CAMCA Regional Forum in Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia (June 20-21, 2015)

Saturday, June 20 - CAMCA REGIONAL FORUM

08:00-08:45 Breakfast

09:00-09:15 Official opening of the 2015 CAMCA Regional Forum LOCATION: Blue Sky Hotel and Tower, Crystal Room, 3rd floor

OPENING REMARKS: Secretary Donald Rumsfeld, Co-Founder and President, Rumsfeld Foundation

and Dr. S. Frederick Starr, Chairman, Central Asia-Caucasus Institute, SAIS, JHU

09:15-10:00 Keynote Address

INTRODUCTION: Mr. Dulguun Baasandavaa, Board Member, Mongolian Business Development

Association; Spring 2013 Rumsfeld Fellow, Mongolia

SPEAKER: Mr. Zandaakhuu Enkhbold, Speaker of the Parliament of Mongolia and

Chairman of the Democratic Party of Mongolia

10:00-10:30 COFFEE BREAK

Split into Dialogue Groups:

1) CAMCA Countries Evolving Place in the World Economy

2) Foreign and Security Outlook in CAMCA in 2025

3) Unlocking the Potential of CAMCA's Human Capital

10:30-12:00 Dialogue 1, Session 1

Reducing Impediments to Foreign Investment in CAMCA Economies

LOCATION: Blue Sky Hotel and Tower, Crystal Room, 3rd floor

MODERATOR: Mr. Dulguun Baasandavaa, Board Member, Mongolian Business Development

Association; Spring 2013 Rumsfeld Fellow, Mongolia

SPEAKERS: Mr. Byambasaikhan Bayanjargal, CEO of Erdenes Mongol and Chairman of the

Business Council of Mongolia

Mr. Jim Dwyer, Executive Director, Business Council of Mongolia

Mr. Hikmat Abdurahmanov, Chairman, Association for International Business &

Technologies of Uzbekistan; Fall 2011 Rumsfeld Fellow, Uzbekistan

10:30-12:00 Dialogue 2, Session 1

Alternative Foreign Policy Scenarios: How will CAMCA Look in 25 years?

LOCATION: Blue Sky Hotel and Tower, Diamond Room, 3rd floor PRESENTATION: **Mr. Enders Wimbush**, *Principal*, *StrateVarious*

10:30-12:00 Dialogue 3, Session 1

The Status of Education in CAMCA and the Path Forward

LOCATION: Blue Sky Hotel and Tower, Topaz Room, 3rd floor

MODERATOR: Dr. S. Frederick Starr, Chairman, Central Asia-Caucasus Institute, SAIS, JHU

SPEAKERS: **Dr. Sukhbaatar Javzan,** *Vice President of Institute of Finance and Economics*

Dr. Anar Valiyev, Associate Provost, ADA University in Baku; Fall 2008 Rumsfeld

Fellow, Azerbaijan

Dr. Aigerim Shilibekova, Director, Center for International and Regional Studies, Gumilyov Eurasian National University; Fall 2010 Rumsfeld Fellow, Kazakhstan

12:30-13:45 Luncheon Keynote Address

LOCATION: Blue Sky Hotel and Tower, Jade Restaurant, 2nd floor

INTRODUCTION: Secretary Donald Rumsfeld, Co-Founder and President, Rumsfeld Foundation SPEAKER: Ambassador Zalmay Khalilzad, President, Gryphon Partners and former U.S.

Ambassador to Iraq, Afghanistan and Permanent Representative to U.N.

14:00-15:30 Dialogue 1, Session 2

Intraregional Trade and Transit in CAMCA

LOCATION: Blue Sky Hotel and Tower, Crystal Room, 3rd floor

MODERATOR: **Dr. S. Frederick Starr,** *Chairman, Central Asia-Caucasus Institute, SAIS, JHU*SPEAKERS: **Dr. Gulshan Sachdeva,** *Chairperson, the Centre for European Studies &*

Director of Energy Studies Program at the School of International Studies at

Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi

Mr. Raushan Mamatkulov, Senior Transport Specialist, Asian Development Bank Mr. Wahid Waissi, Director General for Economic Cooperation, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Afghanistan; Fall 2014 Rumsfeld Fellow, Afghanistan

14:00-15:30 Dialogue 2, Session 2

U.S. Foreign Policy in the CAMCA Region after the "Reset": Challenges and

Prospects

LOCATION Blue Sky Hotel and Tower, Diamond Room, 3rd floor MODERATOR: **Mr. Enders Wimbush**, *Principal*, *StrateVarious*

SPEAKERS: Dr. Svante Cornell, Director, Central Asia-Caucasus Institute, SAIS, JHU

Ambassador Bekhbat Khasbazar, former Ambassador of Mongolia to the U.S.

14:00-15:30 Dialogue 3, Session 2

Sustainable Development and Long-term Decision-making

LOCATION: Blue Sky Hotel and Tower, Topaz Room, 3rd floor

INTERVIEWER: Ms. Aziza Umarova, Head of Governance Team, UNDP Uzbekistan; Spring 2009

Rumsfeld Fellow, Uzbekistan

SPEAKER: Ms. Oyun Sanjaasuren, Member of the Parliament of Mongolia and President of

the United Nations Environment Assembly (UNEA)

15:30-16:00 COFFEE BREAK

16:00-17:30 Dialogue 1, Session 3

Economic Downturn in Russia: How will it affect the Future of CAMCA

Fconomies?

LOCATION: Blue Sky Hotel and Tower, Crystal Room, 3rd floor

MODERATOR: Dr. S. Frederick Starr, Chairman, Central Asia-Caucasus Institute, SAIS, JHU

SPEAKERS: Mr. Bakai Zhunushov, European Bank for Reconstruction and Development

(EBRD), Bishkek Resident Office, Fall 2008 Rumsfeld Fellow, Kyrgyzstan **Dr. Gulshan Sachdeva,** Chairperson, the Centre for European Studies & Director of Energy Studies Program at the School of International Studies at

Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi

16:00-17:30 Dialogue 2, Session 3

The Security of CAMCA Countries: Progress or Decline?

LOCATION: Blue Sky Hotel and Tower, Diamond Room, 3rd floor MODERATOR: **Mr. Enders Wimbush**, *Principal*, *StrateVarious*

SPEAKERS: **Dr. Davaadorj Tseren,** Director of Information and Analysis Service, National

Security Council of Mongolia

Dr. Svante Cornell, Director, Central Asia-Caucasus Institute, SAIS, JHU

16:00-17:30 Dialogue 3, Session 3

Cultivating Domestic Non-Profits and Volunteerism in CAMCA

LOCATION: Blue Sky Hotel and Tower, Topaz Room, 3rd floor

MODERATOR: Mr. Badruun Gardi, Founder and CEO, Ger Hub; Spring 2015 Rumsfeld Fellow,

Mongolia

SPEAKERS: Ambassador Tom Miller, CEO, International Executive Service Corps (IESC)

Mrs. Erdenejargal Perenlei, Executive Director, Open Society Forum

Mr. Walt Jenkins, President, Zorig Foundation USA

19:00-21:30 Dinner

LOCATION: Castle Restaurant at the National Amusement Park

Sunday, June 21 – CAMCA REGIONAL FORUM

08:00-08:45 Breakfast

09:00-10:00 Dialogue 1 Recap, Session 4

LOCATION: Blue Sky Hotel and Tower, Crystal Room, 3rd floor

09:00-10:00 Dialogue 2 Recap, Session 4

LOCATION: Blue Sky Hotel and Tower, Diamond Room, 3rd floor

09:00-10:00 Dialogue 3 Recap, Session 4

LOCATION: Blue Sky Hotel and Tower, Topaz Room, 3rd floor

10:00-10:30 COFFEE BREAK

10:30-11:30 Plenary Session

Interview with Rapporteurs from Dialogues

LOCATION: Blue Sky Hotel and Tower, Crystal Room, 3rd floor

INTERVIEWER: Dr. S. Frederick Starr, Chairman, Central Asia-Caucasus Institute, SAIS, JHU

RAPPORTEURS: Mr. Azamat Akeleev (Dialogue 1), Spring 2012 Rumsfeld Fellow, Kyrgyzstan

Ms. Aigerim Shilibekova (Dialogue 2), Fall 2010 Rumsfeld Fellow, Kazakhstan Ms. Varya Meruzhanyan (Dialogue 3), Fall 2012 Rumsfeld Fellow, Armenia

12:00-13:30 Luncheon Keynote Address

LOCATION: Blue Sky Hotel and Tower, Sapphire Room, 1st floor

INTRODUCTION: **Dr. S. Frederick Starr,** *Chairman, Central Asia-Caucasus Institute, SAIS, JHU*SPEAKER: **Mr. Djoomart Otorbaev**, *former Prime Minister of the Kyrgyz Republic*

14:00-17:00 Trip to Genghis Khan Monument

17:00-20:00 Closing dinner of the 2015 CAMCA Regional Forum

LOCATION: Ayanchin Lodge

CLOSING REMARKS: Secretary Donald Rumsfeld, Co-Founder and President, Rumsfeld Foundation

and Mr. Battur Avirmed, Deputy Defense Minister of Mongolia