

2018 Current Fiscal Year Report: Advisory Committee on International Economic Policy

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1. Department or Agency

Department of State

2. Fiscal Year

2018

3. Committee or Subcommittee

Advisory Committee on International Economic Policy

3b. GSA Committee No.

157

4. Is this New During Fiscal Year?

No

5. Current Charter

03/15/2017

6. Expected Renewal Date

03/15/2019

7. Expected Term Date

8a. Was Terminated During Fiscal Year?

No

8b. Specific Termination Authority

PL 92-463, Section 14 (a)
(1)

8c. Actual Term Date

9. Agency Recommendation for Next Fiscal Year

Continue

10a. Legislation Req to Terminate?

No

10b. Legislation Pending?

Not Applicable

11. Establishment Authority Agency Authority

12. Specific Establishment Authority

22 U.S.C. 2656

13. Effective Date

09/24/1996

14. Committee Type

Continuing

14c. Presidential?

No

15. Description of Committee National Policy Issue Advisory Board

16a. Total Number of Reports

No Reports for this Fiscal Year

17a. Open Meetings and Dates 3 17b. Closed Meetings and Dates 0 17c. Partially Closed Meetings and Dates 0 17d. Total Meetings and Dates 3

Purpose	Start	End
Topics discussed were economic sanctions and women' economic empowerment.	03/28/2018	03/28/2018
Topic was to discuss Indo-Pacific Strategy and Reforming the Committee on Foreign Investment in the United States (CFIUS)	05/16/2018	05/16/2018
Topics: Indo-Pacific Strategy and Proposed Reform of the Statute Governing the Committee on Foreign Investment in the United States (CFIUS)	05/16/2018	05/16/2018

Number of Committee Meetings Listed: 3

	Current FY	Next FY
18a(1). Personnel Pmts to Non-Federal Members	\$0.00	\$0.00
18a(2). Personnel Pmts to Federal Members	\$0.00	\$1,000.00
18a(3). Personnel Pmts to Federal Staff	\$38,297.00	\$41,867.00
18a(4). Personnel Pmts to Non-Member Consultants	\$0.00	\$0.00
18b(1). Travel and Per Diem to Non-Federal Members	\$0.00	\$0.00
18b(2). Travel and Per Diem to Federal Members	\$0.00	\$500.00

18b(3). Travel and Per Diem to Federal Staff	\$0.00	\$1,750.00
18b(4). Travel and Per Diem to Non-member Consultants	\$0.00	\$0.00
18c. Other(rents,user charges, graphics, printing, mail, etc.)	\$0.00	\$0.00
18d. Total	\$38,297.00	\$45,117.00
19. Federal Staff Support Years (FTE)	2.00	2.00

20a. How does the Committee accomplish its purpose?

The ACIEP meets to discuss international economic issues of current importance to the United States. The State Department and the Charter of the Committee determine the agenda for each meeting. Invited speakers from government and American private-sector organizations and institutions participate in the discussions, with opportunity provided for other members of the public to comment. Subcommittees have played an important role in providing advice to the parent Committee by researching specific topics and reporting findings to the parent Committee. The Committee has made a significant contribution to developing and implementing U.S. international economic policy goals and objectives. Please see below for additional information.

20b. How does the Committee balance its membership?

Membership consists of a balanced representation of persons from a broad spectrum of U.S. organizations and institutions. Members are from the corporate, academic, financial, legal, labor, technology, consumer, consultancy, and regional interest communities. The State Department takes proactive steps to maintain and recruit a full, balanced membership.

20c. How frequent and relevant are the Committee Meetings?

In 2018, the committee met three times. The Bureau of Economic and Affairs values the continuation of the committee, and the committee is expected to meet four times in 2019. In FY2017 the committee met only once due to the transition in administration and the desire by the Acting Assistant Secretary for Economic and Business Affairs to ensure the President's new senior international economic team was in place in order to maximize ACIEP member input and time. Full committee meetings were held on four occasions during FY2016. Discussions are wide-ranging and open to the public. The Committee meets to discuss timely and relevant issues, such as key initiatives and economic priorities, such as (1) trade, (2) sanctions (3) economic engagement in China, and (4) women's economic empowerment. The Committee provides a valuable channel for consultation between the private sector, labor groups, civil society, and the U.S. government on U.S. international economic policy issues. Subcommittees focus on specific topics. Subcommittees met in FY2018 In FY 2016, subcommittees focused on a wide range of issues including but not limited to: sanctions policy; increasing the

effectiveness and confidentiality procedures of the U.S. National Contact Point for Responsible Business Conduct.

20d. Why can't the advice or information this committee provides be obtained elsewhere?

The Committee offers the Department a wealth of diverse viewpoints, expertise, knowledge, and insight not available solely within the State Department or elsewhere in the government on major issues related to the development of and execution of international economic policy. The Committee provides information and advice on the effective integration of economic interests into U.S. foreign policy and on the Department's role in using foreign policy as economic policy to advance American commercial interests in a competitive global economy. The Committee has played a significant role in the Department's efforts to promote outreach to industry, services, labor, non-government organizations, and academia, and in focusing on special topics of concern for U.S. foreign economic policy, including advancing women's economic empowerment, input on the Administration's trade and sanctions positions, the Indo-Pacific strategy, national security investment, and more.

20e. Why is it necessary to close and/or partially closed committee meetings?

N/A

21. Remarks

The Bureau of Economic and Business Affairs strongly values this committee and the input it proves and intends to host four meetings in 2019.

Designated Federal Officer

Melike Yetken DFO

Committee Members	Start	End	Occupation	Member Designation
Bleser, Philip	05/20/2015	02/15/2020	Global Chairman, JP Morgan Chase & Co	Representative Member
Charron, Paul	03/19/2010	12/19/2018	Chairman of the Board, Campbell Soup Company	Representative Member
Cunningham, Nelson	04/30/2009	02/15/2020	President, McLarty Associates	Representative Member
Galvin, Christopher	05/11/2015	02/17/2020	Chairman and Co-Founder, Harrison Street Capital LLC	Representative Member
Green, Jerrold	09/16/2014	09/16/2018	International Consultant	Representative Member
Herrnstadt, Owen	10/01/1997	02/15/2020	Chief of Staff, International Association of Machinists and Aerospace Workers	Representative Member
Jordan, Elise	08/22/2018	11/20/2020	FedEx Express	Representative Member
Kassinger, Theodore	06/30/2006	02/21/2020	Partner, O'Melveny and Myers LLP	Representative Member

Kennedy, Kerry	02/21/2016	03/23/2020	President, RFK Human Rights	Representative Member
Mitchell, Valerie	07/09/2018	07/09/2020	Corterra Energy	Representative Member
Schott, Jeffrey	04/30/2007	02/16/2020	Senior Fellow, Peterson Institute for International Economics	Representative Member
Thomas-Graham, Pamela	05/21/2015	02/15/2020	Member of the Executive Board, Credit Suisse Group AG	Representative Member
Aswad, Evelyn [Stakeholder Advisory Board for US National Contact Point]	02/15/2015	05/09/2019	University of Oklahoma	Representative Member
Celorie, Jay [Stakeholder Advisory Board for US National Contact Point]	02/15/2015	02/15/2018	HP	Representative Member
Compa, Lance [Stakeholder Advisory Board for US National Contact Point]	09/13/2011	02/15/2019	Cornell University	Representative Member
Drimmer, Jonathan [Stakeholder Advisory Board for US National Contact Point]	10/15/2015	10/15/2018	Barrick Gold	Representative Member
Finnegan, Brian [Stakeholder Advisory Board for US National Contact Point]	02/15/2015	02/15/2019	AFL-CIO	Representative Member
Gottwald, Eric [Stakeholder Advisory Board for US National Contact Point]	09/13/2011	02/15/2019	International Labor Rights Forum	Representative Member
Gunn, Trevor [Stakeholder Advisory Board for US National Contact Point]	09/13/2011	12/14/2018	Vice President, Medtronic	Representative Member
Herrnstadt, Owen [Stakeholder Advisory Board for US National Contact Point]	09/13/2011	12/14/2018	International Association of Machinists and Aerospace Workers	Representative Member
McGrath, Sarah [Stakeholder Advisory Board for US National Contact Point]	03/16/2016	08/17/2018	International Corporate Accountability Roundtable	Representative Member
Meyerstein, Ariel [Stakeholder Advisory Board for US National Contact Point]	02/15/2015	12/21/2018	Citibank	Representative Member
Mohr, Kindra [Stakeholder Advisory Board for US National Contact Point]	02/15/2015	12/27/2018	Accountability Counsel	Representative Member
Natour, Faris [Stakeholder Advisory Board for US National Contact Point]	03/16/2016	12/14/2018	Haas School of Business, University of California, Berkeley	Representative Member
Rigg Herzog, Gabriella [Stakeholder Advisory Board for US National Contact Point]	03/09/2018	11/13/2020	USCIB	Representative Member
Shay, Katie [Stakeholder Advisory Board for US National Contact Point]	02/15/2015	12/17/2018	Yahoo	Representative Member
Taft-Vasquez, Genevieve [Stakeholder Advisory Board for US National Contact Point]	02/15/2015	12/28/2018	The Coca-Cola Company	Representative Member
Abernethy, Robert [Subcommittee on Economic Sanctions]	10/01/2014	10/01/2017	American Standard Development Company	Representative Member
Anthony, John [Subcommittee on Economic Sanctions]	10/01/2014	10/01/2017	National Council on US-Arab Relations	Representative Member

Black, William [Subcommittee on Economic Sanctions]	10/01/2014	10/01/2017	Chapman University- Dale Fowler School of Law	Representative Member
Blechman, Barry [Subcommittee on Economic Sanctions]	10/01/2014	10/01/2017	The Stimson Center	Representative Member
Brown, Sharie [Subcommittee on Economic Sanctions]	10/01/2014	10/01/2017	Troutman Sanders	Representative Member
Brummer, Christopher [Subcommittee on Economic Sanctions]	10/01/2014	10/01/2017	Georgetown University, Law School	Representative Member
Bryan, Greyson [Subcommittee on Economic Sanctions]	10/01/2014	10/01/2017	O'Melveny & Myers LLP	Representative Member
Burke, Richard [Subcommittee on Economic Sanctions]	10/01/2014	10/01/2017	White & Case LLP	Representative Member
Burwell, Tod [Subcommittee on Economic Sanctions]	10/01/2014	10/01/2017	BAFT-IFSA	Representative Member
Clark, Harry [Subcommittee on Economic Sanctions]	10/01/2014	10/01/2017	Orrick, Herrington and Sutcliffe LLC	Representative Member
Clayman, Paul [Subcommittee on Economic Sanctions]	10/01/2014	10/01/2017	United Nations Development Programme	Representative Member
Cunningham, Nelson [Subcommittee on Economic Sanctions]	10/01/2014	10/01/2017	McLarty Associates	Representative Member
Anderson, Sarah [Trade and Investment Subcommittee]	10/01/2014	10/01/2018	Institute for Policy Studies	Representative Member
Beaty, Timothy [Trade and Investment Subcommittee]	10/01/2014	10/01/2018	Teamsters	Representative Member
Cruz, Marcos [Trade and Investment Subcommittee]	10/01/2015	10/01/2018	Center for International and Environmental Law	Representative Member
Cunningham, Nelson [Trade and Investment Subcommittee]	10/01/2014	10/01/2018	McLarty Associates	Representative Member
Davis, Ben [Trade and Investment Subcommittee]	10/01/2014	10/01/2018	United Steelworkers	Representative Member
Dempsey, Linda [Trade and Investment Subcommittee]	10/01/2015	10/01/2018	National Association of Manufacturers	Representative Member
Donnelly, Shaun [Trade and Investment Subcommittee]	10/01/2015	10/01/2018	U.S. Council for International Business	Representative Member
Gallagher, Kevin [Trade and Investment Subcommittee]	10/01/2015	10/01/2018	Boston University	Representative Member
Graham, Nathan [Trade and Investment Subcommittee]	10/01/2015	10/01/2018	Procter & Gamble	Representative Member
Heather, Sean [Trade and Investment Subcommittee]	10/01/2015	10/01/2018	U.S. Chamber of Commerce	Representative Member
Johnson, Lise [Trade and Investment Subcommittee]	10/01/2015	10/01/2018	Columbia University Center on Sustainable Investment	Representative Member
Kantor, Mark [Trade and Investment Subcommittee]	10/01/2015	10/01/2018	Georgetown Law	Representative Member
Marshall, Dana [Trade and Investment Subcommittee]	10/01/2014	10/01/2018	Transnational Strategy Group	Representative Member
Mulloy, Patrick [Trade and Investment Subcommittee]	10/01/2014	10/01/2018	Washington Trade Counsel	Representative Member
Porterfield, Matthew [Trade and Investment Subcommittee]	10/01/2015	10/01/2018	Georgetown Law	Representative Member
Preiss, Jeremy [Trade and Investment Subcommittee]	10/01/2015	10/01/2018	United Technologies	Representative Member
Price, Daniel [Trade and Investment Subcommittee]	10/01/2015	10/01/2018	Rock Creek Global Advisor	Representative Member
Robertson, Ray [Trade and Investment Subcommittee]	10/01/2014	10/01/2018	Macalester College	Representative Member
Schott, Jeffrey [Trade and Investment Subcommittee]	10/01/2014	10/01/2018	Peterson Institute for International Economics	Representative Member

Solomon, Ilana [Trade and Investment Subcommittee]	10/01/2015 10/01/2018 Sierra Club	Representative Member
Stern, Paula [Trade and Investment Subcommittee]	10/01/2014 10/01/2018 The Stern Group	Representative Member
Townsend, John [Trade and Investment Subcommittee]	10/01/2015 10/01/2018 Hughes Hubbard	Representative Member
Winthrop, Jay [Trade and Investment Subcommittee]	10/01/2014 10/01/2018 Douglass Winthrop Advisors LLC	Representative Member

Number of Committee Members Listed: 62

Narrative Description

The objective of the Committee is to serve the United States Government in an advisory capacity on major important and timely issues and challenges in international economic policy. The Committee’s input contributes to the Department’s goal of promoting prosperity, sustainable development, peace, stability, and economic security in the United States and abroad.

What are the most significant program outcomes associated with this committee?

Checked if Applies

- Improvements to health or safety
- Trust in government
- Major policy changes
- Advance in scientific research
- Effective grant making
- Improved service delivery
- Increased customer satisfaction
- Implementation of laws or regulatory requirements
- Other

Outcome Comments

The Committee has contributed to the Department’s development of economic and foreign policy, including the Department’s economic trade and engagement with business agenda. ACIEP has also enhanced the Department’s outreach efforts through increased engagement with the private sector. ACIEP provides advice, feedback, and insights on issues of concern to American organizations and institutions in U.S. international economic policymaking. ACIEP furthers the Department’s ability to achieve the Department’s objective to promote peace, prosperity, stability, responsible and sustainable business, and economic security.

What are the cost savings associated with this committee?

Checked if Applies

- None
- Unable to Determine
- Under \$100,000
- \$100,000 - \$500,000
- \$500,001 - \$1,000,000
- \$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000
- \$5,000,001 - \$10,000,000
- Over \$10,000,000
- Cost Savings Other

Cost Savings Comments

Although specific cost savings associated with this Committee are not available, the Committee's objectives help support the Department's goals, as noted above. Among the Department's strategic goals are promotion of global economic growth, sustainable development, responsible business conduct, increased international trade and investment, promotion of stable and transparent markets, elimination of terrorist financing, and expansion of opportunities for U.S. business overseas.

What is the approximate Number of recommendations produced by this committee for the life of the committee?

0

Number of Recommendations Comments

N/A

What is the approximate Percentage of these recommendations that have been or will be Fully implemented by the agency?

0%

% of Recommendations Fully Implemented Comments

N/A

What is the approximate Percentage of these recommendations that have been or will be Partially implemented by the agency?

0%

% of Recommendations Partially Implemented Comments

0%

Does the agency provide the committee with feedback regarding actions taken to implement recommendations or advice offered?

Yes No Not Applicable

Agency Feedback Comments

The Department provides feedback to Committee members during Committee meetings, responds to requests for briefings and replies to correspondence. As a result of the Committee's recommendations, the Assistant Secretary has given priority status to discussing ACIEP insights in domestic and international travel engagement with other U.S. government agencies, private companies, foreign governments, local chambers of commerce, and other stakeholders.

What other actions has the agency taken as a result of the committee's advice or recommendation?

Checked if Applies

- Reorganized Priorities
- Reallocated resources
- Issued new regulation
- Proposed legislation
- Approved grants or other payments
- Other

Action Comments

The Department takes the Committee's advice into consideration when formulating U.S. international economic policy, such as trade and investment strategies, sanctions, development goals, responsible business conduct, free trade agreements, and promotion of secure and stable financial markets. For example, the Department has coordinated with experts on sanctions to address concerns by private sector business in complying with U.S. laws concerning places like Russia and Iran.

Is the Committee engaged in the review of applications for grants?

No

Grant Review Comments

N/A

How is access provided to the information for the Committee's documentation?

Checked if Applies

- Contact DFO

Online Agency Web Site
Online Committee Web Site
Online GSA FACA Web Site
Publications
Other

Access Comments

N/A