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John joined HHS with an extensive background in human resources and administrative management. John's most recent position was with Rolls-Royce plc. He began in 2001 as Executive Vice President, Human Resources for the Americas, responsible for regional HR strategy and policy setting and delivery of programs and services to the businesses and sites across the Americas. John later was appointed Executive Vice President for Rolls-Royce's global Energy Sector and finally, Executive Vice President for developing countries and emerging markets.

Prior to Rolls- Royce, John spent 20 years with Lockheed Martin Corporation. In his last three years he served as Vice President, Resources and Services for the 21,000-person Aeronautics Sector. There, he had responsibility for human resources, facilities and administrative services. Previously, he held senior human resource positions in each of the corporation's Electronics, Space and Information Sectors.

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