



INTERNATIONAL TRADE CONSULTING LLC

Upcoming Webinars from IITC

Get a Positive Determination: Understanding Production Records and How to Substantiate a FTA Claim for Apparel

Date: Wednesday, January 20, 2016

Time: 2:00-3:30pm EST

CCS: 1.5

Cost: \$125

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Numerous importers take advantage of Free Trade Agreements and receive preferential tariff treatment. Furthermore, TPP on the horizon means greater enforcement by CBP issuing FTA verification requests. It is ultimately the responsibility of the importer to substantiate an FTA claim. It is essential that the importer understands what records are necessary to substantiate a FTA claim.

The webinar will cover:

- Recordkeeping requirements for FTA claims
- The importance of in-house production record review prior to submitting to CBP
- Key documents requested to substantiate a claim
- Detailed explanation of production records
- Utilizing a Production Record Checklist
- The benefits good production records, and the risk of insufficient production records

Get training delivered to you instantly, in the comfort of your office or home. Our webinar schedule for Winter 2016 is below:

All webinars will be conducted by Integrity ITC CEO **Kelli R. Thompson**, who was previously a Supervisory Import Specialist managing an apparel team in Miami. Ms Thompson has trained CBP's Import Specialists nationally at the Federal Law Enforcement Training Center. Let her train your staff to know exactly what CBP requires for customs compliance and facilitating legitimate trade. [Learn more about Ms. Thompson here.](#)

All of the webinars will be recorded, and a link to the recording will be sent to all registered participants the day after the webinar. Recordings are available for four weeks after the webinar date.

Affidavits: Proving Country of Origin for FTA claims for Textiles and Wearing Apparel

Date: January 27, 2016

Time: 2-3:00p.m. EST

CCS: 1.5

Cost: \$100.00

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This webinar will cover:

- The importance of providing sufficient records to substantiate claims.
- Required data elements to demonstrate products qualify for preferential treatment.
- Benefit and Risk of noncompliant affidavits or alternate documents.

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FTA & Preference Program Verification Audits: The TVPT Leader's Perspective

Date: Tuesday, February 2, 2016

Time: 2-3:00p.m. EST

CCS: not eligible

Cost: \$125.00

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If you're manufacturing in foreign factories, you've had to conduct audits for social compliance and security measures for customs compliance. Kelli R. Thompson, Founder & CEO of Integrity International Trade Consulting LLC, will draw upon her experience leading Textile Production Verification Teams (TPVT) on behalf of the United States Government to discuss the importance of free trade agreement and preference program verification audits and how to ensure your factories are compliant.

The webinar will cover:

- The importance of FTA/preference program audits
- How often companies should conduct factory FTA/preference program verification audits
- Who should conduct the verification audits
- Key areas to focus on during the verification audits
- The benefits of these audits, and the risks of not conducting them

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