

**CP3 GROUP/FORFAS UN/CEFACT FORUM OPEN SESSION ON
TRADE FACILITATION**

29TH MARCH OPENDAY

8.00-8.30 Registration

8.30-8.45 Forum Host: Conor O'Riordan, Managing Director, CP3 Group
Introduction to the Irish Session: Josephine Feehily, Irish Revenue Commissioner

Mike Doran/Chair UN/CEFACT Forum introduction to Session Chairman
Rapporteur: Tom Butterly/UNECE

Session 1 "Trade Facilitation: The Competitiveness Imperative"

Chairman: Brendan Farrell *Trade Facilitation Ireland*

8.45-9.00: Eoin O Driscoll *"Ahead of the Curve: Ireland's Place in the Global Economy"*
Chairman of Forfás, Ireland's economic policy advisory board.

9.00-9.15 Mike Doran *"The UNCEFACT Vision for Information Exchange in International Trade"*
UN/CEFACT Chair

Session 2 "The Role of Electronic Trade in Irish Competitiveness"

Chairman: Ronnie O'Toole *Forfás.*
Senior Trade Policy Analyst

9.15-9.30: Ian Gourley *"Paperless Trade for SME's"*
Hellenic Irish Business Association (HIBA)

9.30-9.45: Mats Wicktor *"Single Windows – The Swedish Experience:"*
Swedish Customs

9.45-10.00: Gordon Cragg *"Applications of UN/CEFACT Standards"*
Chair: TBG 15

10.00-10.20: Q & A Session *"Trade facilitation In an Open Economy"*

10.20-10.40 Coffee Break

Session 3 "Perspectives on Trade Facilitation"

Chairman: John Dunne *Chambers Ireland*
Chief Executive

10.45-11.00: Noel Condon *"Global Trade And The Management of Risk"*
AIG Benelux

11.00-11.15: Robbie Howard *"Trade Facilitation: The Transport Perspective"*
DHL

11.15-11.30: Bill Nolle *"Transatlantic Trade Initiative"*
US Customs

11.30-11.45: Richard Gardner *"Global Trade Finance Perspective"*

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11.45-12.00: Q & A Session

"Trade facilitation In an Open Economy"

12.00-12.20: Rapporteur Summary - Tom Butterly

12.20-12.30: Closing Remarks: Conor O'Riordan - Managing Director, CP3 Group and main Host of UN/CEFACT Forum