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Mr. Vavala is the Director of Government Procurement for National Council of Textile Organizations (NCTO) joining the staff in 2019.

In 2019, Mr. Vavala founded Vavala & Associates, Inc. providing government consulting services to U. S. manufacturers and associations. Vavala and Associates, Inc. specializes in assisting clients navigate the complex environment of doing business with the U. S. Government.

He joined W. L. Gore & Associates Inc., a science and technology driven enterprise, headquartered in Newark, Delaware in 1988.

During his 31-year career at Gore, Mr. Vavala served in numerous business and sales leadership positions in the Fabrics Division including, Business Development Leader for North American General Outerwear, Sales Leader North American Consumer Footwear, Business Leader of the Asia Pacific Domestic Fabrics Business, and Director of Military Government Relations.

Mr. Vavala has served on the Boards of Directors for the Warrior Protection and Readiness Coalition (WPRC) and the National Textile Association (NTA).

After graduating from the University of Delaware with a BS in Business Administration in 1982, Mr. Vavala joined Sony Corporation of America where he held various sales and marketing positions in the consumer products division.