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## **President Obama and Administration To Play Major Role in Copenhagen**

*Washington, DC*—The White House announced this morning that President Obama will travel to Copenhagen with top Administration officials to play a central role in negotiating an international agreement to fight global warming. Environment America Federal Global Warming Program Director Emily Figdor issued the following statement in response:

“We applaud President Obama and the Administration for bringing the United States to the international negotiating table to solve global warming. While the United States has gained a reputation of obstructionism in the fight against global warming, strong energy and global warming policies in the states and the President's leadership over the past year have set us on a new path. We look forward to the President's leadership in Copenhagen to reach international agreement on a science-based and binding plan to stop global warming.”

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