



Los Angeles Customs Brokers & Freight Forwarders Association

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***You are cordially invited to our next lunch meeting
Thursday, September 14, 2017***

**EPA in ACE – Tips, Best Practices and Challenges
with Filing EPA PGA Data in Import and Export**

Approved for 2 CCS/CES Credits

EPA will speak on the latest updates, issues, tips and challenges related to PGA data filing for engines, vehicles, pesticides and TSCA entries in ACE.

EPA plans to provide an overview of reporting requirements for EPA-regulated commodities including:

- TSCA Certification/Ozone Depleting Substances Imports
- Pesticides Notices of Arrival Imports
- Vehicle and Engine Decorations Imports
- Hazardous Waste Exports

EPA will also go over the filing tips and cover:

- Determining when a filing is required (in addition to the HTS code flags most software relies on)
- Options for filing
- How to properly file disclaims
- Minimize filing errors that result in “hold intact” and “under review” and maximize the automatic “may proceed”

They will also review the typical message a filter might expect to receive for successful and unsuccessful filings. The inspectors will also talk about what are considered legitimate imported pesticides and vehicle and engines.

Speakers:

Roy Chaudet – Office of Information Management, EPA IT Lead For ACE

Allison Watanabe – EPA, Region 9 Pesticides Inspector Lead in LA

Matt Salazar – Manager EPA, Region 9 Clean Air Act Enforcement

Nathan Dancher – EPA, Region 9 Clean Air Act Inspector

Elfego Feliz – EPA, Region 9, Clean Air Inspector

Andrew Chew – EPA, Region 9 Clean Air Inspector

Moderator:

Maurine Cecil, Director of Compliance for Western Overseas

September 14, 2017

Registration: 11:30 a.m.

Program: 12:00 noon – 2:00 p.m.

The Reef Restaurant

880 S. Harbor Scenic Drive

Long Beach, CA 90802

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Register online or email your registration form to info@lacbffa.org and then mail with check payable to: LACBFFA, 320 Pine Avenue, Suite 1050, Long Beach, CA 90802. **Cancellations must be received in writing by September 7, 2017 prior to the event to receive a refund or to avoid being billed.** Your payment for this event is not deductible as a contribution or gift under Federal Income Tax Laws, but is most likely deductible as an ordinary and necessary business expense.

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