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OMB Director Portman Names Michael Bopp for Senior Position

WASHINGTON – Today, OMB Director Rob Portman announced the selection of Mr. Michael D. Bopp as Associate Director for General Government Programs.

“I am pleased Michael will be joining OMB as a key member of our senior policy team. He will bring a strong commitment to public service and policy expertise to the job, which will be instrumental to effective budget management and oversight.”

Michael D. Bopp

Mr. Bopp joins OMB from the U.S. Senate Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs, where he served since January, 2003, as majority staff director and chief counsel. During his tenure, he helped manage one of the largest committees in the Senate and handled key legislation on intelligence reform, emergency preparedness and Hurricane Katrina response, homeland security, and Federal procurement policy. In addition, he assisted Chairman Susan Collins in her personal office as Legislative Director and General Counsel from January, 1999 to January, 2003.

He has advised the Senate in various capacities since April, 1995, serving as counsel to the U.S. Senate Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, senior investigative counsel to the Congress’ Investigation of Campaign Finance Abuses, and chief counsel to the House Committee on Education and the Workforce’s Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations.

Mr. Bopp graduated magna cum laude from Brown University with a degree in public policy and American institutions in 1987 and cum laude from Harvard Law School in 1992. He currently resides in Alexandria, Virginia.

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