

FOUR NEW TRUSTEES JOIN CSIS BOARD

Hart Group CEO, Harvard Professor, Carlyle Group Director, President of Exxon Mobil

WASHINGTON, June 23, 2005 — **Linda Hart**, vice chairman and CEO of Hart Group, Inc. **Joseph Nye**, distinguished service professor at the John F. Kennedy School of Government at Harvard University, **David Rubenstein**, managing director of Carlyle Group, and **Rex Tillerson**, president of Exxon Mobil Corporation, have joined the CSIS Board of Trustees.

“CSIS will benefit from the business and government perspective of each of these leaders,” said CSIS President and CEO **John Hamre**. “They strengthen an already distinguished board that contributes to the Center’s direction and substantive agenda.”

Prior to joining the Hart Group in 1990, Hart practiced law in Dallas, TX, specializing in corporate and securities matters. Concurrently she served as an outside consultant to the Securities and Exchange Commission in Washington, D.C., and as a visiting professor at Stanford Law School. Hart is currently a member of the Committee of 200, former chairman of the New York Stock Exchange Legal Advisory Committee, has served on the New York Stock Exchange Special Study on Self-Regulation, and is chairman emeritus of the University of California Securities Regulation Institute. Additionally Hart has served as a member of the Legal Advisory Committee of the National Center on Financial Services of the University of California at Berkeley, the Trade and Investment Task Force of the Dallas Commission on International Development, the Executive Committee of the U.S. Government-Business Forums on Capital Formation, and is a former president of the International Women’s Forum-Dallas. Hart received her B.A. from the University of Pittsburg in 1962, and her J.D. from Southern Methodist School of Law in 1965.

Nye first joined the faculty of Harvard University in 1964 and became dean of the Kennedy School of Government in 1995. Previously, he was chairman of the National Intelligence Council (1993-94), and deputy to the U.S. undersecretary of state for security assistance, science, and technology and chaired the National Security Council Group on Nonproliferation of Nuclear Weapons (1977-79). Currently a fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences and the Academy of Diplomacy, Nye has had a number of distinguished posts, including senior fellow of the Aspen Institute, director of the Aspen Strategy Group, and a member of the Executive Committee of the Trilateral Commission. He also served as a director of the Institute for East-West Security Studies, a director of the International Institute for Strategic Studies, a member of the Advisory Committee of the Institute of International Economics, and the U.S. representative on the United Nations Advisory Committee on Disarmament Affairs. Nye received a B.A. from Princeton University and a Ph.D. in political science from Harvard University.

Rubenstein is a cofounder and managing director of the Carlyle Group, a private equity firm based in Washington, D.C. Prior to cofounding Carlyle in 1987, he practiced law in New York City with the firm of Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison. Additionally, he has served as deputy assistant to the president for domestic policy in the Carter administration; and practiced law in Washington, D.C., with the firm of Shaw, Pittman, Potts & Trowbridge. Rubenstein is a member of the Trilateral Commission. He sits on a number of boards, including those of: the Cold Springs Harbor Labs and Dance Theatre of Harlem, the Council on Foreign Relations, the International Institute of Economics, Johns Hopkins University, Duke University, the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts, and Lincoln Center for the Performing Arts; of the Visiting Committee of the Kennedy School of Government at Harvard University; and on the National Advisory Board of J.P. Morgan Chase. Rubenstein is a graduate of Duke University, and the University of Chicago Law School, where he was an editor of the Law Review.

Tillerson, who was elected president of Exxon Mobil Corporation and member of the board of directors in 2004, first joined Exxon Company U.S.A. (EUSA) in 1975 as a production engineer. Over the years he has held several engineering, technical, and supervisory assignments in the EUSA Production Department throughout Texas, including business development manager in the EUSA Natural Gas Department (1987), general manager of EUSA's Central Production Division (1989), production adviser to Exxon Corporation in Dallas (1992), coordinator of affiliate gas sales in Exxon Co. International, president of Exxon Yemen Inc. and Esso Exploration and Production Khorat Inc (1995) and vice president of Exxon Ventures (CIS) Inc. and president of Exxon Neftegas Limited (1998). Tillerson was named executive vice president of Exxon Mobil Development Company in 1999 and senior vice president of Exxon Mobil Corporation in 2001. He is a member of the board of directors of the U.S.-Russia Business Council and the American Petroleum Institute, a member of the Executive Board of the Circle Ten Council, the Boy Scouts of America, the Engineering Foundation Advisory Council for the University of Texas at Austin, and the Society of Petroleum Engineers. Tillerson earned a B.S. in civil engineering at the University of Texas at Austin.

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