

NMMSS



2011

Users Annual Training Meeting

San Diego, CA
May 17-19, 2011

Accountability

Accuracy

Compliance

Foreign Obligations Discussions

Of Tuesday May 17th

Industry,
NMMSS,
Government



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Industry Requested Meeting

- Presentations on:
 - Background
 - Industry views
 - NMMSS activities
 - Interactions with other Governments

Industry Input

- Timeliness issues
 - Imports received prior to notification
 - 3rd party obligations not consistent
- International consistency lacking
- Receipts & advance notices not easily matched

Proposed Actions

- Simplify Foreign Obligations
 - Limited number of codes
 - No layering of obligations
- Utilize foreign obligation exchanges
- Encourage parties to accept foreign obligated material provided
- Revised D-24 to include item level foreign obligation data reporting



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Highlights

- Foreign Obligation tracking is not simple or easy
Industry, NMMSS or Government
- Emphasized that open communications between
industry and Government is vital
- Solutions are not quick
- Discussions continue



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Highlights

- This meeting-
 - Foster better understanding of topics
 - Increases understanding of constraints and concerns that we all share
 - Was valuable