October 1, 2003

TO: Rod Paige

FROM: Donald Rumsfeld D.R.

SUBJECT: Department of Education Personnel for Iraq

Jerry Bremer has asked for some additional civilian expertise to assist with our efforts in Iraq. The current Coalition Provisional Authority (CPA) requirement list includes 9 positions that could be staffed by Education Department personnel. The attached list identifies the positions that need to be filled. As our effort in Iraq evolves, we may request additional personnel (positions will also be eliminated over time).

I ask for your assistance in this matter. In general, we would like people to serve a period of six months. We are standing by to meet with representatives of your department to assist in deployment of these people. Please ask your senior representative to contact Frederick C. Smith, Chief of Staff, Office of the CPA Representative (b)(2) [redacted]

Thank you very much for your assistance.

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TO: Don Evans

FROM: Donald Rumsfeld D.R.

SUBJECT: Department of Commerce Personnel for Iraq

Jerry Bremer has asked for some additional civilian expertise to assist with our efforts in Iraq. The current Coalition Provisional Authority (CPA) requirement list includes 11 positions that could be staffed by Commerce Department personnel. The attached list identifies the positions that need to be filled. As our effort in Iraq evolves, we may request additional personnel (positions will also be eliminated over time).

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Thank you very much for your assistance.

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TO: Ann M. Veneman

FROM: Donald Rumsfeld D.R.

SUBJECT: Department of Agriculture Personnel for Iraq

Jerry Bremer has asked for some additional civilian expertise to assist with our efforts in Iraq. The current Coalition Provisional Authority (CPA) requirement list includes 7 positions that could be staffed by Agriculture Department personnel. The attached list identifies the positions that need to be filled. As our effort in Iraq evolves, we may request additional personnel (positions will also be eliminated over time).

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Thank you very much for your assistance.

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TO: Anthony Principi

FROM: Donald Rumsfeld D.R.

SUBJECT: Department of Veterans Affairs Personnel for Iraq

Jerry Bremer has asked for some additional civilian expertise to assist with our efforts in Iraq. The current Coalition Provisional Authority (CPA) requirement list includes a position for a Veterans Employment and Training Services Specialist that could be staffed by the Veterans Department. As our effort in Iraq evolves, we may request additional personnel (positions will also be eliminated over time).

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TO: Elaine Chao

FROM: Donald Rumsfeld D.R.

SUBJECT: Department of Labor Personnel for Iraq

Jerry Bremer has asked for some additional civilian expertise to assist with our efforts in Iraq. The current Coalition Provisional Authority (CPA) requirement list includes 4 Labor/Social Affairs Specialist positions, a Senior Advisor position and a position for a Chief Counsel that could be staffed by Labor Department personnel. As our effort in Iraq evolves, we may request additional personnel (positions will also be eliminated over time).

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TO: Gale Norton

FROM: Donald Rumsfeld D.R.

SUBJECT: Department of Interior Personnel for Iraq

Jerry Bremer has asked for some additional civilian expertise to assist with our efforts in Iraq. The current Coalition Provisional Authority (CPA) requirement list includes 2 Regional Interior Specialist positions and a Pure Water Expert position that could be staffed by Interior Department personnel. As our effort in Iraq evolves, we may request additional personnel (positions will also be eliminated over time).

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TO: Tommy Thompson

FROM: Donald Rumsfeld D.R.

SUBJECT: Department of Health and Human Services Personnel for Iraq

Jerry Bremer has asked for some additional civilian expertise to assist with our efforts in Iraq. The current Coalition Provisional Authority (CPA) requirement list includes 4 Regional Health/Religious Affairs Specialist positions that could be staffed by HHS personnel. As our effort in Iraq evolves, we may request additional personnel (positions will also be eliminated over time).

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TO: Andrew Natsios

FROM: Donald Rumsfeld D.R.

SUBJECT: USAID Personnel for Iraq

Jerry Bremer has asked for some additional civilian expertise to assist with our efforts in Iraq. The current Coalition Provisional Authority (CPA) requirement list includes 13 Program Manager positions, 2 Regional Deputy Directors for Reconstruction, and 3 Regional Contract Officer positions that could be staffed by USAID. As our effort in Iraq evolves, we may request additional personnel (positions will also be eliminated over time).

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