



# AES Compliance Seminar



## Who Should Attend?

All those involved in the export process: Freight Forwarders, Exporting Carriers, Consolidators, U.S. Customs Brokers, U.S. Principal Parties in Interest including Manufactures and Suppliers

## Complying with the Foreign Trade Regulations (FTR)

Provide Accurate Data and Avoid Costly Penalties and Seizures

### New Requirements, Tougher Penalties

The U.S. Census Bureau now requires mandatory filing of export information through the Automated Export System (AES) or through the AESDirect for all shipments where a Shipper's Export Declaration was previously required. In accordance with the FTR, all parties to the export transaction are subject to the fines and penalties for the delayed filing, failure to file, false filing of export information, and/or using the AES to further any illegal activity. The Census Bureau's Foreign Trade Division is actively engaged in educational outreach to help you avoid these costly penalties.

### AGENDA

#### *Day 1 – Seminar (June 9<sup>th</sup>)*

The Census Bureau and port officers from the U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) offer an engaging full day of learning. The Census Bureau experts will cover the filing requirements of the FTR, how to classify your commodities by providing an understanding of the Schedule B classification requirements, as well as provide a thorough overview of the AES. The CBP experts will cover port requirements and efforts against terrorism and international narcotics trafficking. Registration and Continental Breakfast starts at 7:30 am with the Seminar scheduled from 8:30 am to 5:00 pm.

#### *Day 2 – Workshop (June 10<sup>th</sup>)*

Get certified training on AESPCLink! Learn how to successfully file your Electronic Export Information (EEI) via the Windows-based desktop PC component, AESPCLink. There are two workshop options offered. The MORNING workshop is scheduled from 8:30 am - 12:00 pm and the AFTERNOON workshop is scheduled from 1:00 pm - 4:30 pm.

## REGISTER NOW!

**Event:** AES Compliance Seminar & AESPCLink Training

**Date:** June 9 & 10, 2009

**Location:** Tampa, Florida

**Seminar:**

**Address:** Tampa Airport Marriot at the Tampa International Airport, Tampa, FL 33607

**Cost:** \$250.00 (until May 22, 2009; \$275.00 after May 22). Includes Seminar Materials, Continental Breakfast, Lunch, and Breaks.

**Workshop:**

**Address:** TechSherpas, 5404 Cypress Center Drive, Suite 125, Tampa, FL 33609

**Cost:** \$80.00

**Register:**

<http://www.buyusa.gov/florida/aes.html>

**Questions:** George Martinez or Sandra Campbell at (727) 893-3738 or [George.Martinez@mail.doc.gov](mailto:George.Martinez@mail.doc.gov)

### Hotel Information:

Accommodations are available at the Tampa Airport Marriot at the discounted group rate of \$104.00 per night. To reserve your room, please call 1-800-564-3440 and ask for reservations. Tell them you are with the U.S. Commercial Service group. Discounted parking at the hotel is \$6.00 per day.

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