



RECORDS OF DISCUSSION

DEFENSE MoU ATTACHÉS GROUP MEETING

Thursday February 29th, 2024, 2:00 – 4:00 pm

Hosted at Embassy of Netherlands

Opening by the Chair

- DMAG Chair welcomes new faces to the DMAG group
- New DMAG coins are presented by Erwin Koeken
- Col Žilde, who is not present today, is a new member of the DMAG we welcome Latvia as the 27th member
- Arizona Defense & Industry Coalition they're also working on doing a lot of outreaches on the relief for things that facilitate, for example production outside the United States
- They are also interested in hosting a the DMAG in Arizona, planning for the end of October
- Planning presumably a combination of visits to industry and different sites in Arizona, and they would also interested maybe to introduce us to the governor or a congressman
- Two volunteers are necessary to organize the trip to Arizona.

Review of the previous DMAG meeting record of discussion

No comments -> will be published

Report from the Executive Committee

Discussion on Arizona Defense & Industry Coalition trip to Arizona and important elements of National Defense Industrial Strategy.

Report from the Working Group on Industrial Base Cooperation (IBCWG)

Chair IBCWG, Joakim Lewin:

- Terms of Reference for the Defense MoU Attachés Group - Export Control Working Group
- Members are welcome to comment or share their concerns.
- This is very standard
- If there are comments, it will be considered; otherwise, it will be final by the end of the week

Report from the Working Group on Export Controls (ECWG)

Chair ECWG, Graham Farnsworth (UK):

- Graham is unavailable today
- Joakim Lewin: The legislative part is very interesting; there are many provisions, and opportunities are opened to work better with the export control information in connection with the August agreement
- But the essential element was that Australia and the UK must now amend their export control regulations in order to be compatible with the US regulations.

Report from the Working Group on Cyber (CWG)

Chair CWG, LCDR Alain Gilbert (CAN):

- Alain is unavailable today.

Other Issues Affecting Members

- LtCol Kim of the Republic of Korea, as international cooperation officer, is formally first time with the DMAG meeting. South Korea will likely sign a Reciprocal Defense Procurement agreement at the end of the year, following a visit by a Korean delegation of DAPA. Support from DMAG for informing the delegation is welcome.

Action Items

- The Terms of Reference for the Defense MoU Attachés Group Export Control Working Group to be signed after consensus.

Upcoming DMAG Meetings/Events

March 21st, 2024 unknown.

Defense Cooperation Events

Guest Speaker: President, Defense and Aerospace Council, U.S. Chamber of Commerce Keith Webster talked about the National Defense Industrial Strategy (NDIS).

DMAG Secretariat

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