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SCHEDULE OF THE PRESIDENT

Wednesday, June 6, 1990

8:00 am (15 min)	<u>Intelligence Briefing</u> (Scowcroft/Sununu)	Oval Office
8:15 am (30 min)	<u>National Security Briefing</u> (Scowcroft/Sununu)	Oval Office
8:45 am (30 min)	<u>Meeting with Governor Sununu</u>	Oval Office
9:15 am (30 min)	<u>Meeting with Secretary Cheney</u>	Oval Office
9:45 am (15 min)	<u>Administrative Time</u>	Oval Office
10:00 am (45 min)	Meeting with Roh Tae Woo, President, Republic of Korea (OPWP-3) (Scowcroft) (Distributed Separately)	Oval Office
10:45 am (45 min)	<u>Personal Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
11:30 am (30 min)	Meeting with Greek Prime Minister Constantine Mitsotakis (OPWP-3) (Scowcroft) (Distributed Separately)	Oval Office/ Cabinet Room
12:00 pm (60 min)	Luncheon with Prime Minister Mitsotakis (Scowcroft) (Distributed Separately & TAB A)	Old Family Dining Room
1:00 pm (15 min)	<u>Personal Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
1:15 pm (5 min)	Photo for National Foundation for Ileitis and Colitis (Demarest) (wires)	Oval Office (TAB B)
1:30 pm (30 min)	Meeting with AFL-CIO President Lane Kirkland and Senior Trade Union Leaders from G-7 Countries (Scowcroft) (open stills)	Cabinet Room (TAB C)

UNP 06/05/90
5:00 pm



2:00 pm
(30 min)

Meeting with Governor Sununu

Oval Office

2:30 pm
(2 hr 30 min)

Administrative Time

Oval Office

8:01 add Gates, DCI, (b)(3) 8:02 add Scowcroft 8:06 add Sumner
8:14 (b)(3) + DCI out 8:15 add V.P. 8:56 V.P. dpt 9:16 add Cheney +
Scowcroft
9:21 add Sumner 9:39 Cheney out 9:41 Scowcroft + Sumner out
10:00 Fitzwater into Oval 10:03 add V.P. + Gates 10:04 add Rohit et al
11:00 all out except V.P., Gates, + Fitzwater 11:01 Gates + Fitzwater out
11:03 V.P. out 11:25 add Sumner 11:30 add Scowcroft + Gates + Fitzwater
11:33 add P.M. Mitsotakis et al 11:35 Potus talks to Rose Garden for photo
11:37 Potus, P.M. to Cabinet Rm for mtg. 12:12 Potus + P.M. to Oval
12:14 Potus + P.M. to ~~Res.~~ Res. 12:17 Potus + P.M. to 2nd Fl. Res. greet Mrs. Bush
luncheon group
1:17 dpt 1:20 an Oval 1:23 add Mobley, Ms. Finn + Bernersky
1:30 all out 1:33 Potus to Cabinet Rm 2:11 Potus to Oval - join
2:13 add Tony Hope (Bob Hope son) Mrs. Bush, Firestone + family
2:17 all out 2:18 add Gil Scowcroft + Maw. Bush Bob Hope et al (see Mrs. Bush lunch)
2:42 Potus to Horseshoe Pit / Tennis courts 2:40 Scowcroft out
5:09 Potus an Oval

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5:00 pm

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

TELEPHONE MEMORANDUM

MAY 6th

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PRESIDENT BUSH

	TIME		DISC	NAME	ACTION
	PLACED				
OUT	7:29 AM		7:33	MR. JOHN (JEB) E. BUSH (b)(6)	TLKD-OK
~~INC~~	~~XX~~	~~PM~~			
OUT		AM			
INC		PM			
OUT	7:57 AM		11:27	SENATOR MARK O. HATFIELD OFC: WASHINGTON, DC 224-6191	TLKD-OK 11:20 A.M.
~~INC~~	~~XX~~	~~PM~~			
OUT		AM			
INC		PM			
OUT	~~XX~~	~~AM~~		MRS. PATRICIA (PATTY) A. PRESOCK OFC: WASHINGTON, DC WHITE HOUSE ADMIN EXT. 620	ON PHONE, TLKD-OK WITH MRS. BRIDGET M. MONTAGNE
~~INC~~	4:48 PM		4:49		
OUT		AM			
INC		PM			
OUT	~~XX~~	~~AM~~		GENERAL BRENT SCOWCROFT OFC: WASHINGTON, DC WHITE HOUSE ADMIN EXT. 653	TLKD-OK
~~INC~~	4:55 PM		4:56		
OUT		AM			
INC		PM			
OUT	~~XX~~	~~AM~~		MRS. BRIDGET MONTAGNE OFC: WASHINGTON, DC WHITE HOUSE ADMIN EXT. 620	TLKD-OK
~~INC~~	5:15 PM		5:16		
OUT		AM			
INC		PM			
OUT	~~XX~~	~~AM~~		GOVERNOR JOHN H. SUNUNU OFC: WASHINGTON, DC WHITE HOUSE ADMIN EXT. 686	TLKD-OK 5:36 P.M.
~~INC~~	5:35 PM		5:37		

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TELEPHONE MEMORANDUM
SIGNAL SWITCHBOARD

June 6, 1990

	TIME		NAME	ACTION
	PLACED	DISC		
~~OUT~~	AM		Conference Call: Secretary James A. Baker III Office, Prestwick, Scotland 316-986	Tlkd-ok 2:37 PM via Secure Voice
INC	2:22 PM	2:41		
OUT	AM		General Brent Scowcroft The Oval Office White House Signal 2-4176	
INC	PM			
OUT	AM		Ms. Bridget Montagne Office, Washington, D.C. White House Signal 2-4176	Tlkd-ok 5:07 PM
~~INC~~	5:07 PM	5:08		
OUT	AM		Conference Call: President Fernando Collor (b)(6)	Tlkd-ok 5:37 PM
~~INC~~	5:12 PM	5:47		
OUT	AM		Mr. Donald C. Johnson White House Situation Room White House Signal 2-2264	
INC	PM			
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PRESIDENTIAL MOVEMENTS

LOCATION Washington, D.C.

DATE 6 June 1990

TIME	MOVEMENTS
0720	South Grounds
0723	Oval Office
1135	Rose Garden
1137	Cabinet Room
1211	Oval Office
1216	Residence
1220	State Floor
1320	South Grounds
1321	Oval Office
1334	Cabinet Room
1414	Oval Office
1441	South Grounds
1808	Oval Office
1857	South Grounds
1911	Residence



News Summary

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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 6, 1990 -- 6:00 A.M. EDT EDITION

TODAY'S HEADLINES

INTERNATIONAL NEWS

HILL LEADERS OFFER BUSH SUPPORT ON SOVIET TRADE TREATY -- Congressional leaders offered support to President Bush Tuesday for the trade agreement that he signed at last week's summit with President Gorbachev but warned that the treaty could face strong opposition in Congress if the Soviets do not ease their economic blockade against Lithuania. (Washington Post)

SHEVARDNADZE ANNOUNCES WITHDRAWAL OF A-ARMS -- Soviet Foreign Minister Shevardnadze said Tuesday his government will withdraw a large amount of short-range atomic weapons including 1,500 nuclear warheads from Central Europe, but U.S. officials cautioned that it was not clear whether he was counting weapons whose withdrawal Moscow had announced earlier. (Los Angeles Times, Washington Post, Reuter)

NATIONAL NEWS

DEMOCRATS PLAN TO SUE WHITE HOUSE OFFICIAL -- The Massachusetts Democratic Party announced Tuesday that it would sue a senior White House aide who it says plotted to sabotage the party's convention last weekend in Springfield. (New York Times)

NETWORK NEWS (Tuesday Evening)

SUMMIT -- President Bush told congressional leaders it may be months before he asks Congress to approve the trade deal he signed with President Gorbachev.

SUMMIT/SOVIETS -- On Wednesday, President Gorbachev will give the Soviet legislature a report on his American trip.

GASOLINE TAXES -- Raising the gasoline tax to cut the budget deficit is becoming more acceptable nationally.

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INTERNATIONAL NEWS

HILL LEADERS OFFER BUSH SUPPORT ON SOVIET TRADE TREATY But Strong Opposition Could Surface Unless Lithuanian Economic Blockade Is Eased

Congressional leaders offered support to President Bush Tuesday for the trade agreement that he signed at last week's summit with President Gorbachev but warned that the treaty could face strong opposition in Congress if the Soviets do not ease their economic blockade against Lithuania.

Bush briefed the bipartisan leadership on the summit at the White House Tuesday, and Speaker Foley and Rep. Gephardt spoke up forcefully for the trade agreement, according to officials present.

Foley told Bush that he believed it was "correct" to sign the pact and that the President had handled the issue of Baltic independence "well." Gephardt told Bush he believed that the agreement would strengthen the U.S. position with regard to the Baltics....

Even Sen. Mitchell...was muted during the meeting.

But the leaders said later that Lithuania remained an obstacle to the treaty. "Call it linkage, call it reality," Sen. Dole said. "If the Lithuania or Baltic problem is not resolved, then I think it will become a matter of great concern in the Congress."

The Administration repeated Tuesday that the only precondition for sending the trade agreement, and a request for favorable tariff treatment, to Congress is Soviet passage of a measure liberalizing emigration. But the Soviet legislature Tuesday put off that bill. "We can't say it's a good thing," an Administration official said of the delay. "But it may work to their benefit.... Gorbachev knows that he needs to get a dialogue going in Lithuania to ensure American support."

(Dan Balz, Washington Post, A17)

No Lithuania, No Trade Pact, Hill Tells Bush

Congressional leaders Tuesday rejected President Bush's delinking of a U.S.-Soviet trade agreement from Lithuanian independence, warning Congress won't consider the pact until the Kremlin opens talks with the Baltic state.

"There will probably be many in Congress who want to see...some progress on Lithuania before approving" most-favored-nation trading status for the Soviets..., said Speaker Foley.

"Call it linkage or call it reality," added Sen. Dole.

Sen. Mitchell, who joined other congressional leaders at a White House briefing, said, "There will have to be some moderation of Soviet policy with respect to Lithuania before the agreement is approved and most-favored-nation status granted." ...

In his meeting Tuesday, President Bush assured the lawmakers that the U.S. could trust Gorbachev to deal with the Lithuanian independence movement peacefully and swiftly, officials said.

(Paul Bedard, Washington Times, A1)

Congressional Leaders Warily Approve Bush Action On Soviet Trade Pact

One day after the Senate Democratic leader, George Mitchell, said President Bush had "effectively abandoned Lithuania" during the superpower summit by approving a trade agreement with the Soviet Union, the other three top Democrats in Congress spoke with guarded approval Tuesday of Bush's decision.

Bush defended his decision Tuesday in a meeting with congressional leaders and acknowledged that President Gorbachev made no private promise to ease up on Lithuania in exchange for the trade agreement....

But after congressional leaders met with Bush Tuesday at the President's invitation, the other top three Democrats -- Sen. Cranston, Speaker Foley and Rep. Gephardt -- essentially endorsed Bush's action. While the three shared Mitchell's concern that the Soviets ease up on Lithuania, they said they backed Bush's strategy of signing a trade agreement in advance of further progress on Lithuania.

(Michael Kranish, Boston Globe)

**SOVIET LEGISLATURE POSTPONES EMIGRATION BILL
Measure Viewed As A U.S. Condition For
Congressional Ratification Of Trade Pact**

MOSCOW -- The Soviet legislature Tuesday postponed final approval of a law to ease emigration, viewed by the Bush Administration as a condition for ratification by Congress of a new U.S.-Soviet trade agreement.

Several lawmakers objected to the decision by the presidency of the Supreme Soviet to delay consideration of the bill, saying that it could undermine American trust in the Soviet Union....

The Supreme Soviet Tuesday decided to extend its spring session for a week to conclude important business, including a report by President Gorbachev on his summit meeting with President Bush.

(Michael Dobbs, Washington Post, A17)

White House Spared A Conflict With Congress On Soviet Trade

A conflict between the White House and Congress over the trade accord signed at the Washington summit meeting was averted Tuesday when the Soviet parliament said it would probably not take up a new law permitting unfettered emigration until September.

Because passage of the Soviet law is a condition for expanding trade ties with Moscow, the White House said Tuesday that President Bush would not submit the accord that he signed Friday with President Gorbachev to the Senate until September at the earliest, assuming that the Soviet legislature, the Supreme Soviet, acted at that time.

Soviet officials said the decision to postpone the vote could conceivably be changed, but the legislation was not included on the agenda of the parliament's current session, which ends on June 14.

...The likely delay will give the White House some political breathing space to shore up support for the trade agreement. Presidential aides greeted the news from Moscow with obvious relief.

(Andrew Rosenthal, New York Times, A1)

Soviets Again Delay On Emigration Law

The Soviet Union has put its proposed new emigration law on hold, at least until September, angering American Jewish leaders and arousing suspicion that President Gorbachev is fulfilling his threat to prevent an exodus of Soviet Jews who might settle in Israel's occupied territories....

Yevgeny Primakov, an adviser to Gorbachev, said Saturday the law was on the "finishing line."

"What credibility can we now give to the words of their leading spokespeople?" asked Jerry Strober, spokesman for the National Conference on Soviet Jewry....

"The law was not passed before the summit, although it could easily have been," said Micah Maftalin, executive director of the Union of Councils for Soviet Jews. "This behavior gives us no indication that it will be passed anytime soon."

(Martin Sieff, Washington Times, A9)

SOVIET BALTIC LEADERS TO MEET, MILITARY ISSUES WARNING

MOSCOW -- Leaders of the Soviet Union's three independence-minded Baltic republics will meet on Wednesday in the Latvian capital Riga to discuss last week's superpower summit, a Latvian official said Tuesday.

Military leaders in the Baltic region, meanwhile, accused the separatist governments in Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania of boosting tension in the region and weakening the Soviet Union's defenses.

Lithuanian President Landsbergis accused certain forces within his republic of trying to engineer a coup.

In Riga, Sarmite Erte, an official of the Latvian parliament, said the presidents and prime ministers of the three republics would discuss how the Baltic issue was dealt with at the Washington summit. The meeting, she said, would be within the framework of the Baltic Council, a pre-war body recently revived to discuss common questions and the joint drive to restore the republics' independence.

(Reuter)

SUMMIT TERMED HISTORIC

Former National Security Adviser Brzezinski Tuesday called the just-concluded Bush-Gorbachev summit one of the three most historic "turning point" summits in the past 45 years.

He said the Soviets finally have accepted the defeat of their old communist goals.

"This was a summit of gentle concessions by Mr. Gorbachev to the realities of the world," he said at a briefing at the Johns Hopkins Foreign Policy Institute.

The Soviets know they are losing in their competition with the West, he said, and "they know some sort of accomodation is necessary."

(Peter Almond, Washington Times, A5)

SHEVARDNADZE ANNOUNCES WITHDRAWAL OF A-ARMS

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Addressing a meeting here of foreign ministers from the 35-nation Conference on Security and Cooperation in Europe, Shevardnadze caused a stir when he announced that the Soviets plan to withdraw 60 tactical missile launchers, more than 250 atomic artillery units and 1,500 nuclear warheads from the Central European theater as a spur to negotiations with the U.S. on reducing short-range nuclear weapons.

"These are new figures, and they seem to be quite impressive figures," Shevardnadze told reporters Tuesday night following a two-hour meeting with Secretary Baker. But he declined to give specifics about where and how the cuts would be made or what percentage of the Soviet nuclear arsenal would be withdrawn from Central Europe.

Baker, standing at Shevardnadze's side, said diplomatically that the announcement was welcomed by the U.S. and its NATO allies "because the Soviet Union has a significant advantage in these types of weapons." Beyond that, Baker said only that "we are still taking a look at and analyzing" the Soviet move.

Earlier, Baker and other U.S. officials said they did not know whether the figures cited by Shevardnadze represented all new cuts or were made up at least in part by other withdrawals the Soviets have said they will make. (John Goshko, Washington Post, A16)

Soviets To Make Surprise Cuts In Nuclear Forces

COPENHAGEN -- The Soviet Union will withdraw 1,500 nuclear warheads from Central Europe this year as part of a unilateral slash in short-range forces, Foreign Minister Shevardnadze announced Tuesday, taking by surprise both Secretary Baker and a Soviet spokesman.

Shevardnadze, speaking to a human rights conference here, said Moscow will remove 60 tactical nuclear launchers and 250 units of atomic artillery from Central Europe before the end of the year in addition to the cutback in warheads. He added that Moscow will soon withdraw 140 nuclear missile launchers and 3,200 "atomic guns," apparently a reference to nuclear artillery shells. He did not try to reconcile the figures.

Baker, who met for two hours with Shevardnadze later in the day, welcomed the announcement, which he said would reduce but not eliminate a substantial Soviet numerical advantage over NATO in short-range weaponry. He said Washington is asked to do nothing in return.

Although Shevardnadze assured reporters that the planned reductions were all new ones, previously unannounced, few details were made public. Vitaly Churkin, an adviser to the foreign minister who often serves as his spokesman, said he first learned of the plan from Shevardnadze's speech and did not know where the weapons were located or what would be done with them.

(Norman Kempster, Los Angeles Times, 6A)

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Soviets Announce Unilateral Arms Cuts; U.S., NATO Cautious

COPENHAGEN -- Foreign Minister Shevardnadze Tuesday announced Soviet plans for unilateral withdrawal of 1,500 nuclear warheads and other arms from Europe but the U.S. said the significance of the move was not immediately clear....

Secretary Baker, after hearing his Soviet counterpart's speech, seemed caught off guard and reacted cautiously.

"Well, we'd like to see whatever unilateral reductions we can see," Baker told reporters.

But he stressed that "there are still some reductions that have been announced that have not been implemented yet. We'd like to examine the specifics of what has been said."

NATO downplayed the Soviet announcement, saying it was a "small step" that fell far short of reductions wanted by the West.

(Carol Giacomo, Reuter)

BAKER, SHEVARDNADZE DISCUSS GERMANY, DISARMAMENT

COPENHAGEN -- Secretary Baker said he was encouraged after talks with Foreign Minister Shevardnadze about disarmament and German unity.... "I think we did (make progress)," said Baker at an impromptu briefing following the 90-minute talk Tuesday with his Soviet counterpart at the Soviet Embassy residence in Copenhagen.

(Julian Isherwood, UPI)

SECRETARY OF STATE CALLS FOR SPEEDING UP REFORM PROCESS IN EAST

COPENHAGEN -- Secretary Baker called Wednesday for accelerating the transition to multiparty democracy in Eastern Europe by strengthening the rule of law and encouraging economic freedom.

Specifically, Baker expressed concern that Romania and Bulgaria are not keeping pace with Hungary, Poland, Czechoslovakia and East Germany in developing democratic systems.... The secretary also called for engendering the free market system in long-time Marxist countries with centrally-planned economies.

"We must ensure that all peoples of Europe may know the prosperity that comes from economic liberty and competitive markets," he said.

(Barry Schweid, AP)

CHENEY SAYS U.S. MUST REMAIN STRONG TO FACE FUTURE THREATS

NEW YORK -- The U.S. must retain a strong military to counter future threats to peace despite the apparent ending of the Cold War, Secretary Cheney said Tuesday night.

"The idea of a security threat was not invented by the Communist Party of the Soviet Union and it will remain long after that party is over," Cheney said in a speech and question-and-answer session before the Economic Club of New York, an organization of the heads of major businesses.

"Prudence demands that we keep a clear eye on capabilities as well as intentions. And Soviet capabilities continue to convince me that we must maintain a robust deterrence," Cheney said. "And even if you grant the most optimistic scenario about the Soviet Union, America must still retain potent military forces."

(Bernard Hunt, Reuter)

MINISTERS EXPLORE IDEAS FOR NEW EUROPEAN SECURITY SYSTEM

COPENHAGEN -- Ministers at a human rights meeting in Denmark have come closer to defining an alternative to Europe's opposing military alliances.

Several foreign ministers said at the Copenhagen meeting, which began Tuesday, that the Conference on Security and Cooperation in Europe could be expanded.

The 35-nation conference decided to hold a summit, possibly in Paris in December....

West German Foreign Minister Genscher said the proposed summit must "strengthen and institutionalize" the CSCE.

(Nigel Stephenson, Reuter)

WEST GERMAN LEADER SAYS UNIFIED GERMANY WILL NEVER ISOLATE ITSELF

NEW YORK -- In his first speech since the superpower summit, Chancellor Kohl argued forcefully Tuesday for a reunited Germany firmly grounded both in NATO and in a new, realigned European security order.

"We do not want to be forced into isolation because our experience shows that this leads to a loss of stability and peace in Europe," Kohl told about 5,000 people at a dinner given by the American Council on Germany.

"We do not seek neutrality or demilitarization, and we reject a non-aligned status," he said, calling continued close ties with the U.S. "of vital importance" to the Germans....

Kohl offered no new proposals on how to satisfy Soviet concerns over a united Germany's membership in NATO....

"This has been a terrible century, with wars, with tears and the Germans had a part in this," he said.... "Let me tell you, you can trust the Germans."

(Frank Bajak, AP)

STATE OF EMERGENCY IMPOSED AFTER RIOTS IN SOVIET REPUBLIC

MOSCOW -- Soviet authorities Tuesday imposed a state of emergency in the Central Asian republic of Kirghizia following ethnic clashes in the Moslem holy city of Osh in which at least 11 people were killed and more than 210 injured.

...Soviet officials said sporadic clashes between Kirghiz and Uzbek inhabitants of Osh and Interior Ministry troops were continuing Tuesday following a night of violence in the area. Most of the deaths appeared to have occurred Monday night after troops fired on crowds trying to storm the local police station.

(Michael Dobbs, Washington Post, A1)

BUSH, BARCO 'FAREWELL' DRUG-WAR REVIEW

President Bush and outgoing President Barco had a farewell meeting at the White House Tuesday where they reviewed their mixed success in the war against South American cocaine cartels.

Barco...also again urged Bush to help drug-ravaged Colombia bolster its trade so that it will be in a better financial position to carry on the struggle.

"We talked about the cooperation that Colombia needs," Barco...said following an Oval Office meeting with the President.

(Thomas Ferraro, UPI)

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Barco Discusses Drugs With Bush. No New Aid Commitments

President Barco of Colombia received a warm welcome from President Bush Tuesday and said he trusted the U.S. would continue backing his country's anti-drug drive when he hands over power in August.

However, when journalists asked him in the White House gardens if Bush had pledged more anti-drug help during their hourlong meeting, Barco said, "We didn't talk about money." ...

Barco also held a private meeting with drug czar William Bennett, who praised his courage and determination. "(Barco) is a true international hero held in esteem by everyone who admires courage, courage in the face of adversity," Bennett said.

(Reuter)

COLOMBIA ANNOUNCES NEW CAMPAIGN TO CAPTURE ESCOBAR

BOGOTA -- Colombia announced a new campaign Tuesday to capture fugitive drug lord Pablo Escobar and other leaders of the feared Medellin cocaine cartel.

Police director Gen. Miguel Gomez Padilla said police would this week...increase the reward for information leading to Escobar's capture.

"We will capture the head of the Medellin cartel sooner or later," Gomez Padilla said on RCN radio.

(Reuter)

GREEK PREMIER PLEDGES IMPROVED U.S. RELATIONS

Greek Prime Minister Mitsotakis, the first Greek premier invited to the White House in 26 years, said Tuesday that he intends to return the often contentious U.S.-Greek relations to the "old times" of close cooperation and trade.

Mitsotakis...said, "We went through a period during which relations were not what they should have been." He added that he wanted to "normalize fully" relations between the two countries.

Mitsotakis, in an interview, said the highest priority on his foreign policy agenda was to put pressure on the Turkish government to make new concessions to end the 16-year-old division of the island of Cyprus. Mitsotakis suggested that Washington's influence could persuade Turkey to cut its occupation forces in half on the Mediterranean island as "an indication of goodwill."

(Al Kamen, Washington Post, A10)

LIBERIAN REBELS CONTROL HUGE RUBBER PLANTATION

MONROVIA -- Rebels seized the headquarters of the world's largest rubber plantation Tuesday, then gathered for action at the adjoining gates of Liberia's international airport, plantation sources said.

...In Akron, Ohio, a spokesman for Bridgestone-Firestone Inc., which runs the plantation, referred to the rebels as "freedom fighters" and said the company wants to keep the plantation operating -- even with the rebels.

(AP, Washington Times, A7)

**LIBERIAN REBELS ATTACK U.S.-RUN PLANTATION
Rebel Leader Has Trouble Controlling Troops**

BUCHANAN, Liberia -- Liberian rebels fighting to overthrow the government of President Doe said they attacked a U.S.-managed rubber plantation and positions near Robertsfield International Airport, both about 30 miles southeast of the capital, Monrovia, Tuesday.

Diplomats in Monrovia quoted by news agencies reported that the rebels of Charles Taylor's National Patriotic Front of Liberia had captured the Bridgestone-Firestone Inc. plantation, but government officials said their forces continued to hold the airport, adjacent to the plantation....

Some people here told an Agence France-Presse correspondent that they saw rebels summarily execute hundreds of people from rival tribes, although that account could not independently be confirmed.
(Timothy Weaver, Washington Post, A14)

GUERRILLA SAYS RAID AIMED TO KILL CIVILIANS

JERUSALEM -- Israel released contradictory versions Tuesday of the purpose of last week's foiled Palestinian raid from the sea, adding a bizarre postscript to the guerrilla attack and perhaps complicating the diplomatic response of the U.S.

Authorities released an interview with one of the Palestinian commandos, identified as Mohammed abu Shaash, who said he was under orders to assault the Sheraton Hotel in Tel Aviv and shoot indiscriminately. "The goals of the operation were to kill civilians in the hotel area of Tel Aviv...", Abu Shaash said in a televised interview.

The comments conflicted sharply with the assessment of Israeli military authorities who told members of parliament that the raid was probably meant to hit Israeli army installations and the U.S. Embassy in Tel Aviv.... The Israeli military officials said the raiders were given specific orders not to attack civilians....

Both Libyan leader Kadafi and PLO Chairman Arafat knew about the raid, Israeli officials added, contradicting their military intelligence chief, Maj. Gen. Amnon Shahal, who said in a newspaper interview published last Friday that authorities had no evidence that Arafat did know. (Daniel Williams, Los Angeles Times, A18)

EDITOR'S NOTE: "Orders To Arab Raiders: 'Kill, Show No Mercy,'" by Andrew Meisels, appears in The Washington Times, page A9.

REBEL GROUP THREATENS TO BLOCK U.N. AID INTO AFGHANISTAN

ISLAMABAD -- A radical Afghan guerrilla group threatened Tuesday to block aid sent into Afghanistan by the U.N. and non-Islamic organizations and any relief goods with U.S. markings.

A communique from the Pakistan-based Hezb-i-Islami party of Gulbuddin Hekmatyar said such aid was meant to weaken the Moslem government in Kabul.

"We, therefore, hereby declare that the mujahideen will foil this conspiracy and prevent the entry of such assistance in Afghanistan," it said. (Reuter)

THIRTY KILLED IN SEPARATIST VIOLENCE IN PUNJAB

AMRITSAR, India -- At least 30 people died in separatist violence in Punjab Tuesday and police arrested 500 people in an attempt to thwart a rally on the sixth anniversary of the army assault on the Golden Temple. (Ravi Sharma, UPI)

**CHINA WARNS MEDIA ABOUT 'ILLEGAL' COVERAGE OF UNREST;
JOURNALISTS PROTEST HARASSMENT**

BEIJING -- The government warned foreign correspondents Tuesday to cease "illegal" news coverage after journalists reported two nights of protests by Beijing University students.

Several foreign journalists have been beaten, kicked, harassed and dispersed at gunpoint by police recently while attempting to cover campus protests and activities around Tiananmen Square.

...The Foreign Correspondents Club of Beijing lodged a formal protest with the government Tuesday, objecting to "the unprovoked use of violence and physical abuse" of foreign journalists by paramilitary and plainclothes security police.

(Daniel Southerland, Washington Post, A14)

**TWO FACTIONS IN CAMBODIA SIGN TRUCE
Khmer Rouge Rejects Initiative In Tokyo**

TOKYO -- Leaders of two of Cambodia's warring factions signed an agreement Tuesday calling for a conditional cease-fire but the powerful Khmer Rouge refused to back the initiative, giving it little chance of success....

"I have agreed to a cease-fire and Son Sonn's army is also willing to stop fighting," said Prince Norodom Sihanouk.... "But the Khmer Rouge are not obliged to follow the communique."

(Reuter, Washington Post, A18)

FURTIVE NEGOTIATIONS LED TO ROH-GORBACHEV MEETING

SAN FRANCISCO -- ...Monday's historic meeting between President Roh and President Gorbachev was the result of several months of furtive, on-again, off-again negotiations among senior officials of South Korea, the Soviet Union and the U.S., which played the dual role of host and marriage-broker....

Officially, the Bush Administration has sought to portray the Roh-Gorbachev session as one that was worked out solely by the Soviets and South Koreans.

"We're just providing the turf," one State Department official insisted last week. "They negotiated this all by themselves."

In fact, however, the U.S. was intimately involved in arranging the Roh-Gorbachev meeting, according to the accounts of American and South Korean sources familiar with the negotiations.

(Jim Mann, Los Angeles Times, A1)

NO RUSH ON TIES TO SEOUL, MOSCOW SAYS

MOSCOW -- The Soviet Union reacted with reserve Tuesday to suggestions that it might soon establish diplomatic relations with South Korea in the wake of President Gorbachev's meeting with President Roh....

Gorbachev was quoted by Tass as saying that diplomatic relations "may arise as bilateral ties develop and in the context of the general improvement of the political situation in the region and on the Korean peninsula." (Francis Clines, New York Times, A3)

IN U.S., GORBACHEV TRIED TO SELL A DREAM

SAN FRANCISCO -- Peter the Great traveled west three centuries ago to learn the art of shipbuilding to remake the Russian navy. Mikhail Gorbachev toured the conference halls and high-tech shopfloors of American business this week trying to perfect the art of winning acceptance and investment from the captains of capitalism.

The Soviet leader, the most committed Westernizer in the history of the Bolshevik state, told all who would listen in Washington, Minnesota and California that it was time to end Moscow's historical isolation and make it a member of "an integrated world civilization." ...

"Those who stay on the sidelines, who don't want to take a risk, who want to wait and see -- they will remain spectators for years to come," Gorbachev warned repeatedly. "We will make sure of that."
(David Remnick, Washington Post, A1)

WEST NIXES FIBER OPTICS FOR SOVIETS

In a coordinated move hours after President Gorbachev left the U.S., the U.S. and British governments Tuesday vetoed competing proposals by two major telephone companies in their countries to build a modern fiber optic communications line across the Soviet Union.... Administration officials said it was timed to signal to U.S. allies that the U.S. and Britain have come together on the eve of a multinational meeting Wednesday in Paris to discuss loosening restrictions on technology exports to the Soviet Union and Eastern Europe....

Laird Walker, US West's vice president for federal relations, said the company would appeal the ruling. "The extension of communications to the Soviet Union is inevitable in the world market," he said.

(Stuart Auerbach & John Burgess, Washington Post, A17)

CUBAN AND SOVIET MINISTERS BEGIN TRADE REFORM TALKS

HAVANA -- Cuban and Soviet Trade Ministers Tuesday began talks aimed at gradually converting their future commercial relations to convertible currency and bringing them closer to world market prices, Soviet diplomatic sources said.

The sources, who asked not to be named, said Soviet Foreign Economic Relations Minister Konstantin Katushev and Cuban Foreign Trade Minister Ricardo Cabrisas would discuss this week how to adapt Cuban-Soviet trade to reform agreed within the Soviet-led trading bloc Comecon.
(Pascal Fletcher, Reuter)

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FOREIGN PARTNERS SOUGHT FOR U.S. SUPERCOLLIDOR

The Energy Department may have found a way to defray part of the \$8 billion cost of the controversial super-conducting supercollidor: enlist foreign partners. Deputy Energy Secretary Moore, who has been in Asia trying to sell the idea to Japan and South Korea, said Tuesday that "we accomplished what we set out to do," though neither country has formally agreed to participate.

Moore and South Korean Science Minister Kunmo Chung Tuesday signed a "record of discussion" in which President Bush invited the Koreans to participate in "this new, vital and exciting scientific venture" and South Korea expressed an interest in doing so. In a telephone interview from Seoul, Moore said the Koreans were "very anxious to participate and want to consider this seriously," but could not go further at that moment because President Roh was in the U.S. where he met with President Gorbachev. "I have a feeling the government of Korea may be moving faster than Japan," Moore said.

(Thomas Lippman, Washington Post, A4)

REPORT: U.S. IVORY MARKET HAS COLLAPSED

The U.S. market for ivory has virtually collapsed since President Bush banned imports a year ago to help protect the African elephant, and sales have dropped in some other countries, the World Wildlife Fund said Tuesday.

But the group was worried that ivory carvers may turn to using hippopotamus teeth and suggested instead that they ply their art on the tusks of extinct mammoths being dug from the frozen tundra of Siberia.

(AP, Washington Post, A11)

U.N. REPORTS POLLUTION KILLING MILLIONS OF CHILDREN

MEXICO CITY -- Environmental destruction is killing millions of the world's children each year and strong measures to stop it must be launched immediately, a U.N. official said at World Environment Day ceremonies Tuesday.

"As the shambles of global environmental destruction spreads our children are dying. They are the victims of our greed," Mostafa Tolba, executive director of the U.N. Environment Program, told reporters.

(Vivian Perry, Reuter)

EDITOR'S NOTE: "Sweeping Up After The Summit: The Unflagging Diplomacy Of The Protocol Team," by Eleanor Randolph, appears in The Washington Post, page D1.

"Barbara And Raisa, The More Dynamic Duo," by Donnie Radcliffe, appears in The Washington Post, page D1.

"U.S. Envoy To Bulgaria Reports To Baker On Campaign Irregularities," appears in The New York Times, page A10.

"High-Definition TV, Once A Capital Idea, Wanes In Washington," by Bob Davis, appears in The Wall Street Journal, page A1.

"Bush Fan Uncovered In Canada," by Barry Brown, appears in The Washington Times, page A7.

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WHITE HOUSE AIDE SPARKED PROTEST, DEMOCRATS CHARGE

Massachusetts Democrats said Tuesday they have circumstantial evidence that White House aide Ron Kaufman helped instigate a police-union protest that disrupted their state party convention over the weekend.

State Democratic Party spokesman Larry Rasky said party officials will add Kaufman's name to a lawsuit filed Saturday against the Springfield police union, which had endorsed President Bush in the 1988 presidential election.

Kaufman...has denied any involvement in the incident.

"You have a Bush aide claiming he had nothing to do with preventing the orderly assembly of delegates to a Democratic convention," said Rasky. "If he's proved false, you're on your way to a Watergate because Kaufman is fairly high up on the White House food chain." ...

"Mr. Kaufman has contradicted himself, first denying he met with (union president Robert) Jacobson, and then admitting he had the meeting," said Stephen Crawford, spokesman for Gov. Dukakis. "I don't want to make an H.R. Haldeman out of Kaufman, but he's certainly an Atwater clone."

...Dukakis took particular umbrage at a remark by Kaufman, who was at the convention site during the picketing, and who was quoted as saying, "I'm totally innocent, but it sure was fun."

"The governor is troubled that any federal employee, let alone one on the White House staff, would characterize the police breaking the law as 'fun,'" Crawford said.

(Ralph Hallow, Washington Times, A4)

Democrats Plan To Sue White House Official

BOSTON -- The Massachusetts Democratic Party announced Tuesday that it would sue a senior White House aide who it says plotted to sabotage the party's convention last weekend in Springfield.

The disruption occurred when a pro-Republican police union set up a picket line outside the convention hall that party members were reluctant to cross.

James Roosevelt, the general counsel to the Massachusetts Democratic Party, said the party was preparing to file a suit against Ronald Kaufman, the deputy director of personnel in the White House, under state and federal civil rights laws. He said the party might also file a criminal complaint against Kaufman as a federal official, charging him with "conspiracy to obstruct the individual civil rights of the delegates." ...

A report Tuesday in The Springfield Union-News said Kaufman first met with six members of the police union, including [union president Ronald] Jacobson, about two weeks ago in Washington when they attended a candlelight vigil for slain law-enforcement officers. The newspaper quoted Kaufman and Jacobson as denying that they had discussed picketing the Democrats' state convention at the time.

(Fox Butterfield, New York Times, A18)

**FEINSTEIN TO FACE PETE WILSON IN CALIFORNIA;
GANTT AGAINST HELMS IN N.C.**

Dianne Feinstein reached out for Democratic unity Wednesday after winning her party's nomination for governor of California and criticized Republican "caretaker government." North Carolina Democrats picked a black man to try to dethrone GOP Sen. Helms.

But the biggest winner on a nine-state primary night Tuesday was arguably Sen. Cochran. Uncontested for the GOP nomination, he also was assured of a third term when no candidate ran in the Democratic primary.

A half-dozen other senators gained nominations for new terms. Democrats Sens. Bradley, Heflin and Baucus easily overcame challenges within their party, while Sens. Harkin and Pressler were unopposed....

With 42 percent of the precincts counted, Feinstein was gaining 52 percent of the vote, to 41 percent for Attorney General John Van de Kamp....

Sen. Wilson breezed to an easy primary victory on the GOP side, and said he'd keep the governor's office in Republican hands.
(David Espo, AP)

ETHICS, REAPPORTIONMENT PROPS LEADING

SACRAMENTO -- Californians were voting overwhelmingly Tuesday to hold legislators and other state officials to higher ethical standards, but rejecting a pair of measures to revamp the highly partisan process of redrawing political districts.

With 4 percent of the ballots counted, the ethics measure, Proposition 112, was passing with 61 percent. The two reapportionment initiatives, Props. 118 and 119, were trailing with 42 percent and 43 percent, respectively. (James Sweeney, Copley)

COOLING-OFF PERIOD FOR NEA ASKED

White House Seeks One-Year Delay In Reauthorization Flight

Seeking a "cooling-off period" on the volatile issue of government funding of the arts, the White House Wednesday will ask Congress to reauthorize the National Endowment for the Arts without any restrictions for only one year while a commission reviews the endowment's grant-making procedures.

The decision amounts to an Administration concession that it has been unable to gain control over the growing move among conservatives in Congress to clamp down on what some view as government funding of obscene art. White House officials said they expect the congressional leadership to embrace the one-year reauthorization, and the proposal has the support of NEA Chairman Frohnmayer, who said this is a chance to come up with "a reasonable solution, rather than a hysterical response."

Some Republicans, however, predicted Tuesday the move would fail to quell the controversy. "There will be a fight," said Rep. Gunderson. A Senate aide also questioned whether the Administration can win conservative support. He said NEA backers in Congress will go along with a one-year extension...only if the White House pushes hard. "They've got to build a convincing coalition to avoid a floor fight," he said.

(Ann Devroy & Kim Masters, Washington Post, A1)

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HELMS SUSPECTS WHITEWASH OF NEA

The GAO has told Sen. Helms in a preliminary report that the NEA apparently has not violated federal laws by funding sexually explicit or sacrilegious art work because the endowment judged none to be obscene.

But the North Carolina Republican...said he suspected the GAO was cooperating in an NEA cover-up.

"I hope I am wrong, but the preliminary indications appear to be a whitewash of the NEA," Helms said in an interview. "And if that proves to be the case, then the General Accounting Office is going to have a problem." (George Archibald, Washington Times, A5)

ETHICS CHIEF MAY QUIT JUSTICE OVER 'COVER-UP'

The top ethics cop at the Justice Department, reportedly frozen out of a sensitive investigation involving two of Attorney General Thornburgh's closest aides, is considering resigning, sources said Tuesday.

Michael Shaheen, who heads the Office of Professional Responsibility and has been the key player in investigating wrongdoing within the department for 15 years, is expected to decide by the end of the week, the sources said.

At least two other high-ranking officials in the ethics office are considering quitting, according to the sources....

Attorney General Thornburgh is on vacation and was not available for comment. (Jerry Seper, Washington Times, A1)

DARMAN'S FIGURES ON AUTOMATIC CUTS FRIGHTEN CONGRESS

Budget Director Darman looked straight at New Mexico's Pete Domenici when he pointed out that a program vital to the senator's state would be slashed by \$100 million if automatic budget cuts go into effect under the Gramm-Rudman law.

"No one in the room missed the point," said a congressional official who attended a recent closed-door budget summit meeting in which the President's chief negotiator went down the list of across-the-board cuts that would be inflicted on virtually every department and agency.

According to participants in the negotiations, Darman was making a not-so-subtle effort to stress the political impact the automatic spending cuts would have in the lawmakers' states....

Acknowledging that the fear of a sequester is especially acute among his fellow Democrats, Sen. Sasser says that "everybody in the negotiations who has seen the sequester numbers realizes that would be a very serious thing to have happen."

(Donald Lambro, Washington Times, A3)

**FEAR OF TAKING THE RAP ON TAXES
BRINGS OUT DIFFERENCES BETWEEN HOUSE, SENATE DEMOCRATS**

When Chief of Staff Sununu took a thinly veiled swipe at Congress on taxes last month, House Democrats reached for the telephone. Senate Democrats looked for the cameras.

A worried Rep. Panetta called OMB Director Darman to protest.... By comparison, Senate Democrats elevated the controversy by going before television cameras.

The Democratic response says a lot about the differences between the two bodies of Congress. A nervous Senate appears driven foremost by external election-year pressures on the budget talks. The House leadership reflects more the internal, institutional stakes in reaching some accommodation on the deficit.

(David Rogers, Wall Street Journal, A18)

S&L LOAN RULES MAY BE EASED

Under intense lobbying by the home building, real estate and thrift industries, the Bush Administration is considering a plan to temporarily set aside one of the key reforms of last year's thrift rescue bill and sharply increase the amount of money that a savings and loan institution can lend to any one home builder.

The proposal, now being reviewed by the Treasury Department, would allow healthy S&Ls to lend home builders four times as much money as they were permitted to borrow under strict lending limits passed by Congress last summer....

Officials of the Office of Thrift Supervision described the plan as a "transition rule" that would help the thrift and real estate industries adapt to the lower limits. OTS attorneys said they believe the agency has the flexibility to interpret how the congressionally mandated limits are to be implemented.

(Jerry Knight, Washington Post, F1)

EDITOR'S NOTE: "How Capital Ignored Alarms On Savings," by David Rosenbaum, appears in The New York Times, page A1.

FEDERAL AGENCIES SALT AWAY AT LEAST \$100 BILLION IN UNSPENT FUNDS

The Defense Department and other federal agencies have salted away \$100 billion or more in unspent funds that can be used to keep programs alive even after Congress moves to kill them, according to congressional investigators.

Records of the funds are so poorly kept that the Treasury Department is unable to tell how much is in the accounts of more than a dozen major agencies, the investigators said. Controls are so poor that an employee was able to embezzle more than \$1 million from one account after warning superiors that it was there for the taking, they said....

The Defense Department accounts for half of the unspent money, according to congressional investigators. Others with large unspent balances are the AID, which has more than \$11 billion, and the Energy Department with \$325 million.

"Thanks to shoddy accounting and virtually no audits of these 'slush funds,' nobody is sure of the total," Rep. Dingell said in a statement. "They are ripe for abuse," he said of the funds.

(Peter Gosselin, Boston Globe)

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Senators Chastise AID For Abuse Of Funds And Poor Public Image

Reflecting Americans' growing impatience with foreign aid, a Senate panel Tuesday challenged the agency that runs development projects abroad to clean up "waste, fraud and abuse" in disbursing U.S. funds.

In the first hearing of its kind since 1986, the Senate Appropriations Committee's foreign operations subcommittee called in officials of the U.S. Agency for International Development to assess AID's persistent management problems.

"We do not find our constituents baning on the doors urging us to increase foreign aid," said Sen. Leahy, who chairs the subcommittee. (Lauren Weiner, Washington Times, A10)

REGULATORY AGENCY SHOWS A TENDENCY FOR ACTIVISM

...Recently, the Federal Communications Commission has shown a new activism, in contrast with the Ronald Reagan era, when the word regulation became nearly as taboo as taxes.

George Bush, in his first year as President, appointed a new FCC Chairman, Alfred Sikes, and filled three of the other four commission seats. Sikes has wasted no time in making his mark....

"There has been a total transformation of that commission," said Andrew Schwartzman, executive director of the Media Access Project. "It's not as ideological. They're willing at least to enforce the law."

No one has accused Sikes...of being a heavy-handed regulator.... But sometimes, setting standards "can stimulate competition and move the technology forward," Sikes said.

(David Savage, Los Angeles Times, A5)

ENGINEERS UNVEIL ACCELERATED PLAN TO PUT MAN ON MARS

BOULDER, Colo. -- Two aerospace engineers outlined a plan Tuesday to land humans on Mars by 1999, a scheme they said would shave 20 years off President Bush's timetable and save up to \$300 billion in the process.

Using mostly well-established technology derived from the space shuttle program, four humans could make the nine-month trip to the neighboring planet with enough equipment and supplies to stay for 16 months of exploration, said David Baker and Robert Zubrin of Martin Marietta Corp.

In contrast to the NASA plan and other proposals that involve building a Mars rocket in Earth orbit, the two engineers propose launching a rocket directly from Earth.

(David Chandler, Boston Globe)

HOUSE BACKS NUCLEAR ILLS BENEFIT FUND

The House Tuesday approved legislation setting up a \$100 million fund to compensate victims of radiation-induced illnesses caused by the nation's nuclear weapons testing program.

Adopted on a voice vote, the measure would apply to thousands of people who were exposed between 1945 and 1963 to airborne radiation downwind of the nation's Nevada test site. It would also apply to uranium miners who were employed in mines in Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona and Utah. (Tom Kenworthy, Washington Post, A7)

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**COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS DELAY
IN REOPENING COLORADO NUCLEAR WEAPONS PLANT**

An advisory committee has recommended a delay until at least October in restarting production of nuclear weapons components at the Rocky Flats plant near Denver, a department official said Tuesday.

Though the Energy Department had tentatively planned to resume production this month, some members of the committee do not believe the plant, the only source of plutonium triggers for nuclear weapons, can reopen this year.

"The committee believes that the necessary changes and training will take significantly longer to complete than previously forecast," said a letter to Secretary Watkins from the department's advisory committee on nuclear facilities safety. "So much remains to be done that restart on the schedule indicated to us appears impractical," said the letter. (Robert Burns, AP)

**AND NOW, SOME GOOD NEWS ON ENVIRONMENT
White House Panel Report Emphasizes
Positive Side Of Past 20 Years**

In these days of ecological gloom and doom, the White House Council on Environmental Quality Tuesday released a report intended to chronicle the good news.

The CEQ's annual report to Congress, designed as a retrospective on the past 20 years of environmental regulation, stresses the "very long way" the nation has come since Earth Day of 1970, as chairman Michael Deland put it in his letter of transmittal.

Among the successes noted in the 494-page volume are the enactments of a dozen major environmental laws, improved data collection, tougher enforcement, greater international cooperation and heightened sensitivity of American businesses.

The report cites substantial progress in controlling some common air pollutants. But it omits the fact that the authors of the Clean Air Act, passed 20 years ago, expected the progress to have gone further and faster. Nor does it mention that only seven of the hundreds of less common but more toxic chemicals have been regulated. (Michael Weisskopf, Washington Post, A21)

SENATE FAILS ON CRIME BILL CLOTURE VOTE

Senate leaders failed Tuesday in an initial attempt to hasten passage of legislation to expand the federal death penalty and ban most semiautomatic assault weapons, but they predicted success in a second attempt planned Thursday....

The vote was 54 to 37 in favor of limiting debate. Nine senators were absent, including several considered likely to vote for cloture on the next try.

In addition, Sen. Biden said some members who voted against the bill Tuesday have indicated that they may support it Thursday now that "they have given the NRA their one vote" on the issue.

(Helen Dewar, Washington Post, A7)

JACKSON, AFL-CIO CHIEF CALLS FOR NATIONAL HEALTH CARE PLAN

MIAMI BEACH -- Congress should enact legislation to provide a national health care plan for all families and to ensure job security for striking workers, AFL-CIO President Kirkland said Tuesday.

"The crisis in health care is no less than any other," Kirkland told about 1,500 delegates at an Amalgamated Clothing and Textile Workers Union convention. "We need national health care reform." ...

Earlier, Jesse Jackson addressed the delegates and also called for a national health care plan.

"It will cost less for preventive health care than after the fact," he said. (Kaye Fair, UPI)

**TAPE FUROR RILES BARRY PROSECUTORS
Jury Selection Moves Slowly In Mayor's Trial**

One of the two prosecutors in the drug trial of D.C. Mayor Barry accused the mayor of trying to "infect" potential jurors by falsely accusing the government of leaking to a television station a copy of the FBI tape that allegedly shows Barry smoking crack at the Vista Hotel,

Meanwhile, individual questioning of potential jurors in the case went so slowly Tuesday that U.S. District Judge Thomas Penfield Jackson told lawyers at the end of the day that "we are way, way behind schedule." Only 12 of a pool of 250 potential jurors were questioned.

There also were indications Tuesday that some locally prominent Democrats, including Del. Walter Fauntroy and Jesse Jackson, were attempting to establish contact with Republicans in Congress and Bush Administration officials to encourage a plea agreement between Barry and U.S. Attorney Jay Stephens. The Democratic activists and friends of Barry's want to have others persuade Stephens to temper his stance in plea negotiations that Barry plead to at least one felony count, a prospect that virtually would ensure at least a short jail term for the mayor, Democratic Party sources said.

(Tracy Thompson & Jill Nelson, Washington Post, A1)

DEFENSE TEAM SUFFERS JURY POOL SETBACKS

The Barry defense team was handed a setback Tuesday during jury selection when it failed in removing two potential jurors - one who admitted being biased against politicians and another who said she believed the mayor guilty based on pretrial publicity.

U.S. District Judge Jackson decided against striking the two from the jury pool for the trial.

(Mike Folks & Jim Keary, Washington Times, A1)

MARILYN QUAYLE CALLS '88 CAMPAIGN 'UGLY CHAPTER'

Marilyn Quayle complained Tuesday that the 1988 campaign that often focused on her husband's qualifications to be Vice President was an "ugly chapter in journalism and an ugly chapter in my life."

"Nineteen-ninety-eight was a baptism of fire for the Quayles," she told a National Press Club luncheon. "Before it was over, I felt at least a little singed. It hurt reading stories or seeing reports about a man bearing almost no resemblance to the one I love deeply."

"At times," she said in prepared remarks, "I felt misunderstood, misrepresented, very angry and terribly vulnerable."

But [she] told reporters she did not want to dwell on the past. She said she chose to make the Press Club speech in response to the many questions on the subject she gets while making appearances across the country.

Defending her sometimes chilly relationship with the media, Mrs. Quayle said: Chalk it up to inexperience and protectiveness. (Helen Thomas, UPI)

Mrs. Quayle Tired Of VP's Bad Press

Marilyn Quayle Tuesday declared national reporting on her husband "an ugly chapter in my own personal life" while speaking at the National Press Club.

"It hurt reading stories or seeing reports about a man bearing almost no resemblance to the one I love deeply," said the wife of Vice President Quayle in emotional remarks broadcast on National Public Radio and C-Span.

Mrs. Quayle added, "At times I felt misunderstood, misrepresented, very angry and very vulnerable."

"I only ask for fairness and accuracy. That's not much in my book," she said in her speech.

(Frank Murray, Washington Times, A3)

CUOMO TAKES ON WASHINGTON; IS IT A PRELUDE TO A '92 RACE?

ALBANY -- The one thing he wouldn't do, Gov. Mario Cuomo assured his audience at the state Democratic convention here today as he accepted unanimous nomination to a third term, was "bash Washington."

That was the signal that the bashing was about to begin.

He blamed New York's well-publicized budget woes -- and those of 37 other states -- on the "sluggishness" of the national economy. He took a swipe at President Bush and Congress for being so "reluctant" to reduce the federal budget deficit. He scolded the Bush Administration for "declaring a war on drugs...but not supplying the bullets." And he lampooned the Administration for proposing -- despite the end of the Cold War -- to spend \$500 million per plane on as many as 167 "stealth" bombers.

(Paul Taylor, Washington Post, A2)

EDITOR'S NOTE: "Battles Accelerate Over Rising Auto Insurance Rates," by Albert Crenshaw, appears in The Washington Post, F1.

"Pay Raises Given To Census Takers," by Felicity Barringer, appears in The New York Times, page A20.

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NETWORK NEWS

Tuesday evening, June 5

SUMMIT

NBC's Tom Brokaw: Once again, from this capital city, where they're still trying to decide: Did President Bush strike a good deal with President Gorbachev at the summit? Specifically, why did President Bush agree to a trade deal without concessions from Moscow on Lithuania? NBC White House correspondent John Cochran says the White House is a little defensive Tuesday night.

Cochran: President Bush told congressional leaders it may be months before he asks Congress to approve the trade deal he signed with Gorbachev.

(TV coverage: President in Cabinet Room with congressional leaders.)

Bush said it might take that long before the Soviet legislature passes a new, more liberal emigration law that the U.S. is demanding. And Tuesday in Moscow, Soviet legislators put off until September a vote on the emigration law. Some legislators said there should be no delay; that the Americans would accuse Moscow of bad faith. But no, just the opposite happened. White House spokesman Marlin Fitzwater said that delay may not be bad. That gives them a little time to work on the emigration issue and Lithuania. When Bush signed the trade deal, he said he demanded action only on emigration, not Lithuania. But Congress has other ideas.

(**Rep. Foley:** "There will probably be many in Congress that will want to see at that time some progress on Lithuania before approving.")

The Senate Republican leader told NBC News that Gorbachev better get the message.

(**Sen. Dole:** "And we're not going to roll over, whether it's President Bush or whoever, when it comes to values that we've held and the fact that we've never recognized the incorporation of the Baltic states into the Soviet Union.")

But the Senate Democratic leader accused Bush of failing to use the trade deal to bargain for concessions on Lithuania.

(**Sen. Mitchell:** "I asked him whether he had received any private assurances from Gorbachev for action with respect to Lithuania and he indicated that there had been none.")

So now all President Bush can do is wait for Gorbachev to act on Lithuania and on a law which would make it easier for all citizens to leave, including Jews who want to move to Israel. And late Tuesday, a senior White House official said that although Gorbachev made no promises, he did get some strong indications of where Gorbachev is heading. And he's heading in the direction George Bush wants.

Brokaw: But the President and the administration is asking us to take all of this on good faith. Are they certain that the American people will be with the President on this one?

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Cochran: What they do think is this: That the American people actually like Mikhail Gorbachev. That they wanted President Bush to support him. However, there is some political risk here. A senior White House official said, look, this could turn out to be another China for us. You'll remember we did what the Chinese wanted on most-favored-nation trade status. We gave them that; they've had it now over a year after the Tiananmen Square massacre. President Bush waited for them to make concessions. President Bush is still waiting. That could happen in the case of Mikhail Gorbachev, but they don't think it will happen.

Brokaw: And Gorbachev's political nemesis, Boris Yeltsin, is only gaining power in Moscow. They've been disdainful of him down there. Are they reconsidering the Yeltsin role in all of this?

Cochran: When you think about it, it's sort of strange, isn't it, because Boris Yeltsin seems to favor independence for Lithuania and the other Baltic states. However, they really don't like Yeltsin here although they're taking him more seriously now than they did a year ago. When he came here a year ago, he just monopolized conversation with President Bush and his national security advisor, Brent Scowcroft. Yeltsin was viewed as a loose cannon -- somewhat emotional. They think he doesn't understand the Western economy, although they also say here at the White House that Gorbachev doesn't understand much about Western economics either.

(NBC-Lead)

CBS's Ed Bradley: The U.S.-Soviet trade deals reached at the Bush-Gorbachev summit may be in new trouble on Capitol Hill. Congressional leaders said Tuesday they are still troubled by the Soviet crackdown in Lithuania, and as Gorbachev was arriving back in the Soviet Union Tuesday there was yet another complication on trade: The Soviets put off, possibly for months, a final vote on a law allowing free emigration.

CBS's Leslie Stahl: The Soviet postponement of the emigration law is good news for President Bush. It gets him off the hook for now. He promised Gorbachev that as soon as that law is passed, he'll send the U.S.-Soviet trade treaty to Congress. And Congress is sure to whack Mr. Bush about for signing that trade treaty while Gorbachev's embargo on Lithuania is still on. Congressional leaders told the President at the White House Tuesday morning that he may have delinked Lithuania from the trade treaty, but they haven't.

(TV coverage: President in Cabinet Room with congressional leaders.)

(Sen. Dole: "Call it linkage or call it reality. I think when it comes to Congress, even after they codify the emigration policies, if the Lithuanian or the Baltic problem is not resolved then I think it will become a matter of great concern in the Congress - bipartisan.")

(Sen. Mitchell: "I believe that there will have to be some moderation of Soviet policy with respect to Lithuania before the agreement is approved and most-favored-nation status granted.") Spokesman Marlin Fitzwater was openly relieved that the Soviets postponed that emigration law. He said, almost beseechingly, this gives them time to take positive action on Lithuania.

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Bradley: Does the White House know why the Soviets put off the emigration bill?

Stahl: They're not entirely sure, but the Soviets have more problems and more to worry about than just the trade treaty. Number one is the question of a brain drain. There is concern that what happened in East Germany could happen to them; that is, a flood out of all their youngest and brightest workers. And secondly, there's the issue of money; rubles are worthless outside the Soviet Union so the Soviets have to give people hard currency for their rubles when they want to leave or travel, and they have precious little hard currency to begin with. So it's very complicated. What I can tell you is that the White House is relieved. (CBS-Lead)

GORBACHEV/SOVIET REFORM/UNREST

ABC's Peter Jennings: Mikhail Gorbachev is back in the Soviet Union, back to reality. On his way home to Moscow Tuesday, the Soviet leader sent a message to President Bush in which he said he was deeply satisfied with the summit, in which he predicted that the meetings in Washington would bear good fruit. And when he got home Tuesday, so much of the fruit seemed bitter. News of his success in the states was all over the front pages and the television news, but it wasn't the major news.

ABC's Barry Dunsmore reports from Moscow that Gorbachev returned with his status as world superstar reinforced but his overwhelming domestic problems all still here and growing. Even as he was being welcomed home, Soviet television was reporting still another outbreak of ethnic violence, this time in the republic of Kirghizia in Central Asia. According to Tuesday night's broadcast, 11 people were killed and more than 200 wounded in fighting between ethnic Uzbeks and Kirghis. The dispute is over housing. Wednesday, Gorbachev will give the Soviet legislature a report on his American trip, including details of the important new trade agreement. Tuesday night, amid surprise and confusion, the legislature decided not to vote on their emigration law at least until September. It was not clear why the vote was delayed or even if this was what Gorbachev wanted. (ABC-Lead, CBS-3)

NBC's Tom Pettit reports from Moscow that now that Gorbachev is back in Russia he has a lot of selling to do. He has to sell his program of changing the Soviet Union to a market economy. Time is running out as he returns to a city of doubters and a nation of skeptics. People do not like what they've heard so far about higher food prices this summer, even with added income. A chief Gorbachev advisor, Leonid Abalkin, said this is not a hairbrained scheme and Soviet journalists were called to hear Abalkin's elaborate defense of a market economy. Our program, he said, is the only chance to make a stable and healthy economy. Tuesday, Yeltsin brushed aside questions about Gorbachev. How are you going to get along with Gorbachev, he was asked. As he likes it, was the answer. Some are arguing that Gorbachev should have moved to a market economy five years ago when he first gained power. One economist said polarization is the price of procrastinating. The fact is, polarization is accelerating faster than reform, and everyone here now knows that.

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Jennings reports that Rotary International Tuesday opened a chapter in Moscow. There may be no greater symbol of the capitalist in mainstream American businessmen than Rotary. The Elvis Fan Club also opened Tuesday in Moscow. (NBC-2)

EUROPEAN SECURITY STRUCTURE

Jennings reports that despite all the agreements and warm words in Washington, a major disappointment for Mr. Gorbachev was the lack of agreement about Germany. A major disappointment for Mr. Bush too, the deadlock over whether a united Germany should be a member of the NATO alliance. But at the end, the Soviets floated an idea: Maybe there could be a much bigger role for the CSCE.

ABC's John McWethy reports from Copenhagen that this was Secretary Baker's first close-up look at the CSCE. The Soviet Union and some European countries want it, or something like it, eventually to replace NATO and the Warsaw Pact as the guarantors of Europe's security.

(Hans Dietrich Genscher, West German Foreign Minister: "It is important to demilitarize East-West relations and base them on cooperative security structures.")

The greatest strength of the CSCE is its membership, which includes the U.S., Soviet Union and all the other members of the two military alliances. But it has no real power. The Soviets want it to play a bigger role because their military alliance has collapsed and this will provide them with a way to ease concerns about a powerful new united Germany. The U.S. is willing to cooperate as long as all this does not get in the way of a unified Germany's membership in NATO and NATO's continued security role in Europe. Tuesday, it was Soviet Foreign Minister Shevardnadze who stole the show by making a surprise announcement of intended cuts in short-range nuclear weapons.

(Shevardnadze: "We will reduce in Central Europe 60 tactical missile launchers, more than 250 units of atomic artillery and will withdraw 1,500 nuclear warheads.")

Baker was skeptical.

(Secretary Baker: "And we don't know, for instance, whether the weapons to be removed were going to be removed in any event as a consequence of troop reductions that had already been announced.") After meeting with Shevardnadze for two hours Tuesday night, Baker still did not have all the answers he was looking for, but Shevardnadze probably did get what he was seeking: favorable headlines in Wednesday's newspapers all across Europe.

(ABC-2, CBS-2)

GASOLINE TAXES/DEFICIT

Brokaw reports that California voters will vote on a proposition to double the state's gasoline tax over the next five years from nine to 18 cents a gallon for highways and mass transit. Raising the gasoline tax is becoming more acceptable nationally when it comes to cutting the budget deficit. A recent NBC News/Wall Street Journal poll found that:

- In May, 44 percent of registered voters would favor that idea if taxes needed to be raised. Fifty-five percent were opposed.

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-- In January, only 26 percent favored a higher gasoline tax. Seventy-two percent were opposed. (NBC-7)

ABORTION/PRIMARIES

NBC's Lisa Myers reports that the Iowa Democratic primary has focused on abortion. Attorney General Tom Miller, an abortion opponent, was the favorite in the three-man Democratic primary until he became the target of national pro-choice groups. He has tried to hold on by promising that as governor he would not oppose abortion restrictions. In a state where 65 percent of voters call themselves pro-choice, that may not be enough. The National Abortion Rights Action League endorsed only one of the two pro-choice adversaries of Miller. NARAL says its unprecedented endorsement was a necessary risk.

(Kate Michelman: "It would be a disaster to have the pro-choice vote split and an anti-choice candidate win because of that.") Two things appear certain: The race will be close and abortion-rights group will be the big loser if Miller manages to squeak this one out.

Brokaw reports that the California Democratic primary also has brought the abortion question onto center-stage. Candidates Dianne Feinstein and John Van De Camp fought over who is the stronger supporter of abortion-rights. The winner will face Governor Pete Wilson, who is also pro-choice. (NBC-6)

CBS's Jerry Bowen reports that Malibu, California, is voting to decide whether to limit development in the community. Residents are tired of big government dictating their policies. Even Washington has noticed.

(President Bush, May 6: "Self-determination is contagious; they even want it in Malibu I understand [laughter]. Millions of people are leaping over their volleyball nets to freedom.")

Many movie stars are speaking out against further development there. (CBS-6)

MILITARY BASE EXPANSION

ABC's Bob Zelnick reports on the Army's plan to launch its largest land-acquisition program since the end of World War II. At Fort Riley, Kansas, the Army wants to double the 100,000 acres it currently owns. The Army says that unless it has room to train realistically it will not be prepared for combat. Nearby farmers, who have no choice whether to sell their land or not, are against giving up family lands. The Pentagon is also considering expanding bases in seven other states that could involve more than 3 million acres or forest and rangeland. With the changes in Eastern Europe and cuts in U.S. armored divisions, many farmers say any justification for the expansion is gone.

(Charles Hall, farmer: "What are they spending money and buying land for? Tank operations are totally obsolete. It's World War II vintage thinking.")

Under political pressure, the Pentagon has decided to take a second look at expanding Fort Riley and other bases. The military knows it now faces a battle for every additional acre. (ABC-7)

TRANSPORTATION

ABC's Ned Potter reports on the nation's transportation woes, which are rapidly growing.

(Rep. DeFazio (D-Ore.): "We are on the edge of a crisis, national gridlock. The structure, as is, is decaying rapidly and we're doing nothing.")

Cities throughout the nation are experimenting with different options including electric vehicles, commuter lanes and light rails. The Chicago suburbs are planning personal rapid transit: 5-seat computerized rail cars that take you on guideways where you choose. These solutions are at their earliest stages and they take big money, the kind the White House has been reducing for a decade. Democrats complain that next year's proposed budget includes a 25 percent cut in mass transit funds.

(Secretary Skinner: "There's more to be done than the federal government can do alone, so we want a partner. We want the people of New York or the people of Illinois or the people of California to be our partners in the development of a great transportation system.")

(Robert Kiley, New York Transit Chairman: "What they're really saying is that transportation is a local problem. Good luck to you, don't call us.")

In the meantime, cities have to find cheaper ways to ease the crunch. Some promote carpooling, which could cut auto emissions if every driver took one passenger. But the number of carpoolers has gone down in the last decade. (ABC-9)

RIGHT TO DIE

ABC's Chris Bury reports that a despondent Oregon woman suffering from Alzheimer's Disease sought and received help from a Michigan doctor in committing suicide. Dr. Jack Kevorkian set up a machine to inject the woman with a deadly chemical after she pushed a button. Prosecutors are deciding whether to press charges against Kevorkian for assisting in a suicide. She made the decision while supposedly of sound mind and her family supported her decision. The debate is whether doctors, sworn to protect life, should ever provide the means to end it. (ABC-3, NBC-3)

CBS's Frank Courier reports that Dr. Kevorkian is proud he helped the woman commit suicide.

(Dr. Jack Kevorkian: "It's time for planned death. There's a great need for it everywhere.")

The doctor said she willingly pushed the suicide button.

(Courier: "She came to you and said, doctor, I want to commit suicide?"

Kevorkian: Absolutely, right to the last. And almost kissed me when I bent over and said, are you getting sleepy. She said yes, reached up and tried to kiss me.")

(Ronald Adkins, husband of woman: "...It was not a desperate thing, desperation or a depressed situation. She was the one that held us off, all of us.") (CBS-4)

LIBERIA

CBS's David Martin reports that the fighting in Liberia could pose a real threat to the 1,200 Americans still living there. It also marks the first time in anyone's memory that the Soviet Union has turned to the American military for help. Specifically, the Soviet government has requested that the marines standing by to evacuate Americans also be used to evacuate Soviet diplomats from Liberia. (Pete Williams, Pentagon spokesman: "It's function is simply to have it there as a contingency basis, as a precaution, if it is needed to assist in the evacuation of American citizens from Liberia.")

In a telephone interview Tuesday, President Samuel Doe claimed the rebels are backed by Libya's Gadhafi.

(Doe: "I want to believe that Gadhafi is supporting the rebel activities in my country because among the rebel forces there are people who are trained just to enter Monrovia in order to destroy American installations.")

U.S. officials say the rebels have received some support from Gadhafi, but have not made any threats against Americans. According to these officials, the rebels are winning; a much different assessment than Doe's.

(Doe: "I am 100 percent sure that the rebels will not be able to enter the city of Monrovia.")

For now, the State Department continues to move Americans out on charter flights. Doe has written to President Bush asking him to help end the fighting. But White House officials say they're only interested in protecting Americans, not saving President Doe.

(CBS-7)

CAMBODIA

Jennings reports that the government of Cambodia and two of the three factions that are trying to overthrow the government have agreed to stop fighting by the end of July. But the third and strongest of the anti-government factions, the Khmer Rouge, refused to even attend the meeting.

(ABC-8)

BOMB THREAT

Brokaw reports that there was a bomb threat on a Pan Am flight in Scotland Tuesday. The plane made a safe emergency landing and no bomb was found.

(NBC-9)

DRUGS IN THE WORKPLACE

ABC's Gary Shepard reports on the use of a computer hand-eye coordination test as a means of determining whether workers are under the influence of drugs or alcohol, or even emotionally upset -- anything that could adversely affect their job performance. Since it doesn't reveal the cause of impairment, this test may be one solution to the problem of screening workers in safety-related jobs without invading their privacy.

(Ed Chen, ACLU: "It's probably a very minimal invasion of privacy that's going to be outweighed by the compelling interest in public safety.")

(ABC-6)

EDITORIALS/COLUMNISTS

SUMMIT

The Party's Over -- Get To Work -- "...Bush and Gorbachev got to know each other better. That's nothing to sneeze at.... Beyond that, the bottom line can be summed up briefly: Bush stood firmly behind membership in NATO for a reunified Germany. Several agreements were signed, most of them good. The trade agreements were major -- and premature.... The bad news comes in two parts: (1) The Bush administration continues to improvise -- to react to Soviet foreign policy moves instead of developing its own long-term strategies. (2) It remains overcommitted to keeping Gorbachev in power instead of working out policies that will be relevant no matter who's in charge in the Kremlin. Needed now is a foreign policy aimed at: Getting the Soviets out of Eastern Europe, encouraging the spread of democracy and free markets throughout the Soviet Union and its soon-to-be-former allies, keeping a reunified Germany in NATO, and developing a new, post-Cold War design for NATO."
(New York Daily News, 6/5)

A No-Trump Summit -- "With much emphasis placed on the "good human atmosphere" between President Bush and Soviet President Gorbachev, few substantive surprises came out of their meetings.... Mr. Bush, for his part, ducked nearly every opportunity to play his trump cards, and in fact gave up a few.... So strong was the emphasis on feel-good imagery that the substantive business of the summit was virtually hidden from public view. A major shift in U.S. policy to abandon linkage between most-favored-nation trading status for the Soviet Union and lifting the blockade against Lithuania was casually dismissed as no change at all. Strongly worded threats by Mr. Gorbachev to halt the emigration of Soviet Jews, complicate German reunification and possibly scuttle the CFE talks were glossed over as friendly disagreements.... Linkage can only come with a focus on substance. Unfortunately, Mr. Bush seems to prefer focusing on personalities."
(Richmond Times-Dispatch, 6/5)

Deft Diplomacy, Summit Success -- "As a reaffirmation of detente between the world's most heavily armed rivals, the second summit between George Bush and Mikhail Gorbachev should be judged a modest success. Even if it fell short of resolving the most difficult issues on the East-West agenda, this weekend's Washington conference should help reduce the risk of any misunderstanding that might destabilize the global balance. Bush wisely resisted the temptation to bray about the West's victory in the Cold War or to try to extract humiliating concessions from the Soviet president.... Given Gorbachev's unsure grip on power in Moscow, Bush is right to seek agreements that might help assure stability in any post-Gorbachev scenario.... The Bush-Gorbachev meeting thus advanced a welcome evolution in international politics: from bipolar to multilateral diplomacy. Washington and Moscow seem to realize that they are no longer the first among nations; instead, they have become the first among equals."
(Cleveland Plain Dealer, 6/5)

No More Summits -- "...For all the major agreements announced...perhaps nothing was more important than the conviction of the two leaders that we have now passed the time when they must meet in 'summits' and the time has come simply to have meetings - - probably on a regular basis, at least once a year. It is not a public relations extravaganza called a 'summit' when Margaret Thatcher or Helmut Kohl visit Washington. Such visits are now simply routine meetings between people with some problems, but a lot of common goals. If we have now reached the same point with regard to the Soviet Union, then that is real progress."

(Baltimore Evening Sun, 6/4)

Russia and America: End Game -- "The Washington summit between George Bush and Mikhail Gorbachev predictably yielded little besides photo opportunities.... Back home, Boris Yeltsin and his supporters are urging more wide-ranging reform than Mr. Gorbachev has dared attempt. And the Eastern Europeans themselves are pressuring the Soviets to withdraw. The West simply needs to keep its powder dry and sit tight.... Pursuing further nuclear arms control treaties with the Soviets, as Secretary Baker seems bent on doing, is close to meaningless when the real issue is Soviet ground forces in Eastern Europe."

(Detroit News, 6/3)

The Summit That Mattered -- "...It seems plain that the Moscow summit [between Gorbachev and Yeltsin] will have far more to do with coming events in the Soviet Union than the inconclusive Washington meeting between George Bush and Mikhail Gorbachev. The Bush administration has made something of a fetish of Gorbachev, explicitly pinning its decisions...on a desire to strengthen him politically.... The essence of this summit was its form, not its substance.... In Washington, Bush met a man who has lost his mandate.... The reform ball is rolling. Before it's too late, Bush ought to stop betting on the wrong team."

(Boston Sunday Herald, 6/3)

Safe Summit -- "...Clearly we are witnessing something special during the latest parley between President Bush and Soviet leader Gorbachev: an important psychological divide in East-West relations seems to have been crossed.... The West won the Cold War, as the weakness of today's Soviet Union demonstrates. The task for Mr. Bush and other leaders is to manage this victory to everyone's benefit, Moscow's included."

(Detroit Free Press, 6/2)

Gorbachev Lays It On The Line -- "...Since Soviet stability should be a primary goal of the U.S., [Gorbachev] should get most-favored-nation status now."

(Chicago Tribune, 6/2)

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FOREIGN MEDIA REACTION

SUMMIT

"The Summit and Strategic Arms"

"The Washington summit has confirmed once again that in our age [of] military and political stability, mutual trust and predictability of actions of the other side are much more important than mountains of nuclear weapons." (Tass, Soviet Union)

"U.S. Gives Bleak Verdict On Outcome Of Summit"

"Contrary to the smiles and the upbeat headlines of the Bush-Gorbachev summit, the U.S. is privately giving its NATO allies a far bleaker assessment of the talks, and forecasting there will be no new East-West summits this year.... The U.S. Secretary of State...will tell the allies that the stalemate on Germany means no agreement is expected on reducing conventional forces this year." (Guardian, Britain)

"Bush Invests In Gorbachev"

"U.S.-Soviet relations have never been this good since the anti-Hitler allegiance.... But...the summit results appear in a less optimistic light.... The disarmament agreements are neither new nor praiseworthy.... Lithuania, trade and Germany: These topics marked the rift between the superpowers, and that rift was closed only by inches." (Suddeutsche Zeitung, West Germany)

"Still No Breakthrough"

"It was a confusing summit of hidden threats, problem-ridden dead-end streets and surprising concessions. The optimism with which both presidents presented the summit during their final press conference conceals the considerable differences. The results show hardly any political substance.... The real progress of the summit is immeasurable. It lies in the two men's personal relationship." (Die Welt, West Germany)

"Relaxed, But Tough In Talks...U.S. Pursues Its Old Power Politics"

"The summit was a summit with a lot of atmosphere, but little substance.... The controversy about German NATO membership illustrated that the West, and in particular the U.S., continues to try to cope with the challenges of the new times following the Cold War with yesterday's instruments and institutions." (Die Tageszeitung, West Berlin)

"An Unspectacular Balance Sheet"

"Never since the first Reagan-Gorbachev meeting in November 1985, has one seen such poor results and such an unspectacular balance sheet." (Quotidien, France)

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News From the Hill

SENATE FLOOR: Cloture vote on anticrime bill fails.

The Senate yesterday failed, 54-37, to approve a motion to limit debate on the omnibus anticrime bill (S 1970), leaving the measure's future uncertain.

Under Senate rules, 60 votes were needed to invoke cloture and limit the debate to 30 hours.

In mid-afternoon, Majority Leader George J. Mitchell, D-Maine, filed another cloture motion. The vote on that motion will be Thursday.

Before the vote, Strom Thurmond, R-S.C., said passage of the omnibus crime bill was in jeopardy.

"Failure to invoke cloture would put an end to the crime bill this session," said Thurmond, ranking member of the Judiciary Committee.

Mitchell announced just after yesterday's cloture vote that 138 Republican and 88 Democratic amendments had been filed. If cloture had been invoked, many of the amendments would have been ruled out of order under special post-cloture germaneness requirements.

Four of the nine absent senators had primary elections in their home states — and three of them were involved in primary battles.

S 1970 would make broad changes in the federal criminal justice system, including expanding the use of the death penalty in murder cases. It would also impose harsher sentences for those convicted of trafficking in drugs.

In other action, senators reached an agreement on the procedure for dealing with legislation (HR 987) that would curtail logging in the 17-million-acre Tongass National Forest in Alaska. The bill will not come to the floor before next Tuesday. The two senators from Alaska had objected to Senate action on the bill yesterday.

HOUSE FLOOR: SEC powers, joint ventures, other bills approved.

The House gave voice vote approval

yesterday to legislation (HR 3657) that would give the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) the authority to control market activities and restrict program trading during times of great economic instability. Program trading, a computer-aided practice that involves buying and selling large blocks of stock in a single order, has been blamed for the October 1987 stock market crash. The bill also would require the reporting of large transactions to the SEC and calls for other steps aimed at keeping the securities markets stable.

Members also passed a bill (HR 4611) that would give antitrust protection to companies that engage in joint production ventures that advance U.S. technological competitiveness.

The House approved several other bills by voice vote:

- HR 1454, which would require colleges to report graduation rates of student-athletes and to provide information on campus crime and security.

- HR 1620, which calls for a 13-member commission to study the tenure, impeachment and removal of federal judges.

- HR 2690, which would provide authorship protection — similar to the copyright — for visual artists so that painters and sculptors could prevent those who purchase their work from modifying or destroying it. The visual arts bill covers paintings, drawings, prints, sculptures and photographs.

- HR 3406, which would grant federal courts jurisdiction in accident cases in which at least 25 people are killed or injured and the plaintiffs and defendants live in different states.

- HR 4283, which would authorize funding for the Panama Canal Commission.

- HR 2372, which would compensate cancer victims who were exposed to radioactive fallout from Nevada atomic

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Floor Action: The House will take up legislation (HR 4653) easing restrictions on certain U.S. exports to U.S. allies and Eastern European countries and, to a lesser extent, the Soviet Union.

The Senate will appoint conferees on legislation (S 933) granting civil rights to the disabled. Also slated for action is a bill (S 341) prohibiting airlines from discriminating against blind people.

Housing Bill: The House Banking Committee begins consideration today of legislation (HR 1180) to reauthorize federal housing programs.

The \$27.8 billion measure would provide budget authority for fiscal 1991 for a variety of low-income housing projects. The panel will have to resolve the issue of an expiring moratorium on the conversion of low-income units. Many owners of federally sponsored projects will become eligible to pay off their mortgages and offer the units at higher prices or convert them into condominiums when a congressional moratorium expires in the fall.

Congress extended the moratorium once before in the mid-1980s, and members are hoping to find a solution that would maintain the current level of low-income housing while adequately compensating the owners.

Housing advocates say that if the owners of subsidized housing are able to rent the units at market rates, thousands of low-income people would be forced to find alternative housing.

Farm Bill: Senate Agriculture Committee Democrats hope to bring to a vote today a proposal to ban the export of pesticides that are prohibited from use on farm produce grown in the United States.

Chairman Patrick J. Leahy, D-Vt., wants to include the ban on the pesticides in the 1990 farm bill, arguing that

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tests in the 1940s, 1950s and 1960s, as well as uranium miners in four Western states who extracted the materials used in the weapons testing program.

FOOD FOR Peace program wins Foreign Affairs subcommittee's OK.

The House Foreign Affairs Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade approved draft legislation by voice vote yesterday to reauthorize the 36-year-old Food for Peace program and all U.S. agricultural export promotion programs.

The measure — the panel's version of one portion of the omnibus 1990 farm bill (HR. 3950) — seeks to clear up jurisdictional questions about the Food for Peace program by designating the Agriculture Department as administrator of the Food for Peace loan program and the Agency for International Development as manager of its grants.

The Food for Peace program provides for the donation and sale of U.S. agricultural commodities to poor nations.

Members adopted, 4-1, an amendment to renew a provision that sets aside a certain amount of Food for Peace shipments for vessels based in Great Lakes ports.

The measure would authorize \$1.9 billion for Food for Peace and about \$1 billion for export promotion programs and would guarantee some \$8 billion in loans, a subcommittee aide said.

HEALTH INSURANCE a growing concern for small businesses.

Small businesses are no longer able to afford adequate health insurance for their employees because of spiraling premiums, a Senate Judiciary subcommittee heard yesterday.

Mark V. Nadel, associate director for national and public health issues for the General Accounting Office, said that about 3.9 million workers employed by businesses with fewer than 25 employees have no health insurance.

Nadel also told the Antitrust, Monopolies and Business Rights Subcommittee that insurance companies are also reducing the number of illnesses and medical conditions they will pay for, in addition to raising premiums.

The subcommittee heard from operators of small businesses, who said their insurance premiums in some cases had more than quadrupled in the past five years.

Richard F. Blake, a police officer in Glenwood Springs, Colo., told senators that his infant son, who had two liver transplants, could not get health insurance when the city changed health insurance companies.

Strom Thurmond, R-S.C., told the

witnesses he sympathized with their problems but said they should seek redress with state insurance commissioners, not the federal government.

"You're entitled to relief. But this is not the forum for it," Thurmond said.

Under current law, there is no federal regulation of the insurance industry. That responsibility lies with states but Subcommittee Chairman Howard M. Metzenbaum, D-Ohio, said state regulation "has been inadequate to the task."

Metzenbaum said the panel would continue hearings to investigate "a wide range of industry practices."

EMIGRATION LAW delayed; effect on Soviet trade pact uncertain.

The Soviet legislature yesterday tentatively postponed until at least September adoption of a new emigration law that the United States says must be passed before Washington will give Moscow preferential trade status.

Gorbachev and President Bush signed the agreement during last week-end's summit in Washington, but Bush said he would not press Congress for approval until a new Soviet emigration law is in place.

According to White House spokesman Marlin Fitzwater and key congressional leaders, a delay in action on the emigration law may improve the prospects for congressional approval of the trade pact, which would give the Soviet Union most favored nation trade status.

The delay would give Moscow time to work out its difficulties with Lithuania, which congressional leaders say is necessary to win lawmakers' support for trade benefits for the Soviets.

After a meeting yesterday between congressional leaders and the White House, Senate Democratic leader George J. Mitchell, Maine, told reporters Congress was unlikely to approve the pact until Moscow eased its economic blockade of the Baltic republic.

"Call it linkage or call it reality," Senate Minority Leader Bob Dole, R-Kan., said after the White House meeting.

PENSION PLANS receive differing reviews before House panel.

House Small Business Committee Chairman John J. LaFalce, D-N.Y., voiced concern yesterday that the nation's private employee pension system is faltering and that small businesses lag behind other companies in providing such plans to their workers.

At a hearing on the future of the retirement income programs, LaFalce said that establishment of new pension plans has slowed and an increasing number of plans are being terminated. "These are disquieting trends," he said.

LaFalce also cited 1986 figures showing that 91 percent of workers in firms of

at least 100 employees are covered by pension plans, while only 57 percent of those in smaller companies are covered.

Expert witnesses at the hearing offered differing assessments of the condition of the country's private pension system.

Nancy J. Altman, vice chairman of the Labor Department's ERISA (Employee Retirement Income Security Act) Advisory Council, warned that while simplifying the complex pension system is important, it is "no panacea."

She said that portability of pension benefits — transferring them upon changing jobs — "is an admirable goal" but not easily accomplished. "The problem is that... private pensions are a patchwork of different plan designs and different trusts," she said.

Leon E. Irish, a Washington lawyer specializing in tax and employee benefits law, recommended the establishment of a National Employees' Savings Trust (NEST) to allow the portability of pensions. When a worker left a job, his benefits would be transferred to the NEST, which would be managed by the private sector.

He also called for repeal of provisions allowing lump sum payouts of pension benefits, which he called the primary cause of benefit losses when workers change jobs.

EASTERN EUROPE prospects assessed in House hearing.

Genuine democracy and economic recovery in Eastern Europe face formidable obstacles, a panel of experts told a House Foreign Affairs subcommittee yesterday.

Michael Bernhardt of Pennsylvania State University warned the Europe and the Middle East Subcommittee that Poland in particular is in trouble. "Perhaps the most telling sign is that the United Nations downgraded Poland's development status from 'developed' to 'developing,'" he said. "Total collapse of the economy is possible."

Mark Palmer, director of the Central European Development Corporation and former U.S. ambassador to Hungary, said that although the formerly Soviet-dominated nations have made great strides in breaking from their Stalinist past, the present political and economic upheaval in the region is an open invitation to new forms of authoritarianism, civil war, pogroms or even the outbreak of World War III.

Palmer said because the "biggest, single barrier to progress" in Eastern Europe is the continued presence of former Communists in government posts, the United States should limit all aid to the private sector only. He warned against expecting immediate results, however, predicting that things will get worse before they get better.

Subcommittee Chairmanship Changes

The January resignation of Rep. James J. Florio, D-N.J., and the April death of Sen. Spark M. Matsunaga, D-Hawaii, set off a number of changes in the chairmanships of several subcommittees.

The Senate Finance Committee yesterday completed the changes by naming Tom Daschle, D-S.D., to chair the Taxation and Debt Management Subcommittee. That panel had been without a chairman since Matsunaga died in mid-April. Finance Chairman Lloyd Bentsen, D-Texas, said the appointment is temporary, for this year only.

A number of other changes were made earlier in the year as a result of the vacancies left by Florio and Matsunaga.

With 20 Senate committees and 85 subcommittees, it stands to reason that most of the 55 Democratic senators would be chairman of something — and that's exactly the case: Forty-eight Democrats are chairmen. Only Majority Leader George J. Mitchell, Maine; freshmen Daniel K. Akaka, Hawaii (sworn in on May 16 of this year), Joseph I. Lieberman, Conn.; Bob Kerrey, Neb.; and Charles S. Robb, Va. (all elected in 1988); and Terry Sanford, N.C.; and Richard C. Shelby, Ala. (both elected in 1986) cannot be called "Mr. Chairman."

Freshman Herb Kohl, Wis., became a first-time chairman recently, when he was chosen to head the Senate Governmental Affairs Subcommittee on Government Information and Regulation. He replaces the former chairman, Jeff Bingaman, N.M., who left the committee to take a spot on the Labor Committee.

Another Democratic senator first elected in 1988, Richard G. Bryan of Nevada, has been chairman of the Commerce panel's Consumer Subcommittee since he joined the Senate at the beginning of the 101st Congress.

Two members chair four panels: David Pryor, Ark., who chairs the Aging Committee and is a subcommittee chairman on the Agriculture, Finance and Governmental Affairs committees; and Tom Harkin, Iowa, who chairs subcommittees on the Agriculture, Appropriations, Labor and Small Business committees.

In the House, there are 27 committees and 147 subcommittees and task forces.

Of the 261 Democrats in the House (including three delegates and the resident commissioner from Puerto Rico), 139 are chairmen.

Party rules in the House generally limit the number of chairmanships a member can hold, but a number of exceptions have been made, involving the select committees and the Budget, District of Columbia, Ethics and House Administration panels.

The most senior House Democrats who do not chair a committee or subcommittee, other than Speaker Thomas S. Foley, Wash., are Bill Alexander, Ark., and Louis Stokes, Ohio. Both were first elected to Congress in 1968.

The most junior House Democrats to chair a panel are Thomas C. Sawyer, who chairs the Post Office Census and Population Subcommittee, and Mike Espy, Miss., who heads the Select Hunger panel's Domestic Task Force. Both Sawyer and Espy were elected to Congress in 1986.

The following chart shows the changes in subcommittee chairmanships in 1990:

Committee, Subcommittee	Old Chairman	New Chairman
Senate Energy, Energy Regulation	Howard M. Metzenbaum, Ohio	Tim Wirth, Colo.
Senate Environment, Nuclear Regulation	John B. Breaux, La.	Bob Graham, Fla.
Senate Finance, Taxation	Spark M. Matsunaga, Hawaii	Tom Daschle, S.D.
Senate Governmental Affairs, Government Information	Jeff Bingaman, N.M.	Herb Kohl, Wis.
Senate Labor, Aging	Spark M. Matsunaga, Hawaii	Brock Adams, Wash.
House Aging, Housing	James J. Florio, N.J.	Marilyn Lloyd, Tenn.
House Energy, Commerce,	James J. Florio, N.J.	Doug Walgren, Pa.
House Science, Space, Science, Research	Doug Walgren, Pa.	Robert G. Torricelli, N.J.

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they are used on farm products grown in foreign countries that are ultimately imported into the United States. The proposal would also bar the import of produce that has been sprayed with banned pesticides.

Panel Republicans have been resisting a vote because they don't think the issue has been examined thoroughly. A committee aide said that Leahy expects to get enough Republican support to approve the proposal.

CPSC Reauthorization: A House Energy and Commerce subcommittee will mark up legislation (HR 4952) to reauthorize the Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC), which has operated without an authorization since 1981.

The legislation would provide \$42 million in fiscal 1991 and \$45 million in fiscal 1992. Current funding is \$35 million.

The bill, sponsored by Commerce, Consumer Protection and Competitiveness Subcommittee Chairman Doug Walgren, D-Pa., would make it easier for the CPSC to assemble a quorum when there are vacancies on the commission.

Walgren said the bill would help revitalize the agency, which he said was paralyzed during the Reagan years by ideological conflict among commission members and by longstanding vacancies, which prevented the commission from achieving a quorum.

The measure is designed to speed the commission's regulation and recall of unsafe products. The bill would also stiffen civil penalties for those who violate consumer product safety standards, direct the CPSC to regulate amusement park rides and require the agency to conduct studies on indoor air pollution.

FHA Financial Condition: The financial condition of the Federal Housing Administration (FHA) will be the subject today of a hearing by the Senate Banking Subcommittee on Housing.

The FHA, which insures single-family home mortgages, lost \$4.2 billion in 1988. Lawmakers are concerned that additional losses may require the government to bail out the insurance fund.

Housing and Urban Development Secretary Jack F. Kemp and FHA Commissioner C. Austin Fitts will testify on HUD's efforts to curtail losses in the housing program.

The accounting firm of Price-Waterhouse will brief the subcommittee on the fund's overall financial stability and the effect of raising mortgage ceilings for FHA loans. The loan limit was increased to \$124,785 last year and that figure would continue in effect under housing legislation (S 566) passed by the Banking Committee in May.

Committee Meetings Scheduled Today

Senate Committees

1990 FARM BILL MARKUP Senate Agriculture Committee

The full committee (Chmn Leahy, D-Vt) will continue marking up draft legislation to authorize farm programs.

10am SR-332 Russell Bldg **June 6**

FY91 ARTS, HUMANITIES APPROPRIATIONS Interior Appropriations Subcommittee

The subcommittee (Chmn Byrd, D-WVa) will hold a hearing on FY91 appropriations for programs of the National Endowment for the Arts (NEA) and the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH).

2pm S-128 Capitol Bldg **June 6**

Witnesses scheduled: John Frohnmayer - chmn, NEA; Lynne Cheney - chmn, NEH

B-2 STEALTH BOMBER

Senate Armed Services Committee

Strategic Forces and Nuclear Deterrence Subcommittee (Chmn Exon, D-Neb) will continue hearings on the defense authorization request for fiscal 1991 (S 2171), focusing on the B-2 stealth bomber program.

9am SD-106 Dirksen Bldg **June 6**

Witnesses scheduled: Donald Rice Jr - secy of the Air Force; Larry Welch - chief of staff, Air Force

FHA FINANCIAL CONDITION

Senate Banking Committee

Housing and Urban Affairs Subcommittee (Chmn Cranston, D-Calif) will hold a hearing on the financial condition of the Federal Housing Administration (FHA).

10am SD-538 Dirksen Bldg **June 6**

Witnesses scheduled: Jack Kemp - secy of Housing & Urban Development (HUD); C Austin Fitts - asst secy of HUD and FHA commr; John Ols Jr - dir, Housing, GAO; James Waddell - partner, Price-Waterhouse

CHINESE-U.S. RELATIONS

Senate Foreign Relations Committee

East Asian and Pacific Affairs Subcommittee (Chmn Cranston, D-Calif) will hold a hearing on the status of U.S.-Chinese relations one year after the massacre at Tiananmen Square.

2:30pm SD-419 Dirksen Bldg **June 6**

Witnesses scheduled: Richard Solomon - asst secy of State for East Asian & Pacific affs

PANEL: Michelle Bohan - dir, Internatl Campaign for Tibet; Holly Burkhalter - Washington dir, Human Rights Watch; Steven Mosher - dir, Asian Studies Ctr of the Claremont Inst

STRIKE REPLACEMENTS

Senate Labor Committee

Labor Subcommittee (Chmn Metzenbaum, D-Ohio) will hold a hearing on legislation (S 2112) to prevent discrimination based on participation in labor disputes.

9:30am SD-430 Dirksen Bldg **June 6**

Background: In 1989, the Supreme Court decided in *Trans World Airlines v. International Federation of Flight Attendants* that employers may offer preferential benefits to

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strikers that cross the picket lines and return to work. S 2112 would prohibit employers from doing this and also would overturn a 1938 Supreme Court decision that allows employers to hire permanent replacements for striking workers.

Witnesses scheduled:

PANEL 1: Carol Miller - Woodstock, Ill; Thomas Pratt - Livermore Falls, Maine; Norma Adams - NYC, NY

PANEL 2: Thomas Donahue - secy/treasurer, AFL/CIO

PANEL 3: Owen Bieber - pres, United Auto Workers; Capt Henry Duffy - pres, Airline Pilots Assn

PANEL 4: Franklin Frazier - dir of education & employment issues, US Gen. Accounting Ofc; Julius Getman - assoc dean, Univ of Texas Law School, Austin, Texas

PANEL 5: James Melican - sr vpres & gen counsel, Internatl Paper Co; Richard Hoyt - US Chamber of Commerce; David Larry - Natl Assn of Manufacturers

House Committees

NIGHT GOGGLES & U.S.

INVASION OF PANAMA

House Armed Services Committee

Investigations Subcommittee (Chmn Mavroules, D-Mass) will hold a hearing on the use of night goggles during Operation Just Cause, the U.S. invasion of Panama in December of 1989, and actions taken by the Army to improve safety and training procedures.

2pm 2212 Rayburn Bldg **June 6**

Witnesses scheduled: Maj Gen William Forster - dir of requirements, integration & deep operations, Ofc of the Dpty Chief of Staff of the Army for Operations & Plans; Maj Gen Rudolph Ostovich III - commanding gen, Army Aviation Ctr & Fort Rucker, Ala; Col Douglas Terrell - cmdr, Aviation Brigade, 7th Infantry Div, Fort Ord, Calif

NATIONAL WAR COLLEGE

House Armed Services Committee

Military Education Panel (Chmn Skelton, D-Mo) will hold a hearing on the progress made by the National War College in complying with recommendations for improvement in military education institutions that were made in a report issued by the panel in the fall of 1989.

9am 2212 Rayburn Bldg **June 6**

Witness scheduled: Maj Gen Gerald Stadler - cmdt, Natl War College

HOUSING BILL MARKUP

House Banking Committee

The full committee (Chmn Gonzalez, D-Texas) will continue marking up legislation (HR 1180) to amend and extend certain laws relating to housing, community and neighborhood development and preservation and related programs.

2:30pm 2128 Rayburn Bldg **June 6**

NATIONAL FLOOD INSURANCE

House Banking Committee

Policy Research and Insurance Subcommittee (Chmn Erdreich, D-Ala) will hold a

hearing on the National Flood Insurance Program.

9:30am 2222 Rayburn Bldg **June 6**

Witnesses scheduled: Harold Duryee - adminr, Fed Insurance Admin; Michael Klitzke - dir, Dept of Community Development, Wheeling, Ill; Jerry Foster - mgr, ISO Commercial Risk Services

JOB TRAINING ACT

House Education and Labor Committee

The full committee (Chmn Hawkins, D-Calif) will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 2039) to amend the Job Training Partnership Act to revise the method of delivering services to hard-to-serve adults and youth.

10am 2175 Rayburn Bldg **June 6**

Witnesses scheduled: Elizabeth Dole - secy of Labor; Gerald Peterson - asst inspector gen, Labor Dept

OSHA REVIEW

House Education and Labor Committee

Health and Safety Subcommittee (Chmn Gaydos, D-Pa) will hold a hearing on the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA).

9:30am 2261 Rayburn Bldg **June 6**

Witness scheduled: Gerald Scannell - asst secy of Labor for OSHA

Note: This hearing has not been rescheduled.

NATL ENDOWMENT FOR THE ARTS REAUTHORIZATION

House Education and Labor Committee

Postsecondary Education Subcommittee (Chmn Williams, D-Mont) will continue hearings on legislation (HR 4825) to reauthorize the National Endowment for the Arts.

9:30am 2261 Rayburn Bldg **June 6**

★ CSPC REAUTHORIZATION

House Energy and Commerce Committee

Commerce, Consumer Protection and Competitiveness Subcommittee (Chmn Walgren, D-Pa) will mark up legislation (HR 4952) to reauthorize the Consumer Product Safety Commission.

2pm 2322 Rayburn Bldg **June 6**

■ ANDEAN INITIATIVE

House Foreign Affairs Committee

Western Hemisphere Affairs Subcommittee (Chmn Crockett, D-Mich) will hold a hear-

BUDGET TALKS

Representatives from the White House and members of the congressional leadership will continue discussions on the budget.

10am to noon; 1pm to 5pm S-207 Capitol Bldg **closed June 6 & 7**

Photo op at 10am; stake-out set up at far end of the Ohio Clock corridor

Contact: Deborah Johns, David Dreyer, 202-225-0100

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ing on the U.S. drug interdiction policy toward the Andean countries of Colombia, Peru and Bolivia.

2pm 2255 Rayburn Bldg June 6

Witnesses scheduled: Eduardo Gamarra - political science prof, Florida Internatl Univ; Alexander Wilde - exec dir, Washington Ofc on Latin America; Diego Garcia Sayan - exec dir, Andean Commn of Jurists; Leon Kellner - former US Atty for the Southern district of Florida

■ BONDS FOR MINORITY FIRMS

House Government Operations Committee

Government Activities and Transportation Subcommittee (Chmn Collins, D-Ill) will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 4179) to establish a pilot program to assist small and minority construction firms in obtaining bonding for federal construction projects.

10am 2154 Rayburn Bldg June 6

Background: Bill supporters contend that minority-owned construction firms have had trouble winning government contracts because their small size and modest capital pool often prevent them from securing the bonds that federal law requires for major government construction projects. And those firms that do obtain bonds often have to get them from individual sureties — individuals willing to ensure contract performance — which are considered less reliable than corporate guarantors. The bill would set up associations of federally approved individual sureties, whose adherence to regulations would make them safe bets for the federal government.

Witnesses scheduled:

PANEL: Al Burman - adminr, Ofc of Fed Procurement Policy; Richard Hopf - assoc adminr for acquisition policy, Gen Services Admin; Ed Cook - atty, Epstein, Becker & Green; Dov Zakheim - System Planning Corp Internatl
PANEL: Edgar Smoot - pres, Natl Hispanic Assn of Construction Enterprises; Josephine Lewis - Lewco Energy Management Inc; Larry Waller - L Waller Assoc; Jerry Walkingstick - Walkingstick Mechanical Contractors
PANEL: Lynn Schubert - counsel, American Insurance Assn; Ralph Thomas - exec dir, Natl Assn of Minority Contractors; Wayne Ruth - American Subcontractors Assn; Kirk Fordice - pres, Associated Gen Contractors of America

■ GOVT SURPLUS ACCOUNTS

House Government Operations Committee House Energy and Commerce Committee

Legislation and National Security Subcommittee (Chmn Conyers, D-Mich) of House Government Operations Committee and Oversight and Investigations Subcommittee (Chmn Dingell, D-Mich) of House Energy and Commerce Committee will hold a joint hearing on federal agencies' merged surplus and "M" accounts. These accounts contain more than \$65 billion in expired appropriations that can be drawn upon with little or no oversight.

10:30am 2123 Rayburn Bldg June 6

Background: Members of both panels will examine what happens to federal money that is appropriated but not spent by the receiving agency. Many fear that inattention to the fate of these funds has led to abuse. In one instance several years ago, an employee at the Agency for International Development bought a house with money drawn from a surplus account.

Witnesses scheduled: Shawn O'Keefe - comptrol-

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ler, Defense Dept; Kevin Moley - asst secy, HHS; Elizabeth Smedley - comptroller, Energy Dept

FY91 INTELLIGENCE BUDGET

House Intelligence Committee

Program and Budget Authority Subcommittee (Chmn Beilenson, D-Calif) will hold a closed hearing on the fiscal 1991 intelligence budget.

10am H-405 Capitol Bldg closed June 6

■ INTERIOR CMTE MARKUP

House Interior Committee

The full committee (Chmn Udall, D-Ariz) will mark pending legislation.

9:45am 1324 Longworth Bldg June 6

■ DEATH PENALTY BILLS

House Judiciary Committee

Courts, Intellectual Property and the Administration of Justice Subcommittee (Chmn Kastenmeier, D-Wis) will hold a hearing on pending death penalty legislation.

9:30am 2226 Rayburn Bldg June 6

Agenda:

HR 4737 - Revise habeas corpus procedures in death penalty cases
HR 1090 - Revise procedures for collateral review of criminal judgments
HR 1953 - Set certain limitations on habeas corpus cases involving the death penalty
HR 2709 - Make revisions in criminal law and procedure
HR 3119 - Revise the criminal justice system and reduce crime
HR 3584 - Amend procedures for collateral review of criminal judgments

Witnesses scheduled:

PANEL: Elaine Jones - dpty dir/counsel, NAACP Legal Defense & Education Fund; Joseph Lowery - pres, Southern Christian Leadership Conf
PANEL: Paul Maloney - dpty asst atty gen, Criminal Div, Dept of Justice; Ernest Preate - atty gen, State of Pa & rep, Natl Assn of Attys Gen
PANEL: David Bruck - chief atty, S Carolina Ofc of Appellate Defense; Stephen Kinnard - atty, Jones, Day, Revis & Pogue, Atlanta, Ga; Larry Yackle - professor, Boston Univ Law School

■ CRUISE SHIP SAFETY

House Merchant Marine Committee

Merchant Marine Subcommittee (Chmn Jones, D-NC) will hold a hearing on cruise ship safety.

10:30am 1334 Longworth Bldg June 6

Witnesses scheduled: Douglass MacGarvey - Sea Escape Cruises Limited; Richard Fain - Royal Caribbean Lines; Jack Estes - pres, Internatl Council of Cruise Lines; Luther Blount - American Canadian Caribbean Lines

■ FAA TRAINING PRGMS

House Public Works Committee

Investigations and Oversight Subcommittee (Chmn Anderson, D-Calif) will hold a hearing on the Federal Aviation Administration's training programs for air-traffic controllers, maintenance workers and safety inspectors

10am 2167 Rayburn Bldg June 6

Witnesses scheduled: Kenneth Mead - assoc dir, Resources, Community & Economic Development Div, GAO; Raymond DeCarli - acting dpty inspector gen, Transportation Dept; Herbert McLure - assoc adminr for human resources mgmt, FAA

RULES FOR FLOOR DEBATE

House Rules Committee

The full committee (Chmn Moakley, D-Mass) will meet to consider rules for floor debate for pending legislation.

11am H-313 Capitol Bldg June 6

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Agenda:

H Res — Provide for Special Budget Procedures for fiscal 1991 Congressional Budget Process
HR 4785 - Establish a program of grants to provide preventive health services with respect to AIDS

SOLAR & CONSERVATION PRGMS

FY91 R&D BUDGET

House Science Committee

Energy, Research and Development Subcommittee (Chmn Lloyd, D-Tenn) will hold a hearing on the fiscal 1991 budget for solar and conservation research and development programs.

1pm 2325 Rayburn Bldg June 6

Witnesses scheduled: J Michael Davis - asst secy for conservation, Energy Dept; Yogi Goswami - vpres of energy resources, American Society of Mechanical Engineers; Robert Stokes - acting exec dir, Solar Energy Research Inst; Scott Sklar - exec dir, Solar Energy Industries Assn; Randall Swisher - exec dir, American Wind Energy Assn; Donald Klass - pres, Biomass Energy Research Assn; Eric Hirst - Oak Ridge Natl Lab

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REDUCTION MARKUP****House Science Committee**

Science, Research and Technology Subcommittee (Chmn Valentine, D-NC) will mark up legislation (HR 3533) to improve the federal effort to reduce earthquake hazards.

2:30pm 2318 Rayburn Bldg **June 6**

Background: The bill, which was approved by the Interior Committee April 4, would authorize a substantial increase in funding for the federal government's effort to reduce earthquake hazards. The measure would authorize \$110 million in fiscal 1991, \$136 million in fiscal 1992, \$170.5 million in fiscal 1993 and \$210.8 million in fiscal 1994. Current funding is about \$73 million. Most of the funds would go to four agencies — the Federal Emergency Management Agency, the U.S. Geological Survey, the National Science Foundation and the National Institute of Standards and Technology.

CREDIT CRUNCH**House Small Business Committee**

The full committee (Chmn LaFalce, D-NY) will hold a hearing on the problems borrowers are experiencing securing commercial financing.

10:30am 2359A Rayburn Bldg **June 6**

Witnesses scheduled: Robert Clarke - comptroller, Ofc of the Comptroller of the Currency; John LaWare - mbr, Fed Reserve Bd of Govs; Del Fauntroy, D-DC

Joint Committees**ALTERNATIVE AGRICULTURE ISSUES****Joint Economic Committee**

The full committee (Chmn Hamilton, D-Ind) will hold a hearing on alternative farming practices, such as crop rotation, mixed farming and minimal use of fertilizers and pesticides. The goal of such practices is to reduce the impact on the environment of agricultural production. A National Academy of Sciences report on the subject will be released.

10am 340 Cannon Bldg **June 6**

Witnesses scheduled: John Pesek - Iowa State Univ; Chuck Benbrook - exec dir, Bd on Agriculture; Robert Goodman - mbr, Bd on Agriculture; Fred Miller - Ohio State Univ Agronomy Dept; Virgil Hays - Ky Univ Animal Science Dept; Vernon Ruttan - Univ of Minn Economic Dept

**AMERICAN ECONOMIC POWER
IN THE 1990s****Joint Economic Committee**

The full committee (Acting Chmn Solarz, D-NY) will continue a series of hearing on "American Economic Power: Redefining National Security for the 1990s."

2pm 2359 Rayburn Bldg **June 6**

Witnesses scheduled: Demetri Simes - Carnegie Endowment for Internatl Peace; Theodore Sorenson - former special counsel to the pres; Paul Warnke - former dir, Arms Control & Disarmament Agency

News Events Today

--from Reuters

The *Monitor* has received notice of the following events scheduled to take place in Washington. Associations, non-profit organizations and public interest groups who wish to have events listed in the section should send pertinent information to: The Congressional Monitor, Other Events Editor, 1414 22nd St. N.W., Washington, D.C. 20037. Notices must include a telephone number. Notices may be transmitted by facsimile to 728-1862, attn: Robert Healy. Only events related to Congress can be listed. Deadline is Noon. For further information call (202) 887-8686.

SPACE STATION ISSUES

Center for National Program Evaluation will sponsor a series of breakfast meetings to discuss the space station *Freedom* and related topics. Sen Garn, R-Utah, will be the speaker at the first session.

8am 188 Russell Bldg **June 6**

Contact: Margaret Roberts at 391-6414

Note: This event is for members of Congress and staff only.

SOUTHEAST ASIA BRIEFING

Sen Robb, D-Va, joins Bush administration policy specialists to review the political and military situation in Laos, Cambodia and Vietnam and how it affects the United States. They also will discuss economic and trade issues, prospects for peace in Cambodia and the Vietnamese presence in Laos and Cambodia.

8:15am to 11:15am, H-324 Capitol Bldg **June 6**

Contact: Carla Pratt, 202-775-3280

Note: Media interested in attending must RSVP in advance

ABM TREATY & NATL SECURITY

Arms Control Association (ACA) will hold a press breakfast to release a book on the ABM treaty and national security. There will also be a wrapup of the just-completed summit meeting.

8:30am, 11 Dupont Circle, Eighth floor New-
ton room **June 6**

Contact: Brett Sheppard 797-4626

Participants: Spurgeon Kenny Jr - former dpty dir, Arms Control & Disarmament Agency and pres & exec dir, ACA; Raymond Garthoff - sr fellow, Brookings Institution; Jack Mendelsohn - former mbr, SALT II & START delegations and dpty dir, ACA; Matthew Bunn - author of "Foundation for the Future: The ABM Treaty and National Security"

EASTERN EUROPE

House Republican's Research Committee's Task Force on Foreign Policy discusses the "shortcomings" in the current U.S. aid package for Eastern Europe. Appearing before the task force will be Dr. Leslaw Paga, a capital markets adviser to Polish Minister of Finance Leszek Balcerowicz, and S. Chalowski, a newly elected member of the Polish Parliament. Also testifying during the public hearing will be a number of Eastern European experts, including Dr. Tomasz Mroczkowski, the chairman of the International Business Roundtable at Ameri-

can University; Mac LaFollette, the director of Eastern European Investment in New York; Jeff Criegler, Eastern Europe product manager for Mead Data Central; and Jim Denton, president of the National Forum Foundation.

10am, 334 Cannon Bldg **June 6**

Contact: Doug Riggs, 202-225-2305

GOVERNMENT WASTE

Citizens Against Government Waste will hold a news conference, including lawmakers on the bipartisan Congressional Grace Caucus, to release what is termed a \$305 billion five-year plan to eliminate waste and avoid a tax increase.

11am, Triangle by the House side of Capitol Bldg **June 6**

Contact: Matthew V. Tsien, 202-467-5300

CHINA BRIEFING

Congressional Working Group on China and the Congressional Human Rights Caucus sponsor briefing by Chai Ling, who was first secretary general for the Independent Student Union of Beijing University and was "commander" of the pro-democracy movement in Tiananmen Square in 1989.

11am, B-352 Rayburn Bldg **June 6**

Contact: Craig Middleton, 202-225-4965; Karen Davis, 202-225-4835

**AID TO DEMOCRACY
IN EASTERN EUROPE**

Rep Frost, D-Texas, will hold a news conference to discuss a trip Czechoslovakia, Hungary and Poland members of the House Special Task Force on Developing Parliamentary Institutions in Eastern Europe.

2pm House Radio-TV Gallery, Capitol Bldg **June 6**

Contact: Bob Mansker at 225-3605

**SOVIET HEALTH CARE
CONGRESSIONAL BRIEFING**

Sens Robb, D-Va, and Warner, R-Va, discuss the first joint children's health care agreement between the U.S. and the Soviet Union, signed at the end of May between Children's Health Systems, Inc. of Virginia, and the Soviet Ministry of Health and Lenin's Children's Health Fund.

4pm, SR-493 Russell Bldg **June 6**

Contact: Debby Cabral, 202-638-3535

**ECONOMIC INDICATORS
AND REPORTS**

No set time: Federal Reserve releases weekly report on selected borrowings of large member banks

3pm: Agriculture Department releases weekly broiler placements

5pm: Energy Information Administration releases weekly report on petroleum inventories

Senate Committees Future Listings

Agriculture, Nutrition & Forestry

224-2035

1990 FARM BILL

Full Committee Markup

Senate Agriculture, Nutrition and Forestry Committee (Chmn Leahy, D-Vt) will continue marking up draft legislation to authorize farm programs.

10am SR-332 Russell Bldg **June 6** & addl dates

Appropriations

224-3471

FY91 DEFENSE APPROPS

Subcommittee Hearings

Defense Subcommittee (Chmn Inouye, D-Hawaii) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

9am SD-124 Dirksen Bldg **closed June 7**

9am SD-192 Dirksen Bldg **June 12**

Agenda:

June 7: European command

June 12: Defense secy

FY91 FOREIGN OPS APPROPS

Subcommittee Hearings

Foreign Operations Subcommittee (Chmn Leahy, D-Vt) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

2:30pm SD-138 Dirksen Bldg **June 19**

9am & 2:30pm room TBA **June 26**

Agenda & witnesses:

June 19: US military assistance in the 1990s:

Reginald Bartholomew - under secy of State; Gen

Charles Brown - dir, Defense Security Assistance

June 26: Outside witnesses

FY91 INTERIOR APPROPS

Subcommittee Hearings

Interior Subcommittee (Chmn Byrd, D-WVa) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1991 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

2pm S-128 Capitol Bldg **June 6**

Time TBA S-128 Capitol Bldg **Date TBA**

Agenda:

June 6: John Frohnmayer - chmn, Natl Endowment for the Arts; Lynne Cheney - chmn Natl Endowment for the Humanities;

Armed Services

224-3871

STRATEGIC DEFENSE INITIATIVE

Strategic Forces and Nuclear Deterrence Subcommittee (Chmn Exon, D-Neb) of Senate Armed Services Committee will continue hearings on the defense authorization request for

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fiscal 1991 (S 2171), focusing on the strategic defense initiative.

2pm SH-216 Hart Bldg **open/may close June 7**

Witness scheduled: Lt Gen George Monahan - dir, Strategic Defense Initiative Org

INTERNATL DEFENSE TRADE & COOPERATION

Defense Industry and Technology Subcommittee (Chmn Bingaman, D-NM) of Senate Armed Services Committee will continue hearings on the defense authorization request for fiscal 1991 (S 2171), focusing on international defense trade and cooperation.

9:30am SR-232A Russell Bldg **June 12**

Witnesses scheduled:

PANEL 1: Thomas Murrin - dpty secy of Commerce; Donald Yockey - principal dpty under secy of Defense; Henry Rowen - asst secy of Defense for internatl security affs

PANEL 2: Davis Bobrow - vchmn, Defense Science Bd Task Force on Defense Industrial Cooperation with Pacific Rim nations; William Keller - project dir, Ofc of Technology Assessment; P Robert Calaway - former dpty defense adviser for research & engineering in the US mission to NATO

Banking, Housing & Urban Affairs

224-7391

HUD NOMINATION

Senate Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs Committee (Chmn Riegle, D-Mich) will hold a confirmation hearing on the nomination of Joseph Schiff to be an assistant secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

10am SD-538 Dirksen Bldg **June 7**

FINANCIAL SERVICES INDUSTRY MODERNIZATION

Senate Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs Committee (Chmn Riegle, D-Mich) will continue hearings on modernizing the financial services industry.

Time TBA SD-538 Dirksen Bldg **dates TBA**

Commerce, Science & Transportation

224-5115

COMMERCE CMTE BUSINESS

Senate Commerce, Science and Transportation Committee (Chmn Hollings, D-SC) will meet to consider pending business.

10:30am SR-253 Russell Bldg **June 7**

NOAA OVERSIGHT

Senate Commerce, Science and Transportation Committee and National Ocean Policy

Study (Acting Chmn Kerry, D-Mass) will hold hearings on the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA).

9:30am SR-253 Russell Bldg **June 12 & 14**

Agenda:

June 12: NOAA satellite programs

June 14: NOAA ocean and coastal programs

DIGITAL RECORDERS

Communications Subcommittee (Chmn Inouye, D-Hawaii) of Senate Commerce, Science and Transportation Committee will hold a hearing on the Digital Audio Tape Recorder Act of 1990 (S 2358).

9:30am SR-253 Russell Bldg **June 13**

USE OF RECYCLED MATERIALS

Consumer Subcommittee (Chmn Bryan, D-Nev) of Senate Commerce, Science and Transportation Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (S 1884) to promote the use of recycled materials derived from municipal refuse.

2pm SR-253 Russell Bldg **June 13**

TV CAPTIONING DECODERS FOR THE DEAF

Communications Subcommittee (Chmn Inouye, D-Hawaii) of Senate Commerce, Science and Transportation Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (S 1974) to require new televisions with screens 13 inches or larger to have built-in decoder circuitry to display closed-captioned television transmissions.

9:30am SR-253 Russell Bldg **June 20**

FTC & ANTITRUST ISSUES

Consumer Subcommittee (Chmn Bryan, D-Nev) of Senate Commerce, Science and Transportation Committee will hold a hearing on the Federal Trade Commission (FTC) and antitrust issues.

9:30am SR-253 Russell Bldg **June 27**

Note: The hearing had been scheduled for June 6.

Environment & Public Works

224-6176

★ ASBESTOS IN SCHOOLS Subcommittee Markup

Toxic Substances, Environmental Oversight, Research and Development Subcommittee (Chmn Reid, D-Nev) of Senate Environment and Public Works Committee will mark up legislation (S 1893) to reauthorize the Asbestos School Hazard Abatement Act.

3pm SD-406 Dirksen Bldg **June 7**

ENVIRONMENT CMTE MARKUP

Senate Environment and Public Works Committee (Chmn Burdick, D-ND) will mark up pending legislation.

10am SD-406 Dirksen Bldg **June 12**

Agenda:

S 203 - Authorize research into groundwater con-

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taminants and ways to improve groundwater quality

S 1140 - Provide that fed facilities meet and comply with fed and state environmental laws and requirements

S 1178 - Improve and expand prgms for the protection of marine and coastal waters

S 1731 - Provide for the creation, restoration, protection, enhancement, and conservation of coastal wetlands, conserve North American wetland ecosystems and waterfowl and other migratory birds and fish and wildlife that depend upon such habitats.

S 1893 - Reauthorize the Asbestos School Hazard Abatement Act

S 2176 - Provide better enforcement of the U.S. environmental laws *Short title: Pollution Prosecution Act of 1990*

S 2371 - Direct the National Academy of Sciences to conduct a study of the feasibility of an umbrella research arm to support research on a variety of environmental issues

S 1875 - Redesignate the Calamus Dam and Reservoir authorized under the Reclamation Project Authorization Act as the Virginia Smith Dam and Calamus Lake Recreation Area

16 General Services Admin prospectuses

11(b) resolution

other pending business

★ **ZEBRA MUSSEL INFESTATIONS**

Environmental Protection Subcommittee (Chmn Baucus, D-Mont) of Senate Environment and Public Works Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (S 2244) to prevent and control infestations of U.S. coastal and inland waters by the zebra mussel and other nonindigenous aquatic nuisance species.

10:30am SD-406 Dirksen Bldg **June 19**

Ethics

224-2981

DURENBERGER ETHICS PROBE

Senate Select Ethics Committee (Chmn Heflin, D-Ala) will hold a series of open hearings on the investigation concerning Sen. Dave Durenberger, R-Minn.

9:30am SH-216 Hart Bldg **June 12 & addl dates TBA**

Finance

224-4515

TEXTILE & FOOTWEAR IMPORTS

Senate Finance Committee (Chmn Bentsen, D-Texas) will hold a hearing on legislation (S 2411) to provide for orderly imports of textiles, apparel and footwear.

10am SD-215 Dirksen Bldg **June 7**

TRADE WITH CHINA

Senate Finance Committee (Chmn Bentsen, D-Texas) will hold a hearing on whether Congress should approve the administration request to continued most-favored-nation status for China.

Time & room TBA **early June date TBA**

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Foreign Relations

224-4651

FOREIGN RELATIONS CMTE BUSINESS

Senate Foreign Relations Committee (Chmn Pell, D-RI) will mark up pending legislation and consider pending nominations.

10am SD-419 Dirksen Bldg **June 7**

Agenda:**MARKUP:**

S -- Additional funding for fiscal 1991 for the State Department

S Con Res 124 - Sense of Congress regarding human rights violations against the Albanian ethnic minority in southern Yugoslavia

S Con Res 60 - Sense of Congress that the Soviet Union should release the prison records of Raoul Wallenberg and account for his whereabouts

S 1941 - Implement the obligations of the US under the Inter-American Convention on Internatl Commercial Arbitrations

S Con Res 126 - Calling for a US policy of promoting the continuation, for a minimum of an additional 10 years, of the International Whaling Commission's moratorium on the commercial killing of whales and otherwise expressing the sense of the Congress with respect to conserving and protecting the world's whale population

NOMINATIONS:

Charles Thomas to be ambassador to the Republic of Hungary

Steven Steiner to have the rank of ambassador during his tenure on the Special Verification Commn

E U Curtis Bohlan to be asst secy of State for oceans & internatl environmental & scientific affs

Paul Lambert to be ambassador to the Republic of Ecuador

Malcolm Forbes Jr to be a mbr of the Bd for Internatl Broadcasting (reappointment)

Frank Yturria to be a mbr of the bd of dirs of the Inter-American Foundation

Norton Stevens to be a mbr of the bd of dirs of the Inter-American Foundation

Alan Larson to be US rep to the Org for Economic Cooperation & Development with rank of ambassador

James Bishop to be ambassador to the Somali Democratic Republic

Paul DeVos to be ambassador to the Republic of Liberia

Dane Smith Jr to be ambassador to the Republic of Guinea

Don Newman to be the US rep on the Council of Internatl Civil Aviation Org with the rank of minister

FOREIGN RELATIONS NOMINATIONS

Senate Foreign Relations Committee (Acting Chmn Cranston, D-Calif) will hold a confirmation hearing on pending nominations.

2:30pm SD-419 Dirksen Bldg **June 7**

Agenda:

William Bodde Jr to be ambassador to the Republic of the Marshall Islands

Joseph Lake to be ambassador to the Mongolian People's Republic

U.S.-SOVIET RELATIONS & NATO

Senate Foreign Relations Committee (Chmn Pell, D-RI) will hold a hearing to review the U.S.-Soviet summit and its implications for the upcoming NATO summit.

10am SD-419 Dirksen Bldg **June 12**

Witness scheduled: James Baker III - secy of State

U.S.-IRAQ RELATIONS

Senate Foreign Relations Committee (Chmn Pell, D-RI) will hold a hearing on U.S.

policy toward Iraq, focusing on human rights, weapons proliferation and international law.

10am SD-419 Dirksen Bldg **June 15**

Witnesses scheduled: Richard Schifter - asst secy of State for human rights & humanitarian affs; John Kelly - asst secy of State for Near Eastern & South Asian affs

MONTREAL AVIATION PROTOCOLS

Senate Foreign Relations Committee (Chmn Pell, D-RI) will hold a hearing on a General Accounting Office (GAO) report on the Montreal Protocols (Ex. B, 95-1), submitted to Congress in 1977. The protocols would revise the rules on airline liability for accident damages to passengers in international travel. The Foreign Relations Committee has approved the protocols twice (1981 and 1983), but the full Senate has yet to ratify them.

10am SD-419 Dirksen Bldg **June 19**

Witness scheduled: Kenneth Mead - dir, transportation issues, resources, community & economic development div, GAO

MONTREAL AVIATION PROTOCOLS**Full Committee Markup**

Senate Foreign Relations Committee (Chmn Pell, D-RI) will mark up the Montreal Protocols (Ex. B, 95-1).

10am SD-419 Dirksen Bldg **June 21**

U.S. & PERUVIAN MILITARY**Joint Hearing**

Western Hemisphere and Peace Corps Affairs Subcommittee (Chmn Dodd, D-Conn) and Terrorism, Narcotics and International Operations Subcommittee (Chmn Kerry, D-Mass) of Senate Foreign Relations Committee will hold a joint hearing on proposed U.S. military training to assist drug interdiction efforts of the government of Peru.

2pm S-116 Capitol Bldg **June 28**

Witnesses scheduled: William Bennett - dir, Ofc of Natl Drug Control Policy; Melvin Levitsky - asst secy of State for internatl narcotics matters; Defense Dept rep TBA

Note: This hearing was originally scheduled for June 13.

Governmental Affairs

224-4751

GOVTL AFFAIRS MARKUP

Senate Governmental Affairs Committee (Chmn Glenn, D-Ohio) will mark up pending legislation.

10am SD-342 Dirksen Bldg **June 7**

COMMERCE DEPT REORGANIZATION

Senate Governmental Affairs Committee (Chmn Glenn, D-Ohio) will hold a hearing on legislation (S 1978) to reorganize the Commerce Department into an Industry and Technology Department.

9:30am SD-342 Dirksen Bldg **June 12**

PROGRAM FRAUD ACT OVERSIGHT HEARING

Oversight of Government Management Subcommittee (Chmn Levin, D-Mich) of Sen-

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Senate continued.

ate Governmental Affairs Committee will hold an oversight hearing on provisions of the Program Fraud Civil Remedies Act that established a streamlined, administrative process to handle cases of fraud against the government that involve small amounts of money.

9:30am SD-342 Dirksen Bldg June 21

Indian Affairs

224-2251

CHILDREN'S PROTECTION/

SUBSTANCE ABUSE
Senate Select Indian Affairs Committee (Chmn Inouye, D-Hawaii) will hold a hearing on legislation (S 2340) on children's protective services and alcohol and substance abuse, and Trust Counsel proposals.

9:30am SR-485 Russell Bldg June 7

INDIAN HEALTH SERVICE

NURSE SHORTAGE
Senate Select Indian Affairs Committee (Chmn Inouye, D-Hawaii) will hold a hearing on the Indian Health Service nurse shortage.

2pm SR-485 Russell Bldg June 14

INDIAN TRUST COUNSEL

Senate Select Indian Affairs Committee (Chmn Inouye, D-Hawaii) will hold a hearing on legislation to establish in the Department of the Interior a Trust Counsel for Indian Assets.

2pm SR-485 Russell Bldg June 21

INDIAN SUBSTANCE ABUSE
Senate Select Indian Affairs Committee (Chmn Inouye, D-Hawaii) will hold a hearing on legislation to reauthorize certain Indian alcohol and substance abuse prevention and treatment programs.

9:30am SR-485 Russell Bldg July 12

Intelligence

224-1700

INTELLIGENCE MATTERS

Senate Select Intelligence Committee (Chmn Boren, D-Okla) will hold a closed hearing on intelligence matters.

2pm SH-219 Hart Bldg closed June 7

Judiciary

224-5225

JUDICIAL NOMINEES & DISCRIMINATORY CLUBS

Senate Judiciary Committee (Chmn Biden, D-DeI) will hold a hearing on the issue of judicial nominees who belong to private clubs that discriminate.

9:30am SD-226 Dirksen Bldg June 7

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CALLER ID

Technology and the Law Subcommittee (Chmn Leahy, D-Vt) of Senate Judiciary Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (S 2030) to require phone companies offering "caller ID," a technology that allows a call recipient to see the phone number of origin of each incoming call, to provide "blocking" technology, which would allow a caller to prevent his phone number from being identified.

Witnesses scheduled: Bonnie Guiton - special adviser to the President for consumer affairs; Janiort Goldman - rep, American Civil Liberties Union; AT&T, Central Telephone Co, New England Telephone, New Jersey Bell & Pacific Telesis reps TBA

JUDICIARY NOMINATIONS

Senate Judiciary Committee (Chmn Biden, D-DeI) will hold a hearing on pending nominations.

10am SD-226 Dirksen Bldg June 8

Agenda: TBA

COURT-ORDERED TAXATION

Constitution Subcommittee (Chmn Simon, D-III) of Senate Judiciary Committee will hold a hearing on a resolution (S J Res 295) proposing a constitutional amendment that would prevent courts from ordering states and localities to impose or increase taxes. The resolution is in response to the recent Supreme Court ruling in *Missouri v. Jenkins* that upheld a district judge's order to force the municipal government of Kansas City to raise property taxes to help finance a school-desegregation plan.

10am SD-226 Dirksen Bldg June 19

SPORTS LOTTERIES

Patents, Copyrights and Trademarks Subcommittee (Chmn DeConcini, D-Ariz) of Senate Judiciary Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (S 1772) to prohibit states and local governments from establishing lotteries on professional sports contests.

2pm SD-226 Dirksen Bldg June 26

Rules &

Administration

224-6352

RULES LEGISLATION

Full Committee Markup
Senate Rules and Administration Committee (Chmn Ford, D-Ky) will meet to consider pending draft legislation.

9:30am SR-301 Russell Bldg June 13

Agenda:

Draft legislation - Authorize funds for fiscal 1991 for the Federal Election Commission
Draft legislation - Provide for the management of Senate official mail
Draft legislation - Authorize the purchase of 1991 calendars for the use of the Senate

Veterans' Affairs

224-9126

VETERANS' DISABILITY PROGRAMS

Senate Veterans' Affairs Committee (Chmn Cranston, D-Calif) will hold a hearing

VETERANS' COMPENSATION, HOUSING AND EDUCATION

on prosthetics and special disabilities programs.

9:30am SR-418 Russell Bldg June 7

Senate Veterans' Affairs Committee (Chmn Cranston, D-Calif) will hold hearings on pending legislation.

9:30am 334 Cannon Bldg June 14

Agenda:
S 2100 - Increase the rates of compensation for veterans with service-connected disabilities and the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation for the survivors of certain disabled veterans; improve veterans' compensation, health-care, insurance, and housing programs; and provide for transitional group residences for veterans recovering from substance-abuse disabilities

S 1860 - Require the secretary of Veterans Affairs to furnish outpatient medical services for any disability of a former prisoner of war
S 2455 - Provide for recovery by the US of the cost of medical care and services furnished for a non-service-connected disability
S 2456 - Extend expiring laws authorizing the Department of Veterans Affairs to contract for outpatient dental care

S 2701 - Help the secretary of Veterans Affairs increase in pay and other measures
S 2532 - Authorize the secretary of Veterans Affairs to enter into enhanced-use agreements with respect to designated VA facilities and to direct the disposal of such designated facilities by special disposition
S 2542 - Establish a program to provide postsecondary educational assistance to students in health professions who are eligible for educational assistance under the Reserve GI Bill Program in return for agreement for subsequent service with the Veterans Affairs Department

S 2557 - Redesignate the chief medical director of the Department of Veterans Affairs as the under secretary of Veterans Affairs for health services and research and to redesignate the chief benefits director of that department as the under secretary of Veterans Affairs for benefits

S - Revise compensation payments to physicians and dentists

VA NOMINATIONS

Senate Veterans' Affairs Committee (Chmn Cranston, D-Calif) will hold a confirmation hearing on pending nominations.

9:30am SR-418 Russell Bldg June 15

Agenda:
Donald Ivers - assoc judge, Court of Veterans Appeals
Jonathan Steinberg - assoc judge, Court of Veterans Appeals

VA NOMINATIONS

Senate Veterans' Affairs Committee (Chmn Cranston, D-Calif) will hold a confirmation hearing on pending nominations.

9:30am SR-418 Russell Bldg June 19

Agenda:
James Holstinger Jr - to be chief medical dir, Veterans Affairs Dept
Stephen Trodden - to be inspector gen, Veterans Affairs Dept

VETERANS' AFFAIRS MARKUP

Senate Veterans' Affairs Committee (Chmn Cranston, D-Calif) will mark up pending legislation.

9:30am SR-418 Russell Bldg June 28

■ Revised listing

House Committees Future Listings

Aging

OLDER AMERICANS ACT OVERSIGHT Field Hearing

Human Services Subcommittee (Chmn Downey, D-NY) of House Select Aging Committee will hold an oversight field hearing on implementation of the Older Americans Act, focusing on provisions dealing with health education for the elderly.

9:30am Rochester, NY **June 11**

MEDICARE AND MEDICAID REVIEW

House Select Aging Committee (Chmn Roybal, D-Calif) will hold a hearing to commemorate the 25th anniversary of the Medicare and Medicaid programs and to review the accomplishments and shortcomings of each.

9am 345 Cannon Bldg **July 31**

Agriculture

225-2171

1990 FARM BILL Full Committee Markup

House Agriculture Committee (Chmn de la Garza, D-Texas) will continue to mark up the 1990 farm bill (HR 3950 - Food and Agricultural Resources Act of 1990). HR 3950 will serve as a vehicle for the panel's deliberations on reauthorization of farm programs.

9:30am 1300 Longworth Bldg **June 12 & addl dates**

★ FEDERAL CROP INSURANCE

Conservation, Credit and Rural Development Subcommittee (Chmn English, D-Okla) of House Agriculture Committee will mark up draft legislation on federal crop insurance.

10am 1300 Longworth Bldg **June 13**

LAND EXCHANGES

Forests, Family Farms and Energy Subcommittee (Chmn Volkmer, D-Mo) of House Agriculture Committee will hold a hearing on land exchange legislation.

9:30am 1302 Longworth Bldg **June 13**

Agenda:

HR 2419 - A bill to authorize the secretary of Agriculture to exchange certain property in the Chattahoochee National Forest for the construction of facilities in the national forest

HR 807/S 319 - A bill to effect an exchange of lands between the U.S. Forest Service and the Salt Lake City Corp within the state of Utah

ANIMAL FACILITY PROTECTION ACT

Hearing and Markup

Department Operations, Research and Foreign Agriculture Subcommittee (Chmn Brown, D-Calif) of House Agriculture Committee will hold a hearing on and mark up legislation (HR 3270 - Farm Animal and Research Facilities Protection Act) to make it a federal offense to damage animal research and production facilities.

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9:30am 1302 Longworth Bldg **June 14**

Note: This hearing and markup was originally scheduled for May 15.

ORGANIC CERTIFICATION

Joint Hearing

Domestic Marketing, Consumer Relations and Nutrition Subcommittee (Chmn Hatcher, D-Ga) and Department Operations, Research and Foreign Agriculture Subcommittee (Chmn Brown, D-Calif) of House Agriculture Committee will hold a joint hearing to examine a proposal to certify food that has been organically grown.

9am 1300 Longworth Bldg **June 19**

Armed Services

225-4151

SPECIAL ACCESS PROGRAMS

Joint Hearing

Procurement and Military Nuclear Systems Subcommittee (Chmn Aspin, D-Wis) and Research and Development Subcommittee (Chmn Dellums, D-Calif) of House Armed Services Committee will continue joint hearings on the fiscal 1991 defense authorization request, focusing on special access programs, commonly known as black budget programs. Such programs cover secret activities whose funding is camouflaged or otherwise hidden within the defense budget request.

10am S-407 Capitol Bldg **June 7**

Note: This hearing was originally scheduled for May 16.

Banking, Finance & Urban Affairs

225-4247

HOUSING BILL MARKUP

House Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs Committee (Chmn Gonzalez, D-Texas) will continue marking up legislation (HR 1180) to amend and extend certain laws relating to housing, community and neighborhood development and preservation and related programs.

2:30pm 2128 Rayburn Bldg **June 6**

10am 2128 Rayburn Bldg **June 7 & addl dates**

FAIR CREDIT REPORTING ACT

Consumer Affairs and Coinage Subcommittee (Chmn Lehman, D-Calif) of House Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 3740, HR 4122 & HR 4213) to revise the Fair Credit Reporting Act.

10am 2128 Rayburn Bldg **June 12**

Witnesses scheduled: Rep Rinaldo, D-NJ

PANEL: Bonnie Guiton - special advisor to the president on consumer affairs; Barry Cutler - dir, Bureau of Consumer Protection, Fed Trade Commn

PANEL: Janlori Goldman - staff atty, American Civil Liberties Union; Ed Mierzwinski - con-

sumer lobbyist, U.S. PIRG; Elgie Holstein - dir, Bankcard Holders of America; Michelle Meier - Consumers Union

PANEL: Alan Heuer - Consumer Bankers Assn and American Bankers Assn; William Bloom - Natl Retail Merchants Fedn; Kenneth Moer - American Financial Services Assn

PANEL: Walter Kurth - pres, Associated Credit Bureaus; John Baker - Equifax, Inc; Edward Barbiari - TRW Credit Data; Oscar Marquis - Trans Union Corp

THRIFT BAILOUT OVERSIGHT

House Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs Committee (Chmn Gonzalez, D-Texas) will hold a hearing to receive the semiannual report of Oversight Board of the Resolution Trust Corporation (RTC). The hearing will focus on the government's efforts to close insolvent thrifts and restructure the industry.

10am 2128 Rayburn Bldg **June 14**

Witnesses scheduled: Nicholas Brady - secy of the Treasury; Jack Kemp - secy of Housing & Urban Development; Robert Larson - mbr, RTC Oversight Bd; William Taylor - acting pres, RTC Oversight Bd; Peter Monroe - incoming pres, RTC Oversight Bd

★ SILVERADO SAVINGS & LOAN

House Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs Committee (Chmn Gonzalez, D-Texas) will continue hearings on the failure of Denver-based Silverado Banking, Savings and Loan.

10am 2128 Rayburn Bldg **June 19**

Witnesses scheduled:

PANEL: Kemit Mowbray - former pres, Fed Home Loan Bank of Topeka; Tommie Thompson - former district dir, Office of Thrift Supervision, Topeka

PANEL: Michael Wise - former chmn, Silverado; Richard Vandepool - former vchmn and chief operating officer, Silverado; Robert Lewis - former vchmn and chief financial officer; M. James Metz - former dir and majority shareholder, Silverado; Florian Barth - former dir, Silverado

PANEL: Kenneth Good - pres, Good Internatl; Spencer Browne - pres, MDC Holdings; John Sullivan - CEO, SDC Land Partners; William Walters - pres, W.P. Development

★ TEXAS ECONOMY Field Hearings

House Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs Committee (Chmn Gonzalez, D-Texas) will hold field hearings on the state of the Texas economy.

9:30am Univ of Houston, Houston, Texas **June 22**

9:30am Univ of Texas, Austin, Texas **June 23**

District of Columbia

225-4457

D.C. FEMALE OFFENDERS

Judiciary and Education Subcommittee (Chmn Dymally, D-Calif) of House District of Columbia Committee will hold a hearing on the status and impact of the procedures for treatment of female D.C. Code offenders.

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House continued.10am 1310A Longworth Bldg **June 12**

Witnesses scheduled (tentative): Mayor Barry, D-DC; Gladys Mack - chair, DC Parole Bd; Walter Ridley - dir, DC Dept of Corrections; Wilhelmina Rolark - chair, DC Council Cmte on the Judiciary

Education & Labor

TESTING IN EDUCATION**225-4527**

Elementary, Secondary and Vocational Education Subcommittee (Chmn Hawkins, D-Calif) of House Education and Labor Committee will hold a hearing on testing in education.

9:30am 2175 Rayburn Bldg **June 7**

Witnesses scheduled: Eva Baker - Ctr for the Study of Evaluation, Los Angeles, Calif; Walter Faithorn - Friends of Education, Chevy Chase, Md; George Madaus - exec dir, Natl Commn on Testing & Public Policy, Chestnut Hill, Mass; reps of Natl Commn on Testing & Public Policy and American Assn of Publishers

CONSTRUCTION SAFETY

Health and Safety Subcommittee (Chmn Gaydos, D-Pa) of House Education and Labor Committee will continue hearings on legislation (HR 4652) to improve inspections, investigation, reporting and recordkeeping in the construction industry; to require certain construction contractors to establish construction safety and health programs and to appoint construction safety specialists.

Time and room TBA **June 12****PROTECTION FOR STRIKING WORKERS**

Labor-Management Relations Subcommittee (Chmn Clay, D-Mo) of House Education and Labor Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 3936) to amend the National Labor Relations Act to prevent discrimination based on participation in labor disputes.

Time & room TBA **June 13****NATL ENDOWMENT FOR THE ARTS REAUTHORIZATION****Subcommittee Markup**

Postsecondary Education Subcommittee (Chmn Williams, D-Mont) of House Education and Labor Committee will mark up legislation (HR 4825) to reauthorize the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities.

Time & room TBA **June 13****NUCLEAR FACILITIES SAFETY**

Health and Safety Subcommittee (Chmn Gaydos, D-Pa) of House Education and Labor Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 3521) to improve and enforce standards for employee health and safety at Energy Department nuclear facilities.

Time & room TBA **June 14****EMPLOYMENT SERVICES**

Employment Opportunities Subcommittee (Chmn Martinez, D-Calif) of House Education

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and Labor Committee will hold a hearing to review the U.S. Employment Services Department.

Time & room TBA **June 19****ERISA ENFORCEMENT**

Labor-Management Relations Subcommittee (Chmn Clay, D-Mo) of House Education and Labor Committee will hold a hearing on the enforcement of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act (ERISA) of 1975.

Time & room TBA **June 19****FOREIGN SHIPS & U.S. LABOR LAWS Subcommittee Markup**

Labor-Management Relations Subcommittee (Chmn Clay, D-Mo) of House Education and Labor Committee will mark up legislation (HR 3283) to extend the coverage of certain federal labor laws to ships of foreign registry.

Time & room TBA **June 20****NUCLEAR & CONSTRUCTION WORKPLACE HEALTH & SAFETY Subcommittee Markup**

Health and Safety Subcommittee (Chmn Gaydos, D-Pa) of House Education and Labor Committee will mark up pending legislation.

Time & room TBA **June 21****Agenda:**

HR 4652 - Revise inspections, investigation, reporting and recordkeeping in the construction industry; require certain construction contractors to establish construction safety and health programs and appoint construction safety specialists

HR 3521 - Revise and enforce standards for employee health and safety at Energy Department nuclear facilities

WHISTLEBLOWER PROTECTION

Health and Safety Subcommittee (Chmn Gaydos, D-Pa) of House Education and Labor Committee will hold hearings on legislation (HR 3368) to strengthen the protections against reprisals available to employees who disclose information to protect public health and safety.

Time & room TBA **June 27 & 28****DISPLACED HOMEMAKERS MARKUP**

Employment Opportunities Subcommittee (Chmn Martinez, D-Calif) of House Education and Labor Committee will mark up legislation (HR 3069 - Displaced Homemakers Employment & Family Self Sufficiency Act) to establish an employment training program for displaced homemakers.

Time & room TBA **Date TBA****OSHA REVIEW**

Health and Safety Subcommittee (Chmn Gaydos, D-Pa) of House Education and Labor Committee will hold a hearing on the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA).

Time & room TBA **date TBA**

Note: This hearing has not been rescheduled.

Energy & Commerce

225-2927**MEDIGAP INSURANCE Joint Hearing**

Commerce, Consumer Protection and Competitiveness Subcommittee (Chmn Walgren, D-Pa) and Health and the Environment Subcommittee (Chmn Waxman, D-Calif) of House Energy and Commerce Committee will hold a joint hearing on legislation (HR 4840) to improve "Medigap" insurance.

9:30am 2123 Rayburn Bldg **June 7****PETROLEUM MARKETING PRACTICES**

Energy and Power Subcommittee (Chmn Sharp, D-Ind) of House Energy and Commerce Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 830) to amend the Petroleum Marketing Practices Act.

10am 2322 Rayburn Bldg **June 7****MINORITIES' HEALTH NEEDS**

Health and the Environment Subcommittee (Chmn Waxman, D-Calif) of House Energy and Commerce Committee will hold a hearing on the health status and needs of minorities in the 1990s.

9:30am 2322 Rayburn Bldg **June 8****MEDICAL DEVICES IMPROVEMENTS & REGULATION**

Health and the Environment Subcommittee (Chmn Waxman, D-Calif) of House Energy and Commerce Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 3095) to make improvements in the regulation of medical devices.

9:45am Room TBA **June 11****TOURISM GROWTH**

Transportation and Hazardous Materials Subcommittee (Chmn Luken, D-Ohio) of House Energy and Commerce Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 4369, S 1791) to assist in the growth of international travel and tourism in the United States.

9:30am Room TBA **June 13****OCTANE LABELING**

Energy and Power Subcommittee (Chmn Sharp, D-Ind) of House Energy and Commerce Committee will hold a hearing on mislabeling of octane levels.

10am Room TBA **June 20****ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES HEALTH WARNINGS**

Transportation and Hazardous Materials Subcommittee (Chmn Luken, D-Ohio) of House Energy and Commerce Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 4493) to require health warnings to be included in alcoholic beverage advertisements.

9:30am Room TBA **June 26****LAWRENCE LIVERMORE LAB**

Oversight and Investigations Subcommittee (Chmn Dingell, D-Mich) of House Energy

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and Commerce Committee will hold a hearing on the adequacy of controls to protect government property and other interests at the Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory.

Time & Room TBA Date TBA

ADDITIONAL FREQUENCIES Subcommittee Markup

Telecommunications and Finance Subcommittee (Chmn Markey, D-Mass) of House Energy and Commerce Committee will mark up legislation (HR 2965), the Emergency Telecommunications Technologies Act.

Time & Room TBA Date TBA

STATE ENERGY CONSERVATION PROGRAMS MARKUP House Energy and Commerce Committee

Energy and Power Subcommittee (Chmn Sharp, D-Ind) will mark up legislation (HR 711) to amend the Energy Policy and Conservation Act to increase the efficiency and effectiveness of state energy conservation programs.

Time & Room TBA Date TBA

PESTICIDE RESIDUES IN FOOD Subcommittee Markup

Health and the Environment Subcommittee (Chmn Waxman, D-Calif) of House Energy and Commerce Committee will mark up legislation (HR 1725 - Food Safety Amendments) to regulate pesticide chemical residues in food.

Time & room TBA date TBA

Foreign Affairs

225-5021

REFUGEES IN ASIA

Asian and Pacific Affairs Subcommittee (Chmn Solarz, D-NY) of House Foreign Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on refugees in Asia.

Time & room TBA Date TBA

Witnesses scheduled: Princeton Lyman - dir, bureau for refugee prgms, State Dept; David Lambertson - dpty asst secy of State for East Asian & Pacific affs; Lionel Rosenblatt - exec dir, Refugees Internatl; Dawn Calabria - assoc dir, Ofc of Migration & Refugee Services, US Catholic Conference; Court Robinson - policy analyst, US Cmte for Refugees

Note: This hearing was originally scheduled for May 22.

DEMOCRATIC REFORMS & SOVIET HUMAN RIGHTS

Human Rights and International Organizations Subcommittee (Chmn Yatron, D-Pa) of House Foreign Affairs Committee will continue hearings on the pace of democratic reforms and status of human rights in the Soviet Union.

Time & room TBA Date TBA

Witnesses scheduled: Rep. Smith, D-Fla; Sen DeConcini, D-Ariz; Richard Schifter - asst secy of State for human rights and humanitarian affs; European & Canadian affs burea rep TBA

Note: This hearing was originally scheduled for May 22.

★ New listing

Government Operations

225-5051

GOVT SURPLUS PROPERTY

Government Activities and Transportation Subcommittee (Chmn Collins, D-Ill) of House Government Operations Committee will hold a hearing on the General Services Administration's donable property program, under which the federal government may allocate surplus supplies to states.

9:30am 2203 Rayburn Bldg June 7

CHILDREN & THE WORKPLACE

Employment and Housing Subcommittee (Chmn Lantos, D-Calif) of House Government Operations Committee will hold a hearing on workplace safety issues affecting children.

9:30am 2247 Rayburn Bldg June 8

Witnesses scheduled: Joseph Curley - father of child killed in work-related accident; Claude & Jackie Hucorne - parents of child killed in work-related accident; Barry Gibbons - ceo, Burger King Inc; David Black - pres, Domino's Pizza; Michael Illitich - ceo, Little Caesar's Inc; Stanley Stein - sr vpres, McDonald's; William Brooks - asst secy for employment standards, Dept of Labor

D.C. HOMELESS PROGRAMS

Human Resources and Intergovernmental Relations Subcommittee (Chmn Weiss, D-NY) of House Government Operations Committee will hold a hearing on mismanagement in programs for the homeless in Washington, D.C.

9:30am 2247 Rayburn Bldg June 12

Witnesses scheduled: Otis Troupe - city auditor, Washington, DC; Cornelius Pitts, Tony Russo, Ann Ryan, Roy Littlejohn, Earnest Green & James Griffin - homeless shelter providers, Washington, DC; Carol Thompson - city adminr, Washington, DC

House Administration

225-2061

LIBRARIES & MEMORIALS BILLS**Subcommittee Markup**

Libraries and Memorials Subcommittee (Chmn Clay, D-Mo) of House Committee on House Administration will mark up pending legislation.

1:30pm H-328 Capitol Bldg June 7

Agenda:

HR 3687 - Authorize the Colonial Dames at Gunston Hall to establish a memorial to George Mason in DC

H J Res 183 - Recognize Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Md

HR 4919 - Provide for additional membership on Library of Congress Trust Fund Board

Intelligence

225-4121

DEFECTORS

House Intelligence Committee (Chmn Belenson, D-Calif) will hold a closed hearing on defectors.

9am H-405 Capitol Bldg closed June 7

Interior & Insular Affairs

225-2761

NATIONAL PARKS LAND EXCHANGE

National Parks and Public Lands Subcommittee (Chmn Vento, D-Minn) of House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on pending legislation.

10am 1324 Longworth Bldg June 7

Agenda:

HR 4429 - Disclaim all right, title and interest of the United States in and to certain public lands

HR 4295 - Greens Creek Exchange Act

HR 3843 - Authorize a land exchange in South Dakota and Colorado

HR 4567 - Authorize a land exchange in South Dakota and Colorado

ADIRONDACK PARK OPEN SPACE**Field Hearing**

General Oversight and Investigations Subcommittee (Chmn Kostmayer, D-Pa) of House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee will hold a field hearing on open space issues in the Adirondack State Park.

9am Albany, NY June 8

PUERTO RICO SELF DETERMINATION Field Hearing

Insular and International Affairs Subcommittee (Chmn de Lugo, D-VI) of House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee will hold a field hearing on legislation (HR 4765 - Puerto Rico Self-Determination Act) that would provide for a referendum in Puerto Rico giving the residents a choice among four options - statehood, independence, enhanced commonwealth status or retaining the existing status, with the United States committed to abide by the result.

10am New York, NY June 8

NATIONAL PARKS PENDING LEGISLATION Subcommittee Markup

National Parks and Public Lands Subcommittee (Chmn Vento, D-Minn) of House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee will mark up pending legislation.

10am 1324 Longworth Bldg June 12 & 14

June 12:

HR 3863 - Provide for the study and designation of the Underground Historic Trail

HR 4501 - Provide for the acquisition of the William Johnson House and its addition to the Natchez National Historical Park

HR 4834 - Provide for a visitor center at Salem Maritime National Historic Site in Massachusetts

June 14:

HR 2127/S 830 - Establish the Blackstone River Valley National Heritage Corridor Commission, authorize the commission to take immediate action in furtherance of its purposes and increase the authorization for the commission

HR 3888 - Allow a certain parcel of land in Rockingham County, Va, to be used as a child-care center

HR 3617 - Transfer jurisdiction of certain public lands in Utah to the Forest Service

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INTERIOR CMTE MARKUP

House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee (Chmn Udall, D-Ariz) will mark up pending legislation.

9:45am 1324 Longworth Bldg **June 13, 20 & 27**

PETROLEUM RESERVES

LAND EXCHANGE

Field Hearing

Mining and Natural Resources Subcommittee (Chmn Rahall, D-WVa) of House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee will hold a field hearing on legislation (HR 245) to convey to California certain lands in a naval petroleum reserve and to provide that money received from a naval petroleum reserve shall be treated the same as money received from other public lands.

11am Santa Barbara, Calif, **June 16**

NATIONAL PARKS BILLS

National Parks and Public Lands Subcommittee (Chmn Vento, D-Minn) of House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on pending legislation.

1:30pm 1324 Longworth Bldg **June 18**

Agenda:

HR 3840 - Establish the Newberry Volcanoes National Monument in Oregon

HR 4914 - Exchange city-owned lands in Los Angeles with Bureau of Land Management lands in Nevada

PUERTO RICO

SELF-DETERMINATION

Insular and International Affairs Subcommittee (Chmn de Lugo, D-VI) of House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee will hold a field hearing on legislation (HR 4765 - Puerto Rico Self-Determination Act) that would provide for a referendum in Puerto Rico giving the residents a choice among four options - statehood, independence, enhanced commonwealth status or retaining the existing status, with the United States committed to abide by the result.

9:45am 1324 Longworth Bldg **June 19**

WATER & POWER BUSINESS

Water, Power and Offshore Energy Resources Subcommittee (Chmn Miller, D-Calif) of House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee will meet to consider pending business.

9am Room TBA **June 19 & 26**

NON-COAL MINING WASTES

Mining and Natural Resources Subcommittee (Chmn Rahall, D-WVa) of House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on the regulation of non-coal mining wastes.

9:45am Room TBA **June 19**

MID-DAKOTA RURAL WATER SYSTEM

Water, Power and Offshore Energy Resources Subcommittee (Chmn Miller, D-Calif) of House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 3174), the Mid-Dakota Rural Water System Act of 1989.

9:30am 1324 Longworth Bldg **June 21**

★ *New listing*

NATIONAL PARKS

National Parks and Public Lands Subcommittee (Chmn Vento, D-Minn) of House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on pending legislation.

9:30am 340 Cannon Bldg **June 21**

Agenda:

HR 4112 - Establish the Weir Farm National Historic Site in California

HR 2763 - Assess the suitability and feasibility of including the Weir Farm in the National Park System

HR 3683 - Authorize appropriations for the continued funding for operation and maintenance of the Bethune Museum and Archives

HR 3074 - Authorize the acquisition of additional lands containing Indian River Indian Villages National Historic Site in North Dakota and provide additional developmental funding for the historic site visitor center

S 1230 - Authorize the acquisition of additional lands containing Indian burial grounds for inclusion in Knife River Indian Villages National Historic Site, ND, and provide additional development funding for the historic site visitor center

INDIAN MENTAL HEALTH

Field Hearing

House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee (Chmn Udall, D-Ariz) will hold a field hearing on Indian mental health needs and on legislation (S 1270) to provide an Indian mental health demonstration program.

Time TBA Sioux Falls, SD **June 22**

PRESQUE ISLE PRESERVATION

Field Hearing

General Oversight and Investigations Subcommittee (Chmn Kostmayer, D-Pa) of House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee will hold a field hearing on protecting Presque Isle.

10am Erie, Pa., **June 22**

MOUNT GRAHAM RED SQUIRRELS

Joint Hearing

National Parks and Public Lands Subcommittee (Chmn Vento, D-Minn) of House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee and Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment Subcommittee (Chmn Studds, D-Mass) of House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee will hold a joint hearing on the preparation of the 1988 biological opinion regarding Mount Graham (Ariz.) Red Squirrels.

10am 1324 Longworth Bldg **June 26**

MERCURY MINING

General Oversight and Investigations Subcommittee (Chmn Kostmayer, D-Pa) of House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on market factors affecting the mercury mining industry.

9:30am 1324 Longworth Bldg **June 26**

COAL MINING

SUBSIDENCE ISSUES

Mining and Natural Resources Subcommittee (Chmn Rahall, D-WVa) of House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on issues relating to the effects of subsidence caused by active underground mining operations.

9:45am 1324 Longworth Bldg **June 28**

KLAMATH RIVER

SCENIC DESIGNATION

National Parks and Public Lands Subcommittee (Chmn Vento, D-Minn) of House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 4728) to designate a segment of the Klamath River in Oregon as a component of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System.

10am 1324 Longworth Bldg **June 28**

WATER SUBSIDIES

Water, Power and Offshore Energy Resources Subcommittee (Chmn Miller, D-Calif) of House Interior Committee will hold a hearing on a General Accounting Office report entitled "Water Subsidies: Basic Changes Needed to Avoid Abuse of the 960-Acre Limit."

Time & Room TBA Date TBA

CALIFORNIA DROUGHT

Field Hearing

Water, Power and Offshore Energy Resources Subcommittee (Chmn Miller, D-Calif) of House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on the drought in California.

Time TBA San Francisco Date TBA

Merchant Marine & Fisheries

225-4047

COAST GUARD

NEW COMMANDANT

Coast Guard and Navigation Subcommittee (Chmn Tauzin, D-La) of House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee will hold a hearing to introduce J. William Kime, who became the new commandant of the Coast Guard on June 1.

2pm 1334 Longworth Bldg **June 7**

MARINE SANCTUARIES

Oversight and Investigations Subcommittee (Chmn Foglietta, D-Pa) of House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee will hold a hearing on the National Marine Sanctuary Program.

9:30am 1334 Longworth Bldg **June 7**

LONG ISLAND SOUND ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

Field Hearing

Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment Subcommittee (Chmn Studds, D-Mass) of House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee will hold a field hearing on the environmental integrity of the Long Island Sound.

10am Rye, NY **June 11**

MARINE BILLS

Subcommittee Markup

Oceanography and Great Lakes Subcommittee (Chmn Hertel, D-Mich) and Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment Subcommittee (Chmn Studds, D-

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Mass) of House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee will mark up pending legislation.

11am 1334 Longworth Bldg **June 13**

Agenda:

HR 2840 - Coastal Barrier Improvement Act of 1989

HR 3719 - to establish the Florida Keys National Marine Sanctuary

PIPELINE SAFETY

Subcommittee Markup

Coast Guard and Navigation Subcommittee (Chmn Tauzin, D-La) of House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee will mark up pipeline draft safety legislation (HR -)

10am 1334 Longworth Bldg **June 14**

ZEBRA MUSSELS

Oceanography and Great Lakes Subcommittee (Chmn Hertel, D-Mich) of House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee will hold a hearing on zebra mussels.

2pm 1334 Longworth Bldg **June 14**

DELAWARE RIVER PORTS

Field Hearing

Oversight and Investigations Subcommittee (Chmn Foglietta, D-Pa) of House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee will hold a field hearing on the governance and management of Delaware River ports.

Time TBA Philadelphia, Pa **Date TBA**

SHIPBUILDING TECHNOLOGY

Joint Hearing

Oversight and Investigations Subcommittee (Chmn Foglietta, D-Pa) and Merchant Marine Subcommittee (Chmn Jones, D-NC) of House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee will hold a joint hearing on the state of U.S. and foreign shipbuilding technology.

Time & room TBA **date TBA**

MOUNT GRAHAM RED SQUIRRELS

Joint Hearing

National Parks and Public Lands Subcommittee (Chmn Vento, D-Minn) of House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee and Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment Subcommittee (Chmn Studds, D-Mass) of House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee will hold a joint hearing on the preparation of the 1988 biological opinion regarding Mount Graham (Ariz.) Red Squirrels.

10am 1324 Longworth Bldg **June 26**

Post Office & Civil Service

225-4054

FED EMPLOYEES & CONTRACTING OUT Subcommittee Markup

Human Resources Subcommittee (Chmn Kanjorski, D-Pa) of House Post Office and

★ *New listing*

Civil Service Committee will mark up legislation (HR 4049) to establish procedures necessary to protect federal employees from certain adverse personnel actions that may result by the contracting out of agency functions or activities

10am 304 Cannon Bldg **June 7**

LOCAL POSTAL BILLS

Postal Operations and Services Subcommittee (Chmn McCloskey, D-Ind) of House Post Office and Civil Service Committee will hold a hearing on pending legislation to grant local governments certain powers over postal practices within their jurisdictions.

1pm 311 Cannon Bldg **June 7**

Agenda:

HR 2902 - Grant local governments the discretion to assign mailing addresses to sites within their jurisdiction

HR 2380 - Provide that ZIP code boundaries may be redrawn so that they do not cross the boundaries of any unit of general local government

HR 4827 - Provide a means by which any municipality may elect to have its name included in all mailing addresses within its boundaries

POST OFFICE CMTE BUSINESS

Full Committee Markup

House Post Office and Civil Service Committee (Chmn Ford, D-Mich) will meet to consider pending business.

9:45am 311 Cannon Bldg **June 13**

Agenda: TBA

Public Works & Transportation

225-4472

ADDL CHICAGO AIRPORT

Field Hearing

Aviation Subcommittee (Chmn Oberstar, D-Minn) of House Public Works and Transportation Committee will hold a field hearing to review potential sites for a third Chicago-area airport.

6:30pm Calumet City, Ill **June 11**

FAA SAFETY ENFORCEMENT/RECERTIFICATION PRGMS

Investigations and Oversight Subcommittee (Chmn Anderson, D-Calif) of House Public Works and Transportation Committee will hold hearings on the Federal Aviation Administration's safety enforcement programs and the recertification of carriers that have had operating certificates revoked.

10am 2167 Rayburn Bldg **June 12 & 13**

Rules

225-9486

RULES FOR FLOOR DEBATE

House Rules Committee (Chmn Moakley, D-Mass) will meet to consider a rule for floor debate for pending legislation.

11am H-313 Capitol Bldg **June 6**

10:30am H-313 Capitol Bldg **June 7**

May 24

Agenda:

June 6:

H Res — - Provide for Special Budget Procedures for fiscal 1991 Congressional Budget Process

HR 4785 - Establish a program of grants to provide preventive health services with respect to AIDS

June 7:

HR 2567 - Authorize addl approps for the construction of the Buffalo Bill Dam and Reservoir, Shoshone Project, Pick-Sloan Missouri Basin Prgm, Wyo

Science, Space & Technology

225-6371

SCIENCE & TECHNICAL EDUCATION

Science, Research and Technology Subcommittee (Chmn Valentine, D-NC) of House Science, Space and Technology Committee will hold a hearing on science and technical education issues.

10am 2318 Rayburn Bldg **June 7**

HIGH-SPEED RAIL

MAGNETIC TECHNOLOGY

Transportation, Aviation and Materials Subcommittee (Chmn Torricelli, D-NJ) of House Science, Space and Technology Committee will hold a hearing on magnetic levitation technology.

10:30am 2325 Rayburn Bldg **June 7**

FAA TRAINING PROGRAMS

Transportation, Aviation and Materials Subcommittee (Chmn Torricelli, D-NJ) of House Science, Space and Technology Committee will hold a hearing on the Federal Aviation Administration's training programs.

9:30am 2325 Rayburn Bldg **June 14**

CRITICAL MATERIALS COUNCIL

Transportation, Aviation and Materials Subcommittee (Chmn Torricelli, D-NJ) of House Science, Space and Technology Committee will hold an oversight hearing on the National Critical Materials Council.

2pm 2325 Rayburn Bldg **June 26**

TILT-ROTOR TECHNOLOGY

Transportation, Aviation and Materials Subcommittee (Chmn Torricelli, D-NJ) of House Science, Space and Technology Committee will hold a hearing on tilt-rotor technology.

9:30am 2325 Rayburn Bldg **June 28**

COMPUTER SECURITY

Transportation, Aviation and Materials Subcommittee (Chmn Torricelli, D-NJ) of House Science, Space and Technology Committee will hold an oversight hearing on the Computer Act of 1987.

1:30pm 2318 Rayburn Bldg **July 10**

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House continued...**Small Business**

225-5821

SUPERFUND/LENDER LIABILITY

House Small Business Committee (Chmn LaFalce, D-NY) will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 4494) to limit the liability of lending institutions acquiring facilities near hazardous-waste sites through foreclosure or similar means.

10am 2359A Rayburn Bldg **June 7**

Witnesses scheduled: Lee Schroeder - pres, First Natl Bank, Ind; John Johnson - pres, Miners' Bank of Butte, Mont; James O'Brien - legal expert; William Bitner - pres, NY State Bankers Assn

★ MEDICAL BOARDS OVERSIGHT

Regulation, Business Opportunities and Energy Subcommittee (Chmn Wyden, D-Ore) of House Small Business Committee will hold a hearing to receive the results of the Health and Human Resources Department study on how effective medical boards have been in monitoring the quality of health care.

10am 2359A Rayburn Bldg **June 8**

will hold a hearing on health insurance options such as expanding coverage under Medicare and other public health insurance programs. The hearing will focus on options for coverage developed by state governments, options developed by the Office of Personnel Management for the Federal Employees Health Benefits Program and expansion of the Medicare program to groups other than the elderly and disabled.

10am B-318 Rayburn Bldg **June 12**

ERISA ENFORCEMENT

Oversight Subcommittee (Chmn Pickle, D-Texas) of House Ways and Means Committee will hold a hearing on the enforcement and administration of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974.

9:30am 1100 Longworth Bldg **June 12 & 13**

9:30am B-318 Rayburn Bldg **June 14**

INDEPENDENCE OF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGES

Social Security Subcommittee (Chmn Jacobs, D-Ind) of House Ways and Means Committee will hold a hearing on means of assuring the judicial independence of the

administrative law judges who preside over hearings arising out of Social Security appeals.

10am B-318 Rayburn Bldg **June 13**

U.S.-MEXICO RELATIONS

Trade Subcommittee (Chmn Gibbons, D-Fla) of House Ways and Means Committee will hold a hearing on economic relations between the United States and Mexico.

9:30am 1100 Longworth Bldg **June 14**

★ U.S.-CHINA TRADE

Trade Subcommittee (Chmn Gibbons, D-Fla) of House Ways and Means Committee will hold a hearing on U.S.-China trade relations, including the question of most-favored-nation (MFN) status for China.

9:30am 1100 Longworth Bldg **June 19**

Note

The offices of all members of Congress and all congressional committees and subcommittees may be reached by calling (202) 224-3121.

Veterans' Affairs

225-3527

THIRD PARTY REIMBURSEMENT

Hospitals and Health Care Subcommittee (Chmn Montgomery, D-Miss) of House Veterans' Affairs Committee will hold a hearing to review third party reimbursement of medical expenses.

Time & room TBA **June 20**

VA LEGISLATION**Full Committee Markup**

House Veterans' Affairs Committee (Chmn Montgomery, D-Miss) will mark up pending legislation.

Time & room TBA **June 27**

VA LEGISLATION MARKUP**Compensation Subcommittee**

Compensation, Pension and Insurance Subcommittee (Chmn Applegate, D-Ohio) of House Veterans' Affairs Committee will mark up legislation (HR 4418) to revise the rates of disability compensation for veterans with service-connected disabilities and the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation for survivors of such veterans, to make certain improvements in veterans' compensation and pension programs.

Time & room TBA date TBA

Note: This markup has not been rescheduled.

Ways & Means

225-3625

EXPANDING PUBLIC HEALTH INSURANCE OPTIONS

Health Subcommittee (Chmn Stark, D-Calif) of House Ways and Means Committee

★ New listing

FY90 FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATION

Conferees will meet on legislation (S 2364) to authorize supplemental economic assistance to support democracy in Panama, Nicaragua, and sub-Saharan Africa, and for other purposes.

Time & room TBA date TBA

House conferees: Fancell, Hamilton, Yatron, Solarz, Wolpe, Broomfield, Gilman, Lagomarsino
Senate conferees: TBA

S 2364 reported by Senate Foreign Relations Committee March 29, 1990

S 2363 passed Senate April 5, 1990

S 2364 passed House, amended, May 24, 1990

House insisted on its amendment, requested a conference and named conferees May 24, 1990

AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

Conferees will meet on legislation (S 933) to establish a clear and comprehensive prohibition of discrimination on the basis of disability.

Time & room TBA date TBA

House conferees:

From the Education and Labor Committee for the consideration of the Senate bill, and the House amendment and modifications committed to conference: Hawkins, Owens of New York, Martinez, Bartlett and Fawell

From the Energy and Commerce Committee for consideration of the Senate bill, and the House amendment and modifications committed to conference: Dingell, Markey, Thomas A. Luken, Lent, Whittaker: except that, for consideration of title IV of the Senate bill, and title IV of the House amendment, Rinaldo is appointed in lieu of Whittaker

From the Public Works and Transportation Committee, for consideration of the Senate bill, and the House amendment and modifications com-

mitted to conference: Anderson, Rose, Mineta, Hammerschmidt, Shuster

From the Judiciary Committee for consideration of the Senate bill, and the House amendment and modifications committed to conference: Brooks, Edwards of Calif, Kastenmeier, Fish and Sensenbrenner

As additional conferee for consideration of the Senate bill, and the House amendment and modifications committed to conference: Hoyer

As an additional conferee for consideration of section 103(d) of the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Chapman

Senate conferees: TBA

S 933 reported by Senate Labor and Human Resources Committee Aug 30, 1989 (S Rpt 101-116)

S 933 passed Senate Sept 7, 1989
HR 2273 reported by House Public Works and Transportation Committee May 14, 1990 (H Rpt 101-485 pt I)

HR 2273 reported by House Education and Labor Committee May 15, 1990 (H Rpt 101-485 pt II)

HR 2273 reported by House Judiciary Committee May 15, 1990 (H Rpt 101-485 pt III)

HR 2273 reported by House Energy and Commerce Committee May 15, 1990 (H Rpt 101-485 pt IV)

S 933 passed House May 22, 1990 (House amended S 933 to contain text of HR 2273)

House insisted on its amendment, requested a conference and named conferees May 24, 1990

CLEAN AIR

Conferees will meet on legislation (S 1630) to amend the Clean Air Act to provide for attainment and maintenance of health protective national ambient air quality standards.

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Conference Committees

Conference continued...

Time & room TBA date TBA

S 1630 reported by Senate Environment and Public Works Committee Dec 20, 1989 (S Rpt 101-228)

S 1630 passed Senate April 3, 1990

HR 3030 reported by House Energy and Commerce Committee May 17, 1990 (H Rpt 101-490, pt I)

HR 3030 reported by House Ways and Means Committee May 21, 1990 (H Rpt 101-490, pt II)

HR 3030 reported by House Public Works Committee May 21, 1990 (H Rpt 101-490, pt III)

S 1630 passed House May 23, 1990 (House amended S 1630 to contain text of HR 3030 as amended by the House)

House insisted on its amendments and requested a conference May 23, 1990

CHEMICAL WEAPONS

Conferees will meet on legislation (HR 3033) to control the export to countries pursuing or expanding the ability to produce or deliver chemical or biological weapons of items that would assist such countries in acquiring such ability, to impose sanctions against companies that have aided in the proliferation of chemical or biological weapons and to provide for sanctions against countries that use or prepare to use chemical or biological weapons in violation of international law

Time & room TBA date TBA

Senate conferees: TBA

House conferees: TBA

HR 3033 reported by House Foreign Affairs Committee Nov 7, 1989 (H Rpt 101-334 pt I)

HR 3033 reported by House Ways & Means Committee Nov 8, 1989 (H Rpt 101-334, pt II)

HR 3033 passed House Nov 13, 1989

S 195 reported by Senate Foreign Relations Oct 17, 1989 (S Rpt 101-166)

HR 3033 passed Senate May 17, 1990 (Senate amended HR 3033 to contain text of S 195)

Senate insisted on its amendments and requested a conference May 17, 1990

HATCH ACT REVISION

Conferees will meet on legislation (HR 20) to revise the Hatch Act.

Time & room TBA date TBA

Senate conferees: Glenn, Levin, Pryor, Kohl, Lieberman, Roth, Stevens & Rudman

House conferees: TBA

HR 20 reported by House Post Office and Civil Service Committee April 13, 1989 (H Rpt 101-27)

HR 20 passed House April 17, 1989

S 135 reported by Senate Governmental Affairs Committee Oct 17, 1989 (S Rpt 101-165)

S 135 passed Senate May 10, 1990 (Senate amended HR 20 to contain text of S 135)

Senate insisted on its amendments, requested a conference and named conferees May 10, 1990

TRADE ISSUES

Conferees will meet on legislation (HR 1594) to revise and extend the Caribbean Basin Initiative and extend most-favored-nation status to Hungary.

★ *New listing*

Time & room TBA date TBA

House conferees:

From the Ways & Means Committee, for consideration of the House amendment to the Senate amendment, and the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Rostenkowski, Gibbons, Jenkins, Downey, Pease, Russo, Guarini, Archer, Vander Jagt, Crane & Frenzel
As additional conferees, solely for the consideration of Title II of the House amendment to the Senate amendment, and for Title II of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Pickle & Schulze

From the Agriculture Committee, for consideration of Titles VI and VII of the Senate amendment, and the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: de la Garza, Volkmer, Brown of Calif, Olin, Stallings, Morrison of Wash, Bob Smith & Herger

From the Interior Committee, for consideration of Titles VI and VII of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Udall, Vento, Williams, DeFazio, McDermott, Young of Alaska, Craig & Denny Smith

From the Foreign Affairs Committee, for consideration of Titles VI and VII of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Fascell, Wolpe, Gejdenson, Kostmayer, Feighan, Broomfield, Roth & Miller of Wash

Senate conferees: Bentsen, Moynihan, Baucus, Packwood, Dole

HR 1594 reported by House Ways and Means Committee June 21, 1989 (H Rpt 101-99)

HR 1594 passed House June 27, 1989

HR 1594 reported by Senate Finance Committee March 22, 1990

HR 1594 passed Senate, amended, April 24, 1990

House agreed to Senate amendment with an amendment, insisted on its amendment and requested a conference May 9, 1990

Senate agreed to a conference and named conferees May 14, 1990

CHILD CARE

Conferees will meet on legislation to extend Head Start programs and programs under Elementary and Secondary Education Act to include child-care services (HR 3)

2pm 2175 Rayburn Bldg June 7

Senate conferees:

From the Labor and Human Resources Committee: Kennedy, Dodd, Pell, Harkin, Adams, Mikulski, Hatch, Kassebaum, Jeffords & Coats

From the Finance Committee: Bentsen, Moynihan, Baucus, Mitchell, Packwood, Dole & Roth

House conferees:

From the Education & Labor Committee, for consideration of the House bill (except Titles III and VI), and the Senate amendment (except Titles II and III), and modifications committed to conference: Hawkins, Ford of Mich, Clay, Miller of Calif, Kildee, Williams, Martinez, Owens of NY, Hayes of Ill, Perkins, Sawyer, Payne of NJ, Lowey of NY, Unsoeld, Washington, Jontz, Goodling, Petri, Gunderson, Bartlett, Tauke, Henry, Grandy, Ballenger & Fawell

From the Ways & Means Committee, for consideration of Titles III and VI of the House bill and Title II of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Rostenkowski, Downey, Ford of Tenn, Pease, Matsui, Kennelly, Andrews, Archer, Vander Jagt, Crane & Shaw

From the Ways & Means Committee, for consideration of Title I (except section 125) of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Rostenkowski, Downey & Archer

From the Ways & Means Committee, for consideration of Title III of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Rostenkowski, Jacobs, & Brown of Colo

From the Energy & Commerce Committee, for consideration of section 124 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference:

ence: Dingell, Walgren & Lent

HR 3 reported by House Education and Labor Committee July 27, 1989 (H Rpt 101-190, pt I)

HR 3 reported by House Ways and Means Committee Sept 12, 1989 (H Rpt 101-190, pt II)

HR 3 passed House March 29, 1990

S 5 reported by Senate Labor and Human Resources Committee April 12, 1989

S 5 passed Senate June 23, 1989

HR 3 passed Senate April 24, 1990 (Senate amended HR 3 to contain text of S 5)

Senate insisted on its amendment, requested a conference and named conferees April 24, 1990

House agreed to a conference and named conferees May 9, 1990

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Conferees will meet on legislation to reauthorize vocational education programs (HR 7).

Time & room TBA date TBA

Senate conferees: Kennedy, Pell, Metzenbaum, Dodd, Simon, Mikulski, Hatch, Kassebaum, Cochran, Jeffords, Thurmond

House conferees: Hawkins, Ford of Mich, Miller of Calif, Kildee, Williams, Martinez, Perkins, Hayes of Ill, Sawyer, Owens of NY, Payne of NJ, Lowey of NY, Poshard, Unsoeld, Rahall, Goodling, Fawell, Grandy, Smith of Vt, Bartlett, Gunderson, Petri, Roukema, Coleman of Mo

HR 7 reported by House Education and Labor Committee April 28, 1989 (H Rpt 101-41)

HR 7 passed House May 9, 1989

S 1109 reported by Senate Labor and Human Resources Committee Nov 21, 1989 (S Rpt 101-221)

HR 7 passed Senate April 5, 1990 (Senate amended HR 7 to contain text of S 1109)

Senate insisted on its amendments, requested a conference and named conferees April 5, 1990

House agreed to a conference and named conferees May 9, 1990

NASA AUTHORIZATION

Conferees will meet on legislation to reauthorize the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) (HR 3729).

Time & room TBA date TBA

House conferees: Roe, Nelson of Fla, Valentine, Brown of Calif, Lloyd, Glickman, Volkmer, Mineta, Torricelli, Nagle, Walker, Slausenbrenner, Lewis of Fla, Buechner, Packard, Slaughter of Va & Rohrabacher

Senate conferees: TBA

HR 3729 passed House Nov 20, 1989

HR 3729 passed Senate, amended, Nov 22, 1989

House disagreed to the Senate amendment, requested a conference and named conferees Feb 28, 1990

OIL-SPILL COMPENSATION

Conferees will meet on legislation (HR 1465) to establish limits on liability for damages resulting from oil pollution and to establish a fund to pay compensation for such damages.

Time & room TBA addl dates TBA

Senate conferees: From Environment and Public Works Committee: Burdick, Moynihan, Mitchell, Baucus, Lautenberg, Breaux, Chafee, Durenberger, Warner, Jeffords, Humphrey

■ *Revised listing*

Conference continued...

From Commerce, Science and Transportation Committee: Hollings, Inouye, Kerry, Breaux, Danforth, Packwood, Stevens

House conferees:

From the Merchant Marine Committee, for consideration of the House bill (except Title VIII), and the Senate amendment (except sections 601 and 602), and modifications committed to conference: Jones of NC, Studds, Tauzin, Carper, Hughes, Davis, Young of Alaska, Lent (Shumway is appointed in place of Young of Alaska for consideration of Title I and section 2004 of the House bill and Title I and section 405 of the Senate amendment. From the Public Works Committee, for consideration of the House bill (except Title VIII), and the Senate amendment (except sections 601 and 602), and modifications committed to conference: Anderson, Roe, Mineta, Oberstar, Nowak, Hammerschmidt, Shuster, Stangeland (Kolter is appointed in place of Anderson for consideration of section 4114 of the House bill; Rahall is appointed in place of Roe for consideration of Title VII of the House bill, and sections 205, 309, 354, and 356 of the Senate amendment; Laughlin is appointed in place of Roe for consideration of sections 1002 and 1004 of the House bill, and corresponding sections of section 102 of the Senate amendment; Borski is represented in place of Roe for consideration of sections 4101 through 4205 of the House bill, and corresponding portions of the Senate amendment; and, Upton is appointed in place of Shuster for consideration of section 4203 of the House bill and section 203 of the Senate amendment.

From the Foreign Affairs Committee, for consideration of sections 603 and 604 of the House bill, and sections 603 and 604 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Fascell, Yatron, Owens of Utah, Lantos, Feighan, Broomfield, Bereuter, Miller of Wash

From the Science & Technology Committee, for consideration of Title VII of the House bill, and sections 205, 309, 354, 356, and 506 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Scheuer, Brown of Calif, Lloyd, Walgren, Walker, Schneider, Morrison of Wash

From the Interior Committee, for consideration of Title I and section 2004 of the House bill, and Title I and section 405 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Udall, Miller of Calif, Sharp, Young of Alaska, Craig

From the Interior Committee, for consideration of Title VIII and section 2004 of the House bill, and sections 601 and 602 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Udall, Miller of Calif, Sharp, Vento, DeFazio, Young of Alaska, Marlenee, Craig

From the Energy & Commerce Committee, for consideration of sections 8103, 8201, and 8202 of the House bill, and section 601 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Dingell, Hall of Texas, Lent.

From the Merchant Marine Committee, for consideration of Title VIII of the House bill and sections 601 and 602 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Jones of NC, Tauzin, Carper, Davis, Fields

From the Public Works Committee, for consideration of Title VIII of the House bill, and sections 601 and 602 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Anderson, Mineta, Nowak, Hammerschmidt, Stangeland

HR 1465 reported by House Public Works Committee Sept 18, 1989 (H Rpt 101-242, pt I)

HR 1465 reported by House Merchant Marine Committee Sept 18, 1989 (H Rpt 101-242, pt II)

HR 1465 reported by House Science Committee Sept 20, 1989 (H Rpt 101-242, pt III)

Supplemental report filed by House Public Works Committee Oct 3, 1989 (H Rpt 101-242,

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Supplemental report filed by House Merchant Marine Committee Oct 4, 1989 (H Rpt 101-242, pt V)

HR 1465 passed House, amended, Nov 9, 1989

S 686 reported by Senate Environment Committee July 28, 1989 (S Rpt 101-94)

S 686 passed Senate Aug 4, 1989

HR 1465 passed Senate Nov 19, 1989 (Senate amended HR 1465 to contain text of S 686 as passed earlier)

Senate insisted on its amendments and requested a conference Nov 19, 1989

House agreed to a conference Feb 7, 1990

DRUG PROGRAMS AUTHORIZATION

Conferees will meet on legislation (S 1735/HR 3630, HR 3550) to authorize drug control programs.

Time & room TBA date TBA

Senate conferees: Kennedy, Dodd, Pell, Hollings, Inouye, Biden, Sarbanes, Hatch, Coats, Danforth,

Wilson, Helms, Gramm

House conferees:

For HR 3630: Dingell, Waxman, Scheuer, Lent, Madigan

For HR 3550 from the Judiciary Committee: Hughes, Mazzoli, Feighan, McCollum, Gekas

For HR 3550 for the Energy & Commerce Committee: Dingell, Waxman, Lent

S 1735 passed Senate Oct 5, 1989

HR 3614, HR 3630, HR 3550, HR 3611 passed House Nov 13, 1989

By unanimous consent the Senate agreed that when the House bills were received by the Senate, all after the enacting clause was stricken, the text of S 1735 was substituted, the bills were deemed as passed and the Senate insisted on its amendments and requested a conference.

HR 3614 and HR 3611 passed the House and Senate Nov 21, 1989

HR 3611 signed by the president Dec 13, 1989 (PL 101-231)

HR 3614 signed by the president Dec 12, 1989 (PL 101-226)

HR 3630 and HR 3550 remain in conference

Other Events

The *Monitor* has received notice of the following events scheduled to take place in Washington. Associations, non-profit organizations and public interest groups who wish to have events listed in the section should send pertinent information to: The Congressional Monitor, Other Events Editor, 1414 22nd St. N.W., Washington, D.C. 20037. Notices must include a telephone number. Notices may be transmitted by facsimile to 728-1862, attn: Robert Healy. Only events related to Congress can be listed. Deadline is Noon. For further information call (202) 887-8686.

EMPLOYEE BENEFITS

Manufacturers' Alliance for Productivity and Innovation will sponsor a conference on "New Trends in Employee Benefits."

Crystal City Marriott Hotel, Arlington, Va
June 7 & 8

Contact: Mary Louise Shaffer or Frank Holman at 331-8430

ICBM & ARMS CONTROL

Institute for Foreign Policy Analysis will sponsor a series of breakfast meetings for members of Congress and congressional staff working on defense-related issues. The sessions will focus on various aspects of ICBM modernization and arms control.

8am to 9am Capitol Hill Club **June 7 & addl date TBA**

Contact: Peter Huessy at 463-7942

Agenda:

June 7: The Twin Races to Disarm and Negotiate: What Path Toward Prudence and Enhanced Strategic Stability? - Sen Nunn, D-Ga

Date TBA: The Emerging Strategic Framework - Rep Aspin, D-Wis

RTC UPDATE

Women in Housing and Finance will hold a luncheon meeting to hear from William Taylor,

acting director of the Resolution Trust Corporation (RTC) Oversight Board.

12:30pm, Hotel Washington, 515 15th St NW
June 7

Contact: Jeanne Broyhill at 789-4750 (information only, for reservations see below)

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$24 for members and \$29 for non-members. For reservations call 639-4999.

ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY

Environmental and Energy Study Institute will hold a series of three workshops on environmentally sustainable development in the United States. Environmentally sustainable development is defined by the World Commission on Environment and Development as "development that meets the needs of the present without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their own needs."

9am to noon, SD-138 Dirksen Bldg **June 8, 15 & 22**

Contact: 628-1400

Agenda:

June 8: Local and State Initiatives

June 15: Sustainable Transportation

June 22: Sustainable Housing

★ WORLD RESOURCES 1990-91

World Resources Institute in cooperation with International Environment and Development Study Seminar of the Environmental and Energy Study Conference will sponsor a lunchtime briefing on *World Resources 1990-91*, the fourth in a series of books on worldwide environmental and natural resources conditions and trends.

Noon to 1pm, EF-100 Capitol Bldg **June 8**

Contact: Dan Riedinger at 226-3300

LONG-TERM HEALTH CARE

American Health Care Association will hold a conference to discuss long-term health-care issues.

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Other continued...

8:30am to Noon Hyatt Regency Capitol Hill
June 11, 12 & 13

Contact: Norma Blankenship at 898-2836

Agenda (partial):

June 12:

Keynote speaker - Gail Wilensky, adminr, Health Care Financing Admin
Legislative update - Paul Willing
Effective lobbying seminar - David Rehr, Natl Fedn of Indpt Businesses

June 13:

Keynote speaker - Sen Packwood, R-Ore; Rep Stark, D-Calif
Panel on long-term care - Joseph Califano, former HEW secy; Judith Feder, Mary Harper, Margo Vignola; George Will (moderator)

Note: There is a \$250 charge for this event.

HUMAN RESOURCE ISSUES

National Association of Manufacturers will sponsor a conference on human resources legislation currently pending in Congress, including child care, civil and disability rights, pension issues and parental leave.

Ramada Renaissance Techworld 999 Ninth St NW **June 11 & 12**

Contact: Monica Gliva at 637-3126

Agenda:

June 11:

3pm: Registration

7pm: Congressional reception (2168 Rayburn Bldg)

June 12:

8:50am: OPENING ADDRESS:

Rep Ford, D-Mich

8:45am: PANEL:

Disability & Civil Rights Legislation: Current Concerns vs. Future Workforce Demands

9:45am: PANEL:

Health System Reform Gathering Steam

10:55am: POLICY CMTE BREAKOUTS:

Employee Benefits

Employee Relations

Risk Management

12:30pm: LUNCH

2:30pm: Business-Congressional Dialogue on Human Resource Issues (B-318 Rayburn Bldg)
Congress's Pension Agenda and Worker Retirement Security

Congress's Labor Agenda: Civil Rights, Disability Legislation, Parental Leave, OSHA Reform

4:45pm: SUMMARY

UNDERSTANDING CONGRESS

Congressional Quarterly will sponsor a seminar on "Understanding Congress."

8:30am to 1pm, Quality Hotel Capitol Hill, 415 New Jersey Ave NW **June 12**

Note: There is a charge of \$195 for this event. For information and registration call Irene Cuffy at 887-8620.

BREAST CANCER PREVENTION

Women and Health Roundtable will sponsor a meeting to hear Rep Okar, D-Ohio, discuss legislation (HR 3864) to provide for coverage of annual screening mammography under part B of the Medicare Program.

Noon to 1:30pm B-340 Rayburn Bldg **June 12**

Contact: 953-4215

Note: There is a \$7 charge for this event. Reservations are required, call 953-4215.

A DAY AT THE WHITE HOUSE

Regional Reporters Association will sponsor a day at the White House, including briefings

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by senior staff and the president.

9am to 1pm, the White House **June 13**

Contact: Alan Schlein at 544-5893

Participants: John Sununu - chief of staff; Richard Darman - dir, OMB; Roger Porter - domestic policy adviser; Marlin Fitzwater - press secy
Following the briefings there will be a one-hour meeting with President Bush

Note: This event is open only to regional reporters who are members of the association.

ARMS REDUCTION & U.S. SECURITY

American Association for the Advancement of Science Program on Science, Arms Control and National Security will hold a seminar on the Strategic Arms Reduction Treaty (START) and U.S. security.

10am to noon, SD-G50 Dirksen Bldg **June 13**

Contact: Raymond Orkwis at 326-6490

Participants: Alton Frye - Wash dir, Council on Foreign Relations (moderator); Brent Scowcroft - asst to the pres for natl security affs (invited); Sidney Graybeal - chief scientist & dpty dir, Natl Ctr for Security Negotiations; Richard Garwin - IBM fellow, Thomas Watson Research Ctr; Lynn Davis - fellow, Johns Hopkins Foreign Policy Inst

Note: There will be a breakfast meeting for members of Congress only before the seminar at 8am.

RESEARCH WORKSHOP ON CONGRESS

Congressional Quarterly will sponsor a research workshop on Congress.

8:30am to 1pm, Congressional Quarterly, 1414 22nd St NW **June 13**

Note: There is a charge of \$195 for this event. For information and registration call Irene Cuffy at 887-8620.

AMERICAN BUSINESS & GLOBAL ENVIRONMENT

American Foreign Service Association will sponsor a conference on the global environment to discuss business and governmental collaboration on environmental issues.

State Dept (23rd St entrance) **June 14**

Contact: Brian Hennessey (202) 338-4045

Agenda (partial):

9am: AMERICAN STAKE IN ENVIRONMENTAL GLOBAL CONCERNS

Carl Sagan - scientist, Cornell Univ

9:30am: CHALLENGING CURRENT PRACTICES: THREE CASE STUDIES

Panel A: Stratospheric Ozone and CFCs

Panel B: The Tropical Forest

Panel C: Spill Prevention & Management

10:30am: TECHNOLOGY AND GOVERNANCE

Panel A: Global Warming: Can Energy Efficiency and Conservation Save Our Bacon?

Panel B: Economics of the Environment: Can Adam Smith Save Mother Nature?

Panel C: Eastern Europe: How Can American Business and Government Help Clean Up?

11:20am: Plenary & Summary

1pm: LUNCHEON ADDRESS

Legislative Incentives to Environmental Consciousness, Sen Wirth, D-Colo

ENVIRONMENTAL LIABILITY

Women in Government Relations will sponsor a discussion on insurance of environmental liability. Legislative alternatives that may be included in a revision of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act will be discussed.

8:30am to 10am, Bell Communications, 2101 L St NW **June 15**

Contact: Ann Hadley vom Eigen at 861-6977

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$15 for members and \$25 for non-members.

OPENING CONSTRUCTION MARKET IN JAPAN

Asian Studies Center of the Heritage Foundation will sponsor a policy forum on the barriers facing American construction firms in their efforts to gain access to the Japanese market and the current state of negotiations between the United States and Japan on the subject.

9:30am to noon, Lehrman Aud of the Heritage Foundation, 214 Mass Ave NE **June 19**

Contact: Daniell Doane at 546-4400 ext 381

Participants: Sen Murkowski, R-Alaska - keynote

PANEL: Roger Brooks - dir, Asian Studies Ctr;

Franco Eleuteri - dir, Asia Operations, The Austin Co;

Yasumasa Nagamine - first secy, Embassy of Japan;

Hajime Sako - chmn, Japanese Fedn of Construction Contractors;

Maureen Smith - dpty asst secy of Commerce for Japan;

Donn Smith - vpres, Morrison-Knudsen Internatl

CONGRESS & LEGISLATIVE PROCESS

Congressional Quarterly will sponsor a seminar on "Congress and the Legislative Process."

8:30am to 4pm, Washington Marriott Hotel, 1221 22nd St NW **June 20**

Note: There is a charge of \$275 for this event (includes lunch). For information and registration call Irene Cuffy at 887-8620.

★ ENERGY ISSUES

Women in Government Relations will sponsor a luncheon meeting to hear Deputy Secretary of Energy W. Henson Moore discuss energy policy issues.

Noon to 2pm, Loews L'Enfant Plaza Hotel, 480 L'Enfant Plaza SW **June 20**

Contact: Donna Harmon at 785-9888

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$30 for members and \$45 for non-members. For reservations send a check, made payable to WGR, to: Women in Government Relations

1325 Massachusetts Ave NW, Suite 510

Washington, DC 20005

Deadline for reservations is June 15

FEDERAL REGULATORY PROCESS

Congressional Quarterly will sponsor a seminar on the federal regulatory process.

8:30am to 4pm, Washington Marriott Hotel, 1221 22nd St NW **June 21**

Note: There is a charge of \$295 for this event (includes lunch). For information and registration call Irene Cuffy at 887-8620.

★ THE SHAPE OF POLITICS

Younger Lawyers Division of the District of Columbia Chapter and the Capitol Hill Chapter of the Federal Bar Association will hold a luncheon meeting to hear *Washington Post* columnist Haynes Johnson discuss "The Shape of Politics."

Noon, Library of Congress, Madison Bldg, Montpelier Room, 6th floor **June 26**

Contact: Kristin Bell at 638-0252

Note: There is \$17 charge for this event.

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Status of Appropriations

Week of June 4

FULL COMMITTEE

House 225-2771; Senate 224-3471

FY90 SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS

Bill No:	HR 4404
House Full Cmte reported:	March 27 (HRpt 101-434)
Senate cmte reported	April 24 (SRpt 101-272)
Passed House:	April 3
Passed Senate:	May 1
Conferees appointed in House:	May 4
Conferees appointed in Senate:	May 1
Conf rpt filed:	May 23 (HRpt101-493)
Conf rpt adopted by House:	May 24
Conf rpt adopted by Senate:	May 24
Signed by the president:	May 25 (PL 101-302)

AGRICULTURE

House: 225-2638; Senate: 224-7240

House subcmte hearings completed: March 30
Senate subcmte hearings completed: April 4

COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE, & THE JUDICIARY

House: 225-3351; Senate: 224-7277

House subcmte hearings completed: April 3
Senate subcmte hearings completed: May 2

DEFENSE

House: 225-2847; Senate: 224-7255

House subcmte hearings completed: May 8
Senate subcmte hearings scheduled: June 7

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

House: 225-5338; Senate: 224-7236

ENERGY & WATER DEVELOPMENT

House: 225-3421; Senate: 224-7260

House subcmte hearings completed: April 4
Senate subcmte hearings completed: May 3

FOREIGN OPERATIONS

House: 225-2041; Senate: 224-7209

House subcmte hearings completed: April 4

INTERIOR

House: 225-3081; Senate: 224-7233

Senate subcmte hearings scheduled: June 6

LABOR/HHS/EDUC

House: 225-3508; Senate: 224-7283

House subcmte hearings completed: May 1
Senate subcmte hearings completed: March 29

LEGISLATIVE BRANCH

House: 225-5338; Senate: 224-7338

House subcmte hearings completed: Feb 8
Senate subcmte hearings completed: April 6

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

House: 225-3047; Senate: 224-7255

House subcmte hearings completed: March 29
Senate subcmte hearings completed: April 2

TRANSPORTATION

House: 225-2141; Senate: 224-7245

House subcmte hearings completed: April 26
Senate subcmte hearings completed: May 16

TREASURY/POSTAL SERVICE

House: 225-5834; Senate: 224-6280

House subcmte hearings completed: April 4

VA, HUD & INDEPENDENT AGENCIES

House: 225-3241; Senate: 224-7211

House subcmte hearings completed: May 3

House Floor Action

Week of June 4

Monday, June 4:

Not in session

Tuesday, June 5:

Under suspension of the rules:

- HR 4611 Reduce antitrust liability of companies that enter into joint ventures to produce goods aimed at boosting the nation's economic competitiveness passed by voice
- HR 1620 Establish a commn to study the problems and issues involved in the appointment and tenure — including discipline and removal — of article III judges passed by voice
- HR 2690 Permit artists to sue buyers who intentionally destroy or significantly distorted their works passed by voice
- HR 3406 Provide for fed jurisdiction of certain multiparty, multiforum civil actions passed by voice
- HR 4148 Authorize the secy of the Interior to acquire certain rights for the settlement of Indian rights claims in the state of Ariz passed by voice
- HR 1454 Require institutions of higher education receiving fed financial assistance to provide certain information with respect to the graduation rates of student-athletes at such institutions *Short title: Student-Athlete Right-to-Know Act* passed by voice
- S 1999 Amend the Higher Education Act to clarify the administrative procedures of the Natl Commn on Responsibilities for Financing Postsecondary Education passed by voice
- HR 4283 Authorize expenditures for fiscal year 1991 for the operation and maintenance of the Panama Canal passed by voice
- HR 3657 Provide additional authorities to the Securities and Exchange Commission to prevent disruptions to the nation's securities markets passed by voice

HR 2372

Provide jurisdiction and procedures for claims for compassionate payments for injuries due to exposure to radiation from nuclear testing passed by voice

H J Res 520

Grant consent of Congress to amendments to the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Regulation Compact passed by voice

HR 3897

Reauthorize the Administrative Conference of the US for fiscal years 1991, 1992, 1993 and 1994 passed by voice

HR 4757

Provide permanent authority for the US Supreme Court Police passed by voice

HR 2497

Authorize and encourage fed agencies to use mediation, conciliation, arbitration and other techniques for the prompt and informal resolution of disputes passed by voice

HR 4314

Implement the Inter-American Convention on International Commercial Arbitration passed by voice

Wednesday, June 6:

Convenes at 10am

HR 4653

Reauthorize the Export Administration Act of 1979 begin consideration

Thursday, June 7:

Convenes at 10am

H Res —

Provide for Special Budget Procedures for fiscal 1991 Congressional Budget Process begin consideration

HR 2364

Reauthorize Natl Railroad Passenger (Amtrak) begin consideration of veto message

HR 4785

Establish a program of grants to provide preventive health services with respect to AIDS begin consideration (debate may be postponed until week of June 11)

Friday, June 8:

Not in session

Senate Floor Action

Week of June 4

Monday, June 4:

Not in session

Tuesday, June 5:

- S 1970 Omnibus crime legislation continued consideration
- Motion to invoke cloture failed 54-37, a second cloture vote is scheduled for Thursday.
- HR 987 Tongass Timber Reform Act began consideration of motion to proceed (a unanimous consent agreement was reached on HR 987 that

calls for consideration of the bill to begin no earlier than Tuesday, June 12.)

Wednesday, June 6:

Convenes at noon

S 933

Americans with Disabilities Act begin consideration of motion to appoint conferees

S 341

Air Travel Rights for Blind Individuals Act begin consideration

Thursday, June 7:

S 1970

Omnibus crime legislation continue consideration (a second vote on cloture is scheduled for today)

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Subseries:
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Record Group: Bush Presidential Records

Office: Office of the President

Series: Daily Files

Subseries:

WHORM Cat.:

File Location: Wednesday, June 6, 1990

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THE PRESIDENT HAS SEEN

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM:

SHIRLEY GREEN *Shirley Green*

SUBJECT:

Mail Summary, May 24 through June 5, 1990

CORRESPONDENCE RECEIVED

Presidential	41,172	Year to Date	569,898
Staff	6,331	" " "	116,031
PERIOD TOTAL	47,503	YEAR TOTAL	685,929

TOP ISSUES OF THE WEEK

	<u>Pro</u>	<u>Con</u>	<u>Comments</u>	<u>Cum. Totals (Pro/Con/Comm)</u>
Urges U.S. Support for Independent Republic of Lithuania	302	31	18	6027/449/18
Child Care Legislation	320	745	0	6132/10,733/35
Funding for the National Endowment for the Arts	221	367	0	758/3985/14
Concern for the Environment	0	0	719	0/0/2071
Tax Increase for Deficit Reduction	95	1485	30	151/2083/48

PROPAGANDA MAIL

PERIOD TOTAL: 6513
 Major Issue: Pro Co-Sponsor S416 Cola Equity for Military Retirees
 Volume: 1125

Also received 6 boxes of petitions (approx. 62,088) Con: Taxes on Social Security and Medicare

CORRESPONDENCE PROCESSED

Presidential (Period Total) 47,892
 Year to Date 570,134

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

MAY 29, 1990

THROUGH: SHIRLEY M. GREEN
SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT
FOR CORRESPONDENCE

THE PRESIDENT HAS SEEN

FROM: DIAN MOORE *DM*
DIRECTOR OF PRESIDENTIAL INQUIRIES

SUBJECT: BI-WEEKLY REPORT, MAY 16 - MAY 28

The Comments Office received a total of 7,795 calls from May 16 through May 28, making a total of 92,295 since January 20, 1990. 556 calls were requests for Presidential greetings; 179 calls were referred to other federal, state and local government offices; 249 were of a personal or nonsubstantive nature and 233 requested information which we were able to provide; 135 favorables for the President and 151 negatives, 38 favorables for Mrs. Bush. The major issues were:

	<u>PRO</u>	<u>CON</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
Gun Controls in Crime Bill	24	798	822
NEA Funding	323	391	714
NO New Taxes	642	36	678
UN Observers to Israel	127	548	675
Support for ADA	588	49	675
Support veto of HR3 (Childcare)	621	15	636
Aid for Israel	137	446	583
MFNS China	44	409	453
Rostenkowski Bill	14	323	337
Visa for Arafat	28	343	371
Policy on Lithuania/Baltic States	248	30	278
Support veto of Civil Rights Bill	147	37	184
Foreign Aid	34	107	141
Oil Drilling of Florida/California	6	131	137
Miscellaneous Issues			1,462

The Greetings Office received 15,122 pieces of incoming mail from May 16 thru May 28. During this period we addressed and mailed the following:

Birthdays	16,483	Retirement	33
Anniversaries	4,862	Graduation	2,077
100th Birthdays	434		
Eagle Scouts	709		
Joyous Occasion	23	Photographs	281
Girl Scouts	204	Miscellaneous	378
Marriage	896		
Birth	203	BBC-1	73
Religious	56	Illness	67
Condolence	30		
		<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>26,809</u>

Since January 20, 1990, the Greetings Office addressed and mailed 220,341 pieces of correspondence. During this period, our office assigned 91 volunteers to the First Lady's offices, and 187 volunteers to offices throughout Correspondence and the Visitors Office, and labeled and stuffed 2,807 volunteer cards for the National Service Office.

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

THROUGH:

ED ROGERS *ER*

DEPUTY ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT AND
EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT TO THE CHIEF OF STAFF

FROM:

DAVID CARNEY *DC*

SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT AND
DEPUTY DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF POLITICAL AFFAIRS

SUBJECT:

REACTIONS TO THE SUMMIT

The attached statements have been compiled from our key leadership throughout the country regarding the US/USSR summit.

In general, their comments were very favorable towards the President as well as their opinion of the press coverage.

Bush Presidential Library Photocopy

Bush Library Photocopy
George Bush Handwriting

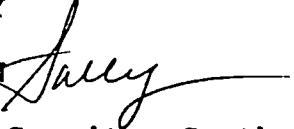
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MEMORANDUM FOR DAVID CARNEY

FROM:

SALLY SALMON 

SUBJECT:

Comments on Summit - Southern Region

Per your request, attached are responses of several key GOP leadership regarding the President's participation in the U.S. - Soviet Summit.

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Frank Visco
Chairman, California Republican Party
P.O. Box 2659
Lancaster, CA 93539

"I am absolutley elated with the progress The President is making in bringing the two nations together. It exemplifies the spirit of cooperation that the United States has with the nations of the world."

Bonnie Stephens
Bush/Quayle State Chairman
4945 Sommet Drive
Salt Lake City, Utah 84177

"Generally the summit was very healthy. The agreements on trade were wise. The President was warm and open to Mr. Gorbachev's position, but still realistic."

Marilyn F. Harrison
National Committeewoman for Hawaii
1190 Lunaai ST.
Kailua, HI 96734

"It has made our President look like the Man of the Decade. As an American, I would feel proud even if I wasn't involved with the Republican Party."

Barbara Campbell
Chairman, Montana Republican State Central Committee
471 Lake Hill Road
Deer Lodge, MT 59722

"President Bush showed strong leadership, proving that he is truly a man of the 90's."

Kay W. Riddle
National Committeewoman for Colorado
10744 Roseanna Drive
Northglenn, CO 80234

✓ "The summit was a great success. It clearly shows that The President is in charge of America and in charge of the rest of the world."

CONGRESSMAN RICHARD BAKER - LOUISIANA

404 Cannon Building
Washington, D.C. 20515
202/225-3901

"President Bush showed his leadership and control in dealing with Gorbachev. . .our President has given America a secure feeling about the world; specifically in areas of peace and economic opportunity. . .Americans today are proud."

STATE REPRESENTATIVE RON FULLER - LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

18 Corporate Hill
Suite 201
Little Rock, AR 72205
501/227-6611

"Very impressed. . .working relationship developing. . .nothing at all appeared adversarial as compared to in the past. . .meetings were never tense. . .there is a genuine concern among people that we need to help the Soviets. . .a fear that Gorbachev will not succeed without our help."

BOB GABLE - GOP CHAIRMAN FROM KENTUCKY

The Stearns Company
410 West Vine
Lexington, KY 40507
606/231-7878

"Nothing but positive. . .two very capable people dealing with different subjects in a sensible and warm manner. . .re-assuring to folks in field."

ALEC POITIVINT - GOP CHAIRMAN FROM GEORGIA

Box 506
Bainbridge, GA 31717
912/243-0170

"Upbeat. . .received many unsolicited positive comments. . . people want Gorbachev to stay in power. . .feeling he is important to what's happening. . .President's approach to move slowly in public but use a hard-sell with the Soviets behind the scene is good. . .foreign policy should not be conducted in the press. . .Mrs. Bush won for not trying to 'one-up' Mrs. Gorbachev. . .Mrs. Bush came out on top!"

Page Two

STATE SENATOR JIM SCOTT - FT. LAUDERDALE, FLORIDA

2000 E. Oakland Park Blvd.

Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33306

305/566-8600

"Very pleased to see that Summit was so successful in reaching agreements. . .it is very important that any disputes concerning Jews be resolved as to not delay exit visas for Soviet Jews."

JEAN SULLIVAN - GOP NATIONAL COMMITTEEWOMAN FROM ALABAMA

311 Cresthaven Court

Selma, AL 36701

205/872-1331

"Full of confidence in the President. . .rave reviews about the way Mrs. Bush behaved. . .George Bush can't do anything wrong, you know."

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MEMORANDUM FOR DAVID M. CARNEY
SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT AND
DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF POLITICAL AFFAIRS

FROM: BRUCE STEBBINS *BS*
ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR
OFFICE OF POLITICAL AFFAIRS

SUBJECT: USA/USSR SUMMIT REACTIONS

Brian Gaffney, Connecticut GBFP Chairman
36 Westwood Dr.
New Britain, CT 06052

Feels that the President did well at the summit. People are happy. The press coverage there was very good.

Marjorie Holt, Maryland GBFP Primary Campaign Chair
151 Boone Trail
Severna Park, MD

Some hard liners expressed concern about getting too friendly. She said that the press coverage was excellent, and she thinks we are fine.

Gary Bowne, Maine GBFP Chairman
123 Falmouth Road
Falmouth, ME 04104

Not much feedback. Somewhat ho-hum. No dramatic breakthroughs. Generally favorable. No criticism, but also not looked at as overly productive. As far as the press went, expectations had been downplayed from the beginning. Not much was set out to be accomplished, so all that was accomplished was reported upon favorably.

Joseph "Bo" Sullivan, NJ GBFP Chairman
Holland Road
Bedminster, NY 07921

We got over 80% approval rating. Early feedback from the Jewish community is great. Bush is seen as a "stand-up guy." They know he is taking heat for holding MFN up for immigration.

Elsie Vartanian, New Hampshire National Committeewoman
44 Brady Avenue
Salem, New Hampshire 03079

Sees the summit as a great success. The general perception was very positive. Especially with the conservatives. The Union Leader had questioned the Lithuanian matters, but over all top press coverage everyday. The original editorials were very positive.

Guy Molinari, Staten Island Borough President and New York GBFP
Chairman
3465 Amboy Road
Staten Island, NY 10306

Can not imagine anyone could have handled it better. Everyone is proud with the way it came across. Our President did not give the ship away. Good image of countries coming together. Good stuff. You swell up with pride.

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MEMORANDUM TO DAVID M. CARNEY
SPECIAL ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT AND
DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF POLITICAL AFFAIRS

FROM: ANDY FOSTER
ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF POLITICAL
AFFAIRS

SUBJECT: MIDWEST/TEXAS REACTIONS TO POTUS SUMMIT

Keith McNamara- Ohio Bush/Quayle Chairman

He has not heard any strong reactions. Overall he feels the view is that not too much got accomplished, but that it was still good to have. The press coverage was extensive, not a channel could be found with out coverage. Papers carried it as a lead story everyday, but no different opinions, it was mainly by wire service.

Penny Butler-Texas Republican National Committeewoman

Viewed it as favorable. The press coverage seemed good, there was a fair amount. There wasn't much talk among the "man on the street" as she saw it. Something that she noticed is that the foreign leaders often get more coverage than Bush. Especially in this case, Gorbachev seemed to receive the bulk of the media coverage.

Helen Bie-Wisconsin Republican National Committeewoman

Looked very well done. People felt easy about the visit. Looked good in Wisconsin press. They seemed to do a very good job welcoming Gorbachev. The press seemed very gracious. It seemed as though they stuck to the script.

Dwight L Adams- South Dakota Republican Party Chairman

Very successful event. Far and large seen as productive. There was obviously give and take, but those who follow closely appreciated how well the President handled the situation. Of course there were the stumbling blocks of Lithuania, NATO, and the reunification of Germany, but the President showed that it is

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in our best interest for Gorbachev to stay in power. The press was absolutely flooded, in light of the proximity of Minnesota. They represented both equally, as dual Heads of State, as opposed to only focusing on Gorbachev. President Bush is perceived to handle things extremely well. Gorbachev is in a difficult time, and Bush did not kick him while he was down, he worked with him.

~~confidential~~

Wednesday, June 6, 1990

Caron Jackson (travelling with JABIII)
called to add to his previous/elliptic message to you
and General Scowcroft.

JAB was not referring to Lithuania -- he was referring
to the MIDDLE EAST - dialogue with the PLO.

Patty Presock

~~confidential~~

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Pool Report 6-6 Bush meeting with Roh Tae Woo

Both sitting in wingback chairs in Oval Office with translators on either side. As your pool entered, President Roh apparently had made some reference to his meeting with Gorbachev and Bush said "I think it was very appropriate and I know he was looking forward to the meeting. When we're a little more alone, we can discuss details but I think it was a very important meeting."

Roh then said (through translator), "When I met President Gorbachev he also had a hectic day in San Francisco but he seemed quite happy. The meeting with you must have been very successful."

That's it.

cawley-chicago tribune

Bradset

Wednesday, June 6, 1990

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Per Peggy Swift:

1. Sunday, 5 p.m. (either in Rose Garden or Oval Office)
30 people in honor of Walker Bush christening.

Mrs. Bush will arrive at 5:15.

2. Mrs. Bush will arrive at Camp David Friday
early (she will not attend the Kohl dinner)

3. Peggy is working w/ Joe Hagin to have the
Sunday Salinas dinner changed to 7 p.m.
latest block shows it at 6:30 p.m.

Patty

David S. Broder

Mikhail and Michael

SPRINGFIELD, Mass.—It is doubtful that in the excitement of the summit meetings President Bush paid much notice to what happened here last weekend. But the collapse of Massachusetts Gov. Michael Dukakis' political dynasty, dramatized by the events at the state Democratic convention, illustrates the risks Bush is taking in tying his most vital foreign policy decisions to the personal fate of Soviet President Mikhail Gorbachev.

Two years ago, the man every Massachusetts pol calls "Michael" dominated politics there as completely as Gorbachev then controlled the Kremlin. Last weekend, his lieutenant governor, Evelyn Murphy, lost the convention endorsement for governor to former attorney general Francis X. Bellotti, largely because the delegates thought she was too closely tied to Dukakis to be able to win in November.

To underline the message, the delegates gave enough votes to Boston University president (on leave) John H. Silber to qualify him to meet Bellotti and Murphy in the September primary. Silber is a conservative

Democrat who has proudly proclaimed that he voted for Bush against Dukakis.

What turned the tables was the slide of the New England economy—which left Dukakis struggling with huge budget deficits and demanding tax increases, as voters' concerns about making mortgage payments and meeting the other bills increased.

Suddenly, the liberal programs that had been all the rage in the days of the "Massachusetts Miracle" became anathema to his own supporters who would not carry. A convention dominated by teachers, public employees, politicians and issue activists rejected the legacy and political heir of the man who had governed Massachusetts longer than anyone else in its history and who had led the Democrats' quest for the White House less than two years ago.

In terms of personality, as Sen. Lloyd Bentsen (D-Texas) might say, Michael Dukakis is no Mikhail Gorbachev. But he is like Gorbachev, a man who completely dominated a one-party state and pushed relentlessly for programmatic and process reforms.

And when the economy unraveled under him, the people and the politicians turned and savaged him.

Bush has chosen to ignore the possibility that a similar fate could be unfolding for his favorite negotiating partner. Throughout the Washington and Camp David meetings, the American president labored to make Gorbachev look good at home—repeatedly rejecting the idea that the tailspin in the Soviet economy altered the terms of the discussions.

That has been Bush's attitude toward Gorbachev from the start. Five years ago last March, when he met Gorbachev for the first time at the funeral of Konstantin Chernenko, then Vice President, Bush said, "If there ever was a time when we could move forward with progress in the last few years, I'd say that this is a good time for that."

In his first meeting as president with the Soviet leader, last December at Malta, Bush reassured him, "You are dealing with an administration that wants to see the success of what you are doing."

And last week, at the Washington summit, Bush once again underlined his faith in Gorbachev, telling him that "I firmly believe, as you have said, that there is no turning back from the path you have chosen."

His investment in the Soviet leader now outstrips, in fervor and in significance, his personal and policy commitment to any of the leaders of the West. Bush has been generous in his acts of friendship to Thatcher and Kohl, to Mulroney and Kaifu and Mitterrand—but none of them has received the time, the attention and the flattery he has lavished on Gorbachev.

The evidence is lacking that Gorbachev, for his part, in any way sentimentalizes his relationship with Bush. The authors of the new book, "Gorbachev: Heretic in the Kremlin," Dusko Dozier and Louise Branson, formerly Moscow correspondents for The Washington Post and the Sunday Times of London, write that Gorbachev "trusted Bush no more than Bush trusted him. But he needed the American President's goodwill."

Speaking of the concessions Gorbachev has offered over the last five

years, they observe: "All these moves have been calculated. Gorbachev knew that the Kremlin's global position was weakened. He has been engaged in a rebuilding of Soviet society—and thus of Soviet power—and has been ready to pay the price to gain long-term goals. If successful, he expects a revival of Soviet power."

No one with an ounce of realism can object to a Soviet leader's setting that as his objective. But if Gorbachev is playing a game whose payoff will come after Bush has left the White House, it is essential that American policy have a goal more significant and more likely of accomplishment than merely keeping Gorbachev in power.

The spectacle in Springfield is a reminder—if one is needed—that ambitious goals and seeming popularity cannot survive an economic collapse. Boston and Worcester are a lot more prosperous than Moscow and Leningrad. If Bush wouldn't bet his domestic policy on Michael Dukakis, should he bet his foreign policy on Mikhail Gorbachev?

Mark Shields

The Neil Bush Case: Talk About Teflon!

Aneurin Bevan, the late British labor Party leader, did not try to conceal his contempt for what he judged to be his country's unaggressive press corps. Once, when asked about proposed measures that could raise the threat of press censorship, Bevan responded, "You don't need to muzzle sheep."

That same putdown could today be used to characterize the outrageously submissive deference shown by both opposition Democrats and most of the Washington press corps toward the First Family of President George Bush. Politically, Bush has been granted a nonstick coating that makes Ronald Reagan's vaunted Teflon look like Velcro by comparison.

Here are the facts: Neil Bush, 34, President and Mrs. Bush's third son, is under investigation for possible conflicts of interest as a director of the Silverado Savings and Loan of Denver, which one year after its own auditors found it insolvent and just weeks after the 1988 presidential election, was closed by federal authorities at a projected cost to American taxpayers of \$1 billion.

No one is blaming the younger Mr. Bush for the collapse of Silverado. But Neil Bush is being asked to explain a couple of truly unusual relationships he had with two Colorado businessmen, both of whom first invested in Neil Bush's own company and then later defaulted on millions of dollars of loans from Silverado.

Take Neil Bush's unorthodox relationship with developer Ken Good. In 1984, Good made a loan of \$100,000 to Neil Bush to invest in a high-risk venture. The terms were that Neil Bush did not have to repay the \$100,000 to Ken Good unless the investment was successful. That's right, this may have been the first completed loan in financial history in which the creditor defaulted.

In testimony before the House Banking Committee, Neil Bush was recently asked about this special relationship with Good. In a masterpiece of understatement, the president's son responded, "I know it sounds a little fishy, but I've heard this happen before."

William Raspberry

'He's a Racist'—the Easy Answer

The youngsters, all black collegians, were discussing the relative merits of historically black versus predominantly white colleges, but one of them said something that I think has wider implications than any of us recognized at the time.

"One of the big advantages of going to a black school is that you have four years of not hassling about race. I know it's not the real world, and sooner or later you have to deal with the race issue, but it's nice to have a lull in your life when you don't have to think about it all the time."

When I urged her to say more, she said nothing that has been on my mind ever since. "There's a professor, or maybe another student, who doesn't like you. You may not know the reason, but at a black school, with instructors and black classmates, you know it's not because you're black, so you do a sanity check. Do I come on too strong? Argumentative? Does he think I'm trying to be on b.s. rather than studying the material he assigned? Am I acting like a snob? Or is he just a creep, and it's not your fault. But the point is, with a black or black classmate, you ask yourself the question: 'If he's white, you'll probably just be racist, and that's the end of it.' That's about all you can do. It's a relief, which may illuminate much of the

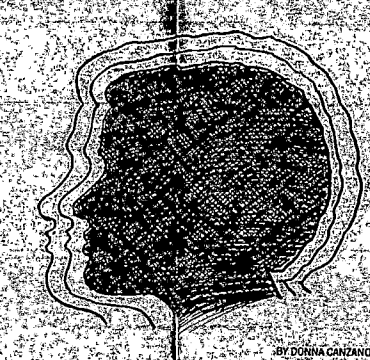
nonintrospection, no self-examination, no 'personality check'—and no opportunity for personal growth."

Black people used to joke about the applicant for a radio announcer's job who complained that he wasn't hired "b-b-b because I'm b-b-black." I haven't heard the joke in recent years—not, I suspect, because it's old but because it's no longer funny. We are too sure that any slight we suffer at the hands of whites is because we're black.

Racism has become our all-purpose explanation for every disadvantage. Racist editors "mess with" our copy. Racist bar examiners learn to spot "black" writing in anonymous bar exam papers and give the writer undeservedly bad marks. Racist policy makers depreciate our wisdom and insights. Racist personnel officers discount our resumes and interviews.

And in every case, the possibility exists that we are right. I talked recently with a friend who applied, along with a handful of whites, for a job as a congressional aide. He was the only one who was asked to take a written examination.

Had he run into a racist interviewer who was looking for a good reason to turn him down? Quite likely. After all, he didn't get the job. But it is also possible that my friend—an experienced and bright—was being considered for a more responsible position than the one



BY DONNA CANZANO

him appear "uncooperative" or "uncollegial." I don't think he misread what was happening to him. But he might have, and if he did, he might have cost himself a good job.

That's the eternal risk of the automatic race-based explanation. The white professor who just might be trying to fan a spark of brilliance, the white personnel officer who just might be wondering if he has discovered a diamond in the rough, the white interviewer who just might be looking for a basis to turn a negative impression into a more positive one—the white mind can just as easily be wrong as

But even if the initial suspicions are correct, what is to be lost by giving the benefit of the doubt? At least occasionally, an innocent response—the "soft answer [that] turneth away wrath"—might prompt a racist to embarrassment, to the advantage of his intended victim. The response that says, "We both know you're a racist" merely seals the disadvantage.

What I am about to say will sound like heresy to many—probably most—blacks. But I think reliance on race as the universal explainer does more harm than good. It inhibits our achievement by limiting our ability to try. It oversimplifies complex interpersonal relations and reduces our own role in their improvement.

It even mars our successes. Ask a well-placed black professional if he thinks he got his job because he is good or because he is black, and you'll be surprised how often the answer comes back, "Because I'm black." (A white person who even suggests that the black professional was hired because of his race, of course, a racist.)

I can't say too clearly that the racial explanation may often be the correct one. But it is, in my view, frequently a damaging one. People who are successful are most often those who believe themselves to be in control of their own fate. The race is all explanation gives that

by David Evans and Robert Novak

Rogue on the Arts Scene

Over a leak last month of the National Endowment for the Arts intended to approve a controversial theater exhibit, Chairman Frohnmayer put his computer to work sifting through outgoing NEA telephone calls to find the leaker. On May 25, armed with the results of his sleuthing, Frohnmayer summoned his chief deputy, Dr. Alvin S. Berg, showed him the computer print-out and accused him of being the source of the leak (to our column). Berg, in complete honesty, denied the charge. Frohnmayer gave Berg two days to confess. If he could stay on the payroll a day, his desk would be cleaned out. In either case, he was evidence Frohnmayer called in.

"Frohnmayer summoned his chief deputy . . . and accused him of being the source of the leak (to our column)."

For now Jack Lichtenstein, Frohnmayer's spokesman, told us, Felzenberg "will stay until he gets another opportunity to serve the president." Frohnmayer's computer search for a leaker inside NEA never had a chance. The source of our column that angered Frohnmayer does not and never did work at NEA but was appointed by Bush to another high post in a different government agency. Moreover, Felzenberg's telephone call to us was nothing more than a response to our call to a competent NEA official. We simply sought details about the controversial theater exhibit that we knew was headed for approval at the NEA Council session in Winston-Salem May 12.

The rift is deep between Frohnmayer and Felzenberg, who was praised by The New York Times last month as having "a passion for the arts, a fighting spirit and a political savvy . . . perfect for the job." But NEA sources told us that Felzenberg made a nuisance of himself to Chairman Frohnmayer. He kept warning him to get tougher on NEA funding for exhibits considered "obscene" on Capitol Hill, and not just by conservatives. Otherwise, he correctly counseled Frohnmayer, the NEA would be run over in a congressional revolt.

But Frohnmayer's political antenna is not turned on. One White House aide privately speculated that the chairman may view Felzenberg as a juicy candidate for right-wing scapegoat of the NEA's political problems, even though his warning about the gathering storm over the NEA has proven accurate. Felzenberg was a visiting lecturer at Princeton before Frohnmayer invited him here last winter. Before that, he ran former governor Tom Kean's New Jersey arts agenda for eight years, raising state financing of the arts from \$3 million to \$25 million a year.

Frohnmayer has not returned our calls, even though Lichtenstein intervened on our behalf. That suggests political insensitivity going beyond his effort to fire Felzenberg. Some at NEA, by no means hostile to Frohnmayer, worry about this insensitivity. An example given us by one such insider is the chairman's fire of an outside public relations counsel named Robert Witek, highly regarded as senior vice president and a key operative in the Washington office of Hill and Knowlton. Witek told us he counsels the chairman on special public relations and political problems. He said he is on the payroll as a consultant at about \$250 a day and works about four days a month. Lichtenstein as Frohnmayer's full-time PR executive.

When Frohnmayer first arrived here last fall, longtime NEA insiders were surprised when "quite innocent" he asked to put his wife Leah, a proficient and highly experienced arts expert, on the payroll. He valued her advice. When informed that would be a violation of the anti-nepotism law, Frohnmayer found part-time office space for her in his own office and in other space available on a temporary basis.

by Samuelson

Competition: Still the Secret of Economic Success

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rally, these companies became vulnerable to imports. Competition obviously isn't everything. There are other determinants of nations' economic well-being: workers' skills and motivation, technology, natural resources and management quality. But these strengths can be improved, or squandered, by the state of competition. Paradoxically, Japan again makes the point. Despite superb export industries and a highly educated work force, the Japanese have only about 75 percent of the purchasing power of Americans. The reason: large parts of Japan's economy (farmers, retail stores, some industries) are sheltered from competition and therefore turn out relatively costly products.

Effective competition means more than having lots of small firms trying to destroy one another. Small firms make sense in some industries. But in components, raw materials and business services. Everyone pushes everyone else. Buyers want better products with new features. Companies insist that suppliers help them cut costs. Suppliers strive to have customers do things differently. Industries and firms prosper because they're forced to, says Porter. Adversity often spawns success. In postwar Italy, steel companies lacked raw materials, faced high energy costs and had little investment capital. So they pioneered mini-mills, which use scrap steel as a feedstock, consume less energy and require lower investment than larger mills.

These market pressures create clusters of closely connected industries that constantly drive innovation and gains in efficiency. The United States has this sort of cluster in computers, software and telecommunications. Japan has it in consumer electronics and electronic components. Italy has it in ceramic tiles.

renew themselves repeatedly. Communist economies are now being abandoned because they can't accomplish this feat. But the process can't be controlled, precisely, because it depends on so many different parts of the system affecting each other in endlessly complicated and ever-changing ways. There are no magic wands. Claims to the contrary are often self-serving pleas for government handouts. Corporate America, for example, always wants new investment tax incentives. It argues that the "cost of capital" is too high and that the resulting low investment hurts living standards. In fact, business investment has been rising. In the 1980s it was 12 percent of gross national product, compared with 11.3 percent in the 1970s, 10.3 percent in the 1960s and 9.9 percent in the 1950s (measured in inflation-adjusted dollars).

When industries falter, the problem is usually the waste of capital—bad or he writes. The troubles of two major U.S. supplier industries—machine tools and semiconductor process equipment—are partly explained by poor relations with major customers (auto makers and chip makers).

little fishy, but I've heard this happen before." Not in my neighborhood, you haven't, Mr. Bush. There, such transfers are usually made in cash inside an unmarked No. 10 business envelope. In fact, the fishy-sounding Good-Bush transaction may qualify as a gratuity, as gravy, as grease, or worse. But it was not, by anybody's definition, a loan.

Even though he was required to disclose his relationship with Good and failed to do so, Neil Bush said he abstained from voting as a director on loans Good sought from Silverado. But the House committee released a letter written by Neil Bush as director to the Silverado chairman requesting a \$900,000 line of credit for Ken Good, who had earlier bought a 25 percent interest in Neil Bush's own oil and gas exploration company for \$10,000. That \$10,000 made Good a lot bigger investor in Neil Bush's company than Neil Bush himself, who put up just \$100.

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tered from competition and therefore turn out relatively costly products.

Effective competition means more than having lots of small firms trying to destroy one another. Small firms make sense in some industries. But in other industries, only big corporations can generate the huge sums necessary for large-scale production, risky research and global distribution. Genuine competition also consists of more than combat between similar companies.

Porter argues that two other things are essential: demanding and sophisticated suppliers and access to suppliers of machinery

and tools of closely connected industries that constantly drive innovation and gains in efficiency. The United States has this sort of cluster in computers, software and telecommunications; Japan has it in consumer electronics and electronic components; Italy has it in ceramic tiles and related machinery; Germany has it in printing presses and paper machines. The ultimate payoff is higher national living standards: companies—and their workers—develop the skills to create better products and services at lower cost.

The great virtue of the competitive caldron is that it compels companies (and, by extension, entire societies) to

improve their products and services compared with 11.1 percent in the 1970s, 10.3 percent in the 1960s, and 9.9 percent in the 1950s (measured in inflation-adjusted dollars).

When industries falter, the problem is usually the "waste of capital"—bad or poorly managed investments. A new study by economists Richard Caves of Harvard and David Barton of the Commerce Department finds (once again) that corporate diversification hurts efficiency. Porter correctly complains that relations between U.S. companies and their suppliers are too often hostile. Skill transfer and sharing of market insights take place only sporadically.

the erosion in educational standards and performance. Companies can't be better than their workers.

The other problem is the cannibalistic nature of modern America. We are such a wealthy society that our competitive juices—the urge to get ahead—are often dissipated in struggles to protect or win some of the existing wealth. The results are costly litigation, widespread financial speculation, everyday (and legal) tax evasion and lobbying to gain government favors. We are so busy fighting over what we have that we may undermine our capacity to make more.

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been personally involved in a failed enterprise that left American families as co-signers liable for a billion-dollar default.

Maybe it's Andover or Yale, or Greenwich or Kennebunkport that exempts the Bushes from ordinary criticism. Maybe it's just the moral superiority of the Mayflower Compact descendants as heard in the words of Massachusetts Republican William Weld, who, when asked where his 1990 gubernatorial campaign got the money for a large TV buy, told The Boston Globe: "We don't get money. We have money."

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Wednesday, June 6, 1990

Mrs. Bush will greet Mr. and Mrs. George Coleman
(wife's name is Dawn) at 7:30 p.m. TONIGHT
in the Diplomatic Reception Room.

Mildred Kerr asked Mrs. Bush to do this.

Mrs. Bush would like to know if you want to
greet the Colemans too?

Their daughter Caroline Bassett will be with them.
She works for Bill Bennett.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

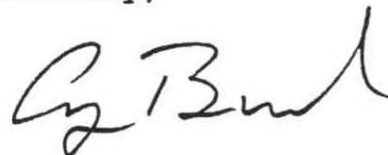
June 6, 1990

Dear Mr. Olson:

Many thanks for the telegram of support.
I am confident that America's space program
is in competent hands. I commend the Southern
California Professional Engineering Association
for your commitment to space exploration.

Warmest regards,

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "G. Bush", is written below the word "Sincerely,".

Mr. Edward P. Olson
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Engineering Association
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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 6, 1990

Dear Ed:

I am writing to follow-up on my May 22 note. My staff has checked into the matter, and by now you may have learned from the Department of Agriculture that the hold on the second tranche of commodity credit corporation (CCC) guarantees remains in place pending the completion of two investigations into some apparent irregularities in the Iraqi program.

The Department of Agriculture has assured me that there is no embargo on the export of the commodities you mentioned to Iraq; however, without these credit guarantees, there is some question as to whether Iraq will be able to buy these commodities from U.S. exporters.

We expect to make a decision on release of the second tranche of CCC credits when our investigations have been completed, a process that could take several months. The Iraqi government has been advised of this.

Warm regards,

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Ed Niedermeyer", written in a cursive style.

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June 6, 1990

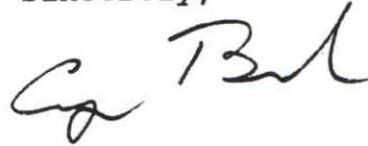
Dear Dr. Roeder:

Thank you for your recent letter concerning
U.S. policies toward Israel.

I have asked my staff to respond to this issue
in more detail, but I did want you to know I
read your letter and appreciated your sharing
your views with me.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "G. Bush", is written over the word "Sincerely,".

Dr. Glenn S. Roeder
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FROM
THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Julie Firestone
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Scottsdale, Arizona 85253

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THE PRESIDENT

June 6, 1990

Dear Julie,

You are thoughtful to send along the inscribed copy of Dr. Mollen's book. I'm delighted to have it and appreciate your thinking of me.

Please pass along to Dr. Mollen my thanks for his kind words and my good wishes.

Warm regards to you and yours.

Sincerely,

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

June 6, 1990

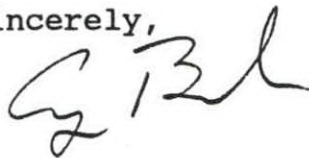
Dear Dr. and Mrs. Lyons:

Thank you for your recent letter concerning taxes and the ongoing budget negotiations.

I have asked my staff to respond to this issue in more detail, but I did want you to know I read your letter and appreciated your sharing your views with me.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to be "G. H. W. Bush", written in a cursive style.

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General Colin Powell

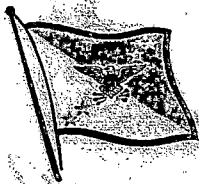


THE PRESIDENT

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Dear Colin -

At long last here
are the 5 tapes on The
Civil War. We really enjoyed
them. Thanks for sharing em.
Geo Bush



CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20318-0001

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DEAR MR. PRESIDENT,

THANKS FOR MEETING WITH
THE TROOPS THE OTHER DAY. IT
WAS A GREAT EVENT.

AFTER WE LEFT YOU WE WENT
BACK TO MY OFFICE FOR A
BEER PARTY AND A SURPRISE
VISITOR - ARNOLD SCHWARZENEGGER.
THE TROOPS WENT NUTS. ARNOLD
AUTOGRAPHED FOR THEM ALL THE
WHITE HOUSE NOTE PAPER THEY CLIPPED
FROM THE CABINET ROOM TABLE.

(over)

You will still the
most popular man in town -- but Harold
that day for them -- but Harold
made it a close call.
I am enclosing the Civil
War tapes I told you about.
They are wonderful. They will
be shown on PBS this
Fall.





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June 6, 1990

Dear Smith -

The attached note
from my friend Katie Boyd
confirms all I'm hearing about
your work. Keep it up. Sincerely,

A. Bush

FROM
THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

The Honorable Smith Hempstone, Jr.
American Ambassador
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Office of the Press Secretary

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West Wing

June 6, 1993
The Briefing Room

12:38 P.M. EDT

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THE WHITE HOUSE
Office of the Press Secretary

PRESS BRIEFING
BY
MARLIN FITZWATER

June 6, 1990
The Briefing Room

12:38 P.M. EDT

MR. FITZWATER: I think we ought to hurry up and get started. The Greek Prime Minister wants to go to the stakeout I think as soon as the luncheon is over, and that can occur at any time. I'll ask Sean of my staff to give us an alert when he is out there, especially for the Greek correspondents who would want to go out there.

First of all, we want to announce that the President will meet with Nelson Mandela on June 25 at the White House. The purpose of this private visit is to hear Mr. Mandela's views on the emerging process of negotiations to end apartheid and to encourage further progress on this issue. You'll recall the President called him soon after his release from prison and invited him to the White House at his convenience.

Q How about de Klerk?

Q Any scheduled date for de Klerk?

MR. FITZWATER: No.

Let me give you readouts on the two meetings this morning. The President met with the Republic of Korea President Roh Tai Woo. The topics of discussion were the U.S.-Soviet summit, President Roh's June 3 meeting with President Gorbachev, President Roh's recent Japan visit, North Korean issues, and bilateral security and trade issues. President Bush congratulated him on his historic meeting with President Gorbachev. The President reiterated strong U.S. support for President Roh's policies aimed at expanding relations with socialist states.

The United States seeks a reciprocal process of improved relations with both the Republic of Korea and the Democratic People's Republic of Korea. The United States reaffirms that it is not a threat to North Korean security and we seek to improve relations with that country. However, the pace and scope of any improvement will depend importantly on North Korea's actions. In this regard, both Presidents agreed on the importance of close U.S.-Republic of Korea consultations and the importance of North Korea fulfilling its obligations under the Nonproliferation Treaty to conclude and implement a nuclear safeguards agreement.

Q Can you explain a little bit more of that? You mean to sign the Nuclear Nonproliferation Treaty?

MR. FITZWATER: That both countries -- or that South Korea indicated an interest in a dialogue, but that the nuclear proliferation question is one that still remains a problem for us, yes.

Q That they should sign the treaty -- is that it?

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MR. FITZWATER: Under the Nonproliferation Treaty, yes, that's right.

Q But neither is a nuclear power?

MR. FITZWATER: But they both have concerns about their nuclear capabilities and that seems to be a point of contention between them.

Q Well, does everybody have to sign the treaty to have good relations with the U.S.?

MR. FITZWATER: No. We simply said that's one of the problems they have between them. It's always a problem with us, too, but certainly between them.

Q The President of South Korea say that he agreed with President Bush that they should cooperate to lead North Korea to open and to make some reforms. In which way can the U.S. do that? I mean, what's the process here?

MR. FITZWATER: They didn't discuss any specific efforts. President Roh indicated that he was interested in dialogue with North Korea, but they didn't talk about any other specific actions.

Q In talking about the U.S. seeks a reciprocal arrangement -- the Soviet Union has now notably improved its relations with South Korea because of having this meeting. Does the United States plan to take some action now to improve its ties with North Korea?

MR. FITZWATER: We don't have any specific initiatives to undertake. We have always indicated a willingness to improve relations with North Korea, but we have not seen any reciprocal response from their part. But we continue to hold out that prospect.

Q However, you did just get back the remains of five servicemen, if I'm not mistaken, and that was seen as a -- some sort of gesture. Is that not the case? Is there any response to that?

MR. FITZWATER: I don't know of any specific response to that. If it does, indeed, contribute to better relations and possible dialogue, so much the better. But at this point, I can't report any movement.

Q What's the President's view of the improved relations between South Korea and the Soviet Union?

MR. FITZWATER: Well, we think --

Q Is it out of balance?

MR. FITZWATER: We think that's very good. President Bush commended President Roh for his meeting and for efforts to improve relations in that area. The President of South Korea talked about the possibility of some trade relations with the Soviet Union, particularly, in helping supply consumer goods that might be of interest to them and in that area of commercial relations. So we applaud the meeting and their efforts in that regard.

Q Did the President get any kind of clarification from Roh on what Gorbachev and Roh discussed as far as resuming diplomatic relations? The first indication we got from Roh in San Francisco that was it might be imminent, but the Soviets put the breaks on that when they got back to Moscow.

MR. FITZWATER: They didn't discuss timetable at all, no. We didn't get any --

Q Did you get a sense that it might be in the near future, or is something seriously being discussed?

MR. FITZWATER: It's a matter that's being discussed, but there's no timetable for it.

Q Did they discuss COCOM, and did the President urge them not to sell fiber optics to the Soviet Union?

MR. FITZWATER: It did not come up in the meeting, no.

Q Did they discuss South Korean participation in the supercollider?

MR. FITZWATER: They did not discuss it in this meeting. As you know, we have been talking with other countries about participation -- Japan and South Korea. But they did not discuss it in this meeting.

Anybody else before I go on to Greece?

Q One more on that. Any feeling out of what Roh has told the President and what you've learned from Gorbachev that any kind of timetable for drawdown of U.S. troops in Korea could be speeded up at all?

MR. FITZWATER: No. They didn't talk about the troop level. I guess you're all aware of the reductions that Secretary Cheney has discussed. But our policy certainly is that we will have forces there as long as they are wanted.

Moving along to the other meeting --

Q As long as they want them?

MR. FITZWATER: As long as they're wanted, yes.

The President met with Greek Prime Minister Constantine Mitsotakis for about a half an hour before they moved over to the Residence for lunch, where they are now discussing any number of issues. And I'm told that the Prime Minister will be available to speak with the press afterwards concerning that visit.

They did discuss the Gorbachev summit, of course; talked about the evolving situation in Europe. The President and the Prime Minister expressed satisfaction with the initialing of the new defense cooperation agreement between Greece and the United States. They talked about the importance of international cooperation in the struggle against terrorism and narcotics trafficking. President Bush reiterated the U.S. request for the extradition of Mohammed Rashid. They discussed the Cyprus problem. They agreed on the importance of the U.N. Secretary General's Good Office's mission. The President made clear that the status quo on the island is not satisfactory and that the United States is committed to active support for the Secretary General's efforts to achieve early and concrete progress on Cyprus within the framework of U.N. Security Council Resolution 649.

The two Presidents agreed that this visit was important for the new beginning to an old friendship. We have not had a President here for 26 years -- Prime Minister, I'm sorry -- and that the alliance between Greece and the United States remains strong.

Q What's the Prime Minister's answer about Mohammed Rashid? Is he willing to extradite him?

MR. FITZWATER: They didn't really get a chance to discuss that. There has not been a conclusion to that issue. They have not agreed to that at this point, but they said they would discuss it later. But the President made that request, as we have done before, just before they adjourned for lunch.

Q The Greek Prime Minister in an interview to The Post this morning said that he would urge President Bush to exert pressure over Turkey so that Turkey should remove troops from Cyprus. How do you respond to this Greek approach?

MR. FITZWATER: Well, he urged resolution of the Cyprus question and felt that this is a time when we must take action. But the President reiterated that our view of the best course of doing that is within the U.N. and indicated that we would proceed to try to get U.N. action. The President also said he raised the matter with Perez de Cuellar when he met with him earlier in the week.

Q What did they cover on terrorism?

MR. FITZWATER: On terrorism, of course, the request for extradition of Mr. Rashid. President Bush also had some statements of sympathy and concern for the tragic terrorist incident that affected the Prime Minister's daughter. And she, of course, is visiting with him and was at the table. They both agreed to combat terrorism wherever they can and however they can.

Q Will it be acceptable to the U.S. government if Rashid were to be tried in Greece?

MR. FITZWATER: Well, our position is that we would like to extradite him to be tried here in the United States, and we wouldn't try to dictate what they do in Greece.

Q Marlin, in the past, the United States felt that Greece was too soft on terrorism, and as I recall, there have also been some complaints about failures to -- their failure to protect U.S. flag carriers at the Athens Airport or security generally there. What is our position on that now? Has it changed at all? Any improvements?

MR. FITZWATER: Well, we still are greatly concerned about terrorism. These specific issues did not come up in the meeting, although we think it's clear that Prime Minister Mitsotakis is concerned about terrorism. Certainly his family history speaks for itself in terms of his personal suffering at the hands of terrorists. And he was very anxious to have good relations to the United States across the board, to undertake any number of areas of agreement with us. He referred to the NATO Alliance and keeping that strong; referred to the bases agreement, terrorism and other areas. So we think, as he takes office with a new government, that we have a very good basis for a working relationship in these areas.

Q Did they discuss the Greek-Turkish dispute?

MR. FITZWATER: They discussed the Cyprus situation. But the larger Greek-Turkish dispute -- only to the extent that they both wanted to resolve it, wanted to improve the situation as much as possible, and that the Prime Minister felt that -- or was hopeful that he would be able to make progress, although he has just assumed office.

Q Is it possible to see a U.S. initiative in terms of the Cyprus issue after this meeting?

MR. FITZWATER: Our interests is pursuing the process through the U.N.

Q New subject?

MR. FITZWATER: Sure.

Q Do you have any comment on reports that Jesse Jackson and Walter Fauntroy have been working with Republican operatives and perhaps here at the White House to put pressure on Jay

Stephens to pave the way in this plea bargain business with Barry?

MR. FITZWATER: We have checked with everybody we can find who might have any relevance to this matter and can find no indication that Mr. Jackson or Mr. Fauntroy or anybody else has called the White House. There's no basis for that story.

Q What is the nature of contact, if there's any, between the White House, Justice Department and, in a political sense, the Republican Party and Jay Stephens?

MR. FITZWATER: None. We have no involvement with this case, no contact.

Q Has the United States offered safe passage out of Liberia to President Doe?

MR. FITZWATER: We have had communication with President Doe through diplomatic channels, urging a resolution of the situation in Liberia. You know about our efforts to be available for evacuation purposes. We have asked both sides to find a way out of this. But I won't have any comment on any specific commitments or discussions with any of the individuals involved.

Q Why wouldn't we? Let's put it that way.

MR. FITZWATER: The question is just not one that we can address in terms of public statements. We are working with both sides. We have interests in resolving the conflict, and that's our first priority. And we just find it's not useful to comment on any personal commitments at this point.

Q Marlin, in Massachusetts last weekend, the Democrats have accused Ron Kaufman of organizing a plan to disrupt the convention with a police union line. Is the President aware of this controversy?

MR. FITZWATER: The President is aware of it; it's in all the papers this morning. Kaufman says it's not true. That's about all we know about it.

Q To follow up, what is Ron Kaufman doing at the Democratic convention site in the first place? I thought he was a Republican official. What's he doing at a state Democratic convention?

MR. FITZWATER: He was serving as a commentator to some media outlets in the Boston area.

Q Marlin, twice earlier this year the President went to California to put in a big pitch for changing reapportionment. He wanted it fairer for Republicans. And the two initiatives he campaigned for were shot down by California voters by better than two-to-one margin yesterday. Does that portend ill for the number one objective of the President and GOP, to redress what was done in 1980?

MR. FITZWATER: Well, we're sorry those were defeated and

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Q Where do you go from here?

MR. FITZWATER: Well, we still -- I ought to get the RNC to give you a better analysis of where we go from here. Frankly, I don't know what the political strategy is for addressing that issue across the country.

Q The President put a lot of his personal political prestige on the line and apparently didn't have much of a coattail effect.

MR. FITZWATER: Thanks, Leo. (Laughter.) You can measure coattail effects on apportionment votes in California? Give me a break.

Q Is there any reexamination of how the President ought to relate to California as a result of this?

MR. FITZWATER: No, no.

Q Is the White House encouraging Attorney Stephens to reach a plea bargain agreement with Barry?

MR. FITZWATER: We have no contact, no comment, no position on that case. It's a legal matter. We have not involved ourselves in any way.

Q Do you have any information on reports that the Finnish Air Force has gone on alert because of some kind of a cloud over the Kola Peninsula in the Soviet Union, and reports of fish washing -- dead fish washing ashore in that vicinity, suggesting there's some kind of a nuclear accident there?

MR. FITZWATER: I've not heard anything about that. We'll check it out. Is that just a wire story that just came across?

Q Yes -- well, I don't know how recent it is. It's an AP story.

Q It broke right at noon, and there were some Ham radio reports from that area, too, Marlin.

MR. FITZWATER: I'll ask when we get back, but I have not heard that.

Q Anything new on PLO dialogue? Does the President want it to continue?

MR. FITZWATER: There's no change at the moment. We are very concerned, of course, about the terrorist incident the other day. The meeting -- is the meeting today or tomorrow -- the PLO?

Q I think it's today.

MR. FITZWATER: Today, yes. So we're interested in the outcome of that and see how they address that issue.

Q European newspapers are reporting that the Soviets may be willing to accept Germany's remaining in NATO if all nuclear weapons are removed from German soil. What is the U.S. reaction to that?

MR. FITZWATER: I don't know that we've had any particular information on that. At least I have not had it. Secretary Baker is there and maybe he has talked to them on that matter. They have indicated a unilateral withdrawal of some 1,500 warheads. We certainly welcome that. We're interested in any unilateral reduction. But I have not heard it put quite the way you did about an exchange or a new position on Germany. I assume Secretary Baker would be aware of that, but I've not heard anything from him.

Q Marlin, what was Ron Kaufman doing as a commentator for Boston media outlets and which ones were they?

MR. FITZWATER: I don't know which ones. I'll try, or we can get that for you. But just like Bob Bechel and a lot of Democrats who do the same thing.

Q Yes, but he's not on the White House staff.

Q What would be the point of that?

MR. FITZWATER: I don't know. He does it all. He's been heavily involved in Massachusetts, New Hampshire politics for many years.

Q Does that require any approval from you all to be able to operate for a news organization?

Q Is he getting paid by the news organizations?

MR. FITZWATER: No. Now, that I don't know.

Q Bechel was paid.

Q Whose word is commentator? Is that his word or yours?

MR. FITZWATER: That's his word, yes. That's his description to me of what he was doing there. I don't have any independent knowledge.

Q Is he paid to do this, or is he not?

MR. FITZWATER: I don't know. I don't -- it's an interesting question. I don't think he can take outside pay, but I'd better check.

Q So who pays for him to go up there? Does the White House on stuff like that?

MR. FITZWATER: I assume he does it on his own. I don't know.

Q Get him out here.

Q Marlin's in a deep, vague mode.

MR. FITZWATER: I am in deep, vague on Mr. Kaufman, yes.

Q I was wondering, do you think we could get the answers, Marlin?

Q Yes, I will. I'll ask and see what we can do.

Q Also, can I just follow up with one more question on that?

MR. FITZWATER: Why don't you give me one of these questions. It might be good in the transcripts so people can see what these are.

Q Can I just give you one more question on that?

MR. FITZWATER: Yes.

Q Did you just ask him -- I mean did the White House simply ask him and take his word at what he was doing? Or was there any attempt for some inquiry that would go beyond just simply his rendition --

Q You know, like with a rubber hose or something.

MR. FITZWATER: I'm not aware of any inquiry. I just asked him and those were the answers he gave me.

Q Was he there with the knowledge and the approval of the RNC?

MR. FITZWATER: I don't know, Frank.

Q Cheney and Scowcroft are up on the Hill with the budgeteers. And I just wondered how far is the administration willing to go with defense cuts at this point and has that changed at all since the summit?

MR. FITZWATER: It's a nice try, but we aren't willing to discuss any specifics of the budget negotiation.

Q Marlin, Jack Kemp this morning criticized the Republican nominee for governor of New York and said that he wasn't inclined to endorse him. He was more inclined to endorse the conservative party's nominee, specifically criticized the Republican nominee for emphasizing the death penalty over economic questions. Does the President think it's helpful for Cabinet members to criticize Republican nominees for statewide office?

MR. FITZWATER: It's a free country, and they can say whatever they want.

Q But are Cabinet members totally free to do this sort of thing without any clear guidance from the White House?

MR. FITZWATER: Yes.

Q But do you like it?

Q What's the White House assessment of this gasoline tax that was approved out in California? Does that --

MR. FITZWATER: I haven't seen assesement. I haven't seen any assessment of that. I haven't seen it.

Q What do you think about it?

MR. FITZWATER: I don't have a position on that.

Q Do you want to offer one?

MR. FITZWATER: I don't intend to take one.

Q Marlin, back to the deep, vague a minute. I'm not aware of the table of organization, the current one. Does he report to Sununu -- does Kaufman?

MR. FITZWATER: His position here is as a Assistant Director of Personnel. In that regard --

Q He's not Deputy?

Q Untermeyer?

Q Under Chase?

MR. FITZWATER: Yes. He's under Chase Untermeyer. I'd have to check the exact title. I don't whether it's Assistant to or Deputy to. But he's basically is in charge of political hiring under Chase Untermeyer.

Q So as far as you know, this was a free-lance operation. You're not aware whether he was paid for it. Your not aware of whether he had permission to do it or not. You're not aware of who paid his way up and back.

Q Asked and answered.

MR. FITZWATER: I'm not, but I will pass all those questions along to him.

Q Thank you.

Q Do you think anybody cares?

Q Marlin, we have a story today in which Jonathan Bush, the President's brother says that he's pro-choice. Was the President aware of that, and does he have any reaction to the fact that his brother is making it public?

MR. FITZWATER: Free country in this area, too.

Q Marlin, but seriously, could you check?

MR. FITZWATER: Could I check what?

Q To see whether he has any reaction to Jonathan Bush going public and saying --

MR. FITZWATER: No, we won't have any reaction. Family is free to say and take any position they want on any issues, any time, anyplace, anywhere.

Q Marlin, what's the President's view of the NEA controversy.

MR. FITZWATER: We had supported a five-year extension of the NEA. But the Congress established this commission to take a look at the question of how grants are made and what criteria should be used and, in that connection, felt that a one-year extension would be good while that commission considers its work. We agree with that. Frohnmayer's testifying this morning that we would support the one-year extension while this commission does its work and then we'll take up the matter again.

Q Do you know who would head this commission?

MR. FITZWATER: I think the name -- I think we've already pointed the congressional -- there are some appointed by Congress and some by us, and I think that's been done. Does anybody know? I think it has.

Q They vote on a chairman today and --

MR. FITZWATER: And they vote on a chairman among the group. We can give you the list of the members because we put those out sometime ago.

Q And there's no consideration being given to putting on any restrictive language?

MR. FITZWATER: It's already passed and done. You mean on the commission's work?

Q No, no, no, on the NEA language, the extension.

MR. FITZWATER: No. At this point --

Q Just elected conservatives want --

MR. FITZWATER: Our position has been that we're willing to accept this one year while they look at this. I don't know about -- if members come up with amendments, why, that's their business. Each one will be considered as a part of the consideration. But our general position going in is simply a one-year extension. Just as we proposed a five-year extension.

Q Did the United State join with Britain in blocking a plan by two telephone companies to build a modern fiber optic communications line? Optic. Yes, I'll get my glasses. And why?

MR. FITZWATER: All right. Well, I have an answer for you on that.

Q What are fiber optics anyway?

Q Yes, right. Explain this, first off.

MR. FITZWATER: The vehicle for our action was an export license. And we have denied a license for this consortium headed by U.S. West --

Q Why?

MR. FITZWATER: -- for national security reasons. We felt that the technology transfer involved in building this fiber optic system would provide a security risk that was unacceptable.

Q You mean the telephone system would be a security risk?

MR. FITZWATER: And with the unanimous concurrence -- the unanimous concurrence of all concerned federal agencies.

Q So much for the end of the Cold War, huh?

Q Why is that when you really want them to modernize?

MR. FITZWATER: It requires an understanding of fiber optics. But I'm told -- and having listened to a couple meetings on this myself -- that once you do understand what's involved in building a fiber optic system, that there are any number of technology advances involved in that that we feel would be not in the national security interests of the country to provide to other countries, particularly the Soviet Union.

Q Can some country not in COCOM go ahead and do this? Are there not countries that have fiber optics, like Korea, for instance?

MR. FITZWATER: Sure. Some other, of course, sure.

Q So why open it up for another country to go ahead and do this, which I gather from that piece is what might happen?

MR. FITZWATER: I don't think we anticipate that happening.

Q This was not automatically covered under COCOM?

MR. FITZWATER: It may have been covered under COCOM because it required -- the action point was in the export license. The U.S. expects to work closely with its allies to ensure that no other company obtains an export license for a similar system. The U.S. government controls the export of telecommunications equipment and technology under the authority of the Export Administration Act of 1979. The export control regulations administered by the Department of Congress establish controlled parameters on various components of telecommunications systems, such as fiber optic transmission equipment, digital switches, microwave relay stations, satellites, et cetera, that are deemed to be strategically critical in the maintenance of our technological superiority over certain countries. These regulations are coordinated with our allies in COCOM, operating by consensus and adhering to specified strategic criteria. COCOM has for four decades successfully eliminated, et cetera.

Q Would you foresee a time when that might be -- is there a move to loosen up on that? Or is that a rigid position? Is that a -- we're not trying to ease that at all?

MR. FITZWATER: No. This is a specific decision on a very specific proposed system and specific license. It was considered by the national security community of the government and by the President of the United States and rejected.

Q Marlin, is the President aware of an incident Monday night in San Francisco when a Secret Service agent singled Condoleezza Rice and ordered her to leave the line of White House officials? Is the White House planning to do anything about this to find out what happened or reprimand --

MR. FITZWATER: The President is aware of it. He's very upset about it. It's most unfortunate. It should not have happened. And the Secret Service will take appropriate measures.

Q What happened?

Q The Secret Service says they're taking a look-see at it and won't specify what, if anything, they intend to do.

MR. FITZWATER: Well, the Secret Service is reviewing it. I don't know what they will say about it, but they're taking a look at it, yes.

Q What happened, Marlin?

MR. FITZWATER: I prefer not to relate the incident if only because not to give it any more attention. I refer you to your colleagues.

Q Where's it being reported?

Q Wait a minute, Marlin. This isn't like a guy in a chicken suit running across a football field here. I mean, this is obviously something involving the government. You don't want to encourage the Secret Service --

MR. FITZWATER: Oh, you all know what it is. A Secret Service agent pushed Condi Rice. It's as simple as that.

Q Did she make any complaints?

MR. FITZWATER: You've all had it happen to you a hundred times.

Q We never got the President upset.

Q Why?

Q Yes, but we never got the President upset about it.
(Laughter.)

Q Marlin, why did he push her?

MR. FITZWATER: I don't know.

Q Marlin, does the President have any plans to meet with Chai Ling, this Chinese dissident who's in the United States?

MR. FITZWATER: Is he going to what?

Q Meet with Chai Ling, the Chinese dissident who's in the United States? She made an appearance on the Hill the other day.

MR. FITZWATER: I'm not aware of anything scheduled.

Q She supposedly has requested a meeting.

MR. FITZWATER: I'll check it out, but I'm not aware of it.

Q Marlin, in terms of the Condoleezza Rice incident, is there some concern on the part of the administration that the fact that she is black was a factor in the incident?

MR. FITZWATER: We have no idea what the factors were.

Q Did the President call her to talk about it or to apologize?

MR. FITZWATER: I don't know.

Q Express his concern?

Q Did she have her pin on?

MR. FITZWATER: I have not talked to her about it, no.

Q Any guess today on offshore oil?

MR. FITZWATER: Not this week.

Q The California primary's over.

Q Not this week?

Q Leo?

Q Has the President asked to be informed --

MR. FITZWATER: Do you doubt for a minute, Lesley. Go, Leo.

Q Has the President asked to be informed about the investigation into this shoving thing with Condi Rice?

MR. FITZWATER: I haven't talked to the President about it, Leo, other than to know that he is aware of it as I said. He is upset about it. The Secret Service is looking into it.

Q Why is the President meeting with union leaders?

MR. FITZWATER: We do this before economic summits. It's an opportunity to hear from them of their concerns that they would like to have the President raise at the Houston economic summit. They also are bringing in representatives of trade unions from the other G-7 countries. Lane Kirkland organizes this.

Q How long does that meeting last, Marlin, do you know?

MR. FITZWATER: Yes, it's in the Cabinet Room, 1:30 p.m. for half an hour. We'll have a photo op at the top of it. Well, at least stills; probably just stills.

Q When and how was the President informed about the incident concerning Condoleezza Rice?

MR. FITZWATER: I have no idea.

Q Marlin, there's a report in our paper today that this Italian legislator who also strips for a living -- (laughter) -- can't get a visa. She wants to talk to the President about it -- (laughter.)

Q And we want a briefing afterwards.

MR. FITZWATER: I'm suggesting personal intervention in this issue but -- no.

Q We want a photo op.

Q Have you heard is he familiar with it? Is there any reason why --

MR. FITZWATER: I'm not going to touch this with a ten-foot pole. (Laughter.) Who else? Not on your life.

Q Are you suggesting you have one, Marlin?

Q How did the President feel about Perpich keeping the delegation -- the two senators -- out of the luncheon?

MR. FITZWATER: I don't know whether he even knows about it or not.

THE PRESS: Thank you.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
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TO THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES:

The people of this country share a deeply rooted love and concern for the environment. We have been blessed with a wealth of natural resources that enrich our physical and spiritual lives, and throughout our history we have recognized our responsibility to protect those resources for the generations to come.

Even as the pioneers traveled west to civilize a wild and seemingly endless frontier, there were Americans who understood that the Nation's natural resources had to be conserved for the future. In 1871, long before all of the continental states were incorporated into the Union, two million acres were set aside to create Yellowstone, our first national park.

The consequences of thoughtless exploitation of our natural resources began to be noticed more than a century ago. In 1908, President Theodore Roosevelt convened at the White House a national conference on conservation, where he said: "The wise use of all our natural resources, which are our national resources as well, is the great material question of today." That conference was a historical landmark in the development of public policy to protect and manage this country's natural resources.

Our national environmental ethic was expressed with particular clarity and conviction in 1970. On the first day of that year, President Nixon signed the National Environmental Policy Act, which created the Council on Environmental Quality and incorporated environmental awareness into the planning processes of the Federal Government. On the last day of 1970, the President signed the Clean Air Act, the Nation's first comprehensive environmental protection law. During that year, the Environmental Protection Agency and the National Oceanographic and Atmospheric Administration were established. And on April 22, 1970, millions of Americans voiced their environmental hopes and concerns on Earth Day.

This long national tradition of natural resource stewardship and environmental protection continues today, and in many ways it is stronger than ever. During the last 20 years we have built on the work begun in 1970, and the results have been remarkable. Possible effects on the environment are now weighed carefully whenever Federal agencies plan major actions. Our scientists have developed pollutant detection and control technologies that are far more effective than anything available in 1970. Environmental laws are now enforced, and environmental crimes punished, at every level of government, and enforcement officials have more legal and technical tools at their disposal than ever before. Besides spending billions of dollars a year to capture pollutants before they enter the air or water, American companies are beginning to invest in production materials and processes that generate much less pollution. And governments around the world are working together in unprecedented ways to solve pollution problems that affect the global quality of life.

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We can be proud of our environmental track record. In many ways we have set an example for the rest of the world, and other nations continue to look to the United States for environmental leadership. Over the past year, as the countries of Eastern Europe shook off their chains and took charge of their own political and economic lives, they turned to us for help in reversing decades of environmental neglect.

This 1989 Report to the Congress on Environmental Quality is a retrospective -- a look back at the ways our national environmental ethic has evolved over the past 20 years. And in looking back, the report also suggests a fair measure of hope for the future.

We have not solved all our environmental problems. Some we have only begun to understand. But over the past 2 decades we have proven to ourselves, and to the rest of the world, that we are willing to act on our beliefs. If the best prophet of the future is the past, as Lord Byron once wrote, then our children and grandchildren can look forward to the same good health, clean environment, and abundant natural resources that so many Americans have been so fortunate to share.

GEORGE BUSH

THE WHITE HOUSE,
June 6, 1990.

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NATIONAL FISHING WEEK, 1990

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BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

A PROCLAMATION

Each year, more than 60 million Americans engage in recreational fishing. For these Americans, fishing is a peaceful and rewarding way to spend time alone or in the company of family and friends. For many other Americans, however, fishing is not only a deeply enjoyed activity, but also their livelihood.

The members of our Nation's sport and commercial fishing industries make significant contributions to our economy and to our high standard of living. Commercial fishermen help to supply us with a variety of seafood. Each year, the recreational fishing industry contributes billions of dollars to the economy.

Whether it is their full-time occupation or simply their favorite pastime, those Americans who fish on our Nation's lakes, streams, and other territorial waters have also made important contributions to environmental protection. Over the years, anglers have worked together with Federal, State, and local officials to protect and enhance fisheries and to encourage responsible fishing practices. Our Nation's public investment in fishery conservation, restoration, and enhancement is, in large part, paid for by fishermen through licensing, excise taxes, and user fees. These efforts help to ensure that our Nation's fisheries remain a bountiful and renewable natural resource.

As anglers have clearly shown us, cooperation between individual citizens and government fosters a sense of shared pride and responsibility -- key elements of successful environmental stewardship. During National Fishing Week, we join in acknowledging the value of America's marine and freshwater resources, and we renew our commitment to protecting our fisheries for the sake of future generations.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE BUSH, President of the United States of America, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of the United States, do hereby proclaim the week of June 4 through June 10, 1990, as National Fishing Week. I invite all Americans to observe this week with appropriate programs, ceremonies, and activities.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this fifth day of June, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and ninety, and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred and fourteenth.

GEORGE BUSH

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THE PRESIDENT

June 6, 1990

Dear Gene,

I was very moved
by your May 29 letter.

I'm so very glad
our able friend Sam brought
you by. Thanks, again for

the present

Sincerely,

C. B.

bcc: Secretary Skinner

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