



BIOTECHNOLOGY REGULATORY SERVICES STAKEHOLDER MEETING AGENDA

November 16, 2016
Oklahoma City Memorial Conference Center
Riverdale, MD

8:30 – 9:00 am	Registration	
9:00 – 9:05	Welcome	Dick George BRS Communications Group Chief
9:05 – 9:45 am	Looking Back Over FY16, Looking Ahead to FY17 – A summary of our regulatory activities of FY16, and our goals for FY17.	Mike Firko APHIS Deputy Administrator for BRS
9:45 – 10:00 am	APHIS eFile Update- The status of our transition from our current ePermits system to our future electronic permitting system known as APHIS eFile.	Ibrahim Shaqir APHIS Associate Deputy Administrator for BRS
10:00 – 10:30 am	Update on National Bioengineered Food Disclosure Standard	Andrea Huberty USDA Agricultural Marketing Service Senior Policy Analyst
10:30 – 10:40 am	Break	
10:40 – 11:00 am	Update on Compliance Initiatives Implemented in FY16 and Anticipated for FY17.	Christie Bertone Eastern Compliance Assurance Branch Chief
11:00 – 11:30 am	Supplemental Permit Conditions: What's Changing? We are consolidating our supplemental permit conditions. This session will cover the changes.	John Turner BRS Biotechnology Risk Assessment Program Director
11:30 – 1:00 pm	LUNCH	
1:00 – 3:00 pm	Weed Risk Assessment System Discussion. In this session we will present our current thinking regarding a weed risk assessment approach, and welcome your comments and questions.	Alan Pearson Plant Pest & Protectants Branch Chief Subray Hegde Plants Branch Chief Mike Firko APHIS Deputy Administrator for BRS