FYI. I'll reply in the morning. If you have thoughts on that, please let me know.

Thanks,
Emily

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> **From:** Scott Cooper <SCooper@ansi.org>
> **Date:** January 7, 2014 at 6:41:56 PM EST
> **To:** Emily Bremer <ebremer@acus.gov>
> **Subject: FW: Copyright Hearing Jan 14th**

> Emily,

> Thanks for your consideration. We will keep this in-house.

> Hope to see you in the audience.

> Best

> Scott

> **From:** Scott Cooper
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> **Cc:** Joe Bhatia; Fran Schrotter; Patricia Griffin
> **Subject:** Copyright Hearing Jan 14th

> As you may have heard, the Subcommittee on Courts, Intellectual
> Property and the Internet of the House Judiciary Committee will hold a
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hearing on January 14   on copyright issues, that will in part address the Incorporation by Reference (IBR), issue. ANSI has been asked by the subcommittee to testify on the IBR issue on behalf of our members and as coordinator of the US standardization system. Patty Griffin, ANSI's Chief Counsel will be the ANSI witness. As you may also have heard, the other witness asked to testify on the IBR issue is Carl Malamud of Public Resource.

There is an extremely short amount of time to prepare and submit testimony before the hearing, which is scheduled for 10am on Jan 14th. Therefore we will take already public documents previously prepared by ANSI (such as ANSI's response to the NARA Petition, and OMB's request for comment on revisions to A-119), and use this material as the basis for ANSI's testimony before the subcommittee.   We will try to share our completed testimony with you before the hearing.

Should you have any questions or comments, please contact Scott, Patty or me.

Best Regards

Joe Bhatia

CEO ANSI