

# **“Energy and National Security – A BENS Forum”**

## **Wednesday, May 13, 2009**

The Amphitheater  
The Ronald Reagan Building and International Trade Center  
(1300 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW)  
Washington, DC  
*Attire: Business*

### **Working Agenda**

*(as of 4/8/09)*

#### **8:30-8:55 am      Registration and Continental Breakfast**

Location:      Amphitheater Foyer  
                    The Ronald Reagan Building and International Trade Center

IMPORTANT NOTE: Because the Ronald Reagan Building and International Trade Center is a federal office building, all attendees will be **required to show a valid photo ID** and pass through a magnetometer upon entering. Attendees without photo ID will not be admitted. **ALL FORUM ATTENDEES SHOULD ENTER THE BUILDING VIA THE 1300 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, NW ENTRANCE (BETWEEN 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> STREETS – directly across from the National Theater).**

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8:55 am              Move into Amphitheater for start of program

**9:00-9:05 am      Welcome and Overview of the day**  
*General Charles G. Boyd, USAF (Ret.)*  
*President and CEO, BENS*

**9:05-9:50 am      “Energy as National Security: A New Policy Vision for the Nation”**  
*General James L. Jones, USMC (Ret.)*  
*Assistant to the President for National Security Affairs*

**9:50-10:35 am    “Carbon-Based Energy: Future Availability, Projected Costs, Global Impact”**  
*Panelists:      Frederick W. Smith, Chairman and CEO, FedEx*  
*J. Robinson West, Chairman, Founder & CEO, PFC Energy*

Moderator: Lynn R. Coleman, former Deputy Secretary of Energy

- 10:35-10:45 am Break
- 10:45-11:30 am** **“Alternatives, Renewables & Conservation: The Prospects for Solar, Wind, Hydro, Nuclear and Biomass”**  
*Dr. John P. Holdren (invited)*  
*Assistant to the President for Science and Technology*  
*Director, Office of Science and Technology Policy*
- 11:30-11:45 am Break/Move to Atrium Hall for lunch
- 11:45-1:15 pm** **Lunch**  
**“Americans’ Changing Attitudes Toward Energy and Climate Change”**  
*James Clifton*  
*Chairman and CEO, The Gallup Organization*
- 1:15-1:30 pm Break/Return to Amphitheater for afternoon session
- 1:30-2:15 pm** **“DoD and Energy: How it is Acquired, How it is Used, And the Prospects for Efficiency”**  
*The Honorable William J. Lynn, III*  
*Deputy Secretary of Defense*
- 2:15-2:55 pm** **“Energy: A National Strategy”**  
*The Honorable Steven Chu (invited)*  
*Secretary of Energy*
- 3:00 pm** **Meeting Adjourned**

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