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*****MEDIA ADVISORY*****

**U.S. Business and Higher Education Leaders Set to Unveil
"The American Innovation Proclamation" to Congress**

(Washington, DC) At a press conference on Tuesday, March 13, U.S. business and higher education leaders will unveil "The American Innovation Proclamation," which urges Congress to move forward on critical legislation that promotes U.S. competitiveness and sustains U.S. innovation leadership.

The proclamation is signed by more than 270 business and higher education leaders.

Members of Congress will be on hand to receive the proclamation.

WHO:

Rep. Bart Gordon (D-TN), Chairman, House Science and Technology Committee and a Bipartisan Group of House and Senate Members

Harold McGraw III, Chairman, President & CEO, The McGraw Hill Companies, Inc., and Chairman, Business Roundtable

Norman Augustine, Former Chairman & CEO, Lockheed Martin Corporation

Robert C. Dynes, President, University of California

**WHEN: Tuesday, March 13, 2007
12:00 p.m.**

WHERE: 2325 Rayburn House Office Building

**This event will be WEBCAST live on the Committee website:
<http://science.house.gov> <<http://science.house.gov/>> - audio only.**