing session with the chief negotiators on 16 July 2014. Over 300 representatives of civil society – non-governmental organisations, consumer organisations, trade unions, and business groups – attended. Together, they made over 70 presentations setting out their views on TTIP and answered questions from EU and US negotiators, as well as from other participants. At the debriefing that followed, after updating participants on the state of the talks chief negotiators Ignacio García Bercero (EU) and Dan Mullaney (US) exchanged points of view with stakeholders, listened to their comments and answered questions.



## **Transatlantic Trade & Investment Partnership Stakeholder Presentations Event**

**11:00 – 14:30, 16 July 2014**

**Management Centre Europe**

**Rue de l'Aqueduc 118, 1050 Brussels**

***Programme***

***(All timings are indicative)***

**SESSION ONE: ROOM to be advised**

**Issues related to manufacturing including horizontal regulatory coherence, technical barriers to trade (TBT), sectors**

- 11:00** VZBV (German Consumers' Organisation) – Isabelle Buscke  
*What consumers expect from transatlantic regulatory cooperation*
- 11:09** Transatlantic Business Council – Hendrike Kuehl  
*Innovation as a key in TTIP*
- 11:18** Foundation for a Free Information Infrastructure – Andre Rebentisch  
*Regulatory convergence – exporting the acquis*
- 11:27** industri-all Europe – Laurent Zibell  
*Industrial standards are tools for public policy*
- 11:36** Interel – Emmanouil Patavos  
*Manufacturing including horizontal regulatory coherence*
- 11:45** European Risk Forum – Lorenzo Allio  
*Risk regulation in the EU and US: drawing lessons from cross-sectoral and international experiences with regulatory convergence*
- 11:54** US Chamber of Commerce – Peter Chase  
*Standards in TTIP*
- 12:03** Alliance for Healthcare Competitiveness – Mark Taylor  
*Increasing Opportunities for the Healthcare Sector, Improving Health Outcomes*
- 12:12** Association of the European Self-Medication Industry (AESGP) – Christelle Anquez-Traxler  
*TTIP and non-prescription/well established medicines*
- 12:21** European Federation of Pharmaceutical Industries & Associations (EFPIA – Maria Trallero

*TTIP - Fostering innovation and regulatory convergence for the transatlantic pharmaceutical sector*

**12:30** European Generics Association – Adrian van den Hoven

*TTIP and the public interest: regulatory cooperation on generic and biosimilar medicines*

**12:39** General Pharmaceutical Association – David Gaugh

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**12:48** Humane Society International – Emily McIvor

*TTIP and animal testing: reducing animal testing and optimising use of existing safety data*

**12:57** Cosmetics Europe – Bertil Heerink

*TTIP & Cosmetics*

**13:06** BEUC – Sylvia Maurer

*TTIP & cosmetics: the view of consumer organisations*

**13:15** European Crop Protection Association – Jean-Charles Bocquet

*Opportunities for improving transatlantic regulatory cooperation in crop protection*

**13:24** ClientEarth – Vito Buonsante

*Toxic Partnership - why EU citizens will not benefit from regulatory cooperation on chemicals*

**13:33** CEMA (European Agricultural Machinery) – Ulrich Adam

*Removing TBTs through Regulatory Cooperation - how to make TTIP a success for Equipment Manufacturers*

**13:42** EUnited – Lionel Platteuw

*The importance of TTIP for the European machinery and equipment industry*

**13:51** Cérame-Unie – Simona Vackeova

*TTIP: Benefits and challenges for the European Ceramic Industry*

**14:00** ACEA (European Automobile Manufacturers' Association) – Erik Jonnaert

Alliance of Automobile Manufacturers – Jennifer Thomas

American Automotive Policy Council – Matthew Blunt

*Joint presentation: Automotive Regulatory Convergence*

**SESSION TWO: ROOM to be advised**

**Issues related to agriculture including agricultural market access, other regulatory issues and Geographical Indications**

- 11:00** BEUC – Camille Perrin  
*Food and TTIP: the consumer view*
- 11:09** Freshfel Europe – Philippe Binard  
*Market access for fresh produce in the US and the EU*
- 11:18** FoodDrinkEurope – Roxane Feller  
*TTIP - European food and drink companies' top priorities*
- 11:27** Irish Co-operative Organisation Society – Conor Mulvihill  
*Opportunities and Dangers for Irish Co-operative Agri-Enterprise*
- 11:36** COPA COGECA – Raymond Mansel  
*TTIP and the dairy sector*
- 11:45** EUWEP – Clara Hagen  
*Joint presentation: Market interest and EU-US equivalence for eggs and egg products*
- 11:54** Eucolait – Bart van Belleghem  
*Conclusions of the Eucolait conference on the impact of TTIP on dairy trade*
- 12:03** European Milk Board – Sieta van Keimpema  
*Free trade or fair trade*
- 12:12** European Dairy Association – Bénédicte Masure  
*TTIP: Regulatory and market access issues for the European Dairy Sector*
- 12:21** European Alcohol Policy Alliance – Mariann Skar  
*Alcohol policies and the unintended consequences of TTIP*

- 12:30** Comité Européen des Entreprises Vins (CEEV) – José Ramon Fernández  
*TTIP: How to improve wine trade between the EU and the US*
- 12:39** Chambres d'Agriculture de France – Sylvain Lhermitte  
*Priorities of the French Chambers of Agriculture*
- 12:48** CEFIC – René van Sloten  
Access to renewable feedstock for the chemical industry
- 12:57** European Feed Manufacturers' Association (FEFAC) – Nicolas Martin  
*On the road to convergence for US & EU feed regulatory frameworks under TTIP / Experiences and recommendations of the US and European feed industry*
- 13:06** European Seed Association – Garlich von Essen  
*Seed sector trade issues and TTIP*
- 13:15** Humane Society International – Jo Swabe  
*The Implications of TTIP for Farm Animal Welfare*
- 13:24** Compassion in World Farming – Olga Kikou  
*TTIP and animal farming*
- 13:33** Comité Interprofessionnel de Gruyère de Comté (CICG) / Conseil National des Appellations d'Origine Laitières (CNAOL) – Valéry Elisséeff  
*The social, environmental and economic impact of, and legal issues affecting, the French PDO cheeses. The example of PDO Comté.*
- 13:42** US Dairy Export Council – Maike Möllers  
*Removing dairy trade barriers and safeguarding common food names*

**SESSION THREE: ROOM to be advised**

**Issues related to services, investment and public procurement**

- 11:00** BusinessEurope – Luisa Santos  
*Public Procurement – What EU Business Expects from TTIP*
- 11:09** European Public Health Alliance – Emma Woodford  
*The public health impacts of the services and procurement chapters*
- 11:18** IG-BAU – Frank Schmidt-Hullmann  
*Construction services, investment definition and ISDS, public procurement rules*
- 11:27** European Services Forum – Pascal Kerneis  
*The European Services Industry needs access to all US states and good investment protection*
- 11:36** International Brotherhood of Teamsters – Michael Dolan  
*Teamsters' Concerns About the Services Chapter*
- 11:45** EuroCommerce – Harald Past  
*TTIP: A Good Deal for Europe – The Commerce Sector View*
- 11:54** Centre of Employers and Enterprises providing Public Services (CEEP) – Laurent Félix  
*CEEP's views on the services and investment protection chapters*
- 12:03** European Trade Union Committee for Education (ETUCE) – Louise Hoj Larsen  
*Safeguard quality education*
- 12:12** European Banking Federation – Sébastien de Brouwer  
*Financial services regulatory framework within the TTIP*
- 12:21** Netherlands Maritime Technology – Harriet Slager  
*The European ship-building sector and US maritime restrictions*



- 12:30** European Community of Shipowners' Associations – Patrick Verhoeven  
*TTIP: opportunities for the European shipping industry*
- 12:39** European Dredging Association – Paris Sansoglou  
*Benefits of mutual opening of EU-US dredging markets*
- 12:48** World Development Movement – Polly Jones  
*TTIP cannot deliver on jobs and growth*
- 12:57** Transitiegroep Stroopwafel – Sung Bruijnen  
*Balancing on a tightrope: how to get a good agreement for services and investment*
- 13:06** Public Citizen – Melinda St Louis  
*A consumer perspective on proposed changes to ISDS*
- 13:15** Federation of German Industry (BDI) – Eckart von Unger  
*Investment Protection in TTIP – the road ahead*
- 13:24** International Trade Union Confederation (ITUC) – Georgios Altzintzis  
*Investors' protection and responsibilities – a balanced approach*
- 13:33** AmCham EU – Neil McMillan  
*Next generation of investment protection*

**SESSION FOUR: ROOM to be advised**

**Sustainable development, digital services and data, intellectual property rights (IPR), small and medium enterprises (SMEs), customs and trade facilitation, energy and raw materials**

- 11:00** CNCD-11.11.11 – Michael Cermak  
Negotiations process and sustainable development
- 11:09** European Economic & Social Committee (EESC) – Jacek Krawczyk and Sandy Boyle  
*Civil society monitoring of sustainable development aspects of the TTIP*
- 11:18** World Animal Protection – Amanda Mayhew  
*Wildlife Trade and Environmental Protection*
- 11:27** EMMA (European Magazine Media Association) and VDZ (German Magazine Publishers Association) – Martin Rupp  
*European Publishers' concerns in view of the TTIP negotiations*
- 11:36** Critical Raw Materials Alliance – Heleen Vollers  
*Increasing Interests of Critical Raw Materials in TTIP*
- 11:45** Central Europe Energy Partners – Bogdan Janicki  
*Energy and raw material issues*
- 11:54** DigitalEurope – John Higgins  
*Supporting digital economy opportunities in the TTIP*
- 12:03** Semiconductor Industry Association – Christina Devi Keller  
*ICT Growth Via Trade in Products with Cryptographic Capabilities*
- 12:12** Association for Computing Machinery Europe – Fabrizio Gagliardi  
*ACM input on computing related issues*

**12:21** Bits of Freedom – Ton Siedsma

*The flow of data: a river does not stop at national borders*

**12:30** European Shippers' Council – Dennis Heijnen

*Future of Trade Facilitation: reshaping logistics*

**12:39** Eurochambres / CCI Rhône-Alpes – Margot Jilet

*TTIP: What's at stake for SMEs? Presentation of an economic case study conducted by the regional Chamber of Commerce of Rhône-Alpes*

**12:48** Federation of Small Businesses – Sietske de Groot

*The EU-US portal – what small firms want*

**12:57** DIHK (Association of German Chambers of Commerce and Industry) – Gerhard Eschenbaum

*TTIP and SMEs*