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The Honorable Timothy M. Carney
Coordinator for Iraq Transitional Assistance
U.S. Department of State
2201 C Street, N.W.
Washington, DC 20520

Dear Ambassador Carney:

The Committee on Oversight and Government Reform hereby requests your testimony at a hearing on **Tuesday, February 6, 2007 at 10:00 a.m. in Room 2154, Rayburn House Office Building**.

The topic of the hearing will be the United States' involvement in Iraq reconstruction. We ask that you provide testimony regarding your newly created Coordinator position and your anticipated role in assisting the Iraqi government with reconstruction efforts. We also request that you be prepared to discuss your prior service in Iraq in 2003, including your tenure as interim Minister of Industry and Minerals in the Office for Reconstruction and Humanitarian Assistance.

Please provide 100 copies of your written testimony to Earley Green, Chief Clerk, 2157 Rayburn House Office Building, no later than 10:00 a.m. on February 2, 2007 (two business days prior to the hearing). We also request that you provide your written statement by this date in electronic format, either as a CD or via email to earley.green@mail.house.gov. At the hearing, you will be asked to summarize your written testimony in five minutes in order to maximize the time available for discussion and questions.

The Committee on Oversight and Government Reform is the principal oversight committee in the House of Representatives. The oversight jurisdiction of the Committee is set forth in House Rule X clauses 1(m), 2, 3(i) and 4(c).

Please contact David Rapallo or Theodore Chuang of the Committee staff at (202) 225-5420 with any questions. We look forward to your testimony.

Sincerely,

Henry A. Waxman
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cc: Tom Davis
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