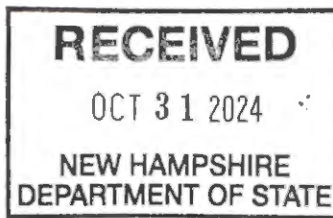


STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
Honorarium or Expense Reimbursement Report
Executive Branch – RSA 15-B



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List the full name, post office address, occupation, and principal place of business, if any, of the source of any reportable honorarium or expense reimbursement. When the source is a corporation or other entity, the name and work address of the person representing the corporation or entity in making the honorarium or expense reimbursement must be provided in addition to the name of the corporation or entity.

Source of Honorarium or Expense Reimbursement:

Name of source: _____
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If source is a Corporation or other Entity:

Name of Corporation or Entity: Attorney General Alliance

Name of Corporate/Entity Representative: Tania Maestas

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Value of Honorarium: _____ Date Received: _____ *If exact value is unknown, provide an estimate of the value of the gift or honorarium and identify the value as an estimate.* Exact _____ Estimate _____

Value of Expense Reimbursement: \$1,000 Date Received: 9/27/24 *A copy of the agenda or an equivalent document must be attached to this filing.* Exact _____ Estimate

Briefly describe the service or event this Honorarium or Expense Reimbursement relates to:

Attendance / speaking at Plastics Forum on Research + Advocacy

"I have read RSA 15-B and hereby swear or affirm that the foregoing information is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief."

J.M. Dale
Signature of Filer

10/31/24
Date Filed

RSA 15-B:9 Penalty. Any person who knowingly fails to comply with the provisions of this chapter or knowingly files a false report shall be guilty of a misdemeanor.

Return to: Secretary of State's Office, 107 North Main Street, State House Room 204, Concord, NH 03301

Plastics: A Forum on Research & Advocacy - Agenda
September 26-27, 2024 - New Haven, Connecticut (Hotel Marcel)
**Co-Sponsors: Connecticut Attorney General William Tong, State Energy & Environmental
Impact Center at NYU School of Law**

This bipartisan gathering will be an opportunity for Attorneys General, nonprofit, academic, and private sector partners to discuss research and advocacy regarding plastics. The objectives of the forum are to build on the existing body of know, clarify successes and challenges, and analyze best practices and solutions. This forum will provide a platform for sharing knowledge and raising awareness of innovative technologies and opportunities. We look forward to this opportunity to coordinate the private and public networks of expertise and resources as we work together to address environmental and health concerns, improve the plastics market and advance the ongoing plastics conversation.

Wednesday, September 25

Hospitality Suite – 7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

- Casual dinner available

Thursday, September 26

Breakfast with Opening Remarks – 8:00 am - 9:00 am

- Opening Remarks by Connecticut Attorney General William Tong at 8:30 am

Plastics Overview/Introduction – 9:00 am - 10:00 am

- Topic description: State of Play: Overview of recycling and materials management, important uses and alternatives to plastics, existing challenges to reaching circularity for plastics, and innovations in the plastics industry.
- Moderator: Matt Levine, Deputy Associate Attorney General / Chief of the Environment Section, Connecticut Attorney General's Office
- Speaker: Judith Enck, President, Beyond Plastics

Networking Coffee Break – 10:00 am - 10:15 am

Sustainability Goals (Part I) – 10:15 am – 11:30 pm

- Topic description: This panel will discuss the dynamics of the existing U.S. recycling system and other resource management tools, impediments, impacts.
- Moderator: New Hampshire Attorney General John Formella
- Panelists:
 - Dr. Pete Myers, Board Chair and Chief Scientist, Environmental Health Sciences
 - Keefe Harrison, CEO, Recycling Partnership
 - Alejandra Warren, Co-Founder and Executive Director, Plastic Free Future
 - Kate Bailey, Chief Policy Officer, The Association of Plastic Recyclers
 - George Gigounas, Partner, DLA Piper

Legislative and Policy Efforts – 11:30 pm - 12:30 pm

- Topic description: Local, national and global policy proposals and the challenges and successes.
- Moderator: State Representative Tom O’Dea (R-New Canaan)
- Panelists:
 - Kate Donovan, Senior Attorney & Director, Northeast, NRDC
 - Erin Simon, Vice President and Head, Plastic Waste and Business, WWF
 - Sarah Doll, National Director, Safer States
 - Jennifer Heaton-Jones, Housatonic Resources Recovery Association (virtual)

Lunch - Keynote Speaker – 12:30 pm - 2:00 pm

- Introduction – Former Maryland Attorney General Brian Frosh
- Keynote – California Attorney General Rob Bonta

Break – 2:00 pm - 2:15 pm

Afternoon Spotlight – 2:15 pm - 2:30 pm

- New York Attorney General Letitia James (virtual)

Consumer Initiatives and Sustainability Goals (Part II) – 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm

- Topic description: Consumer initiatives, modeling consumer communication, consumer demand for plastic, consumer education, and brand innovations.
- Moderator: Commissioner Katie S. Dykes, Connecticut’s Department of Energy & Environmental Protection
- Panelists:
 - Ron Gonen, CEO, Closed Loop Partners
 - Paul Nowak, Executive Director, GreenBlue (How2Recycle)
 - Katie Drews, Co-President & CEO, Eureka Recycling
 - Dr. Neil Tangri, Science and Policy Director, GAIA Global and UC Berkeley
 - Steven Feit, Senior Attorney & Legal and Research Manager, CIEL

Break – 4:00 pm - 4:15 pm

Solutions (Part I): Achieving Circularity Through Reuse – 4:15 pm - 5:15 pm

- Moderator: Oregon Attorney General Ellen Rosenblum (virtual)
- Panelists:
 - Crystal Dreisbach, CEO, Upstream (virtual)
 - Michael Kraus, Director of Sustainable Events and Analytics, Green Sports Alliance (virtual)
 - Martin Bourque, Executive Director, Ecology Center (virtual)

A chartered bus will transport guests to and from the Yale Peabody Museum for dinner.

Dinner (Yale Peabody Museum) – 6:00 pm - 8:30 pm

- Welcome to Yale: Former President of Yale University Peter Salovey
- Fireside Chat: Attorney General John Formella, Attorney General William Tong, Jo Banner, Co-Founder & Co-Director, The Descendants Project

Friday, September 27

Welcome Back – Breakfast and Opening – 8:00 am - 8:30 am

Breakfast will be available beginning at 7:30 am

- Connecticut Attorney General William Tong
- Bruce Becker, Owner of Hotel Marcel

Scientific Briefing – 8:30 am - 10:00 am

- Topic description: The latest scientific research on plastics, lifecycle analysis and environmental impacts.
- Moderator: Dr. Leslie Shor, Professor, University of Connecticut
- Panelists:
 - Jeff Keithline, Partner, Keller and Heckman LLP
 - Dr. Tracey Woodruff, Professor, University of California, San Francisco
 - Dr. Jane Muncke, Managing Director, Food Packaging Forum Foundation
 - Dr. Leonardo Trasande, Associated Faculty, NYU Wagner; Professor, NYU School of Medicine
 - Dr. Nihan Karali, Policy Researcher, Sustainable Energy & Environmental Systems Department, Berkeley Lab

Networking Coffee Break – 10:00 am - 10:15 am

Solutions (Part II): Achieving Circularity Through Innovation and Other Means – 10:15 am - 12:00 pm

- Topic description: Innovations that will overcome roadblocks to sustainable end of life management for plastic waste, achieving circularity, economics of instituting and scaling solutions, bipartisan efforts, local, national and global impacts.
- Moderator: Heather McTeer Toney, Executive Director, Beyond Petrochemicals
- Panelists:
 - Julia Koskella, Director, Systemiq (virtual)
 - Bret Biggers, Senior Economist, ReMA
 - Caroline Vanderlip, CEO, Re:Dish
 - Dr. Veena Singla, Adjunct Assistant Professor, Environmental Health Sciences, Columbia University
 - Leah Segui, Principal Associate, The Pew Charitable Trusts

Closing Remarks – 12:00 pm - 12:30 pm

- Connecticut Attorney General William Tong
- New Hampshire Attorney General John Formella

Tong Tasting (Offsite): Pizza Party – 1:00 pm

- Frank Pepe Pizzeria Napoletana (163 Wooster St.). We ask that folks carpool or get together to walk over to the pizzeria. Please let the organizers know if you require transportation assistance.
- Boxed lunches available for folks who can't make the Tong Tasting.

Interested in learning more about plastics?

Chemical Market Analytics is hosting their Global Plastics Summit on February 25-27, 2025.

[See here for more details.](#)