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ATTENTION: Health, Environmental, and Judiciary Staffers

ASBESTOS: IMPACT ON PUBLIC HEALTH, CONSUMER SAFETY, AND THE ENVIRONMENT

Location: SVC 2001-00

Date: Thursday, April 27, 2017

Time: 11:00 am – 12:00 pm

Speakers:

- Julie Gundlach, Mesothelioma Patient (MO)
- Carrie McNamara, Asbestos Victim (IA)
- Linda Reinstein, ADAO President/CEO/Co-Founder (CA)
- Scott Slesinger, Legislative Director, Natural Resources Defense Council (NRDC)
- Robin Tucker, Asbestos Victim (OH)



The educational briefing will focus on new data about increasing asbestos-caused deaths in the U.S. and pending legislation that could increase exposure risk and compromise asbestos victims' civil rights. Credentialed Staffers Only

Facts:

- Asbestos kills 15,000 Americans each year, yet has not been banned and imports continue
- Asbestos is still found in homes, schools, offices, and consumer products
- Americans cannot identify asbestos or manage the health risk
- New CDC data indicates that mesothelioma death rates are increasing despite decreased consumption
- Regulations to protect Americans from asbestos could be compromised and/or halted if legislation such as the Regulatory Accountability Act is passed

RSVP for lunch by Monday, April 25 at 10 am ET

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