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Robert B. Zoellick is a Research Scholar at the Belfer Center for Science and International Affairs at Harvard University, a Resident Fellow at the German Marshall Fund of the U.S., and a Senior International Advisor to Goldman Sachs.

During the 1997-98 academic year, Mr. Zoellick was the John M. Olin Professor of National Security at the U.S. Naval Academy. From 1993 through 1997, he served as an Executive Vice President at Fannie Mae, the largest housing finance investor in the U.S., with a market capitalization of about $70 billion. He was responsible for the corporation?s affordable housing business, the General Counsel, regulatory and government relations, and international financial services.

During the Bush administration, Mr. Zoellick served as Counselor of the Department of State (Under Secretary rank) and Under Secretary of State for Economics. He later served as Deputy Chief of Staff at the White House. Mr. Zoellick was also appointed the President?s personal representative, or Sherpa, for the G-7 Economic Summits in 1991 and 1992.

Mr. Zoellick received the Distinguished Service Award, the Department of State?s highest honor. The German government awarded him the Knight Commanders Cross for his role in developing the U.S. Strategy toward German unification and service as the senior U.S. official in the "2 plus 4" negotiations.

From 1985 to 1988, Mr. Zoellick served at the Department of the Treasury in various positions, including Counselor to Secretary James A. Baker, III, Executive Secretary of the Department, and Deputy Assistant Secretary for Financial Institutions Policy. Mr. Zoellick received the Alexander Hamilton Award, the Department of Treasury?s highest honor.

Raised in Naperville, Illinois, Mr. Zoellick received a J.D. magna cum laude from the Harvard Law School and a Master of Public Policy degree from Harvard University?s Kennedy School of Government in 1981. He is a 1975 Phi Beta Kappa graduate of Swarthmore College. In 1980, Mr. Zoellick was a recipient of a Luce Fellowship to Hong Kong.

He currently serves on three for-profit boards: Alliance Capital, Jones Intercable, Inc., and Said Holdings. He is also a member of Enron Corp.?s Advisory Council.

Mr. Zoellick was appointed by the Speaker of the U.S. House of Representatives to serve on the Trade Deficit Review Commission, which is to prepare its report by June 2000. He was appointed by Secretary of Defense Cohen to serve on the Defense Policy Board. He also serves on the U.S. Postal Service?s Commission on a Safe and Secure Workplace.

Mr. Zoellick is the Director of the Aspen Institute?s Strategy Group on Foreign Policy. He is a board member of the Council of Foreign Relations, the German Marshall Fund of the U.S., the European Institute, the Eurasia Foundation, the National Bureau of Asian Research, the American Council on Germany, the American Institute for Contemporary German Studies, and the Overseas Development Council. He serves on the governing council of the International Institute for Strategic Studies in London.

Mr. Zoellick is a member of the Advisory Board for Johns Hopkins School of Advanced International Studies (SAIS), the Board of Advisors of the Law & Economics Center at George Mason University, the Advisory Committee of the Institute for International Economics, the Brookings Institution?s Advisory Committees for the Foreign Policy and Economic Programs, the Advisory Board of the Nixon Center for Peace & Freedom, the World Wildlife Fund?s Advisory Council, the U.S. Executive Committee of the Trilateral Commission, the Advisory Board of the Centre for European Reform in London, the Australian-American Leadership Foundation, the Inter-American Dialogue, and the D.C. Bar.