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CBP Continues Importer Security Filing Outreach

Outreach to Focus on the Needs of Small and Medium-Sized Importers

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WASHINGTON – U.S. Customs and Border Protection will begin another round of outreach to help the trade community understand how to comply with the Importer Security Filing and Additional Carrier requirements, commonly known as “10+2”, that went into effect January 26, 2010. CBP will be hosting a series of webinars in the next month specifically focusing on the needs of small to medium-sized companies importing into the United States.

“CBP is committed to working with the trade community to enable successful compliance with ISF,” said Kimberly Marsho, Director of Trade Relations. “The Importer Security Filing allows CBP to make earlier and more informed targeting decisions prior to cargo arriving in the U.S. which is an important layer in CBP’s efforts to secure the border.”

The one-hour webinars are primarily geared towards small and medium-sized importers who have limited familiarity with the Importer Security Filing and Additional Carrier Requirements. The program will consist of a high-level overview of the “10+2” requirements, an update on the statistics and current trends, critical information on enforcement; and will conclude with a question and answer session.

West Coast Importers	April 27, 2010 1pm-2pm EDT
Gulf States/Mid-West Importers	May 4, 2010 10am-11am EDT
East Coast Importers	May 13, 2010 10am -11am EDT



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For more information and to register go to: http://www.cbp.gov/xp/cgov/trade/trade_outreach/09_outreach_schl.xml

West Coast Registration Link:

https://apps.cbp.gov/te_registration/index.asp?w=19

The webinar connection information will be sent by email to you on 4/26/2010.

Noting the URL to join the webinar and a dial-in number for those participants that do not have voice communications over IP networks (VoIP) capability.

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