



FTA
Foreign Trade Association



Brussels, 4 May 2009

Dear Madam, Dear Sir,

It is my great pleasure to invite you to the **REACH Seminar for importers and retailers** that will be held by the Foreign Trade Association the **16 June in Brussels**.

There are a lot of uncertainties on the implementation of the REACH legislation and complying with the many obligations imposed by REACH represents a considerable challenge for the business.

The FTA REACH Seminar will not only give you the opportunity to address your questions to the European Commission officials, but will also provide you with concrete examples of the approach developed by FTA Members for complying with the REACH legislation.

We welcome all retailers, wholesalers and importers to the Seminar. Please find below agenda and reply form. **Deadline for registration is the 12 June 2009**

Looking forward to seeing you in Brussels!

Jan A. Eggert

Secretary General



AGENDA

- 10.00 - 10.30 Registration: *Adenauer Room*, Avenue de Cortenbergh 168, Brussels
- 10.30 - 10.45 **Opening address**
Mr. Jan A. Eggert, Secretary General, FTA
- 10.45 - 12.30 **First Panel**
REACH Implementation and Compliance
- 10.45 - 11.30 REACH: Substances of Very High Concern, Information duty, Notification and Procedures
Ms. Rocio Salvador Roldan, REACH Unit, Dg Enterprise, European Commission
- 11.30 - 12.15 REACH: from pre - registration to registration
Ms. Ruxandra Cana, Field Fisher Waterhouse LLP
- 12.15 - 12.30 Additional time for questions
- 12.30 - 13.30 *Sandwich lunch*
- 13.30 - 15.15 **Second Panel**
REACH: developing best practices
- 13.30 - 14.15 The CELIO experience
Mr. Pierre Brosseau, Sourcing and Production Manager, CELIO
- 14.15 - 15.00 The V&D approach to REACH
Ms. Yvonne Lievens, Technician Quality Assurance, V&D Department Stores
- 15.00 - 15.15 Additional time for questions
- 15.15 - 15.30 *Coffee break*
- 15.30 - 16.15 **REACH: the perspective of a supplier Country**
Mr. Ashutosh Jindal, Indian Embassy to the EU (tbc)
- 16.15 – 16.30 **Closing remarks**
Mr. Jan A. Eggert, Secretary General, FTA

The moderator of the Seminar will be Ms. Flavia Bernardini, FTA Trade Advisor.

Venue: *Adenauer Room*, Business Europe Building, Avenue de Cortenbergh 168, Brussels



REPLY FORM

Please tick in the appropriate box below, fill in the information and send, fax or email this form before the 12 June 2009 to:

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- Yes, I will participate in the seminar as a member of the FTA (price: 100 €)
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Registration fee: The fee includes attendance at the seminar, refreshments, lunch and conference documentation. The fee does not include accommodation. All bookings are considered binding on receipt of the registration form.

Cancellation: **Registration fees will be refunded following request on cancellation received before the 12 June.** After that date, we will unfortunately not be able to refund your fee.

Seminar language: English