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MEMORANDUM

February 20, 2025

To: Members, Committee on Oversight and Government Reform

From: Committee Staff

Re: Hearing titled “The Government Accountability Office’s 2025 High Risk List”

On Tuesday, February 25, 2025, at 1:00 p.m. ET in room HVC-210 of the U.S. Capitol Visitor Center, the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform will host a hearing titled “The Government Accountability Office’s 2025 High Risk List.”

I. BACKGROUND:

At the beginning of each Congress, the Government Accountability Office (GAO) publishes its High Risk List, a list of federal government programs that GAO has determined are especially vulnerable to waste, fraud, abuse, mismanagement, or in need of transformation. The High Risk List provides an update on the status of previously identified areas, identifies new high risk areas, and includes recommendations for improvement.

II. HEARING PURPOSE:

This hearing will examine the GAO’s 2025 High Risk List.

III. WITNESS:

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