

Decontamination Sector

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- Twelve member companies
- 30 percent response rate
- Half of companies provide a service or product to U.S. DoD currently
- Most provide services to Dept. of State and DHS
- All concerned about lack of budget and future of earmarks

Sector Comments

- Lack of Budget has stalled purchasing
 - Ground level complaints
 - New teams being stood up are not equipped
- Lack of Earmarks has hurt certain programs
- Continuing Resolutions do not allow for planning
- Decision to build Vaccine plant has expected impact – disincen industry

Sector Comments

- BRAC has not had the negative impact seen in similar State Department reorg's; communication has stayed good.
- DFOS seems to be on hold
- Reorganization under Mr. Will Hartzell of multiple programs was given high marks
- If Government doesn't support industrial base it will disappear and take 5 – 7 years to be reestablished.