



**HOUSE COMMITTEE ON WAYS & MEANS**  
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## **FROM THE COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS**

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**Chairman Neal Announces a Hearing on the 2019 Trade Policy Agenda: Negotiations with China, Japan, the EU, and UK; new NAFTA/USMCA; U.S. Participation in the WTO; and other matters**

House Ways and Means Chairman Richard E. Neal announced today that the Committee will hold a hearing entitled “The 2019 Trade Policy Agenda: Negotiations with China, Japan, the EU, and UK; new NAFTA/USMCA; U.S. Participation in the WTO; and other matters” on Wednesday, June 19, at 9:30 a.m. in room 1100 Longworth House Office Building. The only invited witness is Ambassador Robert E. Lighthizer, United States Trade Representative.

In view of the limited time available to hear the witness, oral testimony at this hearing will be from the invited witness only. However, any individual or organization not scheduled for an oral appearance may submit a written statement for consideration by the Committee and for inclusion in the printed record of the hearing.

**DETAILS FOR SUBMISSION OF WRITTEN COMMENTS:**

Please Note: Any person(s) and/or organization(s) wishing to submit written comments for the hearing record can do so here: [WMdem.submission@mail.house.gov](mailto:WMdem.submission@mail.house.gov).

Please ATTACH your submission as a Word document, in compliance with the formatting requirements listed below, by the close of business on Wednesday, July 3, 2019.

For questions, or if you encounter technical problems, please call (202) 225-3625.

## **FORMATTING REQUIREMENTS:**

The Committee relies on electronic submissions for printing the official hearing record. As always, submissions will be included in the record according to the discretion of the Committee. The Committee will not alter the content of your submission, but reserves the right to format it according to guidelines. Any submission provided to the Committee by a witness, any materials submitted for the printed record, and any written comments in response to a request for written comments must conform to the guidelines listed below. Any submission not in compliance with these guidelines will not be printed, but will be maintained in the Committee files for review and use by the Committee.

All submissions and supplementary materials must be submitted in a single document via email, provided in Word format and must not exceed a total of 10 pages. Witnesses and submitters are advised that the Committee relies on electronic submissions for printing the official hearing record.

All submissions must include a list of all clients, persons and/or organizations on whose behalf the witness appears. The name, company, address, telephone, and fax numbers of each witness must be included in the body of the email. Please exclude any personal identifiable information in the attached submission.

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