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Henrietta H. Fore

Acting Administrator, U.S. Agency for International Development and Acting Director of U.S. Foreign Assistance

speaking on

The Future of U.S. Foreign Aid

Wednesday, September 19, 2007

Registration: 12:00 noon Lunch and Discussion: 12:30 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. The Chicago Club

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For more than 60 years, U.S. foreign assistance has been an invaluable instrument for U.S. foreign policy, U.S. economic policy, and humanitarian outreach. In Illinois, companies and citizens have benefited directly from U.S. foreign assistance programs that strengthen U.S. economic competitiveness and promote global economic prosperity. Recent reforms have been introduced to transform the effectiveness and efficiency of the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID) and U.S. foreign assistance, raising new questions about how we support and manage "smart power" tools and strategies to meet successfully the global challenges of the 21st century. Henrietta Fore will discuss U.S. foreign policy issues focusing on the use, management, and reform of U.S. foreign assistance.

Henrietta H. Fore has served as under secretary of state for management since August 2, 2005. Fore was designated by President George W. Bush as acting administrator of USAID and by Secretary Condoleezza Rice as acting director of U.S. foreign assistance on May 7, 2007. Prior to her appointment, she served as the 37th director of the United States Mint in the Department of Treasury. She had also been a presidential appointee at the Department of State from 1989-1993, first as USAID's assistant administrator for private enterprise and then assistant administrator for Asia. During this period she founded and served as the first chair of the United States Asia Environmental Partnership, a coalition of business, government, and community organizations in the United States and thirty-one Asian nations. Fore also was a founder of the Financial Services Volunteer Corps.

Advance registration is required. Registration closes September 17, 2007 at 12:00 noon.

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