

The AUC Regulatory Burden Reduction Task Force

The task force was established directly by and reports to AUC chair to focus additional attention and resources on the issue of efficiency and regulatory burden reduction, at both the Commission and staff level.

It was established in October 18, 2019, aligning with and supporting efficiency discussions and suggestions that emerged during the AUC's Regulatory Burden Reduction Roundtable conducted on October 4, 2019. The roundtable included dozens of executive-level stakeholders from industry, consumers and elsewhere.

The task force's mandate is to identify and eliminate unnecessary processes and procedures to enhance the efficiency of AUC work on a broad, cross-divisional level, beyond that of specific improvements generated through another internal AUC efficiency initiative, Project Green Light.

It includes representatives from the highest levels of the Commission and AUC staff, comprised of the AUC's vice-chair, Anne Michaud and the AUC's general counsel, Doug Larder.

The group looks at bottlenecks and inefficiencies on specific applications to help identify and apply solutions on a go-forward basis. Additionally, the task force acts as a forum through which the Commission, panels and staff can exchange information on our adjudicative operations and our processes with the objective of making our work and our proceedings more efficient, productive and timely.