

Good afternoon, NITL members.

Below are several developments and resources that are available to you in response to COVID-19 related activity.

- Today, the Federal Maritime Commission [announced](#) that it would temporarily allow parties to file service contracts up to 30 days after they take effect. This action, which expires, December 31, is in response to COVID-19 related impacts on the maritime supply chain.
- On Friday, President Trump signed the latest COVID-19 relief package into law, a \$438B aid package that will provide the latest round of economic relief to businesses being affected by COVID-19. Information on program details and how to apply for resources are found on the Small Business Administration's [website](#).
- FEMA recently announced additional exemptions to its export restrictions on PPE. A summary of that announcement and its application is found in this [bulletin](#).
- American Logistics Aid Network ([ALAN](#)) continues to help meet supply chain needs in response to COVID-19. If you can donate any items, especially PPE and hand sanitizer, please contact ALAN directly at info@alanaid.org.
- The National Governors Association has [released](#) its roadmap for recovery, offering public health guidance and a plan for reopening the economy.
- Information on state activity around essential workforce and infrastructure continues to be [updated](#) by the US Chamber. You'll note several updates to this information in recent days as some states phase in openings.
- The CDC has recommended that businesses and individuals looking for testing sites for COVID-19 contact local health departments. A map showing current testing sites is [here](#).

Upcoming Webinars:

April 28: 1pm EDT: Thompson Hine Webinar Series: Preparing Your Business for the COVID-19 World. First in a series of complimentary webinars over three weeks covering

topics including business insurance, businesses protection and planning for the future. Full details, including how to register, are [here](#).

April 29: 2pm EDT: Freight Transportation in a Post-COVID World. A complimentary Webinar hosted by FreightWaves, featuring a panel of experts including NITL Highway Transportation Committee Chair, Jeff Tucker of Tucker Company. Register [here](#).

We'll continue to post these updates and resources to the [NITL website](#). Please contact NITL General Counsel [Karyn Booth](#), NITL Senior Policy Advisor [Randy Mullett](#) or me at any time with questions or needs.

We hope all of you continue to be safe and well.

Warmest regards,

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