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## **Hensarling Calls on Congress to Control Spending**

WASHINGTON – Today, Congressman Jeb Hensarling (R-TX) issued the following statement regarding the delivery of President Bush's Fiscal Year 2006 budget to Congress:

"The first step toward saving Social Security is to get the government's fiscal house in order. I believe President Bush has outlined the right set of priorities for a nation facing enormous fiscal challenges while fighting a global War on Terror.

"I hope Congress will improve on the President's budget, to enforce more fiscal responsibility and ensure greater accountability to American taxpayers.

"We must remember that every dollar we waste feeding the growth of government comes at the expense of the American family. At this important time in our nation's history, we cannot afford to ignore the hard choices we face in our future or revert back to the excessive spending of the past. We must protect the family budget from the growth of the federal budget."