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The Comptroller General appointed 13 individuals to the HIT Policy Committee today. This committee is responsible for developing a policy framework which will be used by the HIT Standards Committee to develop EHR certification standards. Other members of the Policy Committee will be appointed by the Secretary of HHS, the majority and minority leaders of the Senate and House, and the President. These appointments are expected within the next week.

The GAO press release can be found at the following web address:
http://www.gao.gov/press/health_it_committee2009apr03.pdf .