

2009 OSTA / International Regulations and Standards Division Staff Responsibilities Chart

Name	Tele # / Room	Main Areas	Region / Other
Cathy McKinnell Director	202-690-0929 Rm: 5931-S	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General direction and division priorities 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overall management and policy direction
Tom Westcot Deputy Director	202-690-0207 Rm: 5927-S	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General direction and division priorities for the WTO SPS Committee & Enquiry Point Group 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staff supervision and policy direction • Coordination of U.S. Government comments on foreign sanitary and phytosanitary (SPS) measures and to the World Trade Organization (WTO) and U.S. SPS measures to be notified to the WTO
Rick Capwell Deputy Director	202-720-7054 Rm: 5929-S	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General direction and priorities for the International Standards Group 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staff supervision and policy direction • Coordination with U.S. Codex Office FAS trade interests in standards
Vacant Administrative Assistant	202-720-1301 Rm: 5932-S	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Administrative 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Administrative and technical support • Travel (GovTrip) • Budget • Other Plant spreadsheet(s) maintenance • Scheduling Support • SPS/TBT notifications
Peter Tabor Senior Policy Advisor	202-690-3328 Rm: 5932-S	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provides coordination on trade capacity building and policy issues and Asian Pacific Economics Council (APEC) Sanitary and Phytosanitary Standards issues 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Central Asia (excluding India) • Middle East • North Asia • Oceania • Southeast Asia
Joe Hain Senior Policy Advisor	202-702-0361 Rm: 5932-S	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provides coordination on trade capacity building and policy issues 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Africa • Europe • Western Hemisphere • India
Roseanne Freese Senior International Trade Specialist	202-690-1642 Rm: 5936-S	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coordination of USG WTO comments on foreign SPS measures and WTO SPS Committee Support 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • North Asia

Yolanda Starke Senior International Trade Specialist	202-690-2148 Rm: 5944	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coordination of USG WTO comments on foreign SPS measures and notification of new U.S. SPS measures 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Africa • Europe • Middle East
Evelyn Alexander International Economist	202-720-5683 Rm: 5942-S	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coordination of USG WTO comments on foreign SPS measures 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Central Asia • Oceania • Southeast Asia
Laliana Bachelder International Trade Specialist	202-720-1335 Rm: 5932-S	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coordination of USG WTO comments on foreign SPS measures, and reporting on USG capacity building and trade development assistance for the WTO 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • North America • Central America • Caribbean
Deborah Thompson Program Specialist	202-720-9124 Rm: 5942-S	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WTO Notifications Database • SPS / TBT Newsletter • Translation Contracts • Coordination with Posts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • South America
Luis Suguiyama International Trade Specialist	202-720-0629 Rm: 5938-S	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pesticide standards issues, trade capacity building on pesticide MRL evaluations, and pesticide registration 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Global
Kenneth Hinga International Trade Specialist	202-720-0969 Rm: 5934-S	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Contaminants, veterinary drugs, animal feeding, and fish and fish products standards issues 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Global
Kenneth Lowery International Trade Specialist	202-720-5461 Rm: 5934-S	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fresh fruits and vegetables standards issues, UNECE standards, International Standards Organization, private standards, and outreach to Latin America and the Caribbean on standards 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Global

Africa: Algeria, Angola, Benin, Botswana, Burkina, Burundi, Cameroon, Cape Verde, Central African Republic, Chad, Comoros, Congo (Brazzaville), Congo (Kinshasa), Djibouti, Egypt, Equatorial Guinea, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Gabon, Gambia, Ghana, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Ivory Coast, Kenya, Lesotho, Liberia, Libya, Madagascar, Malawi, Mali, Mauritania, Mauritius, Morocco, Mozambique, Namibia, Niger, Nigeria, Reunion, Rwanda, Senegal, Seychelles, Sierra Leone, Somalia, South Africa, Sudan, Swaziland, Tanzania, Togo, Tunisia, Uganda, Zambia and Zimbabwe

Caribbean: Anguilla, Antigua and Barbuda, Aruba, Bahamas, Barbados, Bermuda, British Virgin Islands, Cayman Islands, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Grenada, Guadeloupe, Guyana, Haiti, Jamaica, Martinique, Montserrat, Netherlands Antilles, St. Kitts and Nevis, St. Lucia, St. Vincent and the Grenadines, Trinidad and Tobago and Turks and Caicos Islands

Central America: Belize, Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua and Panama

Central Asia: Afghanistan, Kyrgyzstan, Pakistan, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Uzbekistan and Kazakhstan

Europe: Albania, Andorra, Armenia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Belgium, Bosnia-Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Faroe Islands, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Gibraltar, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Kosovo, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Macedonia, Malta, Moldova, Montenegro, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Russia, San Marino, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine and United Kingdom

Middle East: Bahrain, Iran, Iraq, Israel, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Syrian Arab Republic, United Arab Emirates and Yemen

North America: Canada and Mexico

North Asia: China, Hong Kong, Japan, North Korea, South Korea, Taiwan and Russia

Oceania: Australia, New Zealand and Papua New Guinea

South America: Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Ecuador, French Guiana, Guyana, Paraguay, Peru, Suriname, Uruguay and Venezuela

Southeast Asia: Bangladesh, Bhutan, Brunei, Cambodia, India, Indonesia, Laos, Malaysia, Maldives, Myanmar, Nepal, Philippines, Singapore, Sri Lanka Thailand and Vietnam