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Too often, ex ante predictions of regulatory outcomes (reductions in health risks, benefits and costs) are not verified with empirical data ex post. This conference will explore the possible reasons for this lack of ex post evaluation, and examine approaches to improve both the analytical tools for measuring outcomes of risk-reducing regulation, and the incentives to do so.

**8:15 - 8:45**                    **Registration and continental breakfast**

**8:45 - 10:15**                **The Problem**

**Professor Susan Dudley**, “A Retrospective Review of Retrospective Review”

**Admiral Thad Allen**, “Evaluating Outcomes: Lessons from the Field”

**Professor Cary Coglianese**, “Moving Forward with Regulatory Lookback”

**10:30 - 12:00**                **Analytical Solutions**

**Professor Kathy Newcomer**, “Applying Program Evaluation Tools to Regulation”

**Dr. Lesa Aylward**, “Detecting Exposure Reduction and Health Benefits: Case Studies from Environmental Chemical Exposure Regulation”

**Dr. Tony Cox**, “How Much Have Historical Reductions in Air Pollution Affected Mortality Rates?”

**Moderator: The Honorable Paul Verkuil**

**12:00 - 1:30**                **Lunch**

**Senator Angus King**, Keynote Address

**1:30 - 3:00**                **Institutional Solutions**

**Ms. Diana Carew**, “Regulatory Improvement Commission: A Politically-Viable Approach to U.S. Regulatory Reform”

**Professor Ragnar Lofstedt**, “Lessons from the UK's Independent Review of Health and Safety Regulation”

**Mr. Philip Howard, Esq.**, “Sunsets and Citizens”

**Moderator: The Honorable Marcus Peacock**

**3:00 - 3:30**                **Wrap Up, Dr. Sally Kane & Professor Susan Dudley**

**RSVP**

