

2020 EXPORT CONTROL FORUM

AGENDA

11 December 2020

Virtual meeting ([Recording](#))

9:30 – 17:15

9:30 **Opening of the 2020 Export Control Forum**

- *Valdis Dombrovskis, Executive Vice-President, Commissioner for Trade, European Commission ([Video](#) – [Text](#))*
- *Bernd Lange, Chair of the International Trade Committee, European Parliament*
- *Christina Decker, Deputy Director General, Export Control and Investment Screening, Federal Ministry for Economic Affairs, German Presidency of the EU*

10:00 ***The modernisation of EU export controls: towards a new EU Export Control Regulation***

- *An overview of the new EU Export Control Regulation (Stéphane Chardon, Coordinator for Export Control, DG TRADE, European Commission – [Presentation](#))*
- *The Council's approach: Member States united for the modernisation of EU export controls (Adrian Toshev, Chair of the Dual-Use Working Party, German Presidency of the EU)*
- *The European Parliament's expectations for more effective controls on cybersurveillance technologies (Markéta Gregorová, INTA Rapporteur, European Parliament – [Text](#))*
- *Q & A session*

Moderator: Damien Levie, Head of Unit for Technology and Security - FDI Screening, DG TRADE, European Commission



11:30 **Short break**

11:45 **The modernisation of EU export controls: towards a new EU Export Control Regulation (ctnd)**

- *Industry's view of implementing the new regulation, the development of a "partnership" with private sector and need for EU Guidelines (Pawel Piec, Global Trade Director, Import & Export Policy, EMEA at Intel Corporation, Member of DIGITALEUROPE Export Controls and Customs Working Group – [Presentation](#))*
- *Civil society's call for export controls to safeguard human rights (Lisa Dittmer, Dual Use expert, Reporters without Borders – CAUSE coalition)*
- *Q&A session*

Moderator: Paul Beijer, Ambassador, Department for Disarmament and Non-proliferation, Swedish Ministry for Foreign Affairs

12:30 **Lunch break**

14:00 **EU export controls in 2020: the state of play**

- *The 2020 EU Dual-Use list: the highlights (Christian Eisele, Head of Unit, Federal Office for Economic Affairs and Export Control (BAFA), Germany – [Presentation](#))*
- *The development of EU guidelines for dual-use research (Dr. Johan Evers, co-Chair of the Technical Expert Group, Strategic Goods Control Unit, Flemish Department of Chancellery & Foreign Affairs, Belgium – [Presentation](#))*
- *Brexit: preparing for a smooth end to the transition period (Marcello Irlando, Export Control Expert, DG TRADE, European Commission – [Presentation](#))*
- *Q&A session*

Moderator: Dr Eamonn Cahill, Director of Trade Licensing and Control, Department of Enterprise, Trade and Employment, Ireland

15:15 **Short Break**

15:30 **International export control developments**

- *Emerging Disruptive Technologies: Promise, Peril, and Towards a Comprehensive Strategy (Dr. Andrea Viski, Director, Strategic Trade Research Institute – [Presentation](#))*
- *Technology Strategies in China and the United States - challenges for European companies (Eric André Martin, Institut Français des Relations Internationales - IFRI)*



- *Dutch perspectives on emerging technology controls (Tanja Roeling, Head of Export Controls and Strategic Goods, International Trade Policy and Economic Governance Department, Ministry of Foreign Affairs)*
- *Industry and the challenges of controls on intangibles and emerging technologies (Ms Aude Jalabert, Trade Compliance Manager, Infineon Technologies / European Semiconductors Industry Association – ESIA – [Presentation](#))*
- *Q&A session*

Moderator: Denis Redonnet, Deputy Director General, Chief Trade Enforcement Officer, DG TRADE, European Commission

16:45

Short Break

17:00

Conclusions – *Denis Redonnet, Deputy Director General, Chief Trade Enforcement Officer, DG TRADE, European Commission*

17:15

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