

International
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The World Food Law Institute, the International Food & Agricultural Trade Policy Council (IPC) and the American Society of International Law (ASIL) cordially invite you to a Round Table discussion on:

Standards for Food Safety in an Era of Globalized Trade

Recent events have exposed weaknesses in the nation's food safety net and undermined consumer confidence in the security of our food supply. An interagency working group on import safety is releasing its final recommendations and strategic framework to the President in mid-November. The Grocery Manufacturers' Association has also unveiled a proposal to improve the U.S. system governing the safety of food imports.

Please join us in a discussion about standards for ensuring food safety in an era of globalized trade.

Speakers:

Dr. David Acheson, Assistant Commissioner for Food Protection, FDA

Mr. Cal Dooley, President and CEO of the Grocery Manufacturers' Association

Jay Taylor of McDermott Will & Emery LLP, Joe O'Mara of O'Mara and Associates and an official from the Office of the U.S. Trade Representative will serve as commentators on the trade implications of these proposals.

When: November 13, 2007 – 4:30-6:00 p.m.

Where: The Cosmos Club, 2121 Massachusetts Ave., NW

Space is limited; please **RSVP** promptly to The World Food Law Institute at worldfoodlaw@law.howard.edu