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EXPERTS ASSESS CHINA'S ENERGY INSECURITY ON CAPITOL HILL

WHAT: China's growing energy insecurity, matched with its dire environmental woes, is forcing Beijing to develop a new energy strategy. On November 18, The National Bureau of Asian Research (NBR) and the Henry M. Jackson Foundation will co-host a Capitol Hill launch for NBR's 2014 Energy Security Report, "**China's Energy Crossroads: Forging a New Energy and Environmental Balance.**" Participants will discuss Beijing's search for a new energy strategy, ambitious plans for reshaping its use of coal, heightening environmental concerns, and how the U.S. can work with China to address overlapping energy problems.

WHEN:

Tuesday, November 18, 2014
9:00am–12:00pm. Breakfast will be available starting at 8:30am.

WHERE:

Minuteman Ballroom, Reserve Officers Association
One Constitution Ave. NE, Washington, D.C., 20002

WHO:

- **Admiral Dennis C. Blair** (Sasakawa Peace Foundation USA)
- **Chen Weidong** (CNOOC Energy Economics Institute)
- **Li Zhidong** (Nagaoka University of Technology, Japan)
- **Li Bin** (Embassy of the People's Republic of China)
- **Erica Downs** (Eurasia Group)
- **Joanna Lewis** (Georgetown University)
- **Craig Gannett** (Henry M. Jackson Foundation)
- **John Hempelmann** (Henry M. Jackson Foundation)
- **Mikkal E. Herberg** (NBR, University of California, San Diego)
- **Meredith Miller** (NBR)

INTERVIEW OPPORTUNITIES:

Mikkal E. Herberg, Chen Wiedong, Erica Downs, and Li Zhidong will be available for interviews after the event and also by phone.

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