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## **Capitol Hill Launch of New Report on India's IP and Innovation Policies**

**WHAT:** On March 26, the <u>National Bureau of Asian Research</u> (NBR) will <u>convene a public</u> <u>discussion</u> in Washington, D.C., on India's environment for innovation and recommendations for public policy in the U.S., India, and other countries. At the event, NBR will release its multi-year study, "<u>India's IP and Innovation Policies</u>." The report and event will explore how the U.S., India, and other stakeholders, including major economies in the Asia-Pacific, can work together to address IP and industrial issues that have critical implications for investment environments.

WHEN: Thursday, March 26, 2015 2:00-5:00 p.m. WHERE: Reserve Officers Association, Minuteman Ballroom One Constitution Avenue NE, Washington, D.C. 20002 WHO: Mark Brunner (Office of Senator Mark Warner; Senate India Caucus) Srividhva Ragavan (University of Oklahoma College of Law) Ichiro Abe (Ministry of Economy, Trade & Industry, Japan; Japan External Trade Organization, New Delhi) Kapil Sharma (Wipro) Jared Ragland (BSA | The Software Alliance) Amiee Adasczik Aloi (PhRMA) **Clara Gillispie** (NBR) **Rov Kamphausen** (NBR) Meredith Miller (NBR) **INTERVIEWS:** 

> Roy Kamphausen and Clara Gillispie are available for interviews. Amit Kapoor (India Council on Competitiveness) and Pravakar Sahoo (Institute of Economic Growth), project contributors, are also available for interviews. **Follow the event live on Twitter: @NBRnews and #IndiaIP.**

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