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03. Talking Points	A Private Meeting with His Holiness the Dali Lama [Index Cards] (2 pp.)	04/16/91	(b)(1)	
04. Talking Points	Points to be made for Meeting with Foreign Minister Dienstbier [Index Cards] (3 pp.)	n.d.	(b)(1)	✓
05. Note	Handwritten notes of Presidential Phone call with Helmut Kohl (4 pp.)	04/16/[91]	(b)(1)	
06. Note	Handwritten notes of Presidential Phone call with Brian Mulroney (1 pp.)	04/16/91	(b)(1)	
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08b. Talking Points	Presidential Call to Prime Minister Major (1 pp.)	04/16/[91]	(b)(1)	
09a. Note	Handwritten notes of Presidential Phone call with Prime Minister Mitterrand (1 pp.)	04/16/[91]	(b)(1)	
09b. Talking Points	Presidential Call to President Mitterrand [double-sided] (1 pp.)	04/16/[91]	(b)(1)	
10a. Note	Handwritten notes of Presidential Phone call with Secretary General Perez de Cuellar (2 pp.)	04/16/[91]	(b)(1)	
10b. Talking Points	Presidential Call to UN SecGen Perez de Cuellar (1 pp.)	04/16/[91]	(b)(1)	
11a. Note	Handwritten notes of Presidential Phone call with President Ozal (1 pp.)	04/16/[91]	(b)(1)	
11b. Talking Points	Presidential Call to President Ozal (1 pp.)	04/16/[91]	(b)(1)	
12a. Note	Handwritten note from the desk of George Bush Re: Jake [Simmons] (1 pp.)	n.d.	(b)(6)	
12b. Note	Jake Simmons talking points [redaction] (1 pp.)	n.d.	(b)(6)	
12c. Memo	From Patty Presock Re: Meeting with Commissioner J.J. Simmons [Interstate Commerce Commission] [redaction] (1 pp.)	04/16/91	(b)(6)	

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SCHEDULE OF THE PRESIDENT

Tuesday, April 16, 1991

7:30 am (15 min)	<u>Coffee with Commissioner J. J. Simmons</u> (Presock)	Oval Office
7:50 am (5 min)	<u>Photo with the Peake Family</u> (Presock)	Oval Office
8:10 am (10 min)	<i>OP/WP</i> <u>"Great American Read Aloud Day" Event</u> (Demarest) (TAB A)	Diplomatic Reception Room
8:20 am (10 min)	<u>Intelligence Briefing</u> (Scowcroft/Sununu)	Oval Office
8:30 am (30 min)	<u>National Security Briefing</u> (Scowcroft/Sununu)	Oval Office
9:00 am (30 min)	<u>Staff Time</u> (McClure) (TAB B)	Roosevelt Room
9:30 am (30 min)	<u>Administrative Time</u>	Oval Office
10:00 am (45 min)	<u>Personal Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
10:45 am (20 min)	<u>Staff Time</u> (Scowcroft) (TAB C)	Oval Office
11:15 am (20 min)	<i>WIRES</i> <u>Photo Opportunities</u> (TAB D) <i>WIRES</i> 1. The R. P. Foundation Fight- ing Blindness (Demarest) 2. Autism Society of America (Demarest) 3. Ambassador Richard Burt (Scowcroft)	Oval Office
11:35 am (25 min)	<u>Personal Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
12:00 pm (60 min)	<u>Lunch with the Vice President</u>	Oval Office

UNP 04/15/91
7:00 pm



1:00 pm
(30 min)

Personal Staff Time

Oval Office

1:30 pm
(45 min)

Video Taping Session
(Rogich)

(TAB E)

459 OEOB

2:15 pm
(15 min)

Personal Staff Time
CZECH FOREIGN MINISTER

Oval Office

2:30 pm
(60 min)

OP/WP

Meeting with Ranking Senate
Republicans
(McClure)

(TAB F)

Cabinet Room

3:30 pm
(30 min)

Personal Staff Time

Oval Office

4:00 pm
(30 min)

Administrative Time

Oval Office

4:30 pm
(30 min)

Meeting with Governor Sununu

Oval Office

0704 POTUS IN OVAL 0706 POTUS TO SOUTH GROUNDS
0711 POTUS IN OVAL 0718 ADD FITZWATER
0729 FITZWATER OUT 0732 ADD DEMAREST
0738 DEMAREST OUT / ADD SIMMONS
0750 SIMMONS OUT 0752 PEAKE ET AL IN (SEE ATTACHED LIST)
0759 ALL OUT 0801 POTUS TO DIP RECEPTION ROOM
0837 POTUS IN OVAL / ADD SCOWCROFT, GATES, SUNUNU, DCI PETERS
0900 ADD VP 0903 DCI, PETERS OUT
0906 SCOWCROFT, GATES OUT 0908 POTUS IN ROOSEVELT ROOM
0950 POTUS IN OVAL / ADD SUNUNU 0958 SUNUNU OUT
1001 ADD SUNUNU 1005 SUNUNU OUT
1046 ADD SCOWCROFT, GATES, SUNUNU
1048 BOREN ET AL IN 1119 ALL OUT / EXCEPT BOREN
1125 ADD SCOWCROFT
1127 BOREN OUT 1132 SCOWCROFT OUT
1133 RP ET AL IN 1138 ALL OUT

UNP 04/15/91

7:00 pm

1139 AUTISM SOCIETY ET AL IN

1146 ALL OUT

1147 ~~ET AL~~ ^{BURT} ET AL IN

1157 ALL OUT 1200 ADD JAMIE, SUE, SAM,

1202 ADD VP 1203 BUSHER OUT 1300 ADD GATES

1312 VP OUT 1324 GATES OUT

1327 POTUS TO 459 OEOB 1352 POTUS IN OVAL

1416 POTUS IN SCOWCROFT'S OFFICE

1440 POTUS IN CABINET ROOM

1548 POTUS IN OVAL

1549 ADD SCOWCROFT, GATES, FITZWATER, SUNUNU

1557 ALL OUT / EXCEPT SUNUNU 1605 SUNUNU OUT

1613 ADD SUNUNU

1645 SUNUNU OUT

1722 ADD SEC SKINNER, SUNUNU

1725 ADD SCOWCROFT, GATES, HAASS, CARD, FITZWATER

1726 SKINNER OUT

1738 SUNUNU, HAASS, FITZWATER OUT

1745 ADD FITZWATER, SUNUNU

1755 ALL OUT 1801 POTUS TO PRESS BRIEFING ROOM

1831 POTUS TO RESIDENCE

1832 POTUS IN RESIDENCE / DALAI LAMA ET AL IN

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PEAKE, David, Jr.
PEAKE, Katherine
PEAKE, George
PEAKE, Sam
PEAKE, David, III
PEAKE, Henry
PEAKE, Zoe

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WASHINGTON

TELEPHONE MEMORANDUM

PRESIDENT BUSH

APRIL 16 th , 19⁹¹

	TIME		NAME	ACTION
	PLACED	DISC		
OUT	7:17 AM	7:21	MR. JOHN E. BUSH	
INC	PM		(b)(6)	TLKD-OK
OUT	AM			
INC	PM			
OUT	9:59 AM	10:02	MS. KATHERINE L. SUPER OFC: WASHINGTON, D.C. WHITE HOUSE ADMIN. EXT. 645	TLKD-OK
INC	PM			
OUT	AM			
INC	PM			
OUT	10:31 AM	10:40	MR. RONALD C. KAUFMAN OFC: WASHINGTON, D.C. 202-456-2135	TLKD-OK
INC	PM			
OUT	AM			
INC	PM			
OUT	AM			
INC	4:05 PM	4:08	SENATOR DAVID H. PRYOR GEORGE WASHINGTON HOSPITAL WASHINGTON, D.C.	TLKD-OK
OUT	AM		202-994-3407	
INC	PM			
OUT	AM			
INC	5:34 PM	5:35	PRIME MINISTER BRIAN MULRONEY (b)(6)	TLKD-OK
OUT	AM			
INC	PM			
OUT	AM			
INC	5:18 PM	5:19	MRS. BARBARA BUSH RES: WASHINGTON, D.C. WHITE HOUSE ADMIN. EXT. 530	TLKD-OK

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OUT XXX	XX		MR. CHARLES G. (CHASE) UNTERMEYER OFC: WASHINGTON, D.C.	
INC	5:19 PM	5:23	WHITE HOUSE ADMIN. EXT. 689	TLKD-OK
OUT	AM			
INC	PM			
OUT	XX		SECRETARY RICHARD B. CHENEY WASHINGTON, D.C.	
INC	7:11 PM	7:28	202-483-3000	TLKD-OK 7:27 P.M.
OUT	AM			
INC	PM			
OUT	XX		VIDEO SERVICES OFC: WASHINGTON, D.C.	TLKD-OK WITH SERGEANT CAMARILLO
INC	7:24 PM	7:25	202-395-4125	7:24 P.M.
OUT	AM			
INC	PM			
OUT	XX		VIDEO SERVICES OFC: WASHINGTON, D.C.	TLKD-OK WITH PETTY OFFICER HANSON
INC	7:41 PM	7:41	202-395-4125	
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SIGNAL SWITCHBOARD

April 16, 1991

	TIME		DISC	NAME	ACTION
	PLACED				
QMX	8:19 AM		8:59	Conference Call: Chancellor Helmut Kohl (b)(6)	LW with Ms. Presock 8:24 AM Tlkd-ok 8:36 AM
INC		PM			
OUT		AM		Mr. Robert L. Hutchings White House Situation Room White House Signal 2-2262	
INC		PM			
OUT		AM		Mr. Cornelius F. O'Leary White House Situation Room White House Signal 2-2262	
INC		PM			
OUT		AM		Mr. Harry Obst White House Situation Room White House Signal 2-2262	
INC		PM			
OUT		AM		Conference Call: Prime Minister John Major Office, London, England via DVL	Tlkd-ok 12:24 PM via Secure Voice
INC	12:24 PM		12:40		
OUT		AM		Mr. Cornelius F. O'Leary White House Situation Room Secure Voice x7406	Added to Conference 12:25 PM
INC		PM			
OUT		AM		Conference Call: Secretary General Javier Perez de Cuellar	Tlkd-ok 12:47 PM
INC	12:38 PM		1:03		
OUT		AM		(b)(6)	
INC		PM			
OUT		AM		Ms. Nancy B. Dyke White House Situation Room White House Signal 2-2264	
INC		PM			
OUT		AM		Conference Call: President Francois Mitterand (b)(6)	Tlkd-ok 1:07 PM
INC	12:57 PM		1:21		
OUT		AM		Mr. R. Nicholas Burns White House Situation Room White House Signal 2-2264	
INC		PM			

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OUT		AM		Ms. Stephanie Van Reigersburg White House Situation Room White House Signal 2-2264	
INC		PM			
OUT		AM		Conference Call: President Turgut Ozal Cemana Holiday Resort,	Tlkd-ok 2:30 PM
INC	2:05	PM	2:38		
OUT		AM		Cemana, Turkey 846363	
INC		PM			
OUT		AM		Mr. Cornelius F. O'Leary White House Situation Room White House Signal 2-2264	
INC		PM			
OUT		AM		Mr. R. Nicholas Burns White House Situation Room White House Signal 2-2264	
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PRESIDENTIAL MOVEMENTS

LOCATION Washington, D.C.

DATE 16 April 1991

TIME	MOVEMENTS
0704	South Grounds
0706	Oval Office
0707	South Grounds
0712	Oval Office
0802	South Grounds
0806	Residence
0835	Oval Office
0909	Roosevelt Room
0950	Oval Office
1329	West Executive Avenue
1331	Room 450, Old Executive Office Building
1334	Room 459, Old Executive Office Building
1353	Oval Office
1416	General Scowcroft's Office
1439	Cabinet Room
1555	Oval Office
1805	Press Lobby
1835	Residence
2150	South Grounds
2201	State Floor
2203	Residence

CONGRESSIONAL MONITOR



Tuesday, April 16, 1991

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News From the Hill

STIFFER FINES announced by Martin for coal dust tampering.

Coal companies fined for tampering with coal dust samples could face even stiffer penalties if Secretary of Labor Lynn Martin has her way.

Earlier this month, Martin announced the Labor Department had levied \$1,000 fines for nearly 5,000 alleged tampering cases at 840 mines. The samples are used to determine miners' chances of contracting black lung disease.

But at a House Education and Labor Subcommittee on Health and Safety hearing yesterday, Chairman Joseph M. Gaydos, D-Pa., said perhaps the fines should be increased to the maximum \$10,000.

"At least that would get [the coal companies'] attention before any settlement process would begin," he said in his opening statement.

Martin said the Labor Department would increase the fines to \$10,000 in 11 of the tampering cases because they occurred in mine areas that were supposed to be relatively dust-free to protect miners already showing signs of black lung disease.

KURDISH RELIEF efforts to expand, State official says.

The Pentagon is planning a "massive effort" to save the lives of 700,000 Kurdish refugees in Turkey, Iran and northern Iraq over the next 30 days, a State Department official said yesterday.

Princeton Lyman, director of the Bureau for Refugee Programs at the State Department, told the Senate Judiciary Subcommittee on Immigration and Refugee Affairs that over the next 30 days the Defense Department will send "massive amounts of food, tents, blankets and medical supplies" to the cramped refugee camps in Iran and the mountains of southern Turkey.

The military will deploy more than 40 C-130 transport planes, 60 helicopters, 75-100 small tactical companies and a construction battalion to assist in the op-

eration, he said.

Lyman said the military relief operation is intended only as a "short-term effort" to save lives until a more permanent relief operation, to be directed by the United Nations, is implemented. Subcommittee Chairman Edward M. Kennedy, D-Mass., suggested that emergency funding be approved by Congress so that the cost of saving the Kurds and others will not take away from relief efforts in other parts of the world. The Bush administration is preparing a fiscal 1991 supplemental funding request to pay for aid to the refugees that could come before Congress this week.

"The current humanitarian crisis in the region is a direct result of the forces unleashed by Operation Desert Storm, and the funding for the effort to deal with it should be charged accordingly," Kennedy said.

Wyoming Republican Alan K. Simpson, who supports the relief operation, said the response to date by the United States to the Kurdish refugee crisis has been "remarkable." He said nearly \$42 million has been spent on relief efforts since late March.

BASE CLOSING list given to independent commission by Cheney.

Defense Secretary Dick Cheney told the independent Defense Base Closing and Realignment Commission yesterday: "I have done a lot of difficult things in two years now as secretary of Defense, but I would have to put closing bases right at the top of the list of difficult challenges."

The eight-member independent commission — made up of private citizens and chaired by former Rep. Jim Courter, R-N.J. — met for the first time yesterday.

Cheney noted that this year's proposal to close 31 major domestic bases along with the 16 ordered closed by the base closings

House Floor: Lawmakers will begin work on a budget resolution (H Con Res 121) that is designed to serve as a guide for the fiscal 1992 budget debate.

The House Rules Committee approved a rule yesterday that will allow for the consideration of four amendments. The first, to be offered by William D. Ford, D-Mich., calls for an increase in education spending of \$400 million over the \$2 billion increase recommended in the Budget Committee-approved budget resolution.

Bill Gradison of Ohio, the ranking Republican on the Budget Committee, will offer the Bush administration's budget as a substitute to H Con Res 121.

Two other GOP lawmakers, John R. Kasich, Ohio, and William E. Dannemeyer, Calif., are also scheduled to offer alternative budget proposals.

Action on the amendments is not expected today.

Chamorro Address. Nicaraguan President Violeta Chamorro will address a joint meeting of the House and Senate.

Senate Floor: After a number of delays in its consideration, the Senate today is scheduled to take up a measure (S 207) to reauthorize the Commodity Futures Trading Commission, the federal agency that monitors trading in commodities futures pits.

Amendments are expected to the bill, but votes may be delayed until after a Banking Committee hearing on the possible effects of S 207 on the banking industry. The hearing is set for today.

Budget Markup: A proposal to cut Social Security payroll taxes will be one of the main items of debate when the Senate Budget Committee resumes its markup of a draft fiscal 1992 budget resolution today.

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The panel's ranking Republican, Pete V. Domenici, N.M., will try to squelch an attempt by Daniel Patrick Moynihan, D-N.Y., to reduce the Social Security payroll tax. Moynihan plans to offer an amendment on the floor to allow him, at some later date, to propose a reduction in the Social Security tax.

Senate rules governing the budget process had required a 60-vote majority to make changes in Social Security funding levels. But a little-noticed provision in last year's budget agreement changed the rules so that amendments such as Moynihan's now need only a majority for approval.

Domenici has said he will fight to restore the 60-vote requirement at today's markup. He opposes the tax cut, in part because he says it would increase the deficit, and because he fears re-opening the issue could allow money in the Social Security trust funds to be spent on unrelated programs.

Energy Strategy: The Senate Energy Committee will take the first steps in what is likely to be a lengthy legislative process, as it begins marking up an omnibus national energy plan (S 341).

The Senate is taking the lead in moving the measure, which has some broad similarities with President Bush's proposed energy strategy, released in February. Both the Senate and administration plans would allow oil drilling in Alaska's Arctic National Wildlife Refuge, streamline nuclear power plant licensing procedures and ease entry into the electricity generation business.

However, environmentalists have been critical of both plans, and the committee will begin by marking up less controversial portions of the bill.

Tomorrow, members are slated to begin work on the renewable energy portion of the 15-title bill. That section is aimed at increasing the use of hydropower and solar and geothermal energy.

Other provisions would ease the licensing process for hydroelectric plants and eliminate Federal Energy Regulatory Commission regulation of smaller hydroelectric plants.

Striker Replacement: The House Public Works and Transportation Committee will mark up a bill (HR 5) that would bar the hiring of permanent replacements for striking workers and also work on a less controversial measure (HR 172) on older aircraft.

Under the striker replacement bill, which the White House opposes, companies would be barred from hiring permanent workers during a strike or offering preferential hiring to temporary replacements when a strike ends. Companies would retain the right to hire temporary

workers for the duration of a strike.

The bill gained Aviation Subcommittee approval last week on a 24-10 vote, but it has drawn an administration veto threat. Public Works has jurisdiction over portions of the legislation that affect the railroad and airline industries.

The Education and Labor Committee, which has primary jurisdiction over the bill, is slated to mark up the measure on Thursday.

Aging Aircraft. The committee will also take up a bill that would require the Federal Aviation Administration to monitor more rigorously the nation's fleet of aging aircraft.

Environment Department: The Senate Governmental Affairs Committee will mark up legislation (S 533) that would transform the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) into the Department of the Environment.

Proponents say that elevating EPA to Cabinet status would give the agency more clout.

The bill would also create a Bureau of Environmental Statistics to compile, analyze and publish data on the nature, source and amounts of pollutants in the environment and their effect on the public.

Similar legislation died last year because of a variety of White House objections. One of the key sticking points was a House provision that would have made the statistics bureau an independent, non-partisan entity, whose data would not be subject to review by the executive branch, notably the Office of Management and Budget or the Environment secretary.

Under the bill being marked up today, the bureau would be subject to presidential control.

No amendments are expected to be offered.

Intelligence Authorization: The intelligence-gathering agencies of the federal government have been temporarily operating without any direct authorizing legislation. That's because President Bush pocket-vetoed an authorization measure last year after Congress adjourned.

The House Intelligence Committee today will mark up legislation (HR 1455) to authorize U.S. intelligence activities for fiscal 1991.

Bush vetoed the earlier measure because of a provision that would have required the president to consult with Congress when involving a foreign government or private citizen in a covert operation. He argued that this would seriously affect the ability of the executive branch to conduct foreign policy.

Despite months of work, lawmakers and the president could not reach agreement on the provision. The section dealing with the issue has been deleted from the bill under consideration today. ■

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commission in 1988 would reduce the 495 major domestic military installations by 47 — nearly a 9 percent decrease.

Commission members have the power to add or delete bases from the group Cheney recommended last Friday.

By July 1, the group must forward their recommendations for base closings to President Bush. President Bush will have two weeks to study the commission's list. He must return the list to the commission with his revisions by July 15 or accept the panel's work as submitted. If Bush makes changes, the commission will get another month to review the list.

Bush is to receive the final list by Aug. 15. If he fails to approve it by Sept. 1, no bases will be closed.

If the president approves the base closings list, Congress then has 45 days to pass a joint resolution disapproving the entire list, which Bush could veto. If Congress does not act, the bases will close as planned.

TAX BREAKS urged for low- and middle-income families.

American families are the "most overtaxed families on the planet," and they deserve a tax break, Patricia Schroeder, D-Colo., said yesterday at a hearing of the House Select Committee on Children, Youth and Families.

"Today is tax day — the day our federal taxes are due to the federal government and the opening day of a revolution by American families to reclaim the tax code," Schroeder, who chairs the panel, said in a prepared statement.

Witnesses at the hearing urged Congress to increase the personal income tax exemption to help alleviate the burden on low- and middle-class Americans.

C. Eugene Steuerle, senior fellow at The Urban Institute, said low-income families now pay more than 20 percent of their income in federal and state income taxes and Social Security payroll taxes, partially because the personal exemption has failed to keep pace with inflation.

Schroeder and 59 other House members are cosponsors of legislation (HR 1277) sponsored by Virginia Republican Frank R. Wolf that would increase the exemption from \$2,050 to \$3,500.

JAPANESE MARKETS still not open to U.S., panel hears.

One year after the United States and Japan reached an agreement designed to improve trade relations, Japan continues to place barriers to trade, business leaders yesterday told the Senate Finance Subcommittee on International Trade.

Last year, Japan agreed to move toward opening up its markets, including beefing up the Japan Fair Trade Commission and promoting imports through

tax incentives. For their part, United States trade officials agreed to take steps to make American products and services more competitive.

John E. Howard of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce told the panel that while the agreement has opened up some of Japan's markets, barriers still exist to U.S. imports. In particular, U.S. firms have trouble gaining access to Japan's product distribution system, he said.

Subcommittee Chairman Max Baucus, D-Mont., agreed and called on the Bush administration to be more active in its trade negotiations with Japan. Baucus likened the administration's push to open Japanese markets to a 100-yard sprint. "For a short period, we devote great energy to opening up the Japanese market. But once we reach an agreement, we simply declare victory and walk away," he said.

R. K. Morris, representing the National Association of Manufacturers, called on Congress to pass legislation (S 388) that would allow American businesses to petition the U.S. trade representative to investigate whether a foreign country was complying with trade accords.

FETAL TISSUE argument revisited by Waxman's panel.

House lawmakers sparred yesterday over the politically sensitive issue of fetal tissue research.

In a hearing on reauthorizing the National Institutes of Health (NIH), Henry A. Waxman, D-Calif., chairman of the House Energy and Commerce Subcommittee on Health, accused the administration of acting on the "demands of the most extreme elements" of the anti-abortion movement in its support of a ban on federal funding of fetal tissue research.

The White House supports the ban, arguing that such research might lead to an increase in abortions by women who seek to donate fetal tissue to research.

But Waxman said: "The administration has reached this opinion with no empirical evidence, no expert opinion and against all comparisons with other countries in which such research is supported."

Panel member Clyde C. Holloway, R-La., defended the ban on federal funding and charged supporters of fetal tissue research with preaching the line that it is "wrong to steal, but OK to use the stolen object."

Bernadine P. Healy, recently confirmed as NIH director, said that while NIH will abide by the policies of the administration, she and her staff will "participate in broader governmentwide discussions on social policy" regarding biomedical research.

Healy, before becoming a White House appointee, voted as a member of two federal panels in support of fetal tissue research at NIH. ■

Committee Meetings Today

Senate Committees

FY92 AGRICULTURE APPROP

Senate Appropriations Committee

Rural Development, Agriculture and Related Agencies Subcommittee (Chairman Burdick, D-N.D.) will hold hearings on fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am SD-138 Dirksen Bldg. April 16

Agenda and witnesses scheduled: Lavarne Ausman - administrator, Farmers Home Administration; James Cason - manager, Federal Crop Insurance Corporation; Gary Byrne - administrator, Rural Electrification Administration; Dennis Kaplan - budget officer, Department of Agriculture

■ **FY92 COMMERCE, STATE, JUSTICE APPROP**

Senate Appropriations Committee

Commerce, Justice, State, the Judiciary and Related Agencies Subcommittee (Chairman Hollings D-S.C.) will hold hearings on fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am S-146 Capitol April 16

Witness scheduled: Carla Hills - administrator, Office of the U.S. Trade Representative

Note: Testimony from the International Trade Commission has been postponed.

■ **FY92 DEFENSE APPROP**

Senate Appropriations Committee

Defense Subcommittee (Chairman Inouye, D-Hawaii) will hold hearings on fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

9am SD-124 Dirksen Bldg. April 16

Agenda and witnesses scheduled: armored systems modernizations issues:

Stephen Conner - assistant secretary of the Army for acquisition, research and development; Maj. Gen. Peter McVey - program executive officer, armored systems modernization

FY92 FOREIGN OPS APPROP

Senate Appropriations Committee

Foreign Operations Subcommittee (Chairman Leahy, D-Vt.) will hold hearings on fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10:30am SD-116 Dirksen Bldg. April 16

Agenda and witnesses scheduled: Aid to Eastern Europe:

Robert Barry - special adviser for Eastern European assistance, State Department; Carol Adelman - assistant administrator, Agency for International Development

FY92 LABOR-HHS APPROP

Senate Appropriations Committee

Labor, Health and Human Services, Education and Related Agencies Subcommittee (Chairman Harkin, D-Iowa) will hold hearings on fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction

9:30am SD-192 Dirksen Bldg. April 16

Witnesses scheduled: Sen. Jim Exon, D-Neb.; Sen. Larry Craig, R-Idaho; Harry Barnes - executive director, Critical Languages and Area Studies Consortium; Geraldine Dietz Fox - Friends of

NDICD; Max Richtman - vice president, Committee to Preserve Social Security and Medicare; Stephen Strickland - president, National Peace Institute Foundation; John Schott - director, Independent Television Services; Lewis Judd - National Alliance for the Mentally Ill; Daniel Bross - director, AIDS Action Council; Mathilde Krimm - American Foundation for AIDS Research; Peter Wallace - American Academy of Pediatrics; Alfred Healy - AAUP; John Folkins - American Speech-Language-Hearing Association; Helen Fox - National Association of State Boards of Education; Sandra Thomas - Children with Attention Deficit Disorders; The Council of Organizational Representatives; Marvin Webb - director, Great River Bend Area Agency on Aging of Davenport; Lynn Cooper Breckenmaker - Family Health Council of Central Pennsylvania; Jill June - Planned Parenthood of Mid-Iowa; Susan Scott - National Rehabilitation Caucus; Marie Whitehead - American Nurses Association; Ernest Payne Jr. - National Association of Community Health Centers; Ralph Moore Jr. - chairman, governmental affairs committee, Association for Retarded Citizens of the U.S.; Daniel Perry - director, Alliance for Aging Research; Jim Clark - American Dental Association; Council of State Administrators of Vocational Rehabilitation; Theresa Scheetz - Planned Parenthood Federation of Western Pennsylvania; Kenneth Quickel Jr. - Joslin Diabetes Center

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Senate continued...**DEFENSE INDUSTRIAL BASE****Senate Armed Services Committee**

Defense Industry and Technology Subcommittee (Chairman Bingaman, D-N.M.) will continue hearings on the president's fiscal 1992-93 defense authorization request, focusing on the defense industrial base.

9:30am SR-222 Russell Bldg. **April 16**

Witnesses scheduled: Nicholas Torelli - deputy assistant secretary of Defense for production resources; Paul Math - director of research, development, acquisition, and procurement, General Accounting Office; Bernard Schwartz - chairman of the board, The Loral Corp.; Jacques Gansler - senior vice president, The Analytic Sciences Corp.

CFTC REAUTHORIZATION**Senate Banking Committee**

The full committee (Chairman Riegle, D-Mich.) will hold a hearing on legislation (S 207) to reauthorize the Commodity Futures Trading Commission. The hearing will also consider jurisdictional disputes between the Commodity Futures Trading Commission and the Securities and Exchange Commission.

10am SD-538 Dirksen Bldg. **April 16**

Witnesses scheduled: Richard Breeden - chairman, Securities and Exchange Commission; Robert Glauber - under secretary of the Treasury for Finance; Wendy Gramm - chairman, Commodity Futures Trading Commission; Alan Greenspan - chairman, Federal Reserve Board

FULL COMMITTEE MARKUP: FY92 BUDGET RESOLUTION**Senate Budget Committee**

The full committee (Chairman Sasser, D-Tenn.) will continue to mark up the FY92 budget resolution.

3pm SD-608 Dirksen Bldg. **April 16**

Note: This session began April 11.

OZONE DEPLETION**Senate Commerce Committee**

Science, Technology and Space Subcommittee (Chairman Gore, D-Tenn.) will hold a hearing on new data on the depletion of the Earth's protective ozone layer.

9am SR-253 Russell Bldg. **April 16**

Witnesses scheduled: Robert Watson - Earth Sciences and Applications Division, NASA; Richard Stolarski - Earth Sciences Directorate, NASA; Dan Albritton - astronomy lab, NOAA; F Sherwood Rowland - University of California-Irvine; David Doniger - Natural Resources Defense Council

NASA OVERSIGHT**Senate Commerce Committee**

Science, Technology and Space Subcommittee (Chairman Gore, D-Tenn.) will hold hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) issues.

2pm SR-253 Russell Bldg. **April 16**

Agenda and witnesses scheduled:

April 16: Space Station:

PANEL 1: Adm. Richard Truly - administrator, NASA; William Lenoir - associate administrator, Office of Space Flight, NASA; Richard Kohrs - director, Space Station Freedom Program, NASA

PANEL 2: Robert Bayuzick - Space Station Science and Applications Advisory Subcommittee; Harry Holloway - Aerospace Medical Advisory Committee; Louis Lanzerotti - National Research Council

PANEL 3: Bruce Murray - Planetary Society; John Pike - Federation of American Scientists

FULL COMMITTEE MARKUP: ENERGY STRATEGY**Senate Energy Committee**

The full committee (Chairman Johnston, D-La.) will mark up legislation (S 341) the National Energy Security Act of 1991.

9:30am SD-366 Dirksen Bldg. **April 16**

Agenda: Title IV - renewable energy

SUPERCONDUCTING SUPER COLLIDER**Senate Energy Committee**

Energy Research and Development Subcommittee (Chairman Ford, D-Ky.) will hold a hearing on the Energy Department's superconducting super collider.

2pm SD-366 Dirksen Bldg. **April 16**

Witnesses scheduled:

PANEL 1: D Allen Bromley - director, Office of Science and Technology, Executive Office of the President; W Hanson Moore - deputy secretary, Energy Department

PANEL 2: Leon Lederman - fermi National Accelerator Lab; Nicolaas Bloembergen - American Physical Society; Paul Fleury - AT&T Bell Labs

FEDERAL FACILITIES**ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE****Senate Environment Committee**

Environmental Protection Subcommittee (Chairman Baucus, D-Mont.) will hold a hearing on legislation (S 596) to require that federal facilities and installations comply with federal and state environmental laws and regulations.

10am SD-406 Dirksen Bldg. **April 16**

Background: The bill would require that federal facilities, such as nuclear weapons plants, comply with the nation's hazardous waste control laws. The measure would clarify that the Environmental Protection Agency has the authority to enforce existing laws that require federal agencies to meet the same standards as private industry. Bill sponsor George J. Mitchell, D-Maine, says the administration has been reluctant to force federal agencies to comply with environmental laws.

The full committee reported identical legislation last year. The House has passed similar legislation for the past two years.

Witnesses scheduled:

PANEL 1: Larry EchoHawk - attorney general, state of Idaho; Terry Husseman - National Governors Association

PANEL 2: Chris Holmes - Office of Enforcement, EPA; Thomas Baca - deputy assistant secretary of defense for environment, Defense Department; Mark Schroeder - deputy general counsel for energy resources and litigation, Energy Department

PANEL 3: Shira Flax - Sierra Club; Gerald Pollet - Heart of America Northwest; Lisa Crawford - Fernald Residents for Environmental Safety and Health

HEALTH-CARE COSTS & ACCESS TO INSURANCE**Senate Finance Committee**

The full committee (Chairman Bentsen, D-Texas) will continue hearings on the causes of rising health care costs and lack of access to health insurance.

10am SD-215 Dirksen Bldg. **April 16**

Witnesses scheduled: Richard Darman - director, Office of Management and Budget; Edward Hennessy - chairman of the board and CEO, Allied-Signal Inc.; Kenneth Macke - chairman and CEO, Dayton Hudson Corp.; Walter Wil-

liams - chairman and CEO, Bethlehem Steel Corp.; Rhoda Karparkin - executive director, Consumers Union; Dallas Salisbury - president, Employee Benefit Research Institute

MARITIME TREATIES**Senate Foreign Relations Committee**

The full committee (Chairman Pell, D-R.I.) will hold a hearing on pending maritime treaties involving safety and the environment.

9:30am SD-419 Dirksen Bldg. **April 16**

Witness scheduled: Adm. J. William Kime - commandant, United States Coast Guard

Agenda:

Ex. EE - 96-1: International Convention on Standards of Training, Certification and Watchkeeping for Seafarers

Treaty Doc. 101-7: MARPOL Annex II

Treaty Doc. 102-2: Protocols to the Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea and to the Convention on the Load Lines

FULL COMMITTEE MARKUP**Senate Governmental Affairs Committee**

The full committee (Chairman Glenn, D-Ohio) will mark up pending legislation.

10am SD-342 Dirksen Bldg. **April 16**

Agenda:

S 533 - to establish the Department of the Environment, provide for a Bureau of Environmental Statistics and a Presidential Commission on Improving Environmental Protection

CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION**Senate Labor Committee**

Children, Family, Drugs and Alcoholism Subcommittee (Chairman Dodd, D-Conn.) will hold a hearing on the reauthorization of the Child Abuse and Prevention Act of 1974.

2pm SD-430 Dirksen Bldg. **April 16**

Witnesses scheduled: Barbara Sinatra - founder of the Barbara Sinatra Children's Center; Robert Zampanou - U.S. District Judge; Carolyn Newberger - director, Victim Recovery Study, Boston's Children's Hospital; Phil Newsome - caseworker, Department of Protective Services, Prince Georges County, Md.; Helen Libey - caseworker, Department of Protective Services, Prince Georges County, Md.; Gary Allen - Wallingford, Conn.; Richard Krugmen - chairman, Child Abuse Advisory Board; Deborah Daro - director, National Committee for the Prevention of Child Abuse; Janet Wiig - administrator, Minnesota Department of Public Welfare

ERISA PRE-EMPTION**Senate Labor Committee**

Labor Subcommittee (Chairman Metzenbaum, D-Ohio) will hold a hearing on legislation (S 794) to amend the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 to provide that the act does not pre-empt certain state laws.

9am SD-628 Dirksen Bldg. **April 16**

Background: One of the many compromises lawmakers included when fashioning the 1974 Employee Retirement Income Security Act (ERISA) was a provision that specifically made the federal law governing employee benefits pre-empt state laws. In recent years, the states have enacted numerous employee benefits laws on benefits, such as health care, not regulated under ERISA. But courts have ruled that these state laws are invalid because of ERISA. This legislation (S 794) would try to clarify the situations under which ERISA does or does not pre-empt a state law.

Senate continued...**Witnesses scheduled:**

PANEL 1: Cindy Ferguson - Los Angeles, Calif.; Jack Norris Jr. - for the Attorney General of Fla.; William Denton - Biloxi, Miss.

PANEL 2: Robert Abrams - attorney general for N.Y.; Robert Georgine - president, Building Trades Department, AFL-CIO; James Noble - executive vice president, Mechanical Contractors Association of America Inc.

PANEL 3: Peter Kelley - U.S. Chamber of Commerce; Anne Marie Walsh - assistant Washington counsel, Health Insurance Association of America; Maurice Baskin - general counsel, Associated Builders and Contractors

House Committees**■ PESTICIDE REGULATION (FIFRA)****House Agriculture Committee**

Department Operations, Research and Foreign Agriculture Subcommittee (Chairman Rose, D-N.C.) will hold a hearing to review the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act.

9:30am 1300 Longworth Bldg. April 16

Witnesses scheduled: Linda Fisher - assistant administrator for policy, planning and evaluation, EPA; Jack Parnell - deputy secretary, Agriculture Department

■ FOREST RESOURCES**House Agriculture Committee**

Forests, Family Farms and Energy Subcommittee (Chairman Volkmer, D-Mo.) will hold hearings on a General Accounting Office report on reforestation of national forest lands.

10am 1302 Longworth Bldg. April 16

Witnesses scheduled: Tim Overbay - deputy chief for National Forest System, Forest Service; Flora Milans - associate director, Resource and Economic Development Division, General Accounting Office

■ FY92 AGRICULTURE APPROP**House Appropriations Committee**

Agriculture, Rural Development and Related Agencies Subcommittee (Chairman Whitten, D-Miss.) will hold hearings on fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

1pm 2362 Rayburn Bldg. April 16

Witness scheduled: Wendy Gramm - chairman, Commodity Futures Trading Commission

■ FY92 COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE APPROP**House Appropriations Committee**

Commerce, Justice, State, the Judiciary and Related Agencies Subcommittee (Chairman Smith, D-Iowa) will hold hearings on fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am and 2pm H-310 Capitol Bldg. April 16

Witnesses scheduled: members of Congress and public witnesses

■ FY92 DEFENSE APPROP**House Appropriations Committee**

Defense Subcommittee (Chairman Murtha, D-Pa.) will hold hearings on

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fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am and 1:30pm H-140 Capitol April 16

Witnesses scheduled: (10am) Stephen Duncan - assistant secretary of Defense for Reserve affairs; RADM James Taylor - director, Naval Reserve; MGen. Hollis Davison - assistant deputy chief of staff for manpower, Marine Corps. (1:30pm) Lt. Gen. John Conaway - chief, National Guard; Maj. Gen. John Clossner - chief, Air Force Reserve; MGen. Donald Burdick - director, Army National Guard; Maj. Gen. William Ward - chief, Army Reserve

■ FY92 FOREIGN OPS APPROP**House Appropriations Committee**

Foreign Operations Subcommittee (Chairman Obey, D-Wis.) will hold hearings on fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am 2360 Rayburn Bldg. April 16

Witness scheduled: James Baker III - Secretary of State

■ FY92 INTERIOR APPROP**House Appropriations Committee**

Interior Subcommittee (Chairman Yates, D-Ill.) will hold hearings on fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am & 1:30pm B-308 Rayburn Bldg. April 16

Witness scheduled: John Turner - director, Fish and Wildlife Service

■ FY92 LABOR, HHS APPROP**House Appropriations Committee**

Labor, Health and Human Services, Education and Related Agencies Subcommittee (Chairman Natcher, D-Ky.) will hold hearings on fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

9:30am and 2pm 2358 Rayburn Bldg. April 16

Agenda and witnesses scheduled: (9:30am) Duane Alexander - director, National Institute of Child Health and Human Development; David Hoel - acting director, National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences (2pm) T. Franklin Williams - director, National Institute on Aging; Lawrence Shulman - director, National Institute of Arthritis and Musculoskeletal and Skin Diseases

■ FY92 TREASURY, POSTAL APPROP**House Appropriations Committee**

Treasury, Postal Service and General Government Subcommittee (Chairman Roybal, D-Calif.) will hold hearings on fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

9:30am, 10am and 2pm H-164 Capitol Bldg. April 16

Witnesses scheduled: (9:30am) Allan Bromley - director, National Critical Materials Council (10am) Bob Martinez - director, Office of National Drug Control Policy (2pm) Michael Boskin - chairman, Council of Economic Advisors

■ FY92 VA, HUD APPROP**House Appropriations Committee**

VA, HUD and Independent Agencies Subcommittee (Chairman Traxler, D-Mich.) will hold hearings on fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am and 2pm H-143 Capitol Bldg. April 16

Witnesses scheduled: William Reilly - administrator, Environmental Protection Agency

■ PATRIOT MISSILE & SDI**House Armed Services Committee**

Defense Policy Panel (Chairman Aspin, D-Wis.), Procurement and Military Nuclear Systems Subcommittee (Chairman Aspin, D-Wis.) and Research and Development Subcommittee (Chairman Dellums, D-Calif.) will continue joint hearings on the impact of the Persian Gulf War and the decline of the Soviet Union on the way the United States does its defense business, focusing on the successful Patriot missile program and implications for the future of the Strategic Defense Initiative.

9:30am 2118 Rayburn Bldg. April 16

Witnesses scheduled: Albert Carnesale - professor of public policy, J.F.K. School of Government, Harvard University; Richard Perle - resident fellow, American Enterprise Institute; Theodore Postol - science professor, Defense and Arms Control Studies Program, Center for International Study, MIT

■ FY92-93 DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE**House Armed Services Committee**

Readiness Subcommittee (Chairman Hutto, D-Fla.) will continue hearings on the operation and maintenance portion of the fiscal 1992-93 defense authorization.

2pm 2118 Rayburn Bldg. April 16

Agenda & Witnesses scheduled: chemical equipment training and funding; Rep. Browder, D-Ala.; Elisa Harris - Brookings Institution; Richard Davis - General Accounting Office; Bill Richardson - deputy assistant secretary of Defense

■ FY92-93 DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION SEAPOWERS MODERNIZATION**House Armed Services Committee**

Seapower and Strategic and Critical Materials Subcommittee (Chairman Bennett, D-Fla.) will continue hearings on the seapower portion of the fiscal 1992-93 defense authorization, focusing on the sealift program requirements and on legislation (HR 63) to increase the capability of U.S. maritime industries to meet the U.S. national defense and ocean transportation needs.

2pm 2212 Rayburn Bldg. April 16

Witnesses scheduled: Gen. Hansford Johnson - commander in chief, U.S. Transportation Command; Maj. Gen. Fred Elam - assistant deputy chief of staff for logistics, Army

■ U.S.-MEXICO FREE TRADE**House Banking Committee**

International Development Subcommittee (Chairman Oakar, D-Ohio) will hold a hearing on the proposed U.S.-Mexico free trade agreement.

1:30pm 2128 Rayburn Bldg. April 16

Witnesses scheduled: Charles Roe - assistant U.S. Trade Representative; William Cunningham - legislative representative, AFL-CIO; Colleen Morton - director, U.S. Council of Mexico-U.S. Business Committee; Jeff Faux - president, Economic Policy Committee; Gustavo del Castillo - visiting fellow, Overseas Development Council; Stewart Hudson - acting director for international programs - National Wildlife Federation

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House continued...■ **BANK INDUSTRY RESTRUCTURING**
House Banking Committee

Financial Institutions Supervision, Regulation and Insurance Subcommittee (Chairman Annunzio, D-Ill.) will hold hearings on restructuring of the banking industry.

10am 2128 Rayburn Bldg. April 16

Witnesses scheduled: Richard Kirk - president, American Bankers Association; David Ballweg - president, Independent Bankers Association of America; Phillip Purcell - Financial Services Council; Samuel McCullough - Association of Bank Holding Companies; chairman, U.S. League of Savings Institutions; Edward Lorenson - National Council of Savings Institutions

■ **HIGHER EDUCATION ACT: LIBRARIES**
House Education and Labor Committee

Postsecondary Education Subcommittee (Chairman Ford, D-Mich.) will hold a hearing on the reauthorization of the Higher Education Act, focusing on libraries.

10am 2175 Rayburn Bldg. April 16

Witnesses scheduled: Richard Dougherty - professor, School of Information and Library Sciences, University of Michigan; E.J. Josey - School of Library and Information Science, University of Pittsburgh; Hiram Davis - director of libraries, Michigan State University; Elaine Albright - director, Fogler Library, University of Maine; Martha Bowman - director of libraries, University of Missouri-Columbia

■ **NATIONAL ENERGY STRATEGY****House Energy and Commerce Committee**

Energy and Power Subcommittee (Chairman Sharp, D-Ind.) will hold hearings on the national energy strategy.

9am & 1pm 2123 Rayburn Bldg. April 16

Agenda & witnesses scheduled: Automobile efficiency and alternative fuels:

10am:

PANEL 1: Reps Gephardt, D-Mo.; McEwen, R-Ohio; Carr, D-Mich.; Boxer, D-Calif.; Alexander, D-Ark.; Panetta, D-Calif.; Andrews, D-Texas; Wise, D-W.Va.

PANEL 2: Jerry Curry - administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration; Linda Stuntz - deputy under secretary of Energy; Richard Wilson - director, Office of Mobile Sources, EPA

1pm:

PANEL 3: Ronald Boltz - Chrysler Corp; Thomas Elliot - American Honda Motor Co; Peter Pestillo - Ford Motor Co; Jerry Benefield - Nissan Motor Manufacturing Corp; Marina Whitman - General Motors; James Olson - Toyota Motor Sales

■ **NIH REAUTHORIZATION****House Energy and Commerce Committee**

Health and the Environment Subcommittee (Chairman Waxman, D-Calif.) will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 1532) to revise and extend the programs of the National Institutes of Health.

9:45am 2322 Rayburn Bldg. April 16

Witnesses scheduled: Reps Schroeder, D-Colo.; Snowe, R-Maine

PANEL 1: Thomas Edgington - Federation of American Societies for Experimental Biology

PANEL 2: Department of HHS witnesses: Richard Kusserow - inspector general; Kevin Moley - assistant secretary for management and budget; William Raub - deputy director, NIH

PANEL 3: Frederick King - Yerkes Regional Primate Research Center; Robert Winters - Proctor

& Gamble; Donald Steinwachs - Health Services Research Development Center, Johns Hopkins University

PANEL 4: Rep. Ted Weiss, D-N.Y.; Arthur Caplan - director, Center for Biomedical Ethics, University of Minnesota; David Blake - senior associate dean, Johns Hopkins School of Medicine

PANEL 5: Connie Matricandi - National Alopecia Areata Foundation; Elaine DeFreitas - Wistar Institute, University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine

PANEL 6: Donald Burke - Walter Reed Army Institute of Research; W Shepard Smith - Americans for a Sound AIDS Policy

SUBCOMMITTEE MARKUP:
ANTARCTICA RESOLUTION**House Foreign Affairs Committee**

Human Rights and International Organizations Subcommittee (Chairman Yatron, D-Pa.) will mark up legislation (H Con Res 109) commemorating the 30th anniversary of the signing of the Antarctic Treaty on June 22, 1991, and encouraging the U.S. to support efforts to achieve an international agreement establishing Antarctica as a region closed to commercial minerals development and related activities for at least 99 years at the upcoming meeting of the parties to the Antarctic Treaty, April 22 through 27, 1991, in Madrid, Spain.

9am 2172 Rayburn Bldg. April 16

■ **SUBCOMMITTEE MARKUP:**
FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATION
House Foreign Affairs Committee

International Economic Policy and Trade Subcommittee (Chairman Gejdenson, D-Conn.) will mark up pending legislation.

1:15pm 2200 Rayburn Bldg. April 16

Agenda:

HR-- draft legislation authorizing the Bureau for Private Enterprise, Trade and Development Program, Housing Guarantee Program and OPIC

HR 1608 - Promote the development of microenterprises in developing countries

HR 964 - Enterprise for the Americas Initiative

Note: This markup has been rescheduled for April 18.

■ **NORTH AMERICA FREE TRADE**
House Foreign Affairs Committee

International Economic Policy and Trade Subcommittee (Chairman Gejdenson, D-Conn.) and Western Hemisphere Affairs Subcommittee (Chairman Torricelli, D-N.J.) will continue joint hearings on the proposed North American Free Trade Agreement between the United States, Canada and Mexico, focusing on investment and trade in petrochemicals.

2pm 2200 Rayburn Bldg. April 16

Witnesses scheduled: Allan Mendelowitz - director for international trade, energy and finance issues, General Accounting Office

ACCOUNTS**SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS****House Committee on****House Administration**

Accounts Subcommittee (Chairman Gaydos, D-Pa.) will meet to consider pending business.

2pm H-328 Capitol Bldg. April 16

INTELLIGENCE MATTERS**House Select Intelligence Committee**

The full committee (Chairman McCurdy,

D-Okla.) will meet to consider pending intelligence matters.

3pm H-405 Capitol Bldg. closed April 16

Note: This meeting was originally scheduled for April 10.

FULL COMMITTEE MARKUP:
FY91 INTELLIGENCE AUTHORIZATION
House Select Intelligence Committee

The full committee (Chairman McCurdy, D-Okla.) will meet to mark up legislation (HR 1455) to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1991 for the intelligence activities of the U.S. government, the Intelligence Community Staff, and the Central Intelligence Agency retirement and disability system.

3:30pm H-405 Capitol Bldg. closed April 16

Note: This meeting was originally scheduled for April 10.

FY92 INTELLIGENCE BUDGET**House Select Intelligence Committee**

Program and Budget Authorization Subcommittee (Chairman McCurdy, D-Okla.) will continue closed hearings on the president's fiscal 1992 intelligence authorization request.

9:30am H-405 Capitol Bldg. closed April 16

■ **NUCLEAR WASTE**
WIPP OPERATION ISSUES
House Interior Committee

Energy and the Environment Subcommittee (Chairman Kostmayer, D-Pa.) will hold a hearing on proposals relating to the operation of the Waste Isolation Pilot Plant in New Mexico.

9am 1324 Longworth Bldg. April 16

Witnesses scheduled:

PANEL 1: Reps Stallings, D-Idaho; Synar, D-Okla.; Skeen, R-N.M.

PANEL 2: Ray Powell - special assistant to Governor Bruce King of New Mexico; Tom Udall - attorney general, New Mexico

PANEL 3: Leo Duffy - Director, Office of Environmental Restoration and Waste Management, Energy Department

PANEL 4: Michael Shapiro - deputy assistant administrator, for Air and Radiation, EPA

PANEL 5: Vic Rezendes - director, Energy Issues, GAO

PANEL 6: Charles Fairhurst - National Academy of Sciences; Gerald Tape, chairman, WIPP subcommittee of the Energy Department's Advisory Committee on Nuclear Facilities Safety; Robert Neill - New Mexico Environment and Evaluation Group; Thomas Bahr - member, blue ribbon panel of the Secretary of Energy; John Conway - chairman, Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board

PANEL 7: Dan Reicher - Natural Resources Defense Council; Don Hancock - director, Southwest Research and Information Center's Nuclear Waste Safety Project; Michele Morola - executive director, Concerned Citizens for Nuclear Safety

SUBCOMMITTEE MARKUP:
NATIONAL PARKS/PUBLIC LANDS
House Interior Committee

National Parks and Public Lands Subcommittee (Chairman Vento, D-Minn.) will mark up pending legislation.

10am 340 Cannon Bldg. April 16

Agenda:

HR 904 - prepare a national historic landmark theme study on African American history

HR 1143 - authorize a study of nationally significant places in American labor history

House continued...

HR 614 - designate certain segments of the Niobrara River in Nebraska and a segment of the Missouri River in Nebraska and South Dakota as components of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System

HR 479 - designate the California National Historic Trail and Pony Express National Historic Trail as components of the National Trails System

HR 1514 - disclaim or relinquish all right, title, and interest of the United States in and to certain lands conditionally relinquished to the United States under the act of June 4, 1897

HR 1229 - designate the California National Historic Trail and Pony Express National Historic Trail as components of the National Trails System

SUBCOMMITTEE MARKUP:**COAST GUARD AUTHORIZATION****House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee**

Coast Guard and Navigation Subcommittee (Chairman Tauzin, D-La.) will mark up the fiscal 1992 authorizations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am 1334 Longworth Bldg. April 16

Agenda: Coast Guard; Panama Canal Commission

FULL COMMITTEE MARKUP**House Public Works Committee**

The full committee (Chairman Roe, D-N.J.) will mark up pending legislation.

9:30am 2167 Rayburn Bldg. April 16

Agenda:

HR 5 - prevent discrimination based on labor disputes

HR 172 - assure the continuing airworthiness of aging aircraft

WATERSHED PROJECT**LITTLE RIVER, KY****House Public Works Committee**

Water Resources Subcommittee (Chairman Nowak, D-N.Y.) will hold a hearing on the proposed Soil Conservation Service watershed project for the South Fork of the Little River in Kentucky.

2pm 2167 Rayburn Bldg. April 16

SUBCOMMITTEE MARKUP:**NOAA/EPA PROGRAMS****House Science Space Committee**

Environment Subcommittee (Chairman Scheuer, D-N.Y.) will mark up the fiscal 1992 authorization for the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration and for Environmental Protection Agency research and development programs.

10:30am 2318 Rayburn Bldg. April 16

PANEL 2: Antoine Obieka - director, Virginia Polytechnic Inst; Garry McAllister - Bechtel Group; Brent Barcelo - AT&T Network Systems

COLA COMPENSATION**House Veterans' Affairs Committee**

Compensation, Pension and Insurance Subcommittee (Chairman Applegate, D-Ohio) will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 1046) to provide a cost-of-living adjustment (COLA) for veterans.

9am 334 Cannon Bldg. April 16

Witnesses scheduled: J. Gary Hickman - director of compensation service, Veterans' Benefits Administration, Veterans' Affairs Department

PANEL 1: Paul Egan - legislative director, Vietnam Veterans of America; Thomas Miller - director of governmental and community relations, Blinded Veterans Association; Rose Lee - legislative assistant, Gold Star Wives of America

PANEL 2: John Heilman - national legislative director, Disabled America Veterans; Richard Johnson - director of legislative affairs, Non Commissioned Officers Association; Richard Schneider - deputy director of legislative affairs, Non Commissioned Officers Association; Jean Arthurs - director, legislative affairs, National Association of Military Widows

PANEL 3: Charles Partridge - legislative counsel, National Association for the Uniformed Services

and the Society of Military Widows; Philip Wilkerson - assistant director, national veterans affairs and rehabilitation commission, The American Legion

PANEL 4: Col. Clifton Dupree - associate legislative director, Paralyzed Veterans of America; James Magill - director, national legislative service, Veterans of Foreign Wars

LONG-TERM HEALTH CARE STRATEGIES**House Ways and Means Committee**

The full committee (Chairman Rostenkowski, D-Ill.) will hold a series of hearings on long-term strategies for health care, including such items as the cost of health care and the availability of health insurance.

10am 1100 Longworth Bldg April 16

Witnesses scheduled: 10am: William Roper - Centers for Disease Control; Gilbert Omenn - president, Association of Schools of Public Health

1:30pm: PANEL: George Schieber - director, Office of Research, Health Care Financing Administration; Theodore Marmor - professor of public policy and political science, School of Organization and Management, Yale University; Edmund Kelly - group executive, Aetna Life and Casualty; John Iglehart - national correspondent, New England Journal of Medicine

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.

HEALTH-CARE CONFERENCE

Health Industry Distributors Association will sponsor a legislative conference to discuss new legislation and regulations affecting medical products distributors and suppliers.

Holiday Inn Crowne Plaza, 775 12th St. N.W. April 16

Contact: Cara Bachenheimer 703-549-4432

Highlights:

8:30am: Sen. Dole, R-Kan.

Noon: Luncheon address - Sen. Boren, D-Okla., and Rep. Rowland, D-Ga.

TANGIBLE ASSETS CONFERENCE

The Industry Council for Tangible Assets holds a one-day conference.

8am, Washington Court Hotel, 525 New Jersey Ave. N.W. April 16

Contact: 202-783-3500, or the hotel, 202-628-2100

Highlights

8am: Remarks by Rep. James Hayes, D-La., at a congressional breakfast. Ballroom East

9am: Panel discussion on ethics and regulation with Barry Cutler, director of the Federal Trade Com-

mission's Bureau of Consumer Protection; Commodity Futures Trading Commission Commissioner Fowler West; and Phil Felgin of the Colorado Department of Regulatory Agencies.

BUSINESS/EUROPE CONFERENCE

The European Council of American Chambers of Commerce, which represents American chambers of commerce in 14 European and Mediterranean countries, holds a conference. Second of three days.

8:30am, Sheraton Carlton Hotel, 923 16th St. N.W. (except where noted) April 16

Contact: Kirk Moore, Sally Atkinson or Jim Harff, 202-466-7800, or at the hotel, 202-879-6937

Highlights

8:30am to 9am: Remarks by Wisconsin Gov. Tommy Thompson, R, chairman of the National Governors' Association's Committee on International Trade and Foreign Relations. Crystal Room.

10:15am to 10:45am: Remarks by Sen. Richard Lugar, R-Ind. Reserve Officers Association, One Constitution Ave. NE

1:15pm to 1:45pm: Remarks by Rep. Lee Hamilton, D-Ind. Reserve Officers Association.

PEDIATRICS CONFERENCE

The American Academy of Pediatrics holds its fourth annual legislative conference. Third and final day.

8:30am to 3pm, Ritz-Carlton Pentagon City, 1250 S. Hayes St., Arlington, Va. (except where noted) April 16

Contact: Lisa Tate, 202-662-7460, or the hotel, 703-415-5000

Highlight

8:30am: Breakfast address by Sen. Jay Rockefeller, D-W.Va. Washington Court Hotel, 525 New Jersey Ave. NW, Ballroom East

SURFACE TRANSPORTATION R & D**House Science Committee**

Technology and Competitiveness Subcommittee (Chairman Valentine, D-N.C.) will hold a hearing on surface transportation research and development programs.

9:30am 2325 Rayburn Bldg. April 16

Witnesses scheduled:

PANEL 1: Steven Shladover - Berkeley Institute of Transportation Studies; Alan Haack - Port Authority of NY & NJ; Robert French - Robert French Associates, Fort Worth, Texas

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News Events continued...

RESEARCH WORKSHOP ON CONGRESS

Congressional Quarterly will sponsor a research workshop on Congress.

9am to 1pm, Congressional Quarterly, 1414 22nd St. N.W. April 16

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$195. For reservations and additional information call Irene Cuffy at 202-887-8620 (toll-free 1-800-432-2250, ext. 620).

INDIAN TRIBES CONFERENCE

Native American leaders meet at a National Tribal Leaders Forum titled, "Seizing the Initiative: Indian Tribes and a National Legislative Agenda for the 1990s," to discuss strategies for developing a long-term national Native American legislative agenda. The conference, a culmination of more than 15 months of regional tribal forums, is sponsored by The American Indian Resources Institute and other national Native American organizations. Second of three days.

9am, SH-216 Hart Bldg. (except where noted) April 16

Contact: Patricia Zell, 202-224-2251, or Ray Moisa, 415-834-9333

Highlights

9am: Sen. John McCain, R-Ariz., and Reps. Ben Nighthorse Campbell, D-Colo., and John Rhodes, R-Ariz. deliver remarks.

4pm: A gift, "Sacred Rain Arrow" from Chiricahua Apache sculptor Allan Houser is dedicated to the Senate Select Committee on Indian Affairs. Russell Building, room 485.

7pm: American Indian Distinguished Achievement Awards dinner is held. National Press Club, 14th and F Sts. NW

DEFENSE NEWS CONFERENCE

Sen. Jeff Bingaman, D-N.M., holds a news conference to release a report prepared by the Center for Strategic and International Studies that is critical of the Defense Department's procurement system.

9am, SR 232-A Russell Bldg. April 16

Contact: Bill Sandefur, 202-224-5521

TRANSPORTATION NEWS CONFERENCE

Sens. Harry Reid, D-Nev., and Max Baucus, D-Mont., hold a news conference to announce the introduction of the Transportation Improvement Act of 1991. According to Sen. Reid, "The current formula for allocating highway funds discriminates against western states." The Reid and Baucus bill would compensate for the disparity in funding.

9:30am, S-211 Capitol Bldg. April 16

Contact: Craig Varoga, 202-224-3542

HOMEOWNERS ISSUES

United Homeowners Association will hold a press conference to announce to formal launching of the organization and to discuss plans to represent the interests of homeowners on a state and national level.

11am 2361 Rayburn Bldg. April 16

Contact: Jessica Kersey 202-828-8858

PRESIDENTIAL LEADERSHIP

Center for National Policy will hold a newsmaker luncheon. Robert Shogan, the national political correspondent for the *Los Angeles Times* will discuss his new book, "The Riddle of Power: Presidential Leadership From Truman to Bush."

Noon Hyatt Capitol Regency Hotel, 400 New Jersey Ave., N.W. April 16

Contact: Amy Weiss 202-546-9300

TAXES NEWS CONFERENCE

Sens. John McCain, R-Ariz., Dan Coats, R-Ind., Don Nickles, R-Okla., Hank Brown, R-Colo., hold a news conference to discuss the Tax Fairness and Accountability Act of 1991, an effort to make tax increases more difficult by reversing a provision of last year's federal budget bill that requires a simple majority vote in the Senate to raise taxes but requires 60 votes to lower them.

Noon, Senate triangle, Capitol Bldg. April 16

Contact: Scott Celley, 202-224-2235

CHILD ABUSE NEWS CONFERENCE

A news conference is held to discuss the need for a stepped-up effort to prevent child abuse. Speaking at the news conference will be Sen. Christopher Dodd, D-Conn., Rep. Matthew McHugh, D-N.Y., singer Harry Belafonte, and National Council for International Health President Russell Morgan. At 2pm, Dodd's Senate subcommittee on children, families, drugs and alcoholism holds a hearing on the reauthorization of the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act.

1:30pm, SD-430 Dirksen Bldg. April 16

Contact: Julie Rosson or Marvin Fast, 202-224-0345

SENIOR CITIZEN NEWS CONFERENCE

House Democratic leaders, including House Majority Leader Richard Gephardt, D-Mo., and senior citizens hold a news conference to discuss a proposed House budget resolution and the president's proposed cuts in Medicare.

2:45pm, Capitol grounds, Elm Site April 16

Contact: Barry Toiv or Neil Strawser, 202-225-7290

ECONOMIC INDICATORS AND REPORTS

8:30am: The Commerce Department releases the housing starts report for March.

9:15am: The Federal Reserve releases the industrial production and capacity utilization reports for March.

2pm: The Federal Home Loan Bank Board prices a debenture for settlement April 25.

3pm: The Agriculture Department releases a summary of agricultural resources.

4:30pm, approx.: The American Petroleum Institute releases weekly report on petroleum inventories.

Senate Committees Future Listings

Aging

224-5364

★ IMPROVING RESPITE CARE

Senate Special Aging Committee (Chairman Pryor, D-Ark.) will hold a hearing on ways to improve respite care.

2pm SD-628 Dirksen Bldg. April 23

Appropriations

224-3471

FY92 AGRICULTURE APPROPs

Subcommittee Hearings

Rural Development, Agriculture and Related Agencies Subcommittee (Chairman Burdick, D-N.D.) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am SD-138 Dirksen Bldg. April 16, 19 and 26

Agenda and witnesses scheduled:

April 16: Lavarne Ausman - administrator, Farmers Home Administration; James Cason - manager, Federal Crop Insurance Corporation; Gary Byrne - administrator, Rural Electrification Administration; Dennis Kaplan - budget officer, Department of Agriculture

April 19: Commodity Futures Trading Commission; Food and Drug Administration; Farm Credit Administration; Farm Credit System Assistance Board

April 26: Secretary of Agriculture

■ FY92 COMMERCE, STATE, JUSTICE APPROPs

Subcommittee Hearings

Commerce, Justice, State, the Judiciary and Related Agencies Subcommittee (Chairman Hollings D-S.C.) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am S-146 Capitol April 16, 18, 23

Agenda:

April 16: Office of the U.S. Trade Representative; International Trade Commission

April 18: Eugene Kopp - acting director, United States Information Agency; Malcolm Forbes Jr. - chairman, Board for International Broadcasting

April 23: Federal Bureau of Investigation; Drug Enforcement Administration

■ FY92 DEFENSE APPROPs

Subcommittee Hearings

Defense Subcommittee (Chairman Inouye, D-Hawaii) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

9am SD-124 Dirksen Bldg. April 16 & 23

9am SD-407 Capitol Bldg. April 25

9am SD-124 Dirksen Bldg. May 7

Time TBA SD-192 Dirksen Bldg. May 9

Time TBA SD-124 Dirksen Bldg. May 14

Time TBA SD-192 Dirksen Bldg. May 16, 21 & 23

Agenda:

April 16: armored systems modernizations issues

April 23: A-12 follow-on issues

April 25: classified programs closed

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May 7: strategic programs, SDI closed/open

May 9: voluntary military service, women in the military, family life issues

May 14: NATO issues

May 16: TBA

May 21: Dick Cheney - secretary of Defense

May 23: Cheney (alternate date)

July 16: subcommittee markup

July 18: committee markup

■ FY92 FOREIGN OPS APPROPs

Subcommittee Hearings

Foreign Operations Subcommittee (Chairman Leahy, D-Vt.) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10:30am SD-116 Dirksen Bldg. April 16

2:30pm SD-138 Dirksen Bldg. tentative April 23; May 7, 14 & 21; June 4

Agenda and witnesses scheduled:

April 16: Aid to Eastern Europe: Robert Barry - special adviser for Eastern European assistance, State Department; Carol Adelman - assistant administrator, Agency for International Development

April 23: Aid to Latin America: Bernard Aronson - assistant secretary of State for inter-American affairs; James Michel - assistant administrator for Latin America and the Caribbean, Agency for International Development

May 7: Agency for International Development management: Ronald Roskins - administrator, AID; Gen. Herbert Beckington - inspector general, AID

May 14: Foreign Aid & U.S. Trade: Henrietta Holzman - assistant administrator, Agency for International Development; John Macomber - president, Export-Import Bank; Fred Zeder - president, Overseas Private Investment Corporation; Priscilla Rabb-Ayrès - director, U.S. Trade and Development Program

May 21: Security Assistance in the Post-Cold War Era: Reginald Bartholomew - under secretary of State for international security affairs; Lt. Gen. Teddy Allen, director DSAA

June 4: Aid to Africa: Herman Cohen - assistant secretary of State for African affairs; Scott Spangler - assistant administrator, Agency for International Development

■ FY92 INTERIOR APPROPs

Subcommittee Hearings

Interior Subcommittee (Chairman Byrd, D-WVa) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am SD-128 Dirksen Bldg. April 23

10am SD-116 Dirksen Bldg. April 24

10am SD-128 Dirksen Bldg. April 25; May 14

10am SD-116 Dirksen Bldg. May 15 & 16

10am SD-128 Dirksen Bldg. May 21

9:30am SD-128 Dirksen Bldg. June 5

Agenda:

April 23: Forest Service

April 24: Energy Conservation

April 25: Bureau of Mines, Office of Surface Mining

May 14: clean coal technology; fossil energy

May 15: Smithsonian Institution; National Gallery of Art

May 16: Minerals Management Service; Indian Health Service

May 21: secretary of Energy

June 5: secretary of the Interior; members of Congress

Date TBA: Fish and Wildlife Service

FY92 LABOR-HHS APPROPs

Subcommittee Hearings

Labor, Health and Human Services, Education and Related Agencies Subcommittee (Chairman Harkin, D-Iowa) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

9:30am SD-192 Dirksen Bldg. April 16, 17, 18, 23, 24

2pm SD-192 Dirksen Bldg. April 25

Agenda:

April 16, 17, 18, 23, 24: outside witnesses

April 25: Secretary of Education

FY92 LEGISLATIVE APPROPs

Subcommittee Hearings

Legislative Branch Subcommittee (Chairman Reid, D-Nev.) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am SD-116 Dirksen Bldg. April 19

Agenda: General Accounting Office; Office of Technology Assessment

FY92 TRANSPORTATION APPROPs

Subcommittee Hearings

Transportation and Related Agencies Subcommittee (Chairman Lautenberg, D-N.J.) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

1pm SD-138 Dirksen Bldg. April 18

10am SD-138 Dirksen Bldg. April 25; May 9, 16, 23

Agenda and witnesses scheduled:

April 18: Federal Highway Administration

April 25: National Highway Traffic Safety Administration; Research and Special Programs Administration

May 9: Federal Aviation Administration

May 16: U.S. Coast Guard

May 23: General Accounting Office

FY92 TREASURY-POSTAL APPROPs

Subcommittee Hearings

Treasury-Postal Service and General Government Subcommittee (Chairman DeConcini, D-Ariz.) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10:15am SD-116 Dirksen Bldg. April 17 and 25

Agenda and witnesses scheduled:

April 17: Office of Management and Budget

April 25: Office of National Drug Control Policy

FY92 VA, HUD APPROPRIATIONS

Subcommittee Hearings

VA, HUD, and Independent Agencies Subcommittee (Chairman Mikulski, D-Md.) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

1:30pm SD-138 Dirksen Bldg. April 17

9:30am SD-138 Dirksen Bldg. April 23

9:30am SD-124 Dirksen Bldg. April 24

9:30am SD-138 Dirksen Bldg. May 8

1:30pm SD-138 Dirksen Bldg. May 15

9:30am SD-138 Dirksen Bldg. May 17

Agenda and witnesses scheduled:

April 17: United States Court of Veterans Affairs;

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Department of Veterans Affairs

April 23: Science Education Programs of Various Agencies

April 24: Office of Science and Technology Policy; National Science Foundation

May 8: National Space Council; National Aeronautics and Space Administration

May 15: Commission on National Service; Points of Light Foundation

May 17: Public Witness

Armed Services

224-3871

MANPOWER PROGRAMS

Manpower and Personnel Subcommittee (Chairman Glenn, D-Ohio) of Senate Armed Services Committee will continue hearings on the president's fiscal 1992-93 defense authorization request, focusing on manpower programs.

9:30am SR-232A Russell Bldg. April 17

Witnesses scheduled: Christopher Jehn - assistant secretary of Defense for force management and personnel; Lt. Gen. William Reno - deputy chief of staff for personnel, Army; Vice Adm. Jeremy Boorda - chief of Naval personnel; Lt. Gen. Thomas Hickey - deputy chief of staff for personnel, Air Force; Lt. Gen. Norman Smith - deputy chief of staff for manpower and reserve affairs, Marine Corps

DEFENSE LOGISTICS PROGRAMS

Readiness, Sustainability and Support Subcommittee (Chairman Dixon, D-Ill.) of Senate Armed Services Committee will hold hearings on the president's fiscal 1992-93 defense authorization request, focusing on logistics programs at the Defense Department.

2pm SR-222 Russell Bldg. open/closed April 17

Witnesses scheduled: Gen. William Tuttle Jr. - commander, Army Materiel Command; Gen. Charles McDonald - commander, Air Force logistics command

DOE NATIONAL SECURITY PROGRAMS

Senate Armed Services Committee (Chairman Nunn, D-Ga.) will continue hearings on the president's fiscal 1992-93 defense authorization request, focusing on Energy Department national security programs.

9am SR-222 Russell Bldg. April 18

Witness scheduled: James D. Watkins - secretary of Energy

SOVIET STRATEGIC FORCES

Strategic Forces and Nuclear Deterrence Subcommittee (Chairman Exon, D-Neb.) of Senate Armed Services Committee will continue hearings on the president's fiscal 1992-93 defense authorization request, focusing on Soviet strategic force developments.

2pm S-407 Capitol Bldg. closed April 18

Witness scheduled: Lawrence Gershwin - national intelligence officer for Soviet Strategic Forces, CIA

U.S. STRATEGIC AIR FORCES

Senate Armed Services Committee (Chairman Nunn, D-Ga.) will continue hearings on the president's fiscal 1992-93 defense authorization request, focusing on U.S. strategic air command and the U.S. space command.

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ization request, focusing on the U.S. strategic air command and the U.S. space command.

2pm SR-222 Russell Bldg. April 23

Witnesses scheduled: Gen. George Butler - commander in chief, U.S. Strategic Air Command; Gen. Donald Kutyna - commander in chief, U.S. Space Command

NATIONAL CRITICAL TECHNOLOGY REPORT

Defense Industry and Technology Subcommittee (Chairman Bingaman, D-N.M.) of Senate Armed Services Committee will continue hearings on the president's fiscal 1992-93 defense authorization request, focusing on the National Critical Technology Report.

9am SR-232A Russell Bldg. April 25

Witnesses scheduled: Bobby Inman - chairman, executive commission, Science Applications International Corp.; William Phillips - associate director for industrial technology, Office of Science and Technology Policy, executive office of the president

DOE ENVIRONMENTAL RESTORATION

Strategic Forces and Nuclear Deterrence Subcommittee (Chairman Exon, D-Neb.) of Senate Armed Services Committee will hold a hearing on the president's fiscal 1992-93 defense authorization request, focusing on Energy Department environmental restoration and waste management programs in the defense authorization.

Time & room TBA Date TBA

Witness scheduled: Leo Duffy - director, office of environmental restoration and waste management, Energy Department

Banking, Housing & Urban Affairs

224-7391

MASS TRANSIT AUTHORIZATION

Housing and Urban Affairs Subcommittee (Cranston, D-Calif.) of Senate Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on the reauthorization of the Urban Mass Transportation Administration.

10am SD-538 Dirksen Bldg. April 17

RESTRUCTURING OF BANKING INDUSTRY

Senate Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs Committee (Chairman Riegle, D-Mich.) will continue hearings on restructuring of the banking industry.

10am SD-538 Dirksen Bldg. April 19

Commerce, Science & Transportation

224-5115

NASA OVERSIGHT

Science, Technology and Space Subcommittee (Chairman Gore, D-Tenn.) of Senate Commerce, Science and Transportation

Committee will hold hearings on National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) issues.

2pm SR-253 Russell Bldg. April 16

9am SR-253 Russell Bldg. April 19

9:30am SR-253 Russell Bldg. April 24

Agenda & witnesses scheduled:

April 16: Space Station: See "Committee Meetings Scheduled Today" section for witnesses

April 19: FY92 Budget overview: Norman Augustine - former chairman, Advisory Committee on the Future of the U.S. Space Program; Adm. Richard Truly - administrator, NASA

April 24: Mission to Planet Earth

COAST GUARD REAUTHORIZATION

Senate Commerce, Science and Transportation Committee (Chairman Hollings, D-S.C.) and the National Ocean Policy Study will hold a hearing on draft legislation to reauthorize the Coast Guard for fiscal 1992-93.

10am SR-253 Russell Bldg. April 17

Witnesses scheduled: Adm. J. W. Kime - commandant, Coast Guard

MARINE MAMMAL NOMINATIONS

Senate Commerce, Science and Transportation Committee (Chairman Hollings, D-S.C.) will hold a confirmation hearing on the nominations of Jack Lentfer and John Reynolds to the Marine Mammal Commission.

2pm SR-253 Russell Bldg. April 24

ARCTIC OCEANS RESEARCH

Senate Commerce, Science and Transportation Committee (Acting Chairman Kerry, D-Mass.) and the National Ocean Policy Study will hold a hearing on arctic oceans research.

2:30pm SR-253 Russell Bldg. April 24

INSURANCE COMPANY INSOLVENCIES

Senate Commerce, Science and Transportation Committee (Acting Chairman Bryan, D-Nev.) will hold a hearing on insurance company insolvencies.

9:30am SR-253 Russell Bldg. May 9

PIPELINE SAFETY

Surface Transportation Subcommittee (Chairman Exon, D-Neb.) of Senate Commerce, Science and Transportation Committee will hold an oversight hearing on pipeline safety.

2pm SR-253 Russell Bldg. May 15

RAIL SAFETY

Surface Transportation Subcommittee (Chairman Exon, D-Neb.) of Senate Commerce, Science and Transportation Committee will hold a hearing on reauthorization of rail safety programs.

9:30am SR-253 Russell Bldg. June 16

Energy & Natural Resources

224-4971

FULL COMMITTEE MARKUP: ENERGY STRATEGY

Senate Energy and Natural Resources

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Senate continued...

Committee (Chairman Johnston, D-La.) will mark up legislation (S 341) the National Energy Security Act of 1991.

9:30am SD-366 Dirksen Bldg. April 16, 17, 18, 23 & 24

Note: The committee plans to mark up the bill in the following order: Title IV - renewable energy; Title V - coal; Title VI - research and development; Title X - natural gas; Title III - energy efficiency; Order of consideration of remaining titles TBA

Environment & Public Works**SUBCOMMITTEE MARKUP: LEAD EXPOSURE**

224-6176

Toxic Substances, Environmental Oversight, Research and Development Subcommittee (Chairman Reid, D-Nev.) of Senate Environment and Public Works Committee will mark up legislation to reduce the levels of lead in the environment (S 391 - Lead Exposure Act of 1991).

2pm SD-406 Dirksen Bldg. April 17

ENERGY DEPT.**NUCLEAR WASTE DISPOSAL**

Nuclear Regulation Subcommittee (Chairman Graham, D-Fla.) of Senate Environment and Public Works Committee will hold a hearing on the management of the civilian radioactive waste program of the Energy Department.

9:30am SD-406 Dirksen Bldg. April 18

ANWR OVERSIGHT**Joint Hearing**

Environmental Protection Subcommittee (Chairman Baucus, D-Mont.) of Senate Environment and Public Works Committee and Superfund, Ocean and Water Protection Subcommittee (Chairman Lautenberg, D-N.J.) of Senate Environment and Public Works Committee will hold a joint hearing on the question of opening the coastal plain of the Alaska Arctic National Wildlife Refuge for exploratory oil drilling. The hearing will consider the Interior Department's report and recommendations on ANWR and the final Legislative Environmental Impact Statement and S 39, a bill to declassify ANWR a wilderness area.

10am SD-406 Dirksen Bldg. April 19

★ FEDERAL HIGHWAY PROGRAMS**Field Hearing**

Senate Environment and Public Works Committee (Chairman Burdick, D-N.D.) will hold a field hearing on the reauthorization of federal highway programs.

8:30am Billings, Mont., April 22

Finance

224-4515

★ TRADE TALKS

Senate Finance Committee (Chairman Bentsen, D-Texas) will hold hearings on the

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Uruguay Round of the multilateral trade negotiations under the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT).

10am SD-215 Dirksen Bldg. April 17

9:15am SD-215 Dirksen Bldg. April 18

Foreign Relations

224-4651

START TREATY

Senate Foreign Relations Committee (Chairman Pell, D-R.I.) will hold a hearing on the current status and prospects for the proposed Strategic Arms Reduction Treaty (START).

10am SD-419 Dirksen Bldg. April 17

Witnesses scheduled:

PANEL: Richard Burt - former chief of delegation, Nuclear and Space Talks

PANEL: Sidney Graybeal - chief scientist, Science Applications International Corp., McLean, Va.; Frank von Hippel - professor, Woodrow Wilson School of International Affairs, Princeton University, Princeton, N.J.; Michael May - director emeritus, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, Livermore, Calif.; William Harris - International Policy Department, RAND Corp, Santa Monica, Calif.

AMBASSADORIAL NOMINATION

Senate Foreign Relations Committee (Acting Chairman Biden, D-Del.) will hold a confirmation hearing on the nomination of Raymond Seitz to be ambassador to the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

2pm SD-419 Dirksen Bldg. April 17

Note: This hearing was originally scheduled for April 10.

CURRENT EVENTS IN CYPRUS

European Affairs Subcommittee (Chairman Biden, D-Del.) of Senate Foreign Relations Committee will hold a hearing on current events in Cyprus.

2:30pm SD-419 Dirksen Bldg. April 17

Witnesses scheduled:

PANEL: Nelson Ledsky - special coordinator for Cyprus, State Department

PANEL: Thomas Boyatt - IRC Corp.; Matthew Nimetz - Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton and Garrison, New York, N.Y.

FOREIGN RELATIONS BUSINESS

Senate Foreign Relations Committee (Chairman Pell, D-R.I.) will meet to consider pending business.

10am SD-419 Dirksen Bldg. April 18

Agenda:

NOMINATIONS:

Melissa Foelsch Wells - to be ambassador to Zaire
David Lamberston - to be ambassador to Thailand
Raymond Seitz - to be ambassador to Great Britain

MARKUP:

S 786 - authorize the provision of medical supplies and other humanitarian assistance to the Kurdish peoples

S 100 - set forth United States policy toward Central America and to assist the economic recovery and development of that region

TREATIES:

Ex. EE - 96-1: International Convention on Standards of Training, Certification and Watchkeeping for Seafarers

Treaty Doc. 101-7: MARPOL Annex II

Treaty Doc. 102-2: Protocols to the Convention for

the Safety of Life at Sea and to the Convention on the Load Lines

Resolution to withdraw the following treaties:

Treaty Doc. 97-4: Amendments to International Convention on Load Lines (adopted 1979)

Treaty Doc. 100-12: Amendments to International Convention on Load Lines (adopted November 1983)

FOREIGN AID: WESTERN HEMISPHERE PROGRAMS

Western Hemisphere and Peace Corps Affairs Subcommittee (Chairman Dodd, D-Conn.) of Senate Foreign Relations Committee will hold a hearing on the president's fiscal 1992-93 request for foreign aid, focusing on Western Hemisphere programs.

2pm SD-419 Dirksen Bldg. April 18

Witnesses scheduled: Bernard Aronson - assistant secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs; James Michel - assistant administrator, Bureau for Latin America and the Caribbean, Agency for International Development; Nancy Dorn - deputy assistant secretary of Defense for Inter-American Affairs

USIA, VOA REAUTHORIZATION

Terrorism, Narcotics and International Operations Subcommittee (Chairman Kerry, D-Mass.) of Senate Foreign Relations Committee will continue hearings on the president's fiscal 1992-93 foreign assistance request, focusing on reauthorization of the U.S. Information Agency (USIA) and the Voice of America (VOA).

10am SD-419 Dirksen Bldg. April 19

Agenda and witnesses scheduled: Eugene Kopp - acting director, USIA; Robert Coonrod - deputy associate director, VOA; William Glade - associate director, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs, USIA.

Note: This hearing was originally scheduled for April 12.

Governmental Affairs

224-4751

CORPORATE TAX FAIRNESS

Permanent Investigations Subcommittee (Chairman Nunn, D-Ga.) of Senate Governmental Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on the IRS collection of corporate income tax.

9am SD-342 Dirksen Bldg. April 17

Witnesses scheduled: Jennie Stathis - director, Tax Policy and Administration Issues, General Accounting Office; Fred Goldberg - commissioner, Internal Revenue Service

VA HOSPITALS

Senate Governmental Affairs Committee (Chairman Glenn, D-Ohio) will hold a hearing on conditions in hospitals operated by the Veterans Affairs Department.

9:30am SD-342 Dirksen Bldg. April 18

FOREIGN AGENTS REGISTRATION ENFORCEMENT

Oversight of Government Management Subcommittee (Chairman Levin, D-Mich.) of Senate Governmental Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on the enforcement and administration of Foreign Agents Registration Act.

9:30am SD-342 Dirksen Bldg. April 23

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Oversight of Government Management Subcommittee (Chairman Levin, D-Mich.) of Senate Governmental Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on wasteful ordering practices of the Department of Defense.

9:30am SD-342 Dirksen Bldg. April 23

INSURANCE FRAUD

Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations (Chairman Nunn, D-Ga.) of Senate Governmental Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on fraud in the insurance industry.

9am SD-342 Dirksen Bldg. April 24 and additional dates TBA

FEDERAL ENERGY MANAGEMENT

Senate Governmental Affairs Committee (Chairman Glenn, D-Ohio) will hold a hearing on the management of the federal energy policy.

9:30am SD-342 Dirksen Bldg. April 25

DUTY ENFORCEMENT

Oversight of Government Management Subcommittee (Chairman Levin, D-Mich.) of Senate Governmental Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on the enforcement of anti-dumping and countervailing duties.

9:30am SD-342 Dirksen Bldg. May 21

Indian Affairs

224-2251

TRIBAL JURISDICTIONAL AUTHORITY

Senate Indian Affairs Committee (Chairman Inouye, D-Hawaii) will hold an oversight hearing on the jurisdictional authority of tribes in Indian country.

2pm SH-216 Hart Bldg. April 17

IMPROVING BIA SCHOOL FACILITIES

Senate Indian Affairs Committee (Chairman Inouye, D-Hawaii) will hold a hearing on school facilities operated by the Bureau of Indian Affairs, focusing on new construction, repair and improvement.

2:30pm SR-485 Russell Bldg. April 24

Intelligence

224-1700

INTELLIGENCE MATTERS

Senate Select Intelligence Committee (Chairman Boren, D-Okla.) will meet to consider pending intelligence matters.

2pm SH-219 Hart Bldg. closed April 17

Judiciary

224-5225

STRENGTHENING CRIME CONTROL

Senate Judiciary Committee (Chairman Bi-

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den, D-Del.) will hold a hearing on legislative proposals to strengthen crime control.

10am SD-226 Dirksen Bldg. April 18

Witnesses scheduled: administration representatives

■ U.S.-MEXICO FREE TRADE

Patents, Copyrights and Trademarks Subcommittee (Chairman DeConcini, D-Ariz.) of Senate Judiciary Committee will hold a hearing to review proposals for a U.S.-Mexico free-trade agreement.

10am Room TBA May 14

★ GATT NEGOTIATIONS

Patents, Copyrights and Trademarks Subcommittee (Chairman DeConcini, D-Ariz.) of Senate Judiciary Committee will hold a hearing on the issues involved in the Uruguay Round of the General Agreements on Tariffs and Trade (GATT) negotiations.

10am SD-226 Dirksen Bldg. May 16

Labor & Human Resources

224-5375

FULL COMMITTEE MARKUP

Senate Labor and Human Resources Committee (Chairman Kennedy, D-Mass.) will mark up pending legislation.

9am SD-430 Dirksen Bldg. April 17

MARKUP:

S 2 - Promote the achievement of national education goals, to establish a National Council on Educational Goals and an Academic Report Card to measure progress on the goals, and to promote literacy in the United States

S 5 - Guarantee employees up to 12 weeks of unpaid leave to care for newborn or recently adopted infant or to care for seriously ill family member

NOMINATION:

Jack Raymond Reed to be a member of the National Advisory Council on Education Research and Improvement

HEALTH & HORMONE REPLACEMENT THERAPY

Aging Subcommittee (Chairman Adams, D-Wash.) of Senate Labor and Human Resources Committee will hold a hearing on the health effects of Hormone Replacement Therapy on older women.

10am SD-430 Dirksen Bldg. April 19

HIGHER EDUCATION ACT Field Hearing

Education, Arts and Humanities Subcommittee (Acting Chairman Mikulski, D-Md.) of Senate Labor and Human Resources Committee will hold a field hearing on the reauthorization of the 1965 Higher Education Act.

9:30am Cantonsville, Md. April 19

Rules & Administration

224-6352

VOTER REGISTRATION PROCEDURES

Senate Rules and Administration Committee (Chairman Ford, D-Ky.) will continue hearings on legislation (S 250) to establish national voter registration procedures for federal elections.

9:30 SR-301 Russell Bldg. April 17

FULL COMMITTEE MARKUP:**VOTER REGISTRATION PROCEDURES**

Senate Rules and Administration Committee (Chairman Ford, D-Ky.) will mark up legislation (S 250) to establish national voter registration procedures for federal elections.

9:30 SR-301 Russell Bldg. April 24

ARCHITECT OF THE CAPITOL REPORT

Senate Rules and Administration Committee (Chairman Ford, D-Ky.) will meet to receive a report from the Architect of the Capitol on current projects.

9:30am SR-301 Russell Bldg. Date TBA

Veterans' Affairs

224-9126

VETERANS' LEGISLATIVE AGENDAS**Joint Hearings**

Senate Veterans' Affairs Committee (Chairman Cranston, D-Calif.) and House Veterans' Affairs Committee (Chairman Montgomery, D-Miss.) will hold joint hearings on the legislative agendas of veterans' groups.

9am 345 Cannon Bldg. April 17

Agenda:

AMVETS

Ex-Prisoners of War

Jewish War Veterans

World War I Veterans

VA HEALTH CARE

Senate Veterans' Affairs Committee (Chairman Cranston, D-Calif.) will hold a hearing on legislation (S 127) to 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.

9am SR-418 Russell Bldg. April 23

EDUCATION & EMPLOYMENT

Senate Veterans' Affairs Committee (Chairman Cranston, D-Calif.) will hold a hearing on education and employment benefits for veterans.

9am SR-418 Russell Bldg. May 9

VETERANS' DISABILITY

Senate Veterans' Affairs Committee (Chairman Cranston, D-Calif.) will hold a hearing on pending legislation.

9am SR-418 Russell Bldg. May 16

Agenda:

S 775 - Increase the rates of compensation for

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veterans with service-connected disabilities and the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation for the survivors of certain disabled veterans

S 127 - 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.

HR 153 - Authorize the U.S. Court of Veterans' Appeals to convene a judicial conference to make recommendations on how to improve the court's administration

FULL COMMITTEE MARKUP

Senate Veterans' Affairs Committee

(Chairman Cranston, D-Calif.) will mark up pending legislation.

9am SR-418 Russell Bldg. June 6

SOLDIERS' & SAILORS' RELIEF**Joint Hearing**

Senate Veterans' Affairs Committee (Chairman Cranston, D-Calif.) and House Veterans' Affairs Committee (Chairman Montgomery, D-Miss.) will hold a joint hearing on proposed amendments to the 1940 Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act.

Time & room TBA Date TBA

Note: This hearing was originally scheduled for March 21.

House Committees Future Listings**Aging****REAUTHORIZING THE OLDER AMERICANS ACT****Joint Hearing**

House Select Aging Committee (Chairman Roybal, D-Calif.) and Human Resources Subcommittee (Chairman Martinez, D-Calif.) of House Education and Labor Committee will hold a joint hearing on the reauthorization of the Older Americans Act.

9:30am 2175 Rayburn Bldg. April 25

THE OLDER AMERICANS ACT & MEDICARE**Field Hearing**

Retirement, Income and Employment Subcommittee (Chairman Hughes, D-N.J.) of House Select Aging Committee will hold a hearing on the ability of the programs in the Older Americans Act and Medicare to meet the needs of the elderly.

10:30am Ridgewood, Queens, N.Y. April 26

★ INSURANCE SOLVENCY AND ANNUITY PROTECTION

Retirement, Income and Employment Subcommittee (Chairman Hughes, D-N.J.) of House Select Aging Committee will hold a hearing on protecting pensioners' annuities in the wake of the Executive Life Insurance Co. failure.

10am Room TBA April 30

■ DO-IT-YOURSELF PENSIONS

Retirement, Income and Employment Subcommittee (Chairman Hughes, D-N.J.) of House Select Aging Committee will hold a hearing on the effectiveness of do-it-yourself pensions, such as individual retirement accounts (IRAs).

10am Room TBA May 7

★ SOCIAL SECURITY SERVICES

Retirement, Income and Employment Subcommittee (Chairman Hughes, D-N.J.) of House Select Aging Committee will hold a

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hearing on the status of services provided by the Social Security Administration.

10am 345 Cannon Bldg. May 23

Agriculture

225-2171

PESTICIDE REGULATION (FIFRA)

Department Operations, Research and Foreign Agriculture Subcommittee (Chairman Rose, D-N.C.) of House Agriculture will hold a hearing to review the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act.

9:30am 1300 Longworth Bldg. April 16

10am 1300 Longworth Bldg. April 23

FOREST RESOURCES

Forests, Family Farms and Energy Subcommittee (Chairman Volkmer, D-Mo.) of House Agriculture Committee will hold hearings on reforestation of national forest lands and federal forest management policy.

10am 1302 Longworth Bldg. April 16, 23 & 25

Agenda:

April 16: review of GAO report on reforestation of national forest lands

April 23: review of lawsuits on the management of old-growth forest resources in the Pacific Northwest

April 25: review of Forest Service Timber sale appraisal pricing and cost allocation

TRADE TALKS "FAST TRACK" AUTHORITY EXTENSION

House Agriculture Committee (Chairman de la Garza, D-Texas) will hold a hearing on extending the president's authority to negotiate trade agreements that would be considered by Congress under "fast-track" procedures. The procedures, which bar amendments and impose time limits on consideration, would apply to the proposed North American Free Trade Agreement between the U.S., Mexico and Canada.

9:30am 1300 Longworth Bldg. April 24

Appropriations

225-2771

■ FY92 AGRICULTURE APPROPRIATIONS**Subcommittee Hearings**

Agriculture, Rural Development and Related Agencies Subcommittee (Chairman Whitten, D-Miss.) of House Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

1pm 2362 Rayburn Bldg. April 16, 17, 18 and 23

Agenda:

April 16: Commodity Futures Trading Commission

April 17: Secretary of Agriculture

April 18: Food and Drug Administration

April 23: Farmers Home Administration

■ FY92 COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE APPROPRIATIONS**Subcommittee Hearings**

Commerce, Justice, State, the Judiciary and Related Agencies Subcommittee (Chairman Smith, D-Iowa) of House Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am and 2pm H-310 Capitol Bldg. April 16 and 17

Agenda:

April 16: members of Congress and public witnesses

April 17: members of Congress and public witnesses

■ FY92 DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS**Subcommittee Hearings**

Defense Subcommittee (Chairman Murtha, D-Pa.) of House Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am and 1:30pm H-140 Capitol April 16

10am and 1:30pm H-140 Capitol closed April 17 and 18

Agenda:

April 16: Guard and Reserve

April 17: (10am) Marine Corps procurement (1:30pm) Strategic Defense Initiative

April 18: (10am) space-launched vehicles and support (1:30pm) command, control, communications, intelligence overview

■ FY92 FOREIGN OPS APPROPRIATIONS**Subcommittee Hearings**

Foreign Operations Subcommittee (Chairman Obey, D-Wis.) of House Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am 2360 Rayburn Bldg. April 16

9am H-308 Capitol Bldg. April 17

2pm H-308 Capitol Bldg. April 18

Agenda:

April 16: Secretary of State

April 17: public witnesses

April 18: Paul Coverdell - director, Peace Corps

■ FY92 INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS**Subcommittee Hearings**

Interior Subcommittee (Chairman Yates, D-Ill.) of House Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am & 1:30pm B-308 Rayburn Bldg. April

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9:30am B-308 Rayburn Bldg. **April 19**
 10am & 1:30pm B-308 Rayburn Bldg. **April 23 and 24**

10am B-308 Rayburn Bldg. **April 25 & 30**
 10am & 1:30pm B-308 Rayburn Bldg. **May 1 & 2**

10am B-308 Rayburn Bldg. **May 7**
 10am & 1:30pm B-308 Rayburn Bldg. **May 8**
 10am B-308 Rayburn Bldg. **May 9**

Agenda:**April 16:** Fish and Wildlife Service**April 17:** Energy Conservation: Michael Davis - assistant secretary of Energy**April 18:** outside witnesses: arts and humanities**April 19:** outside witnesses: arts education**April 23:** (10am) Bureau of Mines; (1:30pm) Office of Surface Mining**April 24:** Forest Service**April 25:** Office of Secretary/Solicitor/IG**April 30:** Fossil Energy; Clean Coal; Strategic Petroleum Reserve; NPR

May 1: (10am) Navaho and Hopi Relocation Commission; Institute of American Indian and Alaskan Native Culture; National Indian Gaming Commission; (1:30pm) Institute of Museum Services

May 7: Franklin Delano Roosevelt Memorial Commission; Commission of Fine Arts; National Gallery of Art

May 8: Bureau of Land Management**May 9:** Territories**FY92 LABOR, HHS APPROP****Subcommittee Hearings**

Labor, Health and Human Services, Education and Related Agencies Subcommittee (Chairman Natcher, D-Ky.) of House Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

9:30am and 2pm 2358 Rayburn Bldg. **April 16, 17 and 18**

Agenda:

April 16: (9:30am) National Institute of Child Health and Human Development; National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences (2pm) National Institute on Aging; National Institute of Arthritis and Musculoskeletal and Skin Diseases

April 17: (10am) National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases; National Institute of Deafness and other Communication Disorders (2pm) National Center for Human Genome Research; National Institute of General Medical Sciences

April 18: (10am) John Fogarty Center; National Library of Medicine (2pm) National Institute of Dental Research; Office of the Director

FY92 TRANSPORTATION APPROP**Subcommittee Hearings**

Transportation and Related Agencies Subcommittee (Chairman Lehman, D-Fla.) of House Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am & 2pm 2358 Rayburn Bldg. **April 23, 24, 25, 30; May 1 & 2**

Agenda:**April 23:** St. Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation**April 24:** Acquisition Policy and Process**April 25:** Office of the Secretary**April 30:** outside witnesses**May 1:** outside witnesses**May 2:** outside witnesses★ *New listing***FY92 TREASURY, POSTAL APPROP****Subcommittee Hearings**

Treasury, Postal Service and General Government Subcommittee (Chairman Roybal, D-Calif.) of House Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

9:30am, 10am and 2pm H-164 Capitol Bldg. **April 16**

9:15 and 2pm H-164 Capitol Bldg. **April 17**

10am H-164 Capitol Bldg. **April 18**

Agenda**April 16:** (9:30) National Critical Materials Council (10am) Office of National Drug Control Policy (2pm) Council of Economic Advisers**April 17:** public witnesses**April 18:** Office of Management and Budget**FY92 VA, HUD APPROP****Subcommittee Hearings**

VA, HUD and Independent Agencies Subcommittee (Chairman Traxler, D-Mich.) of House Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1992 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am and 2pm H-143 Capitol Bldg. **April 16, 17 and 18**

Agenda:**April 16:** Environmental Protection Agency**April 17:** Environmental Protection Agency**April 18:** (10am) Council on Environmental Quality (2pm) Environmental Protection Agency**Armed Services**

225-4151

FY92-93 DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE

Readiness Subcommittee (Chairman Hutto, D-Fla.) of House Armed Services Committee will continue hearings on the operation and maintenance portion of the fiscal 1992-93 defense authorization.

2pm 2118 Rayburn Bldg. **April 16**

9:30am 2118 Rayburn Bldg. **April 18**

Agenda & Witnesses scheduled:**April 16:** See "Committee Meetings Scheduled Today" section for witnesses**April 18:** Defense Department civilian work force reduction and management plan**ENERGY DEPT.****DEFENSE PROGRAMS**

Department of Energy Defense Nuclear Facilities Panel (Chairman Spratt, D-S.C.) of House Armed Services Committee will continue hearings on the Energy Department's proposed fiscal 1992-93 defense programs.

1:30pm 2118 Rayburn Bldg. **April 17**

1:30pm 2337 Rayburn Bldg. **April 18**

Agenda and witnesses scheduled:**April 17:** defense programs review: James Watkins - secretary of Energy**April 18:** weapons complex reconfiguration study**DOD OVERSEAS****ENVIRONMENTAL ACTIVITIES**

Environmental Restoration Panel (Chairman Ray, D-Ga.) of House Armed Services Committee will continue hearings on the environmental restoration portion of the fiscal 1992-93 defense authorization, focusing on overseas environmental activities of the Defense Department.

2pm 2216 Rayburn Bldg. **April 17**

IMPROVING JOINT MILITARY EDUCATION

Military Education Panel (Chairman Skelton, D-Mo.) of House Armed Services Committee will hold a hearing on the implementation of the panel's recommendations to improve joint military officer education at service staff and war colleges.

9am 2216 Rayburn Bldg. **April 17**

FY92-93 DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Military Installations and Facilities Subcommittee (Chairman Schroeder, D-Colo.) of House Armed Services Committee will continue hearings on legislation (HR 1208) to authorize military construction projects for 1992-93, focusing on Defense energy conservation programs.

9:30am 2212 Rayburn Bldg. **April 17**

Time and room TBA **April 25**

FY92-93 DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION MILITARY PERSONNEL ISSUES

Military Personnel and Compensation Subcommittee (Chairman Byron, D-Md.) of House Armed Services Committee will continue hearings on the manpower portion of the president's fiscal 1992-93 defense authorization request.

2pm 2212 Rayburn Bldg. **April 17**

1:30pm 2212 Rayburn Bldg. **April 18**

Agenda:**April 17:** Military physician procurement and the Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences**April 18:** Redeployment of reserve personnel from Operation Desert Storm**FY92-93 DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION AIR FORCE REQUEST**

Procurement and Military Nuclear Systems Subcommittee (Chairman Aspin, D-Wis.) of House Armed Services Committee will continue hearings on the procurement portion of the president's fiscal 1992-93 defense authorization request, focusing on the Air Force request.

9:30am 2118 Rayburn Bldg. open/may close **April 17**

A-12 AIRCRAFT ISSUES

Investigations Subcommittee (Chairman Mavroules, D-Mass.) of House Armed Services Committee will continue hearings on the canceled A-12 aircraft program.

10am & 2pm (if needed) 2216 Rayburn Bldg. closed **April 18**

FY92-93 DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION SDI BUDGET

Research and Development Subcommittee (Chairman Dellums, D-Calif.) of House Armed Services Committee will continue hearings on the research, development and tests portion of the fiscal 1992-93 defense authorization, focusing on the strategic defense initiative budget request.

9:30am 2118 Rayburn Bldg. **April 18**

2pm 2118 Rayburn Bldg. closed **April 18**

Note: The afternoon session will be a joint hearing with the Military Installations and Facilities Subcommittee

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Banking, Finance & Urban Affairs

225-4247

BANK INDUSTRY RESTRUCTURING

Financial Institutions Supervision, Regulation and Insurance Subcommittee (Chairman Annunzio, D-Ill.) of House Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs Committee will hold hearings on restructuring of the banking industry.

10am 2128 Rayburn Bldg. April 16
9:30am and 11am 2128 Rayburn Bldg. April 18, 24 and 25
10am 2128 Rayburn Bldg. April 30; May 2 and 7

Agenda:

April 16: American Bankers Association; Independent Bankers Association of America; Financial Services Council; Association of Bank Holding Companies; U.S. League of Savings Institutions; National Council of Savings Institutions

April 18: (9:30am) Financial Democracy Campaign; Consumer Federation of America; Public Citizen's Congress Watch; Consumers Union; National Taxpayer's Union; ACORN (11am) Independent Insurance Agents of America; Securities Industry Association; National Association of Realtors; Hispanic American Builders Association

April 24: (9:30am) Henry Reuss - former member of Congress and former chairman of House Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs Committee; Wayne Rogers - Wayne Rogers and Co.; William Burkett - former California superintendent of banks (11am) community bankers

April 25: (9:30am) state financial services (11am) academics

April 30: Alan Greenspan - chairman, Federal Reserve Board; Robert Clarke - comptroller of the currency; L. William Seidman - chairman, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation; Richard Breeden - chairman, Securities and Exchange Commission

May 2: foreign bankers

May 7: corporate borrowers

EXPORT-IMPORT BANK

House Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs Committee (Chairman Gonzalez, D-Texas) will hold a hearing on participation in Export-Import Bank programs by Iraq and the Banca Nazionale del Lavoro (BNL). The committee is investigating the Atlanta, Ga., branch of the Rome-based BNL. There are allegations that the bank was used to obscure the source of funds paid to companies engaged in the sale of technology to Iraq and that Export-Import Bank programs may have been used in such schemes.

9:30am 2128 Rayburn Bldg. April 17

Witnesses scheduled:

PANEL: John Macomber - chairman, Export-Import Bank; Rita Rodriguez - director, Export-Import Bank

PANEL: Daniel Bond - vice president for country risk analysis; Robert Charamella - vice president for insurance, Export-Import Bank; Arthur Pilzer - vice president for Africa and Middle East, Export-Import Bank; John Wisniewski - vice president for engineering, Export-Import Bank; Stephen Proctor - vice president for claims and recoveries, Export-Import Bank

RHODE ISLAND

CREDIT UNION CLOSURES

General Oversight Subcommittee (Chair-

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man Hubbard, D-Ky.) will hold a hearing on the closure of 45 privately insured financial institutions in Rhode Island.

2pm 2128 Rayburn Bldg. April 17

Witnesses scheduled:

PANEL: Bruce Sundlun - Governor of Rhode Island

PANEL: Richard Syron - president, Federal Reserve Bank of Boston; John Downey - deputy director, Office of Thrift Supervision; Paul Fritts - executive director for supervision, Federal Deposit Insurance Corp.; Layne Bumgardner - region 1 director, National Credit Union Administration

PANEL: Rhode Island citizens with funds in closed financial institutions

RECAPITALIZATION OF BANK INSURANCE FUND

House Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs Committee (Chairman Gonzalez, D-Texas) will hold a hearing on recapitalization of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

10am 2128 Rayburn Bldg. April 19

Witnesses scheduled:

April 19: Alan Greenspan - chairman, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System

Children, Youth & Families

226-7660

IMPROVING SERVICES FOR CHILDREN

House Select Children, Youth, and Families Committee (Chairman Schroeder, D-Colo.) will hold a hearing on generating new strategies for improving services for healthy infants and children.

10am 340 Cannon Bldg. April 23

COMMUNITY-BASED MENTAL HEALTH CARE FOR CHILDREN

House Select Children, Youth, and Families Committee (Chairman Schroeder, D-Colo.) will hold a hearing on the effectiveness of community-based mental health care for children with serious emotional disturbances.

10am Room TBA April 29

Education & Labor

225-4527

CONSTRUCTION SAFETY

Health and Safety Subcommittee (Chairman Gaydos, D-Pa.) of House Education and Labor Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 1063) to establish an office of construction safety and to improve inspections, investigations, reporting and recordkeeping on construction sites.

9:30am 2261 Rayburn Bldg. April 17

Time & room TBA April 24, 30, May 1, 9

REAUTHORIZATION OF THE OLDER AMERICANS ACT

Human Resources Subcommittee (Chairman Martinez, D-Calif.) of House Education

and Labor Committee will continue hearings on the reauthorization of the 1965 Older Americans Act and on the reauthorization of the Native Americans Act of 1974.

9:30am 2175 Rayburn Bldg. April 17

Time & room TBA April 25, 27

Note: April 25 hearing is joint with House Select Aging Committee (Chairman Roybal, D-Calif.)

FULL COMMITTEE MARKUP: STRIKER REPLACEMENT

House Education and Labor Committee (Chairman Ford, D-Mich.) will mark up legislation (HR 5) to amend the National Labor Relations Act and the Railway Labor Act to prevent discrimination based on participation in labor disputes.

9:45am 2175 Rayburn Bldg. April 18

Note: This markup was originally scheduled for April 11.

OFFICE OF EDUCATION RESEARCH INSTITUTE

Select Education Subcommittee (Chairman Owens, D-N.Y.) of House Education and Labor Committee will continue hearings on the Office of Educational Research Institute.

Time & room TBA April 23 & 25

BLACK LUNG PROGRAM

Labor Standards Subcommittee (Chairman Murphy, D-Pa.) of House Education and Labor Committee will hold a hearing on pending legislation pertaining to the Black Lung program.

Time & room TBA April 24

Agenda:

HR 115 - establish a presumption of eligibility for disability benefits in the case of certain coal miners who filed claims under part C between July 1, 1973, and April 1, 1980

HR 451 - Amend the Black Lung Benefits Act to provide that when benefits are paid for at least 2 years after an initial determination of eligibility for such benefits the benefits will not be required to be repaid upon a final determination of ineligibility for benefits

HR 694 - amend the Black Lung Benefits Act to provide special procedures for certain claims due to pneumoconiosis

HR 799 - ensure that checks to pay benefits under Title IV of the Federal Mine Safety and Health Act of 1977 are delivered early if the usual delivery date falls on a Saturday, Sunday, or holiday

HR 1116 - permit certain miners and their survivors to have their claims reviewed under the Black Lung Benefits Act

HR 1637 - make improvements in the Black Lung Benefits Act

REAUTHORIZATION OF THE OLDER AMERICANS ACT

Field Hearing

Human Resources Subcommittee (Chairman Martinez, D-Calif.) of House Education and Labor Committee will hold a field hearing on the reauthorization of the 1965 Older Americans Act.

Time TBA Taylor, Mich. April 29

TRADE TALKS: IMPLICATIONS FOR WORKERS Joint Hearing

Labor-Management Relations Subcommit-

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tee (Chairman Williams, D-Mont.) and Employment Opportunities Subcommittee (Chairman Perkins, D-Ky.) of House Education and Labor Committee will hold a joint hearing on the president's proposed trade agreements with Canada and Mexico, focusing on the implications for workers.

Time & room TBA April 30

THE STATE OF EDUCATION

Elementary, Secondary and Vocational Education Subcommittee (Chairman Kildee, D-Mich.) of House Education and Labor Committee will hold a hearing on the state of education.

Time & room TBA May 1

JOB CORPS

Employment Opportunities Subcommittee (Chairman Perkins, D-Ky.) of House Education and Labor Committee will hold a hearing to review current U.S. Job Corps programs.

Time & Room TBA May 7

JTPA AMENDMENTS

Employment Opportunities Subcommittee (Chairman Perkins, D-Ky.) of House Education and Labor Committee will hold a hearing on proposed amendments to the 1982 Job Training Partnership Act.

Time & room TBA May 9

Energy & Commerce

225-2927

NATIONAL ENERGY STRATEGY

Energy and Power Subcommittee (Chairman Sharp, D-Ind.) of House Energy and Commerce Committee will hold hearings on the national energy strategy.

9am 2123 Rayburn Bldg. April 16

10am room TBA April 17

10am room TBA April 25; May 2, 8, 16, 22 & 29; June 5, 12 & 19

Agenda:

April 16, 17 & 25: Automobile efficiency and alternative fuels

May 1 & 2: PUHCA reform

May 8: Nuclear issues

May 16: Strategic Petroleum Reserve

May 22: Pipeline safety reauthorization

May 29: Energy efficiency

June 5: Natural gas

June 12: Hydroelectricity; oil pipeline regulation

June 19: Global warming

BLOOD SUPPLY SAFETY

Oversight and Investigations Subcommittee (Chairman Dingell, D-Mich.) of House Energy and Commerce Committee will hold a hearing on the safety of the U.S. blood supply and on actions taken by the American Red Cross to correct deficiencies previously identified by the FDA.

10am room TBA April 18

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SUBCOMMITTEE MARKUP:

IRAQI ASSETS

Commerce, Consumer Protection and Competitiveness Subcommittee (Chairman Collins, D-Ill.) of House Energy and Commerce Committee will mark up legislation (HR 1286) to grant certain authorities to the secretary of the Treasury with respect to the seizure of assets in the United States that are owned or controlled by the government of Iraq.

10:30am room TBA April 18

INDOOR AIR

Health and the Environment Subcommittee (Chairman Waxman, D-Calif.) of House Energy and Commerce Committee will hold hearings on indoor air quality issues.

9:45am room TBA April 25

April 25: Lead exposure

SAFE DRINKING WATER

Health and the Environment Subcommittee (Chairman Waxman, D-Calif.) of House Energy and Commerce Committee will hold a hearing on safe drinking water issues.

Time & room TBA May 9

Foreign Affairs

225-5021

SUBCOMMITTEE MARKUP:

FY92-93 FOREIGN AID

Asian and Pacific Affairs Subcommittee (Chairman Solarz, D-N.Y.) of House Foreign Affairs Committee will mark up draft legislation authorizing their portion of the president's fiscal 1992-93 foreign aid request.

2:30pm 2200 Rayburn Bldg. April 17

SUBCOMMITTEE MARKUP: 1992-93 FOREIGN AID

Human Rights and International Organizations Subcommittee (Chairman Yatron, D-Pa.) of House Foreign Affairs Committee will mark up draft legislation authorizing the portions of the president's fiscal 1992-93 foreign aid request under their jurisdiction.

9:30am 2255 Rayburn Bldg. April 17

U.N. ENVIRONMENT CONFERENCE

Human Rights and International Organizations Subcommittee (Chairman Yatron, D-Pa.) of House Foreign Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on the 1992 United Nations conference on the environment and development issues.

immediately following above markup Rayburn Bldg. April 17

■ SUBCOMMITTEE MARKUP: FOREIGN AID AUTHORIZATION

International Economic Policy and Trade Subcommittee (Chairman Gejdenson, D-Conn.) of House Foreign Affairs Committee will mark up pending legislation.

1pm 2255 Rayburn Bldg. April 18

Agenda:

HR-- draft legislation authorizing the Bureau for Private Enterprise, Trade and Development Program, Housing Guarantee Program and OPIC

HR 1608 - Promote the development of microenterprises in developing countries

HR 964 - Enterprise for the Americas Initiative

Note: This markup was previously scheduled for April 16.

SUBCOMMITTEE MARKUP: STATE DEPT AUTHORIZATION

International Operations Subcommittee (Chairman Berman, D-Calif.) of House Foreign Affairs Committee will mark up legislation (HR 1415) to authorize spending for the State Department for fiscal 1992-93.

9:30am 2172 Rayburn Bldg. April 18

SUBCOMMITTEE MARKUP: AFRICAN AID AUTHORIZATION

Africa Subcommittee (Chairman Dymally, D-Calif.) of House Foreign Affairs Committee will mark up legislation authorizing aid for Africa for fiscal 1992-93.

1pm 2172 Rayburn Bldg. April 23

Note: This markup was originally scheduled for March 19.

Government Operations

225-5051

U.S. EFFORTS IN PANAMA

Legislation and National Security Subcommittee (Chairman Conyers, D-Mich.) of House Government Operations Committee will hold a hearing on U.S. efforts to assist Panama.

10am 2154 Rayburn Bldg. April 17

FEDERAL TELEPHONE SYSTEM IMPLEMENTATION

Legislation and National Security Subcommittee (Chairman Conyers, D-Mich.) of House Government Operations Committee will hold a hearing on the General Services Administration's implementation of FTS 2000, the new federal telephone system.

10am 2154 Rayburn Bldg. April 18

House Administration

225-2061

CAMPAIGN FINANCE REFORM

Task Force on Campaign Reform (Chairman Gejdenson, D-Conn.) of House Committee on House Administration will hold a hearing on campaign finance reform.

9:30am H-328 Capitol Bldg. April 18

PERSONNEL & POLICE SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Personnel and Police Subcommittee (Chairman Oskar, D-Ohio) of House Committee on House Administration will meet to consider pending business.

2pm H-328 Capitol Bldg. April 18

Agenda: TBA

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226-5470

REFUGEE LIVING CONDITIONS

House Select Hunger Committee (Chairman Hall, D-Ohio) will hold a hearing on the marginal living conditions for millions of refugees.

9:30am, room TBA April 18

Witnesses scheduled: Harold Johnson - director, Foreign Economic Assistance Issues, General Accounting Office; Jewel Lafontant-Mankarious - ambassador-at-large- and U.S. coordinator for refugee affairs

Intelligence

225-4121

FY92 INTELLIGENCE BUDGET

The House Select Intelligence Committee (Chairman McCurdy, D-Okla.) will hold a hearing on the president's fiscal 1992 intelligence authorization request.

10am H-405 Capitol Bldg. closed April 17

MOSCOW EMBASSY

House Select Intelligence Committee (Chairman McCurdy, D-Okla.) will hold a closed hearing on the U.S. Embassy in Moscow.

3pm H-405 Capitol Bldg. closed April 17

INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION

The House Select Intelligence Committee (Chairman McCurdy, D-Okla.) will continue closed hearings on the organization of the intelligence community.

10:30am H-405 Capitol Bldg. closed April 18

Witness scheduled: Richard Helms - former director, Central Intelligence Agency

Interior & Insular Affairs

225-2761

FULL COMMITTEE MARKUP: INTERIOR COMMITTEE

House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee (Acting Chairman Miller, D-Calif.) will mark up pending legislation.

9:45am 1324 Longworth Bldg. April 17 & 24

Note: There is no business scheduled for the April 17 markup.

COAL ISSUES

Mining and Natural Resources Subcommittee (Chairman Rahall, D-W.Va.) of House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee will hold hearings on the National Coal and Extractive Energy Strategy Act of 1991 (HR 1078).

9:45am 1324 Longworth Bldg. April 18

Agenda:

April 18: metallurgical coal; coalbed methane; federal coal leasing, federal oil and gas leasing; federal mineral receipts; coalfield assistance

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PUBLIC LANDS

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

10am 340 Cannon Bldg. April 18 & 23

10am 1324 Longworth Bldg. April 25

Agenda:

April 18:

HR 476 - to designate certain rivers in the state of Michigan as components of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System

HR 1323 - to designate certain segments of the Allegheny River in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania as a component of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System

April 23:

HR 770 - to authorize the establishment of a memorial at Custer Battlefield National Monument to honor the Indians who fought in the Battle of the Little Bighorn, and for other purposes.

HR 847 - to redesignate Custer Battlefield National Monument as the Little Bighorn National Battlefield Park

HR 848 -

to authorize the establishment of a memorial at Custer Battlefield National Monument to honor the Indians who fought in the Battle of the Little Bighorn, and for other purposes.

April 25:

HR 842 - to provide for the protection of the remaining ancient forests on the federal lands of the states of Washington, Oregon, and California

HR 1590 - to provide for designation by the secretary of the Interior and secretary of Agriculture of an ancient forest reserve system, including lands managed by the Bureau of Land Management and portions of national forests established by reservations from the public domain; to require the secretary of the Interior and the secretary of Agriculture to enhance economic stability in the Pacific Northwest

SUBCOMMITTEE MARKUP: WATER & POWER

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

9:45am room TBA April 18

SUBCOMMITTEE MARKUP: PUBLIC LANDS

National Parks and Public Lands Subcommittee (Chairman Vento, D-Minn.) of House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee will meet to consider pending business.

10am 1324 Longworth Bldg. April 30

ENERGY FACILITY SITING

Energy and the Environment Subcommittee (Chairman Kostmayer, D-Pa.) of House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on the national energy strategy and energy facility siting.

9am 340 Cannon Bldg. April 30

Judiciary

225-3951

■ POLICE BRUTALITY

Civil and Constitutional Rights Subcommittee (Chairman Edwards, D-Calif.) of House Judiciary Committee will hold a hearing

on the problems associated with police brutality.

10am 2237 Rayburn Bldg. April 17

Witnesses scheduled: Drew Days - professor, Yale Law School; Wade Henderson - director, NAACP, Washington Bureau; Gerald Williams - chief of police, Aurora Police Department, Aurora, Ga.; Ronald Hampton - executive director, National Black Police Association

Merchant Marine & Fisheries

225-4047

FISH & WILDLIFE

Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment Subcommittee (Chairman Studds, D-Mass.) of House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee will hold a hearing on pending legislation.

10am 1334 Longworth Bldg. April 18

Agenda:

HR 794 - establish the Connecticut River National Fish and Wildlife Refuge

HR 1679 - Fish Habitat Conservation Act

SEALIFT CAPACITY

Merchant Marine Subcommittee (Chairman Jones, D-N.C.) of House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee will hold an oversight hearing on the performance of the U.S. merchant marine during the Persian Gulf War.

10am 1334 Longworth Bldg. April 23

BOAT USER FEE

Coast Guard and Navigation Subcommittee (Chairman Tauzin, D-La.) of House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee will hold a hearing on proposals for recreational boat user fees.

10am 1334 Longworth Bldg. April 24

ABANDONED BARGES POLLUTION HAZARDS Field Hearing

Coast Guard and Navigation Subcommittee (Chairman Tauzin, D-La.) of House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee will hold a field hearing on pollution hazards from abandoned barges.

9am New Orleans, La. April 29

CLEAN WATER ACT

Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment Subcommittee (Chairman Studds, D-Mass.) of House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee will hold a hearing on the reauthorization of the Clean Water Act

10am 1334 Longworth Bldg. April 25

OIL DRILLING IN ALASKA WILDERNESS (ANWR)

Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment Subcommittee (Chairman Studds, D-Mass.) of House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee will hold a hearing on proposals to allow oil drilling in the Arctic National Wildlife Refuge (ANWR).

10am 1334 Longworth Bldg. May 1

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225-4054

FEDERAL EMPLOYEE NOTIFICATION

Human Resources Subcommittee (Chairman Kanjorski, D-Pa.) of House Post Office and Civil Service Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 1341) to require a 60-day written notice to federal employees before they are released due to a reduction-in-force.

10:30am 311 Cannon Bldg. April 18

MAIL SERVICE

Postal Operations and Services Subcommittee (Chairman McCloskey, D-Ind.) of House Post Office and Civil Service Committee will hold an oversight hearing on the transportation of express and priority mail.

10am 311 Cannon Bldg. April 23

COLUMBUS QUINCENTENARY COMMISSION

Census and Population Subcommittee (Chairman Sawyer, D-Ohio) of House Post Office and Civil Service Committee will hold an oversight hearing on the activities and financial status of the Christopher Columbus Quincentenary Jubilee Commission.

2:30pm 311 Cannon Bldg. April 23

FULL COMMITTEE BUSINESS

House Post Office and Civil Service Committee (Chairman Clay, D-Mo.) will meet to consider pending business.

9:45am 311 Cannon Bldg. April 24

POSTAL SERVICE

House Post Office and Civil Service Committee (Chairman Clay, D-Mo.) will continue oversight hearings on the U.S. Postal Service.

10am 311 Cannon Bldg. April 25

Public Works & Transportation

225-4472

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

House Public Works and Transportation Committee (Chairman Roe, D-N.J.) will hold a hearing on the future of the U.S. economy and the importance of infrastructure in enhancing productivity and future U.S. competitiveness.

9:30am 2167 Rayburn Bldg. April 17

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL ACT

Water Resources Subcommittee (Chairman Nowak, D-N.Y.) of House Public Works and Transportation Committee will continue hearings on the Federal Water Pollution Control Act.

1pm 2253 Rayburn Bldg. April 17

9:30am 2253 Rayburn Bldg. April 18

9:30am 2167 Rayburn Bldg. April 24, 25 & 30; May 1 & 2

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AVIATION ISSUES

Investigations and Oversight Subcommittee (Chairman Borski, D-Pa.) of House Public Works and Transportation Committee will hold hearings on aviation issues.

11am 2247 Rayburn Bldg. closed April 18

10am 2167 Rayburn Bldg. April 23

Agenda:

April 18: Airport security

April 23: "Loophole airlines"

SURFACE TRANSPORTATION

Surface Transportation Subcommittee (Chairman Mineta, D-Calif.) of House Public Works and Transportation Committee will hold a hearing on the president's 1992 budget and legislative proposals for surface transportation programs.

10am 2167 Rayburn Bldg. April 18

SURFACE TRANSPORTATION PROGRAMS**Field Hearing**

Surface Transportation Subcommittee (Chairman Mineta, D-Calif.) of House Public Works and Transportation Committee will hold a field hearing on the reauthorization of the federal surface transportation programs.

10am Fort Smith, Ark. April 22

GSA CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT

Public Buildings and Grounds Subcommittee (Chairman Savage, D-Ill.) of House Public Works and Transportation Committee will hold a hearing on the General Services Administration's Capital Improvement Program.

9:30am 2253 Rayburn Bldg. April 25

Science, Space & Technology

225-6371

ENERGY CONSERVATION

The Environment Subcommittee (Chairman Scheuer, D-N.Y.) of House Science Space and Technology Committee will hold a hearing on the fiscal 1992 authorization for the Energy Department's energy conservation programs.

9:30am 2318 Rayburn Bldg. April 17

SUBCOMMITTEE MARKUP: SUPERCOMPUTERS

Science Subcommittee (Chairman Boucher, D-Va.) of House Science, Space and Technology Committee will mark up legislation (HR 656) to provide for a coordinated federal research program to ensure continued U.S. leadership in high-performance computing.

9:30am 2318 Rayburn Bldg. April 17

Small Business

225-5821

WOMEN IN SMALL BUSINESS

House Small Business Committee (Chairman LaFalce, D-N.Y.) will hold a hearing on issues affecting women in business.

9:30am 2359 Rayburn Bldg. April 18

Witnesses scheduled: Patricia Saiki - administrator, Small Business Administration; Martha Seger - former member, Federal Reserve Board; Marilu Meyer - vice chair, Women's Business Council; Gillian Rudd - council member, Women's Business Council; Carol Dougal - co-director, Women's Business Development Center

TRADE TALKS "FAST TRACK" AUTHORITY EXTENSION

House Small Business Committee (Chairman LaFalce, D-N.Y.) will hold a hearing on extending the president's authority to negotiate trade agreements that would be considered by Congress under "fast-track" procedures. The procedures, which bar amendments and impose time limits on consideration, would apply to the proposed North American Free Trade Agreement between the U.S., Mexico and Canada.

10am 2359 Rayburn Bldg. April 25

OUTPATIENT CARE

Regulation, Business Opportunities and Energy Subcommittee (Chairman Wyden, D-Ore.) of House Small Business Committee will hold a hearing on the quality of care provided by institutions specializing in outpatient and ambulatory care.

10am 2359 Rayburn Bldg. April 29

Veterans' Affairs

225-3527

VETERANS' LEGISLATIVE AGENDAS**Joint Hearings**

House Veterans' Affairs Committee (Chairman Montgomery, D-Miss.) and Senate Veterans' Affairs Committee (Chairman Cranston, D-Calif.) will hold joint hearings on the legislative agendas of veterans' groups.

9am 345 Cannon Bldg. April 17

Agenda:

AMVETS

Ex-Prisoners of War

Jewish War Veterans

World War I Veterans

NATIONAL CEMETERY SYSTEM

Housing and Memorial Affairs Subcommittee (Chairman Staggers, D-W.Va.) of House Veterans' Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on the National Cemetery System.

8:30am 334 Cannon Bldg. April 18

★ QUALITY OF VA HEALTH CARE

Hospitals and Health Care Subcommittee (Chairman Montgomery, D-Miss.) of House Veterans' Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on the quality of the health care provided by the Department of Veterans Affairs.

9am 334 Cannon Bldg. April 24

VA HOME LOAN GUARANTY

Housing and Memorial Affairs Subcommittee (Chairman Staggers, D-W.Va.) of House Veterans' Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on the Department of Veterans Affairs' home loan guaranty system and on legislation (HR 939) to provide eligibility to members of the selected reserve for the Veterans Home Loan Program.

9:30am 334 Cannon Bldg. May 2

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House continued...**SOLDIERS' & SAILORS' RELIEF****Joint Hearing**

House Veterans' Affairs Committee (Chairman Montgomery, D-Miss.) and Senate Veterans' Affairs Committee (Chairman Cranston, D-Calif.) will hold a joint hearing on proposed amendments to the 1940 Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act.

Time & room TBA Date TBA

Note: This hearing was originally scheduled for March 21.

Ways & Means

225-3625

LONG-TERM HEALTH CARE STRATEGIES

House Ways and Means Committee (Chairman Rostenkowski, D-Ill.) will hold a series of hearings on long-term strategies for health care, including such items as the cost of health care and the availability of health insurance.

10am 1100 Longworth Bldg April 16, 17, 23, 24 and 25 and addl dates TBA

ENFORCEMENT OF EXPORT CONTROL PROGRAMS

Oversight Subcommittee (Chairman Pickle, D-Texas) of House Ways and Means Committee will hold hearings on the administration and enforcement of the U.S. export control programs. The hearings will focus on specific cases involving the Middle East. The subcommittee also will review formulation, implementation and enforcement on sanctions policy against Iraq.

9:30am 1100 Longworth Bldg. April 18, May 1

OVERSIGHT OF STATE & LOCAL CHILD WELFARE

Human Resources Subcommittee (Acting Chairman Downey, D-N.Y.) of House Ways and Means Committee will continue a series of hearings on the federally supported child welfare programs under the jurisdiction of the committee.

10am B-318 Rayburn Bldg. April 30 and May 1

Agenda:

April 30: impact of substance abuse on state and local welfare systems

May 1: innovative services designed to strengthen and preserve families.

WAYS & MEANS OVERSIGHT

House Ways and Means Committee (Chairman Rostenkowski, D-Ill.) will begin a series of oversight hearings on whether the programs within the committee's jurisdiction are meeting intended policy objectives and are being administered efficiently.

10am 1100 Longworth Bldg May 8 & 9

Note

The offices of all members of Congress and all congressional committees and subcommittees may be reached by calling (202) 224-3121.

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Conference Committees

DEFENSE PRODUCTION ACT EXTENSION

Conferees will meet on legislation (HR 991) to extend authorization of the Defense Production Act.

Time and room TBA date TBA

Senate conferees: TBA

House conferees:

From the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs for the purposes of Sections 1-8 of the House bill and Title 1 of the Senate amendment: Gonzalez, LaFalce, Oaker, Vento, Carper, Wylie, Ridge, Paxon

From the Committee on Banking, Finance and

Urban Affairs for the purpose of Title II of the Senate amendment: Gonzalez, Annunzio, Neal, Oaker, Schumer, Carper, Wylie, Leach, McCollum, Roukema

From the Committee on Energy and Commerce for the purposes of Section 8 of the House bill and Sections 203 through 206 of the Senate amendment: Dingell, Markey, Collins, Lent, Rinaldo

From the Committee on Judiciary for the purposes of Section 5 of the House bill and Section 104 of the Senate amendment: Brooks, Edwards, Fish

From the Committee on Ways and Means for the purpose of Sections 202 through 204 of the Senate amendment: Rostenkowski, Gibbons, Jenkins, Archer, Crane

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.

EXPORT CONTROLS

Science and International Security Program of the American Association for the Advancement of Science will sponsor a seminar on transfers, export control and dual-use technology in the aftermath of the Persian Gulf War.

8am to noon, SD G-50 Dirksen Bldg. April 17

Contact: Raymond Orkwis 202-326-6494.

Agenda:

8am: Breakfast briefing (for members of Congress only)

10am: Open public session

WORKING WITH CONGRESSIONAL STAFF

Congressional Quarterly will sponsor a seminar on working with congressional staff.

9am to 1pm, Congressional Quarterly, 1414 22nd St. N.W. April 17

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$225. For reservations and additional information call Irene Cuffy at 202-887-8620 (toll-free 1-800-432-2250, ext. 620).

TRUCK SAFETY

Citizens for Reliable and Safe Highways (CRASH) will sponsor a meeting to discuss legislative plans, including a ban on double- and triple-trailer trucks and opposition to proposals to increase the size of trucks allowed on federal highways.

9:30am 2318 Rayburn Bldg. April 18

Contact: Bill Bronrott 202-652-6016

Participants: Joan Claybrook - president, Public Citizen; Gerald Donaldson -- assistant director for

highway safety, Advocates for Highway and Auto Safety; Anthony Garrett - executive director, CRASH; truck drivers and victims of truck accidents

THRIFT ISSUES

Women in Housing and Finance will sponsor a luncheon meeting to hear an address by Office of Thrift Supervision Director Timothy Ryan.

12:15pm to 2pm, Vista International Hotel, 1400 M St., N.W. April 18

Contact: 202-639-4999

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$26 for members and \$31 for guests. Reservations are required, deadline is April 16. Call the number listed above for further information.

ENVIRONMENTALLY SUSTAINABLE TECHNOLOGY

Environmental and Energy Study Conference will hold a briefing for members and staff on a report by the World Resources Institute on a new approach to solving worldwide environmental problems.

Noon, H-137 Capitol Bldg. April 19

NORTH AMERICAN FREE TRADE AGREEMENT

Congressional Economic Leadership Institute will sponsor a policy roundtable discussion on prospects for the North American Free Trade Agreement.

2pm to 4pm, SD-628 Dirksen Bldg. April 19

Contact: Julia Teuscher 703-276-5007

Participants: Sen. Baucus, D-Mont.

Judy Bello - Sidley and Austin; Calman Cohen - Emergency Committee for American Trade; Bill Cunningham - AFL-CIO; Gary Horlick - O'Melveny and Myers; Stewart Hudson - National Wildlife Federation; Alan Wolff - Dewey, Ballantine; others TBA

Note: This event is by invitation only, for more information call the number listed above.

RCRA REAUTHORIZATION

Women's Council on Energy and the Environment will sponsor a meeting to discuss the reauthorization of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act. Lynn Schloesser, majority counsel for the Senate Environment Commit-

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tee will be the speaker.

2pm 1275 K St., N.W., Suite 400 **April 19**

Contact: Maureen Healy 202-371-5204

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$5. Reservations are required.

ALZHEIMER'S CONFERENCE

Alzheimer's Association will hold a public policy forum, focusing on research, long-term care financing and respite care.

Mayflower Hotel **April 20, 21, 23, 24**

Contact: Erica Neale 202-393-7737

Congressional highlights:

April 21: Keynote address: Sen. Hatfield, R-Ore.

April 22: Luncheon address: Sen. Bradley, D-N.J.

ICBM MODERNIZATION & ARMS CONTROL

Institute for Foreign Policy Analysis will sponsor a series of breakfast seminars for members of Congress and staff working on defense-related issues.

8am to 9am, Capitol Hill Club **April 23, 25; May 7, 10, 14, 16; May date TBA; May 22; June 6; June date TBA; June 11, 13**

Contact: Peter Huessy at 202-463-7942

Agenda:

April 23: Reductions and Modernization: Two Sides of the Same Strategic Security Coin: Rep. Bill Dickinson, R-Ala.

April 25: The Scowcroft Commission Revisited: Seeking Reductions of Nuclear Weapons Under START: Gen. Brent Scowcroft

May 7: The Future Role of Bombers and Missiles in Deterrence: Rep. Norm Dicks, D-Wash.

May 10: Pursuing the Twin Goals of Prudent Strategic Modernization and Greater Strategic Stability: Frank Miller

May 14: Midgetman: Insuring Strategic Stability in a New Deterrent Framework: Sen. William Cohen, R-Maine

May 16: The Politics of Strategic Modernization in the Post Cold War Era: Some Enduring Realities I: Sen. Albert Gore, D-Tenn.

May date TBA: The Politics of Strategic Modernization in the Post Cold War Era: Some Enduring Realities II: Rep. Les Aspin, D-Wis.

May 22: START, Deterrence, and ICBM Mobility, Emerging Views in the House of Representatives: Rep. Nicholas Mavroules, D-Mass.

June 6: START Objectives and Strategic Modernization Goals: Amb. Richard Burt

June date TBA: The President's Strategic Modernization Programs, START and Beyond START: Secretary of Defense Dick Cheney

June 11: The Emerging Soviet Strategic Threat: Rethinking the U.S. Response: Sen. John Warner, R-Va.

June 13: An Emerging Strategic Nuclear Consensus: Stability in the Emerging International Environment: Sen. Sam Nunn, D-Ga.

Note: This series is limited to members of Congress and their staff working on defense-related issues. Reservations are required, call Peter Huessy at 202-463-7924

BRADLEY BREAKFAST

Sen. Bill Bradley, D-N.J., will address the Johnson & Johnson Community Health Care Program awards breakfast.

8am Hyatt Regency Hotel 400 New Jersey Ave., N.W. **April 23**

Contact: Janet Lane 202-457-9270

NATIONAL ENERGY STRATEGY

National Association of Manufacturers will

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sponsor a breakfast briefing on the National Energy Strategy and its impact on business.

8:30am to 10am, Capital Hilton Hotel, 16th & K Sts. N.W. **April 23**

Participant: W. Henson Moore - deputy secretary of Energy

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$35 for members and \$45 for non-members. For reservations send a check, made payable to NAM Issue Briefing Breakfast to:

NAM

1331 Pennsylvania Ave. N.W.

Suite 1500 - North Lobby

Washington, D.C. 20004

Attn: Betty Williams

LEAD POISONING

Alliance to End Childhood Lead Poisoning will sponsor a panel discussion on "Childhood Lead Poisoning: America's Children at Risk."

Noon 2168 Rayburn Bldg. **April 23**

Contact: 202-543-1147

Participants: Rep Stokes, D-Ohio; Sen. Reid, D-Nev.

Ellen Silbergeld - director, Toxic Chemicals Program, Environmental Defense Fund 1982-1991; Bailus Walker Jr. - dean, College of Public Health, University of Oklahoma

AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION INTERNATIONAL LAW SECTION

American Bar Association's Section of International Law and Practice will hold its annual Spring Meeting.

Capitol Hilton Hotel **April 24, 25, 26 & 27**

Contact: Christina Black 202-331-2238

Agenda (partial):

April 24:

Noon: Registration opens

April 25:

7:45am: US-Mexican Trade

11:15am: The Future of Exon-Florio

12:45: Luncheon - senior administration officials

7pm: National Press Club Dinner (ticketed event): "New Threats to Security or a New World Order?"

April 26:

7:45am: Insider's Breakfast: Bill Brock - The Brock Group

4:45pm: Human Rights in the 102nd Congress

April 27:

9am: Council Meeting

WOMEN IN THE MILITARY

Georgetown Business and Professional Women's Club will sponsor a discussion and dinner on the role of women in the military, focusing on women and the draft, legal restrictions on combat duty for women, and gender and family issues raised by women serving in the military.

6:30pm Georgetown Holiday Inn, 2101 Wisconsin Ave. N.W. **April 24**

Contact: Helen Fox 202-363-5738

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$16 for members and \$17 for non-members. For reservations call the number listed above.

TAX BILL OUTLOOK

American League of Lobbyists will sponsor a breakfast meeting to hear House Ways and Means Committee member Bill Gradison, R-Ohio, discuss the outlook for a tax bill in 1991.

8am, Washington Court Hotel, 525 New Jersey Ave. N.W. **April 25**

Contact: Patti Jo Baber 703-960-3011

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$30 for members and \$40 for non-members. Reservations are required. Call the number listed above.

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FY91 SUPPLEMENTAL

Bill No: HR 1281

House full cmte markup completed: March 5

Passed House: March 7

Senate full cmte markup completed: March 14

Passed Senate: March 20

HR 1281 conference completed: March 21

Conference report adopted in Senate: March 22

Conference report adopted in House: March 22

Signed by the president: April 10

Bill No: HR 1282

House full cmte markup completed: March 5

Passed House: March 7

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Signed by the president: April 10

House Floor Action

Week of April 15

Monday, April 15:

No legislative business scheduled

Tuesday, April 16:

Convenes at 10am

H Con Res— **Fiscal 1992 budget resolution** begin consideration

The House and Senate will have a joint meeting at 11am to receive the president of Nicaragua, Violeta Chamorro

Wednesday, April 17 &**Thursday, April 18:**

H Con Res— **Fiscal 1992 budget resolution** continue consideration

Friday, April 19:

Not in session

Senate Floor Action

Week of April 15

Monday, April 15:

Pro forma session

Tuesday, April 16 &**Balance of the Week:**

S 207 **Reauthorize and revise structure of Commodity Futures Trading Commission** continue consideration

The Senate and House will have a joint meeting at 11am to receive the president of Nicaragua, Violeta Chamorro

Outlook

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- **The U.S. Export-Import Bank: Reauthorization Issues**, by Allan I. Mendelowitz, Director of International Trade, Energy, and Finance Issues, before the Subcommittee on International Development, Finance, Trade, and Monetary Policy, House Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs
April 11, 1991. T-NSIAD-91-17
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April 11, 1991. T-NSIAD-91-15
- **Naval Aviation: Status of V-22 Osprey Full-Scale Development**, by Martin F. Ferber, Director of Navy Issues, before the Subcommittee on Research and Development and before the Subcommittee on Procurement and Military Nuclear Systems, House Committee on Armed Services
April 11, 1991. T-NSIAD-91-19

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- **Automobile Weight and Safety**, by Eleanor Chelimsky, Assistant Comptroller General for Program Evaluation and Methodology, before the Subcommittee on Consumer,

House continued...**Senate Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation**

April 11, 1991. T-PEMD-91-2

Resources, Community and Economic Development

●Pesticides: EPA's Use of Benefit Assessments in Regulating Pesticides

March 7, 1991. RCED-91-52

●Food Safety and Quality: Stronger FDA Standards and Oversight Needed for Bottled Water

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●Assisted Housing: Utility Allowances Often Fall Short of Actual Utility Expenses

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●Property Disposition: Information on Federal Single-Family Properties.

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●Farmers Home Administration: Sales of Farm Inventory Properties.

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●FDA Could Do More to Ensure the Safety of Bottled Water, by John Harman, director of food and agriculture issues, before the House Energy and Commerce Committee's subcommittee on oversight and investigations

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●Comments on Proposed Legislation to Restructure DOE's Uranium Enrichment Program, by Victor Rezendes, director of energy issues, before the House Energy and Commerce Committee's subcommittee on energy and power

April 10, 1991. T-RCED-91-33

●Uranium Enrichment: 's Views on DOE's New Laser Enrichment Technology--

AVLIS, by Victor Rezendes, director of energy issues, before the House Science, Space and Technology Committee's subcommittee on energy research and development

April 10, 1991. T-RCED-91-23

●Railroad Safety: Weaknesses in FRA's Safety Program, by Kenneth M. Mead, Director of Transportation Issues, before the Subcommittee on Transportation and Hazardous Materials, House Committee on Energy and Commerce

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●Managing the Environmental Cleanup of DOE's Nuclear Weapons Complex, by Victor S. Rezendes, Director of Energy Issues, before the Department of Energy Defense Nuclear Facilities Panel, House Committee on Armed Services

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●Indian Issues: GAO's Assessment of Economic Analyses of Fort Berthold and Standing Rock Reservations' Compensation Claims, by Harry R. Finley, Director of Operations in the Resources, Community, and Economic Development Division, before the Senate Select Committee on Indian Affairs

April 12, 1991. T-RCED-91-30.

PUBLIC LAWS

●Amend title 38, United States Code, with respect to veterans education and employment programs.

HR 180 = PL 102-16 (March 22, 1991)

●Designate June 14, 1991, as Baltic Freedom Day.

H J Res 167 = PL 102-17 (March 22, 1991)

●Resolution Corporation Funding Act of 1991.

S 419 = PL 102-18 (March 23, 1991)

●Designate March 25, 1991, as Greek Independence Day: A National Day of Celebration of Greek and American Democracy.

S J Res 59 = PL 102-19 (March 25, 1991)

●Foreign Relations Persian Gulf Conflict Emergency Supplemental Authorization Act, Fiscal Year 1991.

HR 1176 = PL 102-20 (March 27, 1991)

●Emergency Supplemental Assistance for Israel Act of 1991.

HR 1284 = PL 102-21 (March 28, 1991)

●Performance Management and Recognition System Amendments of 1991.

HR 1316 = PL 102-22 (March 28, 1991)

●Designate April 9, 1992, as National Former Prisoner of War Recognition Day.

S J Res 53 = PL 102-23 (March 28, 1991)

●Designate National Day of Prayer and Thanksgiving.

S J Res 83 = PL 102-24 (March 28, 1991)

●Persian Gulf Conflict Supplemental Authorization and Personnel Benefits Act of 1991.

S 725 = PL 102-25 (April 6, 1991)

●Higher Education Technical Amendments of 1991.

HR 1285 = PL 102-26 (April 9, 1991)

●Make dire emergency supplemental appropriations for the consequences of Operation Desert Shield/Desert Storm, food stamps, unemployment compensation administration, veterans compensation and pensions, and other urgent needs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1991.

HR 1281 = PL 102-27. (April 10, 1991)

●Operation Desert Shield/Desert Storm Supplemental Appropriations Act, 1991.

HR 1282 = PL 102-28. (April 10, 1991)

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(6 pm - press conference)
STATEMENT BY THE PRESIDENT

-- ELEVEN DAYS AGO, ON APRIL 5, I ANNOUNCED THAT THE UNITED STATES WOULD INITIATE WHAT SOON BECAME THE LARGEST U.S. RELIEF EFFORT MOUNTED IN MODERN MILITARY HISTORY. SUCH AN UNDERTAKING WAS MADE NECESSARY BY THE TERRIBLE HUMAN TRAGEDY UNFOLDING IN AND AROUND IRAQ AS A RESULT OF SADDAM HUSSEIN'S BRUTAL TREATMENT OF IRAQI CITIZENS. WITHIN 48 HOURS, OUR OPERATION WAS PROVIDING SCORES OF TONS OF FOOD, WATER, COATS, TENTS, BLANKETS, AND MEDICINES TO THE IRAQI KURDS IN NORTHERN IRAQ AND SOUTHERN TURKEY.

-- THE SCALE OF THIS EFFORT IS TRULY UNPRECEDENTED. YET THE FACT REMAINS THAT THE SCALE OF THE PROBLEM IS EVEN GREATER. HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF IRAQI KURDS ARE IN DIFFICULT-TO-REACH MOUNTAIN AREAS IN SOUTHERN TURKEY AND ALONG THE TURKISH-IRAQ BORDER. THE GOVERNMENT OF TURKEY, ALONG WITH U.S., BRITISH AND FRENCH MILITARY UNITS, AND NUMEROUS INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS, HAVE LAUNCHED A MASSIVE RELIEF OPERATION. BUT DESPITE THESE EFFORTS, HUNGER, MALNUTRITION, DISEASE, AND EXPOSURE ARE TAKING THEIR GRIM TOLL. NO ONE CAN SEE THE PICTURES OR HEAR THE ACCOUNTS OF THIS HUMAN SUFFERING--MEN, WOMEN, AND MOST PAINFULLY OF ALL INNOCENT CHILDREN--AND NOT BE DEEPLY MOVED.

- IT IS FOR THIS REASON THAT THIS AFTERNOON, FOLLOWING CONSULTATION WITH PRIME MINISTER MAJOR, PRESIDENT MITTERRAND, PRESIDENT OZAL, CHANCELLOR KOHL AND UN SECRETARY GENERAL PEREZ DE CUELLAR, I AM ANNOUNCING A GREATLY EXPANDED AND MORE AMBITIOUS RELIEF EFFORT.

- THE APPROACH IS QUITE SIMPLE: IF WE CANNOT GET ADEQUATE FOOD, MEDICINE, CLOTHING, AND SHELTER TO THE KURDS LIVING IN THE MOUNTAINS ALONG THE TURKISH-IRAQ BORDER, WE MUST ENCOURAGE THE KURDS TO MOVE TO AREAS IN NORTHERN IRAQ WHERE THE GEOGRAPHY FACILITATES RATHER THAN FRUSTRATES SUCH A LARGE SCALE RELIEF EFFORT. CONSISTENT WITH UN SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 688, AND WORKING CLOSELY WITH THE UNITED

NATIONS, INTERNATIONAL RELIEF ORGANIZATIONS, OUR EUROPEAN PARTNERS--INCLUDING TURKEY--AND OTHER COUNTRIES, I HAVE DIRECTED THE U.S. MILITARY TO BEGIN IMMEDIATELY TO ESTABLISH SEVERAL ENCAMPMENTS IN NORTHERN IRAQ WHERE RELIEF SUPPLIES FOR THESE REFUGEES WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE IN LARGE QUANTITIES AND DISTRIBUTED IN AN ORDERLY WAY.

-- I CAN WELL APPRECIATE THAT MANY KURDS HAVE GOOD REASON TO FEAR FOR THEIR SAFETY IF THEY RETURNED TO IRAQ. LET ME REASSURE THEM THAT ADEQUATE SECURITY WILL BE PROVIDED AT THESE TEMPORARY SITES BY U.S., BRITISH AND FRENCH AIR AND GROUND FORCES, AGAIN CONSISTENT WITH UN SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 688. WE ARE

HOPEFUL THAT OTHERS IN THE COALITION WILL JOIN THIS EFFORT.

- I WANT TO UNDERSCORE THAT ALL THAT WE ARE DOING IS MOTIVATED BY HUMANITARIAN CONCERNS. WE CONTINUE TO EXPECT THE GOVERNMENT OF IRAQ NOT TO INTERFERE IN ANY WAY WITH THIS LATEST RELIEF EFFORT. THE PROHIBITION AGAINST IRAQI FIXED OR ROTARY WING AIRCRAFT FLYING NORTH OF THE 36TH PARALLEL THUS REMAINS IN EFFECT.
- I WANT TO STRESS AS WELL THAT THIS NEW EFFORT, DESPITE ITS SCALE AND SCOPE, IS NOT INTENDED AS A PERMANENT SOLUTION TO THE PLIGHT OF THE IRAQI KURDS. TO THE CONTRARY, IT IS AN INTERIM MEASURE DESIGNED TO MEET AN IMMEDIATE HUMANITARIAN NEED. OUR LONG TERM OBJECTIVE

REMAINS THE SAME: FOR IRAQI KURDS AND INDEED FOR ALL IRAQI REFUGEES WHEREVER THEY ARE TO RETURN HOME AND TO LIVE IN PEACE, FREE FROM REPRESSION. FREE TO LIVE THEIR LIVES.

- I ALSO WANT TO POINT OUT THAT WE ARE ACUTELY CONCERNED ABOUT THE PROBLEM OF THE IRAQI REFUGEES NOW ALONG THE IRAN-IRAQ BORDER AND IN IRAN. I COMMEND THE MEMBERS OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITY FOR THEIR EFFORTS TO ALLEVIATE HARDSHIP IN THIS AREA; WE OURSELVES HAVE OFFERED TO CONTRIBUTE TO INTERNATIONAL EFFORTS DESIGNED TO MEET THIS HUMANITARIAN CHALLENGE.
- AS I STATED EARLIER, THE RELIEF EFFORT BEING ANNOUNCED HERE TODAY CONSTITUTES AN UNDERTAKING DIFFERENT IN SCALE AND APPROACH. WHAT IS NOT

DIFFERENT IS THE BASIC POLICY. ALL ALONG I HAVE SAID THAT THE UNITED STATES IS NOT GOING TO INTERVENE MILITARILY IN IRAQ'S INTERNAL AFFAIRS AND RISK BEING DRAWN INTO A VIETNAM-STYLE QUAGMIRE. THIS REMAINS THE CASE. NOR WILL WE BECOME AN OCCUPYING POWER WITH U.S. TROOPS PATROLLING THE STREETS OF BAGHDAD. WE INTEND TO TURN OVER THE ADMINISTRATION OF AND SECURITY FOR THESE SITES AS SOON AS POSSIBLE TO THE UNITED NATIONS--JUST AS WE ARE FULFILLING OUR COMMITMENT TO WITHDRAW OUR TROOPS AND HAND OVER RESPONSIBILITY TO UN FORCES ALONG IRAQ'S BORDER WITH KUWAIT. BUT WE MUST DO EVERYTHING IN OUR POWER TO SAVE INNOCENT LIFE. THIS IS THE AMERICAN TRADITION, AND WE WILL LIVE UP TO IT.

Q. KURDISH FIGHTERS USE CAMPS?

A. This humanitarian effort ["]under UN auspices.
Would be incompatible with humanitarian purposes
for Kurdish fighters to try to use camps as sanctuary
and thus put innocent people at risk.

A Private Meeting with His Holiness the Dali Lama

DATE: April 16, 1991
TIME: ~~6:00~~ p.m. 6:30
LOCATION: The Residence

- Congratulations on your receipt of the Nobel Prize.
- I very much appreciate the peaceful, nonviolent approach you have consistently advocated.
- I remain deeply concerned about reports of human rights violations in Tibet.
- We will continue to press the Chinese for greater openness and will do what we can to urge the Chinese authorities to end any abuses.

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- Like you, we believe strongly that the way to resolve the human rights abuses and the issue between you and the Chinese over the status of Tibet is through negotiations.
- We urge you to continue with your efforts to resume these discussions and to maintain a flexible, pragmatic approach to them.
- You know we have no intention of changing our policy recognizing Tibet as a part of China.
- We hope that you will do whatever you can to prevent a return to the cycle of violence that plagued Tibet between 1987 and 1989.

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POINTS TO BE MADE FOR MEETING WITH
FOREIGN MINISTER DIENSTBIER

- LET ME EXPRESS MY APPRECIATION FOR CZECHOSLOVAKIA'S STRONG SUPPORT FOR THE INTERNATIONAL COALITION IN THE GULF. YOU WERE RESOLUTE FROM THE BEGINNING, AND THE FIRST OF THE FORMER WARSAW PACT COUNTRIES TO COMMIT FORCES TO THE COALITION.
- PRESIDENT HAVEL EXPLAINED THE ENORMOUS DIFFICULTIES YOU FACE WITH YOUR DEFENSE INDUSTRIES. HE ASKED ME TO REFER TO THEM PUBLICLY, WHICH I DID IN MY SPEECH ON SATURDAY.
- I AM GLAD THAT WE WERE ABLE TO ARRANGE YOUR MEETING WITH DEPUTY SECRETARY ATWOOD AT THE PENTAGON.

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CARD 2 OF 3

- THESE ARE VERY DIFFICULT PROBLEMS, WITH NO EASY ANSWERS. IN MANY CASES, THE ANSWER MAY NOT BE CONVERSION BUT RATHER STARTING OVER -- BY ATTRACTING NEW INVESTMENT INTO THE REGIONS AFFECTED AND MAKING USE OF THE SAME SKILLED WORKERS.
- WE WILL DO ALL WE CAN TO HELP. THE CZECHOSLOVAK-AMERICAN ENTERPRISE FUND IS ARRANGING TO SEND A FACT-FINDING MISSION, WHICH COULD BE FOLLOWED BY OPIC AND OTHER INVESTMENT TEAMS. THE WORLD BANK AND EBRD ALSO HAVE PROGRAMS ON WHICH YOU COULD DRAW.
- PRESIDENT HAVEL ALSO SPOKE ABOUT HIS INTEREST IN SEEING RADIO FREE EUROPE CONTINUE. I KNOW YOU ALSO WROTE TO SECRETARY BAKER ABOUT THIS.
- WE HAVE MADE NO DECISIONS ABOUT CLOSING DOWN THE RADIOS, THOUGH WE HAVE ASSUMED THAT THEY

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WILL EVENTUALLY CLOSE DOWN AS THE NEW DEMOCRACIES DEVELOP THEIR OWN INDEPENDENT MEDIA.

- BEFORE THE END OF THE MONTH, THE STATE DEPARTMENT WILL BE SENDING A TEAM TO CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AS WELL AS TO POLAND AND HUNGARY, TO CONSULT WITH YOU ON THE FUTURE OF THE RADIOS. THESE RADIOS HAVE ALWAYS SERVED YOUR NEEDS, SO WE TAKE YOUR VIEWS VERY SERIOUSLY.
- ((HAVE VISIT -- IF RAISED)) MY SCHEDULE FOR THE REST OF THE YEAR HAS NOT BEEN SET YET, BUT I WOULD VERY MUCH LIKE TO HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO RETURN PRESIDENT HAVEL'S GENEROUS HOSPITALITY. I WAS VERY MOVED BY MY VISIT TO PRAGUE IN NOVEMBER.

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9am

Meeting with Members of Congress

- Thank you all for coming down today to discuss the DeLay-Wallop proposal.
- I know that all of you have put a lot of time, energy and thought into this legislation and wanted to brief me on the proposal.
- Let me say at the outset that we like several aspects of your plan -- particularly the capital gains provisions and the savings incentives. But we also believe tampering with Social Security is not a wise approach, neither politically nor substantively.

- Nevertheless, we wanted to hear your ideas and discuss them with you as we move forward with the budget process. So the floor is yours and I'll let Tom or Malcolm start off with whatever comments you want to make and then we'll open it up for general discussion.

Presidential Phone Calls



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incoming/outgoing

WITH:

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SUBJECT:

Feb game

Sat - Martin By speech - Stuart

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My Mother showed up.

Nan Ellis

Great shape - love A people
there

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Mulrooney in P. Beach

His Mother is ill

FOLLOW UP:

ask USSS to get
details

May 19

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Helmut Kohl -

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4/16

Presidential Call to PM Major

--I am calling to discuss the plight of the Iraqi refugees, especially the Kurds in southern Turkey and northern Iraq.

--I feel a real sense of urgency. The most recent reports we are receiving are extremely distressing. Despite all our best efforts, the fact is that we are not getting enough food and medicine to those who need it. Hundreds are dying daily.

--President Ozal phoned me yesterday. To be frank, he is extremely anxious. He will take in 40-50,000 refugees, but there are hundreds of thousands more in the mountain areas he cannot take and who will not be able to survive there indefinitely.

--His view, one that our military and the relief organizations fully subscribe to, is that we must get these people off the mountains and into lowlands where we can deliver and distribute food, medicine and shelter on the necessary large scale.

--Obviously, there is the related problem of security. Although I doubt Saddam would interfere, and we will warn him not to, we will only convince these people to move if they are confident they will be safe.

--What I have in mind is something ambitious that builds upon your own thinking on safe-havens. The long-term goal is to get all the Kurds to return home, safely. But there is the immediate need to encourage the refugees to return to the lowland areas in northern Iraq, just inside the border. Our own military is best suited to build these temporary encampments in a hurry. We will work with the Turks, your people and others in creating the supply train.

--As for security, U.S. air forces operating out of southern Turkey could provide cover. But I think we would also need a ground presence, primarily to reassure the Kurds that they can move into Iraq without fear. No amount of Iraqi promises will do. Our idea is that the UK and France and subsequently others would supply troops for this purpose. [if necessary: We'd be prepared to join with you in this.]

--It will be essential to get the UN involved in running these camps. I am confident that all this is consistent with UNSC Resolution 688. We informally sounded out Perez de Cuellar, who seemed positive. I will phone him later today to see if I can get him to push his bureaucracy to get more active inside Iraq.

--I plan to get in touch with Mitterrand, Perez de Cuellar and Ozal and then announce something today. Can you agree with all this?

1) react warmly to those ideas
2) whether wholly credible without US troops. How long. How many troops

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

We're losing our
"window of time" w/
Mitterand they have
a line open now....if
the President can pick
up he can talk to him now;
otherwise we will have to
reschedule the call.....

Presidential Call to Pres. Mitterrand

--I am calling to discuss the plight of the Iraqi refugees, especially the Kurds in southern Turkey and northern Iraq.

--I feel a real sense of urgency. The most recent reports we are receiving are extremely distressing. Despite all our best efforts, the fact is that we are not getting enough food and medicine to those who need it. Hundreds are dying daily.

--President Ozal phoned me yesterday. To be frank, he is extremely anxious. He will take in 40-50,000 refugees, but there are hundreds of thousands more in the mountain areas he cannot take and who will not be able to survive there indefinitely.

--His view, one that our military and the relief organizations fully subscribe to, is that we must get these people off the mountains and into lowlands where we can deliver and distribute food, medicine and shelter on the necessary large scale.

--Obviously, there is the related problem of security. Although I doubt Saddam would interfere, and we will warn him not to, we will only convince these people to move if they are confident they will be safe.

--What I have in mind is something ambitious that builds upon your own thinking on "way stations." The long-term goal is to get all the Kurds to return home, safely. But there is the immediate need to encourage the refugees to return to the lowland areas in northern Iraq, just inside the border. Our own military is best suited to build these temporary encampments in a hurry. We will work with the Turks, your people and others in creating the supply train.

--As for security, U.S. air forces operating out of southern Turkey could provide cover. But I think we would also need a ground presence, primarily to reassure the Kurds that they can move into Iraq without fear. No amount of Iraqi promises will do. Our idea is that the UK and France and subsequently others would supply troops for this purpose. [if necessary: We'd be prepared to join with you in this.]

--It will be essential to get the UN involved in running these camps. I am confident that all this is consistent with UNSC Resolution 688. We informally sounded out Perez de Cuellar, who seemed positive. I will phone him later today to see if I can get him to push his bureaucracy to get more active inside Iraq.

--I also expect to get back to Ozal and then announce something today. Can you agree with all this?

Phase:

1) Do what we propose now
UN runs camps

2) Then looking extending
resolution

accept reality

Withdrawal/Redaction Sheet

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10a. Note	Handwritten notes of Presidential Phone call with Secretary General Perez de Cuellar (2 pp.)	04/16/[91]	(b)(1)	

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Presidential Call to UN SecGen Perez de Cuellar

--I am calling to discuss the plight of the Iraqi refugees, especially the Kurds in southern Turkey and northern Iraq.

--I feel a real sense of urgency. The most recent reports we are receiving are extremely distressing. Despite all our best efforts, the fact is that we are not getting enough food and medicine to those who need it. Hundreds are dying daily.

--President Ozal phoned me yesterday. To be frank, he is extremely anxious. He will take in 40-50,000 refugees, but there are hundreds of thousands more in the mountain areas he cannot take and who will not be able to survive indefinitely there.

--His view, one that our military and the relief organizations fully subscribe to, is that we must get these people off the mountains and into lowlands where we can deliver and distribute food, medicine and shelter on the necessary large scale.

--Obviously, there is the related problem of security. Although I doubt Saddam would interfere, we will only convince these people to move if they are confident they will be safe.

--What I have in mind is something ambitious that builds upon the thinking of Major, Mitterrand, and others. The long-term goal is to get all the Kurds to return home, safely. But there is the immediate need to encourage the refugees to return to the lowland areas in northern Iraq, just inside the border. Our own military is best suited to build these temporary encampments in a hurry. We will work with Turkey and others in creating the supply train.

--As for security, U.S. air forces operating out of southern Turkey could provide cover. But I think we would also need a ground presence, primarily to reassure the Kurds that they can move into Iraq without fear. No amount of Iraqi promises will do. Our idea is that the UK and France and subsequently others would supply troops for this purpose.

--It is essential for the UN to be involved in running these camps. I believe this effort is consistent with UNSC Resolution 688. What is your view? What is needed is for all the relief agencies to act quickly. Anything you could do to urge a rapid response on both sides of the border would be greatly appreciated.

--I'd also be interested in anything you have about the refugees in Iran and about what Sadruddin is hearing in Baghdad.

--I would like to announce something later today, if it can be worked out.

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11a. Note	Handwritten notes of Presidential Phone call with President Ozal (1 pp.)	04/16/[91]	(b)(1)	

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4/16

Presidential Call to Pres. Ozal

--I wanted to get back to you quickly on the matter we discussed yesterday.

--I share your sense of urgency. Your description of the situation was extremely distressing. Despite all our best efforts, the fact is that we are not getting enough food and medicine to those who need it. Hundreds are dying daily.

--Our military and the relief organizations fully subscribe to your view that we must get these people off the mountains and into lowlands in Iraq where we can deliver and distribute food, medicine and shelter on the necessary large scale.

--Obviously, there is the security problem. Although I doubt Saddam would interfere, and we will warn him not to, we will only convince people to move if they are confident of their safety.

--What I have in mind is something ambitious that builds upon your own thinking. The long-term goal is to get all the Kurds to return home, safely. But there is the immediate need to persuade the refugees to return to the lowland areas in northern Iraq, just inside the border. Our own military is best suited to build these temporary encampments in a hurry. We would like to work with your people and others in creating the supply train.

--As for security, U.S. air forces operating out of southern Turkey could provide cover. But I think we would also need a ground presence, primarily to reassure the Kurds that they can move into Iraq without fear. No amount of Iraqi promises will do. I've spoken to both Major and Mitterrand, and they are prepared to supply troops for this purpose, [as are we].

[if Ozal raises a Turkish military role inside Iraq: I appreciate the offer. ~~Let me discuss this further with my military and with the British and French. My initial thinking is that a Turkish military presence might be misunderstood, and that it might be better for you to focus your resources on the situation within Turkey and on moving supplies into Iraq.]~~

--It will be essential to get the UN involved in running these camps. I am confident that this is consistent with UNSC Resolution 688. I phoned Perez de Cuellar, who was positive. I urged him to push his bureaucracy to get more active inside Iraq.

--I plan to announce something today. I just want you to know how much I appreciate what Turkey is doing to assist. I also want you to know that we stand ready to continue helping you through this difficult situation.

Ozal
help as
much

Obviously
the
of the
Turkish
military in
this is
essential.
I think we
should let
the people on
the ground
work out the
details.

AND centers must be set up
in next few days. Need to
act very fast. Only military
can do this.

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12a. Note	Handwritten note from the desk of George Bush Re: Jake [Simmons] (1 pp.)	n.d.	(b)(6)	

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12b. Note	Jake Simmons talking points [redaction] (1 pp.)	n.d.	(b)(6)	

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JAKE SIMMONS

1. 1st Bush Fundraiser @ Int'l Club

\$100,000 100 people @ \$1,000 each

2. Honorary Chairman w/ship 17 Int'l Club

3.

(b)(6)

4. Swearing-in as Commissioner

5. D.C. I

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12c. Memo	From Patty Presock Re: Meeting with Commissioner J.J. Simmons [Interstate Commerce Commission] [redaction] (1 pp.)	04/16/91	(b)(6)	

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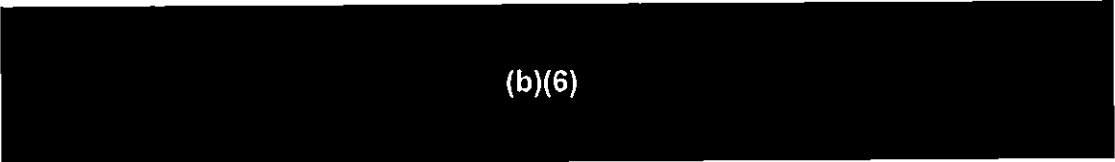
MEMORANDUM FOR THE FILE

Tuesday,
April 16, 1991

Meeting with Commissioner J. J. Simmons (ICC)
7:30 a.m.

Commissioner Simmons requested a "personal" meeting with the President. During the meeting Commissioner Simmons asked the President to swear him in as Commissioner. The President did so.

Others items raised by Commissioner Simmons:

1. Interested in hosting a fundraiser for George Bush at the International Club - 100 people @ \$1000 each.
He did this previously for Mr. Bush. (no action at this time)
2. 
(b)(6)
3. Letter dated 4/12 from Frank Ahmed, President of the International Club of Washington. Asking that Mr. Bush serve as the Honorary Chairman. Mr. Reagan served as Honorary Chairman during his tenure as President according to Ahmed. (referred to Phil Brady for action and follow-up)

Patty Presock

daily

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

DATE: April 17, 1991

FROM THE PRESIDENT

To: CHASE UNTERMEYER (CC: JOHN SUNUNU)

I talked to Cheney last night and told him that we would go forward with Nancy Dorn as Assistant Secretary. I also told him that we wanted to have a Deputy there who would be knowledgeable on the "wetlands" problem and other problems -- he agreed totally.

cc: DAILY
4/16/91

Presidential Phone Calls



DATE:

4-7-76

TIME:

7 PM
incoming/outgoing

WITH:

Seco Cheney

SUBJECT:

asst sec

Navy Donat

I told Ching OK

but want strong

sensible #2

FOLLOW UP:

so wetlands

problem get

under control

P/
we
need
advise
Ching

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April 16, 1991

Competitiveness Points

1. The Federal Government should be instituting policies to improve the international competitiveness of all U.S. companies. I would urge the President to come forward with an actual competitiveness package to help get the U.S. economy moving and improve the position of U.S. companies in the global market, and to press that agenda on the hill.
2. This competitiveness package could include:
 - A. The permanent extension of two tax policies:
 - (1) the tax credit for increasing research and development activities and,
 - (2) the 64% solution for the allocation of research and development expenses under Section 861 of the Internal Revenue Code.
 - B. The expansion of the Sherman Antitrust Act to include:
 - (1) exemptions for certain types of production joint ventures,
 - (2) equivalent treatment for mergers and joint ventures between U.S. companies, and
 - (3) in the case of joint ventures or mergers between U.S. companies, require marketshare information to be based on the global market, as well as the U.S. market.

- C. The reform of our product liability laws to reduce the high cost of product liability litigation and insurance.
- D. Limitations on the ability of the Judicial Branch to control the "Baby Bells" to allow these corporations access to activities currently prohibited under the Modified Final Judgement.
- E. Streamlining the Federal regulatory process for new, commercially strategic technologies by requiring the Secretary of Commerce to:
 - (1) develop a list of commercial technologies that are strategically important to our international economic competitiveness,
 - (2) solicit public comments on Federal regulatory practices that create anticompetitive burdens, and
 - (3) recommend to the President strategies for reducing those burdens.

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STATEMENT BY THE PRESIDENT

Eleven days ago, on April 5, I announced that the United States would initiate what soon became the largest U.S. relief effort mounted in modern military history. Such an undertaking was made necessary by the terrible human tragedy unfolding in and around Iraq as a result of Saddam Hussein's brutal treatment of Iraqi citizens. Within 48 hours, Operation "Provide Comfort" was providing scores of tons of food, water, coats, tents, blankets, and medicines to the Iraqi Kurds in northern Iraq and southern Turkey.

~~The scale of this effort is truly unprecedented. Yet the fact~~ remains that the scale of the problem is even greater. Hundreds of thousands of Iraqi Kurds are in difficult-to-reach mountain areas in southern Turkey and along the Turkish-Iraq border. The Government of Turkey, along with U.S., British and French military units, and numerous international organizations, have launched a massive relief operation. But despite these efforts, hunger, malnutrition, disease, and exposure are taking their grim toll. No one can see the pictures or hear the accounts of this human suffering--men, women, and most painfully of all innocent children--and not be deeply moved.

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all this
But ~~being moved~~ is not enough; ~~we must act~~. It is for this reason that this afternoon, following consultation with Prime Minister Major, President Mitterrand, President Ozal, Chancellor Kohl and UN Secretary General Perez de Cuellar, I am announcing a dramatically expanded and more ambitious relief effort.

The approach is quite simple: if we cannot get adequate food, medicine, clothing, and shelter to the Kurds living in the mountains along the Turkish-Iraq border, we must encourage the Kurds to move to areas in Northern Iraq where the geography facilitates rather than frustrates such a large scale relief effort. Consistent with UN Security Council Resolution 688, and working closely with the United Nations, international relief organizations, our European partners--including Turkey--and other countries, I have directed the U.S. military to begin immediately to establish several encampments where relief supplies for these refugees will be made available in large quantities and distributed in an orderly way.

I can well appreciate that many Kurds have good reason to fear for their safety if they returned to Iraq. Let me reassure them that adequate security will be provided at these temporary sites by U.S., British and French air and ground forces, again consistent with UN Security Council Resolution 688.

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I want to underscore that all that we are doing is motivated by humanitarian concerns. We continue to expect the Government of Iraq not to interfere in any way with this latest relief effort. The prohibition against Iraqi fixed or rotary wing aircraft flying north of the 36th parallel thus remains in effect.

I want to stress as well that this new effort, despite its scale and scope, is not intended as a permanent solution to the plight of the Iraqi Kurds. To the contrary, it is an interim measure designed to meet an immediate humanitarian need. Our long term objective remains the same: for Iraqi Kurds and indeed for all Iraqi refugees wherever they are to return home and to live in peace, free from repression. Free to live their lives.

I also want to point out that we are acutely concerned about the problem of the Iraqi refugees now along the Iran-Iraq border and in Iran. I commend the members of the European Community for their efforts to alleviate hardship in this area. I would hope that other governments would join them; for ourselves, we remain prepared to contribute to international efforts designed to meet this humanitarian challenge.

As I stated earlier, the relief effort being announced here today constitutes an undertaking different in scale and approach. What is not different is the basic policy. All along I have said that the United States is not going to intervene militarily in Iraq's

internal affairs and risk being drawn into a Vietnam-style quagmire. This remains the case. Nor will we become an occupying power with U.S. troops patrolling the streets of Baghdad. We intend to turn over the administration of and security for these sites as soon as possible to the United Nations--just as we are fulfilling our commitment to withdraw our troops and hand over responsibility to UN forces along Iraq's border with Kuwait. But we must do everything in our power to save innocent life. This is the American tradition, and we will live up to it.

PRE-BRIEF QUESTIONS FOR PRESS CONFERENCE

April 16, 1991

1. What are the details of your plan? Are you building housing and shelter, and who will do the work? When will the first refugees start to move? How many troops will be involved in building the camps? What will the exact location of the camps be and how large will they be in terms of refugees that will be processed?
2. What are you doing to help the refugees in Iran?
3. Aren't you now getting involved in Iraq's civil war? What made you change your mind?
4. Aren't you now creating a separate enclave which can lead to the division of Iraq?
5. How long will U.S. troops stay there?
6. Do you have guarantees from Iraq they will not engage our forces? What happens if they do?
7. Why not put U.N. forces in northern Iraq?
8. Will you do anything for the other people of Iraq? And, how much will all this cost?
9. Under what authority are you doing this? Did you consult with the Congress, allies?
10. When will you lift the air cap over Iraq? After all U.S. troops are withdrawn? How long will the ban on Iraqi air activity north of the 36th parallel stay in effect?
11. What will you do if the Iraqis use force against the refugees?
12. Are you going to push for a regional peace conference with Palestinian participation?
13. Are you prepared to hold a summit meeting with Gorbachev without a START or CFE agreement?
14. Are you looking favorably upon the Soviets' request for an additional \$500 million in export credits?
15. Why is Secretary Baker going back to the Middle East so soon? Does this mean that there is a breakthrough at hand?
16. What is your reaction to the new Israeli settlements in the occupied territories?

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17. Do you agree with Secretary Cheney in his assessment that Gorbachev is unlikely to survive in office?
18. The EC is calling for a war crime trial. Will you join them? Should Saddam be tried?

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PRE-BRIEF QUESTIONS FOR PRESS CONFERENCE

April 16, 1991

FOREIGN

1. When will you lift the air cap over Iraq? After all U.S. troops are withdrawn? How long will the ban on Iraqi air activity north of the 36th parallel stay in effect?
2. Will U.S. troops go into northern Iraq to assist in the humanitarian efforts?
3. How soon before the U.N. takes over the humanitarian effort?
4. How long will U.S. troops stay in the demilitarized zone?
5. What kind of aid are you providing to Iran?
6. What is the status of the U.S. relationship with Jordan?
7. What is the status of the peace process?
8. Do you agree with Prime Minister Major that we should consider using troops to protect Kurdish refugees?
9. What will you do if the Iraqis use force to prevent refugees from leaving?
10. How can you safeguard the refugees once all our troops withdraw from Iraq?
11. Are you going to push for a regional peace conference with Palestinian participation?
12. Are you prepared to hold a summit meeting with Gorbachev without a START or CFE agreement?
13. Are you looking favorably upon the Soviets' request for an additional \$500 million in export credits?
14. The State Department says there are 400 to 1,000 Kurds dying every day, mainly from preventable diseases. Why aren't you doing more to help them?
15. Don't you feel a moral obligation to come to the Kurds assistance since CIA backed clandestine radio stations urged them to rise up against Saddam?
16. According to the cease fire agreement, Thursday is the deadline for the Iraqis to provide the U.N. with a list of all their chemical and biological weapons and the location of all their SCUD missiles. What will the U.S. do if they renege on the commitment?

17. Why is Secretary Baker going back to the Middle East so soon? Does this mean that there is a breakthrough at hand?
18. Ariel Sharon says the Israelis will not give up territory for peace. If that is true, aren't all of Baker's efforts fruitless?
19. Do you agree with Secretary Cheney in his assessment that Gorbachev is unlikely to survive in office?
20. Do you agree with General Scowcroft that the Administration underestimated the way Saddam would treat rebel factions inside Iraq after the war ended?
21. The EC is calling for a war crime trial. Will you join them? Should Saddam be tried?

DOMESTIC

22. Why does the administration want an end to negotiations between business and civil rights groups on the civil rights bill?
23. Do you have legislation prepared and will you submit it immediately to stop a rail strike?
24. Are you going to propose a national education test when you announce your new education initiatives?
25. Does your administration feel confident with the lobbying efforts for the fast track authority? Do you have the votes to win in Congress?
26. Will you support the Brady bill if it is incorporated into your crime package?
27. Do you feel that Greenspan should lower interest rates to help stimulate the economy?
28. When will you name your 1992 re-election committee and who will be on it?

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1. ~~The President~~
 - ✓ 2. Mrs. Bush
 3. Bridget Montagne
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- personal files*

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BPB —

Dear George and Barbara —
Have just returned
from our honeymoon to
find your magnificent
package, book, letter
and inscription —

Nothing could mean
more to Daddy and me.
It capped 10 days of beauti-
ful time together — first
wedding in New York City —
Nancy came — I do not
know how, but the
Walker genes must continue
to function ad infinitum —
She also came to our
Wedding Luncheon for a

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few minutes - We then
took off for the northern
adirondacks where we
ice-fished and CAUGHT
3 - also cross country skied
- Then 3 days in Mexico
and now home -

We wore our Camp
David parkas in the cold
north - They are just right.
What a thrill Camp David
was to both of us -

My Gummy is dear
friend and dear lover and
controls me completely - just
as in your household, George
More thanks than
I can say - devotedly
Lillo

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**THE WHITE HOUSE
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DATE: April 16, 1991

FROM THE PRESIDENT

To: Bob Mosbacher
John Sununu

Please discuss how best to follow up on
Galvin's idea.

I want to do what he suggests.

Attachment

cc: Ed Rogers

I issue a call to American business for a new American standard of quality. I urge every business to embrace the quality expectation levels of the Malcolm Baldrige National Quality Award. There is no better way to work toward that superior but achievable standard than for each company, at least of minimal size, to prepare over a period of years to be worthy to compete for the Baldrige Award. Such competitiveness, preparedness and worthiness would make all our companies and their customers winners whether an award was earned or not.

The very actions of responding to the call--of preparing to compete to the Baldrige standard will naturally stimulate our economy. The reason: improved quality obliges new designs, new processes and new tools. These are the dynamic economic multipliers. Improved quality lowers costs right from the start and raises product and service values which soundly lifts demand for the more affordable and desirable goods and services. A new private sector commitment to quality is a win-win strategy for American business and America (and incidentally for Republican leadership).

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DATE:

FROM THE PRESIDENT

TO:

John S
Bob Masbach

Please discuss
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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

~~April 12, 1991~~

Staff Time (Sununu)

Date: April 15, 1991
Location: Oval Office
Time: 10:30am

From: Ed Rogers *[Signature]*

I. Purpose

To discuss ways to improve the quality and competitiveness of American corporations and their products/services.

II. Background

Bob Galvin is a long-time advocate of corporate quality. He would like to bring some of his ideas, specifically his Baldrige proposal, to your attention. He hopes you will issue a challenge to most, if not all American businesses, to strive to meet Baldrige quality standards. He has already discussed this idea with Governor Sununu and Commerce department officials.

III. Participants

The President
Governor Sununu
Secretary Mosbacher

Robert (Bob) Galvin, Chairman, Executive Committee, Motorola Inc.
Travis Marshall, Vice President, Motorola Inc.
Ed Rogers

IV. Press Plan

Closed Press

V. Sequence of Events

Participants enter Oval Office, present their ideas, discuss briefly and depart.