

STATEMENT OF ANDREW MAYOCK
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Deputy Director for Management of the Office of Management and Budget

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Thank you Chairman Johnson, Ranking Member Carper, and Members of the Committee:

I am honored to be considered by this Committee as President Obama's nominee for Deputy Director for Management of the Office of Management and Budget (OMB).

I am grateful to have my family with me this afternoon. I am deeply appreciative for their support and encouragement. I would like to introduce my wife, Cindy, and my two children, Mariella and Tai. I would also like to introduce my mother, Anne, and father-in-law, Steel, who traveled from Illinois to be here today. Additionally, I am pleased to be joined by three of my seven siblings -- Chris, Joe and John -- and their spouses and children. My parents instilled the value of public service in all of their children, and I am proud to represent them today.

I want to thank President Obama for nominating me to this position. It remains an extraordinary honor to continue to serve this Administration since I started in 2009. I would also like to thank OMB Director Shaun Donovan for his confidence in me. I also appreciate the continued trust and support of all my colleagues at the extraordinary institution that is OMB, where I have served for the last three years.

Furthermore, I appreciate the Members of this Committee and their staff for taking the time to meet with me prior to this hearing. If confirmed, I look forward to continuing our work together and building on the important relationship between this Committee and OMB.

The Deputy Director for Management position helps lead the President's Management Agenda, a comprehensive and forward-looking plan to modernize and improve government to ultimately deliver better, faster, and smarter services to citizens and businesses. The President's Management Agenda is built on four key pillars: effectiveness, efficiency, economy, and people and culture. The Administration is implementing these through a series of Cross-Agency Priority (CAP) Goals, which were introduced by this Administration to improve coordination across multiple agencies to help drive performance and accountability.

If confirmed, I plan to build on the progress made by the Administration. I believe that action under the four pillars and related CAP Goals have led to measurable progress. For example, this Administration has launched successful efforts to modernize and

improve citizen-facing services, reduce the Federal real property footprint, improve how we buy as a government, and eliminate wasteful spending.

If confirmed, I would also seek to improve other initiatives in which the Deputy Director for Management is a front line leader, including strengthening Federal cybersecurity, supporting digital services delivery for citizens, improving infrastructure permitting processes, and enhancing the background investigations and security clearance process, to name a few.

Furthermore, the Deputy Director for Management plays an important role in delivering on the Administration's commitment to a smooth presidential transition. This includes implementing statutory requirements such as the Ted Kaufman and Michael Leavitt Presidential Transitions Improvement Act of 2015 that was sponsored by Senators Carper and Johnson, passed by this Committee and Congress, and signed into law by the President in April. Under this Act, the Deputy Director for Management facilitates agency planning efforts, including co-chairing the Agency Transition Director's Council comprised of nineteen of the largest agencies. If confirmed, I would focus on supporting a seamless transition.

I believe my background in the public and private sectors helps prepare me for the role of the Deputy Director for Management. This experience includes senior OMB leadership roles -- Associate Director of General Government Programs and Senior Adviser for Management -- where I have worked with Cabinet agencies and others on a wide variety of budget, policy and operational issues. My experience in senior leadership roles at the U.S. Department of the Treasury and Millennium Challenge Corporation provide valuable agency operational experience and perspective regarding the government-wide management challenges and opportunities that the Deputy Director for Management faces. Additionally, in my private sector work at Booz Allen Hamilton, I gained experience in generating performance improvements through process streamlining, improving deployment of technology, and strengthening organizational effectiveness. This combined experience offers a strong foundation for delivering on the President's Management Agenda and requirements of the office.

Mr. Chairman and Members of the Committee, I would be pleased to answer any questions you may have.