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Opening & Welcome

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May I start by introducing our local host. Michael Burns is the deputy principal associate director for the reduction. He hopes to reduce the threat of Polar attrition of weapons of mass destruction and terrorism and addresses emerging national security issues. Formerly a special assistant to the president connect their defense policy on the Common Security Council. And also was once one of us at DHS as the former director of the Office of National Labs. Which was interesting to learn and director of storage of planning. Mr. Burns, please.

[Applaud]

MIKE BURNS

Thank you very much. On behalf of this lab welcome [Participant's audio is faint/unclear] class almost was put back here in the middle of nowhere for a reason and on we heard it takes a little bit of effort. We appreciate it. Especially with the weather we're having recently although compared to what's going on back East this must be somewhat trial. To everybody from Washington. As a National Security science laboratory, Los Alamos has been heavily involved in applying science and technology and richly came from the [Indiscernible] weapons program to a broad set of national ski science. And of course working for the Department of Homeland Security is right in that when it also apply what capabilities we can to you. For a mission. Recently the laboratory has reorganize a little bit to try to this service a whole host of national security sponsors and the Department of Homeland Security with their very broad missions that was one of the reasons we did that. So you have a very busy agenda, very full agenda at Los Alamos. We are very happy to see you here so welcome again. I have some personal interest in the department and what your doing both S and T and the Indio. I look for to make limited talking to you about the activities you have a new way today. So once again, welcome, be safe in a traveling to and from Los Alamos and let's hope we have a good summit today. Thank you very much.

[Applaud].