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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

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Sally,

The attached is FYI
& for any other background
you feel pertinent. I
have spoken to Jon
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the essentials. It
would appear Jon Napier
is proceeding appropriately.
Thank you, P.D.

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WASHINGTON

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Date: 19 AUG 91

TO:

Phil Brady

FROM:

JAN NAYLOR

Deputy Assistant to the President
and Deputy Director of
Presidential Personnel
Ext. 6444

I talked to Randall tonight and agreed to meet with her after she's interviewed at Education. She makes several claims as to what "the President agreed to" during their "meeting" (which I understood to be a courtesy cup of coffee). At any rate, we will attempt to ~~find~~ find a fit with America 2000.

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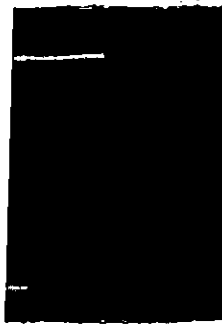


THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Date: 8/15/91

FOR: JAN NAYLOR

FROM: PHILLIP BRADY
Assistant to the President
and Staff Secretary

- ☐ Information
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 - ☐ Let's Discuss
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Dear President Bush;

July 26, 1991

I'm a pest I know, but I do have a current problem while waiting for the NRI projects to be defined. I'm very interested in their goals, and don't want to miss out now, but the timing of my decision to find a place in the administration, coinciding back in January with the Gulf crisis, could leave me in limbo for some time yet. It makes the decision to accept interim commitments difficult, but it also opens up the opportunity to participate in some important events pending full-time placement.

The Festival of Solidarity, at which hundreds of youth from thirty-four countries will meet with fifteen hundred adult leaders in politics, economics, and culture, takes place in September as part of the Swiss Seventh Century celebration. The emphasis of this particular encounter is on youth, and I hope my presence will increase my contacts for an International Youth Congress proposal in Houston that I'm preparing for Young Republicans.

However, I'm working to present myself at these events as a serious Republican, not as a performer (although always willing to sing if asked!) By now everyone at home understands my stance, so I've been able to gain mileage out of both roles. Combining my activities made it unnecessary to ask for expenses or special titles, but I realize I am presently only "a former Campaigner" with no status with the youth of most nations - exceptions being the Soviet bloc from touring, or in England where I campaigned in the Parliamentary elections. I suddenly feel a little insecure "without portfolio" under these conditions and I don't feel I can cover much ground in a large group without some kind of official sanction.

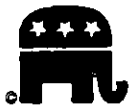
If you like the general outline of future youth involvement, and the concept of a Youth Congress (privately funded but I hope back-to-back with the Convention in Houston) I hope you may see fit to give a nod of approval to help me establish rapport to go forward while things are developing here.

I think we, youth, need many opportunities to exchange and develop acquaintance, skills, and understanding to pave the way for the time when we're the principal players in the Summits. We need the vision now to study role models like yourself, Prime Minister Major, Soviet and other leaders as they emerge so that we are ready to carry out the critical decisions for the future you are making.

I've had a good start enlisting corporation funding for youth efforts I've lobbied in the past, and I'm willing to work for their cooperation in future events. With the expansion of ECC and shifting trade barriers, international efforts are even more interesting to many of them, and the Swiss agenda should widen my contacts to build upon abroad. However, I sense that - if I'm to be taken seriously in these endeavors, I have to stop being introduced as a little orphan of the Depression!

Sincerely,


Randall Brooks



Republican
National
Committee

Clayton Yeutter
Chairman

91 SEP -2 AM 8:34

August 30, 1991

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: CLAYTON YEUTTER

A short report this week because all is relatively quiet. The Soviet situation has pushed politics to the back burner.

Gore's announcement that he will not run for the presidency seems to have stimulated increased interest on the part of some of the second tier Democrats. It looks now as if my fellow Nebraskan, Bob Kerrey, will jump in, as will Doug Wilder. I doubt that either has any realistic expectations of getting the top job, but the exposure could put them in line as possible Vice Presidential candidates. A number of folks in the Midwest have long been positing a Cuomo/Kerrey ticket.

Wilder will get some attention because he is black, and because Jesse Jackson's star has fallen so much, but he has been badly bruised by his conflict with Chuck Robb.

Kerrey will get attention as a Congressional Medal of Honor winner, and through his liaison with Debra Winger and his prairie populism. He'll push the health care agenda, with his proposal being essentially the Canadian system. And he'll demagogue on everything, at least as much as Tom Harkin. Kerrey was one of your most vociferous Congressional opponents on the Persian Gulf resolution, but he's been smart enough to concede that he made a mistake.

Harkin reportedly will announce his candidacy on about September 15, and he'll be a "labor party" candidate. Neither he nor Kerrey is likely to be civil in their attacks on you and the Administration. They'll be the two hatchet men of the primary campaign season.

I was in Arkansas earlier this week and the general feeling among Republicans there is that Clinton will also run, though that could bring his personal life under increased scrutiny and could perhaps cause him some embarrassment.

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Notwithstanding that risk, they see him as too ambitious personally to resist the temptation. Even though he may judge his 1992 probabilities of success as being quite low, he'll want to posture himself for 1996.

The Democratic slate by the end of September will, therefore, likely include Tsongas, Harkin, Clinton, Kerrey and Wilder. Cuomo will continue to run as an "unannounced" candidate, ready to jump in if a coronation becomes achievable.

I was also in South Carolina this week, and our folks there are quietly working on a possible conversion of the Democratic Lieutenant Governor. We'll come to you if they need help in that endeavor. Should that conversion occur, Carroll Campbell might entertain the Senate race, and he'd win it. Campbell is clearly one of the most appealing political figures in the entire South.

I was in North Carolina too, and met most of our Senatorial candidates there. I had hoped to be more favorably impressed, but I still feel we have a good chance of winning that race.

I did a fundraiser in Kentucky for Larry Hopkins and he is elated that you'll be in soon to help him. Hopkins just hasn't raised much money yet, and he'll be overwhelmingly outspent at the end if he doesn't get untracked quickly. I do believe he is campaigning reasonably well, and our slate for the other state offices is good -- apparently much better than the Democrats. So we could win some of those races too if Hopkins comes from behind in these final weeks.

While in Tennessee I discovered that Joe Rodgers had nearly died earlier this year when he had an insulin reaction while vacationing with Honey in the Bahamas. The Bahamian hospital misdiagnosed the problem, treated him for what they thought was a heart attack, and almost lost him. It has taken him several months to recover, and he still looks thin and pale. You might want to pen him a short note if you were unaware of this.

We had a discussion of convention activities earlier this week, and that process is on track. We'll be narrowing in on the key hotel selections within a few days. Bill Harris has now selected Jim Wray and Hector Irastorza as two of his top people, and they should both do well.

We'll be glad to have you back in town in a few days. We had our daughter and son-in-law in from Japan so that was a good respite for Jeanne and me.

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

August 30, 1991

MEMORANDUM FOR RON GEISLER

FROM: Phillip D. Brady 
SUBJECT: Presidential Commission

Andy Card has approved the preparation of a commission for the following person:

Constance Horner of the District of Columbia
Assistant to the President and
Director of Presidential Personnel

Thank you.

cc: Rose Zamaria

THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary

EMBARGOED FOR RELEASE
UNTIL SEPTEMBER 2, 1991

AUGUST 30, 1991

The President today named the volunteer drivers of Eastman Chemical's Research Meals on Wheels team of Kingsport, Tennessee, as the 551st Daily Point of Light for the Nation. Fifty-five employees extend their lunch hour once a month to deliver prepared meals to elderly, disabled, and homebound individuals.

The team of drivers began this service in the summer of 1989 after a company employee learned that nearly 50 elderly and disabled residents were on the Meals on Wheels delivery waiting list. When the employees discovered that a lack of volunteer drivers prevented the people from receiving this service, they formed their own team and assumed responsibility for a Meals on Wheels route. A rotating team of two to three drivers, using their own cars, spend their lunch hour delivering twenty-one nutritious noonday meals. Since the Research Division drivers group operates completely on unpaid, lunch hour time, the company permits the employees to make up the hours either before or after work. As the program evolved, some of the drivers' spouses have been helping and preparing the meals.

In addition to delivering meals, the team helps with the well-being of each person, and in many cases, this is the only help these individuals have each day. The team provides more personal relationships and the Meals on Wheels clients are helped with house repairs, plumbing, electrical and yard support to their homebound residents.

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The President salutes the volunteer drivers of the Research Meals on Wheels Team for demonstrating their belief in the definition of a successful life.

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FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Tracey Taylor or Jill Chodorov
(202) 456-6266

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

DATE: 08/29/91

NOTE FOR: EDE HOLIDAY

The President has reviewed the attached, and it is
forwarded to you for your:

Information ☐

Action ☒

Please dispatch to Secretary Skinner.

Thank you.

PHILLIP D. BRADY
Assistant to the President
and Staff Secretary
(x2702)

cc:

GEORGE BUSH

Sam -
Loved it
Great GB!

8-20-91

Flying to Kport

SAMUEL K. SKINNER
SECRETARY OF TRANSPORTATION



*The Nomination of
Judge Clarence Thomas to the
Supreme Court*

Address to
The Federal Bar Association
Chicago, Illinois
July 12, 1991

THE PRESIDENT HAS SEEN

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WASHINGTON

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NOTE FOR: PAUL BATEMAN

The President has reviewed the attached, and it is
forwarded to you for your:

Information ☒ XXX

Action ☐

Thank you.

PHILLIP D. BRADY
Assistant to the President
and Staff Secretary
(x2702)

cc:

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WASHINGTON

August 19, 1991

MEMORANDUM FOR GOVERNOR JOHN SUNUNU
CHIEF OF STAFF

FROM: PAUL W. BATEMAN *Paul Bateman*
DEPUTY ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT FOR MANAGEMENT

SUBJECT: Recycling

This is in follow-up to your request for additional information on recycling.

In July 1990, a program was begun to recycle newspapers and aluminum cans, and in June 1991 a program to recycle office waste paper was instituted. These programs represent our continuing effort to participate actively in helping to reduce the growing solid waste problem.

Since instituting these recycling efforts, approximately 5,500 pounds of aluminum cans, 77 1/2 tons of newspapers, and 30 tons of office wastepaper have been recycled.

Funds from the sale of aluminum cans are donated to the Childrens Hospital in Washington, D.C., which participates in a national program called Aluminum Cans for Burned Children. To date, approximately \$1,800 has been donated to this program.

Newspapers are transported to a collection point where \$15 a ton is realized from the sale of the newspapers. This results in a reduction of the dumping costs which would have been incurred by the General Services Administration had the newspapers been hauled to a landfill.

The office wastepaper is shredded for security reasons and then transported to a paper company which is attempting to use this shredded wastepaper in the production of various paper products.

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NOTE FOR: ROGER PORTER

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Information ☒ XXX

Action ☐

Thank you.

PHILLIP D. BRADY
Assistant to the President
and Staff Secretary
(x2702)

cc:

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

August 19, 1991

MEMORANDUM FOR GOVERNOR SUNUNU

FROM: ROGER B. PORTER *RBP*
SUBJECT: HIV and Immigration

I am leaving early tomorrow morning for Seattle and the National Education Goals Panel meeting in the afternoon and then will catch a red-eye flight back arriving early Wednesday morning.

A memorandum on HIV and Immigration is attached. If you have any questions, and I am out of pocket, please call Hanns Kuttner (ext. 6563), who is familiar with the details of this issue.

See you when I get back.

Attachment

RsgL

*Good report
Good release
by HHS*

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to the "extreme"
pressure
The Globe
inaccurately
reports*

*End of
Commit*

CP

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

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NOTE FOR: EDE HOLIDAY

The President has reviewed the attached, and it is
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Please dispatch to Secretary Watkins.

Thank you.

PHILLIP D. BRADY
Assistant to the President
and Staff Secretary
(x2702)

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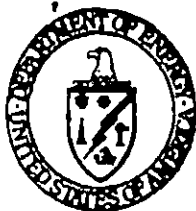
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THE PRESIDENT HAS SEEN Secretary of Energy
Washington, DC 20585

August 13, 1991

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

SUBJECT: U.S./SOVIET WORKSHOP ON FOSSIL ENERGY TECHNOLOGIES

The 8-day U.S./Soviet Workshop and industrial site tours on fossil energy concluded on August 7, 1991, with the signing of a record of meeting by Deputy Secretary Henson Moore and the Soviet head of delegation, Rantik Margulov, First Deputy Chair of the State Fuels and Energy Commission. Both the Soviet and U.S. participants considered the workshop to be an overwhelming success.

The workshop was a major step towards implementing your commitment at the G-7 and Moscow Summits to provide technical assistance to the Soviet Union. A wide range of coal, oil and gas technology-related issues were discussed. Agreement was reached on the next steps (summary attached), ranging from commitments to exchange of information on clean coal and enhanced oil and gas production technologies, to U.S. trade missions in areas where the United States has technology to offer and the Soviets have a need to procure.

Just as encouraging was the positive feedback we received from U.S. industry participants in the workshop who sponsored site visits to oil, gas and coal facilities. They not only found the workshop of value but, in several instances, agreed with their Soviet counterparts to pursue private industry initiatives. For example, Amoco invited several Soviet coal liquefaction specialists to visit their facilities later this year to explore the feasibility of a cooperative research program, and the possibility of jointly constructing a coal liquefaction demonstration plant.

Finally, the Soviets floated the possibility of Lev Ryabev, a Deputy Prime Minister and Chairman of the State Fuels and Energy Commission, making his first trip ever to the United States in October to sign with me the proposed non-nuclear energy umbrella agreement. Henson Moore is reviewing this with the State Department and the National Security Council. I am considering making my first trip to the Soviet Union early next year to mark the Department's progress in bilateral technical cooperation on energy and science.

I will keep you apprised of our progress.

James D. Watkins
Admiral, U.S. Navy (Retired)

Attachment

8-20-91

Jim -
Good report.
Regularly these
matters will be
on hold for
awhile -

Hope we get
a break on
comp matters

CB
8-20-91

(Flying to
Main)

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Please dispatch to Secretary Martin.

Thank you.

PHILLIP D. BRADY
Assistant to the President
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cc:

GEORGE BUSH

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Lynn -

Love this
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flying to K'port

Labor chief: We're going to kick 'glass'

N.Y. DAILY NEWS 8/9/91

BY FRANK JACOBSON

News Staff Writer

WASHINGTON — Labor Secretary Lynn Martin yesterday unveiled a program to help companies break the "glass ceiling" — the invisible barrier that keeps women and minorities from climbing the corporate ladder.

"The times they are a-changing," said Martin, who promised to use her "bully pulpit" as a member of President Bush's cabinet to "encourage" corporations to develop strategies for promoting more women and minorities.

"We want to be the catalyst for change," she said. "We have not and will not act as personnel directors."

Martin said the program was conceived after a year-long department study of nine of the nation's 500 biggest firms turned up widespread barriers to promotion.

The study showed the unidentified companies "had a level beyond which minorities and women had not advanced ... (and) this ceiling was at a much lower management level than first thought."

Minorities were even lower down the

ladder than women.

The review found minorities and women had made "significant gains at the entry level of employment and (into the first level of management)" but had not moved up despite "increased experience, credentials (and) overall qualifications."

Martin and other Labor officials stressed that none of the companies was guilty of outright discrimination.

But, they said, all the firms engaged in practices — intentionally or unintentionally — that served to keep women and minorities from moving up to middle- and upper-level management jobs.

Among the practices: Reliance on word-of-mouth referrals to fill top-level jobs rather than more formal methods that include women and minorities, and lack of access for women and minorities to management development and training programs.

To dismantle the glass ceiling, Martin said, the Labor Department will conduct more studies, educate its officials, mount a campaign to encourage companies to make voluntary improvements and set up an awards program.

THE PRESIDENT HAS SEEN

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

8/29

Rose.

It would be very much appreciated if you would give favorable consideration to the attached which is the hopefully final product of five months of diligent work by your office and mine in attempting to work out a fair mechanism to recognize certain exemplary employees in the lower grades. In my judgment the attached minimal request is important from a morale point of view in ORM and I strongly endorse it. Thank you, Geo

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

SCHEDULE PROPOSAL

AUGUST 14, 1991

TO:

Katherine Super
Deputy Assistant to the President
for Appointments and Scheduling

THROUGH:

Phillip D. Brady
Assistant to the President
and Staff Secretary

Shirley M. Green
Special Assistant to the President
for Messages and Correspondence

FROM:

C. Dian Moore *COM*
Director, Greetings, Comments
and Volunteers

REQUEST:

President to drop by Volunteer's
Briefing.

PURPOSE:

The volunteers will be attending a
briefing conducted by Peter Ford,
a local news anchor who spent
several weeks in Saudi during
Desert Storm and Desert Shield.
Peter will show out-takes and
share some of his experiences.

The purpose of the briefing is to
acknowledge the extra hours and
effort the volunteers expended
during the last year in helping
with the hundreds of thousands
pieces of mail and the tens of
thousands of telephone calls
connected with Desert Shield and
Desert Storm.

PREVIOUS
PARTICIPATION:

Shortly after coming into office
the President stopped by the
Volunteer Office on a Monday
and later on a Wednesday. Since
most volunteers come in only one
day a week, very few had an
opportunity to see him. Although
seating is limited in room 450,
this would give the President an
opportunity to thank a much larger
segment of the 400 volunteers.

*8/29
per Kristin w/ Super
this will be on
Long-Range next
week.*

DATE AND TIME:

Monday, September 9, 1991
any time between
10:30 and 11:30 A.M.

LOCATION:

Room 450, OEOB

PARTICIPANTS:

Phillip D. Brady, Shirley M. Green
Peter S. Ford, News Anchor (main
speaker) and C. Dian Moore

OUTLINE OF EVENTS:

Welcoming remarks by Dian Moore.
Introduction of the President by
appropriate official. Brief remarks
by the President (2-3 minutes).
President would depart; briefing
would continue.

REMARKS REQUIRED:

Yes. A briefing paper will be
provided upon request.

MEDIA COVERAGE:

No. Staff photographer only.

RECOMMENDED BY:

OPPOSED BY:

Please note:

This is the second such proposal, last one in March 1990 which
was turned down. The White House Volunteers have not been
acknowledged during Volunteer Week the last two years.

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

August 13, 1991

Copy of
invitation
to the volunteer

You are cordially invited to attend a very special program presented by Peter Ford of NBC's WRC-TV Channel 4. Peter is anchor for the award-winning news show "Live at Five".

Desert Shield began one year ago this month. It is fitting that we reflect on all that has happened since August 2, 1990 and no one is more qualified to speak to us than an "on the scene" reporter.

We are very fortunate that Mr. Ford has accepted our invitation in spite of his very heavy speaking schedule. His topic will deal with his own personal experiences and observations during his many weeks in Saudi Arabia.

Event: VOLUNTEER BRIEFING
Date: MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 1991
Time: 10:30 AM
Where: ROOM 450 OEOB

Please R.S.V.P. no later than close of business Wednesday, September 4, 1991. Reservations can only be made by calling the volunteer telephone, (202) 456-2447. DO NOT CALL ANY OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE LINES OR THE COMMENT LINES. CALL ONLY THE VOLUNTEER LINE. Due to the limited seating in room 450, we can only accommodate the first 215 people who call. Each volunteer must make his or her own reservation.

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

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EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
COUNCIL ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20503

91 AUG 28 PM 4:00

August 28, 1991

MEMORANDUM FOR PHIL BRADY
ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT
AND STAFF SECRETARY

FROM: DAVID STRUHS *[Signature]*
CEQ CHIEF OF STAFF

Re: Update on President's Environment and Conservation Awards

We have notified appropriate people at Steuben and the parent company, Corning Incorporated, that we will not be going forward with a crystal award for the President's Environment and Conservation Challenge Awards. They were gracious and understanding of our decision.

In the final analysis, we felt that the award would be more appropriate and effective if it was a more traditional type of Presidential award, namely a medal.

Medals will also be more than ten times less costly than the crystal design being considered.

As you know, we are using the Department of the Interior's "Take Pride in America" program as the mechanism for legally acquiring and disseminating the awards. We have also begun working with the Department of the Army's Institute of Heraldry on designing the medal. The Executive Clerk is aware of our plans.

Two hurdles we will need to clear in order to have the medals in hand for the awards ceremony on October 30 include:

-- a speedy review and approval of the design through your office, and

-- expediting the Army's contracting procedures for the production of the medals, if at all possible.

We will keep you posted as plans unfold -- particularly at those points when your influence would help in keeping things on schedule for October 30.

Thank you for your considerable help on this effort so far.

cc: Andy Card

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

August 26, 1991

NOTE TO MARK ALBRECHT:

As we discussed, please find attached the brochure for the Third Annual Symposium on The Law and Outer Space and a copy of last year's letter of greeting from the Vice President to the Second Annual Symposium. The sponsors of this year's program, particularly the Federal Bar Association Transportation Law Section Chair Bern Diederich, (366-9154), have asked if the Vice President could again do a letter for distribution at the conference. Bern Diederich can provide whatever additional information you need with respect to this request. Thank you for your consideration.


Phillip D. Brady



THE VICE PRESIDENT
WASHINGTON

July 17, 1990

Dear Friends:

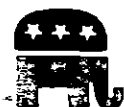
Please accept my congratulations on your Second Annual Symposium On The Law And Outer Space. Space is playing an ever increasing role in all of our lives. Its commercial uses are already significant and will be expanded in the future. A dialogue amongst practitioners on issues of law in this growing commercial area has great importance. The participation of law students in this symposium helps lay a foundation for assuring continued U.S. interest and leadership in space.

I congratulate Georgetown University Law Center, its Space Law Group, as well as the FBA Transportation Law and International Law Sections for arranging once again a timely symposium on America's commercial space activity.

Best wishes for this and all your endeavors on behalf of our future in space.

Sincerely,

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Republican
National
Committee

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Clayton Yeutter
Chairman

August 23, 1991

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: CLAYTON YEUTTER

What a foreign policy week! Congratulations on another skillful performance. The events of the past three days are likely to have reverberations--hopefully positive--for years to come.

You are in a much better position to analyze what transpired than I, but the one perplexing element of all this is Gorbachev's continued embracing of the Communist Party. If he persists, he will be too cautious with his economic reforms and they'll almost assuredly fail. That could hasten his departure as chief of state, with Yeltsin or someone else who will provide bold, aggressive leadership replacing him.

The domestic political fallout will be good here at home. It has to be discouraging to potential Democratic candidates, and it keeps them on the sidelines for a while longer. It may keep some of them on the sidelines forever. All of this works to Cuomo's advantage, too, of course (vis-a-vis his Democrat competitors), if he decides to jump in.

I'll be in Oklahoma tonight and Arkansas tomorrow, so will next week give you any additional insights that might emerge on Clinton.

As Ron Kaufman may have reported by now, the Democratic Governors made a run at us on health care at the National Governors Conference in Seattle, but the Soviet situation relegated them to the back pages. The Republican Governors apparently handled the situation well too. So we avoided that bullet, but there'll be a lot more on that issue over the next 14 months. It won't be a determining issue in the Presidential race, but as an administration and party we need a more definitive game plan for health care than we have today. There are lots of people working on it, but we've got to pull together a cohesive strategy as we enter 1992.

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The Vice President made an outstanding presentation to the American Bar Association on the anti-competitive aspects of our litigious society. The lawyers didn't like it, of course, but just about everybody else did! He's gotten excellent editorial support for his message. This can be added to the Bush domestic agenda, and is another issue on which we can take an offensive, rather than defensive, posture.

You may also have noted that the annualized trade deficit is now below \$50 billion, an incredible improvement from the \$170 billion level that prevailed when I became USTR in 1985. I'm sure not taking credit for that improvement, but the Reagan and Bush Administrations can. Even if the deficit rises somewhat during our economic recovery, as expected, the change in six years is far beyond what anyone predicted. It is also evidence that we're a lot more internationally competitive than anyone prognosticated. We haven't deindustrialized America as a lot of the defeatists suggested would occur. There are some very positive messages within this area for the 1992 campaign.

Ken Duberstein and your top people are doing an excellent job with the Clarence Thomas nomination. If he handles himself well at the confirmation hearings, he'll be set. That will be helpful with our 1992 outreach efforts, for we'll be able to offer as a role model a conservative black who has made it all the way to the top of the heap.

The political scene will be quiet until after Labor Day, and the longer it stays quiet the better from our standpoint--except for fundraising. But the mail still keeps rolling in. I am astounded at the number of letters we get; you'd think this place was a second government! For reasons I cannot fathom, people seem to believe the RNC can solve their problems. I'll keep you apprised of any trends that seem relevant, and you can compare with what you are receiving at the White House. At the moment most of the fuss is over the economy, with a lot of comments relating either to the budget deficit, excess spending, or the alleged lack of a domestic agenda. A healthy economic recovery is obviously the antidote to that, so let's hope we get it.

Finally, we need to make sure that over the next 14 months you do a lot of press conferences or similar events with a question and answer format. That is by far your most effective method of communication with the American public. It is infinitely superior to speeches and other such presentations in demonstrating your command of a wide variety of issues, your gracious way of handling people, and your self confidence and leadership qualities. If you'll do an event like this every couple of weeks from now until the election, the Democrats are done!

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THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of National Service

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

August 27, 1991

The President today named Ms. Lola Reppenhagen of Kenmore, New York, as the 546th Daily Point of Light for the Nation. Ms. Reppenhagen, 74, has served as a volunteer and advocate for blind and visually impaired individuals within her community for the past 24 years.

Ms. Reppenhagen, who has been blind since the age of 30, devotes over 70 hours a month to "Visions Unlimited", an organization which she established in 1978 for the purpose of enabling other blind individuals to cope with their disabilities. Ms. Reppenhagen is active as a leader and guest lecturer of the group which meets on a weekly basis. Most recently, the group has expanded its activities to include a week long summer camp for members, aged 18 years and older. In addition to developing the concept, Ms. Reppenhagen has secured the resources needed to institute the recreational aspects of Visions Unlimited. She also founded "Blind Leading the Blind", a self-help organization that has been adopted in six locations throughout Western New York State.

Ms. Reppenhagen's involvement with members of the blind and visually impaired community extends beyond her affiliation with Visions Unlimited. She has committed her time and talent to the League for Sightless Bowlers and serves on the Board of Directors of the Niagara Frontier Radio Reading Service as well as on several committees of the Blind Association of Western New York.

The President salutes Ms. Reppenhagen for her community service efforts and for demonstrating his belief that, "From now on in America, any definition of a successful life must include serving others."

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THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

August 28, 1991

The President today named the volunteers of the Near North Little League of Chicago, Illinois, as the 547th Daily Point of Light for the Nation. The Near North Little League, located in the Cabrini Green housing complex in Chicago, is supported through the efforts and contributions of over 60 volunteers and many corporate sponsors.

Alvin Carter, who is Near North Little League's president and resides near Cabrini Green, established the league in collaboration with local businessman Robert Muzikowski in 1990. Carter and Muzikowski worked to transform an overgrown, litter strewn lot in Cabrini Green into a baseball field. Through Muzikowski's fundraising efforts, local businesses supplied bats, balls, mitts, uniforms, and other equipment for the 30 teams that make up Near North. Parents, neighbors, and local business executives serve as coaches and volunteers during the baseball season and on related projects throughout the year.

There are currently 300 children who are members of the teams in the Near North Little League. Many of the youngsters come from single parent homes or have been abandoned by their parents. The league has become a welcomed refuge for the neighborhood children who are also victimized by gang violence. Mr. Carter has been instrumental in structuring a comprehensive recreational program for the youngsters consisting of self-awareness classes, discussions, and educational courses which include instruction in African-American studies. In addition, a volunteer police officer meets with the children on a regular basis to instruct them about the dangers of drugs and alcohol. The league's young participants are strongly encouraged to attend all these sessions. The multifaceted aspects of Near North Little League's program have captured the interest of many parents and children in Cabrini Green and the surrounding communities. Next summer's plans are to expand the league to include girls as well as to accommodate over 50 youth who are on the waiting list for this summer.

The President salutes the volunteers of the Near North Little League for their community service efforts and for demonstrating his belief that, "From now on in America, any definition of a successful life must include serving others."

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Office of the Press Secretary

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

August 29, 1991

The President named the volunteers of Religious Community Services, Inc. (RCS) of Clearwater, Florida, as the 548th Daily Point of Light for the Nation. RCS is an ecumenical coalition of 69 congregations which work together to provide services for hungry, homeless, and abused individuals in the Upper Pinellas County.

Founded in 1967, RCS recruits area congregations to provide comprehensive services to the community residents by pooling their resources and supplementing existing assistance where needed. Over 400 volunteers support the various programs sponsored by RCS. In the RCS food pantry, volunteers package food, distribute meals, interview families and work with them to prevent long-term dependency on RCS services and other forms of assistance. Volunteers are assigned to the emergency shelter where food and clothing are provided as well as emergency housing. The residents are counseled by volunteers and staff in establishing educational and employment goals. Occasionally, the shelter residents are referred to other agencies for crisis intervention.

RCS also operates a 21-unit, six month transitional housing complex for homeless single parent families who are seeking a more stable environment and permanent living arrangements. The volunteers of the RCS Furniture Warehouse assist them, and the residents of the other RCS-supported shelters, in furnishing their own apartments.

In addition, RCS provides a Spouse Abuse Shelter for victims of domestic violence. After attending 20 hours of basic training, between 12 and 15 volunteers work as legal advocates for the victims, accompanying them to court, and offering them general support throughout the legal process. Volunteers also work with a professional counselor in leading support groups for the residents. Furthermore, RCS supports and recruits volunteers for numerous programs in the area including: Adopt-A-Grandchild program; a free medical clinic; homes for the mentally disabled; emergency short-term housing for unemployed singles; and a counseling program for individuals with personal problems, alcoholism, and drug addiction.

The President salutes the volunteers of Religious Community Services for their community service efforts and for demonstrating his belief that, "From now on in America, any definition of a successful life must include serving others."

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Office of the Press Secretary

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

August 30, 1991

The President today named the volunteers of The Children's Home-Chambliss Shelter of Chattanooga, Tennessee, as the 549th Daily Point of Light for the Nation. The Children's Home provides extended child care services to families from the Chattanooga area, while the Chambliss Shelter provides emergency care for children who have been separated from their parents due to physical or sexual abuse, neglect, and abandonment. The Home and Shelter serve children from birth to age twelve.

The Children's Home was founded as an orphanage in 1872 to rescue young children whose parents had succumbed to yellow fever. The Home was supported entirely by the local residents who supplied food, clothing, and other basic necessities. Over the decades, as the community's needs changed, the Home was transformed into an extended child care center operating 24 hours a day, seven days a week. In 1983, the Chambliss Shelter was added to resume residential care for children on an emergency basis.

Today, the 160 volunteers of the Home and Shelter provide companionship, assistance, and tutoring services for over 700 children. The Home and Shelter are supported by 31 local organizations, and they draw many of their volunteers from surrounding high schools and colleges. The students serve as special friends and role models for the children and devote much of their time to the socialization of these youngsters through talking, listening, and reading. They organize and participate in activities and outdoor games that are meaningful and instructive for the children. Other volunteers teach the children arts and crafts, conduct story hours, or lead music and dance classes. The involvement of the volunteers enhances the lives and self-worth of dependent children.

The President salutes the volunteers for The Children's Home-Chambliss Shelter for their community service efforts and for demonstrating his belief that, "From now on in America, any definition of a successful life must include serving others."

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THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary

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UNTIL AUGUST 31, 1991

August 30, 1991

The President today named Regula Josi, of Toledo, Ohio, as the 550th Daily Point of Light for the Nation. Ms. Josi, a 48-year old originally from Switzerland, has accepted responsibility for those in need in her new homeland. Ms. Josi has been dedicated to ensuring the safety and well-being of children as a volunteer court advocate.

In 1981, she joined the Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA), through which she serves as a guardian ad litem at the Lucas County Juvenile Court. During the last ten years, she has helped 100 children by offering her self-taught knowledge of juvenile justice and the court system.

As a guardian ad litem, Ms. Josi fills a critical need for children, from birth to age eighteen, who have been abused and neglected. She investigates the circumstances and background of each child by interviewing family, friends, foster parents, neighbors, and other persons knowledgeable of the child's situation. She attends all court hearings and agency meetings on behalf of the young person. Her colleagues have nicknamed her "Colombo" and "007" for her thorough and extensive investigations. Upon completion of her research, Ms. Josi presents her recommendations to the court. Ms. Josi commits an average 240 hours per month protecting the interests of these dependent young people. She has also taken a personal interest in the children that transcends the courtroom environment by driving the children to doctor's appointments, counseling sessions, or accompanying them on visits with family members.

The President salutes Ms. Josi for her community service efforts and for demonstrating his belief that, "From now on in America, any definition of a successful life must include serving others."

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THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

August 26, 1991

The President today named the volunteers of the St. Patrick Center of St. Louis, Missouri, as the 545th Daily Point of Light for the Nation. More than 2000 volunteers of the St. Patrick Center help over 30,000 homeless individuals and at-risk families each year.

The services offered through the St. Patrick Center ("Center") enable local residents to make permanent and positive changes in their lifestyles and to become independent and self-sufficient members of the community. Currently, the Center's shelter, the Shamrock Club, responds to emergency calls and meets the basic needs of 250 people per day.

Through the work and commitment of its volunteers, the Center provides a comprehensive array of programs to assist low-income and homeless persons improve their social, educational, and economic conditions. The program's participants work with the staff and volunteers to establish goals to achieve stability in their lives. The educational and social development opportunities of the St. Patrick Center include: GED and adult literacy classes, a restaurant training program, an employment services agency, drug and alcohol rehabilitation, marriage and family counseling, programs in parenting skills, temporary shelters and transitional housing, mobile outreach, on the job training programs as well as social activities for children.

Many volunteers lend their professional expertise after hours to the Center: lawyers manage the Free Legal Aid Program; accountants offer assistance to homeless families residing in the shelters; computer programmers maintain the records and files of the Center; and nurses provide specialized care to the residents. Additional volunteers offer companionship, direction and assistance to homeless individuals through the Night Shelter Program; others help clients through a home weatherization program, drive participants to job interviews and medical appointments or care for the children of parents attending classes.

The President salutes the volunteers of the St. Patrick Center for their community service efforts and for demonstrating his belief that, "From now on in America, any definition of a successful life must include serving others."

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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20508

August 23, 1991

MEMORANDUM FOR PHILLIP D. BRADY

FROM: WILLIAM F. SITTMANN *KJA for*

SUBJECT: Proposed Press Release and Fact Sheet on
U.S.-Jamaican Debt Reduction Agreement

Attached at Tab A are a proposed statement by the Press Secretary and fact sheet concerning the U.S.-Jamaican debt reduction agreement to be signed at a Treasury Department ceremony on Friday, August 23. Treasury, State, AID and OMB have concurred in the text of the proposed statement and fact sheet.

Attachment

Tab A Proposed Press Release and Fact Sheet

cc: Marlin Fitzwater
Roman Popadiuk

OK [signature]

THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary

For Immediate Release

STATEMENT BY THE PRESS SECRETARY

Today, the United States and Jamaica entered into an agreement to reduce substantially Jamaica's food assistance debt to the United States. Under legislation enacted by Congress last year, the United States is reducing Jamaica's P.L. 480 debt by 80 percent, from approximately \$271 million to approximately \$54.2 million.

Jamaica is implementing a wide range of reforms aimed at building a strong market-oriented economy. These initiatives, including measures to make the economy more attractive to investors, qualify Jamaica for debt reduction under the EAI.

The agreement represents a major step forward in realizing the goals of the President's Enterprise for the Americas Initiative (EAI) -- a program designed to promote increased trade, investment and growth throughout the hemisphere. It also paves the way for an Environmental Framework Agreement between the United States and Jamaica. Under this agreement, Jamaica will be permitted to make interest payments on the new reduced debt in local currency, paid into an environmental fund established in Jamaica.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary

For Immediate Release

FACT SHEET

The Reduction of Jamaica's Debt

Today, the Governments of Jamaica and the United States entered into a major agreement to reduce Jamaica's official bilateral debt owed to the United States Government on P.L. 480 food assistance loans. Deputy Secretary of the Treasury John Robson signed for the United States; Minister of Foreign Affairs and Foreign Trade David Coore signed for Jamaica. This agreement is the third bilateral debt reduction under the Enterprise for the Americas Initiative (EAI).

The debt reduction element of the Initiative is intended to reduce debt owed by countries in Latin America and the Caribbean which have undertaken broad macroeconomic and structural reforms, liberalized their investment regimes, and reached agreement on their commercial bank debt, where appropriate. Jamaica is implementing a wide range of reforms aimed at building a strong, market-oriented economy. These initiatives, including measures to make its economy more attractive to investors, qualify Jamaica for debt reduction under the EAI.

Implementation of the agreement is contingent on approval of the trade, finance, and investment sector loan by the Inter-American Development Bank Board of Directors, which is expected on September 18. The agreement signed today provides for the reduction of Jamaica's food assistance debt to the United States by 80%, from approximately \$271 million to \$54.2 million.

In addition to this reduction in the stock of debt, the United States expects to enter into an Environmental Framework Agreement with Jamaica, which would allow all interest payments on the new reduced obligation to be paid in local currency and channeled into an environmental fund established by Jamaica.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Note to Andy Conrad

Pl. find attached
a proposed Presidential
press statement & fact sheet
regarding a US-Bolivia
debt reduction agreement
~~to be signed at 3; under~~
the EAI to be signed today
at 3:15. ~~Martin and~~
~~OMB has signed off~~
~~on some which is~~

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

The format ~~was~~ is
the same as ^a US-Chilean
debt relief statement
~~signed~~ issued some
two weeks ago, and

Mr. Morlin and OMB
have approved today's
release which is
submitted for your
review and approval
as appropriate.

Thank you.

THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary
(Kennebunkport, Maine)

For Immediate Release

August 22, 1991

FACT SHEET

The Reduction of Bolivia's Debt

Today, President Bush endorsed a major agreement between the Government of Bolivia and the United States Government to reduce Bolivia's official bilateral debt owed to the United States Government on P.L. 480 food assistance loans. Deputy Secretary of the Treasury John Robson signed for the United States and Minister of Planning and Coordination Samuel Doria-Medina signed for Bolivia. This agreement is the second bilateral debt reduction under the Enterprise for the Americas Initiative (EAI).

The debt reduction element of the Initiative is intended to reduce debt owed by countries in Latin America and the Caribbean which have undertaken broad macroeconomic and structural reforms, liberalized their investment regimes, and reached agreement on their commercial bank debt, where appropriate. Bolivia's sound macroeconomic policies, stable and receptive foreign investment regime, and substantial progress in reducing its commercial bank debt meet the standards set under the Initiative.

Implementation of the agreement is contingent on approval of an investment sector loan by the Inter-American Development Bank Board of Directors, which is expected on September 11. The agreement signed today provides for the reduction of Bolivia's food assistance debt to the United States by 80%, from approximately \$38 million to \$7.7 million.

In addition to this reduction in the stock of debt, we expect to enter into an Environmental Framework Agreement with the Government of Bolivia, which would allow all interest payments on the new reduced obligation to be paid in local currency and channeled into an environmental fund established by Bolivia.

The United States and Bolivia also signed an agreement today to eliminate Bolivia's official bilateral debt owed to the United States Government on loans made by the U.S. Agency for International Development (A.I.D.) A.I.D. Assistant Administrator James Michel signed for the United States and Minister Doria-Medina signed for Bolivia.

The agreement signed today provides for the full forgiveness of Bolivia's A.I.D. debt to the United States, which is approximately \$341 million. Congress provided authority (in Section 572 of the Foreign Operations, Export Financing and Related Programs Appropriations Act of 1989) to reduce the A.I.D. debt of relatively least developed countries implementing strong economic reforms. Bolivia is the first country outside of Sub-Saharan Africa to receive such debt reduction.

In addition, Bolivia has made a voluntary commitment to provide a bond which will produce \$20 million in local currency over 10 years to support environmental activities consistent with the EAI.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary
(Kennebunkport, Maine)

For Immediate Release

August 22, 1991

STATEMENT BY THE PRESS SECRETARY

We have entered into agreements with Bolivia to reduce substantially Bolivia's debt to the United States. Reduction of Bolivia's food assistance debt is a major step forward in realizing the goals of the Enterprise for the Americas Initiative (EAI) -- a program which the United States proposed on June 27, 1990, to promote increased trade, investment and growth throughout the hemisphere.

Bolivia's far-reaching steps to reform its economy, including measures to open its investment regime, qualify Bolivia for debt reduction under the EAI. Bolivia is receiving a very substantial reduction of its bilateral debt owed to the United States. Under legislation enacted by Congress last year, the United States is reducing Bolivia's P.L. 480 debt by 80 percent, from approximately \$38 million to approximately \$7.7 million.

Under separate legal authority to assist the relatively least-developed countries, the United States will eliminate Bolivia's \$341 million debt owed to the U.S. Agency for International Development, the first time such relief has been provided outside of Sub-saharan Africa.

These understandings will help pave the way for significant additional funds for environmental projects in Bolivia. In particular, the United States welcomes the commitment of Bolivia to provide \$20 million in local currency over 10 years to support environmental activities.

The Administration applauds this important step to reduce Bolivia's debt and provide support for the environment and looks forward to continuing to work with Bolivia and other countries in the region to advance the goals of the Enterprise for the Americas Initiative.

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Barbara Clay @ Treaty
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Treas. Dir. of Public
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w/ Treasury
typo on fact
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Office of the Press Secretary
(Kennebunkport, Maine)

For Immediate Release

August 22, 1991

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Implementation of the agreement is contingent on approval of an investment sector loan by the Inter-American Development Bank Board of Directors, which is expected on September 11. The agreement signed today provides for the reduction of Bolivia's food assistance debt to the United States by 80%, from approximately \$38 billion to \$7.7 billion.

In addition to this reduction in the stock of debt, we expect to enter into an Environmental Framework Agreement with the Government of Bolivia, which would allow all interest payments on the new reduced obligation to be paid in local currency and channeled into an environmental fund established by Bolivia.

The United States and Bolivia also signed an agreement today to eliminate Bolivia's official bilateral debt owed to the United States Government on loans made by the U.S. Agency for International Development (A.I.D.) A.I.D. Assistant Administrator James Michel signed for the United States and Minister Doria-Medina signed for Bolivia.

The agreement signed today provides for the full forgiveness of Bolivia's A.I.D. debt to the United States, which is approximately \$341 million. Congress provided authority (in Section 572 of the Foreign Operations, Export Financing and Related Programs Appropriations Act of 1989) to reduce the A.I.D. debt of relatively least developed countries implementing strong economic reforms. Bolivia is the first country outside of Sub-Saharan Africa to receive such debt reduction.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
Office of the Press Secretary

For Immediate Release

STATEMENT BY THE PRESIDENT

I am pleased to announce today that the United States and Bolivia have entered into agreements to reduce substantially Bolivia's debt to the United States. Reduction of Bolivia's food assistance debt is a major step forward in realizing the goals of the Enterprise for the Americas Initiative (EAI) -- a program which I proposed on June 27, 1990, to promote increased trade, investment and growth throughout the hemisphere.

Bolivia's far-reaching steps to reform its economy, including measures to open its investment regime, qualify Bolivia for debt reduction under the EAI. Bolivia is receiving a very substantial reduction of its bilateral debt owed to the United States. Under legislation enacted by Congress last year, the United States is reducing Bolivia's P.L. 480 debt by 80 percent, from approximately \$38 million to approximately \$7.7 million.

Under separate legal authority to assist the relatively least developed countries, the United States will eliminate Bolivia's \$341 million debt owed to the U.S. Agency for International Development, the first time such relief has been provided outside of Sub-Saharan Africa.

These understandings will help pave the way for significant additional funds for environmental projects in Bolivia. In particular, I welcome the commitment of Bolivia to provide \$20 million in local currency over 10 years to support environmental activities.

I applaud this important step to reduce Bolivia's debt and provide support for the environment and look forward to continuing to work with Bolivia and other countries in the region to advance the goals of the Enterprise for the Americas Initiative.

8/22/91
chq'd to Stmt by
the Press Secy. Melillo
PB told Laura
w/press office
JW

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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20506

August 22, 1991

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MEMORANDUM FOR PHILLIP D. BRADY

FROM:

WILLIAM F. SITTMANN *KSH for*

SUBJECT:

Proposed Press Release and Fact Sheet
on U.S.-Bolivian Debt Reduction Agreements

Attached at Tab A are a proposed Presidential press statement and fact sheet concerning U.S.-Bolivian debt reduction agreements to be signed at an Indian Treaty Room ceremony on Thursday, August 22. Treasury, State, AID and OMB have concurred in the text of the proposed statement and fact sheet.

Attachment

Tab A Proposed Press Release and Fact Sheet

cc: Marlin Fitzwater
Roman Popadiuk

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

August 12, 1991

MEMORANDUM FOR PHIL BRADY

FROM: Shirley M. Green

SUBJECT: POW/MIA Robo Revision

Attached is revised language for POW/MIA mail with edits suggested by Tim Carney, NSC. It was also revised this morning to account for the replacement of Foreign Minister Thach over the weekend.

We had previously had two robos -- one general and the other that mentioned photos. Currently all letters deal with the recent photos, and we believe we can combine the letters to this one.

For your approval.

*OK
PMB*

smg

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

August 9, 1991

MEMORANDUM FOR PHIL BRADY

FROM: SHIRLEY M. GREEN *smg*

SUBJECT: Commission on Children Report

The attached draft would be used to respond to mail about the recently released report. We have included edits suggested by Tom Scully, OMB and Andy Mitrusi, ODP. You will notice paragraph two is different from the draft approved by Andy and Tom, but we didn't think our draft was clear. So, we went back to Andy and in a phone conversation, we came up with the language in the clean draft. We also made some minor edits in other paragraphs.

APPROVE _____

DISAPPROVE _____

COMMENTS:

*Shirley
Phil
Mitrusi
Frank
JH*

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

August 9, 1991

MEMORANDUM FOR PHIL BRADY

FROM: SHIRLEY M. GREEN *sg*
SUBJECT: Middle East Peace Initiative

This would be used to respond to mail about the current peace initiative. We have included edits suggested by Bruce Riedel, NSC.

APPROVE _____

DISAPPROVE _____

COMMENTS:

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You may wish
to consider whether
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minor gain
recent points.
Paul
PH

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

August 9, 1991

MEMORANDUM FOR PHIL BRADY

FROM: SHIRLEY M. GREEN *sg*
SUBJECT: Aid to the Soviet Union

As you may recall, we've had some difficulty getting a final draft cleared by NSC on this issue. Therefore, we're holding mail that includes views on agriculture aid, cash assistance, and other forms of general aid to the Soviets. This draft has been approved by Ed Hewett, NSC, and we have included his edits.

APPROVE _____

DISAPPROVE _____

COMMENTS:

*Shirley,
This will
need further review
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Nah!
JAC*

Chron

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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20506

August 20, 1991

91 AUG 20 PM 2:51

MEMORANDUM FOR PHILLIP D. BRADY

FROM: WILLIAM F. SITTMANN *KSA for*

SUBJECT: Proposed Press Release: Jackson-Vanik Waiver for
Romania

Attached is a proposed press release, which explains the policy behind the President's decision to waive the emigration provisions of the Jackson-Vanik amendment as they apply to Romania. It should be issued August 20, to coincide with the publication of the Presidential Determination, Message to Congress, and Executive Order.

Attachment

Tab A Proposed Press Release

OK for release per Phil.

John A. Barber

8/20/91

THE WHITE HOUSE
Office of the Press Secretary

For Immediate Release

STATEMENT BY THE PRESS SECRETARY

The President has waived for Romania the emigration provisions of the Jackson-Vanik amendment to the Trade Act of 1974, reflecting the wide freedom of emigration which the citizens of Romania now enjoy. The President's decision responds to requests from leaders of Romania's democratic opposition, as well as from the Romanian Government, and will directly benefit the people of Romania as they face continuing economic hardship.

The Jackson-Vanik waiver will make Romania eligible to apply for credit guarantees for commercial imports of U.S. agricultural products. These would provide needed agricultural commodities beyond the more than \$120 million in U.S. food and other humanitarian assistance supplied in fiscal years 1990 and 1991.

The waiver does not constitute restoration of Most Favored Nation (MFN) tariff status, which Romania renounced in 1988. MFN status is a separate issue, which will be decided on the basis of further substantial progress toward a market economy and democratic pluralism, including the holding of free and fair local and parliamentary elections in the near future.

The President's decision also underscores the great importance the United States attaches to continued movement toward free markets and democracy throughout central and eastern Europe.

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August 19, 1991

Phil/John:

Here are signature samples with the new matrix. This is the one that deviated markedly from the signature that we provided to the company. They have worked on it and --- we believe --- successfully modified it.

The samples are from each of our three machines. Each machine sample consists of two different pens signed three times.

We believe that the signatures from machines #1 and #2 are acceptable. Unless you think otherwise, we would not use the matrix on machine #3.

Machine #1

Approve

OK Phil

Disapprove

Machine #2

Approve

OK

Disapprove

Machine #3

Approve

OK

Disapprove

Jerry

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Reading File

Shirley Green

RICHARD L. PIEN

Monday, July 29, 1991.

Dear U. S. President Bush:

✓ Congratulations on your Honorary Law Degree from Yale University. Since my role as Greater Boston Captain, George Bush for President, Yale University President Benno Schmidt has taken a personal interest in my relationship with the White House, and prior to the Commencement ceremonies on Old Campus, I telephoned Woodbridge Hall.

This past Friday, I was present at a Harvard University sponsored official tour of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts State House. Especially mentioned was the Grand Front Center Entrance to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts State House, opened only for your constitutional office, the Presidency of THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

My overall Impression of the the State House is that it not only displays early American history, but also current Massachusetts state history in the making.

Very truly yours,



U.S. President George Bush
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Who is writing?

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

Quite
a story
in this
file.

TO: D. Carney

FROM: Mail Analysis
Room 58, OEOB
456-6600

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Reason!
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or no need

If you are unable to respond,
please return to:

Kathy Baker

OEOB 58

OK for release.

John H. Burden
8/20/91

Tracy-

Please see these edits.

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Thanks

Thank you, John! See you
Friday. - Tracy

THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

August 21, 1991

The President today named the volunteers of The Mendenhall Ministries, of Mendenhall, Mississippi, as the 541st Daily Point of Light for the Nation. The Mendenhall Ministries (TMM) involves local, national, and international volunteers in hands-on service throughout the rural Mendenhall community and surrounding Simpson County.

Founded in 1962, TMM gives volunteers a sense of commitment to the needs of the poor and provides for the needs of the people of Mendenhall. Volunteers are invited to live in Mendenhall for as long as they desire. Some volunteers stay for as little as one week and others for as long as one year. TMM provides housing for an average of 300 volunteers each year who donate their time, talent, and resources to the Mendenhall community. They may serve independently, as part of a church mission, or as a part of a group work team.

Volunteers are assigned to projects according to their respective skills. TMM programs include: the Adult Education Program, which offers education and work skills to low-income residents of Mendenhall; the Community Law Office, which gives legal advice to low-income individuals; the Health Center, which provides affordable medical care for low-income families; and the Genesis One Christian School, which allows the volunteers to tutor elementary schoolchildren in kindergarten through the third grade. Other opportunities for volunteers are working on a 120-acre farm and repairing houses for low-income families.

The entire community has been positively affected by the work of TMM. In fact, TMM's approach to community service has been so successful that it has served as a model for similar programs in communities across the country.

The President salutes the volunteers of The Mendenhall Ministries for their community service efforts and for demonstrating his belief that, "From now on in America, any definition of a successful life must include serving others."

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TELEPHONE CALLS

PHILLIP D. BRADY

Date 8/20/91

TIME	NAME	MESSAGE	TELEPHONE NO.
1:15 p.m.	Jack Lichtenstein	Formerly Director of Public Affairs at the NEA, has now formed his own consulting firm, Baines-Lichtenstein. He would like to set up a meeting on Friday for you to talk with his clients, three	
		leaders in the Church of Scientology. They are having a general meeting with Leigh Ann Metzger but would like to talk with you in particular about their ongoing problem with the IRS. Any interest?	703-838-8085
8/20 3:20 pm S - If Jack L. calls back for me (I have a call in for him). Please regret meeting - Leigh Ann is the appropriate person. Thanks! BKH Leigh Ann is the appropriate person.			

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THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

August 20, 1991

The President today named the volunteers of Step 13, of Denver, Colorado, as the 540th Daily Point of Light for the Nation. Step 13 is a transitional and residential facility for homeless individuals. Over 100 volunteers of Step 13 assist the homeless residents by helping them address and solve the root cause of their homelessness.

Step 13 was created in 1983 to help the homeless deal with substance abuse. The program, which is completely funded by private donations, is a private sector solution to a pressing social need. Step 13 provides a way for homeless individuals, whom they refer to as "clients," become independent from alcohol and drugs. The program allows the clients to stay for as long as needed until they have achieved this goal.

Upon entering the clinic, volunteer medical professionals assess the health of each individual. The clients are screened throughout their stay to ensure that they are remaining sober. Those who have tackled their alcohol or chemical dependency may participate in a job training program, where they receive jobs with salaries starting at four dollars an hour and eventually obtain full-time employment. Once the clients are employed, they reimburse Step 13 on an income-based sliding scale for their room and board. Throughout the job training program, clients participate in support groups and receive individual counseling. This multifaceted approach was designed to help the residents build self-reliance and self-esteem. The entire staff is comprised of former clients. In addition, many of the volunteers are former clients themselves and now lead support groups. The volunteers also lead outings and other recreational activities for the clients.

The President salutes the volunteers of Step 13 for their community service efforts and for demonstrating his belief that, "From now on in America, any definition of a successful life must include serving others."

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

August 22, 1991

The President today named Juanita Blackmon, of Wichita, Kansas, as the 542nd Daily Point of Light for the Nation. Ms. Blackmon, 24, founded "Positive Youth Making a Difference," a program that involves inner-city youth in improving their neighborhoods while encouraging them to make positive decisions regarding their lives.

Ms. Blackmon created "Positive Youth Making a Difference" as a result of her concern about the drug problems and gang violence plaguing her community and her vision to clean up neglected city streets. Ms. Blackmon works with the program's young participants and enlists business and community leaders to reclaim their city, making criminals and drug dealers feel unwelcome. She started the campaign with seven of her young nieces who in turn recruited their peers. Presently, there are 50 young people, ranging in age from 5 to 15 years, actively participating in the program. Cleanup activities occur on Saturdays throughout the summer. Ms. Blackmon and the young people select the locations and make the volunteer assignments. Each Saturday, Ms. Blackmon, assisted by a team of parents, supervises a group of approximately 20 to 30 youth. During these outings, as well as throughout the year, Ms. Blackmon's commitment to these young people is all-encompassing. She encourages the young people, the majority of whom have been touched by drug-related violence, to make positive decisions in their lives, work hard in school, take responsibility for their community, and to stay away from drugs.

The President salutes Juanita Blackmon and her young volunteers for their community service efforts and for demonstrating his belief that, "From now on in America, any definition of a successful life must include serving others."

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

August 23, 1991.

The President today named the volunteers of The Learning Place, of Syracuse, New York, as the 543rd Daily Point of Light for the Nation. The Learning Place provides tutoring and peer support for adults in the inner-city neighborhoods of Syracuse.

Founded by Phyllis Newland, The Learning Place brought to life Newland's dream to start a local literacy program that would reach into the community. From the beginning, members of the community have played an important role in the success of The Learning Place. Over 100 volunteers helped to renovate a building to be used as a center for The Learning Place. The program is supported by 30 volunteer tutors who help students learn and improve their reading, writing, and math skills. The students receive both individual and group tutoring. The groups, consisting of two to four students, provide encouragement and an environment where the students learn together. The motto of the organization is "We learn from each other."

Additional courses are offered once a month in such areas as job applications, job interviews, parenting skills, and helping children with homework. The Learning Place is open throughout the year from 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. Monday through Thursday and from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. on Friday. Approximately 50 students are served each week; all of the students come a minimum of two days weekly, and many come daily.

In the summer, The Learning Place meets the educational needs of neighborhood youth through "Reading in the Park," a six week summer outreach program. The students are inner-city youth ranging from five to nine years old. Volunteers, many of whom are adult students, accompany children to a park with blankets and books. They read together from 10:00 a.m. to noon, Monday through Friday. The volunteers encourage the young people to read on their own by giving them free books each time they attend two sessions in a row.

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August 23, 1991

The President named the volunteers of People Attempting to Help, of Tyler, Texas, as the 544th Daily Point of Light for the Nation. Over 515 volunteers from all faiths and walks of life pool their resources on behalf of their neighbors in need. People Attempting to Help (PATH) sponsors 15 different programs which provide services and emergency assistance to households in Smith County, Texas. In the last year, 15,459 families were served by volunteers who contributed 12,000 hours of their time and talent.

PATH was founded in 1984 by Gertrude Windsor, who, at age 89, had been overwhelmed by requests for assistance from people coming to her back porch. She organized a group of civic leaders and ministers to establish PATH. Mrs. Windsor remains active with PATH by serving on its board of directors.

Each person who comes to PATH is matched with a volunteer caseworker who tries to help them with whatever assistance they may need. The assistance can range from transportation to a job interview to grocery shopping to helping secure prescription eyeglasses. The volunteer works with the client to develop a program that will prevent him or her from becoming dependent on PATH's support or permanent assistance. The goal of PATH is to enable individuals in crisis to become self-reliant and independent.

Last year, over 10,000 families were aided through emergency assistance programs which addressed the areas of food, shelter, utilities, and medicine. PATH provides hotel vouchers for emergency housing and operates two transitional housing facilities. In its outreach program, Operation Comida, volunteers package and distribute food to needy families in the Hispanic Community. Also last year, over 5,000 families were served through such PATH special projects as: the Christmas Clearinghouse, which provides presents for holidays; Coats for Kids, which furnishes donated winter coats; and the School Supply Train, which ensures that students have the materials they need for their schoolwork. The Telephone Bank and Resource Room, also operated by PATH volunteers, provide information and support services to the unemployed.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

August 19, 1991

The President today named the volunteers of the Age Center of Worcester Area, Inc., of Worcester, Massachusetts, as the 539th Daily Point of Light for the Nation. Since 1963, the Age Center has provided support services to the elderly residents of the Worcester community, enabling them to maintain their dignity and independence.

A staff of 91 and a volunteer corps of over 800 operate and participate in the Age Center's programs, which currently serve over 15,000 elders in the Worcester area. Most of the volunteers are elderly themselves and benefit from the service they render, as it keeps them active and involved. Some of the volunteers are bilingual and reach out to the elderly who remain isolated by language barriers. Others serve as "Friendly Visitors" and "Senior Companions;" they visit homebound elderly people every week, developing personal relationships and helping to ensure their well-being. The Respite Care volunteers stay with homebound seniors so their family members and care-givers can have some time for themselves. Many nursing home residents are visited by certified Ombudsman Volunteers who act as advocates and ensure that the residents receive quality care and suffer no loss of personal dignity or legal rights. The residents' regular contact with the Ombudsman may be their only close relationship or friendship. Volunteers for the Nutrition Program help prepare, transport, and serve 2000 midday meals, five days a week, to elderly individuals in their homes and at 12 meal sites. Through Project Caress, mothers and their children volunteer to visit nursing home residents, giving them the opportunity to hold and play with young children.

The President salutes the volunteers of the Age Center of Worcester Area, Inc. for their community service efforts and for demonstrating his belief that, "From now on in America, any definition of a successful life must include serving others."

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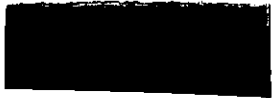
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TO: THE CHIEF OF STAFF

FROM: PHILLIP D. BRADY
Assistant to the President and
Staff Secretary

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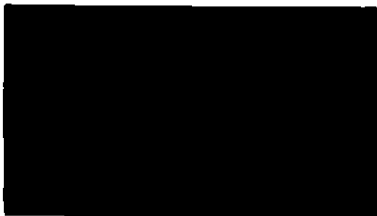
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TO: GENERAL SCOWCROFT

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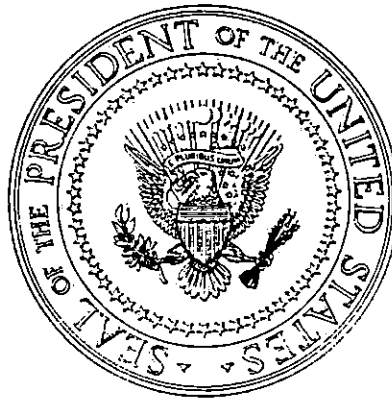
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**CABINET
REPORT**

For the Week of:

August 18 - September 7

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

August 16, 1991

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: EDE HOLIDAY 

SUBJECT: Cabinet Report Highlights -- August 18-September 7

* * * HIGHLIGHTS OF THE WEEKS AHEAD * * *

August 19-20

- Alexander, Skinner, and Hills will travel to Seattle to attend the National Governors Association conference (pg. 1).

August 30

- HUD will release a report on discrimination against blacks and Hispanics in the U.S. housing market (pg. 3).
- Commerce will release the index of leading economic indicators for July (pg. 8).

September 4

- The Cabinet will meet at 10:00 a.m. (pg. 9).
- Reilly will announce a decision on use of the pesticide Parathion (pg. 5).

September 5

- Cabinet Members will travel to Omaha, Nebraska and Howard County, Maryland to promote the President's education strategy (pg. 2).
- Martinez will address the National Press Club on progress in the war on drugs (pg. 7).

September 6

- Labor will release unemployment figures for the month of August (pg. 8).

DETAILS AND ADDITIONAL ITEMS TO FOLLOW IN THIS REPORT

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

August 16, 1991

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM:

EDE HOLIDAY *EH*

SUBJECT:

Cabinet Report -- August 18 - September 7

Please note: this Cabinet Report covers a three-week period through September 7. Our next Cabinet Report, covering the week of September 8, will be distributed September 6.

AGRICULTURE

August 20. Secretary Madigan will travel to Kentucky to participate in various activities hosted by Gubernatorial candidate Larry Hopkins.

August 30. Madigan will travel to Chicago to address the 2,800 shareholders of GROWMARK, Inc. Topic: the challenges facing American agriculture.

August 30. Madigan will meet with Canadian Minister of Agriculture Bill Knight. Topics: the Uruguay Round, NAFTA, border meat inspection and the Export Enhancement Program.

September 4. Secretary Madigan and Ambassador Hills will meet with the Agricultural Policy Advisory Committee for Trade. Topics: the Uruguay Round and the NAFTA.

EDUCATION

August 19-20. Secretary Alexander will travel to Seattle to attend the National Governors Association conference. He will discuss the America 2000 education strategy at a closed session for governors, and conduct an America 2000 training session with state education aides. Secretary Skinner and Ambassador Hills will also attend the conference. On August 20, Alexander will attend a meeting of the National Education Goals Panel. He will also attend a goals panel meeting on September 4.

August 22. Alexander will travel to Portland, Oregon for the kickoff of Oregon 2000 with Governor Barbara Roberts. While in Portland, Alexander will visit a local school with Senator Bob Packwood.

August 23. Alexander will travel to Oklahoma for the kickoff of Oklahoma City 2000 and Tulsa 2000. While in Oklahoma City, Alexander will attend a meeting of the city's Education Roundtable and address a state GOP fundraiser.

August 27. Alexander will attend a breakfast hosted by the Heritage Foundation. Later, he will meet with the editorial board of USA Today and with the staff of the National Journal.

August 29. Alexander will travel to Nashville to participate in a news conference announcing the release of the song "Let's Open Up Our Hearts." The song was recorded by a group of 70 country music stars, known collectively as HOSS -- Help Our Schools Survive. Profits from the recording will be used for public schools across the country.

September 3. Alexander will travel to Maine to join the President and Governor John McKernan to kick-off Maine 2000.

September 5. Alexander will travel to Omaha, Nebraska to kick-off Nebraska 2000. He will be joined by Secretaries Kemp, Madigan, Martin, and Skinner who will each participate in education-related events in Omaha. On the same day, Mrs. Bush will be joined by Secretaries Sullivan and Watkins, Administrator Reilly and Deputy Secretary Kearns in Howard County, Maryland to participate in various education events in the area. That afternoon, Kearns and Governor Donald Schaeffer will hold a press conference to announce the Maryland 2000 strategy.

ENERGY

August 19. The Today Show will air a feature on Passamaquoddy Technology, a DOE-funded clean coal technology project owned by the Passamaquoddy Tribe of Maine. Deputy Secretary Moore was interviewed for this feature.

August 19-23. Deputy Secretary Moore will travel to Colorado to address the Solar World Congress of the International Solar Energy Society. Topic: the Administration's achievements and initiatives in renewable energy and their role in the NES. The audience is likely to be displeased with the Administration's efforts on renewable energy sources. National media attention is expected and negative stories are anticipated from the energy trade press.

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

August 22-24. Secretary Sullivan will travel to Martha's Vineyard, Massachusetts to address the Nathan Mayhew Seminar, a summer lecture series. Topic: health care reform and the need

for a culture of character. On August 24, Sullivan will lead a power walk in Martha's Vineyard to emphasize the importance of physical fitness.

September 4. Sullivan will participate in an interview with the Washington Post Magazine. Topic: infant mortality.

HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

August 24. Kemp will travel to Seattle to address the National Federation of Independent Business. Topic: the Administration's efforts to expand entrepreneurship and create jobs in the inner cities.

August 27. While in Seattle, Kemp will address the American Legislative Exchange Council. Topic: removing barriers to affordable housing.

August 29. Kemp will travel to Los Angeles to attend a fundraising reception for Congressman Bob Lagomarsino.

August 30. The department will release a report on discrimination against blacks and Hispanics in the U.S. housing market. The report, commissioned in 1988, finds significant incidence of discrimination against minorities seeking to rent and purchase housing. The report examines a 10-year period prior to the enactment of the 1988 Fair Housing Act, which has since increased enforcement of anti-discrimination laws in public and private housing. Significant media attention is expected.

INTERIOR

August 19. Secretary Lujan will travel to Laguna Indian Reservation, New Mexico to review the cleanup at the reclamation site of the Jackpile-Paguate Uranium Mine.

August 31 - September 9. Lujan tentatively plans to travel to the Soviet Union to discuss with national and republic officials the conditions necessary for U.S. industry to participate in Soviet mineral development and trade.

LABOR

August 19. Secretary Martin will visit hospital patients in Bethesda, Maryland who benefit from the Combined Federal Campaign (CFC). The visit is part of her activities as CFC Co-Chair.

August 20. Martin will address delegates at the Interstate Conference on Employment Security Agencies meeting in Baltimore,

Maryland. Topic: education and training for tomorrow's workforce.

August 20. Martin will host a courtesy meeting with Chairman of the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights Arthur Fletcher.

August 21. Martin will participate in an interview with WGMS radio in Washington. Topic: the celebration of Labor Day.

September 2. Martin will be interviewed on several national morning television shows. Topic: the celebration of Labor Day.

September 3. Martin will travel to Phoenix to address the American Legion convention. Topic: labor issues. Secretary Derwinski will also address the convention. Topic: veterans issues.

September 4. Martin will address senior staff members from each of the "top 40" Combined Federal Campaign (CFC) accounts, at a CFC Co-Chair breakfast meeting.

TRANSPORTATION

August 19. While in Seattle to attend the National Governors Association meeting, Skinner will meet with Boeing Airlines Chairman Frank Shrontz. Topic: the economic well-being of the air transport industry.

UNITED STATES TRADE REPRESENTATIVE

August 17. Ambassador Hills will travel to Seattle to attend a reception in honor of Senator Slade Gorton.

August 18-20. Hills will be in Seattle to meet with Mexican Secretary of Commerce and Industrial Development Jaime Serra and Canadian Minister of International Trade Michael Wilson for the second Trilateral Ministerial on the North American Free Trade Agreement. While in Seattle, Hills will chair the semiannual Canada-U.S. Commission meeting on the U.S-Canada Free Trade Agreement.

August 22. Hills will travel to Portland to address the World Trade Center. Topic: the NAFTA. While in Portland, she will meet with the editorial board of the Daily Oregonian on the same topic.

August 28. Hills will meet with the Defense Policy Advisory Committee on Trade. Topic: the Uruguay Round negotiations and NAFTA.

September 3. Hills will meet with Thai Commerce Minister Sila-on Amaret. Topic: bilateral trade issues.

September 5. Hills will travel to Grand Rapids, Michigan to moderate the Colloquium on World Trade hosted by President Ford at the Gerald R. Ford Museum. Topic: the NAFTA and the Uruguay Round negotiations.

VETERANS AFFAIRS

August 20. Secretary Derwinski will travel to New Orleans to address the Veterans of Foreign Wars convention. Topics: VA programs for returning Persian Gulf War veterans and the need to realign VA services for an aging and declining veteran population. Admiral Truly will also address a breakfast at the convention.

August 21. Derwinski will travel to Atlanta to address the Jewish War Veterans convention. Topics: VA programs for returning Persian Gulf War veterans and the need to realign VA services for an aging and declining veteran population.

August 23. Derwinski will travel to San Francisco to address the Vietnam Veterans of America. Topics: VA programs for returning Persian Gulf War veterans and the need to realign VA services for an aging and declining veteran population.

August 24. Derwinski will travel to Chicago to attend a meeting of the Korean Veterans of America.

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

August 30. EPA plans to propose regulations to phase-out the production of chlorofluorocarbons by the turn of the century in compliance with the 1990 London Amendments to the Montreal Protocol and the Clean Air Act of 1990.

September 4. Administrator Reilly is likely to announce cancellation of the use of the pesticide Parathion on field crops and the suspension of its use on fruit and orchard crops.

September 4. Reilly will address the National Association of Towns and Townships. Topic: general environmental issues.

September 6. Reilly is scheduled to participate in a fundraiser for Senator Bob Kasten.

FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

August 20. Director Stickney will meet with his Mexican counterpart, Under Secretary of the Secretariat de Gobernacion Perez Jacome. Topic: the agenda for the fall meeting of the U.S.- Mexico Consultative Committee on Natural Disasters.

August 27. Stickney will travel to San Francisco to address the American Public Works Association. Topics: electricity, water and infrastructure issues.

August 28. Stickney will travel to Sacramento to meet with Governor Pete Wilson. Topic: current disaster issues. Later in the day, Stickney will travel to Fresno to review FEMA activities in response to last winter's freeze in California's Central Valley.

August 29. Stickney will travel to Carson City, Nevada for a meeting with Nevada Governor Bob Miller. Topic: emergency management issues.

GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION

September 3-4. Administrator Austin will travel to El Paso, Texas to join Senator Pete Domenici in touring border stations along the U.S.-Mexico border. Many of these stations will be renovated or expanded as part of the Southwest Border Stations Improvement Program.

NASA

August 19. Admiral Truly will travel to the Stennis Space Center in Mississippi to meet with NASA employees.

August 23. Truly will travel to the Langley Research Center in Hampton, Virginia to inspect and review a mock-up of an air crew return vehicle for Space Station Freedom.

OFFICE OF NATIONAL DRUG CONTROL POLICY

August 19. Director Martinez will address a meeting of the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace. Topic: international aspects of the war on drugs.

August 28. Martinez will travel to St. Petersburg, Florida, to address the National Drug-Free Workplace Conference. Later, he will travel to Tampa to address students at the University of Tampa.

September 5. Martinez will address the National Press Club. Topic: an update on the war on drugs on the second anniversary of the National Drug Control Strategy. The Senate Judiciary Committee has scheduled a hearing for September 6 on progress against drug use and the effectiveness of ONDCP.

OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT

August 27. Director Newman will travel to Chicago to address the OPM Regional Human Resource Management Conference. Topic: the strategic plan for federal human resource management.

PEACE CORPS

August 22. Director Coverdell will meet with Rev. Leon Sullivan. Topic: Peace Corps activities in Africa.

SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

August 23. Administrator Saiki will be the keynote speaker at the Japanese American Chamber League tri-district Conference. Topic: her role as SBA Administrator.

August 23. Saiki will travel to Colorado Springs to address the National Federation of Independent Business. Topic: legislative issues affecting small businesses.

September 5. Saiki will chair the National Women's Business Council meeting.

RELEASES

August 22. Release of the Vegetables and Specialties Situation and Outlook Report (Agriculture). The report finds that fewer planted acres resulted in less production of major fresh-market vegetables in 1991, but the value of production is likely to reach \$4.1 billion, up 11 percent from 1990.

August 21. Release of Foreign Agricultural Trade of the U.S. (Agriculture). The report finds that U.S. agricultural exports fell 7 percent to \$23 billion during the first 7 months of 1991. Reduced grain exports accounted for much of the drop, following record world wheat production, record grain production in China and near-record output in the Soviet Union.

August 21. Release of the monthly Treasury statement for July. The June deficit narrowed to \$2.5 billion from a record \$53.3 billion in May and \$11.1 billion of June 1990. The narrowing

reflects a series of special factors rather than an improvement in the deficit. The July deficit is expected to widen sharply from the previous July's \$25.9 billion.

August 27. Release of the second quarter merchandise trade figures on a balance of payments basis (Commerce). The deficit decreased to \$18.4 billion in the first quarter from \$27.7 billion in the fourth of last year.

August 28. Release of revised second quarter GNP estimate (Commerce). The initial estimate released last month showed GNP increasing at a 0.4 percent rate in the second quarter. Data available since last month's release point to a downward revision of the real growth rate, perhaps into the negative column, though that could change as the statistical record for the quarter is completed.

August 29. Release of the U.S. Personal Income and Expenditures Report for July (Commerce). Personal income in nominal terms rose in June by 0.5 percent for a second successive month while real consumer spending increased by 0.4 percent in June following a 0.8 percent increase in May. Analysts expect July income to be flat and expenditures to be up modestly.

August 29. Release of the New Single Family Home Sales Report for July (Commerce).

August 30. Release of the index of leading economic indicators for July (Commerce). The index rose by 0.5 percent in June for a fifth consecutive monthly gain. Markets are anticipating a small increase in the July index.

August 30. Release of manufacturers shipments, inventories and orders for July (Commerce). Inventories declined by 0.4 percent in June for a sixth decline in seven months. Sales rose, pushing the inventory-sales rate down to 1.59 from 1.60 in May. The ratio is close to average for recent years.

September 3. Release of the National Association of Purchasing Managers composite index for August. The index rose to 51.8 percent in July from 50.9 percent in June, the sixth consecutive increase and the second consecutive reading above 50 percent, the mark which indicated expansion in the industrial sector.

September 6. Release of employment and unemployment figures for August (Labor). The labor market report for July presented a mixed picture. The civilian unemployment rate fell to 6.8 percent from 7.0 percent in June, but establishment employment was down by 51,000.

CABINET MEETINGS AND CABINET COUNCILS

The Cabinet will meet on September 4.

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August 15. Labor and Defense signed a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) to assist workers dislocated due to a reduction in DoD procurement, the closing of military facilities, or reductions in force. The MOA is a result of the "1991 Defense Authorization Act," which set aside \$150 million from DoD for DoL's Economic Dislocation and Worker Adjustment Assistance program.

August 15. As of this date the General Services Administration (GSA) has distributed approximately \$12.2 million in excess food from Operation Desert Storm. According to a Department of Defense inventory, approximately \$150 million in food has been returned from the Persian Gulf region, of which approximately \$102 million in food will be transferred to GSA. These are mostly non-perishable items that will be distributed over the next 6 to 9 months. Additional food, much of which is perishable, is expected to be returned from the Middle East in the coming months. GSA's goal is to distribute approximately 50 percent of the food directly to homeless groups through the Interagency Council on the Homeless, 25 percent to other federal agencies, and 25 percent to state agencies.

August 13. Secretary Mosbacher certified Taiwan and the Republic of Korea for operating large-scale driftnet fishing beyond the boundaries of the driftnet fishery zones established by bilateral agreement with the United States.

August 12. The Justice Department filed a notice of appeal in the case of United States v. Commonwealth of Virginia. A district court judge, on June 14, held that Virginia Military Institute's "males only" admissions policy did not violate the Equal Protection Clause of the Fourteenth Amendment.

August 9-15. During this period, the Department of Education's Office of Civil Rights released documents under the Freedom of Information Act in response to requests for material related to Judge Clarence Thomas's tenure as Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights. More requests are expected through September.

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September 9-11. Secretary Baker will lead the U.S. delegation to Mexico City to attend the U.S./Mexico Binational Commission.

Congressional sources indicate it is likely there will be an attempt to appropriate funds for farm disaster payments as part

of a fiscal year 1992 continuing resolution. A continuing resolution may become necessary for some parts of the government and inclusion of disaster payments in such a bill would place the President in a position where a veto would cause a shutdown of some portion of the Government.

CABINET SCHEDULE

For the Week of August 18 - August 24

Sunday 18	Monday 19	Tuesday 20	Wednesday 21	Thursday 22	Friday 23	Saturday 24
ALEXANDER	SEATTLE, WA 12:00 Address National Governors Association 5:00 Address major GOP donors	SEATTLE, WA 1:30 Attend National Education Goals Panel meeting 4:30 Press conference	SEATTLE, WA	PORTLAND, OR Attend Oregon 2000 kick-off Meeting with Oregon Gov. Barbara Roberts OKLAHOMA CITY, OK	OKLAHOMA CITY, OK Attend Oklahoma City 2000 kick-off Attend Oklahoma City Education Roundtable meeting TULSA, OK Attend Tulsa 2000 kick-off Attend Oklahoma GOP Fundraiser	WASHINGTON, DC
BAKER PINEDALE, WY	PINEDALE, WY	PINEDALE, WY	PINEDALE, WY	PINEDALE, WY	PINEDALE, WY	PINEDALE, WY
BRADY PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL
CHENEY CASPER, WY	CASPER, WY	CASPER, WY	CASPER, WY	CASPER, WY	CASPER, WY	CASPER, WY

CABINET SCHEDULE
For the Week of August 18 - August 24

Sunday 18	Monday 19	Tuesday 20	Wednesday 21	Thursday 22	Friday 23	Saturday 24
DERWINSKI						
	11:00 Meeting with Gov. Sununu at the White House 3:00 Attend meeting with RNC Chairman Yeutter	NEW ORLEANS, LA 10:30 Address Veterans of Foreign Wars convention ATLANTA, GA	ATLANTA, GA 12:00 Address Dept. training conference 2:00 Address Jewish War Veterans convention FRESNO, CA	FRESNO, CA	SAN FRANCISCO, CA 10:00 Address Vietnam Veterans of America convention CHICAGO, IL	CHICAGO, IL 2:00 Address Korean War Veterans of America
HILLS						
SEATTLE, WA	SEATTLE, WA Meeting with Canadian Minister of International Trade Michael Wilson and Mexican Secretary of Commerce and Industrial Development Jaime Serra	SEATTLE, WA Meeting with National-Governors Association International Trade Committee Attend U.S.-Canada Commission on Free Trade meeting	SEATTLE, WA	PORTLAND, OR Address World Trade Center group Interview with <i>Daily Oregonian</i> editorial board	WASHINGTON, DC	
KEMP						
PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL	SEATTLE, WA Address National Federation of Independent Business
LUJAN						
ALBUQUERQUE, NM	LAGUNA INDIAN RESERVATION, NM Visit Jackpile-Paguate Uranium Mine ALBUQUERQUE, NM	ALBUQUERQUE, NM	ALBUQUERQUE, NM	ALBUQUERQUE, NM	ALBUQUERQUE, NM	ALBUQUERQUE, NM

CABINET SCHEDULE
For the Week of August 18 - August 24

Sunday 18	Monday 19	Tuesday 20	Wednesday 21	Thursday 22	Friday 23	Saturday 24
MADIGAN LINCOLN, IL	LINCOLN, IL	LOUISVILLE, KY Attend Kentucky State Fair OWENSBOROUGH, KY Attend fundraiser for Rep. Larry Hopkins	LINCOLN, IL	LINCOLN, IL	LINCOLN, IL	LINCOLN, IL
MARTIN	BETHESDA, MD 1:45 Visit with hospital patients WASHINGTON, DC	BALTIMORE, MD 9:30 Address Interstate Conference on Employment Security Agencies WASHINGTON, DC 4:00 Meeting with Commission on Civil Rights Chairman Arthur Fletcher	9:30 Meeting with former Amb. to Norway Bob Stuart 10:30 Interview with WGMS Radio 11:00 Interview with Daily Labor Report			
MOSBACHER						
SKINNER SEATTLE, WA 2:30 Address National Governors Association 4:00 Meeting with Rep. Robert Roe	SEATTLE, WA 8:15 Meeting with Boeing CEO Frank Shrontz	PERSONAL TRAVEL	ELKHORN, ID Attend leukemia fundraiser	PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL

CABINET SCHEDULE
For the Week of August 18 - August 24

Sunday 18	Monday 19	Tuesday 20	Wednesday 21	Thursday 22	Friday 23	Saturday 24
SULLIVAN				MARTHA'S VINEYARD, MA Attend Nathan Mayhew summer lecture series	MARTHA'S VINEYARD, MA	MARTHA'S VINEYARD, MA
WATKINS						
TEMA- GAMI, CANADA	TEMAGAMI, CANADA	TEMAGAMI, CANADA	TEMAGAMI, CANADA	TEMAGAMI, CANADA	TEMAGAMI, CANADA	TEMA- GAMI, CANADA

CABINET SCHEDULE

For the Week of August 25 - August 31

Sunday 25	Monday 26	Tuesday 27	Wednesday 28	Thursday 29	Friday 30	Saturday 31
ALEXANDER		7:45 Attend Heritage Foundation breakfast 10:30 Meeting with <i>USA Today</i> editorial board 12:00 Lunch with <i>National Journal</i> editorial board		NASHVILLE, TN Press conference	WASHINGTON, DC	
BAKER PINEDALE, WY	PINEDALE, WY	PINEDALE, WY	PINEDALE, WY	PINEDALE, WY	PINEDALE, WY	PINEDALE, WY
BRADY PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL
CHENEY CASPER, WY	CASPER, WY	CASPER, WY	CASPER, WY	CASPER, WY	CASPER, WY	CASPER, WY

CABINET SCHEDULE
For the Week of August 25 - August 31

Sunday 25	Monday 26	Tuesday 27	Wednesday 28	Thursday 29	Friday 30	Saturday 31
DERWINSKI MINNEAPOLIS, MN Attend Minneapolis VA Medical Center reception	MINNEAPOLIS, MN 7:30 Attend 3M management conference WASHINGTON, DC	2:00 Meeting with Connie Horner	10:00 Meeting with Ron Kaufman		TUSCON, AZ	TUSCON, AZ
HILLS			12:30 Attend lunch for British Prime Minister John Major 3:00 Meeting with Defense Policy Advisory Committee Chairman Norm Augustine	12:15 Interview with Hispanic journalists	11:00 Conference call with Canadian Minister of International Trade Michael Wilson and Mexican Secretary of Commerce and Industrial Development Jaime Serra	
KEMP SEATTLE, WA	SEATTLE, WA	SEATTLE, WA 12:00 Address American Legislative Exchange Council	SEATTLE, WA	LOS ANGELES, CA 5:30 Attend fundraising dinner for Rep. Bob Lagomarsino	PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL
LUJAN ALBUQUERQUE, NM	WASHINGTON, DC					

CABINET SCHEDULE
For the Week of August 25 - August 31

Sunday 25	Monday 26	Tuesday 27	Wednesday 28	Thursday 29	Friday 30	Saturday 31
MADIGAN LINCOLN, IL WASHINGTON, DC		2:00 Meeting with American Seed Trade Association officials	11:00 Meeting with Amb. designate to the European Community James Dobbins	11:00 Meeting with Connie Homer CHICAGO, IL	CHICAGO, IL 11:00 Address GROWMARK, Inc. Lunch with Canadian Minister of Agriculture Bill McKnight WASHINGTON, DC	
MARTIN PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL
MOSBACHER						
SKINNER PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL

CABINET SCHEDULE
For the Week of August 25 - August 31

Sunday 25	Monday 26	Tuesday 27	Wednesday 28	Thursday 29	Friday 30	Saturday 31
SULLIVAN MARTHA'S VINEYARD, MA	MARTHA'S VINEYARD, MA	MARTHA'S VINEYARD, MA	MARTHA'S VINEYARD, MA	MARTHA'S VINEYARD, MA	MARTHA'S VINEYARD, MA	MARTHA'S VINEYARD, MA
WATKINS TEMA-GAMI, CANADA	TEMA-GAMI, CANADA	TEMA-GAMI, CANADA	TEMA-GAMI, CANADA	TEMA-GAMI, CANADA	TEMA-GAMI, CANADA	TEMA-GAMI, CANADA

CABINET SCHEDULE

For the Week of September 1 - September 7

Sunday 1	Monday 2	Tuesday 3	Wednesday 4	Thursday 5	Friday 6	Saturday 7
ALEXANDER	Phone call with educator Jaime Escalante	MAINE Attend Maine 2000 kick-off with Maine Gov. John McKernan and the President WASHINGTON, DC	10:00 Cabinet meeting 11:55 Conference call with education leaders and the President 12:00 Attend National Education Goals Panel meeting	OMAHA, NE Attend Nebraska 2000 kick-off	WASHINGTON, DC	
BAKER PINEDALE, WY	WASHINGTON, DC		7:15 Breakfast with Gen. Scowcroft at the White House 10:00 Cabinet meeting 1:30 Meeting with the President at the White House		11:00 Meeting with the President at the White House	
BRADY			10:00 Cabinet meeting			
CHENEY			10:00 Cabinet meeting			

CABINET SCHEDULE
For the Week of September 1 - September 7

Sunday 1	Monday 2	Tuesday 3	Wednesday 4	Thursday 5	Friday 6	Saturday 7
DERWINSKI PHOENIX, AZ	PHOENIX, AZ	PHOENIX, AZ 12:15 Address American Legion National Convention WASHINGTON, DC	10:00 Cabinet meeting			
HILLS		2:00 Meeting with Thai Minister of Commerce Sila-on Amaret	10:00 Cabinet meeting 11:00 Attend Trade Policy Advisory Committee meeting 2:30 Attend Agricultural Policy Advisory Committee meeting with Sec. Madigan	9:00 Attend Industry Policy Advisory Committee meeting GRAND RAPIDS, MI Moderate Ford Museum Colloquium on World Trade WASHINGTON, DC		
KEMP PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL	WASHINGTON, DC	10:00 Cabinet meeting 3:30 Address Dept. Regional Administrators	NEW JERSEY Address fundraiser for New Jersey GOP WASHINGTON, DC		Attend Dept. picnic
LUJAN U.S.S.R.	U.S.S.R.	U.S.S.R.	U.S.S.R.	U.S.S.R.	U.S.S.R.	U.S.S.R.

CABINET SCHEDULE
For the Week of September 1 - September 7

Sunday 1	Monday 2	Tuesday 3	Wednesday 4	Thursday 5	Friday 6	Saturday 7
MADIGAN			10:00 Cabinet meeting 2:30 Attend Agricultural Policy Advisory Committee meeting with Amb. Hills	ST. LOUIS, MO Attend fundraiser for Rep. Bill Emerson	WASHINGTON, DC	
MARTIN						
	Interview with morning news shows	7:30 Interview with KTAR Radio 10:00 Address American Legion national convention	8:00 Address Combined Federal Campaign breakfast 10:00 Cabinet meeting	Press conference		
MOSBACHER						
			10:00 Cabinet meeting			
SKINNER						
PERSONAL TRAVEL	PERSONAL TRAVEL	WASHINGTON, DC	9:00 Meeting with Connie Horner 10:00 Cabinet meeting			

CABINET SCHEDULE
For the Week of September 1 - September 7

Sunday 1	Monday 2	Tuesday 3	Wednesday 4	Thursday 5	Friday 6	Saturday 7
SULLIVAN			10:00 Cabinet meeting Meeting with <i>Washington Post</i> editorial board			
WATKINS TEMA- GAMI, CANADA	WASHINGTON, DC		10:00 Cabinet meeting			

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The Secretary

8-7-91

Mr. President

For your information.

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SAMUEL K. SKINNER
SECRETARY OF TRANSPORTATION

***The Nomination of
Judge Clarence Thomas to the
Supreme Court***

Address to
The Federal Bar Association
Chicago, Illinois
July 12, 1991

THE NOMINATION OF JUDGE CLARENCE THOMAS TO THE SUPREME COURT

I like being back in Chicago. It's been almost three years since I left. Time really does fly. I think it's incredibly important that one remember from whence one came, especially when you go to Washington. Truly, for me, absence has made the heart grow fonder. And I'm now the leading cheerleader in Washington for Chicago and Illinois.

Washington and Chicago are two great, large cities with great traditions. But frankly, the difference is that one is a city of transplants, and in Chicago the citizens are more static. Many people move to Washington and never leave the beltway of the city.

Because we tend to get wrapped up in what's going on in Washington and what we think is important, I find it very helpful to return, to learn what's really going on and what's really on the mind of America, and to see for myself the real impact of the decisions we make. So thank you for inviting me.

I thought I would share some observations, as a lawyer who's practiced law since 1966 and who's practiced before many of the judges that I see here, about the vacancy on the Supreme Court and about the man the President has selected to fill it. Many of us from Illinois and especially those from Springfield tend to compare everybody to Abraham Lincoln. Now we all know there's only one Abraham Lincoln. There'll always only be one Abraham Lincoln and no one can measure up to him. If anyone does, he or she will obviously be the very best of the best.

But, as someone who's studied Lincoln and who's walked in his footsteps as a Boy Scout, I tend to compare people to Abraham Lincoln.

How does Judge Thomas measure up to this standard? Well, first of all, Judge Thomas has an enormous intellect, having graduated with honors from Holy Cross, a fine school, and from the Yale Law School, clearly one of our nation's finest.

Lincoln, at best, had one year of formal training. His intellect was evident early as he proved himself as a great trial lawyer and debater.

In the cases of Thomas and Lincoln, a background of hardship shaped and formed their character. Lincoln was born in very modest conditions in a log cabin in Kentucky. His mother died when he was a youngster. He lost two sons, including one when he was President, trying to save the Union.

Judge Thomas also came up the hard way. He was born and raised for a while in a home that didn't have electricity or indoor plumbing. Don't forget he's the first person to be nominated to the Supreme Court who was born after World War II. He spent much of his youth working on his grandfather's farm, and on an oil truck. His father left home when Thomas was very young. Fortunately, his grandparents were able to support him and help provide a fine education.

Both Lincoln and Thomas experienced discrimination first hand. It didn't involve race in Lincoln's case, but his appearance. His gangly, gawky appearance was repeatedly made fun of by his opponents. At the 1860 Republican Convention at which he was nominated, his opponents called him a baboon, an ape and even worse.

When Judge Thomas was a child, segregation was sanctioned in Georgia, and he experienced all the indignities that came with it: separate lunch counters,

separate bathrooms, separate schools, and separate libraries.

Why is that important? Because Lincoln's and Thomas's life experiences gave them perhaps their greatest quality, empathy for others. President Lincoln was often criticized because he spent so much time as President listening to petitions from average citizens; what congressmen call casework. That strength made him a better president and will make Judge Thomas a better justice.

Another important, almost overlooked item, in thinking about Lincoln is his humor. We know he had a wonderful sense of humor in his ability to tell stories. Lincoln's great sense of humor is legendary. Judge Thomas also has a great sense of humor. He was asked once if he sometimes refuses to toe the line. "I'm a Dallas Cowboy's fan," he said in Washington, D.C. "I love unpopular causes."

Why is a sense of humor important? It's important in keeping one's balance. People who can poke fun, especially at themselves, show they have a good sense of who they are and the ability to put things in perspective. That, I think is a very important trait for a justice on the United States Supreme Court.

What about experience in government office? Well, Judge Thomas was a Senate legislative assistant for a year and a half; assistant attorney general of Missouri for two years. He served in the private sector, Assistant Secretary in the Department of Energy for two years; Chairman of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission for seven years; and for more than one year has served as a member of the D. C. Circuit Court of Appeals.

What about Abraham Lincoln? He spent two years in Congress, four years in the Illinois General Assembly, two years in the Illinois militia. I might add that Judge Thomas has more experience already in the federal judiciary than a number of Supreme Court Justices prior to their confirmation, including such names as: Earl Warren; Hugo Black; Sandra Day O'Connor; William Brennan; Lewis Powell; William Rehnquist; William O. Douglas; Felix Frankfurter; and Byron White.

I do not mean to suggest to you that Clarence Thomas is another Abraham Lincoln. He isn't. No one is. And Clarence Thomas hasn't yet seen his destiny. But the qualities that Lincoln possessed led him into the history books as one of our great Presidents. He accomplished great things as a President, but it was his background and his experiences that shaped him and propelled him to achieve what he did. That makes an effective yardstick by which to measure others.

I don't know Judge Thomas personally, but I know many people who do, who are good friends of mine and good friends of his. These people are personal friends who know him and have worked with him in the federal government. They're Republicans and Democrats and Independents and career civil servants, who have almost as much protection, I find, as those with lifetime tenure as a federal judge.

So, for the last ten days I've been asking people, not for attribution and not for a speech, just one-on-one, friend-to-friend: "Tell me about Clarence Thomas." Let me share with you some of their observations: "Feisty, funny" -- and this comes from a very high-ranking individual in Washington -- "he will be an independent force on the Court; he's a very

independent thinker, a great deal of courage, works very hard, he's smart, a very good person."

Another person who's a very close friend of mine who knows Clarence very well: "Courageous, a man of integrity." I thought this was very important: "He never dwells with others on his own hardships."

One judge who sits with him on the Court: "He gets things right, very direct, and very focused."

Another: "A wonderful person to deal with, very open, candid, not pretentious."

And another judge: "A genuinely warm person, cordial, an excellent legal scholar and, frankly, his opinions already are of a higher quality than many that come from the Court."

I suggest that these are people who know him and know him well, but maybe the best test would be those that have worked with him everyday. I am told that when his nomination was announced at the EEOC where he served as Chairman for seven years, there was absolute elation because this man had been selected. And this was primarily from people who served at the Commission because they believed in the cause -- these are not political appointees, these are career people. I'd say that's a good test.

I know that judicial philosophy is probably something that I shouldn't discuss in this room, because I know there are different judicial philosophies and over the years I tend to respect those philosophies just as I hope mine are respected. But I can't help from commenting for a moment on the claim or complaint that Judge Thomas won't be a judicial activist in the tradition of Justice Marshall. The complaint is that he

believes in judicial restraint. Well, I don't think there's anything wrong with judicial restraint.

George Bush's belief in judicial restraint was well known to the American people before and during the campaign. One of the issues he ran on was judicial restraint. I think you can assume that George Bush's belief in judicial restraint was validated by the American people and will be used as a criterion in all of his nominations, and I believe that is appropriate because the American people confirmed George Bush as President, and he's now living up to the pledges of his campaign

I thought one of the most important moments in Justice O'Connor's confirmation ten years ago came when she was asked by Senator Strom Thurmond to discuss her philosophy and voting record as an Arizona State Senator. Here's part of what she said: "Issues that come before the Court should be resolved based on the facts of that particular case or matter and on the law applicable to those facts. They should not be based on the personal views and ideology of the judge with regard to that particular matter or issue."

That's the essence of judicial restraint. As a great respecter for the Constitution's separation of powers, I believe strongly, as does the President, that the Founding Fathers reserved political activism for Congress and the political process.

Judge Thomas is an independent thinker, a very strict constructionist, and I believe his political views, whatever they may be, will not influence his decisions.

We cannot know or predict how Justice Thomas will rule on arguments brought before the Court, but I suggest that Eisenhower could not predict Earl Warren.

I'm not even sure that President Ford could have predicted John Paul Stevens.

If the Judge were to ask my advice on how to handle questions about his philosophy -- which he hasn't -- I would encourage him to repeat something Abraham Lincoln once said: "I have no eyes but constitutional eyes."

I believe Judge Thomas will be confirmed. He certainly should be confirmed. He's earned the right to be confirmed. He has the intellect. He has the background. He understands hardship. He understands discrimination. He has a sense of humor. He has the experience. This is a bright man. This is a good man. This is a fair man. He is his own man. What else can we ask of any man?

Thank you very much.

Dear Mr President,
greetings at K.B.P. (I can't spell it.)
Thanks for a great evening at Fourm Plaid
starring Joanne Kemp (+ Dick Cheney too!).
We loved your hospitality + that of
Barbara et al., and thanks also for making
all of us feel so comfortable in your

public housing "project." (Don't worry
I won't privatize it without your permission.)

I'm enclosing W.S.F. article on Wayne Angell
for you. (you asked for political input) And I
thought Angell popularizes "our message" that
Sound (hard) money + lower tax rates on capital
are pro-worker + pro-poor not "pro-rich" per-se!
Fairness aside, you are the growth, jobs +

Opportunity candidate in '92 &
your opponent will be stuck on
fairness, deficits & austerity.

I think you Mr President, (we) can
run on the "high ground" of trying

The Secretary of Housing and Urban Development

to advance the American Dream
of education, jobs, opportunity
& upward mobility for all,
(including the poor) while your
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I can't wait to help out! Jack

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Hard-Money Man Versus Soft-Money Town

A central banker's job, the folklore goes, is to steal the punchbowl just when everyone starts to have fun. In reality, politicians are always begging central bankers to spike the punch.

In today's Washington, everyone from Congress to the White House to the media is begging America's central bank, the Federal Reserve, to pour quarts of vodka (money) into the weak U.S. economy. If a little inflation results, they imply, the party will be worth the hangover. The rest of us are lucky that Wayne Angell is clean and sober at the Fed.

Mr. Angell called this week to explain why he supported Tuesday's modest Fed easing in the money supply, even though he'd opposed a similar move only last April. His thinking matters because he's recently earned a reputation as the Fed's hard-money governor. This is ironic, because only a few years ago he was feared as an easy-money man.

Mr. Angell hasn't changed, but Washington's policy fashions have. Reaganomics no longer controls the field; something else (Darmanomics?) does, a combination of higher taxes, higher spending, expanding regulation, and pleading for easy money to dull the resulting pain. The specter of the 1970s is haunting the Bush economy.

Fiscal policy is frozen by last fall's budget accord. So the debate at the Fed is

Potomac Watch

By Paul A. Gigot

the most significant in town. The restraint of Mr. Angell and (some of) his fellow Fed governors has been the only thing holding out hope of lower interest rates and a sustained economic recovery. In a sense, Mr. Angell is official Washington's last supply sider.

A voluble Kansan, Mr. Angell was irked to read the financial press describe the Fed's easing this week as an attempt to stimulate "the real economy." Not at all, he says; this is Phillips Curve thinking, the discredited but still popular theory that faster economic growth requires a tradeoff with higher inflation. "I think it's just the opposite," Mr. Angell says. Low inflation creates an environment in which the economy can grow even faster.

Mr. Angell adds that if Americans who remember the 1970s get a hint that the Fed will tolerate faster inflation, their expectation will immediately be built into higher long-term (three-year to 30-year) bond prices. Such a rise could

McCarthy

By WILLIAM MCGURN

On a snowy Christmas eve in Le I once missed a scheduled interview the Maronite bishop of Zahle, who driver was forced to turn back be of mountain roads made impassable weather. I was disappointed, of course my disappointment waned when I le that Islamic gunmen had forced the into the bishop's office and pistol-w him in an unsuccessful kidnapping tempt—this at the very moment we have been talking. I wondered who would have been a nice consolation to go along with hostages like the bureau chief for the Associated Terry Anderson. Mr. Anderson had taken nine months earlier.

Today, as freed British hostage McCarthy takes in his first sweet b of freedom, we are rightly thankful the unceasing prayers of his family been heard. But amid the cheer we not forget the 12 other Western ho who remain, presumably, inside Let And amid the optimistic talk about Mr. McCarthy's release after more five years might say about the "cha in Islamic Jihad, Iran, or Syria, we to ourselves to be clear why we are fix in the first place.

True Outlaws

Since the taking of our embassy ran in 1979, the most important h in the Middle East has been U.S. Despite State Department lists, House task forces, and even a succ bombing raid on Libya, we have for that we are dealing with outlaws.

By this I mean that they operate all the conventions of warfare, partic the ones regarding the inviolability of ians. In formal terms these rest on t lars: a legitimate reason to resort to (jus ad bellum) and the limits we of once hostilities have begun (jus in). They are equally important, but in a cized century it has somehow come accepted that having a legitimate entitles one to disregard any sense of proportion and discrimination in cond the war.

To be sure, there are gray area terrorists' actions are rarely within Only the most extreme and abstrac ception of "complicity," for exa could make a legitimate target out of Klinghoffer, the crippled, elderly A can murdered while on a cruise Mediterranean, or the passengers a Pan Am Flight 103, blown up over L ble, Scotland.

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The one-time wheat farmer has credibility because in April he issued a lonely dissent from the Fed's last easing. "I felt we still had some inflation numbers that were not what we wanted," he says. "It was by and large a timing question."

This week those numbers looked much better. He predicts that the annual increase in producer prices is now heading down to 3% or less. The prices of gold, the dollar and commodities—his other lode-stars—also seem stable.

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Mr. Angell is especially impatient with those who say a little inflation—4% or so—is really no big deal. At 4% inflation, the U.S. price level doubles every 18 years. "Do I want to tell people who put their savings in U.S. financial assets that we're going to cheat them out of half of it every 18 years? Is that an acceptable stewardship?" he asks. "How can I say it is acceptable policy to cheat anyone out of anything?"

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By EDWARD A. SNYDER

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nancial books, hangs a photograph of a
plains landscape and a "one-disc plow" as
evocative as a Wyeth painting. The plow
was invented by his grandfather, who also
took the photograph.

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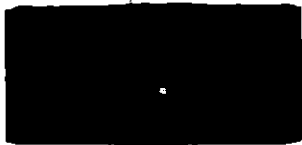
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The Secretary of Labor

Dear Mr. President —

My favorite headline
so far.

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Labor chief: We're going to kick 'glass'

N.Y. DAILY NEWS 8/9/91

By FRANK JACKMAN

News Washington Bureau

WASHINGTON — Labor Secretary Lynn Martin yesterday unveiled a program to help companies break the "glass ceiling" — the invisible barrier that keeps women and minorities from climbing the corporate ladder.

"The times they are a-changing," said Martin, who promised to use her "bully pulpit" as a member of President Bush's cabinet to "encourage" corporations to develop strategies for promoting more women and minorities.

"We want to be the catalyst for change," she said. "We have not and will not act as personnel directors."

Martin said the program was conceived after a year-long department study of nine of the nation's 500 biggest firms turned up widespread barriers to promotion.

The study showed the unidentified companies "had a level beyond which minorities and women had not advanced ... [and] this ceiling was at a much lower management level than first thought."

Minorities were even lower down the

ladder than women.

The review found minorities and women had made "significant gains at the entry level of employment and into the first level of management" but had not moved up despite "increased experience, credentials [and] overall qualifications."

Martin and other Labor officials stressed that none of the companies was guilty of outright discrimination.

But, they said, all the firms engaged in practices — intentionally or unintentionally — that served to keep women and minorities from moving up to middle- and upper-level management jobs.

Among the practices: Reliance on word-of-mouth referrals to fill top-level jobs rather than more formal methods that include women and minorities, and lack of access for women and minorities to management development and training programs.

To dismantle the glass ceiling, Martin said, the Labor Department will conduct more studies, educate its officials, mount a campaign to encourage companies to make voluntary improvements and set up an awards program.



The Secretary of Energy
Washington, DC 20585

August 13, 1991

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

SUBJECT: U.S./SOVIET WORKSHOP ON FOSSIL ENERGY TECHNOLOGIES

The 8-day U.S./Soviet Workshop and industrial site tours on fossil energy concluded on August 7, 1991, with the signing of a record of meeting by Deputy Secretary Henson Moore and the Soviet head of delegation, Rantik Margulov, First Deputy Chair of the State Fuels and Energy Commission. Both the Soviet and U.S. participants considered the workshop to be an overwhelming success.

The workshop was a major step towards implementing your commitment at the G-7 and Moscow Summits to provide technical assistance to the Soviet Union. A wide range of coal, oil and gas technology-related issues were discussed. Agreement was reached on the next steps (summary attached), ranging from commitments to exchange of information on clean coal and enhanced oil and gas production technologies, to U.S. trade missions in areas where the United States has technology to offer and the Soviets have a need to procure.

Just as encouraging was the positive feedback we received from U.S. industry participants in the workshop who sponsored site visits to oil, gas and coal facilities. They not only found the workshop of value but, in several instances, agreed with their Soviet counterparts to pursue private industry initiatives. For example, Amoco invited several Soviet coal liquefaction specialists to visit their facilities later this year to explore the feasibility of a cooperative research program, and the possibility of jointly constructing a coal liquefaction demonstration plant.

Finally, the Soviets floated the possibility of Lev Ryabev, a Deputy Prime Minister and Chairman of the State Fuels and Energy Commission, making his first trip ever to the United States in October to sign with me the proposed non-nuclear energy umbrella agreement. Henson Moore is reviewing this with the State Department and the National Security Council. I am considering making my first trip to the Soviet Union early next year to mark the Department's progress in bilateral technical cooperation on energy and science.

I will keep you apprised of our progress.


James D. Watkins
Admiral, U.S. Navy (Retired)

Attachment

RECORD OF THE U.S.-U.S.S.R. WORKSHOP
ON FOSSIL ENERGY TECHNOLOGY AND INDUSTRY
JULY 30 - AUGUST 8, 1991

FOR THE PERIOD JULY 30 TO AUGUST 8, 1991, DELEGATIONS FROM THE UNITED STATES (U.S.), LED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY (DOE) AND THE UNION OF SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS (U.S.S.R.), LED BY THE STATE FUEL AND ENERGY COMMISSION (SFEC) HELD A WORKSHOP TO DISCUSS THE STATUS OF FOSSIL ENERGY TECHNOLOGY AND INDUSTRY IN THE RESPECTIVE COUNTRIES, AND POSSIBLE AREAS OF COOPERATION ON ENERGY RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT CONSISTENT WITH THEIR DEVELOPING NATIONAL ENERGY STRATEGIES. THE OBJECTIVES OF THE SEMINAR WERE TO ESTABLISH A FRAMEWORK FOR TECHNOLOGY COOPERATION AND EXAMINE THE EXPANDING COMMERCIAL OPPORTUNITIES BETWEEN THE U.S. PRIVATE SECTOR AND ALL-UNION, AND REPUBLIC GOVERNMENTS AND LOCAL ENTERPRISES IN THE U.S.S.R.

THE WORKSHOP WHICH WAS ORGANIZED BY THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE AGREEMENT REACHED DURING THE VISIT OF THE U.S. DELEGATION IN THE U.S.S.R. IN JULY 1990, AND IN KEEPING WITH THE AGREEMENTS AT THE RECENT G-7 MEETING IN LONDON AND SUMMIT IN MOSCOW, WAS HELD AT THE DOE MORGANTOWN AND PITTSBURGH ENERGY TECHNOLOGY CENTERS.

THE U.S. DELEGATION TO THE JULY 30 - AUGUST 8TH WORKSHOP WAS HEADED BY W. HENSON MOORE, DEPUTY SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY, AND CONSISTED OF DOE OFFICIALS AND REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ABOVE CENTERS (ANNEX 1).

THE SOVIET DELEGATION WAS HEADED BY RANTIK MARGULOV, FIRST DEPUTY CHAIRMAN OF THE STATE FUEL AND ENERGY COMMISSION OF THE U.S.S.R. CABINET OF MINISTERS, AND CONSISTED OF REPRESENTATIVES OF FUEL AND ENERGY INDUSTRIES AND FROM SEVERAL OF THE MAJOR FUEL PRODUCING REPUBLICS (ANNEX 2).

FOR THE PRIORITIES OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION PROBLEMS WHICH HAVE A WORLDWIDE SIGNIFICANCE.

DURING THE WORKSHOP, BOTH SIDES DISCUSSED THE ABOVE-MENTIONED ISSUES IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ESTABLISHED AGENDA (ANNEX 3), AND GIVING PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO MODERN ENERGY TECHNOLOGIES OF OIL AND GAS DRILLING AND PRODUCTION, AND NEW METHODS OF OIL AND GAS EXPLORATION.

THE LEADERS OF THE DELEGATIONS EMPHASIZED THAT A MAJOR OBJECTIVE OF WORKSHOP DISCUSSIONS WITH PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SECTOR REPRESENTATIVES WAS TO EXPLORE THE POTENTIAL FOR A LINK BETWEEN TECHNOLOGY AND NEW JOINT VENTURES AND TRADE. DELEGATION LEADERS ALSO SPOKE TO THE IMPORTANCE OF SCHEDULED SITE VISITS (ANNEX 4) IN REINFORCING THIS POSSIBILITY.

THE PARTICIPANTS IN THE WORKSHOP HEARD OVERVIEWS PRESENTED BY THE LEADERS OF THE MINISTRIES AND ENTERPRISES OF THE SOVIET FUEL AND ENERGY COMPLEX, R. MARGULOV, M. SHCHADOV, AND R. VYAKHIREV, ON THE STRUCTURE AND SUPPLY AND DEMAND OUTLOOK FOR SOVIET FUEL AND ENERGY, AS WELL AS OVERVIEWS PRESENTED BY J. SIEGEL, M. SINGER, F. DIX AND OTHERS ON NEW, ENVIRONMENTALLY ACCEPTABLE TECHNOLOGIES FOR COAL BURNING AT ELECTRIC POWER PLANTS AND ADVANCED METHODS OF OIL AND GAS EXPLORATION. DISCUSSIONS WERE HELD ON ECONOMIC AND LEGAL CONSIDERATIONS FOR THE ACTIVITIES OF PRIVATE COMPANIES AND JOINT VENTURES IN THE U.S.S.R. AND SOVIET REPUBLICS.

FINAL PLENARY

BOTH SIDES AGREED THAT THE OBJECTIVES OF THE WORKSHOP, WHICH WERE DEFINED AS ESTABLISHING A FRAMEWORK FOR POSSIBLE U.S.-U.S.S.R. ENERGY AND FUELS TECHNOLOGY COOPERATION AND EXAMINING THE EXPANDING COMMERCIAL OPPORTUNITIES IN THE ENERGY SECTOR, HAD BEEN MET. BOTH SIDES COMMITTED THEMSELVES TO HOLDING PERIODIC BILATERAL CONSULTATIONS TO EXCHANGE INFORMATION ON ENERGY POLICIES AND DIRECTIONS, AND ON WORLD ENERGY ISSUES AS A MAJOR ELEMENT IN ENERGY COOPERATION. BOTH SIDES ALSO AGREED TO HOLD TECHNOLOGY BASED EXCHANGES BETWEEN THE CENTRAL AND REPUBLIC GOVERNMENT AND ENTERPRISE LEVELS IN THE U.S.S.R., AND THE GOVERNMENT AND PRIVATE SECTOR IN THE U.S., TO ADVANCE EFFICIENT AND ENVIRONMENTALLY SAFE DEVELOPMENTS IN THE AREAS OF COAL, OIL AND GAS, AND ELECTRIC POWER GENERATION.

THE SIDES FURTHER AGREED TO CARRY OUT THE FOLLOWING SPECIFIC MEASURES:

- (1) EXCHANGE INFORMATION ON APPROACHES TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE RESPECTIVE NATIONAL ENERGY STRATEGIES, AND RECOMMEND THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A WORKING GROUP TO COMPARE ENERGY DATA, ANALYTICAL METHODS, RESULTS OF RESEARCH AND POLICY RECOMMENDATIONS, AND ALTERNATIVE APPROACHES TO ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES.
- (2) DEVELOP A PROGRAM OF INFORMATION EXCHANGE AND ASSESSMENTS OF OIL AND GAS TECHNOLOGIES, AND SHARE SCIENTIFIC STUDIES AIMED AT THEIR IMPROVEMENT FOR MUTUALLY BENEFICIAL UTILIZATION. THIS PROGRAM MAY INCLUDE PERSONNEL EXCHANGES BETWEEN LABORATORIES AND THE PRIVATE SECTOR OF THE U.S. AND ENTERPRISES OF THE U.S.S.R.

- (3) A U.S.-U.S.S.R. WORKING GROUP ON OIL AND GAS EQUIPMENT IS SPONSORING A U.S. TRADE MISSION TO THE SOVIET OIL FIELDS IN OCTOBER 1991. DURING THIS VISIT, THE SOVIET TEAM AND THE U.S. EQUIPMENT AND SERVICE FIRMS WILL CONTINUE THE DISCUSSION OF OPPORTUNITIES FOR TRADE AND JOINT VENTURES.
- (4) ORGANIZE A TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP COMPRISED OF GOVERNMENT AND INDUSTRY REPRESENTATIVES TO EXCHANGE INFORMATION AND HOLD A WORKSHOP ON CLEAN COAL TECHNOLOGY RESEARCH, DEVELOPMENT AND DEMONSTRATION IN BOTH COUNTRIES, AND DETERMINE THE NATURE AND SCOPE OF ANY COOPERATIVE ACTIVITIES THAT SHOULD BE RECOMMENDED TO THEIR RESPECTIVE AUTHORITIES.
- (5) ESTABLISH A TECHNICAL GROUP TO REVIEW THE STATUS OF MAGNETOHYDRODYNAMICS (MHD) TECHNOLOGY AND DEVELOP RECOMMENDATIONS FOR POTENTIAL COOPERATION IN THIS FIELD.
- (6) THE DOE WILL EXPLORE, WITH APPROPRIATE U.S. AGENCIES AND THE PRIVATE SECTOR, THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A FACT-FINDING VISIT TO THE U.S.S.R. IN CONNECTION WITH MINE SAFETY REQUIREMENTS AND APPROACHES AS PRACTICED IN THE U.S., WITH A VIEW TOWARD POTENTIAL BILATERAL COOPERATION.
- (7) INVESTIGATE THE FEASIBILITY OF A COORDINATION MECHANISM FOR IDENTIFYING AND AIRING DIFFICULTIES ASSOCIATED WITH EMERGING COMMERCIAL PROJECTS WHERE SEVERAL SOVIET ENTITIES MAY BE INVOLVED OR WHEN OTHER SIGNIFICANT IMPEDIMENTS ARE ENCOUNTERED. IN THIS CONTEXT, REPRESENTATIVES OF U.S. INDUSTRY EXPRESSED INTEREST IN VISITING THE SOVIET UNION FOR DISCUSSIONS OF U.S. POWER GENERATION TECHNOLOGIES, INTER-MINISTERIAL RELATIONSHIPS AND THE SOVIET PROJECT DEVELOPMENT PROCESS, AND THE MINISTRY OF POWER AND

ELECTRIFICATION OF THE U.S.S.R. AGREED TO SERVE AS HOST FOR SUCH A MEETING WITH INTERESTED SOVIET ORGANIZATIONS.

DURING THE PERIOD OF THE U.S. WORKSHOP, DISCUSSIONS WERE CARRIED OUT ON THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE FRAMEWORK FOR A U.S.-U.S.S.R. AGREEMENT IN THE FIELD OF NON-NUCLEAR ENERGY. MEETINGS WERE HELD TO CLARIFY THE VIEWS OF THE PARTIES RELATIVE TO THE AGREEMENT. THE FEW OUTSTANDING ISSUES WILL BE ADDRESSED IN THE NEAR FUTURE THROUGH OFFICIAL COMMUNICATIONS. AS A COMPLIMENT TO THE WORK ON THE NON-NUCLEAR AGREEMENT, BOTH SIDES AGREED TO INITIATE THE DEVELOPMENT OF A MEMORANDUM OF COOPERATION, TO BE SUBORDINATE TO THE PROPOSED COUNTRY-TO-COUNTRY AGREEMENT, TO ENCOMPASS ACTIVITIES IN COAL, OIL, AND GAS TECHNOLOGIES AND POWER GENERATION FIELDS.

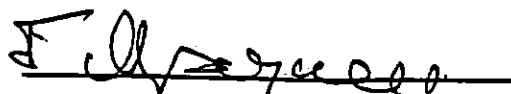
IT WAS AGREED THAT THE SFEC WILL CORRESPOND WITH DOE PRIOR TO SEPTEMBER 15, 1991, RECOMMENDING DATES, TOPICS TO BE DISCUSSED AND REVIEWED, AND SITES TO BE VISITED IN THE U.S.S.R. IN 1991, ON THE ABOVE MEASURES.

IN RESPONSE, DOE WILL ORGANIZE ONE OR MORE DELEGATIONS CONSISTING OF REPRESENTATIVES OF GOVERNMENT AND MEMBERS OF THE PRIVATE SECTOR TO MEET WITH SOVIET SPECIALISTS FOR THE PURPOSES INDICATED ABOVE.

CONCLUDED IN WASHINGTON, D.C., THIS SEVENTH DAY OF AUGUST, 1991, IN DUPLICATE, IN THE ENGLISH AND RUSSIAN LANGUAGES, BOTH TEXTS BEING EQUALLY VALID.



FOR THE U.S. DEPARTMENT
OF ENERGY AND HEAD OF THE
U.S. DELEGATION



FOR THE U.S.S.R. STATE
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The Secretary of Energy
Washington, DC 20585

August 14, 1991

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

**SUBJECT: Positive Litigation Developments Affecting
Resumed Defense Nuclear Production**

Today the Department had two successes in different U.S. District Court cases, each of which had presented the extremely worrisome potential for halting resumed defense nuclear production at the Department of Energy facilities at Rocky Flats, Colorado and Savannah River, South Carolina.

In the Rocky Flats case, yesterday evening Judge Babcock denied plaintiff Sierra Club's request for a court order forbidding any plutonium processing activities on the ground that we exceed State permit volumetric storage limits in maintaining plutonium-bearing residues. Instead, the court provided a two-year period for obtaining the relevant permit from the State, which is consistent with our current compliance schedule with the State of Colorado regulatory authorities.

The second case involved an attempt by two other environmental groups, the Natural Resources Defense Council, and a local group, the Energy Research Foundation, to seek an order preventing resumption of tritium production by the K-Reactor at Savannah River until completion of a cooling tower in late 1992. While Judge Simons has yet to issue his order in this case, in a three-hour hearing he conducted today in Aiken, South Carolina, the Judge indicated at length his "present thinking" that the environmental groups would lose on the merits because, among other reasons, any harm from this thermal pollution is outweighed by the harm to the Government stemming from our inability to meet stockpile requirements were operation of the K-Reactor delayed by a court order.

Both of these cases had the common legal element of the Department being permitted to pursue a certain approach to environmental compliance by the responsible State regulatory authorities, but in a legal setting where the environmental group plaintiffs could point to an inconsistency between State statutory law and how the State regulators had chosen to regulate this Department's activities. These lawsuits reflect attempts to pursue an evidently larger agenda of halting any resumption of defense nuclear production activities. It is a very encouraging development that these two judges, each in his own way, would not permit the law to be manipulated for this purpose.

Jim
James D. Watkins
Admiral, U.S. Navy (Ret.)

*P.S. We now have a good
shot at starting up operations
at both these critical sites
later this year -*



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

August 14, 1991

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: LAMAR ALEXANDER *LA*

SUBJECT: Digger Phelps

I just wanted you to know that I finally did hook up with Digger Phelps about a role in helping us deliver America 2000, your education strategy, to the nation. While he expressed an interest in serving, he seemed happily engaged in his new appointment as a member of the board of the Commission on National and Community Service.

My staff and I will be meeting with Digger when he comes to Washington in September for the next Commission board meeting. I expect that we'll agree on some important things for him to do, probably part time. Thanks for your continuing attention to what we're trying to do here at Education.

I am sending a copy of this note to Dan Quayle who has also expressed an interest in getting Digger to help us.

cc. The Vice President

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THE UNITED STATES TRADE REPRESENTATIVE
Executive Office of the President
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MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

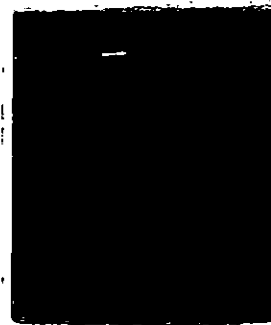
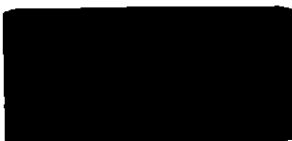
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Carla A. Hills *cont*

SUBJECT:

Latin America Trip Report, August 5-12

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WASHINGTON

8/16/91

TO: CHIEF OF STAFF

FROM: PHILLIP D. BRADY
Assistant to the President and
Staff Secretary

The attached has been forwarded
to the President



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON
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TO: GENERAL SCOWCROFT

FROM: PHILLIP D. BRADY
Assistant to the President and
Staff Secretary

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to the President



THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

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August 12, 1991

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: D. ALLAN BROMLEY *Dman*
SUBJECT: Global Change Research Institutes

The purpose of this memo is to provide you with some information on a very successful recent development from your April 1990 White House Conference on Science and Economics Research Related to Global Change.

Background

At the White House Conference on Science and Economics Research Related to Global Change in April 1990, you proposed the establishment of several global change research institutes to bring together the critical mass of research and capabilities to undertake global change research in three important regions of the world: the Americas, Europe/Africa, and the far East/SW Pacific.

It was decided that the first institute to be set up should be an Institute in the Western Hemisphere (the Americas) and, to carry out the detailed planning for setting up such an institute, the U.S. hosted an international workshop this past July in Puerto Rico. The workshop was sponsored by the FCCSET Committee on Earth and Environmental Sciences (CEES) Global Change Working Group.

The Workshop

Representatives of 22 countries from the region plus a number of "observer" countries and international organizations attended the workshop in San Juan, Puerto Rico, from July 15-19, 1991. All of the countries you visited during your trip to Latin America were enthusiastically represented and provided very constructive support for the institute concept.

During the workshop, the attendees prepared options/recommendations on three specific issues: (1) The science agenda, (2) Organization and management, and (3) Criteria for selection of a site or sites. A draft workshop report was produced, consisting of the three working group reports and statements delivered by participating

countries and organizations. An interim Working Group of representatives from participating countries was formed to further develop the specific options for consideration by a high-level group in April 1992.

Future Actions:

A second workshop has been planned for March 1992 with the same composition as the Puerto Rico workshop to finish the work of the Interim Group and plan for the high level meeting in April 1992 where commitments will be made on the science agenda, organization/management details, and selection of the site(s) for the institute. It is hoped that detailed proposals for establishing this first InterAmerican Institute for Global Change Research will be ready for high-level approval by April/May 1992, in time for announcement at the June 1992 UN Conference on Environment and Development (UNCED).

Comment

In my estimation, the workshop was a genuine success - scientifically, politically, and substantively. The original premise of this workshop was to have the concept development and the detailed planning accomplished by the countries in the region in order to promote a sense of ownership by those countries. This objective was, indeed, accomplished and there was a remarkable degree of cooperation among the participants.

It is significant that this first institute - as a prototype for the others proposed by the US to follow - will be a concrete and very positive indication that the US means business in our pledge to work with developing countries as well as other developed countries to address the important science questions on global change - on both a global and regional basis. In addition, it also makes clear that we are serious in our statements that we do want to help developing countries strengthen their own infrastructure, expertise, and capabilities to study and deal with global climate change and its impacts.

The successful implementation of the institute concept will strengthen our position in the continuing climate change discussions by demonstrating that your administration is, indeed, continuing to take action.

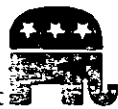
The institute concept is also a positive, new tangible contribution/proposal that the US may wish to bring to the table at UNCED.

I shall be happy to provide any additional details that might be of interest concerning this Western Hemisphere Institute.

In parallel with this we are concentrating our efforts - thus far successfully - to redirect the activities of the International Institute for Applied Systems Analysis (IIASA), that we rejoined recently, toward environmental matters so that it can provide the Europe-Africa focus for a second institute. We are also in contact with the Indonesians,

Japanese, Koreans, Australians, and New Zealanders concerning a Western Pacific rim institute. The Indonesians are particularly enthusiastic about hosting such an institute but are waiting to see how the Western Hemisphere one develops as a possible model for their efforts. Once all three of the institutes that you suggested last April are in place we can work to build strong latitudinal ties and thus have a global network to address what is truly a global issue.

The response in general has been enthusiastic and I shall keep you informed.



Republican
National
Committee

Clayton Yeutter
Chairman

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August 13, 1991

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: CLAYTON YEUTTER

We're gathering the family together for four days in Minnesota, so will get off a few political comments to you before departing.

First, the new policy on wetlands is a move in the right direction. Some of the government agencies had been defining wetlands in an abhorrent way. Hopefully they'll now be more rational on the subject. Some of the environmental groups will scream, but they really have no legitimate basis for doing so.

Second, the Democrats are playing the theme that you are spending all your time on international issues, ignoring domestic concerns. They're making lots of speeches and statements to the effect that the Administration is taking care of the Kurds, the Chinese, and the Soviets, but is forgetting Americans. We can tell by our mail that this argument is beginning to have some impact. Therefore, we can expect them to amplify the argument after Labor Day, and I'm sure this will be the major pitch of any Presidential campaign launches that occur. (Incidentally, there seems to be very strong public opposition to aid for the Soviet Union.)

We'll need to counter this, at the White House and here at the RNC. We ought to accelerate the Administration's activity on domestic issues this fall and next spring. That should involve doing things administratively within the Departments that would provide solid evidence of an active, aggressive, committed Executive Branch. And it should involve keeping pressure on the Congress to pass meaningful legislation that you can sign rather than veto. I've done some radio and TV programs recently in which I've reeled off six or eight of the major domestic legislative proposals you've sent to Capitol Hill, all of which are still sitting there. That stops the media folks right in their tracks when they attempt to argue that you have no domestic agenda.

We also need to emphasize--in statements, speeches, etc.--our commitment to the working men and women of middle income America. The Democrats will try hard

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next year to win back that segment of the population. Moderates like Bill Clinton will do so by simply copying our pitch and putting a Democratic label on it; liberals like Tom Harkin (and Cuomo, if he gets in) will do so through the use of inflammatory, populist rhetoric. We need to counter by having policies, programs and rhetoric which appeals to middle income Americans, and by pointing out inconsistencies between what the Democrats say and what they do.

The proposed gas tax increase will certainly not do any favors for working people, and we ought to point that out. An extension of unemployment compensation benefits will also harm far more middle income Americans than will be helped. Those benefits do not come free. Employment quotas are in the same category, and the same applies to the opposition of many Democrats to the fast track extension, our energy package, etc. Kowtowing to environmental extremists falls in the same category. Congressional Democrats are doing a lot of things that will hurt and are hurting the vast majority of this nation's working men and women, and we ought to have lots of folks on our side pointing that out.

I also believe that much of the unrest over the "domestic agenda" will disappear if the economy truly begins to improve. People are wary about that at the moment, and I suspect that is why the Fed dropped its fed funds rate a few days ago. We'll have to watch that situation carefully this fall, for we have only a few months in which either the Administration or the Fed can do anything that would have an impact before November 1992.

My guess is that the Congress will be extremely combative this fall, not only on your personnel appointments, but also on substantive issues. If so, we should turn that against them in 1992. The American public is already fed up with the Congress, as we can tell from the wide support for term limits. We need not personalize our criticism; that would be a mistake. But we assuredly can criticize the Congress for its institutional shortcomings which dissuade, if not preclude, effective national leadership. Just citing the number of staffers working in Congress today vividly illustrates that point.

One issue that is an absolute loser for us is the "gag rule" on abortion counseling. Our mail shows essentially zero support for a continuation of that rule.

The Democratic sweepstakes should heat up in a few weeks. Harkin seems the only sure participant, with Clinton and Gore still displaying ambivalence. I wish Rockefeller had declared; it would have been good to have Democrats spending some of their relatively scarce financial resources against each other, though that has the downside of giving them some media attention.

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I still feel the Cuomo campaign is already underway. What he seems to be doing is keeping his options open to drop out if it looks like a lost cause, something he can readily do so long as the other Democratic candidates flounder ineffectively.

Murray Dickman was over today to discuss the Thornburgh race, and we'll be helping out in Pennsylvania with some of our field force.

There is some scurrying on getting your fundraising plans in place, and I hope we can all get a better handle on that over the next few days. Bobbie Holt will run that program well once things get organized.

Chen

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

08/13/91

FOR: SIG ROGICH

FROM: PHILLIP BRADY
Assistant to the President
and Staff Secretary

- ☐ Information
- ☒ Action
- ☐ Let's Discuss

For your appropriate action.

cc: Dave Demarest

August 6, 1991

President George Bush
President of the United States
White House
Washington, DC 20501

Dear Mr. President:

It would be nice if you could do something for the 100th
Anniversary of Basketball.

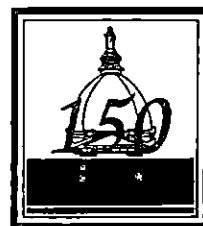
I think the enclosed material will clarify what they need
from you.

Sincerely,

Digger Phelps Harker

Digger Phelps

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BOUSHKA PROPERTIES

August 1, 1991

Mr. Digger Phelps
University of Notre Dame
Notre Dame, IN 46556

Dear Digger,

Enclosed find correspondence regarding our requests for the Basketball Centennial Celebration from the White House. Basically they are twofold 1) a proclamation to be issued the middle of December naming preferably the week of December 16th as National Basketball Week and 2) a visit by basketball dignitaries to the White House at noon on Saturday December 21, 1991, where we could get press coverage etc receiving the proclamation.

We have been working with Christie in Senator Dole's office so you can coordinate that with your contacts.

It was great seeing you Monday, please keep me advised to your success with the White House.

Cordally,

Dick

Dick Boushka

enclosure

p.s. I'll talk to George Boss this weekend and we'll shoot for an April/May trip to Spain next summer depending on Terry's spring break schedule. As soon as she knows, please let us know. Say hello to all the family.

Dear _____

The purpose of this letter is to request the support and involvement of the President of the United States with one of the truly great milestones in American sports history, the 100th Anniversary of Basketball. The Basketball Centennial will be commemorated throughout the upcoming 1991-92 season. You may not be aware that of all the major sports in this country, only basketball originated in the United States. That is why it is often referred to as "The American Game."

It is a celebration of all levels of the sport - amateur through professional - and has the full endorsement and support of all the major governing bodies including: The Basketball Hall of Fame, the National Basketball Association, the National Collegiate Athletic Association, USA Basketball (Olympics) and the National Federation of State High School Associations.

This is to request the President's support in an official capacity in two areas:

1. Presidential Proclamation: The actual 100th Birthday of Basketball is December 21, 1991. At that time, there will be a Gala Celebration in Springfield, Massachusetts - birthplace of basketball and home of the Basketball Hall of Fame.

It is the hope of the Basketball Centennial Committee that a Presidential Proclamation declaring December 1991 as "National Basketball Centennial Month" will be possible.

2. Public Service Ad: Extensive national television time is being provided through the auspices of the National Basketball Association (NBA), the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) and the National Federation of State High School Associations (NFSHSA) to promote the 100th Anniversary celebration. As part of the Centennial PSA campaign, we would welcome the opportunity

to feature President Bush in one of the TV spots to talk about the great tradition and competitive spirit that has made basketball one of the most popular games played worldwide today.

On behalf of the Basketball Centennial Committee, I would like to thank you in advance for your consideration of these requests. The 100th Anniversary will be one of the great celebrations in all of sports and one of the major highlights of 1991. The President's support would make this once-in-a-lifetime opportunity even more memorable to sports fans across the country.

I look forward to your response, and please don't hesitate to call with any questions you may have.

Sincerely,

Richard J. Boushka
Chairman

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April 25, 1991

Brian Waidman
Deputy Assistant to the President
for Legislative Affairs
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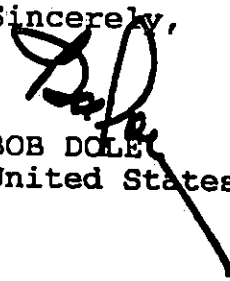
Dear Brian:

I am contacting you regarding the celebration of the Centennial of Basketball during the upcoming 1991-1992 season and to encourage President Bush to participate in the Centennial.

According to the Chairman of the Committee, Dick Boushka, of Wichita, Kansas, the celebration encompasses all levels of the sport and has the support of its governing bodies including the NBA and the NCAA. The actual 100th Birthday is December 21, 1991. It is the hope of the Centennial Committee that the President could lend his support to the 100th birthday festivities during the month of December.

Thank you in advance for your assistance. Dick is prepared to discuss details and can be reached at his offices, as noted on the attached.

Sincerely,


BOB DOLE
United States Senate

BD/cvr

PSA/CENTENNIAL

For: NCAA

Element: PSA

Media: TV

Length: :30

Objectives: Listed below

- Create awareness of the 100th Anniversary of Basketball
- - Generate interest/excitement for viewers of the Basketball Centennial being celebrated throughout the 1991-92 season.
- - Communicate the spirit/traditions/excitement unique to the sport, and recognize all who have shared in that experience...players, coaches, and fans alike.

Tonality: Positive; upbeat; celebratory in nature

Visuals: Incorporate official Centennial logo at open/close of PSA (or where you deem appropriate).

Tag: It is suggested that :05 tags themed to the Centennial be included as part of the NCAA's ongoing basketball PSA campaign for next season.

PSA/CENTENNIAL

For: NCAA

Element: PSA

Media: Print/Radio

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or 2/c: red, white and blue).

Length: :30 (Radio)

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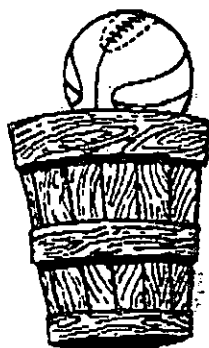
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SALUTES THE 100TH ANNIVERSARY OF BASKETBALL

A season like this comes along once in 100 years.
The Basketball Centennial is a celebration of the
spirit and tradition unique to the game of basketball.

SCHOOL NAME
is excited to share in the 100th Anniversary
celebration, and proud to be part of this
historic 1991-92 season!



**CELEBRATE A CENTURY
OF BASKETBALL**

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happened -- YMCA

Dick

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

June 11, 1991

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I am delighted to join with the members of the YMCA in commemorating the 100th anniversary of the game of basketball.

The only major sport that is entirely American in origin, basketball has become one of the most popular team games in the world. Basketball is a fast-paced yet methodical and rhythmic game, and it is almost as much fun to watch as it is to play. James Naismith would be proud to know that the sport he created now entertains millions at the grade school, high school, college, professional, and international levels.

Members of the YMCA can take special pride in their contributions to the development of basketball over the past 100 years. Through countless league and pick-up games that are sponsored by the YMCA, Americans have increased their physical fitness while learning important lessons about teamwork and about good sportsmanship. On behalf of all basketball players and fans -- including the Bush family -- I commend your outstanding efforts to promote the best aspects of the game.

George Bush

March 14, 1991

Mr. Joe O'Brien
Executive Director
Basketball Hall of Fame
1150 West Columbus Avenue
Springfield, MA 01101-0179

*Dick -
You may want to
call Joe to
discuss.*



Re: Presidential Proclamation

Dear Joe:

Attached for your review is a draft of a letter to the Office of the President of the United States.

It seeks the President's support in two areas:

- - An official Presidential Proclamation (declaring December - or other selected month/week - as "National Basketball Centennial Month").
- - A Centennial-themed PSA, requesting the President to appear in the PSA to pay tribute to the spirit, traditions and heritage of "The American Game - 100 years old this season."

In terms of channeling this request, one suggestion is to go through Senator Bill Bradley. Dick Boushka also volunteered to contact Senator Bob Dole of Kansas to expedite on our behalf. Let me know how else I can be of assistance.

Sincerely,

John Carlucci
Executive Vice President

cc: Dick Boushka

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

DATE: 08/09/91

NOTE FOR: EDE HOLIDAY

The President has reviewed the attached, and it is
forwarded to you for your:

Information ☐

Action ☒

For dispatch to Carla Hills.

Thank you.

PHILLIP D. BRADY
Assistant to the President
and Staff Secretary
(x2702)

cc:

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THE UNITED STATES TRADE REPRESENTATIVE
Executive Office of the President
Washington, D.C. 20508

THE PRESIDENT HAS SEEN

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM:

Carla A. Hills

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SUBJECT:

Discussions in Brussels and Budapest

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OK for release as
appropriate.

Thanks, J.

8/9/91

THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

August 12, 1991

The President today named the volunteers of the MediVan Project of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, as the 533rd Daily Point of Light for the Nation. Using the MediVan Project's mobile units, retired doctors, nurses, social workers, and other health care professionals reach out and care for over 4,000 medically underserved and indigent senior citizens in the Broward County area each year.

The MediVan Project consists of a van and a 32-foot recreational vehicle which has been converted for wheelchair accessibility. The mobile units are sponsored through donations by Health and Rehabilitative Services and the Memorial Hospital Auxiliary. In addition, several local senior citizen groups have donated the proceeds from their performances and activities to purchase diagnostic equipment for the MediVan Project.

Staffed by a corps of retired professionals, the mobile clinics travel to 22 locations throughout Broward County, including retirement communities, senior citizen residential developments, community centers, and churches. The scheduled visits occur four times a week and provide regular care for the patients. Most patients either cannot afford medical care, lack transportation, or are confined to their homes. This health care delivery service represents a routine and reliable lifeline to many dependent and isolated senior citizens in the area.

The underlying philosophy of the project is to engage seniors in helping other seniors. The retired volunteers, many of whom are bilingual, use their expertise and professional medical backgrounds in providing essential health care as well as emotional support, understanding, and compassion to their peers aged 60 years or older. Medication is dispensed from the unit's pharmacy at no charge to those patients lacking financial resources or health insurance. The extensive outreach efforts and success of the program have spawned requests for technical assistance and advice from other communities interested in implementing this project.

The President salutes the volunteers of the MediVan Project for their community service efforts and for demonstrating his belief that, "From now on in America, any definition of a successful life must include serving others."

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THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

August 13, 1991

The President today named Jack Smith of Sioux City, Iowa, as the 534th Daily Point of Light for the Nation. Jack Smith, a stroke victim, offers support and companionship to patients recovering from strokes and head injuries in his community.

After suffering a stroke in 1983, Mr. Smith drew from his own personal experience and joined a team of volunteers in visiting and encouraging rehabilitation patients at the Marian Health Center in Sioux City. Like Jack Smith, most of these stroke patients have suffered from impaired speech and movement. Although he is still 70 percent paralyzed on his right side, Mr. Smith adheres to a rigorous schedule of visiting stroke patients in the health center, three to five times a week for three to four hours. He has been committed to this endeavor for the past six years. During this time, he has developed close relationships with the patients by listening to their struggles and sharing his personal insight and experiences in the recovery process; he instills in them the hope that they will be able to walk, speak, and lead productive and independent lives again.

Mr. Smith is a source of moral support for the hospital staff as well, through his uplifting actions, commitment, kind words, and encouragement. The patients look forward to his visits; he is often the only one who can communicate with them because of their speech impediments. These new friendships have extended beyond the patients' hospital stays. Mr. Smith maintains contact with the former patients, encouraging their participation in the Tri-State Stroke Club, a monthly support group for stroke victims.

The President salutes Jack Smith for his community service efforts and for demonstrating his belief that, "From now on in America, any definition of a successful life must include serving others."

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August 14, 1991

The President today named the volunteers of the Edmonson Youth Outreach YMCA of Omaha, Nebraska, as the 535th "Daily Point of Light" for the Nation. The Edmonson Youth Outreach YMCA has touched the lives of over 2,500 inner city youth. The volunteers and staff serve as mentors to the young people and encourage them in their social, academic, and athletic development.

In 1968, Joe Edmonson began the "Exploradories Wrestling Club" which offered wrestling training to young boys. In 1978, Mr. Edmonson decided to extend his commitment to meet the personal and academic needs of the children. Joe and Jean Edmonson, founders and current directors of Youth Outreach, have worked for over twenty years, side-by-side with volunteers.

The volunteers and staff of Youth Outreach are determined to give these young people the means to realize their potential. Classes in computer education, arts and crafts, and dance are available to everyone involved with this program. Through the acquisition and development of new skills, the young participants discover that it is possible to transform and redirect their lives. Many of the program's graduates return to tutor, teach wrestling techniques, and provide support to their peers and younger friends.

Youth Outreach offers inner city youth an alternative to street life. Edmonson Eagles, a television show created by Edmonson Youth, affords the youngsters an opportunity to meet with community leaders and discuss current issues. The children learn how to interview, videotape, and produce the television show. The format was developed in conjunction with COX Cable Channel 23, which broadcasts the production three times a week.

The President salutes the volunteers of Edmonson Youth Outreach YMCA for their community service efforts and for demonstrating his belief that, "From now on in America, any definition of a successful life must include serving others."

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

August 15, 1991

The President today name the volunteers of The Little Light House of Tulsa, Oklahoma, as the 536th Daily Point of Light for the Nation. The Little Light House is a developmental center dedicated to meeting the educational, physical, emotional, and spiritual needs of children with disabilities from birth to age ten. The services are provided at no cost to the parents.

The Little Light House, established in 1972, is supported by a professional staff of 24 individuals and augmented by the services of more than 65 volunteers. The volunteers draw from varied backgrounds and range from high school students to senior citizens.

The Little Light House offers a variety of programs, dependent upon the support of the volunteers, to the students and their families. From the outset, each child is given an individualized educational program tailored to his or her special needs. Physical and speech therapy are integral elements in the development process. In addition, the parents are presented with a specially designed home program with developmental goals to supplement the center's curricula for the child.

The volunteers of the Little Light House serve primarily in the classrooms on a one-to-one basis with the students, helping to achieve the prescribed objectives of their individual programs. Volunteers devote at least one day a week, working from 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. In addition to serving in the classroom, volunteers perform administrative and clerical tasks and engage in fundraising activities. The volunteers commit their time and talent to special services in the following areas: carpentry, photography, baking, sewing, and painting. In addition, other volunteer opportunities include repairing toys and establishing and maintaining computer systems for the use of the children.

The President salutes the volunteers of The Little Light House for their community service efforts and for demonstrating his belief that, "From now on in America, any definition of a successful life must include serving others."

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

August 16, 1991

The President named the volunteers of the Methodist Medical Center of Dallas, Texas, as the 537th Daily Point of Light for the Nation. The volunteers enhance the quality of medical care and make the patients' hospital stay more pleasant. Last year, over 200 volunteers contributed over 22,000 recorded volunteer hours in many departments and capacities throughout the hospital. The pool of volunteers is representative of all age groups from high school students to great grandparents.

In the Cuddlers Program, nearly 35 volunteers on rotating two-hour shifts feed, bathe, change diapers, rock, sing to, and even purchase clothes for the babies in the special care nursery. Over sixty percent of the 500 babies cared for in this unit each year are transferred from referral hospitals in distant areas by helicopter, ambulance, or airplane. All of the infants are born to mothers who had insufficient prenatal care, experienced problem pregnancies, or were addicted to alcohol or drugs. Frequently, the parents cannot be with their babies during their hospital stay because of the distance from their homes or other special reasons. The Cuddlers serve as surrogate parents in providing the babies with the nurturing, attention, and love they need to thrive.

In the Intensive Care Unit ICU waiting room, about ten volunteers form a support system for families in crisis. The volunteers provide a friendly ear and offer comfort and companionship to the families of patients during this difficult time. Many volunteers have developed relationships with family members that have continued beyond the patient's release. On average, the ICU volunteers commit five hours per week to the program. Other volunteers in the Methodist Medical Center assist in answering phones, responding to inquiries and family requests, escorting and accompanying visitors and overseeing the management of the area.

The President salutes the volunteers of the Methodist Medical Center for their community service efforts and for demonstrating his belief that, "From now on in America, any definition of a successful life must include serving others."

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THE WHITE HOUSE

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August 16, 1991

The President today named the volunteers of Milwaukee's Breast Cancer Awareness Project of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, as the 538th Daily Point of Light for the Nation. The Task Force educates, examines, screens and provides patient follow-up and referral to uninsured, underinsured, and economically disadvantaged women in Milwaukee.

The Milwaukee's Breast Cancer Awareness Project represents a unique partnership among government, private industry, medical practitioners, and volunteer organizations. The group was formed to meet a critical need by promoting education, awareness, and early detection of breast cancer.

The delivery of the project's health care services is provided through the Mobile Care for Women, a fully equipped mobile mammography screening unit. Over 30 volunteers accompany trained health care technicians, traveling throughout the community four days a week to reach those women to whom access to conventional health care is not readily available. The team makes routine visits to churches, shopping malls, and community centers, having reached close to 2,000 women in the past nine months. Once on site, the staff and volunteers provide breast examinations and mammography screening and disseminate educational material printed in five languages to the women.

There is no charge for mammograms or other services provided by the Mobile Care team. Eight hospitals voluntarily provide follow-up treatment for those possibly needing mastectomies. Several bilingual volunteers help overcome language barriers in explaining the procedures and comforting the women. A doctor specializing in breast cancer donates time to interpret the test results taken by the radiologist. The assistance offered by Mobile Care for Women has resulted in a 95% compliance rate with patient follow-up and referrals.

The President salutes the volunteers of Milwaukee's Breast Cancer Awareness Project for their community service efforts and for demonstrating his belief that, "From now on in America, any definition of a successful life must include serving others."

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