

corresponding health and safety procedures. To access the meeting virtually, go to the commission's website [www.fec.gov](http://www.fec.gov) and click on the banner to be taken to the meeting page.

**MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED:**

Proposed Directive Regarding Investigations Conducted by the Office of General Counsel  
Audit Division Recommendation Memorandum on Citizens for Waters (A21-01)  
Proposed Final Audit Report on Steve Daines for Montana (A21-04)  
Management and Administrative Matters

**CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:**

Judith Ingram, Press Officer. Telephone: (202) 694-1220.

Individuals who plan to attend in person and who require special assistance, such as sign language interpretation or other reasonable accommodations, should contact Laura E. Sinram, Secretary and Clerk, at (202) 694-1040 or [secretary@fec.gov](mailto:secretary@fec.gov), at least 72 hours prior to the meeting date.

(Authority: Government in the Sunshine Act, 5 U.S.C. 552b)

**Laura E. Sinram,**

*Secretary and Clerk of the Commission.*

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**FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION**

**Notice of Request for Additional Information**

The Commission gives notice that it has formally requested that the parties to the below listed agreements provide additional information pursuant to 46 U.S.C. 40304(d). This action prevents the agreements from becoming effective as originally scheduled. Interested parties may submit comments, relevant information, or documents regarding the agreements to the Secretary by email at [Secretary@fmc.gov](mailto:Secretary@fmc.gov), or by mail, Federal Maritime Commission, 800 North Capitol Street, Washington, DC 20573. Comments may be filed up to fifteen (15) days after publication of this notice appears in the **Federal Register**.

*Agreement No.:* 201234-006.

*Title:* Agreement by Ocean Common Carriers to Participate on the Exchange Board.

*Parties:* CMA CGM SA; Hapag-Lloyd AG; COSCO Shipping Lines Co., Ltd.; COSCO Shipping Co., Ltd.; HMM Company Limited; Maersk A/S; and Ocean Network Express Pte. Ltd. (ONE).

By Order of the Federal Maritime Commission.

Dated: October 10, 2023.

**Carl Savoy,**

*Federal Register Alternate Liaison Officer.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

**Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality**

**Meeting for Software Developers on the Common Formats for Patient Safety Data Collection**

**AGENCY:** Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS).

**ACTION:** Notice of public meeting.

**SUMMARY:** The purpose of this notice is to announce a meeting to discuss implementation of the Common Formats with software developers and other interested parties. This meeting is designed as an interactive forum where software developers can provide input on use of the formats. AHRQ especially requests participation by and input from those entities which have used AHRQ's technical specifications and implemented, or plan to implement, the Common Formats electronically.

**DATES:** The meeting will be held from 2 to 3 p.m. Eastern on Wednesday, October 25, 2023.

**ADDRESSES:** The meeting will be held virtually.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** AHRQ coordinates the development of sets of standardized definitions and formats (Common Formats) that make it possible to collect, aggregate, and analyze uniformly structured information about health care quality and patient safety for local, regional, and national learning. The Common Formats include technical specifications to facilitate the collection of electronically comparable data by Patient Safety Organizations (PSOs) and other entities. Additional information about the Common Formats can be obtained through AHRQ's PSO website at <https://psa.ahrq.gov/common-formats> and the PSO Privacy Protection Center's website at <https://www.psoppc.org/>

[psoppc\\_web/publicpages/commonFormatsOverview](https://psoppc.web/publicpages/commonFormatsOverview).

**Background**

The Patient Safety and Quality Improvement Act of 2005, 42 U.S.C. 299b-21 to 299b-26 (Patient Safety Act), and the related Patient Safety and Quality Improvement Final Rule, 42 CFR part 3 (Patient Safety Rule), published in the **Federal Register** on November 21, 2008, 73 FR 70731-70814, provide for the Federal listing of Patient Safety Organizations (PSOs), which collect, aggregate, and analyze confidential information (patient safety work product) regarding the quality and safety of health care delivery. The Patient Safety Act requires PSOs, to the extent practical and appropriate, to collect patient safety work product from providers in a standardized manner that permits valid comparisons of similar cases among similar providers. (42 U.S.C. 299b-24(b)(1)(F)). The Patient Safety Act also authorizes the development of data standards, known as the Common Formats, to facilitate the aggregation and analysis of non-identifiable patient safety data collected by PSOs and reported to the network of patient safety databases (NPSD). (42 U.S.C. 299b-23(b)). The Patient Safety Act and Patient Safety Rule can be accessed at: <http://www.pso.ahrq.gov/legislation/>.

AHRQ has issued Common Formats for Event Reporting (CFER) for three settings of care—hospitals, nursing homes, and community pharmacies. AHRQ has also issued Common Formats for Event Reporting—Diagnostic Safety (CFER-DS) designed for use in all healthcare settings.

Federally listed PSOs can meet the requirement to collect patient safety work product in a standardized manner to the extent practical and appropriate by using AHRQ's Common Formats. The Common Formats are also available in the public domain to encourage their widespread adoption. An entity does not need to be listed as a PSO or working with one to use the Common Formats. However, the Federal privilege and confidentiality protections only apply to information developed as patient safety work product by providers and PSOs working under the Patient Safety Act.

**Agenda, Registration, and Other Information About the Meeting**

The Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ) will be hosting this fully virtual meeting to discuss implementation of the Common Formats with members of the public, including software developers and other interested