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(Washington, DC) – The Financial Crisis Inquiry Commission will release its report on the causes of the financial and economic crisis on Thursday, January 27, 2011, in Washington, D.C. At the event, the Commission will deliver the results of its inquiry and its conclusions as to the causes of the crisis based on this inquiry. The report with accompanying dissents will be delivered to the President and Congress and will be available to the public that day on the Commission’s website, through the Government Printing Office, and as a paperback and an e-book published by Public Affairs wherever books are sold. In the course of its research and investigation, the Commission reviewed millions of pages of documents, interviewed more than 700 witnesses, and held 19 days of public hearings in New York, Washington, D.C., and communities across the country that were hit hard by the crisis.

Press Conference

When: Thursday, January 27, 2011
When: 10am EST (expected duration 1 hour)
What: A presentation of the Commission’s final report and conclusions as to the causes of the financial and economic crisis followed by questions from the press.
Where: George Washington University
Media and Public Affairs Building – Jack Morton Auditorium
805 21st Street, NW
Washington, DC 20052
Remote: Those unable to join in person are invited to follow the press conference live at FCIC.gov. Credentialed members of the press may ask questions during the session by dialing into a hosted conference call at: 888-566-6140 (domestic) or 212-547-0224 (international); Passcode: FCIC.

Report Briefing and Availability (EMBARGOED)

On the morning of January 27, accredited members of the press will be allowed to view the Commission’s report prior to the start of the press conference. The report will be available in Washington and New York in printed form only. For admission, participants will need to have RSVP’d, received a confirmation email and must be willing to sign a confidentiality agreement agreeing to the embargo.

RSVP

For press interested in participating, please RSVP to RSVP@fcic.gov by Tuesday, January 25. Please indicate in the subject line if you are reserving a space for just the “Press Conference” or the “Embargo Session” (embargo respondents will be assumed participants in the press conference).

For all other press-related questions, contact Tucker Warren at twarren@fcic.gov.

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