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National Academy of Public Administration Reacts to Presidential Executive Order for Reorganizing the Executive Branch

WASHINGTON, DC – The National Academy of Public Administration (the Academy) today issued a statement reacting to the Presidential Executive Order for reorganizing the Executive Branch, signed by President Donald Trump on March 13th:

“The Academy supports the evaluation of federal agencies to ensure that they are best organized to deliver federal services to our citizens in the most effective and efficient way possible,” said Academy President and CEO Terry Gerton. “The Academy’s vision is to help the government work, and work for all.”

“In implementing this Executive Order, the Administration does not have to start from scratch,” said Gerton. “Since 2011, GAO has annually reported on areas of overlap, duplication and fragmentation across the government. The new agency leaders, in coordination with their career staff members, should use the GAO reports as a starting point, knowing that these recommendations have been thoroughly researched and evaluated. The Academy stands ready to assist agency leaders in this important effort.”

About the National Academy of Public Administration

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