COALITION PROVISIONAL AUTHORITY REGULATION NUMBER 9

GOVERNING COUNCIL'S DISSOLUTION

_Pursuant_ to my authority as Administrator of the Coalition Provisional Authority, and under the laws and usages of war, and consistent with relevant U.N. Security Council resolutions, including Resolutions 1483 and 1511,

_Not ing_ that the Governing Council has approved the Law of Administration for the State of Iraq for the Transitional Period (TAL) and its Annex and charted a course to elections and a democratic future for Iraq, and

_Recognizing_ that the Governing Council has completed its work on behalf of the Iraqi people,

I hereby promulgate the following:

Section 1
Dissolution of the Governing Council

1) The CPA acknowledges the actions taken by the Governing Council to dissolve itself on June 1, 2004 as part of the ongoing evolution in the structures of the interim Iraqi administration, as contemplated by Resolutions 1483 and 1511.

2) CPA Regulation No. 6, Governing Council of Iraq (CPA/REG/13 July 2003/6), and CPA Memorandum No. 6, Implementation of Regulation on the Governing Council (CPA/MEM/03 September 2003/6), are hereby rescinded.

Section 2
Entry into Force

The Regulation shall enter into force on the date of signature.

_L. Paul Bremer, Administrator_
Coalition Provisional Authority

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