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**TENTATIVE CALENDAR OF PUBLIC HEARING**

Those listed below are scheduled to appear as witnesses at the United States International Trade Commission's hearing:

**Subject:** Advice Concerning Possible Modifications to the U.S. Generalized System of Preferences, 2012 Review of Additions and Competitive Need Limitation Waivers  
**Inv. No.:** 332-538  
**Date and Time:** February 27, 2013 - 9:30 a.m.

Sessions will be held in connection with this investigation in the Main Hearing Room (room 101), 500 E Street, S.W., Washington, D.C.

**EMBASSY WITNESS:**

**Embassy of Ecuador  
Washington, D.C.**

**Her Excellency Nathalie Cely, Ambassador of Ecuador to the United States**

**Panel 1—Fresh Cut Roses (Addition)**

**ORGANIZATION AND WITNESS:**

**TIME ALLOCATION/PRODUCT:**

Marko & Magolnick, PA  
Miami, FL  
on behalf of

10 minutes  
(Petitioners)

La Asociación de Productores y/o  
Exportadores de Flores del Ecuador  
Colour Republic, LLC  
Esmeralda Farms, Inc.  
E.G. Hill Company, Inc.

**David Rothkopf**, Principal, Garden & Rothkopf

**Manuel Chiriboga**, Senior Researcher, RIMISP (a rural development NGO), Santiago, Chile; and Director, Observatorio de Comercio Exterior, La Asociación de Productores y/o Exportadores de Flores del Ecuador

**Dean Rule**, General Manager, Conectiflor, S.A.

**David E. Marko** )  
 ) – OF COUNSEL  
**David A. Friedman** )

**Panel 1—Fresh Cut Roses (Addition) (continued)**

Stewart and Stewart  
Washington, D.C.  
on behalf of

10 minutes  
(Opposition)

California Cut Flowers Commission

**Tom Lemus**, Chairman, Government Relations,  
California Cut Flower Commission and  
Project Manager of Farmers West Flowers  
and Bouquets

**Erik Van Wingerden**, Chief Financial Officer  
and General Manager, Myriad Flowers

**John Furman**, President, California Pajarosa Floral

**Jumana Misleh** ) – OF COUNSEL

**Panel 2 – Certain Frozen Vegetables and  
Certain Prepared or Preserved Artichokes (Additions)**

Ecuadorian American Chamber of  
Commerce (AMCHAM-Quito) (*Broccoli & Artichokes*)  
Ecuadorian Association of Growers and  
Exporters of Fruit and Vegetables (APROFEL) (*Broccoli*)

10 minutes

**Cristian Espinosa**, Executive Director,  
AMCHAM-Quito

**Alfredo Zeller**, XX, APROFEL

Superior Foods Companies (*Broccoli*)  
Watsonville, CA

10 minutes  
(Support)

**Mateo Lettunich**, Chairman

TriMe Associates LLC (*Broccoli*)  
Brooklyn, NY

10 minutes  
(Support)

**Shea Itzowitz**, CEO

**Jerry Bertram**, Vice President Sales, S. Bertram Foods

### **Panel 3 – Calcium-Silicon (CNL waiver for Brazil)**

#### **ORGANIZATION AND WITNESS:**

#### **TIME ALLOCATION/PRODUCT:**

Sandler Trade LLC  
Washington, D.C.  
on behalf of

20 minutes  
(Petitioners)

JMC (USA) Inc. – Bozel North America Division  
Bozel Mineração S.A. (Brazil)  
Polymet Alloys, Inc.  
Rima Industrial S.A. (Brazil)

**Joe Monaco**, Vice President, JMC (USA) Inc.  
– Bozel North America Division

**Hank Yeckley**, Director of Sales and Services,  
JMC (USA) Inc. – Bozel North America  
Division

**Kelley O’Connor** Calcium Silicon Sales and  
Administration Manager, JMC (USA) Inc.  
– Bozel North America Division

**Dominique Riche**, President, Bozel Mineração  
S.A. (Brazil)

**Antonio Jacob**, Commercial Manager, Bozel  
Mineração S.A. (Brazil)

**Braulio Lage**, Vice President, Polymet Alloys, Inc.

**Matt Gilmore**, Sales and Operations Manager,  
Polymet Alloys, Inc.

**Lindauro S. L. Barbosa**, Commercial Manager,  
Rima Industrial S.A. (Brazil)

**Marideth J. Sandler**, Chief Executive Officer,  
Sandler Trade, LLC

**Rómulo Cabeza**, International Trade Advisor,  
Sandler Trade, LLC

**Panel 3 – Calcium-Silicon (CNL waiver for Brazil)(continued)**

DLA Piper LLP (US)  
Washington, D.C.  
on behalf of

10 minutes  
(Opposition)

Globe Specialty Metals, Inc. (“GSM”)

**J. Marlin Perkins**, Vice President-Sales, Globe  
Metallurgical Inc.

**William D. Kramer** )  
) – OF COUNSEL  
**Martin Schaefermeier** )

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