Mr. President, this evening on the campus of Michigan

State University in Lansing I will be speaking on U.S. policy in Iraq.

My conclusion is that just as it took a new administration to extract

the United States from Vietnam, it will take a new administration to

extract us from Iraq in a way which leaves that country stable and

democratic. We cannot leave Iraq as we did Vietnam.

Nor can we just continue a western occupation of a Muslim nation that

is the target and magnet for violence and terror, and that has become

more destabilizing than stabilizing. We must change course in Iraq--or

else Iraq's future is not likely to be stability and democracy, and the

legacy to the world of the Iraq war is likely to be greater turmoil and

terror.

I ask unanimous consent that the remarks I will be making this

evening be included in full at this point in the Record.

There being no objection, the material was ordered to be printed in

the Record, as follows: