



Antitrust Guidelines for NPCC Meetings

The antitrust laws make it important that meeting participants avoid discussion of topics that could result in charges of anti-competitive behavior, including: restraint of trade and conspiracies to monopolize, unfair or deceptive business acts or practices, price discrimination, division of markets, allocation of production, imposition of boycotts, and exclusive dealing arrangements.

Therefore, you should not discuss during the meeting or during any breaks:

- Your company's prices for products or services, or prices charged by your competitors;
- Costs, discounts, terms of sale, profit margins or anything else that might affect prices;
- The resale prices your customers should charge for products you sell them;
- Allocating markets, customers, territories or products with your competitors;
- Limiting production;
- Whether or not to deal with any company; and
- Any competitively sensitive information concerning your company or a competitor.

If you have any questions, please contact NPCC's Assistant Secretary, Andrienne S. Payson at (212) 259-8218.