

Domestic Policy Session: Key Issues to Know before Advocacy Day!

3:00 PM-5:00 PM | June 22, 2021 | Grand Hyatt, Constitution Ballroom A/B

AGENDA

	Topic	Presenter	Time
I.	Welcome, Speaker Introductions	Andy LaVigne	3:00 PM
II.	State Government Affairs Update	-Intro by Pat Miller, ASTA -Dr. Ryan Quarles, Kentucky Commissioner of Agriculture	3:05 PM
III.	State Government Affairs Insights	Barb Glenn, NASDA	3:30 PM
IV.	Presentation to Barb Glenn	Pat Miller, John Latham	3:55 PM
V.	Congressional Update	Congressman Randy Feenstra (R-IA)	4:00 PM
VI.	Federal Update, Biden Administration	Dr. Jewel Bronaugh, Deputy Secretary of Agriculture, USDA	4:30 PM
VII.	Announcement on PAC Happy Hour	Brian Gerard, JoMar Seeds	4:55 PM
VIII.	Adjourn		5:00 PM

ASTA Antitrust Compliance Policy Statement

It is the policy of the American Seed Trade Association to comply strictly with the Federal and State antitrust laws. ASTA's policy and guidelines, to ensure compliance with both the letter and spirit of the laws, are set forth in ASTA's bylaws.

The antitrust laws prohibit combinations or conspiracies in restraint of trade. This means that competitors may not legally agree to conduct that inhibits competition. Anticompetitive agreements may be inferred from discussions about sensitive topics. Because trade associations like ASTA bring competitors together to address industry concerns, we must be especially careful not to agree to actions that might be interpreted as anticompetitive.

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