

**EU-U.S. High-level Regulatory Cooperation Forum**

**Conference on Good Regulatory Practices**

**Brussels, January 26, 2006**

**Place: Charlemagne – Conference Room S2**

**AGENDA**

- 9.00 – 9.30**                    **Arrivals, Registration and Coffee**
- 9.30 – 9.35**                    **Introduction by the Commission and U.S. Coordinators**
- Jan E. Frydman, Deputy Head of Unit for International Affairs, Enterprise and Industry Directorate General, European Commission
  - Jim Sanford, Deputy Assistant U.S. Trade Representative for European Affairs, Executive Office of the President
- 9.35 – 9.45**                    **Opening Remarks**
- Catherine Day, Secretary General of the European Commission
- 9.45 – 10.15**                    **Presentation of EC-OMB Dialogue on Good Regulatory Practices**
- Gert-Jan Koopman, Director, Enterprise and Industry Directorate General, European Commission
  - Dr. John Graham, Administrator, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Executive Office of the President
- (Introduced by the Coordinators)
- 10.15 – 10.45**                    **Applying Good Regulatory Practices: Regulators' Perspectives**
- Robert Madelin, Director General, Health and Consumer Protection Directorate General, European Commission
  - Neil Eisner, Assistant General Counsel for Regulation and Enforcement, U.S. Department of Transportation
  - Brian Mannix, Associate Administrator, Office of Policy, Economics and Innovation, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
- (Introduced by the Coordinators)
- 10.45 – 11.15**                    **Discussion with participants**  
Facilitated by Gert-Jan Koopman/John Graham
- 11.15 – 11.30**                    **Coffee Break**

- 11.30 – 12.10**      **Review of EU and U.S. regulatory environments: Current and Future Priorities**
- Michel Ayrat, Director, Enterprise and Industry Directorate General, European Commission
  - Michael Fruhmann, Head of Unit, Federal Chancellery of Austria
  - Dr Jonathan Wiener, Duke Law School
- (Introduced by the Coordinators)
- 12.10 – 12.50**      **Discussion with participants**  
Facilitated by Gert-Jan Koopman/John Graham
- 12.50 – 13.00**      **Closing remarks by Gert-Jan Koopman/John Graham**
- 13.00 – 14.15**      **Buffet lunch hosted by the European Commission**