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REP. CRANE STATEMENT ON BUSH U.N. ADDRESS ON IRAQ

WASHINGTON, D.C.– Congressman Phil Crane (R-IL) released the following statement today in response to President George W. Bush’s address before the United Nations General Assembly regarding Iraq.

“President Bush clearly outlined today why Saddam Hussein and his regime are threats to the United States and our allies. As he stated, they are continuing to violate human rights and sidestepping weapons inspections where they may either have or will soon have weapons of mass destruction.

“I believe the president is moving in the right direction to state his case before our allies on why action is indeed necessary. I urge the U.N. Security Council to consider and pass a resolution as soon as possible that will set inspections in motion,” Crane said.

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