Agenda for Spring 2017 COG committee

0900-0910 --- Check in, including CLE sheets

0910-0915 --- SMD welcome; moment of silence to remember Andy Tsukamoto's passing and others this past year; and outline of program

0915-0940 --- Dennis Cammarano will discuss a recent 5th Circuit decision discussing the application of the Carmack Amendment to a party that is not a motor carrier. Is this an anomaly?- Heniff Transp. Sys., L.L.C. v. Trimac Transp. Servs, Inc.

0940-1010 --- Susan Dorgan will discuss a recent District of Columbia decision addressing OFAC fines applied to a U.S. exporter for shipping goods to Iran when they never arrived in Iran and its potential impact. Oral arguments took place in November, 2016 before the Court of Appeal. A decision has not yet been rendered. —Epsilon Elecs., Inc. v. Dep't of the Treasury (D.D.C., 2016).

1010-1030 --- Michael Crowley will present a comparison of time limits that exist in different countries with respect to transportation actions. Some of the differences may surprise you.

1030-1035 --- Rotterdam Rule Update presented by Chester Hooper

1035-1045 --- Discussion of recent decisions of interest

1040-1050 --- Discussion re future topics of interest

1050-1055 --- Closing remarks

1055-1100 --- Sign out on CLE Sheets

If you plan to attend, you must send an email to me at susan.dorgan@aig.com. I must present a list of those attending to the building's security department prior to the meeting.

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