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RYAN STATEMENT ON CONFIRMATION OF JACK LEW FOR OMB DIRECTOR

WASHINGTON – House Budget Committee Ranking Republican Paul Ryan (WI) issued the following statement in response to the U.S. Senate's confirmation of Jack Lew to serve as the Director of the Office of Management and Budget [OMB]:

"I congratulate Jack Lew on his U.S. Senate confirmation to serve as OMB Director. The fiscal and economic challenges facing this nation will require a shared commitment to restrain the explosive growth of government spending, and restore the foundations for economic growth and job creation. While I anticipate spirited debate on how to best meet these goals, Jack has consistently demonstrated a pragmatic approach to tackling challenges and getting things done. I look forward to working with Jack and my colleagues in Congress to help get Washington's fiscal house in order."

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