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University of St. Thomas' Center for International Studies Presents: "Environment: The Other Challenge of the Mexico- US Agenda"

WHO: Jose Manuel Bulas Montoro, director of International Affairs, Mexico Department of Environment and Natural Resources, will discuss the "Environment: The Other Challenge of the Mexico-U.S. Agenda"

WHEN: 12:30 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 15

WHERE: Council of Clubs Room, Crooker Center, 3909 Graustark

BACKGROUND: Bulas Montoro is an active member of the National Action Party. He was chief of information during the administration of Governor Alberto Cardenas in the state of Jalisco. He was a commercial advisor at the NAFTA support office of the National Confederation of Industrial Chambers, and has been in charge of negotiating and coordinating the signature of approximately 30 international agreements related to the Kyoto Protocol, climate change, water, genetic resources and bilateral cooperation. He was in charge of coordinating the Energy and Environment Ministerial Meeting of the G8+5 during the IV World Forum. The lecture is sponsored by the Center for International Studies.

Bulas Montoro has a BA degree in International Studies from the National University of Mexico, a MBA from the Monterrey Institute of Technology and a series of certificate programs including one on International Business from Georgetown University and one on International Negotiations from the John F. Kennedy School of Government at Harvard University.

COST: Free and open to the public.

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