

National Surface Transportation Policy and Revenue Study Commission
Public Session
Wednesday, November 15 – Thursday, November 16, 2006

The Peabody Hotel
149 Union Avenue
Memphis, Tennessee 38103

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8:30 - 8:40 a.m. Welcome Remarks from Secretary Mary E. Peters, Chairman of the National Surface Transportation Policy and Revenue Study Commission

8:40 - 10:15 a.m. Panel #1: “Global Trends and Regional Framework”

- Doug Duncan, President and CEO, FedEx Freight
- Tim Yatsko, Senior Vice-President of Transportation, Wal-Mart
- John Moore, President and CEO of the Memphis Regional Chamber
- Pete Johnson, Federal Co-Chair for the Delta Regional Authority

10:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Panel #2: “Intermodal Opportunities in Global & Regional Trends”

- Robert West, Managing Director, Global Trade & Transportation at Global Insight
- Roger Sklar, Director of Inbound Supply Chain Operations, NIKE Inc.
- Steve Rand, AVP Sales and Account Development, CSX Intermodal
- Jonathan Red, Chief Operating Officer, Sea Point LLC

1:30 - 3:00 p.m. Panel #3: “Regional Economic Development and Quality of Life”

- Matt Kisber, Tennessee Commissioner of Economic Development
- Mark Norris, Tennessee State Senator and Chairman of Economic Development, Transportation, and Cultural Affairs Committee of the Southern Legislative Conference
- Neely Mallory, President of Mallory Alexander
- John D. Carruthers Chairman, Mid-Continent Highway Coalition

3:15 - 4:45 p.m. Panel #4: “Surface Transportation Barriers/Solutions”

- Gerald Nicely, Commissioner of the Tennessee Department of Transportation
- Scott Bennett, Director of the Arkansas Department of Highways and Transportation
- Dave Huneryager, President and CEO of the Tennessee Trucking Association
- Jimmy Smith, Tennessee Public Transit Association

4:45 - 5:15 p.m. Public Comment Period

5:15 p.m. Adjourn