



## SEMINAR-WORKSHOP DETAILS & MECHANICS



### Description of the Workshop

- **APEC Food Safety Cooperation Forum (FSCF)** under APEC SCSC and APEC CTI
- This project also complements the works of Codex Alimentarius Commission particularly on implementation of Principles and Guidelines for the Exchange of Information in Food Safety Emergency Situations (CAC GL 19-1995) and Codex Code of Ethics for International Trade in Food (CAC RCP 20-1979, revised 1985).



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- **Project Objectives:**
  - (1) To explore the current situation on Food Recall Systems in place among APEC Member Economies;
  - (2) To develop and/or update recall standards among participating regulatory agencies and private enterprises in APEC Member economies;
  - (3) To assist participants from APEC Member economies in the development of recall procedures for food industry stakeholders (e.g. importers, distributors, retailers and manufacturers)



### Seminar Workshop Components

- **Lectures**
- **Member Economy Experiences**
- **Workshop**




### Deliverables

- Information detailing current recall practices, recall programs/regulation, experiences from the member APEC economies
- Workshop output – SWOT
- Recommendations for APEC (Project Design)



## Summary of Schedule

## Day 1 (Tuesday)


**Morning Session**

- Overview of Food Recall
- Food Recalls Australia

**Afternoon Session**

- United Nations Program on Food Recall – FAO & WHO
- Food Incident Management – the Australian Experience
- Outbreak to a Recall, A Case Study –
- Overview of Food Safety Inspection Service (FSIS/USDA) Recall Process

## Day 2 (Wednesday)






**Morning Session**

- USFDA Food Recall Policies
- Meat and Poultry Recalls
- Case Studies:
  - Australia Experience on Food Recall
  - Member Economy Presentation: Brunei, Chile

**Afternoon Session**

- Member Economy Presentation: Chinese Taipei, Indonesia, Malaysia, Mexico, PNG, Peru, Philippines & Korea

## Day 3 (Thursday)


**Morning Session**

- Member Economy Presentation: Russia, Thailand, Viet Nam
- Overview of Risk Communication in Australia during Food Emergencies
- Workshop

**Afternoon Session**

- Group Presentation
- Consultant Synthesis
- Evaluation
- Closing Program

## Workshop



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APEC Member Economies will be grouped into two. Group A is composed of Brunei, Indonesia, Chile, Malaysia, Papua New Guinea, Republic of Korea, Mexico and the United States. Group B will be composed of Peru, Philippines, Chinese Taipei, Russia, Viet Nam, Thailand and Australia. Based on the lectures and experiences of each member economies, each group shall identify and enumerate *common* Strengths, Weaknesses Opportunities Threats (SWOT) among their recall protocols.

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**Recommendations:**


- What's next to be done after the seminar-workshop? What are the possible follow up APEC projects to sustain the initial seminar workshop?

## Resource Speakers

- Food and Agriculture Organization** – Ms Sashi Sareen
- World Health Organization** – Ms Jennifer Bishop
- Food Standards Australia New Zealand** – Dr Barbara Butow and Mr Elliot Hill
- US Department of Agriculture** – Dir. Elizabeth Volk
- University of Hawaii at Manoa** – Dr. Aurora Saulo

## Reminders



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- Welcome Dinner
  - Meals
  - Correction participant list
  - Confirmation of flights
  - Information about the area
  - Any handouts that are unreadable
  - Other additional information about the place or other places that you would like to visit
  - Be sure to keep every receipts of any documents for your reimbursement as stated in your travel undertaking
  - Hotel-airport transfer
  - Other matters