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## NEW APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE SUBCOMMITTEE CHAIRMEN APPROVED

WASHINGTON – The Democratic Caucus of the U.S. House of Representatives today approved two new Subcommittee Chairmen for the House Appropriations Committee:

- Congressman Norm Dicks (D-WA) as Chairman of the Subcommittee on Defense. He succeeds former Congressman John Murtha (D-PA) who passed away last month.
- Congressman Jim Moran (D-VA) as Chairman of the Subcommittee on Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies. He succeeds Congressman Dicks.

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