

Secretary Chu's response to the Special Report on The American Recovery and Reinvestment Act at the Department of Energy

Energy Secretary Steven Chu welcomes the work of the Inspector General in taking a proactive approach that will strengthen the Department's effort to prevent problems before they occur. Secretary Chu and his leadership team have developed clear risk mitigation approaches to ensure Recovery Act funds are spent responsibly. The Inspector General has been very helpful to the programs as they prepare to move funds to Recovery Act projects. These Inspector General best practices provide helpful additional preventative ideas and tools.