U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

READOUT: Secretary of the Treasury Janet L. Yellen's Call with Australian Treasurer Josh Frydenberg

March 1, 2021

WASHINGTON - Earlier today, Secretary of the Treasury Janet L. Yellen spoke with Australian Treasurer Josh Frydenberg. During the call, Secretary Yellen affirmed the importance of the economic cooperation under the U.S.-Australia alliance. Secretary Yellen conveyed her priorities for supporting strong recovery efforts and mitigating the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic, combatting inequality and creating jobs, and fighting climate change. Secretary Yellen noted her interest in working closely with Treasurer Josh Frydenberg to advance mutual priorities, including in the Indo-Pacific region.

###