From:
 Jamie Clark

 To:
 Emily Bremer

 Cc:
 Scott McGrath

Subject: Re: ACUS Incorporation by Reference Project

**Date:** Friday, July 29, 2011 10:34:16 AM

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Apologies for missed communication: to make it simple, how about Monday or Tuesday at 9 am Pacific? Cordially, Jamie

- ~ James Bryce Clark
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On Fri, Jul 29, 2011 at 6:18 AM, Emily Bremer < <a href="mailto:ebremer@acus.gov">ebremer@acus.gov</a>> wrote:

Gentlemen.

Forgive me if I missed an email, but have you determined whether there is a time next week when we could chat? I've got an appointment from 2-3:30 pm on Wednesday, August 3<sup>rd</sup>, but my schedule is otherwise still flexible.

Thank you,

Emily

**From:** Scott McGrath [mailto:scott.mcgrath@oasis-open.org]

**Sent:** Thursday, July 21, 2011 4:55 PM

**To:** Emily Bremer **Cc:** James Bryce Clark

**Subject:** Re: ACUS Incorporation by Reference Project

My schedule is either open or flexible the first week of august, so I'll defer to Jamie.

On Thu, Jul 21, 2011 at 4:33 PM, Emily Bremer < <a href="mailto:ebremer@acus.gov">ebremer@acus.gov</a>> wrote:

Mr. McGrath,

Thank you for your prompt reply. I'd be delighted to have Mr. Clark join us, and I agree that a teleconference makes the most sense given we're all in different locations. I'm working on a somewhat tight schedule because my report is due to be completed by the beginning of September, and I would like to talk to you as early as possible. Is there a time during the first week of August that would work for both of you? My schedule that week is open, so just let me know what works, and I'll be available.

Best,

**Emily** 

**From:** Scott McGrath [mailto:scott.mcgrath@oasis-open.org]

**Sent:** Thursday, July 21, 2011 4:28 PM **To:** Emily Bremer; James Bryce Clark

**Subject:** Re: ACUS Incorporation by Reference Project

Hi Emily,

I would be interested in chatting with you, however, it may be useful to have Jamie Clark, our General Counsel involved as well. He has much history that may be useful for the discussions.

However, we may need to do a conference call. My office in in Boston, Jamie is in Los Angeles, and you seem to be in DC. And we need to consider when. Next week is unavailable, as we are in our summer staff and board meetings. so can I completely change you plans and encourage a teleconference sometime early August?

Scott...

On Thu, Jul 21, 2011 at 3:32 PM, Emily Bremer < <a href="mailto:ebremer@acus.gov">ebremer@acus.gov</a>> wrote:

Dear Mr. McGrath,

I'm an attorney advisor with the Administrative Conference of the United States, an independent, non-regulatory federal agency that studies issues in administrative law and procedure and makes recommendations for improvements. We've undertaken a project on incorporation by reference in federal regulation that may

be of interest to you. A general description of the scope of the project is available on our website:

http://www.acus.gov/research/the-conference-current-projects/incorporation-by-reference/

Much of my research for the project consists of interviews with interested parties, including agency personnel and representatives of standard development organizations. Mary Donaldson, the ICSP Secretariat, provided me with your contact information and suggested that you would be a great person to include in my research.

Might you have some time to get together and discuss the issues with me? I would be happy to come to your offices at your convenience and would anticipate taking no more than an hour of your time. As of now, my schedule is flexible most of next week, except for the mornings of Wednesday, July 27 and Thursday, July 28. If you're interested, please just let me know what time would be most convenient for you. And if you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me at 202.480.2086 or ebremer@acus.gov

I look forward to speaking with you.

Thank you,

Emily Schleicher Bremer | Attorney Advisor



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