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03c. Letter	Kohler to Colleagues, Re: [as you know, President Yeltsin...] [originally closed as 02c] (1 pp.)	n.d.	(b)(1)	
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10:15 am (5 min)	<u>Photo with Catherine Bertini</u> (Holiday) (TAB B)	Oval Office
10:20 am (60 min)	<u>Personal Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
11:20 am (10 min)	Drop by Meeting with Supporters of the President's Comprehensive <u>Health Reform Program</u> (Rollins) (TAB C)	Roosevelt Room <i>open</i>
11:30 am (5 min)	Brief Drop-by by Rabbi <u>Arthur Schneier</u> (Scowcroft)	Oval Office
11:35 am (25 min)	<u>Personal Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
12:00 pm (60 min)	Lunch with former Senators <u>Howard Baker and Jim McClure</u>	Oval Office
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6:00 pm



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(30 min)

Meeting with Secretary Baker

Oval Office

2:00 pm
(2 hrs)

Personal Staff Time

Oval Office

4:00 pm
(30 min)

Administrative Time

Oval Office

4:30 pm
(30 min)

Meeting with Chief of Staff

Oval Office

7:12 POTUS In
7:40 McBride In
7:50 Skinner In
7:57 Skinner, McBride Out
8:02 Phil Brady, Chris Vein In
8:04 Phil Brady, Chris Vein Out
8:31 Scowcroft, Adm. Howe, Bob Gates,
Chuck Peters In
8:48 ~~VPOTUS~~ Gates, Peters Out
8:50 VPOTUS In
9:08 Skinner In
9:15 NSC Photos Begin
9:19 NSC Photos End
9:20 Scowcroft, Howe Out
Moore In
10:00 Moore, VPOTUS Out
10:01 Marvin Bush In
10:06 Skinner Out
10:13 Marvin Bush Out / 10:15 Super In
10:16 Photo with Catherine Bertini
and Husband In
10:20 Photo with Bertini's Out
10:42 Super Out, Jerry Rollins In
10:45 Rollins Out
11:07 Skinner In
11:16 POTUS, Skinner Out to Roosevelt Rm.
11:40 POTUS In
11:44 Rabbi Arthur Schneier, Scowcroft In
12:01 " " " " Out
12:07 Sen. Howard Baker, Sen. Jim McClure, Skinner In
1:15 " " " " Out
1:19 Judy Smith In
1:24 Smith Out
1:32 Scowcroft In
1:34 Skinner In

1:38 Sec. Baker, Eagleburger In
2:19 Skinner Out
2:24 Scowcroft, Eagleburger, Baker Out
2:25 Baker In
2:43 Baker Out
3:35 POTUS Out to State Floor*
3:45 POTUS Back in Oval
4:36 Skinner In
5:06 Demarest In
5:07 Skinner Out
5:09 Scowcroft In
5:10 Scowcroft Out
5:34 Demarest Out
5:55 Scowcroft In
6:00 Judy Smith In
6:02 Papaduke In
6:07 Smith, Papaduke Out
6:27 Scowcroft Out
6:43 POTUS Out to Res.

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* POTUS walks over to State Floor with Judy Smith to drop by a Mrs. Bush event. He was back in 10 min.

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WASHINGTON

TELEPHONE MEMORANDUM

PRESIDENT BUSH

MARCH 31st

, 19⁹²

	TIME		DISC	NAME	ACTION
	PLACED				
QUT XX	7:06	AM		MR. DIGGER PHELPS (b)(6)	TLKD WITH MRS. ROSE M. ZAMARIA 7:10 A.M.
INC		PM			
OUT		AM			
INC		PM			
OUT	7:14	AM	7:21	MR. JEB BUSH (b)(6)	TLKD-OK 7:14 A.M.
XX INC		PM			
OUT		AM			
INC		PM			
OUT	7:38	AM	7:42	MR. DIGGER PHELPS (b)(6)	TLKD-OK 7:38 A.M.
XX INC		PM			
OUT		AM			
INC		PM			
OUT	10:21	AM		MR. MARVIN BUSH OFC: ALEXANDRIA, VA. 703-684-1335	LW WITH MS. JAN McGINLEY 10:22 A.M.
XX INC		PM			
OUT		AM			
INC		PM			
OUT	10:32	AM	10:38	MR. J. DORRANCE SMITH OFC: WASHINGTON, D.C. WHITE HOUSE ADMIN EXT. 768	TLKD-OK 10:33 A.M.
XX INC		PM			
OUT		AM			
INC		PM			
YY OUT	10:51	AM	11:03	MR. ROBERT M. TEETER OFC: WASHINGTON, D.C. 202-336-7090	TLKD-OK 10:52 A.M.
INC		PM			

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	TIME		NAME	ACTION
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OUT	XAM		CONGRESSMAN SID MORRISON OFC: WASHINGTON, D.C. 202-225-5816	LW WITH MR. KEVIN NAUGHT 12:07 P.M.
INC XX	12:05 PM			
OUT	AM			
INC	PM			
OUT	XAM		CONGRESSMAN JAMES A. HAYES PAY PHONE NO # AVAILABLE	TLKD-OK 12:44 P.M.
INC	12:07 PM	12:46		
OUT	AM			
INC	PM			
OUT	XAM		MR. J. DORRANCE SMITH OFC: WASHINGTON, D.C. WHITE HOUSE ADMIN EXT. 768	TLKD-OK 1:26 P.M.
INC XX	1:21 PM	1:28		
OUT	AM			
INC	PM			
OUT	XAM		MR. J. DORRANCE SMITH OFC: WASHINGTON, D.C. WHITE HOUSE ADMIN EXT. 697	TLKD-OK 2:44 P.M.
INC	2:43 PM	2:44		
OUT	AM			
INC	PM			
OUT	XAM		MR. DAVID F. DEMAREST, JR. OFC: WASHINGTON, D.C. WHITE HOUSE ADMIN EXT. 697	TLKD-OK 2:45 P.M.
INC	2:45 PM	2:46		
OUT	AM			
INC	PM			
OUT	XAM		JUDGE ALFRED COVELLO OFC: WEST HARTFORD, CT. 203-566-5641	TLKD-OK 3:15 P.M.
INC	3:14 PM	3:16		

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	PLACED				
OUT		XX AM		JUDGE IRENE KEELEY OFC: CLARKSBURG, WV 304-624-8131	TLKD-OK 3:18 P.M.
XX INC	3:14	PM	3:19		
OUT		AM			
INC		PM			
OUT		XX AM		JUDGE CAROL JACKSON RES: ST. LOUIS, MO. 314-771-0373	TLKD-OK 3:22 P.M.
XX INC	3:14	PM	3:23		
OUT		AM			
INC		PM			
OUT		XX AM		JUDGE CHARLES A. BANKS OFC: LITTLE ROCK, AR. 501-324-5347	TLKD-OK 3:25 P.M.
XX INC	3:14	PM	3:28		
OUT		AM			
INC		PM			
OUT		XX AM		JUDGE JEROME SIMANDLE OFC: MOORESTOWN, N.J. 609-757-5167	TLKD-OK 3:44 P.M.
XX INC	3:14	PM	3:45		
OUT		AM			
INC		PM			
OUT		XX AM		JUDGE LOURDES G. BAIRD OFC: LOS ANGELES, CA. 213-894-6896	PRESUS WCB ON 4/1/92 PER MS. ROBIN A. MacLEAN 3:49 P.M.
XX INC	3:14	PM			
OUT		AM			
INC		PM			
OUT		XX AM		CONGRESSMAN CHALMERS P. WYLIE OFC: WASHINGTON, D.C. 202-225-2015	TLKD-OK 4:32 P.M.
XX INC	4:20	PM	4:33		

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OUT	XAM		MR. JONATHAN BUSH OFC: NEW YORK, N.Y. 212-371-2170	PRESUS CA. 4:32 P.M.
INC	4:30 PM			
OUT	AM			
INC	PM			
OUT	XAM		SECRETARY JAMES A. BAKER III OFC: WASHINGTON, D.C. WHITE HOUSE ADMIN EXT. 420	TLKD-OK 7:15 P.M.
INC	7:13 PM	7:17		
OUT	AM			
INC	PM			
OUT	XAM		MR. TED WILLIAMS (b)(6)	PRESUS CA 7:38 P.M.
INC	7:19 PM			
OUT	AM			
INC	PM			
OUT	XAM		DOCTOR'S OFFICE OFC: WASHINGTON, D.C. WHITE HOUSE ADMIN EXT. 797	TLKD-OK WITH CAPTAIN DEBORAH S. BEATTY 7:31 P.M.
INC	7:31 PM	7:31		
OUT	AM			
INC	PM			
OUT	XAM		MRS. PATRICIA A. PRESOCK RES: FAIRFAX, VA. 703-378-9705	TLKD-OK 7:33 P.M.
INC	7:32 PM	7:35		
OUT	AM			
INC	PM			
OUT	XAM		MR. KENNETH RAYNOR (b)(6)	PRESUS CA. 7:40 P.M.
INC	7:38 PM			

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OUT	XX AM		MR. JONATHAN BUSH	LEFT MESSAGE ON
INC	7:41 PM		(b)(6)	ANSWERING MACHINE
OUT	AM			7:42 P.M.
INC	PM			
OUT	XX AM		MR. DANIEL S. GOLDIN	
INC	8:00 PM	8:04	WASHINGTON, D.C.	TLKD-OK 8:01 P.M.
OUT	AM		202-783-1475	
INC	PM			
OUT	XX AM		WHITE HOUSE ENGINEER	TLKD-OK WITH MR.
INC	8:53 PM	8:53	OFC: WASHINGTON, D.C.	SAM HENRY 8:53 P.M.
OUT	AM		WHITE HOUSE ADMIN EXT. 6-2390	
INC	PM			
OUT	AM			
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WASHINGTON

SIGNAL SWITCHBOARD

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PRESIDENTIAL MOVEMENTS

LOCATION Washington, D.C.

DATE 31 March 1992

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POINTS TO BE MADE AT PHOTO OPPORTUNITY
JANICE C. BRODERICK, SENIOR SECRETARY
INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS, NSC

WHITE HOUSE: BRENT SCOWCROFT

NSC: TED MCNAMARA

- WE ARE SORRY TO BE LOSING YOU SINCE YOU HAVE SERVED IN MANY DIFFERENT DIRECTORATES AS A FLOATER.
- I UNDERSTAND YOU WERE A VALUABLE ASSET IN THE NEAR EAST AND SOUTH ASIAN DIRECTORATE DURING DESERT SHIELD AND DESERT STORM.
- THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTION IN INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS DURING THE HOSTAGES RELEASE, PAN AM 103, AND THE DRUG SUMMIT.

POINTS TO BE MADE AT PHOTO OPPORTUNITY
PATRICIA M. PRITCHARD, PETTY OFFICER SECOND CLASS,
UNITED STATES NAVY
STAFF INFORMATION ASSISTANT
NSC RECORDS MANAGEMENT OFFICE

WHITE HOUSE: BRENT SCOWCROFT
NSC: NANCY MENAN

- I'M TOLD YOU WERE A VALUABLE ASSET TO THE NSC RECORDS MANAGEMENT OFFICE IN YOUR 2 YEARS OF SERVICE.
- I HOPE YOU FIND YOUR NEW ASSIGNMENT AT THE NAVAL RESEARCH LAB EXCITING.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

March 30, 1992

PHOTO OPPORTUNITY WITH CATHY BERTINI

DATE: March 31, 1992
LOCATION: The Oval Office
TIME: 10:15 a.m.
FROM: EDE HOLIDAY *SNA*

I. PURPOSE

To pose for a photo with departing Department of Agriculture Assistant Secretary Catherine Bertini and her husband Tom Haskell.

II. BACKGROUND

Cathy Bertini leaves for Rome on March 31 to assume her new position as Executive Director of the UN World Food Program. Cathy Bertini is a long-time supporter and Republican partisan.

III. PARTICIPANTS

The President, Cathy Bertini, and Tom Haskell.

IV. PRESS PLAN

White House photographer only.

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

Your guests will be shown into the Oval Office, pose for a photograph, then depart.

VI. REMARKS

No remarks necessary.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

DROP-BY MEETING WITH SUPPORTERS OF
THE PRESIDENT'S COMPREHENSIVE HEALTH REFORM PROGRAM

DATE: Tuesday, March 31, 1992
TIME: 11:20 AM
LOCATION: Roosevelt Room
THROUGH: SHERRIE ROLLINS
FROM: BOBBIE KILBERG
KATHY JEAVONS

I. PURPOSE

To thank these individuals for their support of your Comprehensive Health Reform Program and to assess grass-roots reaction.

II. BACKGROUND

A core group of health care industry and small business representatives who support your health reform program met with Chief of Staff Skinner and Secretary Sullivan on February 6, the day of your Health Care Reform announcement. At that meeting, the Chief of Staff invited the group to return to the White House at an appropriate time for a follow up meeting and status report.

The group of supporters attending this meeting are all members of the Healthcare Equity Action League (HEAL), a coalition with whom you met in December. HEAL is actively involved at both the Federal and grassroots levels in promoting your health reform program, particularly its small market reform provisions.

For your information, the group will have met with Chief of Staff Skinner, Secretary Sullivan, Director Darman, Gail Wilensky and Tom Scully for approximately 30 minutes prior to your arrival.

III. PARTICIPANTS

The President
Chief of Staff Skinner
HHS Secretary Sullivan
OMB Director Darman
Gail Wilensky, Deputy Assistant to the President for
Domestic Policy
Tom Scully, Associate Director, OMB

Pamela Bailey
 President, Healthcare Leadership Council
 (also President, Healthcare Equity Action League)

Tom Donnelly
 Partner, Pagonis & Donnelly

Bill Ehrig
 Director of Government Affairs, PepsiCo

George Green
 Director of Government Relations, Food Marketing
 Institute

Mark Gorman
 Senior Director of Government Affairs, National
 Restaurant Association

Elaine Graham
 National Restaurant Association

Kelleen Jackson
 Director of Federal Relations, National Federation
 of Independent Business

Alan Kranowitz
 Senior Vice President of Government Affairs, National
 Association of Wholesaler-Distributors

Larry O'Brien
 Partner, Dewey, Ballantine, Bushby, Palmer & Wood

Joan Simmons
 Vice President, Healthcare Leadership Council

Deborah Steelman
 Law Offices of Deborah Steelman
 (Chairman, Secretary's Advisory Council on Social
 Security)

Harry Sullivan
 Senior Vice President, Food Marketing Institute

Mary Tavenner
 National Association of Wholesaler-Distributors

Bill Turenne
 Director of Government Relations, Eli Lilly & Co.

Wayne Valis
 President, Valis Associates

Dirk Van Dongen
 President, National Association of Wholesaler-
 Distributors

IV. SEQUENCE

- You enter the Roosevelt Room, greet the guests and
 proceed to your seat.
- You make brief remarks.
- You participate in brief discussion.
- You depart the Roosevelt Room.

V. MEDIA

White House Photographer Only

VI. TALKING POINTS

Talking Points provided by the Offices of Public Liaison and
Policy Development

**DROP-BY MEETING WITH HEALTH REFORM
SUPPORTERS**

**3/31/92 11:20 AM
ROOSEVELT ROOM**

- Welcome back, and thank you all for coming in today.
- Let me take this opportunity to officially welcome Gail Wilensky to the team. I know she is no stranger to you, and I am glad to have someone of her caliber to take such an active role on this important issue.

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- In my State of the Union Address, I told the American people that we have a choice to make when it comes to health care – we can turn to more government control or we can build upon what already works.
- Almost two months ago, I laid out for the American people my specific plans for comprehensive health care reform. I want to get the sense that we're making progress, both here in Washington and around the country.

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- So, I'd be interested in hearing from you on what you've found out and how we can continue to work together.

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SECRETARY SULLIVAN

JOAN SIMMONS
Healthcare Leadership
Council

WAYNE VALIS
Valis Associates

BILL EHRIG
PepsiCo

MARY TAVENNER
Natl Assn of Wholesaler-
Distributors

MARK GORMAN
Natl Restaurant
Assn

KELLEEN JACKSON
Natl Federation of
Independent Business

DEBBIE STEELMAN
Law Offices of
Debbie Steelman

DIRK VAN DONGEN
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DIRECTOR DARMAN

ELAINE GRAHAM
Natl Restaurant Association

CHIEF OF STAFF SKINNER

The Roosevelt Room

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NETWORK NEWS (Monday evening)

WILLIE HORTON -- The man behind the ads that helped destroy Michael Dukakis said he's preparing a new assault on Gov. Clinton.

ABORTION -- There has been another round of debate over President Bush's new proposal on abortion counseling.

MIDEAST TALKS -- The Bush Administration has invited Israel and its Arab neighbors for a round of peace talks.

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The economists, whose ranks include six Nobel Prize winners, also urged the Fed to cut short-term interest rates further to make sure any economic recovery this year is strong enough to reduce unemployment significantly.... The economists argued that a program focused on stimulating investment would be healthy for the economy even if it increased the deficit in the short term.

The group flatly rejected differing proposals from President Bush, congressional Democrats and Gov. Clinton for personal income tax cuts. "We believe that cutting income taxes is exactly the wrong approach," said James Tobin, professor emeritus at Yale University, as he read the group's statement at a Press conference at the National Press Building....

Tobin said the goal of economic policy now should be to seek an economic growth rate of 4.5-5 percent until unemployment falls substantially.... To free up resources to finance investment, the economists argued that the federal deficit will have to come down, a change that ultimately will require higher, not lower, taxes....

Financial analysts expressed skepticism that either the Bush Administration or Congress would have much appetite for the second half of the economists' prescription. As a result, any sign the short term stimulus portion of the proposal might be adopted likely would cause long-term interest rates to rise, the analysts said.

(John Berry, Washington Post, C1)

EXPERTS: FED WON'T CHANGE COURSE

The Fed, which hasn't cut interest rates since December, will hold to that course in meetings this week despite pressure from the Bush Administration to do more to bolster the economy, private analysts predicted Monday.... But even if the Fed's credit easing days are over for now, analysts were not looking for rates to head sharply higher, given the absence of any inflationary pressure and the belief that the upcoming economic recovery will be one of the weakest on record....

Private analysts said they believed the central bank would ignore the Administration's worries and decide to hold interest rates steady based on a string of recent favorable reports. "The Fed has to feel happy and satisfied with the way things are going now. The economy looks like it is beginning a recovery and inflation remains subdued," said Allen Sinai, chief economist of the Boston Co.... Still, some Fed critics worried that an unexpected jump in long-term mortgage rates could stifle the housing recovery, and for that reason they said it made sense for the central bank to buy an insurance policy in the form of at least one more round of rate cuts.

(Martin Crutsinger, Washington Times, C1)

U.S. ADMITS VAST UNDERCOUNT OF UNEMPLOYED

Over half-a-million Americans who lost their jobs early in the recession were forgotten by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, the government agency that counts the unemployed.... The agency is now revising the figures, pushing them higher.

Bureau economists say they missed about 650,000 unemployed workers between March 1990 and March 1991, boosting the total to 1.62 million. The agency initially reported 970,000 workers became unemployed during the period. (Stella Dawson, Reuter)

GOP BEGINS PLATFORM HEARINGS BY BASHING DEMOCRATS ON ECONOMY

SAN DIEGO -- Republicans began writing a national party platform Monday that mirrors President Bush's policies and blames the country's economic ills on congressional Democrats.

"This Congress is the most cynical, crassly political and partisan Congress we've ever had to deal with," RNC Chairman Richard Bond told reporters. "This is indeed going to be a thrust of this document, and of the Republican message running through November," he said....

At a news conference, committee members skirted questions about whether Patrick Buchanan's supporters were shut out of the platform process, including Monday's free trade discussion....

Bond also said it was "too early to speculate" about the effect on Bush of a possible independent presidential bid by Ross Perot. "He has worked that Larry King talk show circuit very hard in the past and has a very strong following of people that are on that wavelength," Bond said of Perot.

Gov. Wilson and others urged the committee to strongly endorse the North American Free Trade Agreement.... "We cannot afford the misguided policy of protectionism," Wilson said. "When we erect those walls, others erect their walls." (Connie Cass, AP)

**CLINTON WILL TAKE ON BUSH OVER FOREIGN POLICY
BRANDISHING MAINSTREAM DEMOCRATIC PARTY IDEAS**

Gov. Clinton is about to move the game to President Bush's home field: He is preparing to take on the President over foreign policy.... Clinton's approach to the U.S. role in the world represents, as much as anything can, the mainstream of Democratic Party thinking on foreign policy in 1992. It's an approach that draws more from the pragmatic thinking of Sen. Nunn than from the highflying idealism of George McGovern's disciples.

"First, I think it's important to say that Bill Clinton is an internationalist," says Michael Mandelbaum, a specialist on East-West relations at the Council on Foreign Relations who is both a longtime friend and adviser. "He's not an isolationist. He's in favor of free trade. He's in favor of maintaining an American security role in some fashion....

Anthony Lake, a former State Department aide who coordinates foreign policy for the Clinton campaign, says that "philosophically" Clinton and Bush are similar in one important respect: "They're both internationalists. The differences are first generational and secondly about the leadership role of America in a changing world."

(Gerald Seib, Wall Street Journal, A18)

CLINTON TO CHANGE TACTICS
Candidate Defends character As Poll Shows Trouble In N.Y.

MILWAUKEE -- Faced with mounting evidence that questions about his character put him in danger in next Tuesday's crucial New York primary, Gov. Clinton Monday issued an anguished critique of the news media for the way they have covered his campaign and said he would take his case "directly to the people." In an unusual step for a front-runner, Clinton called for a sharp increase in the number of debates with Jerry Brown because all that voters "have heard is bad stuff dumped on them about me." He charged that the media do not accurately report on his positions, and that "at least the people who watch the debate will hear them."

(Thomas Edsall, Washington Post, A1)

CLINTON CREDIBILITY TAKES ANOTHER HIT

Gov. Clinton's admission that he tried marijuana over 20 years ago in Britain is a political wound others have easily survived but it deals yet another blow to his badly bruised credibility.

Party officials and political analysts said they doubted Clinton's brief college-boy experiment with marijuana, in itself, would hurt him. But they said the issue does add to the lengthening list of questions about Clinton's truthfulness and integrity because he had previously dodged direct answers to drug questions with replies that he had never broken U.S. drug laws. Those evasions now have a cunning feel that may provide more ammunition to those who dub Clinton "Slick Willie."...

Even the White House took the position that youthful indiscretions of that type should have no bearing on judgments of fitness for high office....

Analysts said that using marijuana years ago is not Clinton's problem. What is a problem, they say, is his open admission after repeated earlier evasions.

(Michael Posner, Reuter)

BUCHANAN ZEROES IN ON CONGRESS

Patrick Buchanan turned his sights from President Bush to Congress Monday, telling a Capitol Hill rally that he was renewing his presidential campaign in order "to oust the establishments of both parties."

Buchanan declared to cheers: "We are still running for the Republican nomination." His main focus, though, was Congress, which he called "a swamp that must be drained."

Later, Buchanan spokesman Greg Mueller said the campaign's focus would be pulling Bush to the right rather than defeating him for the nomination. "There's a lot more on the line than just the numerical race and winning the nomination," Mueller said.... Buchanan aides said Buchanan would focus on the future path of the Republican Party and, in the process, try to make himself the leader of its conservative wing....

Yesterday, Buchanan, who has derided Bush as "King George" for his patrician background and "Marco Polo" for his world travels, barely mentioned the President. Instead, his target was members of Congress, whom he called "our Lords Temporal."

(John Yang, Washington Post, A6)

CALLS ARRIVE IN WAVES ON PEROT'S PHONE LINES

DALLAS -- The telephone calls started rolling into the 100-line phone bank in a swanky office high-rise here as soon as Ross Perot's face was shown on CBS-TV's "60 Minutes" Sunday night.

When the show ended, the calls came in waves so fast the volunteers' ears hurt from holding the phone receivers close to talk with callers pleading for information on how to support the populist billionaire for president....

His supporters are encouraged by several unscientific polls. The Saginaw [Mich.] News asked readers to call in their reply to the question, If Perot runs would you vote for him? Of the 885 callers, 92 percent said yes. Last week a Santa Barbara, Calif., radio station posed the same question, and 65 percent of callers responded yes. The Houston Post asked readers: Given the choice of President Bush and Gov. Clinton, would you vote for Ross Perot? The results, from 3,962 calls: 74 percent, yes; 26 percent, no.

Perot named a senior research fellow at Stanford University's Hoover Institution, retired Navy Vice Adm. James Stockdale, as his interim running mate. (John Mintz, Washington Post, A6)

PEROT NAMES STOCKDALE INTERIM RUNNING MATE

Ross Perot Monday announced James Stockdale, a Vietnam prisoner of war and Congressional Medal of Honor winner, will be his interim running mate if he becomes a candidate for president....

"The selection of a running mate is a solemn responsibility. I will announce a running mate by the time of the two major political conventions this summer. Until then, Admiral Stockdale has agreed to allow his name to be placed with mine on the petitions so that the volunteers can continue." (UPI)

3RD-PARTY TRY ALWAYS A LONG SHOT

Independent or third-party presidential candidates have at least two things in common: Each tried to tap voter discontent with the in-crowd. None ever won election....

"He's (Perot) wasting his money," says Nelson Polsby, University of California at Berkeley presidential scholar. "He's never held public office in his life, and therefore totally unqualified to be president."

But analysts assert Perot shouldn't be dismissed out of hand. He could siphon votes -- and in a close race swing the election. "He's clearly going to be the wild card," ex-Illinois representative John Anderson said Monday on CNN....

"If there's a time for a third-party candidate to do well, this is it." says John Sears, a GOP strategist.

But what looks good seven months before the election could fade, says Emory University political scientist Merle Black. "Perot might look a lot different to people when they find out he made millions on government contracts."

(Richard Benedetto, USA Today, 2A)

**GOP GROUP THAT SPONSORED WILLIE HORTON
ATTACK ADS TO BE BACK THIS YEAR**

The folks that brought you Willie Horton are back. A group of conservative political activists on Monday announced the formation of an independent committee that plans to spend \$10 million on attack advertising to promote President Bush's reelection. Floyd Brown, chairman of the new Presidential victory Committee, was a key figure in a similar 1988 committee that spent \$10 million in an aggressive campaign against the Democrats.... Brown said there should be plenty of grist for negative advertising if Gov. Clinton wins the Democratic nomination.

(Barbara Demick, Knight-Ridder)

U.S. APPROVES NEW INFUSION OF CAMPAIGN SUBSIDIES

The Federal Election Commission Monday approved a new infusion of government cash into the 1992 presidential campaign in the form of subsidies to match amounts raised privately by the major candidates. The commission approved payments of \$1.043 million to Patrick Buchanan, \$666,877 to President Bush, \$1.113 million to Gov. Clinton and \$306,798 to Jerry Brown.

(Reuter)

WHAT A JOKE:

Some people say the presidential campaign is a joke. The center for Media and Public Affairs, a think tank that takes these things seriously, can tell you how much of a joke -- and who's leading. Researchers tally all jokes about the candidates on the "Tonight Show" and "Late Night With David Letterman." From Jan. 1 through Super Tuesday, President Bush was the runaway favorite with 97 jokes -- twice the 46 told about Gov. Clinton. The rest of the field: Patrick Buchanan, 35; Paul Tsongas, 28; Jerry Brown, 26. Among the center's favorites, from Jay Leno on the "Tonight Show:" "Both Bush and Buchanan say they have a plan for reviving the economy. You ever get the feeling that the only Republican who ever had a recovery program that worked was Betty Ford?"

(Dana Priest, Washington Post, A7)

GAO EXAMINES SPENDING HABITS OF WHITE HOUSE

As Congress questions how the White House spends its money, Democrats contend the heat placed on Capitol Hill reflects a government-wide problem, while Republicans believe their colleagues are just trying to shift the blame.... Yesterday, the White House announced that the GAO was auditing White House spending in fiscal years 1989 and 1991.... "This is a deliberate attempt, in my opinion, to throw up a smoke screen and cover up the corruption and the mismanagement that's been taking place in the U.S. House of Representatives.... The Democrats are scared to death they're going to lose a lot of their members," said Rep. Burton.... "There is no evidence that the White House has been doing the wrong thing. There is definite and conclusive evidence that the House of Representatives has been run in a slipshod manner," he said Monday.

(Jennings Moss, Washington Times, A6)

DEMOCRATIC 'PERK PATROLS' FOCUS ON EXECUTIVE BRANCH

"Perk patrols" organized by congressional Democrats, who have been stung by Republican criticism of the House Bank affair, have vowed to peer into every nook and cranny of executive branch privilege.

The Senate and House Appropriations committees and several of their subcommittees intend to scrutinize the operation of the White House, the offices of the President and Vice President and the habits of every Cabinet member and federal department....

"It's fine, we ought to look at our own House," Rep. Hoyer said of the investigation of House Bank check-kitters. "The issue is the same whether it's on one side of Pennsylvania Avenue or the other. How genuine is the criticism from the President if you criticize someone for putting their foot in the water and you have your leg in the water? You may look disingenuous, even political."...

According to congressional, White House and federal government officials, under scrutiny is the \$7,262,000 operating budget of the Executive Residence, among other things.... Congressional sources, however, suspect the actual costs of White House operations are hidden in accounts of the Defense and State Departments and the General Services Administration. Members of Congress also have asked for a detailed accounting of the operating costs of Camp David, the President's Maryland retreat operated by the Navy....

As for Cabinet members, Congress is planning to investigate how much is spent on the private dining rooms, chefs and gyms that some departments have. Free parking also may be reviewed.

(USA Today, 4A)

BEING THERE IS BIGGEST PERK

Democrat-inspired congressional probes of White House spending and travel aim to blunt President Bush's criticism of Capitol Hill perk abuse, but they hit only the hole in the doughnut.

The No. 1 White House perquisite is simply being president in an election year. "Being in the job shows he is the one who clearly has the hands-on leadership and more experience than anyone else," Torie Clarke, campaign spokeswoman, said Monday.

But "he doesn't have the luxury of being able to run all over the country and, as some of the other candidates do, spout a lot of nice rhetoric without having any of the responsibility," she said.

Gov. Clinton's spokesman, Jeff Eller, countered: "At some point in time, the people expect the President to get out and campaign -- to get out and earn their vote. That doesn't mean you fly in on a 747, make a speech and fly away, or that you bring yourself into their living room by satellite."...

Clinton doesn't begrudge the President those moments of reflected glory with sports heroes in the Rose Garden, Eller said Monday. "It's more of an honor for the team. Voters know that. I think the voters are a lot smarter than we give them credit for," he said. "When Bill becomes president, he'll do the same thing."

(Frank Murray, Washington Times, A1)

**ABORTION-RIGHTS, ANTI-ABORTION ACTIVITIES
REACH PEAK IN WASHINGTON**

As thousands of Americans on both sides of the abortion issue get ready to march on the Capitol on Sunday, Congress is sparring with the Bush Administration over key legislation that will shape the future of abortion rights....

The confluence of action on abortion-related issues, whether by accident or design, has propelled the debate over a woman's right to an abortion to center stage just in time for the election year.

"This is an indication of how important the issue of a right to choose is going to be in this election year," said Loretta Ucelli, a spokeswoman for the National Abortion Rights Action League. "It's also proof of how far out of the mainstream the Bush Administration is." (Elizabeth Neuffer, Boston Globe)

U.S. IS ALLOWED SUPPORTING ROLE ON PENNSYLVANIA ABORTION LAW

The Supreme Court Monday granted the Bush Administration's request to argue in support of the Pennsylvania abortion law when the politically charged issue comes before the high court next month.

The court approved the Administration's request to participate in oral argument in *Planned Parenthood of Southeastern Pennsylvania v. Casey*. The Administration will have 10 minutes to defend the constitutionality of the Pennsylvania law, and a lawyer for the state will have 20 minutes of the half-hour allotted to each side.

(Ruth Marcus & Don Phillips, Washington Post, A15)

MEDICAL GROUPS ASK END TO ABORTION 'GAG RULE'

Twenty-three medical groups, including the American Medical Association, said recent Bush Administration changes to the 1988 rule that bars abortion counseling and referrals at federally funded clinics don't go far enough, and they urged Congress to overturn the rule.

A letter from the groups to all members of Congress labeled the 1988 language a "gag rule" that "inhibits the ability of the medical and nursing professions to communicate with their patients' fully. The March 20 changes by the Bush Administration still "censors the speech of physicians and nurses," the letter charged. The groups represented include the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists and the American Nurses Association.

Rep. Waxman said the Bush Administration is "seeking to calm down some doctors by letting them say a few more words," but "nine out of 10 patients see a nurse, not a doctor" at federally funded clinics....

Yesterday William Archer, deputy assistant secretary at HHS, said the March 20 change "ensures that doctors and patients...can speak on any -- on any -- medical matter.... A physician is able to provide any medical information about abortion that he deems necessary for a patient." (Spencer Rich, Washington Post, A5)

Hearing To Clarify Abortion Rule Clouds Waters

..."After the testimony today, we're even more confused than before," said Joan Henneberry, head of family planning for Colorado....

"The Administration wants to cover itself politically by trying to send a message they're moderating the gag rule when in fact they're not," charged Rep. Wyden....

"He (President Bush) is the consummate politician and he has alienated one of the strongest support bases he had," said American Life League president Judie Brown.

"(Bush) has always talked out of both sides of his mouth on abortion," said Jeanne Clarkea national board member of NOW. "They're really trying to be all things to all people and at the same time, they know they're in big trouble."

(Maria Puente, USA Today, 3A)

**SUPREME COURT ASKS BUSH ADMINISTRATION FOR ITS
VIEW OF AIDS INSURANCE CASE**

The U.S. Supreme Court on Monday asked the Bush Administration for its legal views of a groundbreaking Texas case on the ability of business to limit insurance benefits for AIDS-afflicted workers.... The case is being closely monitored by advocacy groups for gay rights and the elderly because of fears that it could lead more employers to cut insurance coverage for catastrophic illnesses.... The Supreme Court has not agreed to review the case, but a request for the U.S. solicitor general's comments is an indication that the justices have a strong interest in the issue.

(Steve McGonigle, Dallas Morning News)

FDA TO CRACK DOWN ON CONTAMINATED IMPORTS

FDA Commissioner David Kessler Monday announced a crackdown on contaminated imported foods and drugs, including permanent seizure of goods that are known to be harmful.... Kessler said that criminal penalties and seizures are not new remedies for the FDA, but "new as being applied to imports."

(Carole Sugarman, Washington Post, A3)

CRITICS RAISE STINK OVER PIG-BURNING PLAN

Florida residents are rushing to rescue 74 pigs the government wants to burn to test a Key West incinerator. The USDA wants to use the facility to burn animals imported into the U.S. that die or are sick.... Public outcry cooled the idea: USDA is rethinking. "It's spooky," said Xan Rawls, animal control director for Brevard County. "It's frightening."

(Robert Davis, USA Today, 3A)

NO NEW TEXAS!

At Gibbs's Benefit, Bush Repents His Oilers Vote

His neck seemed to shrink in his tuxedo, his jaw to narrow, as he stepped onto an index card marked "The President." Who wouldn't shrivel next to the Redskins, especially if he had rooted for an opposing team?...

Some trace Bush's slump in the polls back to early November, around the time he snubbed the Washington Redskins. "You always remember that," said Don Warren, Washington's 6-foot-4 tight end. "I don't forgive."...

It was hard to forget that this was the year the Redskins scored a Super Bowl victory while politics was bogged down in check-kiting, tax-hiking, and bed-hopping.

"They like us better," said offensive guard Russ Grimm. "Football you watch on a weekend. Politics you have to stick with all year."

A tangle of teenagers -- tourists from Dublin, Ga. -- outside the Concert Hall concurred. They begged security guards, "Please let us in. We don't have a gun. We just want to see -- " The President? Nah. "The REDSKINS!"

(Laura Blumenfeld, Washington Post, B2)

COOKE, D.C. SEEM CLOSE ON STADIUM PACT

Representatives of Mayor Kelly and Redskins owner Jack Kent Cooke have just about wrapped up negotiations on a new stadium and hope to meet this week to complete the deal according to District government and other sources.

Some last-minute hitch could still delay a formal announcement, but District negotiators are trying to wind up talks by Friday, the deadline Secretary Lujan has set for seeing any stadium plans that would require the use of federal land for construction.

(Karlyn Barker, Washington Post, D3)

EDITOR'S NOTE: "Brother, Can You Spare A Dime-Again?" regarding today's recession and the Great Depression of 1932, by Tom Kelly, appears in The Washington Times, page E1.

INTERNATIONAL NEWS

BUSH TO ANNOUNCE C.I.S. AID PACKAGE ON WEDNESDAY

President Bush will announce a comprehensive package of measures to aid the former Soviet republics at a news conference Wednesday, U.S. officials said Monday. The officials said Bush's announcement might be coordinated with aid announcements by other Western industrialized countries....

Gov. Clinton was scheduled to make a major foreign policy speech Wednesday. But U.S. officials said Bush had not timed his announcement to upstage Clinton's address. Rather, they said the timing was dictated by expected announcements in other Western capitals of aid packages for the C.I.S. republics.

(Gene Gibbons, Reuter)

Bush Pushes For Aid To C.I.S.

President Bush, who plans to unveil his long-awaited aid package for the C.I.S. states this week, already has begun lobbying Congress and international partners to support the former Soviet republics.

Senior Administration officials said the latest plan would be released by midday Wednesday to offset Gov. Clinton's first major foreign policy address -- reportedly on U.S.-C.I.S. affairs -- set for Wednesday night.

(Paul Bedard, Washington Times, A3)

CHENEY: INSIST ON WEAPON REDUCTIONS

BRUSSELS -- The U.S. will insist that the former Soviet republics consolidate all nuclear weapons in the Russian republic and move ahead with the destruction of a "significant number" of warheads, Secretary Cheney says....

Cheney said he plans to quiz his counterparts from Russia, Ukraine, and Belarus about the progress of the nuclear weapon consolidation, including Ukraine's stated reluctance to turn over all its weapons.

Queried whether he intends to seek a commitment from Ukraine that weapons of mass destruction be shipped to Russia, Cheney said, "I'll make it clear that it's still the policy of the United States to support and encourage the efforts that they decided upon themselves, which was that they would...consolidate all of their nuclear weapons inside the Russian republic and then proceed with the destruction of a significant number of those warheads."

(Susanne Schafer, AP)

**U.S. SEEKING APRIL 27 MIDEAST TALKS
Baker Proposes That Future Sessions
Be Held Closer To The Region**

Secretary Baker, taking a more aggressive posture toward the Middle East peace talks, has asked all participants to return to Washington April 27 while insisting they also agree in advance to hold future talks closer to the region....

Margaret Tutwiler said Baker wants agreement in advance of the next meeting that the future rounds would be held closer to the Middle East.... If the participants cannot agree on a new venue, Tutwiler said, the U.S. and Russia, cosponsors of the talks, will designate a location and announce it before April 27. Tutwiler described this as a "new approach."

However, senior U.S. officials said Baker does not intend to take a more direct role in the actual negotiations, which have in the early rounds generally moved very slowly....

Tutwiler did not indicate what Baker meant by "closer" to the Middle East or whether the U.S. and Russia would be willing to move the talks to Europe. (David Hoffman, Washington Post, A12)

**IRAQI FORCES SHELL KURDISH REBELS IN
APPARENT CEASE-FIRE VIOLATION**

ASKI KALAK, IRAQ -- In apparent violation of the cease-fire agreement signed after the Persian Gulf War, Iraqi military forces are shelling and shooting at thousands of Kurdish civilians along their front lines....

"The Iraqis have always lobbed a few mortar rounds now and then towards the Kurds," said one U.N. official, "but since last Wednesday they have been dropping up to 300 heavy artillery shells a day in the area. It is quite a dramatic increase."

(Chris Hedges, New York Times, A1)

**USDA REPAYS SOME OF IRAQ'S BAD
LOANS TO BANK OWNED PARTLY BY IRAQ**

The Agriculture Department has paid more than \$360 million to a bank controlled "in substantial part" by the government of Iraq, according to government records and congressional sources.

Sen. Leahy on Monday asked Secretary Madigan to explain the payments to the Gulf International Bank, made when President Bush has banned business with Baghdad....

"At a time when we are all concerned that the government of Iraq continues to act in an outlaw fashion under the leadership of Saddam Hussein, I am very concerned that this payment sends a dangerous signal to the government of Iraq," Leahy told Madigan in a letter.

But Scott Dykema, spokesman for the Treasury Department, said Iraq will not benefit from the payments because its financial interest in the bank is frozen under terms of the economic embargo against Baghdad. Dykema, also said the Treasury Department had determined that the bank could be repaid because it was not controlled by the government of Iraq. (Jennifer Dixon, AP)

**'WELL-CONNECTED' JORDANIAN AVOIDED U.S.
INDICTMENT IN IRAQI LOAN FRAUD**

The Justice Department decided last year not to indict a Jordanian businessman in a \$5 billion Iraqi loan fraud scheme after the State Department pointed out that he was "well connected" to the King of Jordan and to U.S. grain exporters, according to records made public in the House Monday.

Government prosecutors had been planning to name the middleman, Wafai Dajani, as one of the defendants in a conspiracy to funnel billions of dollars in illegal bank loans to Iraq, but decided not to do so shortly before the indictment was returned on Feb. 28, 1991. In a secret internal memo that day, the State Department said it had "no objections" to indictment of any of the individuals on the prosecution's list, including Dajani, but it expressed reservations about proceeding against him in light of his connections....

Rep. Gonzales said Monday that Dajani also helped obtain arms for Iraq from firms in Portugal and Cyprus. The Banking Committee, Gonzales added, is investigating "whether or not the CCC commodities destined for Mr. Dajani's grain handling facility in Aqaba were diverted to pay for these weapons or others."... Gonzales called the decision not to indict Dajani "probably the most blatant example of State Department intervention" in the case.

(George Lardner, Washington Post, A12)

BUSH IS PRESSED ON VIETNAM EMBARGO

The Bush Administration is under growing pressure from American business leaders and foreign allies to modify its embargo against Vietnam. In response, officials say, the government may be preparing to move to a new phase of relations with Hanoi, which recently pledged to remove some major obstacles to the resolution of the issue of Americans still missing from the Vietnam War.... "We cannot watch from the tailgate as other nations get their fair share of trade in Vietnam, a big nation of 66 million people that needs to buy many things," said Heinz Pletcher, chairman of the President's Export Council.

(Barbara Crossette, New York Times, A3)

GEPHARDT BILL TRIGGERS U.S.-JAPAN AUTO DEBATE

American and Japanese automakers sparred Monday over a proposal that would force Japan to eliminate its trade surplus with the U.S. over five years or face limits on sales of Japanese cars in the U.S. There was opposition even among the "Big Three" U.S. automakers to the proposal by Rep. Gephardt and all three said the Bush Administration already has the tools to force Japan to import more American cars and buy more American parts.

At a hearing before the trade subcommittee of the House Ways and Means Committee, support for the Gephardt bill, co-sponsored by Sen. Riegle, was led by Chrysler Corp. It has long favored formal restraints on Japanese imports and cars made at Japanese-owned "transplant" factories. GM said it has not made a decision on whether to support the bill.... U.S. representatives of Toyota and Honda said the bill would cost Americans jobs and raise car prices for consumers.

(John Maggs, Journal of Commerce)

AS DEFENSE SHRINKS, SDI MAY BE LOSING FAVOR WITH MILITARY

For the first time, SDI has become the Bush Administration's No. 1 priority in the weapons budget. Yet the anti-missile project is not everyone's favorite at the Pentagon.

SDI is causing considerable resentment in some military circles, for two reasons: The "missile killer" project is competing with the armed services for shares of the shrinking defense budget.... As the project moves close to actually fielding a system for shooting down ballistic missiles, debate is growing within the military over how to put it together and who would control it....

But now the defense cuts are accelerating and the money fight is fiercer. "The tighter the budget gets there is going to be more resistance by some elements in the Pentagon to having more money going into SDI research and development," said Steven Kosiak, senior budget analyst at the Defense Budget Project, a private research organization. (Robert Burns, AP)

DEFENSE CUTS THREATEN STATE JOBS

Maryland is projected to lose more than 9,000 defense industry jobs under Pentagon cutbacks proposed by the Bush Administration, and the numbers could go even higher under proposals being pushed in Congress, according to a study released Monday.

(Tom Bowman, Baltimore Sun, A1)

**REPORT ON TRADE BARRIERS SAYS U.S. MADE
SOME INROADS IN JAPAN, MEXICO**

The Bush Administration reported "significant" successes in opening markets in Japan and Mexico, but found major trade barriers remain in the countries as well as such places as the EC, Canada, China and South Korea.

"Far more foreign markets are open today to U.S. firms than three years ago," Trade Representative Hills said as she released a congressionally mandated annual report on foreign trade barriers. But she cautioned that "much more remains to be done," and the report listed an increasing number of countries that allegedly maintain trade barriers.

(Eduardo Lachica, Wall Street Journal, A18)

EDITOR'S NOTES: "Victims Of Politics," regarding reduced aid to Vietnamese refugees, by Frank Wolfe, appears in The Washington Times, page B1.

"US Arms Makers Still Push Sales," by Peter Grier, appears in The Christian Science Monitor, page 1.

NETWORK NEWS

(Monday evening, March 30)

BABY WITH BRAIN STEM ONLY

ABC's Peter Jennings: We begin tonight with a family tragedy that has become a matter of great public concern -- a private matter that led to a debate about public policy. In Ft. Lauderdale, FL, a baby has died. She was born nine days ago with only a brain stem -- only enough to keep some of her body's functions going for only a little while. Her parents had asked a court to let her life be terminated so that her healthy organs could be donated to others in need. (All Nets Lead)

WILLIE HORTON AD MAN

CBS's Dan Rather: Get ready for more negative advertising in the presidential campaign. The whole campaign may be about to get a lot dirtier. The man behind the ads that helped destroy Michael Dukakis said today he's preparing a new assault on Bill Clinton.

CBS's Bill Plante: If you liked the 1988 presidential campaign you're going to love 1992.

(TV coverage of President Bush shaking hands with Boy Scouts at an outdoor event in 1988.)

Floyd Brown is back. Brown heads the conservative political action committee which paid for the Willie Horton ad. And just like four years ago he can't wait to help George Bush, especially if his opponent is Bill Clinton.

(Brown: "Every time I pick up the morning newspaper I feel like a kid in a candy store. The fact is that he [Clinton] is very vulnerable.")

Brown says he will raise \$10,000,000 to make what he calls comparative ads for the 1992 campaign. He says there is no connection to the Bush campaign.... This time around Democrats don't buy the idea that there's no connection.

(Wendy Sherman, Dukakis campaign: "I would bet there is not a viewer tonight who believes that this isn't connected to George Bush and his effort to win reelection.")

Bill Clinton wasn't buying it either.

(Clinton: "George Bush said on "David Frost" that he would do anything to win. I am getting sick and tired of people who are too weak-kneed to take him on.")

In case there is any doubt about what kind of campaign lies ahead, a senior official said today that the President will make family values a key campaign issue, and that he won't be doing any ads attacking Clinton's character. No, said the official, the President will let others do that. (CBS-8)

ABORTION/"GAG" RULE

Jennings: There has been another round of debate today over President Bush's new proposal on abortion counseling. At issue is something called the "gag" rule, which if put into effect would impose severe limitations on what advice family planning clinics, which receive federal money, could give the people they serve. Up until now President Bush has wanted no advice at all about abortion. And then a week ago there was a change: doctors would be permitted to discuss abortion in those clinics -- but only doctors, not nurses.

ABC's Al Dale reports most of the women who come to Planned Parenthood's main clinic in Atlanta for pregnancy counseling are poor. Clinic officials say those women would be treated unfairly under the Bush Administration's new guidelines because they still would not get information about abortion.

(Kay Scott, Atlanta Planned Parenthood Director: "I think it's harassment of poor women, and the government is out of touch with what the priorities are. To say that physicians can talk to clients is really a problem, because most physicians are not the primary health care giver.")

The man in charge of the policy, HHS Deputy Secretary William Archer, defended it today.

(Archer: "The nurses will provide a list as a source of referral where that woman, that poor woman can go and get information even from other federal programs.")

Thousands of clinics -- those more dependent than Planned Parenthood for federal money -- may have to obey the rules, leaving many women who cannot afford private care with no place to turn on qualified medical advice on abortion. (ABC-2)

MIDEAST TALKS

Jennings: The Bush Administration has invited Israel and its Arab neighbors for another round of peace talks. April 29 is the date. So far the talks have made it clear how much distance there is between Israel and the Arabs, and in some cases how far apart Israel and the U.S. are on the process of a lasting peace.

ABC's Barrie Dunsmore reports that President Bush spoke of his anguish over current tensions in U.S.-Israeli relations in an emotional letter to a prominent Republican Jewish leader. The letter was made public over the weekend. The letter seemed aimed at repairing his relationship with American Jews.

(TV Coverage of President Bush walking up the White House driveway.)

With the end of the Cold War, Israel's strategic value as an ally against the Soviet Union has decreased. And so has Israel's political support in the country. So now for the first time this President has felt freer to challenge Israel on matters of policy.

[Rep. Lee Hamilton, (D): "I think what is remarkably changed in the relationship is the willingness of a President of the United States to take Israel head-on."]

Nothing better illustrates this than the President's refusal to guarantee loans to absorb Soviet Jews unless Israel stops building settlements in Arab territories. (APC-12)

ISRAELI RELATIONS

Jennings reports that it's always been the case that when something important happens on one side of the U.S.-Israeli relationship, it certainly has an effect on the other. Moreover, there is now an election campaign going on in Israel, and Israel's relationship with the U.S. has become quite an issue.

ABC's Dean Reynolds reports that increasingly there is a sense of betrayal among Israelis -- a feeling that the rules of the game have been changed by a uniquely hostile American Administration just looking for a fight.

(Ehud Olmert: "There is a certain distortion in the basic principles of decency and friendliness with regard to the government of Israel.")

For a sizeable minority of Israelis, American criticism has awakened fears never far from the surface.

(Joseph Goell, Jerusalem Post: "This point of view tends to equate anything critical of Israel with antisemitism. If you are going to say something against Israel, it's because you're an antisemite.")

And some in Prime Minister Shamir's Likud Party now see that idea as a vote getter in the June elections. References to the holocaust are already seeping into right-wing comments about President Bush. Typically such words come from junior officials like Deputy Minister Benjamin Netanyahu, who said, Bush wanted Israel to move its borders to Auschwitz. But there are other Israelis who think attacking America could backfire, especially if Bush and company are reelected. (ABC-13)

PAT BUCHANAN

Jennings reports that Pat Buchanan said today that he will spend less time in the future attacking President Bush and pay more attention to Congress. Mr. Buchanan called Congress a swamp that must be drained. (ABC-4)

H. ROSS PEROT

NBC's Tom Brokaw reports that H. Ross Perot chose a temporary running mate -- Retired Admiral James Stockdale, a highly decorated Vietnam War veteran. Perot had to make a choice now because many states require a vice presidential candidate for a position on the ballot. (CBS-7, NBC-2)

UNEMPLOYMENT

Jennings reports unemployment in the U.S. early in the current recession was actually much worse than the government had reported. The Bureau of Labor Statistics acknowledged today that more than half of a million people who lost their jobs between March 1990 and March 1991 were left out of the official count. (ABC-7)

HOUSING STARTS

Jennings reports the housing industry slipped back in February. Sales of new homes were down 2.7%. (ABC-8)

CAMBODIA

Jennings reports that the U.N. has begun the job of trying to help Cambodian refugees go home again safely. According to U.N. officials in the field, the mission to get them all home would have a much greater chance of success if the U.S. would keep its financial commitments.

(Sergio Viera DeMello, U.N.: "For the time being what we need most is money to make it work. We're facing a number of difficulties here: mines, roads, availability of land, security, etc.")

ABC's Bill Redeker reports money from the U.S. could help. The U.S. is supposed to contribute \$660 million to the program. So far they have not contributed a dime because Congress is at an impasse over new foreign aid. The lack of funding has also undercut the deployment of U.N. peacekeeping troops. Only 2,000 of the 22,000-man force have arrived. Prince Sihanouk indicated today that more troops are needed to help disarm warring factions, especially the Khmer Rouge.

Tomorrow another 500 refugees will make their way home. But U.N. officials say the Cambodian future will remain in jeopardy as long as the West, especially the U.S., refuses to help pay the price of peace. (ABC-10)

NEW YORK CITY WOES

NBC's Bob Kur reports that over the years city voters have watched politicians come and go while the problems stayed or got worse.

(Unknown: "It [solving the problems] is not as simple as 'Points of Light,' and it's not as complex as the 'War on Poverty.' It's something in between. But the President has to set the tone.") And this President's tone is quite clear.

(President Bush: "Our view -- the Republican view -- is based on a fundamental principle: government is too big and it spends too much.")

The Democrats [presidential candidates] would create enterprise zones where those who invest in inner-cities would get tax breaks. Enterprise zones are a Republican idea, yet each time President Bush asked Congress to create them the Democrats in control refused. (NBC-4)

MEAT AND POULTRY INSPECTION

CBS's Dan Rather reports that the federal government's seal of approval on the meat and poultry you buy may not mean as much as you think. The Agriculture Department said so in a report that was supposed to be secret -- a report the public wasn't supposed to see. But CBS correspondent Bruce Morton did see it.

CBS's Morton: The Agriculture Department commissioned a report which says the Food Safety and Inspection Service has lost sight of a clear cut and widely agreed upon mission together with strategies, goals and plans for carrying out that mission. The current poultry slaughter system, the report says, is deficient from a public health viewpoint. (CBS-2)

CIS AID

Rather: President Bush says he will announce this week another new package of economic aid to Russia and other former Soviet republics. Mr. Bush has been criticized by Republicans and Democrats for not doing enough to help the former Communist superpower switch to democracy and a free market system. (CBS-3)

CIS UNEMPLOYMENT

Jennings reports that U.N. officials returning from the former Soviet Union say there is a danger that the unemployment rate could reach 24%. (CBS-4, ABC-11)

CONGRESSIONAL SPENDING

ABC's Barry Serafin reports that thanks to U.S. taxpayers a once abandoned rail yard in Scranton, Penn., is getting a new life. It is now called the Steam Town National Historic Site. Old buildings and steam locomotives are being restored. When private developers ran out of money for the project Steam Town found a champion in Rep. McDade. At McDade's urging Congress has appropriated \$52 million for Steam Town over the past five years with the National Park Service put in charge. Privately many Park Service officials describe Steam Town as a project the Park Service does not need or want. They and some members of Congress point to other needs, such as \$2 billion dollars worth of delayed repairs in national parks. (ABC-5)

HANDGUN EDUCATION

Jennings reports that James Brady was in New York City today to help launch a new handgun education program in the city's schools. The New York program is part of a national program to teach inner-city children that guns are not an answer to their problems. (CBS-5, ABC-10)

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EDITORIALS/COLUMNISTS

CAMPAIGN

Bush Must Bring Back Pat -- And All His Flock -- "A toned-down Pat Buchanan won't necessarily bring the drift Republicans home. That is up to President Bush. The Bush campaign should recruit Buchanan by giving him a spot on the convention agenda, making him a surrogate in the fall and adding some of his people to the Bush-Quayle campaign. The President has to go back to the future. His statement last week, with its promises to 'reinvent our schools, transform welfare and health care,'...is a step in the right direction.... What Bush needs to do is spell out how he will change America. Reinventing education is great.... The President needs to tell us how we'll get our money's worth.... Bush also can't be defensive about international affairs. He needs to articulate how the new world order benefits us. He can do it in two words: peace and prosperity."

(Ed Rollins, Los Angeles Times, 3/22)

A Perot Candidacy Would Go After Votes Of Angry Americans -- "As the threat from Pat Buchanan subsides, President Bush may face an even greater challenge from an independent candidacy by Ross Perot.... Early assessments of a Perot candidacy suggest more damage to Bush than the Democratic nominee since Perot comes from the business community. But Perot might tap into groups of voters that are simply apathetic, regardless of past party leaning.... If Ross Perot ventures forth, he'll probably address all these issues [congressional reform, campaign finance reform], plus the overriding problems of the economy and chronic deficit spending.... In today's uncertain atmosphere, a substantial number of voters might opt for the consummate outsider. But it's a long time until November."

(John Knaggs, Austin-American Statesman, 3/21)

ECONOMY

The Economy -- No More Federal 'Help,' Thank You -- "President Bush gave Americans the best economic news they've had in some time. He promised to 'do nothing' rather than raise taxes or try other gimmicks to stimulate the economy.... Bush is correct. Congress is too far out of touch to be trusted.... Democrats can yap all they want about tax fairness. The last thing the economy needs is another tax on fairness."

(Charleston Daily Mail, 3/22)

Tough Talk, But That's It -- "The economic package crafted by congressional Democrats was, as we all knew it would be, wholly unacceptable to the White House.... It deserves the veto the President promised. But where is the 'good fair fight' he also promised. On March 20 he trumpeted that list of cockeyed budget items...whose appropriations he wants rescinded. Sure, he announced a longer moratorium on new federal regulations. But those are easy jabs, and they aren't going to change anything 'real.'... Once again, the President's puny deeds failed to match his martial rhetoric."

(Boston Herald, 3/23)

MIDEAST

U.S. Pressure Could Reelect Shamir -- "If the Bush Administration remains firm on the principle of no new settlements outside of Israel's June 1967 borders, it will have an impact on the political debate in Israel -- but this impact could shape the debate in a manner which the U.S. will not appreciate. It may not only lead the Likud to run against Washington, but force the Labor Party to assert positions on settlement activity that will make agreement with the U.S. difficult even if Labor should be elected. A Rabin-led labor Party cannot be expected to abandon what it views as Israel's legitimate right to settle throughout greater Jerusalem or in the Golan Heights.... It would be best for all concerned to remember the past, tone down the rhetoric, and let Israel's democracy work on its own."

(Marvin Feuerwerker, Christian Science Monitor, 3/24)

Another Mideast Obstacle -- "If 'obstacle to peace' is Washington's term for the expansion of Jewish settlements in territories occupied by Israel, what should we call Hezbollah's Lebanon-based crusade to eradicate Israel? If President Bush is willing to press an ally, Israel, to desist from actions he rejects, when will he demand that disreputable Syria and Iran stop supporting the murderous...Hezbollah?... The U.S. neither aids nor trades with Syria or Iran. Yet Washington has some leverage. Syria does not want to be the one to scuttle the Bush Administration's Middle East peace talks. And both countries increasingly seek international respectability. President Bush should let them know they will never have it as long as they arm and protect the fighters of Hezbollah. He should say this publicly. Neither deference nor discretion wins cooperation from despotic Middle Eastern regimes, as the President should have learned from Iraq."

(Rocky Mountain News, 3/23)

Principles, Then Policy -- "Evidence has been mounting for more than a year of how the Bush Administration -- and the Reagan Administration before that -- coddled Saddam Hussein because he was sending his troops to die in battle against fanatical Shiites from Iran.... Then President Bush reversed this country's policies 180 degrees, going to war against its former ally. Now a similar pattern may be merging regarding Syria. The Administration is looking the other way while Syria rearms with powerful Scud missiles. Will Syria hoodwink the Bush Administration as Saddam did? By seeming to favor Syria and to punish Israel, is the Administration sending exactly the wrong signals to both countries, which could be the next antagonists in the next Middle East war?... The White House should come up with a consistent set of foreign policy goals for the region that are predicated on enduring principles -- resolving the Arab-Israeli conflict, for instance -- and stick to them."

(St. Louis Post-Dispatch, 3/23)

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News From the Hill

HOUSE FLOOR: Closed captioning sought for election commercials.

Presidential candidates who accept federal matching funds would be required to prepare all television commercials with closed captioning under legislation (HR 3292) that passed the House by voice vote yesterday.

With closed captioning, those with specially equipped televisions can receive a running transcript across their screens. The requirement would take effect 30 days after enactment. The bill would make the commercials more accessible to the hearing impaired.

The House also passed, by voice vote, legislation (S 1743) that would designate segments of eight rivers in Arkansas as part of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System and a bill (H J Res 402) that would authorize a memorial to George Mason in the Mall area of Washington, D.C. Mason was the author of Virginia's Declaration of Rights, which is similar to the Bill of Rights, later included in the U.S. Constitution.

ABORTION RULES spark angry exchange at House hearing.

The fight over the Bush administration's regulations barring abortion counseling in federally funded family planning clinics resumed yesterday, as members of the House Energy and Commerce Health Subcommittee grilled the Health and Human Services Department (HHS) official who oversees the Title X family planning program.

William R. Archer III, HHS deputy assistant secretary for population affairs, was called before the panel to explain his March 20 memorandum to regional administrators detailing enforcement of the rules.

The controversial rules have largely remained unenforced since they were first issued in 1988 and upheld by the Supreme Court last May.

Archer defended the administration's latest interpretation of the rules, saying

that the original regulations never intended to restrict counseling by doctors. "A physician is able to provide any medical information about abortion that he or she deems necessary for a patient. It is that simple," he said.

But members of the subcommittee remained skeptical. "The administration has worked hard to promote the notion that there is a kinder and gentler 'gag rule,'" said Ron Wyden, D-Ore. "On the record, nothing's changed."

WEAPONS PLANT cleanup remains monumental, panel hears.

The Department of Energy's (DOE) assistant secretary for environmental restoration yesterday defended the agency's fiscal 1993 request of \$5.3 billion for the cleanup of nuclear weapons plants, saying the money is needed to finance the "most complex environmental cleanup challenge among the federal agencies."

DOE's Leo P. Duffy told the House Armed Services' DOE Defense Nuclear Facilities Panel that the funding level, representing a 24 percent increase over fiscal 1992 appropriations, would be used to help transform the agency's cleanup program from one focused primarily on investigation and feasibility studies to actual cleanup of the many weapons production plants managed by DOE.

Victor S. Rezendes, an energy issues specialist with the General Accounting Office, said the total cleanup of DOE plants is currently estimated to cost \$160 billion.

He said the overall cost could grow to \$300 billion or more if technological breakthroughs are not found to handle some of the more highly volatile wastes that have accumulated during decades of accelerated nuclear weapons production.

Panel Chairman John M. Spratt Jr., D-S.C., said he is concerned over the lack of clear cost estimates for the cleanup.

"Despite years of effort and substan-

Today

House Floor: The House is scheduled to vote on a bill (HR 3732) that would allow some fiscal 1993 funds earmarked for defense to be spent on domestic initiatives.

The 1990 budget deal placed caps on spending for domestic, defense and international programs and barred Congress from shifting funds from one account to another through fiscal 1993.

Liberal Democrats have been pushing the bill so that some of the "peace dividend" can be spent on education and other domestic programs. But the Democratic leadership has been unable to attract conservative Democrats, some of whom are concerned that a cutback in defense will cost jobs in their districts.

Most Republicans remain opposed to the bill.

The House also will take up a measure (HR 1558) to coordinate the transfer of control of the Panama Canal from the United States to the Panamanians. The transfer is scheduled for 1999.

Senate Floor: Senators plan to vote on whether to invoke cloture and allow consideration of a bill (HR 2507) that would lift a ban on the use of tissue from aborted fetuses for scientific research.

Federal funding for research involving fetal tissue from induced abortions has been prohibited since President Ronald Reagan imposed the moratorium in 1988.

Bill supporters say critical biological studies have been hampered by the inability of scientists to use fetal tissue in research. But opponents say they fear the bill would lead to more abortions.

Energy Research: The House Science Committee will weigh in today on the congressional energy policy debate, as it begins a markup of energy-related research and development legislation.

The panel will consider a measure (HR 4559) that is expected to be incorporated into a comprehensive energy strategy bill (HR 776).

Under HR 4559, research and development spending would receive an annual increase of roughly 5 percent after inflation — for a total authorization of \$17.4 billion in fiscal 1993-97. The bill directs funding toward conservation, renewable energy and nuclear fusion.

The bill contains a section, added during subcommittee markup, that calls for converting the U.S. uranium enrichment enterprise into a federally owned corporation that will ultimately be sold back to private investors. Currently, the Energy Department oversees the nation's uranium enrichment program.

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Status of Major Legislation

102nd Congress

(as of March 30, 1992)

Bill and Background	House	Senate	Final
Cable Television Reregulation. (S 12, HR 1303) The bills would strengthen regulation of cable operators' basic rates and services, allow broadcasters to charge cable operators for use of their signal and seek to boost competition.		S 12 passed 1/31/92	
Campaign Finance. (HR 3750, S 3) The bills would set voluntary limits, on a state-by-state basis, on how much a candidate could spend on House and Senate elections and provide public funding and other benefits to those who comply.	HR 3750 passed 11/25/91	S 3 passed 5/23/91	
Conditional MFN for China. (S 1367, HR 2212) The bill would set conditions for the renewal of most-favored-nation (MFN) trade status with China in 1992. President Bush vetoed the bill because he wants no congressional conditions attached to China's MFN status — which provides low tariffs for Chinese goods imported into the United States.	HR 2212 passed 7/10/91	S 1367 passed as HR 2212 7/23/91	HR 2212 cleared 2/25/92 President vetoed 3/2/92 House voted to override veto 3/11/92 Senate sustained veto 3/18/92
Crime Bill. (S 1241, HR 3371) The omnibus crime package would broaden the federal death penalty to an estimated 50 crimes, restrict death row inmate appeals and allow prosecutors to use certain evidence obtained in violation of defendants' rights. Conferees accepted language from the Senate measure requiring a five-day waiting period for the purchase of a handgun.	HR 3371 passed 10/22/91	S 1241 passed 7/11/91	House adopted conference report on HR 3371, 11/27/91 Senate cloture failed 11/27/91, 3/19/92
Elementary and Secondary Education Grants. (S 2, HR 3320) The bills, designed to respond to President Bush's "America 2000" plan, would create a federal grant program for states to help fund education improvements in elementary and secondary schools. The House measure would allow funds to go to "school choice" programs involving both public and private schools, as proposed by the Bush administration; the Senate bill would allow choice only among public schools.	Education and Labor approved HR 3320 10/17/91	S 2 passed 1/28/92	
Family and Medical Leave. (HR 2, S 5) The bills would require businesses and the federal government to give workers unpaid leave to care for newborns or ill relatives. President Bush vetoed similar legislation in 1990.	HR 2 passed as S 5 11/13/91	S 5 passed 10/2/91	
Higher Education Reauthorization. (HR 3553, S 1150) The bills would reauthorize for five and seven years, respectively, the 1965 Higher Education Act, which governs all federal grants and loans to post-secondary students. Both measures seek to open the loan and grant programs to more students from middle class families.	HR 3553 passed 3/26/91	S 1150 passed 2/21/92	
National Energy Policy. (HR 776, S 2166) The bills seek to define a comprehensive national energy strategy. The Senate bill contains the core of an earlier version (S 1220) that members refused to consider last session, but discards controversial proposals to open Alaska's Arctic National Wildlife Refuge (ANWR) to oil and gas drilling and to increase federal gasoline mileage standards. The House measure also does not include provisions for drilling in ANWR or auto fuel efficiency standards. The House bill is silent on the issues of nuclear power plant licensing and coastal drilling.	Energy approved HR 776 3/11/92	S 2166 passed 2/19/92	
Tax Bill. (HR 4210) The House and Senate versions would provide a tax break for middle-income taxpayers and a tax increase for higher-income Americans. The conference agreement would create a new top tax bracket of 36 percent and impose a 10 percent surtax on millionaires, while providing a permanent \$300-per-child tax credit to families making less than \$50,000 per year. The agreement also would provide a two-year tax break, in the form of a 20 percent credit of up to \$300 based on payroll taxes.	HR 4210 passed 2/27/92	HR 4210 passed 3/13/92	House and Senate adopted conference report 3/20/92 President vetoed 3/20/92 House sustained veto 3/25/92

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tial amounts of money provided... the numbers are still terribly spongy."

Jon Kyl, R-Ariz., questioned whether DOE could spend all \$5.3 billion next year, noting that GAO had determined that \$1.4 billion was left over from fiscal 1991 because contractors had not been able to perform their assigned cleanups.

WELFARE BILL draws veto threat from Bush administration.

The Bush administration went on record yesterday as strongly opposed to a bill by Sen. Daniel Patrick Moynihan, D-N.Y., to substantially increase federal funding for work-to-welfare programs, but offered no legislative proposal of its own.

Jo Anne B. Barnhart, assistant secretary for Health and Human Services (HHS), said the administration "strongly opposes" Moynihan's bill (S 2303) because of its "excessive funding" and "lack of mechanisms" to pay for the cost.

Barnhart, who heads the Administration for Children, Youth and Families within HHS, told the Senate Finance Subcommittee on Social Security and Family Policy that HHS officials would recommend that President Bush veto the bill if it reaches his desk.

Moynihan introduced the measure in late January after Bush said in his State of the Union address that it was time to "help reform the welfare system."

The bill calls for about \$4.5 billion per year to help states implement the job-training and placement programs states are required to establish under the Family Support Act of 1988, which Moynihan co-authored. Currently, federal funds for the job program are capped at \$1 billion.

ROE, WOLPE latest to announce retirement plans.

House Democrats Robert A. Roe of New Jersey and Howard Wolpe of Michigan yesterday became the latest additions to an expanding group of House lawmakers who have opted against running for re-election to Congress.

Roe, chairman of the House Public Works and Transportation Committee, has been in Congress for 12 terms.

He said in a statement that he wanted to spend more time with his family and friends and "pursue other endeavors of public and private service."

New Jersey's 8th District, which Roe represents, was not largely affected by redistricting. Roe said he had "absolutely no doubt" that he would be elected to a 13th term if he sought it.

The case was different with Wolpe, a seven-term representative from Lansing. Wolpe said the redrawing of the state's 3rd District was the chief reason behind

his decision to retire.

Because the state's redistricting map would carve up his district, he said, he would only have the option of running in the newly created 8th District, which is heavily Republican.

Michigan's new map is expected to be made final by the court after a brief comment and review period that ends soon.

The two announcements bring to 27 the number of House members who in-

tend to retire at the end of the 102nd Congress. Nineteen are Democrats and eight are Republicans. Also, Chalmers P. Wylie, R-Ohio, ranking member of the House Banking Committee, is expected to announce today that he plans to retire.

Five members of the Senate have decided against re-election bids, two Democrats and three Republicans. In addition, Alan J. Dixon, D-Ill., lost a primary battle for the Democratic nomination in his district. ■

RTC, Foreign Aid Funding to Expire

Time is running out for Congress to approve foreign aid and thrift bailout spending bills. For lawmakers — already on the hot seat because of the House bank scandal and public anger over congressional perks — the timing could not be worse.

In recent years, votes on foreign aid and thrift bailout funding measures have been among the most unpopular that members have had to cast. With public opinion of Congress now at an all-time low, according to polls, these votes are even more difficult.

But deadlines are imminent — funding authority will expire at midnight, tonight. If lawmakers do not clear bills by then, most U.S. foreign aid programs could be shut down, and the Resolution Trust Corporation (RTC), which manages the thrift bailout, would no longer be authorized to spend money to close failing savings and loans.

In each instance, Congress is being pushed to the deadline because of partisan differences. Some Republicans oppose both bills, and Democrats are unwilling to use their majority position to clear the bills without the political cover of some GOP support.

After Republicans made it known that they would not support the RTC bill (HR 4241), House Banking Committee Chairman Henry B. Gonzalez, D-Texas, wrote President Bush on March 25 calling for his help in convincing Republicans to back the measure. But, according to members from both parties, the administration's lobbying effort has been cursory.

Foreign Aid. If Congress does not approve a foreign aid bill, House Foreign Operations Appropriations Subcommittee Chairman David R. Obey, D-Wis., said, "the most likely outcome is that come Tuesday night, our aid missions will close, and Peace Corps volunteers will not be paid."

But others say that the immediate impact is less clear. Administration officials say that some previously approved money would be available to fund some aid programs.

Although nothing has been set, the House may take up a bill tonight. Many lawmakers would prefer to pass a bill without a roll call vote, but some Republicans will not let that happen. "It's an appropriations bill; there ought to be a [recorded] vote on it," said Robert S. Walker, R-Pa.

The Senate may also consider foreign aid legislation today.

RTC Funding. The prospects for congressional approval of an S&L bailout bill by April 1 are more bleak. The House is not scheduled to take up its version (HR 4241) until tomorrow at the earliest, and lack of support could delay action several days.

Both the House measure and the Senate bill (S 2482), which was passed, 52-42, last Thursday, would provide an additional \$25 billion for the bailout, and extend the RTC's authority to spend about \$17 billion remaining from funds authorized last year.

Once the measure reaches the House floor, lawmakers may battle over whether to allow the RTC to provide assistance to ailing thrifts. The Senate bill includes a provision that would allocate \$1.9 billion of the money to shore up weak thrifts; Gonzalez may offer an amendment to restrict the practice.

The differences between the chambers could lead to further delay, adding to the bailout's final price tag. The Treasury Department has estimated that a 90-day delay in funding would add about \$200 million to the bailout's cost. When funding authority is cut off, the RTC stops marketing assets and signing agreements to sell off thrifts.

—Thomas Galvin

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Panel Republicans oppose HR 4559, saying that the large authorizations would give free reign to appropriators, enabling them to fund pet projects.

If Republicans and Democrats on the panel cannot reach a compromise before the markup, GOP members may offer a rival measure (HR 4460) sponsored by ranking member Robert S. Walker, R-Pa., as a substitute amendment. The proposal would specify more precise funding levels for individual programs. It would be a one-year, \$5.4 billion authorization.

Cable Regulation: Congressional efforts to rein in the booming cable television industry will shift to the House today as the Energy and Commerce Subcommittee on Telecommunications marks up a draft re-regulation bill.

The Senate passed a similar bill (S 12) on Jan. 31.

Cable industry critics say that rates have gone up too rapidly since deregulation in 1984. The bill would require the Federal Communications Commission to set rates for basic cable services for companies that do not face effective competition.

In addition, the bill would allow local broadcasters to charge cable operators for access to their signals, which the operators currently receive free of charge.

The Bush administration opposes the bill, saying that increased competition is preferable to federal regulation. The administration wants to let the so-called Baby Bell telephone companies enter the cable business.

Court Reform: Legislation that would implement some of the Federal Courts Study Committee's judicial reform recommendations will be marked up by the Senate Judiciary Subcommittee on Courts.

The measure (S 1569) would set up a panel of judges for five years to resolve jurisdictional conflicts between circuit courts. In addition, each federal circuit would be required to establish bankruptcy appellate panels to take on some of the increased number of bankruptcy cases.

The Federal Courts Study Committee was created by a 1988 law to look at ways to improve the federal court system. Many of the recommendations of the committee, which finished its work two years ago, were incorporated in the Judicial Improvements Act of 1990.

Subcommittee Chairman Howell Heflin, D-Ala., plans to offer a substitute amendment that would allow the panel of judges to rule on non-constitutional cases referred to it by the Supreme Court, in addition to resolving inter-circuit conflicts. The amendment would also let circuit courts decide whether to establish the bankruptcy appellate panels, which are required under the original bill. ■

Committee Meetings Today

Senate Committees

■ NUCLEAR WASTE

Senate Energy Committee

The full committee (Chairman Johnston, D-La.) will hold a hearing on the status of implementation of the civilian nuclear waste programs of the Department of Energy.

9:30am SD-366 Dirksen Bldg. March 31

Witnesses scheduled: John Bartlett - Office of Civilian Radioactive Waste Management, Energy Department; Don Deere - Nuclear Waste Technical Review Board; John Kauffman - American Nuclear Energy Council; Cas Robinson - National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners; Hazel O'Leary - Northern States Power Co.; Krista Sando - Minnesota Department of Public Service

U.S. POLICY IN INDOCHINA

Senate Foreign Relations Committee

The full committee (Chairman Pell, D-R.I.) will hold a hearing on U.S. policy in Indochina.

10am SD-419 Dirksen Bldg. March 31

Witness scheduled: Richard Solomon - assistant secretary of State

PREVENTING YOUTH VIOLENCE

Senate Governmental Affairs Committee

The full committee (Chairman Glenn, D-Ohio) will hold a hearing on preventing youth violence.

9:30am SD-342 Dirksen Bldg. March 31

Witnesses scheduled: Rep. Stokes, D-Ohio; Mark Wilkins - member, Youth Task Force; Curtis Artis - member, Youth Task Force; Carol Beck - principal, Thomas Jefferson High School, Brooklyn, New York

PANEL 1: Leonard Eron - professor, University of Illinois; Adele Harrell - senior research analyst, State Policy Center, The Urban Institute; Donald Schwarz - assistant professor, University of Pennsylvania Medical School; Deborah Prothrow-Stith - assistant dean, Harvard School of Public Health

PANEL 2: Gregory McDonald - director, Human Services Policy and Management Issues, General Accounting Office; Gail Breakay - director, Hawaii Family Stress Center; Ray Miller - Ohio House of Representatives; Ronald Slaby - senior scientist, Education Development Center

■ SUBCOMMITTEE MARKUP: FEDERAL COURTS REVISIONS

Senate Judiciary Committee

Courts and Administrative Practice Subcommittee (Chairman Heflin, D-Ala.) will mark up pending legislation.

2pm SH-216 Hart Bldg. March 31

Agenda:

S 1569 - Implement the recommendations of the Federal Courts Study Committee HR 2324 - Make an incarcerated person ineligible to receive witness fees or allowances

HR 2549 - Make technical corrections to chapter 5 of title 5, U.S. Code HR 3237 - Extend the terms of office of members of the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission from 3 to 6 years

HR 3379 - Authorize the Administrative Conference of the United States to provide assistance in response to requests relating to the improvement of administrative procedure in foreign countries

HR 3686 - Make changes in the places of holding

court in the Eastern District of North Carolina
Note: This markup was originally scheduled for March 19.

SMALL BUSINESS INNOVATION

Senate Small Business Committee

Innovation, Technology and Productivity Subcommittee (Chairman Levin, D-Mich.) will hold a hearing on the reauthorization of the Small Business Innovation Development Act of 1982, which established the Small Business Innovation Research Development Program.

9am SR-428A Russell Bldg. March 31

Witnesses scheduled:

PANEL: Jim Wells - director of resources, General Accounting Office; Richard Shane - assistant administrator for research, innovation and technology, Small Business Administration

PANEL: Donald Senich - division director, Industrial Innovation, National Science Foundation; John Diggs - director of extramural research, National Institutes of Health; Robert Wrenn - SBIR Program Coordinator, Department of Defense

PANEL: Mark Clevey - vice president of research and development, MERRA; Fred Stevie - AT&T

House Committees

■ GATT NEGOTIATIONS

House Agriculture Committee

The full committee (Chairman de la Garza, D-Texas) will hold a hearing to review the agriculture negotiations in the Uruguay Round of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (GATT).

9:30am 1300 Longworth Bldg. March 31

Witnesses scheduled: Julius Katz - Deputy U.S. Trade Representative; Richard Crowder - under secretary of Agriculture; Peter Vitaliano - National Milk Producers Federation; Sam Hollis - National Cotton Council; Jack Roney - Hawaiian Sugar Planters' Association; Dale Carley - University of Georgia; Jim Mullins - National Cattlemen's Association; Mike Dunn - National Farmers Union

FY93 AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT APPROPRIATIONS

House Appropriations Committee

Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Subcommittee (Chairman Whitten, D-Miss.) will hold hearings on fiscal 1993 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

1pm 2362 Rayburn Bldg. March 31

Agenda & witnesses scheduled: La Verne Ausman - administrator, Farmers Home Administration; Roland R. Vautour, undersecretary for Small Community and Rural Development, Rural Electrification Administration; Michael M.F. Liu - acting administrator, Rural Electrification Administration

FY93 COMMERCE APPROPRIATIONS

House Appropriations Committee

Commerce, Justice and State, and Judiciary Subcommittee (Chairman Smith, D-Iowa) will hold a series of hearings on fiscal 1993 appropriations for programs under its

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jurisdiction.

10am & 2pm H-310 Capitol Bldg. March 31**Agenda & witnesses scheduled:**

10am: Mark Plant - acting undersecretary, Economic and Statistical Analysis, Department of Commerce; Barbara Bryant - director, Bureau of the Census

2pm: L. Joyce Hampers - assistant secretary, Economic Development Administration; Arthur Schreier - chairman, Commission on Preservation of America's Heritage Abroad

FY93 DEFENSE APPROP**House Appropriations Committee**

Defense Subcommittee (Chairman Murtha, D-Pa.) will hold hearings on fiscal 1993 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am & 1:30pm H-140 Capitol Bldg. (closed) March 31**Agenda & witnesses scheduled:**

10am: Aircraft Procurement, Navy

Hon. Gerald A. Cann - assistant secretary of Navy for Research, Development and Acquisition; Vice Adm. Richard M. Dunleavy - assistant chief of Naval Operations, Air Warfare; Lt. Gen. D.A. Wills, USMC - deputy chief of staff for Aviation; Vice Adm. William C. Bowes - commander, Naval Air Systems Command

1:30pm: Aircraft Procurement, Air Force

Hon. John J. Welch - assistant secretary of Air Force, Acquisitions; Lt. Gen. John E. Jaquish, USAF - principal deputy to ASAF

FY93 ENERGY & WATER APPROP**House Appropriations Committee**

Energy and Water Development Subcommittee (Chairman Bevil, D-Ala.) will hold hearings on fiscal 1993 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

9:55am & 2pm 2362 Rayburn Bldg. March 31**Agenda & witnesses scheduled:** Members of Congress & outside witnesses**FY93 INTERIOR APPROP****House Appropriations Committee**

Interior Subcommittee (Chairman Yates, D-Ill.) will hold hearings on fiscal 1993 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am & 1:30pm B-308 Rayburn Bldg. March 31**Agenda & witnesses scheduled:** Geological Survey

Dallas Pick - director; Doyle Frederick - associate director; Peter Bermel - assistant director; Phil Cohen - chief hydrologist; Benjamin Morgan - chief geologist; Allen Watkins - assistant director, national mapping division; Jim Biesecker - assistant director, information; Jim Devine - assistant director, engineering; Stephen Ragone - assistant director, research division; Jack Stassi - assistant director, administration; Theodore Saunders - budget officer; Robert Blamb - department of the Interior

FY93 LABOR, HHS & EDUCATION APPROP**House Appropriations Committee**

Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education Subcommittee (Chairman Natcher, D-Ky.) will hold hearings on fiscal 1993 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am & 2pm 2358 Rayburn Bldg. March 31**Agenda & witnesses scheduled:**

10am: J. Michael Hudson - acting administrator, Health Care Financing Administration

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2pm: Gwendolyn S. King - commissioner, Social Security Administration; Dr. Joyce T. Barry - commissioner, Administration on Aging

FY93 TRANSPORTATION APPROP**House Appropriations Committee**

Transportation Subcommittee (Chairman Lehman, D-Fla.) will hold hearings on fiscal 1993 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am & 2pm 2358 Rayburn Bldg. March 31**Witness scheduled:** Brian Climber - administrator, Federal Transit Administration (FTA)**ENVIRONMENTAL RESTORATION****House Armed Services Committee**

Department of Energy Defense Nuclear Facilities Panel (Chairman Spratt, D-S.C.) will hold a hearing on the fiscal 1993 defense budget request for Department of Energy defense programs, focusing on nuclear weapons testing.

9:30am 2325 Rayburn Bldg. March 31**Witnesses scheduled:** Rep Kopetski, D-Ore.; Robert Barker - assistant to the secretary for Atomic Energy; John Immele - Los Alamos National Laboratory; Sidney Drell - Stanford Linear Accelerator center; Ray Kidder - Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory**PACIFIC SECURITY ISSUES****House Armed Services Committee**

The Defense Policy Panel (Chairman Aspin, D-Wis.) will continue hearings on regional threat and defense options in the 1990s, focusing on U.S. post-Cold War security in the Pacific.

1:30pm 2118 Rayburn Bldg. open/may close March 31**Witnesses scheduled:** Jonathan Pollock - RAND Corp.; Casimir Yost - director, Center for Asian and Pacific Affairs, Asian Foundation; Alan Romberg - Council on Foreign Relations; Paul Kriesberg - East-West Center**OFFICER ISSUES****House Armed Services Committee**

Military Personnel and Compensation Subcommittee (Chairman Byron, D-Md.) will continue hearings on the fiscal 1993 defense budget, focusing on officer production in a drawdown environment.

10am 2212 Rayburn Bldg. March 31**Witnesses scheduled:** Christopher Jehn - assistant secretary of Defense; Lt Gen Thomas Carney - deputy chief of staff, U.S. Army; VAdm R. J. Zlatoper - chief of Naval Personnel; Lt Gen Billy Boles - deputy chief of staff, Air Force; Lt Gen Matthew Cooper - deputy chief of staff, Marine Corps; Lt Gen Howard Graves - U.S. Military Academy; RAdm Thomas Lynch - U.S. Naval Academy; Ly Gen Bradley Hosmer - U.S. Air Force Academy**1993 DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION: HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE/NATO****House Armed Services Committee**

Readiness Subcommittee (Chairman Hutto, D-Fla.) will continue hearings on the fiscal 1993 defense budget, focusing on humanitarian assistance issues.

10am 2216 Rayburn Bldg. March 31**Witnesses scheduled:** Robert Wolhuis - deputy secretary of Defense; Lt Gen H. C. Stackpole - deputy chief of staff, U.S. Marine Corps; Lt Gen John Shalikashvili - Joint Chiefs of Staff; Brig Gen George Walls - USMC Haitian aid project**COMPETITIVE TECHNOLOGY****House Banking Committee**

Economic Stabilization Subcommittee (Chairman Carper, D-Del.) will hold a series of hearings on the Technology Preservation Act of 1991 (HR 2624), foreign direct investment and U.S. competitiveness.

10am 2222 Rayburn Bldg. March 31**Witness scheduled:** Hon. Olin L. Wethington - assistant secretary of the Treasury for international affairs**CREDIT AVAILABILITY & CAPITAL STANDARDS****House Banking Committee**

Financial Institutions Supervision, Regulation and Insurance Subcommittee (Chairman Annunzio, D-Ill.) will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 4234) to amend the Home Owner's Loan Act to provide greater flexibility in meeting capital standards. The measure aims to ease the restrictions on the use of supervisory goodwill by thrift institutions.

2pm 2128 Rayburn Bldg. March 31**Witnesses scheduled:** Timothy Ryan - director, Office of Thrift Supervision
PANEL: John M. Tsimbino - National Council of Community Bankers; Frederick A. Teed - United States League of Savings Institutions; Roy Abercrombie - president and chief executive officer, American Federal Bank; Ray Martin - president and chief executive officer, Coast Federal Bank**CONGRESSIONAL MONITOR****Managing Editor:** Brian Nutting**Senior Editor:** Robert Heoly**News Editors:** Amy Stern, Elizabeth Helfgott**Senior Reporters:** Thomas Galvin, Christine C. Lawrence, Richard Sammon**Reporters:** David Masci, Laura Michaelis, Elizabeth A. Palmer, Andrew Taylor**Editorial Assistant:** Jeanne Ponessa**Published by Congressional Quarterly Inc.****Chairman:** Andrew Barnes**Vice Chairman:** Andrew P. Corty**Editor and Publisher:** Neil Skene**Executive Editor:** Robert W. Merry

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COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS

House Banking Committee

Housing and Community Development Subcommittee (Chairman Gonzalez, D-Texas) will hold a series of hearings on the reauthorization of all the housing and community development programs within its jurisdiction. This session will focus on multifamily housing projects.

10am 2128 Rayburn Bldg. March 31

Witnesses scheduled: Kathleen A. Boland - president, National Housing Conference; Robert L. Strickland - National Council of State Housing Agencies; Barry Zigas - president, National Low Income Housing Coalition; David Perel - Association of Local Housing Finance Agencies; William F. Snyder - president, National Leased Housing Association; Harold Platter - president, National Assisted Housing Management Association

■ YOUTH CONSERVATION CORPS

House Interior Committee

Energy and the Environment Subcommittee (Chairman Kostmayer, D-Pa.) will hold a hearing on the Youth Conservation Corps programs.

9am 2226 Rayburn Bldg. March 31

Witnesses scheduled: Carlton Williams - park ranger; Virginia Crouch - YCC graduate; Eleazar Dominguez and Allyssa Prazenica - members, Pennsylvania Conservation Corps; William Hartwig - U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service; David Moffit - National Park Service; Jay Lamar Beasley - U.S. Forest Service; Peter McClosky - Commission on National and Community Service; Richard Bernheimer - California Conservation Corps; Don Mathis - Pennsylvania Conservation Corps; Peter Engbretson - Philadelphia Ranger Corps; Kathleen Selz - National Association of Service and Conservation Corps; Destry Jarvis - Student Conservation Association; Margaret Rosenberry - Youth Service America

■ BLACK CANYON PARK

House Interior Committee

National Parks and Public Lands Subcommittee (Chairman Vento, D-Minn.) will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 1321) to redesignate the Black Canyon of the Gunnison National Monument as a national park, to create the Black Canyon of the Gunnison National Conservation Area, to include the Gunnison River in the nation's Wild and Scenic Rivers System, and for other purposes.

10am 1324 Longworth Bldg. March 31

Witnesses scheduled: Susan Lamson - Bureau of Land Management; James Stewart - National Park Service; Ron Johnston - Bureau of Reclamation

PANEL: Trisha Dickenson - city councillor, Montros, Colo; David Harrison Colorado Water Conservancy; Stan Broome - Region 10 Economic Development Council; Greg Walcher - Club 20; Fred Wetlauffer - Western Colorado Congress

PANEL: David Simon - National Parks and Conservation Association; Brian Culhane - The Wilderness Society; Debbie Sease - Sierra Club; Beth Norcross - American Rivers; Hank Hotze - Western River Guides

FOREST SERVICE TIMBER LOSSES

House Government Operations Committee

Environment, Energy and Natural Resources Subcommittee (Chairman Synar, D-Okla.) will hold a hearing on practices by the U.S. Forest Service which result in monetary losses from the sale of timber from national forests.

9:30am 2247 Rayburn Bldg. March 31

Witnesses scheduled: Jeff DeBonis - former timber planner, U.S. Forest Service; John McCormick - former director, Whistleblower Program, U.S. Forest Service

■ PREVENTING CAR THEFT

House Judiciary Committee

Crime and Criminal Justice Subcommittee (Chairman Schumer, D-N.Y.) will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 4542) to prevent and deter auto theft.

1pm 2237 Rayburn Bldg. March 31

Witnesses scheduled:

PANEL 1: John Keeney - deputy assistant attorney general, Criminal Division, Department of Justice

PANEL 2: Michael Robinson - director, Michigan State Police; Peter Simet - Milwaukee Police

Department; Arnold Schlossberg - president, National Insurance Crime Bureau; Thomas Hanna - president, Motor Vehicle Manufacturers Association

PANEL 3: Patricia Adduci - commissioner, New York State Department of Motor Vehicles; Herman Brandau - associate general counsel, State Farm Insurance Companies; Jack Gillis - director of public affairs, Consumer Federation of America; David Snyder - senior counsel, American Insurance Association

■ MARINE SANCTUARIES

House Merchant Marine Committee

Oceanography, Great Lakes and the Outer Continental Shelf Subcommittee (Chairman Hertel, D-Mich.) and Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment Subcommittee (Chairman Studds, D-Mass.) will hold a hearing on the reauthorization of the Marine Protection, Research and Sanctuaries Act.

2pm 1334 Longworth Bldg. March 31

Witnesses scheduled: Rep Panetta, D-Calif.; Jennifer Joy Wilson - assistant secretary of Commerce; RADM. William Leahy - U.S. Coast Guard Office of Law Enforcement and Defense Operations; Robert Stewart - National Ocean Industries Association; Jack Sobel - Marine Habitat Protection Program, Center for Marine Conservation; David Slade - Coastal States Organization; Andy Palmer - American Oceans Campaign; John Humke - The Nature Conservancy; Frank Potter - Marine Sanctuaries Review Team; Russell DeConti - Center for Coastal Studies Conservation

WHITE HOUSE PERSONNEL

House Post Office Committee

Human Resources Subcommittee (Chairman Kanjorski, D-Pa.) will hold a series of oversight hearings on White House personnel, travel and professional expenses.

9:30am 311 Cannon Bldg. March 31

■ ECONOMIC IMPACT OF TRUCKING REGULATIONS

House Public Works Committee

Surface Transportation Subcommittee (Chairman Mineta, D-Calif.) will continue hearings on the economic impact of regulation on the trucking industry, focusing on intrastate deregulation, negotiated rates and overweight containers.

9:30 2167 Rayburn Bldg. March 31

Witnesses scheduled: Andrew Card Jr. - secretary of Transportation; Thomas Donohue - president, American Trucking Associations; Ron Carey - general president, International Brotherhood of Teamsters; Fred Smith - chairman, Federal Express Corporation; Jim Rogers - vice president, United Parcel Services; Joseph Clapp - chairman, Roadway Services; James Harkins - executive director, Regular Common Carrier Conference; David Free - president, U.W. Freight Line; Michael Curry - president, Curry Industries, Inc.; Donald Sooy - president, Transportation Brokers Conference of America; Donald Schneider - president, Schneider National; John Fain - general counsel Overnight Transportation Company; John Nevin - senior vice president, Senior Services, James River Corporation; Roger Hanay - president, Hanay Reels; Cornish Hitchcock - Public Citizen;

FULL COMMITTEE MARKUP

House Science Committee

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

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SUBCOMMITTEE MARKUP:

CABLE BILL

House Energy and Commerce Committee

Telecommunications and Finance Subcommittee (Chairman Markey, D-Mass.) will mark up legislation to reregulate the cable television industry.

1pm 2123 Rayburn Bldg. March 31

WHITE REFERENDUM IN SOUTH AFRICA

House Foreign Affairs Committee

Africa Subcommittee (Chairman Dymally, D-Calif.) will hold a hearing on the impact of the recent white referendum in South Africa.

2pm 2172 Rayburn Bldg. March 31

Witnesses scheduled: Herman Cohen - assistant secretary of State; Gay McDougall - director, South Africa Project, Lawyers Committee for Civil Rights Under Law; Steven McDonald - associate director, Southern Africa Policy Forum, Aspen Institute

PROLIFERATION ISSUES

House Intelligence Committee

The full committee (Chairman McCurdy, D-Okla.) will hold a hearing on proliferation issues.

1pm H-405 Capitol Bldg. closed March 31

★ New listing

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10am 2318 Rayburn Bldg. March 31

Agenda:

HR 4559 - National Energy, Environment, and Competitiveness Research Act of 1992

HR 776 - Comprehensive National Energy Policy Act

HR 2936 - Technical Education and Training Act of 1991

HR 3360 - Federal Fire Safety Act of 1991

HR 3953 - National Electric and Magnetic Fields Research and Public Information Dissemination Act

UNDERGRADUATE SCIENCE EDUCATION**House Science Committee**

Science Subcommittee (Chairman Boucher, D-Va.) will hold a hearing on the quality of undergraduate science education and achieving a balance between teaching and research.

1:30pm 2318 Rayburn Bldg. March 31

Witnesses scheduled: Charles M. Vest - president, Massachusetts Institute of Technology; E. Fred Carlisle - provost, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, Blacksburg; Karl S. Pister - interim chancellor, University of California-Santa Cruz; Pamela A. Ferguson - president, Grinnell College; Homer A. Neal - physics department, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor; Jack R. Lohmann - College of Engineering, Georgia Institute of Technology; Samuel Ward - molecular and cellular biology department, University of Arizona, Tucson; Denice D. Denton - electrical and computer engineering department, University of Wisconsin, Madison.

★ HOUSE BANK**House Standards of Official Conduct Committee**

House Bank Subcommittee (Chairman McHugh, D-N.Y.) will hold a closed meeting on issues relating to the House Bank.

9:30am HT-2 Capitol Bldg. **CLOSED** March 31**■ U.S. COMPETITIVE POSITION IN AEROSPACE****House Ways and Means Committee**

Trade Subcommittee (Chairman Gibbons, D-Fla.) will hold a hearing on the international competitive position of the United States in the aerospace industry.

10am B-318 Rayburn Bldg. March 31

Witnesses scheduled: Rep. Dan Glickman (D-Kan.); Don Fuqua - president, Aerospace Industries Association; Lawrence Clarkson - corporate vice president, The Boeing Co.; John Wolf - executive vice president, Douglas Aircraft Co.; McDonnell Douglas Corp.; Steven Dorfman - president, Space and Communications Group, Hughes Aircraft Co.; Alan Lovelace - corporate senior vice president, General Dynamics Corp. (and chairman, Commercial Launch Services for General Dynamics); Edward Stimson - president, General Aviation Manufacturers Association

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tion sponsors a conference on health care reform. Third and final day.

8:30am Grand Hyatt Hotel, 1000 H St. N.W. March 31

Contact: Charlotte Mehuron, 301-443-3375, or the hotel, 202-582-1234

Highlights

8:30am: Remarks by Rep. Willis Gradison (R-Ohio)

12:30pm: Remarks by Rep. Edolphus Towns (D-N.Y.) at a luncheon

3:45pm: Closing remarks by HHS Secretary Louis Sullivan

INSURANCE CONFERENCE

The Alliance of American Insurers holds its annual meeting to discuss regulatory reform and implications of national health-insurance proposals for causality insurers. Second and final day.

8:45am Willard Hotel, 14th Street and Pennsylvania Avenue N.W. March 31

Contact: Julie Rochman, 202-822-8811, or the hotel, 202-628-9100

Highlight

Noon: Luncheon address by Rep. Dan Glickman (D-Kan.)

FOOD POLICY CONFERENCE

Public Voice and the National Food Processors Association sponsor the 1992 National Food Policy Conference, "Food Policy for Health and the Environment: Election Year Priorities and Politics." Second and final day.

8:45am Loews L'Enfant Plaza Hotel, 480 L'Enfant Plaza SW, Grand Ballroom March 31

Contact: Jodie Silverman, 202-659-5930, or the hotel, 202-484-1000

Highlights

9am: Sen. Wych Fowler (D-Ga.) delivers the keynote address on "Food Policy for Health And the Environment: A Congressional Agenda for the mid-90s."

1pm: Agriculture Secretary Edward Madigan delivers the luncheon address on "Nutrition, Food Safety and Sustainable Agriculture: Resources and Priorities at the Agriculture Department."

ATTORNEYS GENERAL CONFERENCE

The National Association of Attorneys General holds its annual spring meeting. This is the only day of the three-day conference that is open to media coverage.

9am 444 North Capitol St. NW, Hall of States March 31

Contact: Laura Kelly or Robert Biedenbach, 202-628-0435

Highlights

9am: Remarks by Food and Drug Administration Commissioner David Kessler

11:30am: Remarks by Rep. Al Swift (D-Wash.)

1:45pm: Environmental Protection Agency Assistant Administrator Herbert Tate discusses the "EPA's Enforcement Priorities for the 1990s"

HOUSING AGENCIES CONFERENCE

The National Council of State Housing Agencies holds its annual legislative conference on "Mortgage Revenue Bonds, the Tax Credit, and Home: Building Blocks for a Strong America." First of two days.

9am, Hyatt Regency Washington Hotel, 400

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News & Campaign 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 202-728-1862, attn: Robert Healy. Only events related to Congress can be listed. Deadline is noon two days before the date of issue (i.e. Monday noon for Wednesday issue). The editors reserve the right to edit or reject any submission. For further information call 202-887-8686.

BLACK YOUTH & THE FUTURE

Black Administrators in Child Welfare will sponsor a symposium on "Black Male Youth: Facing the Future."

Grand Hyatt Hotel March 31

Contact: Joyce Johnson at 202-638-2952

Congressional highlight: Sen. Kohl, D-Wis. - chairman, Juvenile Justice Subcommittee, Senate Judiciary Committee

CONSTRUCTION CONFERENCE

The AFL-CIO's Building and Construction Trades Department holds its 1992 National Legislative Conference. Second of three days.

★ New listing

7:30am Washington Hilton, 1919 Connecticut Ave. N.W. March 31

Contact: Al Silverman, 202-628-1688, Dean Reed, 202-347-1461, or the hotel, 202-483-3000

Highlights

7:30am to 9am: Breakfast remarks by Democratic presidential candidate Jerry Brown. Jefferson Room

9:35am: Remarks by Sen. Bob Graham (D-Fla.)

10am: Remarks by the Rev. Jesse Jackson

10:30am: Remarks by Carol Moseley Braun, Democratic nominee for the U.S. Senate.

11:15am: Remarks by Rep. William Ford (D-Mich.)

TAXES CONFERENCE

The Tax Executives Institute holds its 42nd annual Midyear Conference to address pending tax legislation and recent regulatory developments in the federal government and private sector. Other topics of discussion include environmental tax initiatives, partnership taxation, and foreign currency translation rules. Third of four days.

8am J.W. Marriott Hotel, 14th Street and Pennsylvania Avenue N.W. March 31

Contact: Timothy McCormally, 202-638-5601, or the hotel, 202-393-2000

Highlight

8am: Remarks by Rep. Bill Archer (R-Texas)

HEALTH CARE CONFERENCE

The Department of Health and Human Services's Health Care Financing Administra-

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New Jersey Ave. N.W. March 31

Contact: Glenn Petherick, 202-624-7710, or the hotel, 202-737-1234

Highlights

9:30am: Remarks by Sen. John Danforth (R-Mo.) and Rep. Barbara Kennelly (D-Conn.)
10:30am: Remarks by Rep. Barney Frank (D-Mass.)
11:15am: Remarks by Sen. John Chafee (R-R.I.)

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS CATO CONFERENCE

The Cato Institute holds a one-day conference to discuss "The New World Order and its Alternatives: America's Role in the 1990s."

9am Sheraton Carlton Hotel, 16th and K streets N.W. March 31

Contact: Julie Riggs, 202-546-0200, or the hotel, 202-393-1000

Highlight

1pm: Sen. Charles Grassley (R-Iowa) is the luncheon speaker

ENERGY BRIEFING

Representatives from energy and business groups hold a briefing on national energy strategy legislation and amendments to "de-energize" the bill. Issues include nuclear licensing, the strategic petroleum reserve, and global climate change. Speakers include representatives from the American Gas Association, the American Nuclear Energy Council, the American Petroleum Institute, the Association of American Railroads, the Edison Electric Institute, the Independent Petroleum Association of America, the Interstate Natural Gas Association, the National Association of Manufacturers, the National Coal Association, the National Energy Coalition and the U.S. Chamber of Commerce.

10am, National Press Club, 14th and F streets NW, Zenger Room March 31

Contact: Mary Kenkel, 202-508-5778

CONTRACTORS CONFERENCE

The Associated General Contractors of America holds a conference. Second and final day.

10am Grand Hyatt Hotel, 1000 H St. NW March 31

Contact: Judy Short, 202-393-2040, or the hotel, 202-582-1234

Highlights

10am: Remarks by Rep. John Boehner (R-Ohio)

COMMUNICATIONS FORUM

The National Press Foundation sponsors a forum on "The Information Battle: Print, the Network, Cable, and the Baby Bells," featuring Rep. Jim Cooper (D-Tenn.), former Federal Communications Commission chairman Richard Wiley, Gerald Udwin of the U.S. Telephone Association, and Gene Kimmelman of the Consumers Federation of America. The forum is moderated by Don West, editor of Broadcasting Magazine.

10am National Press Club, 14th and F streets NW, First Amendment Lounge March 31

Contact: George Worden, 202-662-7350

CHILDREN/DRUGS NEWS CONFERENCE

Rep. Charles Rangel (D-N.Y.) and Child

★ New listing

Welfare League of America Executive Director David Liederman hold a news conference to release the final report of the league's North American Commission on Chemical Dependency and Child Welfare, "Children at the Front: A Different View of the War on Alcohol and Drugs." The report contains more than 100 recommendations that emphasize child-centered, family-focused alcohol and drug prevention and treatment strategies. Joining Rangel and Liederman will be Elaine Johnson, acting deputy administrator of the Alcohol Drug Abuse and Mental Health Administration; American Council for Drug Education Executive Director Lee Dogoloff; Institute for Families and Children Director Joseph Altheimer; and Baptist Home for Children Director Sheryl Brissett-Chapman.

10:30am B-352 Rayburn Bldg. March 31

Contact: Joyce Johnson, 202-638-2952, or James Alexander, 202-226-3040

HEALTH CARE CONFERENCE

The National Managed Health Care Congress holds the second annual Managed Care Information System Summit. Third of four days.

10:30am Sheraton Washington Hotel, 2660 Woodley Road NW March 31

Contact: Tracey Kusnitz, 617-487-6721, Joe Miller, 617-246-7561, or the hotel, 202-328-2000

ECONOMIC OUTLOOK FOR 1990s

National Economists Club will sponsor a luncheon meeting to hear Chairman of the Council of Economic Advisers Michael Boskin discuss the economic outlook for the 1990s. The session will focus on the Bush administration's economic growth plan and whether it is enough to help to president's re-election chances.

Noon to 1:30pm, GW University Club, 3rd floor, 800 21 St. N.W. March 31

Contact: 703-532-9048

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$14 for members and \$20 for nonmembers. For reservations call the number listed above. Deadline for reservations is noon March 27.

NORTH AMERICAN FREE TRADE

Washington International Trade Association will sponsor a luncheon meeting to hear Chip Roh, assistant U.S. trade representative for North American affairs discuss the negotiations on a proposed North American Free Trade agreement.

Noon to 2pm, Hotel Washington, 515 15th St. N.W. March 31

Contact: 202-293-4193

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$30 for members and \$35 for nonmembers. For reservations send a check to:

Washington International Trade Association
1900 L St. N.W.
Suite 250
Washington, D.C. 20036

ECONOMIC INDICATORS AND REPORTS

8:30am: The Commerce Department releases the leading indicators report for February.

8:45am: The National Association of Realtors releases the February housing

affordability index. Embargoed copies are available at 8:30 a.m. at 777-14th St. NW, first floor. Contact Lois Clinton, 202-383-1016

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

Campaign: Presidential

CAMPAIGN/SHOPPING CENTERS CONFERENCE

The International Council of Shopping Centers holds a Congressional Contacts Meeting to discuss the presidential election campaign. Second of three days.

8am Ritz Carlton Pentagon City Hotel, 1745 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, Va. March 31

Contact: Keith Foxe, 212-421-8181 ext. 344, or the hotel, 703-415-5000

Highlight

8am: Rep. Bill Orton (D-Utah) delivers breakfast remarks

CAMPAIGN/SOCIALISTS NEWS CONFERENCE

The Socialist Workers Party holds a news conference to announce its ticket for the 1992 presidential election. James Warren, a member of the United Steelworkers of America from Chicago, is the party's presidential candidate, and Estelle DeBates, a writer for the socialist newsweekly The Militant, is the vice presidential candidate.

9am National Press Club, 14th and F streets NW, Lisagor Room March 31

Contact: Ellen Whitt or Bob Miller, 202-547-7557

CAMPAIGN/ECONOMY CONFERENCE

The North American Securities Administrators Association holds its seventh annual Public Policy Day conference on "Campaign '92 and the Politics of Economic Recovery." Participants at the one-day conference discuss the prospects for economic recovery in light of the presidential elections.

9am Hyatt Regency on Capitol Hill, 400 New Jersey Ave. NW March 31

Contact: Ann Marie DiPasquale, 202-737-0900, or the hotel, 202-737-1234

Highlights

9:15am: Panel discussion on "Capital Politics" featuring Washington Post columnist Hobart Rowen, former New York Times economics correspondent Erich Heinemann, American Enterprise Institute scholar Norman Ornstein, political analyst Bob Beckel, and former treasury undersecretary Robert Glauber.

11:45am: Luncheon address by American Stock Exchange Chairman James Jones

■ Revised listing

News Events continued...**Campaign:
Candidates****DEMOCRATS****Jerry Brown**

Contact: Ileana Wachtel, 310-449-1907

March 31

In Washington, D.C., and New York

7:30am: Addresses a breakfast meeting of New York members of the AFL-CIO Building and Construction Trades Department. Washington Hilton, 1919 Connecticut Ave. NW, Washington, D.C. Contact Bruce Kozarsky or Laurie Strongin, 202-223-8700

7pm: Democratic candidates debate sponsored by Bronx Cable Community Programming and WABC-TV. The Bronx, N.Y. Note: C-Span covers live.

Bill Clinton

Contact: Richard Mintz, Steven Cohen, or Julia Payne, 501-372-1992

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In New York

REPUBLICANS**Pat Buchanan**

Contact: Jerry Woodruff or Vaughn Ververs, 703-790-9292

March 31

In Milwaukee, Wis., and Minnesota

9:30am: Holds a news conference. Hyatt Regency Hotel, 333 West Kilbourne Ave., Milwaukee, Wis.

10:30am: Tour of EZ Painter factory. 4051 South Iowa Ave., Milwaukee, Wis.

12:30pm: Departs Milwaukee Airport on Northwest 1203 en route Minneapolis, Minn.

1:47pm: Arrives Minneapolis, Minn.

2pm: Holds a news conference at the Minneapolis Airport.

2:30pm: Visits Republican State headquarters. Minneapolis, Minn.

4:15pm to 5:30pm: In Rochester, Minn.

7pm: Arrive Hyatt Regency, 1300 Nicollet Mall, Minneapolis.

RON Minneapolis, Minn. Contact Deena Pollard, 612-370-1234

Bush-Quayle

Contact: Torie Clarke or Deborah Goldberg, 202-336-7080

No schedule available

David Duke

Contact: Laura Otilio, 504-831-7745

No schedule available

INDEPENDENTS**Ron Daniels**

Contact: Cassandra Godwin, 202-635-6272 or Lorraine Griffith at 301-420-3044

No schedule announced

Lenora Fulani

Contact: Madelyn Chapman, 212-799-2100

March 31

In New York

11am: Press conference on criminal fraud investigation of Tsongas petitioning drive, 250 W. 57th St., Suite 317

8pm: Democratic party presidential debates, Lehman College, Bronx

Ralph Nader

Contact: Carl Mayer, 603-641-5577

No schedule announced

**Primaries &
Caucuses**

March 31: Vermont caucus

House and Senate Leadership**SENATE****Democrats**

President Pro Tempore — Robert C. Byrd, W.Va.
 Majority Leader — George J. Mitchell, Maine
 Majority Whip — Wendell H. Ford, Ky.
 Conference Chairman — George J. Mitchell, Maine
 Conference Secretary — David Pryor, Ark.
 Policy Committee Chairman — George J. Mitchell, Maine
 Policy Committee Co-Chairman — Tom Daschle, S.D.
 Steering Committee Chairman — Daniel K. Inouye, Hawaii
 Democratic Senatorial Campaign Committee Chairman — Charles S. Robb, Va.

Republicans

President — Dan Quayle
 Minority Leader — Bob Dole, Kan.
 Assistant Minority Leader — Alan K. Simpson, Wyo.
 Conference Chairman — Thad Cochran, Miss.
 Conference Secretary — Bob Kasten, Wis.
 Policy Committee Chairman — Don Nickles, Okla.
 Committee on Committees Chairman — Trent Lott, Miss.
 National Republican Senatorial Committee Chairman — Phil Gramm, Texas

HOUSE

Speaker of the House — Thomas S. Foley, Wash.
 Majority Leader — Richard A. Gephardt, Mo.
 Majority Whip — David E. Bonior, Mich.
 Caucus Chairman — Steny H. Hoyer, Md.
 Caucus Vice Chairman — Vic Fazio, Calif.
 Chief Deputy Whips — Butler Derrick, S.C.; John Lewis, Ga; Barbara B. Kennelly, Conn.
 Steering and Policy Committee Chairman — Thomas S. Foley, Wash.
 Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee Chairman — Vic Fazio, Calif.

Minority Leader — Robert H. Michel, Ill.
 Minority Whip — Newt Gingrich, Ga.
 Conference Chairman — Jerry Lewis, Calif.
 Conference Vice Chairman — Bill McCollum, Fla.
 Conference Secretary — Vin Weber, Minn.
 Chief Deputy Whips — Steve Gunderson, Wis.; Robert S. Walker, Pa.
 Policy Committee Chairman — Mickey Edwards, Okla.
 Committee on Committees Chairman — Robert H. Michel, Ill.
 Research Committee Chairman — Duncan Hunter, Calif.
 National Republican Congressional Committee Chairman — Guy Vander Jagt, Mich.

Senate Committees Future Listings

Aging

224-5364

MEDICARE BALANCED BILLING

Senate Select Aging Committee (Chairman Pryor, D-Ark.) will hold a hearing on Medicare balanced billing practices.

9:30am Room TBA April 7

Agriculture, Nutrition & Forestry

224-2035

AGRICULTURE DEPT. OVERSIGHT

Senate Agriculture, Nutrition and Forestry Committee (Chairman Leahy, D-Vt.) will hold hearings on reducing waste and inefficiency in the Agriculture Department. This hearing will focus on USDA field offices.

10am SR-332 Russell Bldg. April 8

Appropriations

224-3471

FY93 AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT APPROPS

Agriculture, Rural Development, and Related Agencies Subcommittee (Chairman Burdick, D-N.D.) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1993 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am SD-138 Dirksen Bldg. April 3, 7

Agenda & witnesses scheduled:

April 3: Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, Foreign Agricultural Service, General Sales Manager, Soil Conservation Service
April 7: Commodity Futures Trading Commission, Food and Drug Administration, Farm Credit Administration, Farm Credit System Assistance Board.

FY93 COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE & JUDICIARY APPROPS

Commerce, Justice, State, and Judiciary Subcommittee (Chairman Hollings, D-S.C.) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1993 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am S-146 Capitol Bldg. April 1, 7, 9, 29

Agenda & witnesses scheduled:

April 1: Barbara Franklin - secretary of Commerce
April 7: Federal Bureau of Investigation; Drug Enforcement Administration
April 9: National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration; Small Business Administration
April 29: U.S. Information Agency; Board for International Broadcasting

FY93 DEFENSE APPROPS

Defense Subcommittee (Chairman Inouye, D-Hawaii) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1993 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

tions for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am SD-192 Dirksen Bldg. April 2

9am S-407 Capitol Bldg. closed April 7

9am SD-192 Dirksen Bldg. April 9, 28, 30, May 5, 7, 12, 14, 19, 21, July 21

Agenda & witnesses scheduled:

April 2: Manpower/Personnel/Health: Assistant Secretary of Defense for Health Affairs; Service Personnel Chiefs

April 7: NFIP Intelligence Programs; TIARA Programs, Integration of NFIP and TIARA Programs

April 9: Strategic Programs:

Gen. George Butler - Commander, Strategic Air Command

Strategic Defense Initiative Organization (SDI):

Henry Cooper - director, SDI Organization

April 28 & 30; May 5, 7 & 12: Special issue hearings

May 14: Outside Witnesses

May 19: Dick Cheney - secretary of Defense

May 21: Dick Cheney - secretary of Defense (alternate date)

July 21: Subcommittee markup

FY93 ENERGY & WATER APPROPS

Energy and Water Development Subcommittee (Chairman Johnston, D-La.) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1993 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

2pm SD-192 Dirksen Bldg. April 1

Agenda:

April 1: California Projects

FY93 INTERIOR APPROPS

Interior Subcommittee (Chairman Byrd, D-W.Va.) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on the fiscal 1993 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

2pm S-128 Capitol Bldg. April 7

10am SD-116 Dirksen Bldg. April 28

2pm S-128 Capitol Bldg. May 5

9:30am SD-116 Dirksen Bldg. May 12

10am SD-116 Dirksen Bldg. May 19

2pm S-128 Capitol Bldg. May 20

10am & 2:30pm S-128 Capitol Bldg. June 9

Agenda:

April 7: Forest Service

April 28: Smithsonian Institution

May 5: National Park Service

May 12: Department of Energy

May 19: Bureau of Indian Affairs (includes OCM and gaming)

May 20: Fish & Wildlife Service

June 9:

10am: Secretary of Interior

2pm: Members of Congress

FY93 TRANSPORTATION & RELATED AGENCIES APPROPS

Transportation Subcommittee (Chairman Lautenberg, D-N.J.) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on the fiscal 1993 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am SD-138 Dirksen Bldg. April 2, 9, 30, May 7, 14, 21

Agenda & witnesses scheduled:

April 2: Susan Coughlin - acting chairman, National Transportation Safety Board; Terry Baxter - managing director; Craig Keller - comptroller

April 9: Amtrak, Federal Railroad Administration

April 30: Federal Transit Agency, Washington

Metropolitan Area Transit Authority

May 7: U.S. Coast Guard

May 14: Federal Aviation Administration

May 21: General Accounting Office

FY93 TREASURY APPROPS

Treasury, Postal Service and General Government Subcommittee (Chairman DeConcini, D-Ariz.) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1993 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am SD-192 Dirksen Bldg. April 1, 8

Agenda & witnesses:

April 1: Robert Martinez - director, Office of National Drug Control Policy

April 8: Office of Management and Budget; Executive Residence

FY93 VA, HUD APPROPS

VA, HUD, and Independent Agencies Subcommittee (Chairman Mikulski, D-Md.) of Senate Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on the fiscal 1993 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

9:30am SD-116 Dirksen Bldg. April 2 & 9

9:30am SD-G50 Dirksen Bldg. April 30

9:30am SD-124 Dirksen Bldg. May 7 & 14

9:30am SD-116 Dirksen Bldg. May 21

9:30am SD-138 Dirksen Bldg. May 22

Agenda & witnesses scheduled:

April 2: Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, Resolution Trust Corporation

April 9: Neighborhood Reinvestment Corporation, National Credit Union Association

April 30: Housing and Urban Development Department (HUD)

May 7: Veterans Affairs Department, Council of Veterans' Appeals

May 14: Federal Emergency Management Agency

May 21: National Service; Points of Light

May 22: Public witnesses

Armed Services

224-3871

SPACE PROGRAMS

Strategic Forces and Nuclear Deterrence Subcommittee (Chairman Exon, D-Neb.) of Senate Armed Services Committee will hold a hearing on the fiscal 1993 defense authorization bill, focusing on space launch programs and policies.

10am SD-138 Dirksen Bldg. closed April 2

Witnesses scheduled: Douglas Graham - deputy assistant secretary of Defense; Martin Faga - assistant secretary of the Air Force; Maj Gen Donald Hard - Air Force Space Programs

TECHNOLOGY POLICY

Defense Industry and Technology Subcommittee (Chairman Bingaman, D-N.M.) of Senate Armed Services Committee will hold a hearing on national and defense technology policies and initiatives.

2pm SR-222 Russell Bldg. April 8

Senate continued...

Banking, Housing & Urban Affairs

224-7391

BANKING INDUSTRY

Senate Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs Committee (Chairman Riegle, D-Mich.) will hold a hearing on the Congressional Budget Office assessment of the current state of the banking industry and the bank insurance fund.
10am SD-538 Dirksen Bldg. April 1
Witness scheduled: Robert Reischauer - director, Congressional Budget Office

REAL ESTATE MARKETS

Senate Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs Committee (Chairman Riegle, D-Mich.) will hold a hearing on the state of the nation's real estate markets and the availability of credit.
10am SD-538 Dirksen Bldg. April 2

FEDERAL HOUSING ADMINISTRATION

Housing and Urban Affairs Subcommittee (Chairman Cranston, D-Calif.) of Senate Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs Committee will hold a roundtable hearing on the Federal Housing Administration (FHA).
10 SD-538 Dirksen Bldg. April 3

Commerce, Science & Transportation

224-5115

HEALTH WARNINGS ON ADS FOR ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

Consumer Subcommittee (Chairman Bryan, D-Nev.) of Senate Commerce, Science and Transportation Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (S 664) to require that health warnings be included in alcoholic beverage advertisements.
9:30am SR-253 Russell Bldg. April 2

COAST GUARD REAUTHORIZATION

Senate Commerce, Science and Transportation Committee (Acting Chairman Kerry, D-Mass.) and National Ocean Policy Study will hold a hearing on the reauthorization of the U.S. Coast Guard.
10am SR-253 Russell Bldg. April 8

REMOTE LAND SENSING PROGRAM

Science, Technology and Space Subcommittee (Chairman Gore, D-Tenn.) of Senate Commerce, Science and Transportation Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (S 2297) to enable the U.S. to maintain its leadership in land remote sensing by providing data continuity for the Landsat program, by establishing a new national land remote sensing policy.
9:30am SR-253 Russell Bldg. May 6

★ New listing

Energy & Natural Resources

224-4971

PUBLIC LANDS BILLS

Public Lands, National Parks and Forests Subcommittee (Chairman Bumpers, D-Ark.) of Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee will hold a hearing on pending legislation.

2pm SD-366 Dirksen Bldg. April 1

Agenda:

S 1174 - to establish the Cache La Poudre River National Water Heritage Area in the state of Colorado

S 1537 - to designate the American Discovery Trail for study to determine the feasibility and desirability of its designation as a national trail

S 1704 - to improve the administration and management of public lands, national forests, units of the National Park System, and related areas by improving the availability of adequate, appropriate, affordable, and cost effective housing for employees needed to effectively manage the public lands

CALIFORNIA DESERT

Field Hearing

Public Lands, National Parks and Forests Subcommittee (Acting Chairman Seymour, R-Calif.) of Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee will hold a field hearing on legislation (S 21) to provide for the protection of the public lands in the California desert.
8:30am Palm Desert, Calif. April 4

FULL COMMITTEE MARKUP

Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee (Chairman Johnston, D-La.) will mark up pending legislation
9:30am SD-366 Dirksen Bldg. April 8

GLOBAL WARMING

Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee (Chairman Johnston, D-La.) will hold a hearing on global climate change.
9:30am SD-366 Dirksen Bldg. May 6

Environment & Public Works

224-6176

★ SUPERFUND

Superfund, Ocean and Water Protection Subcommittee (Chairman Lautenberg, D-N.J.) of Senate Environment and Public Works Committee will hold a hearing on the implementation of the Superfund program.
9:30am SD-406 Dirksen Bldg. April 8

★ FULL COMMITTEE MARKUP: RCRA

Senate Environment and Public Works Committee (Chairman Burdick, D-N.D.) will mark up legislation (S 976), the "Resource Conservation and Recovery Act Amendments of 1991."
9am SD-406 Dirksen Bldg. April 29

Finance

224-4515

★ TRADE AGENCY REAUTHORIZATIONS

International Trade Subcommittee (Chairman Baucus, D-Mont.) of Senate Finance Committee will hold a hearing on budget authorizations for the U.S. Trade Representative and the International Trade Commission
10am SD-215 Dirksen Bldg. April 6

★ CUSTOMS SERVICE BUDGET

Senate Finance Committee (Chairman Bentsen, D-Texas) will hold a hearing on the reauthorization of the Customs Service.
10am SD-215 Dirksen Bldg. April 8

MEDICAID MANAGED CARE

Health for Families and the Uninsured Subcommittee (Chairman Riegle, D-Mich.) of Senate Finance Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (S 2077) to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to provide for optional state coverage of coordinated care, and to improve Federal requirements with respect to the provision of coordinated care by health maintenance organizations in order to allow states to reduce costs and improve quality care in contracting for managed care services under the Medicaid program. *Short title: Medicaid Managed Care Improvement Act of 1991.*
9:30am, SD-215 Dirksen Bldg. April 10

Foreign Relations

224-4651

AMBASSADORIAL NOMINATIONS

Senate Foreign Relations Committee (Chairman Pell, D-R.I.) will hold a hearing on pending nominations.
10am SD-419 Dirksen Bldg. April 1
Agenda:
Thomas Pickering to be Ambassador to India
Edward Perkins to be U.S. Representative to the United Nations

ENVIRONMENTAL CHALLENGES IN FORMER SOVIET BLOC

European Affairs Subcommittee (Chairman Biden, D-Del.) of Senate Foreign Relations Committee will continue hearings on the environmental and energy challenges facing the state of Eastern Europe and the former Soviet Union.
2pm SD-419 Dirksen Bldg. April 8

Governmental Affairs

224-4751

IRS SYSTEM MODERNIZATION

Senate Governmental Affairs Committee (Chairman Glenn, D-Ohio) will hold a hearing on problems with the tax system modernization program of Internal Revenue Service (IRS).
9:30am SD-342 Dirksen Bldg. April 2

■ Revised listing

Senate continued...**GREAT LAKES POLLUTION & FISHING INDUSTRY**

Senate Governmental Affairs Committee (Chairman Glenn, D-Ohio) will hold a hearing on problems caused for the fishing industry by pollution in the Great Lakes.

9:30am SD-342 Dirksen Bldg. April 7

POSTAL SERVICE OVERSIGHT

Federal Services, Post Office and Civil Service Subcommittee (Chairman Pryor, D-Ark.) of Senate Governmental Affairs Committee will hold an oversight hearing on the U.S. Postal Service.

9:30am SD-342 Dirksen Bldg. April 8

RADIOACTIVE WASTE CLEANUP

Senate Governmental Affairs Committee (Chairman Glenn, D-Ohio) will hold a hearing on sites throughout the United States that are contaminated with radioactive waste, including nuclear weapons manufacturing and storage facilities. The session will focus on the establishment of cleanup standards and estimates of potential cost.

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

DEBT COLLECTION BY AGENCIES

Senate Governmental Affairs Committee (Chairman Glenn, D-Ohio) will hold a hearing on debt collection by federal agencies.

Time & Room TBA Date TBA

Note: This hearing was originally scheduled for April 28.

COMBATING INSURANCE FRAUD AND ABUSE

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

9:30am SD-342 Dirksen Bldg. April 29 & 30

WEAPONS PROLIFERATION

Senate Governmental Affairs Committee (Chairman Glenn, D-Ohio) will hold a hearing on the proliferation of weapons in the post-Cold War world.

Time and room TBA date TBA

Note: This hearing was originally scheduled for January 21.

Indian Affairs

224-2251

FULL COMMITTEE MARKUP: NORTHERN CHEYENNE WATER RIGHTS

Senate Select Indian Affairs Committee (Chairman Inouye, D-Hawaii) will mark up S 1607, to provide for the settlement of the water rights claims of the Northern Cheyenne Tribe. The committee will also consider recommendations to the Appropriations Committee on funding for fiscal 1993 Indian programs.

★ New listing

9:30 SR-485 Russell Bldg. April 1

Note: This markup was originally scheduled for March 25.

INDIAN HEALTH CARE IMPROVEMENT

Senate Select Indian Affairs Committee (Chairman Inouye, D-Hawaii) will hold a hearing on proposed legislation (S 2481) to authorize funds for programs of the Indian Health Care Improvement Act.

Following markup (above) SR-485 Russell Bldg. April 1

TRIBAL COURT RECOGNITION

Senate Select Indian Affairs Committee (Chairman Inouye, D-Hawaii) will hold a hearing on legislation (S 1752) to provide for the development, enhancement, and recognition of Indian tribal courts.

2:30pm SR-485 Russell Bldg. April 7

NATIVE HAWAIIAN HEALTH CARE Field Hearing

Senate Select Indian Affairs Committee (Chairman Inouye, D-Hawaii) will hold a field hearing on native Hawaiian health care.

8:30am Prince Kuhio Federal Bldg., Honolulu, Hawaii April 14

INDIAN HEALTH CARE IMPROVEMENT**Field Hearings**

Senate Select Indian Affairs Committee will hold field hearings on legislation (S 2481) to authorize funds for programs of the Indian Health Care Improvement Act.

1pm Lower Brule High School, Lower Brule, S.D. April 16

Time & room TBA Phoenix, Ariz. Date TBA

Agenda:

April 16: To be chaired by Sen. Daschle, D-S.D.

Date TBA: To be chaired by Sen. McCain, R-Ariz.

GAMBLING ON INDIAN RESERVATIONS

Senate Select Indian Affairs Committee (Chairman Inouye, D-Hawaii) will hold an oversight hearing on the implementation of the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act, which governs gambling on Indian reservations.

9:30am SR-485 Russell Bldg. May 6

ALASKAN LANDS**Field Hearing**

Senate Select Indian Affairs Committee (Chairman Inouye, D-Hawaii) will hold a field hearing on the implementation of section 8 of the Alaskan National Interest Lands Conservation Act, reauthorization of S 2481, the Indian Health Care Improvement Act, and other issues.

Time & site TBA Anchorage, Alaska May 23

Intelligence

224-1700

INTELLIGENCE REORGANIZATION**Joint Hearing**

Senate Select Intelligence Committee

(Chairman Boren, D-Okla.) and House Select Intelligence Committee (Chairman McCurdy, D-Okla.) will hold a joint hearing on legislation (S 2198; HR 4165) to reorganize the the U.S. intelligence community.

2pm SH-216 Hart Bldg. April 1

Witnesses scheduled: Robert Gates - director, CIA

Judiciary

224-5225

JUDICIAL NOMINATIONS

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

2pm SD-226 Dirksen Bldg. April 1

Agenda: Edward Carnes to be U.S. Circuit Judge, Eleventh Circuit; Joseph Irenas to be U.S. District Judge, District of New Jersey; Henry Morgan to be U.S. District Judge, Eastern District of Virginia; Wayne Budd to be Associate Attorney General; George Terwilliger III to be Deputy Attorney General

EMPLOYER SANCTIONS

Immigration and Refugee Affairs Subcommittee (Chairman Kennedy, D-Mass.) of Senate Judiciary Committee will have a hearing on the effectiveness of employer sanctions, which penalize employers for hiring illegal aliens.

10am SD-226 Dirksen Bldg. April 3

CABLE COMPULSORY LICENSES

Patents, Copyrights and Trademarks Subcommittee (Chairman DeConcini, D-Ariz.) of Senate Judiciary Committee will hold hearings cable compulsory licenses. The licenses allow cable companies to carry the broadcast signals of television stations without paying a fee.

10am SD-226 Dirksen Bldg. April 6 & 29

Labor & Human Resources

224-5375

PROHIBITING ABORTION RESTRICTIONS

Senate Labor and Human Resources Committee (Chairman Kennedy, D-Mass.) will hold hearings on legislation (S 25) to prohibit a state from restricting the right of a woman to have an abortion.

Time & Room TBA Date TBA

Rules & Administration

224-6352

SMITHSONIAN NOMINATION & OVERSIGHT

Senate Rules and Administration Committee (Chairman Ford, D-Ky.) will hold a hearing on legislation (S.J. Res. 221) to provide for the appointment of Hanna Holborn Gray as a citizen regent of the Smithsonian Institution.

■ Revised listing

Senate continued...

The committee also will hold an oversight hearing on the Smithsonian.

9:30am SR-301 Russell Bldg. May 6

FULL COMMITTEE MARKUP

Senate Rules and Administration Committee (Chairman Ford, D-Ky.) will mark up pending legislation.

9:30am SR-301 Russell Bldg. May 13

Veterans' Affairs

224-9126

LEGISLATIVE AGENDAS OF VETERANS' GROUPS**Joint Hearing**

Senate Veterans' Affairs Committee (Chairman Cranston, D-Calif.) and House Veterans' Affairs Committee (Chairman Mont-

gomery, D-Miss.) will hold joint hearings on the legislative agendas of veterans' groups.

9:30am SD-106 Dirksen Bldg. April 8

Agenda: AMVETS; Ex-prisoners of War; Jewish War Veterans; Non-Commissioned Officers Association; Vietnam Veterans of America; National Association for Uniformed Services; Society for Military Widows

HOMELESS VETERANS

Senate Veterans' Affairs Committee (Chairman Cranston, D-Calif.) will hold a hearing on legislative proposals to benefit homeless veterans.

10am SR-418 Russell Bldg. April 9

VETERANS' EMPLOYMENT & EDUCATION

Senate Veterans' Affairs Committee (Chairman Cranston, D-Calif.) will hold a hearing on legislative proposals to improve veterans' employment and education programs.

10am SR-418 Russell Bldg. April 28

House continued...**Agenda & witnesses scheduled:**

March 31: See 'Committee Meetings Scheduled Today' for witness list

April 1: Richard T. Crowder - undersecretary for International Affairs and Commodity Programs, Foreign Agricultural Service; Duane Acker - administrator, Foreign Agricultural Service; Office of International Cooperation and Development; Christopher Goldthwait - acting general sales manager, Office of the General Sales Manager

April 2: Harold B. Steele - chairman, Farm Credit Administration; Kenneth Peoples - president, Farm Credit Assistance Board; Alan Charles Raul, USDA General Counsel

April 6: Congressional and Public Witnesses

April 7: Congressional and Public Witnesses

April 8: Congressional and Public Witnesses

April 28: Budget Overview; General Agricultural Outlook

April 29: Secretary Madigan

FY93 COMMERCE APPROP

Commerce, Justice and State, and Judiciary Subcommittee (Chairman Smith, D-Iowa) of the House Appropriations Committee will hold a series of hearings on fiscal 1993 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am & 2pm H-310 Capitol Bldg. March 31, April 1

10am H-310 Capitol Bldg. April 2

Agenda:

March 31: See 'Committee Meetings Scheduled Today' for witness list

April 1:

10am: Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe; Board for International Broadcasting

2pm: Dept. of Commerce; International Trade Administration; Bureau of Export Administration

April 2: Japan-U.S. Friendship Commission

FY93 DEFENSE APPROP

Defense Subcommittee (Chairman Murtha, D-Pa.) of House Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1993 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am & 1:30pm H-140 Capitol Bldg. (closed)

March 31, April 1

10am H-140 Capitol Bldg. (closed) April 2

10am & 1:30pm H-140 Capitol Bldg. April 7,

8, 9, 28, 29, 30

Agenda & witnesses scheduled:

March 31: See 'Committee Meetings Scheduled Today' for witness list

April 1

10am: Chemical Weapons Demilitarization

Dr. Billy Richardson - deputy assistant for chemical matters, Office of the assistant to the secretary of Defense; Susan Livingstone - assistant secretary of the Army for Installation Logistics and Environment

1:30pm: Drug Interdiction

Hon. Stephen M. Duncan - department of Defense coordinator for Drug Enforcement Policy and Support

April 2: Command, Control, Communication & Intelligence

Duane P. Andrews - assistant secretary of defense for Command, Control, Communication & Intelligence

April 7:

10am: Defense Environmental Programs

1:30pm: Strategic Defense Initiatives

April 8:

10am: Shipbuilding and Conversion, and Overhauls

1:30pm: Procurement and RDT&E, Marine Corps

April 9:

10am: RDT&E, Army

1:30pm Nuclear Weapons Control/Destruction

■ Revised listing

House Committees Future Listings**Aging****DIABETES MELLITUS**

House Select Aging Committee (Chairman Roybal, D-Calif.) will hold a hearing on diabetes mellitus, a threat to the health of minorities.

10am 2128 Rayburn Bldg. April 6

Witnesses scheduled: Philip Gordon - director, National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases; Eleanor Chelmsky - assistant comptroller general, General Accounting Office; James R. Gavin - vice president, American Diabetes Association; Antonio Linares - medical director, AETNA Health Care Plan; Joyce Knows-His-Gun - diabetes mellitus sufferer and sister of Rep. Ben Nighthorse Campbell, D-Colo.; Edward James Almos - actor, star of "American Me" and "Stand and Deliver"

Agriculture

225-2171

SLUDGE AS FERTILIZER

Conservation, Credit and Rural Development Subcommittee (Chairman English, D-Okla.) of the House Agriculture Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 4360) to carry out a program to help ensure the safe and effective use of sludge to improve soil fertility.

10am 1300 Longworth Bldg. April 2

OILSEED MARKETING

Wheat, Soybeans and Feed Grains Subcommittee (Chairman Glickman, D-Kan.) of House Agriculture Committee will hold a hearing to review oilseeds marketing loan programs.

9:30am 1300 Longworth Bldg. April 7

★ New listing

NORTH AMERICAN FREE TRADE TALKS

House Agriculture Committee (Chairman de la Garza, D-Texas) will hold a hearing to review the agriculture negotiations in the proposed North American Free Trade Agreement.

9:30am 1300 Longworth Bldg. April 8

IMPORTED CHEESE

Livestock, Dairy and Poultry Subcommittee (Chairman Stenholm, D-Texas) of House Agriculture Committee will hold a hearing on the impending approval of duty-free importation of cheese.

10:30am 1300 Longworth Bldg. April 9

★ ETHANOL-BASED FUEL

Forests, Family Farms and Energy Subcommittee (Chairman Volkmer, D-Mo.) of House Agriculture Committee will hold a hearing on the potential for the use of grain-based ethanol fuel as an element in efforts to meet clean air standards.

10am 1302 Longworth Bldg. April 29

Appropriations

225-2771

FY93 AGRICULTURE & RURAL DEVELOPMENT APPROP

Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies Subcommittee (Chairman Whitten, D-Miss.) of House Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1993 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

1pm 2362 Rayburn Bldg. March 31, April 1, 2, 6, 7, 8, 28, 29

House continued...

April 28: Intelligence
April 29:
 10am: RDT&E, Air Force
 1:30pm: Special Programs
April 30: Public Witnesses

FY93 ENERGY & WATER APPROPRIATIONS

Energy and Water Development Subcommittee (Chairman Bevil, D-Ala.) of House Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1993 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

9:55am & 2pm 2362 Rayburn Bldg. **March 31**

9:30am & 2pm 2362 Rayburn Bldg. **April 1**

Agenda & witnesses scheduled:

March 31; April 1: Members of Congress & outside witnesses

FY93 INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Interior Subcommittee (Chairman Yates, D-Ill.) of House Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1993 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am & 1:30pm B-308 Rayburn Bldg. **March 31, April 1, 2, 7**

10am B-308 Rayburn Bldg. **April 8, 9, 28, 29, 30, May 5**

10am & 1:30pm B-308 Rayburn Bldg. **May 6**

10am B-308 Rayburn Bldg. **May 7, 12**

10am & 1:30pm B-308 Rayburn Bldg. **May 13**

10am B-308 Rayburn Bldg. **May 14, 19**

Agenda & witnesses scheduled:

March 31: Geological Survey

April 1: National Park Service

April 2: Bureau of Indian Affairs

April 7: Indian Health Service

April 8: Energy Conservation; Conservation

April 9: Outside Witnesses; National Endowment for the Arts; National Endowment for the Humanities; Institute of Museum Services

April 28: Fire Service

April 29: Fish and Wildlife Service

April 30: Fossil Energy; Clean Coal; Strategic Petroleum Reserves; Naval Petroleum Reserves

May 5: National Endowment for the Arts

May 6: Minerals Management Service; Holocaust Memorial Commission

May 7: Bureau of Land Management

May 12: National Endowment for the Humanities

May 13:

10am: Commission on Fine Arts; National Gallery of Art

1:30pm: Navajo Hopi Indians Council Meeting

May 14: Territories

May 19: Members of Congress

FY93 LABOR, HHS & EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education Subcommittee (Chairman Natcher, D-Ky.) of House Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1993 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am & 2pm 2358 Rayburn Bldg. **March 31, April 1, 2**

2pm 2358 Rayburn Bldg. **April 6**

10am & 2pm 2358 Rayburn Bldg. **April 7, 8**

10am 2358 Rayburn Bldg. **April 9**

Agenda & witnesses scheduled:

Health & Human Services Department

March 31: See 'Committee Meetings Scheduled Today' for witness list

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April 1:

10am: Administration for Children and Families
 2pm: Departmental Management (includes policy research); Inspector General; Office for Civil Rights

Related Agencies

April 2:

10am: National Commission on Responsibilities for Financing Postsecondary Education; ACTION

2pm: Corporation for Public Broadcasting; Federal Mine Safety and Health Review Commission

April 6: Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service; Peace Institute; National Commission on Libraries and Information Science

April 7:

10am: National Council on Disability; National Labor Relations Board

2pm: National Commission to Prevent Infant Mortality; National Mediation Board; Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission

April 8:

10am: Physician Payment Review Commission; Prospective Payment Assessment Commission

2pm: Railroad Retirement Board; RRB - Inspector General

April 9: National Commission on Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome; Soldiers' and Airmen's Home; Naval Home

FY93 TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS

Transportation Subcommittee (Chairman Lehman, D-Fla.) of House Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1993 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

10am & 2pm 2358 Rayburn Bldg. **March 31, April 1**

1pm 2358 Rayburn Bldg. **April 6**

10am & 2pm 2358 Rayburn Bldg. **April 7, 8, 9, 28, 29, 30**

Agenda & witnesses scheduled:

March 31: Federal Transit Administration (FTA)

April 1: Washington Area Transit Authority and FTA

April 6, 7 & 8: Federal Aviation Administration (including testimony from the General Accounting Office)

April 9: Office of the Secretary

April 28, 29 & 30: Outside witnesses

FY93 TREASURY, POSTAL SERVICE & GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Treasury, Postal Service and General Government Subcommittee (Chairman Roybal, D-Calif.) of House Appropriations Committee will hold hearings on fiscal 1993 appropriations for programs under its jurisdiction.

2pm H-164 Capitol Bldg. **April 1**

10am H-164 Capitol Bldg. **April 2, 7, 8, 9**

Agenda & witnesses scheduled:

April 1: National Security Council; Office of Federal Procurement Policy; Council of Economic Advisers

April 2: Office of Personnel Management (OPM); Office of Inspector General, OPM; Citizens' Commission on Public Service and Compensation

April 7: Office of National Drug Control Policy

April 8: Outside Witnesses

April 9: Office of Management and Budget

Armed Services

225-4151

ENVIRONMENTAL RESTORATION

Department of Energy Defense Nuclear Facilities Panel (Chairman Spratt, D-S.C.) of House Armed Services Committee will hold a

hearing on the fiscal 1993 defense budget request for Department of Energy defense programs.

9:30am 2325 Rayburn Bldg. **March 31**

9:30am 2216 Rayburn Bldg. **April 1**

Agenda & Witnesses scheduled:

March 31: Nuclear weapons testing: Rep Kopetski, D-Ore.; Robert Barker - assistant to the secretary for Atomic Energy; John Immele - Los Alamos National Laboratory; Sidney Drell - Stanford Linear Accelerator center; Ray Kidder - Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory

April 1: Reconfiguration of the nuclear weapons complex: Reps Hall, D-Ohio; Wheat, D-Mo.; Payne, D-Va.; Derrick, D-S.C.; Richard Claytor - assistant secretary of Defense; Victor Rezendes - General Accounting Office;

■ PACIFIC SECURITY ISSUES

The Defense Policy Panel (Chairman Aspin, D-Wis.) of House Armed Services Committee will continue hearings on regional threat and defense options in the 1990s.

1:30pm 2118 Rayburn Bldg. **open/may close March 31; April 2**

Agenda:

March 31: U.S. post-Cold War security in the Pacific: Jonathan Pollock - RAND Corp.; Casmir Yost - director, Center for Asian and Pacific Affairs, Asian Foundation; Alan Romberg - Council on Foreign Relations; Paul Kriesberg - East-West Center

April 2: Korea: Robert RisCassi - Commander-in-Chief, U.S. Forces Korea

1993 DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION: HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE/NATO

Readiness Subcommittee (Chairman Hutto, D-Fla.) of House Armed Services Committee will continue hearings on the fiscal 1993 defense budget

10am 2216 Rayburn Bldg. **March 31**

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

Agenda & Witnesses scheduled:

March 31: Humanitarian assistance: Robert Wolthuis - deputy secretary of Defense; Lt. Gen. H. C. Stackpole - deputy chief of staff, U.S. Marine Corps; Lt. Gen. John Shalikashvili - Joint Chiefs of Staff; Brig. Gen. George Walls - USMC Haitian aid project

April 2: NATO; Base closures: Gen. Crosbee Saint - commander, U.S. Army Europe; Lt. Gen. Clifford Rees - vice commander, U.S. Air Force Europe; Navy representative; Defense Department representative

CLASSIFIED PROGRAMS

Procurement and Military Nuclear Systems Subcommittee (Chairman Aspin, D-Wis.) and Research and Development Subcommittee (Chairman Dellums, D-Calif.) of House Armed Services Committee will hold a joint hearing on the fiscal 1993 defense budget, focusing on classified programs.

2pm S-407 Capitol Bldg. **closed April 1**

Witnesses scheduled: Dennis Jones - Office of the Secretary of Defense

1993 DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION: MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

Military Installations and Facilities Subcommittee (Chairman Schroeder, D-Colo.) of House Armed Services Committee will continue hearings on the military construction portion of the fiscal 1993 defense budget.

10am 2212 Rayburn Bldg. **April 1**

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

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House continued...**Agenda & witnesses scheduled:**

April 1: Burdensharing: H. Allen Holmes - State Department; C. W. Ford - principal deputy assistant secretary of Defense; G. W. Bader - principal director for European & NATO Policy, Defense Department

April 2: Defense Agencies programs

1993 DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION: RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT

Research and Development Subcommittee (Chairman Dellums, D-Calif.) of House Armed Services Committee will hold a hearing on the fiscal 1993 defense budget, focusing on technology base programs and the Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency.

9:30am 2118 Rayburn Bldg. open/may close
April 1

Witnesses scheduled: Victor Reis - Defense Department Defense Research and Engineering; Gary Denman - Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency; George Singley - deputy assistant secretary of the Army; Rear Adm. William Miller - Chief of Naval Research; John Welch - assistant secretary of the Air Force

1993 DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION:

Seapower and Strategic and Critical Materials Subcommittee (Chairman Bennett, D-Fla.) of House Armed Services Committee will hold a hearing on the fiscal 1993 defense budget, focusing on fleet modernization.

2pm 2212 Rayburn Bldg. open/may close
April 2

Witnesses scheduled: Rear Adm. Richard Milligan - Navy Office of the Comptroller; Rear Adm. James Lang - Ship Maintenance and Modernization Division; Rear Adm. David Bill - Navy Surface Combat Systems; Rear Adm. John Claman - deputy commander, Industrial and Facility Management, U.S. Navy

MENTAL HEALTH PROJECT Field Hearing

Military Personnel and Compensation Subcommittee (Chairman Byron, D-Md.) of House Armed Services Committee will hold a field hearing on the Mental Health Demonstration project in Tidewater, Va.

9:30am Newport News, Va., April 3

WEAPONS PROLIFERATION

Investigations Subcommittee (Chairman Mavroules, D-Mass.) of House Armed Services Committee will hold a hearing on weapons proliferation.

Time and room TBA date TBA

Note: This hearing was originally scheduled for February 5.

Banking, Finance & Urban Affairs

225-4247

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS

Housing and Community Development Subcommittee (Chairman Gonzalez, D-Texas) of House Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs

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Committee will hold a series of hearings on the reauthorization of all the housing and community development programs within its jurisdiction.

10am 2128 Rayburn Bldg. March 31, April 2, 7, 29

Agenda:

March 31: Multifamily Housing Production

April 2: HOME; Community Development Block Grants

April 7: FHA programs; Rural Issues; Indian Housing

April 29: Lead Paint; Homeless

COMPETITIVE TECHNOLOGY

Economic Stabilization Subcommittee (Chairman Carper, D-Del.) of House Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs Committee will hold a series of hearings on the Technology Preservation Act of 1991 (HR 2624), foreign direct investment and U.S. competitiveness.

10am 2222 Rayburn Bldg. March 31, April 2

Witnesses scheduled:

March 31: Olin L. Wethington - assistant secretary, International Affairs, Department of Treasury

April 2:

PANEL: Edward M. Graham - senior fellow, Institute for International Economics; Susan J. Tolchin - professor of public administration, George Washington University

PANEL: James T. Christy - director of federal relations, Air Products and Chemicals; Papken S. der Torossian - chairman and CEO, Silicon Valley Group; Jay A. Brozost - associate general counsel, Martin Marietta Corporation

SUBCOMMITTEE MARKUP: CREDIT AVAILABILITY & CAPITAL STANDARDS

Financial Institutions Supervision, Regulation and Insurance Subcommittee (Chairman Annunzio, D-Ill.) of House Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs Committee will mark up legislation (HR 4234) to amend the Home Owner's Loan Act to provide greater flexibility in meeting capital standards.

2pm 2128 Rayburn Bldg. April 1

ANTITRUST IMPLICATIONS OF BANK MERGERS

House Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs Committee (Chairman Gonzalez, D-Texas) will hold a hearing on the antitrust implications of bank mergers and the role of several states in evaluating mergers.

10am 2128 Rayburn Bldg. April 1

Witnesses scheduled: George Sampson - chief, Antitrust Bureau, N.Y. State Department of Law; Carol Smith - chief, Antitrust Division, State of Washington; Stephan Wessler - deputy attorney general, Consumer and Antitrust Division, State of Maine

RUSSIAN ECONOMIC REFORMS

International Development, Finance, Trade and Monetary Policy Subcommittee (Chairman Oaker, D-Ohio) of House Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on Russian Economic reforms and the role of the U.S. and international monetary organizations.

2pm 2220 Rayburn Bldg. April 1

Witnesses scheduled: Konstantin Kagalovsky - senior economic advisor, Russian Government

MORTGAGE INSURANCE

Housing and Community Development Subcommittee (Chairman Gonzalez, D-Texas) of House Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on the Federal Housing Administration (FHA) Single Family Mortgage Insurance Program.

10am 2128 Rayburn Bldg. April 3

BUDGET DEFICIT

Economic Stabilization Subcommittee (Chairman Carper, D-Del.) of House Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on the federal budget deficit and its impact on long-term economic growth, investment, interest rates and productivity.

10am 2222 Rayburn Bldg. April 7

Witnesses scheduled: Robert Reischauer - director, Congressional Budget Office; Robert M. Penner - director, Economic Studies; KPMG Peat Marwick; Alice Rivlin - senior fellow, Brookings Institution

RTC OVERSIGHT

General Oversight and Investigations Subcommittee (Chairman Hubbard, D-Ky.) of House Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on the controversy surrounding the Regional Trust Corporation's Denver office. The subcommittee is expected to examine allegations that the RTC violated guidelines in awarding contracts to outside accountants and that the RTC has failed to adequately oversee outside contracting work.

10am 2128 Rayburn Bldg. April 9

PROBLEMS WITH RTC INVESTIGATION

General Oversight and Investigations Subcommittee (Chairman Hubbard, D-Ky.) of House Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on problems with the Resolution Trust Corporation's (RTC) administration of "Operation Western Storm," an investigation into the cause of a large accounting discrepancy at its Western Regional Office.

10am 2128 Rayburn Bldg. April 9

INSURANCE LEGISLATION

Policy Research and Insurance Subcommittee (Chairman Erdreich, D-Ala.) of House Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on insurance legislation.

9:30am 2222 Rayburn Bldg. April 29

MORTGAGE DISCLOSURE ACT

Consumer Affairs and Coinage Subcommittee (Chairman Torres, D-Calif.) and Housing and Community Development Subcommittee (Chairman Gonzalez, D-Texas) of House Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs Committee will hold a joint hearing on the implications of the Home Mortgage Disclosure Act.

10am 2128 Rayburn Bldg. May 7, May 14

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Children, Youth & Families

226-7660

PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIPS

House Select Children Youth and Families Committee (Chairman Schroeder, D-Colo.) will hold a hearing on the role of public-private partnerships in preventing child abuse.
9:45am 2226 Rayburn Bldg. April 2

District of Columbia

225-4457

FULL COMMITTEE MARKUP: STATEHOOD AND SUPREME COURT

House District of Columbia Committee (Chairman Dellums, D-Calif.) will mark up pending legislation.

9:30am 1310-A Longworth Bldg. April 2

Agenda:

HR 2482 - Provide for the admission of the state of New Columbia into the Union.

HR 568 - Create the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia

D.C. JUDICIAL REVISION

Judiciary and Education Subcommittee (Chairman Dymally, D-Calif.) of House District of Columbia Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 4096) that would increase the maximum monetary amount for cases under the jurisdiction of the Small Claims and Conciliation Branch of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia. The bill also would authorize the Corporation Counsel for the District of Columbia to conduct criminal prosecutions of certain juvenile defendants.

Time & room TBA Date TBA

Note: This hearing was originally scheduled for March 17.

Education & Labor

225-4527

REVISING OSHA

House Education and Labor Committee (Chairman Ford, D-Mich.) will hold hearings on legislation (HR 3160) to revise the Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970 (OSHA).
9:30am 2175 Rayburn Bldg. April 2, 8 & 28

SUBCOMMITTEE MARKUP: EDUCATION RESEARCH

Select Education Subcommittee (Chairman Owens, D-N.Y.) of House Education and Labor Committee will mark up legislation (HR 4014) to improve education in the United States by promoting excellence in research, development, and the dissemination of information.

10am 2261 Rayburn Bldg. April 2

★ New listing

DISLOCATED WORKERS

Field Hearing

Employment Opportunities Subcommittee (Chairman Perkins, D-Ky.) of House Education and Labor Committee will hold an oversight hearing on programs affecting dislocated workers.

Time TBA Eau Claire, Wisconsin April 6

JUVENILE JUSTICE REAUTHORIZATION

Human Resources Subcommittee (Chairman Martinez, D-Calif.) of House Education and Labor Committee will hold a hearing on the reauthorization of the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act of 1974.

9:30am 2261 Rayburn Bldg. April 7

Witnesses scheduled: Robert Sweet Jr. - administrator, Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention, Department of Justice; Susan Morris - president, National Coalition of State Advisory Committees; Gordon Raley - executive director, National Coalition for Youth

FEDERAL EMPLOYEE DISCRIMINATION CLAIMS

Joint Hearing

Employment Opportunities Subcommittee (Chairman Perkins, D-Ky.) of House Education and Labor Committee and Civil Service Subcommittee (Chairman Sikorski, D-Minn.) of House Post Office and Civil Service Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 3613) to amend the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and the Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1967 to improve the effectiveness of administrative review of employment discrimination claims made by federal employees.

10am 2175 Rayburn Bldg. April 9

Energy & Commerce

225-2927

SUBCOMMITTEE MARKUP: CABLE BILL

Telecommunications and Finance Subcommittee (Chairman Markey, D-Mass.) of House Energy and Commerce Committee will mark up legislation to reregulate the cable television industry.

1pm 2123 Rayburn Bldg. March 31

9:30am 2123 Rayburn Bldg. April 1 & 2

FDA DRUG APPROVALS COUNCIL ON COMPETITIVENESS

Health and the Environment Subcommittee (Chairman Waxman, D-Calif.) of House Energy and Commerce Committee will hold a hearing on the Council on Competitiveness and its role in the Food and Drug Administration's drug approval process.

9:45 2322 Rayburn Bldg. April 1

SUBCOMMITTEE MARKUP: CPSC REAUTHORIZATION

Commerce, Consumer Protection and Competitiveness Subcommittee (Chairman Collins, D-Ill.) of House Energy and Commerce Committee will mark up legislation to reauthorize

the Consumer Product Safety Commission.
9:30am room TBA April 2

SUBCOMMITTEE MARKUP: LEAD LEVELS

Transportation and Hazardous Materials Subcommittee (Chairman Swift, D-Wash.) of House Energy and Commerce Committee will mark up legislation (HR 3554) to reduce the levels of lead in the environment.

10am 2322 Rayburn Bldg. April 2

Note: This markup was originally scheduled for March 5.

TELEPHONE NETWORK RELIABILITY

Telecommunications and Finance Subcommittee (Chairman Markey, D-Mass.) of House Energy and Commerce Committee will hold a hearing on telephone network reliability.

Time & room TBA Date TBA

Foreign Affairs

225-5021

U.N. ROLE IN IRAQ

Human Rights and International Organizations Subcommittee (Chairman Yatron, D-Pa.) and Europe and the Middle East Subcommittee (Chairman Hamilton, D-Ind.) of House Foreign Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on the role of the United Nations (U.N.) in Iraq.

10am 2172 Rayburn Bldg. April 1

TRANSITION TO DEMOCRACY IN CUBA

House Foreign Affairs Committee (Chairman Farnsworth, D-Fla.) will continue hearings on legislation (HR 4168) to promote a peaceful transition to democracy in Cuba through the application of appropriate pressures on the Cuban government and support for the Cuban people.

9:30am 2172 Rayburn Bldg. April 2

10am 2172 Rayburn Bldg. April 8

Witnesses scheduled:

April 2: Reps. Nagle, D-Iowa, Alexander, D-Ark.; Jack Otero - vice president, AFL-CIO; Roger Chesley - vice president, AMSTAR; Alberto Lopez - Notre Dame Law School; Jorge Domínguez - Cuban Task Force on Inter-American Dialogue; Robert McNeill - executive vice chairman, Emergency Committee for American Trade; William McBeath - executive director, American Public Health Association

FREE TRADE & THE PETROCHEMICAL INDUSTRY Joint Hearing

International Economic Policy and Trade Subcommittee (Chairman Gejdenson, D-Conn.) and Western Hemisphere Affairs Subcommittee (Chairman Torricelli, D-N.J.) of House Foreign Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on the impact of the proposed North American Free Trade Agreement on the petrochemical industry.

1pm 2172 Rayburn Bldg. April 7

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House Foreign Affairs Committee (Chairman Fancell, D-Fla.) will mark up legislation (HR 4070) to amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to rewrite the authorities of that act in order to establish more effective assistance programs and eliminate obsolete and inconsistent provisions, to amend the Arms Export Control Act and to redesignate that act as the Defense Trade and Export Control Act, to authorize appropriations for foreign assistance programs for fiscal 1992 and 1993.

Time & room TBA date TBA

PROBLEMS IN THE HORN OF AFRICA

Africa Subcommittee (Chairman Dymally, D-Calif.) and International Operations Subcommittee (Chairman Berman, D-Calif.) of House Foreign Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on problems in the horn of Africa where a civil war continues in Somalia and reconstruction is beginning in Ethiopia after a long internal conflict.

Time & Room TBA Date TBA

Note: This hearing was originally scheduled for April 2.

SUBCOMMITTEE MARKUP: PESTICIDE SAFETY IMPROVEMENT

International Economic Policy and Trade Subcommittee (Chairman Gejdenson, D-Conn.) of House Foreign Affairs Committee will mark up legislation (HR 2083) to amend the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide act to improve the safety of exported pesticides.

Time & Room TBA date TBA

Government Operations

225-5051

FULL COMMITTEE BUSINESS

House Government Operations Committee (Chairman Conyers, D-Mich.) will meet to consider pending business.

2pm 2154 Rayburn Bldg. April 1

Agenda:**Legislation:**

HR 3601 - Assist certain local governments in meeting public needs by providing for federal payments to those local governments

Reports:

Misplaced Trust: The Bureau of Indian Affairs' Mismanagement of the Indian Trust Fund

Designing Genetic Information Policy: The Need for Independent Policy Review of the Ethical, Legal, and Social Implications of the Human Genome Project

Issues in Aircraft Cabin Safety and Crash Survivability: the U.S. Air-Skywest Accident.

MISMANAGEMENT AT CUSTOMS SERVICE

Commerce, Consumer and Monetary Affairs Subcommittee (Chairman Barnard, D-Ga.) of House Government Operations Committee will hold a hearing on mismanagement

and misconduct in the Customs Service

9:30am 2247 Rayburn Bldg. April 1

Witnesses scheduled:

April 1: Carol Hallett - commissioner, U.S. Customs Service; Michael Lane - deputy commissioner, U.S. Customs Service; Donald Kirkendall - inspector general, Department of the Treasury

AIR SAFETY & FAA

Government Activities and Transportation Subcommittee (Chairman Boxer, D-Calif.) of House Government Operations Committee will hold a hearing on the response of Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) to air safety problems focusing on pilot fatigue and the interpretation of safety indicators.

9:30am 2203 Rayburn Bldg. April 1

Note: The subcommittee will also consider a draft report.

INCREASES IN CASE OF TUBERCULOSIS

Human Resources and Intergovernmental Relations Subcommittee (Chairman Weiss, D-N.Y.) of House Government Operations Committee will hold a hearing on the increase in the number of reported cases of tuberculosis in the United States.

10am 2154 Rayburn Bldg. April 2

DOD AID FOR MCDONNELL DOUGLAS

Legislation and National Security Subcommittee (Chairman Conyers, D-Mich.) of House Government Operations Committee will hold a hearing on allegations that the Department of Defense secretly planned to financially aid defense contractor McDonnell Douglas in 1990.

10am 2154 Rayburn Bldg. Date TBA

House Administration

225-2061

OFFICE SYSTEMS SUBCOMMITTEE BUSINESS

Office Systems Subcommittee (Chairman Gejdenson, D-Conn.) of House Committee on House Administration will meet to consider pending business.

11am H-328 Capitol Bldg. April 2

Hunger

226-5470

HUNGER-FREE COMMUNITIES

House Select Hunger Committee (Chairman Hall, D-Ohio) will hold a hearing on "Hunger-Free Communities," in which local communities supplement federal and state efforts in combatting hunger

9:30am room TBA April 2

Witnesses scheduled: James Scheibel - chairman, U.S. Conference of Mayors Task Force on Hunger and Homelessness; J. Larry Brown - director, Center on Hunger, Poverty and Nutrition Policy at Tufts University; John Stoesz - associate director, Church and Community Department for the Greater Dallas Community of Churches; Nikki

Lagoudakis - executive director, D.C. Hunger Action (and co-director of the Coalition to End Hunger in D.C.); Rev. Joseph Hacala - executive director, U.S. Catholic Conference Campaign for Human Development

Intelligence

225-4121

INTELLIGENCE REORGANIZATION Joint Hearing

House Select Intelligence Committee (Chairman McCurdy, D-Okla.) and Senate Select Intelligence Committee (Chairman Boren, D-Okla.) will hold a joint hearing on legislation (S 2198; HR 4165) to reorganize the the U.S. intelligence community.

2pm SH-216 Hart Bldg. April 1

Witnesses scheduled: Robert Gates - director, CIA

INTELLIGENCE REORGANIZATION

House Select Intelligence Committee (Chairman McCurdy, D-Okla.) will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 4165) to reorganize the U.S. intelligence community.

10am H-405 Capitol Bldg. closed April 2

Interior & Insular Affairs

225-2761

SUBCOMMITTEE HEARING & MARKUP: PUBLIC LANDS

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

10am 2253 Rayburn Bldg. April 2

Agenda:**HEARING:**

HR 3338 - to permit the use of lands within the Colonial National Historical Park in the Commonwealth of Virginia to enable natural gas service to be provided to the Coast Guard Reserve Training Center

MARKUP:

S 1182 - to transfer jurisdiction of certain public lands in the state of Utah to the Forest Service

S 452 - to authorize a transfer of administrative jurisdiction over certain land to the secretary of the Interior

ALASKAN LANDS

Water, Power and Offshore Energy Resources Subcommittee (Chairman Miller, D-Calif.) of House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 1219) to designate wilderness and acquire certain valuable inholdings within National Wildlife Refuges and National Park System Units.

10am 1324 Longworth Bldg. April 2

CYANIDE TAX

Mining and Natural Resources Subcommittee (Chairman Rahall, D-W. Va.) of House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 4298) to

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impose an excise tax on cyanide used in mining and mineral activities and to use the revenues from such tax for environmental cleanup.
9:45am 1324 Longworth Bldg. April 7

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 7

10am 1324 Longworth Bldg. April 9 & 28

Agenda:

April 7:

HR 3564 - to improve the management of public lands used for military purposes, to require assessments of future needs for withdrawals of public lands for such uses

April 9:

HJ Res 306 - to designate the Port Chicago Naval Magazine as a National Memorial

HR 4489 - to provide for a land exchange with the city of Tacoma, Wash.

April 28:

HR 3905 - to amend the Historic Preservation Act to authorize appropriations for the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation

HR 1601 - to strengthen the preservation of our historic heritage and resources

FULL COMMITTEE MARKUP

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

9:45am 1324 Longworth Bldg. April 8 & 29

PENDING BUSINESS

Energy and the Environment Subcommittee (Chairman Kostmayer, D-Pa.) of House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee will meet to consider pending business.

2pm 1324 Longworth Bldg. April 29

INDIAN CLAIMS

House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee (Chairman Miller, D-Calif.) will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 3897) to provide for the apportionment and distribution of the award in Indian Claims Commission docket numbered 326-k.

10am 340 Cannon Bldg. April 30

NATATIONAL PARKS AIR QUALITY

National Parks and Public Lands Subcommittee (Chairman Vento, D-Minn.) and General Oversight and California Desert Lands Subcommittee (Chairman Lehman, D-Calif.) of House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee will hold a joint hearing on air quality issues affecting national parks, forests and public lands.

10am 1324 Longworth Bldg. April 30

Judiciary

225-3951

CHEROKEE CLAIMS JURISDICTION

Administrative Law and Governmental Re-

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lations Subcommittee (Chairman Frank, D-Mass.) of House Judiciary Committee will hold a hearing on pending legislation

10am 2222 Rayburn Bldg. April 1

Agenda:

HR 4563 - False Claims Act Technical Amendments of 1992

HR 4209 - Amend the act entitled "An Act conferring jurisdiction on certain courts of the United States to hear and render judgment in connection with certain claims of the Cherokee Nation of Oklahoma," approved December 23, 1982.

SUBCOMMITTEE MARKUP: CIVIL LIBERTIES AMENDMENTS

Administrative Law and Governmental Relations Subcommittee (Chairman Frank, D-Mass.) of House Judiciary Committee will mark up pending legislation

Follows hearing (above) 2222 Rayburn Bldg.

April 1

Agenda:

HR 4551 - Amend the Civil Liberties Act of 1988 to increase the authorization for the trust fund under that act

HR 4553 - Amend the Civil Liberties Act of 1988 to clarify that payments under that act shall not be includible as income for purposes of all laws administered by the secretary of Veterans Affairs

VOTING RIGHTS

Civil and Constitutional Rights Subcommittee (Chairman Edwards, D-Calif.) of House Judiciary Committee will hold hearings on the draft legislation to ensure voting rights.

9:30am 2237 Rayburn Bldg. April 1

10am 2237 Rayburn Bldg. April 2

OIL & GAS LEASES & ESTATE RULES

Economic and Commercial Law Subcommittee (Chairman Brooks, D-Texas) of House Judiciary Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 4363) to exclude from the estate of the debtor certain interests in liquid and gaseous hydrocarbons.

10am 2141 Rayburn Bldg. April 1

TRUST SUBSTITUTION & DEBT

Economic and Commercial Law Subcommittee (Chairman Brooks, D-Texas) of House Judiciary Committee will hold a hearing on the need to authorize courts to issue injunctions substituting a trust in lieu of the debtor for certain classes of claims.

Follows hearing (above) 2141 Rayburn Bldg.

April 1

REVISING CABLE LICENSING

Intellectual Property and Judicial Administration Subcommittee (Chairman Hughes, D-N.J.) of House Judiciary Committee will hold hearings on legislation (HR 4511) to revise the compulsory cable licensing system, which allows cable companies to carry broadcast signals without charge.

9am 2226 Rayburn Bldg. April 1

10am 2141 Rayburn Bldg. April 2

SUBCOMMITTEE MARKUP: PRIVATE IMMIGRATION BILLS

International Law, Immigration and Refu-

gees Subcommittee (Chairman Mazzoli, D-Ky.) of House Judiciary Committee will meet to mark up pending private immigration bills.
9:30am B352 Rayburn Bldg. April 1

Merchant Marine & Fisheries

225-4047

WETLANDS "TAKINGS"

Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment Subcommittee (Chairman Studds, D-Mass.) and Oceanography, Great Lakes and the Outer Continental Shelf Subcommittee (Chairman Hertel, D-Mich.) of House Merchant Marine and Fisheries Committee will hold a joint hearing on proposals to compensate landowners who lose the right to use lands classified as wetlands.

Time TBA 1334 Longworth Bldg. Date TBA

Narcotics Abuse & Control

226-3040

DRUG PROBLEM FROM A LOCAL PERSPECTIVE

House Select Narcotics Abuse and Control Committee (Chairman Rangel, D-N.Y.) will hold a hearing on the drug problem from a local perspective.

Time & Room TBA Date TBA

Note: This hearing was originally scheduled for March 10.

Post Office & Civil Service

225-4054

WHITE HOUSE PERSONNEL

Human Resources Subcommittee (Chairman Kanjorski, D-Pa.) of House Post Office and Civil Service Committee will hold a series of oversight hearings on White House personnel, travel and professional expenses.

9:30am 311 Cannon Bldg. March 31 & tentatively week of April 6

FEDERAL EMPLOYEE LEAVE PRACTICES

Compensation and Employee Benefits Subcommittee (Chairman Ackerman, D-N.Y.) of House Post Office and Civil Service Committee will hold a hearing on pending legislation.

1:30pm 311 Cannon Bldg. April 1

Agenda:

HR 1387 - Allow federal employees to take leave for purposes of participating in or attending certain education-related activities for children

HR 2675 - Provide leave to federal employees wishing to serve as bone-marrow or organ donors, and to allow federal employees to use sick leave for purposes relating to the adoption of a child.

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House continued...**POSTAL EMPLOYEE SAFETY**

Postal Personnel and Modernization Subcommittee (Chairman Hayes, D-Ill.) of House Post Office and Civil Service Committee will hold a hearing on draft legislation dealing with the safety and health of postal employees.

1:30pm 311 Cannon Bldg. April 7

FEDERAL EMPLOYEE DISCRIMINATION CLAIMS**Joint Hearing**

Civil Service Subcommittee (Chairman Sikorski, D-Minn.) of House Post Office and Civil Service Committee and Employment Opportunities Subcommittee (Chairman Perkins, D-Ky.) of House Education and Labor Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 3613) to amend the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and the Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1967 to improve the effectiveness of administrative review of employment discrimination claims made by federal employees.

10am 2175 Rayburn Bldg. April 9

Public Works & Transportation

225-4472

ECONOMIC IMPACT OF TRUCKING REGULATIONS

Surface Transportation Subcommittee (Chairman Mineta, D-Calif.) of House Public Works and Transportation Committee will continue hearings on the economic impact of regulation on the trucking industry, focusing on intrastate deregulation, negotiated rates and overweight containers.

9:30 2167 Rayburn Bldg. March 31

10am 2167 Rayburn Bldg. April 2

Witnesses scheduled:

March 31: See "Committee Meetings Scheduled Today" section for witnesses

April 2: Rep. Bentley, R-Md.; Ron Rittenmeyer - vice president, Frito-Lay; Tom Stedman - director of distribution, Walgreen Company; Anthony Burns - chairman, Ryder System; Michael Jenkins - president, American Warehouseman's Association; Richard Thomas - president, Messenger Courier Association of the Americas; Janet Kemp - president, National Small Shipment Traffic Conference; Fred Gibson - president, New Mexico Motor Carrier Association; Martin Sangster - vice president, Government Relations, The Washington Trucking Association; William Tucker - president, Tucker Company; Folger Athearn Jr. - president, Athearn Transportation Consultants; Theodore Knappen - Washington representative, Greyhound Lines; Fred Kraiser - president, Kerryville Bus Company; Michael Uremovich - vice president, Southern Pacific Transportation Company; Greg Steffire - executive vice president, Rail Delivery Services; Jack Helton - staff vice president, Sea-Land Corporation; David Letteney - executive secretary, Steamship Operations Intermodal Committee

SUBCOMMITTEE MARKUP: FAA REAUTHORIZATION

Aviation Subcommittee (Chairman Oberstar, D-Minn.) of House Public Works and Transportation Committee will mark up legis-

lation (HR 4691) to reauthorize the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA).

9:30am 2167 Rayburn Bldg. April 1

FAA REAUTHORIZATION

Aviation Subcommittee (Chairman Oberstar, D-Minn.) of House Public Works and Transportation Committee will hold hearings on reauthorization of the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA).

9:30am 2167 Rayburn Bldg. April 7

Agenda and Witnesses:

April 7: War risk insurance and the civil reserve air fleet program

GREAT LAKE SEDIMENTS

Water Resources Subcommittee (Chairman Nowak, D-N.Y.) of House Public Works and Transportation Committee will hold a hearing on the assessment and remediation of contaminated sediments in the Great Lakes.

1pm 2167 Rayburn Bldg. April 8

Rules

225-9486

RULES FOR FLOOR DEBATE

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

1pm H-313 Capitol Bldg. April 1

Agenda:

HR 4241 - Provide funding for the Resolution Trust Corporation

HR 2039 - Reauthorize the Legal Services Corporation

HR 2056 - Amend the Tariff Act of 1930 to require that subsidy information regarding vessels be provided upon entry within customs collection districts and to provide effective trade remedies under the countervailing and antidumping duty laws against foreign-built ships that are subsidized or dumped (Shipbuilding Trade Reform Act of 1991)

Science, Space & Technology

225-6371

FULL COMMITTEE MARKUP

House Science, Space and Technology Committee (Chairman Brown, D-Calif.) will mark up pending legislation.

10am 2318 Rayburn Bldg. March 31; April 1 & 2 (if needed)

Agenda:

HR 4559 - National Energy, Environment, and Competitiveness Research Act of 1992

HR 776 - Comprehensive National Energy Policy Act

HR 2936 - Technical Education and Training Act of 1991

HR 3360 - Federal Fire Safety Act of 1991

HR 3953 - National Electric and Magnetic Fields Research and Public Information Dissemination Act

SUBCOMMITTEE MARKUP: NASA AUTHORIZATION

Space Subcommittee (Chairman Hall, D-Texas) of House Science, Space and Technol-

ogy Committee will mark up the NASA Authorization Act of 1993.

1:30pm 2318 Rayburn Bldg. April 1

LANDSAT MANAGEMENT PLAN

Environment Subcommittee (Chairman Scheuer, D-N.Y.) of House Science, Space and Technology Committee will hold a hearing on the Landsat Management Plan. The hearing will also address legislation (HR 3614), to amend the Land Remote-Sensing Commercialization Act of 1984 to secure U.S. leadership in land remote-sensing by providing data continuity for the Landsat program and to establish a new national land remote-sensing policy, and for other purposes.

9:30am 2318 Rayburn Bldg. April 7

Witnesses scheduled: Lennard Fisk - associate administrator, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; Martin C. Faga - assistant secretary for space, U.S. Air Force

PROJECTING SCIENCE & ENGINEERING REQUIREMENTS

Investigations and Oversight Committee (Chairman Wolpe, D-Mich.) will hold a hearing on a National Science Foundation (NSF) draft paper from 1987 which projected shortfalls of natural scientists and engineers in the 1990s. Recent questions about the methodology of the paper have prompted the NSF to disavow the paper as its stated position.

9:30am 2318 Rayburn Bldg. April 8

Witnesses scheduled: Victor Rezendes - General Accounting Office; Walter E. Massey - director, National Science Foundation; Ronald E. Kutscher - associate commissioner, Bureau of Labor Statistics; John Andelin - assistant director, Office of Technology Assessment; other witnesses TBA

SCIENCE PRIORITIES

Science Subcommittee (Chairman Boucher, D-Va.) of House Science, Space and Technology Committee will hold a hearing to assess the strengths and weaknesses in the existing system for setting priorities for science.

9:30am 2325 Rayburn Bldg. April 9

Small Business

225-5821

INNOVATIVE RESEARCH

Procurement, Tourism and Rural Development Subcommittee (Chairman Skelton, D-Mo.) of House Small Business Committee will hold a hearing on the reauthorization of the Small Business Innovative Research Program (HR 4400), which earmarks a percentage research and development funding of 11 federal agencies for small, high-technology companies.

9:30am 2359 Rayburn Bldg. April 2

PAPER RECYCLING

Environment and Employment Subcommittee (Chairman Olin, D-Va.) of House Small Business Committee will hold a hearing on paper recycling.

9:30am Site TBA April 7

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TOURISM & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Field Hearings

Procurement, Tourism and Rural Development Subcommittee (Chairman Skelton, D-Mo.) of the House Small Business Committee will hold field hearings on tourism and economic development.

Time & site TBA Tuscon, Ariz. April 13

Time & site TBA Branson, Mo. April 14

Veterans' Affairs

225-3527

FULL COMMITTEE MARKUP

House Veterans' Affairs Committee (Chairman Montgomery, D-Miss.) will meet to mark up pending legislation.

9am 334 Cannon Bldg. April 7

LEGISLATIVE AGENDAS OF VETERANS' GROUPS

Joint Hearing

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.

9:30am SD-106 Dirksen Bldg. April 8

Agenda: AMVETS; Ex-prisoners of War; Jewish War Veterans; Non-Commissioned Officers Association; Vietnam Veterans of America; National Association for Uniformed Services; Society for Military Widows

NATIONAL CEMETERY SYSTEM

Housing and Memorial Affairs Subcommittee (Chairman Staggers, D-W.Va.) of House Veterans' Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on problems with the national cemetery system.

9:30am 334 Cannon Bldg. April 30

VETERANS JOB TRAINING

Education, Training and Employment Subcommittee (Chairman Penny, D-Minn.) of House Veterans' Affairs Committee will hold a hearing on draft legislation to provide job training to unemployed retirees effected by the recent military downsizing.

9:30am 334 Cannon Bldg. May 14

Ways & Means

225-3625

FULL COMMITTEE MARKUP

House Ways and Means Committee (Chairman Rostenkowski, D-Ill.) will mark up pending legislation and consider pending reports.

10am 1100 Longworth Bldg. April 1

Agenda:

HR 3837 - Improve the administration of the Medicare Program, to reform customs overtime pay practices, to prevent the payment of Federal benefits to deceased individuals, and to require reports on employers with underfunded pension plans

Report on Money Laundering (From Oversight Subcommittee)

Report on Marketing of Government Securities (From Oversight Subcommittee)

HEALTH-CARE

ADMINISTRATIVE SIMPLIFICATION

Health Subcommittee (Chairman Stark, D-Calif.) of House Ways and Means Committee will hold a hearing on proposals to reduce expenses associated with the administration of health-care benefits and streamline administrative procedures of health-care programs.

10:30am 1100 Longworth Bldg. April 2

PROBLEMS WITH BENEFITS FOR HIV-POSITIVE INDIVIDUALS

Social Security Subcommittee (Chairman Jacobs, D-Ind.) and Human Resources Subcommittee (Acting Chairman Downey, D-N.Y.) of House Ways and Means Committee will hold a joint hearing to identify obstacles that prevent women, children and other individuals with HIV-related disabilities from qualifying for Social Security Disability Insurance and Supplemental Security Income.

B-318 Rayburn Bldg. April 2

USE OF GRAIN IMPORTS

Trade Subcommittee (Chairman Gibbons, D-Fla.) of House Ways and Means Committee will hold a hearing on legislation (HR 3549) relating to the monitoring of the domestic uses made of certain foreign grain after importation.

10am B-318 Rayburn Bldg. April 7

U.S. COMPETITIVE POSITION IN CHEMICALS AND PHARMACEUTICALS

Trade Subcommittee (Chairman Gibbons, D-Fla.) of House Ways and Means Committee will hold a hearing on the international competitive position of the United States in the chemical and pharmaceutical industries.

2pm B-318 Rayburn Bldg. April 7

WOMEN & SOCIAL SECURITY

Social Security Subcommittee (Chairman Jacobs, D-Ind.) of House Ways and Means Committee will hold a hearing on women and Social Security, focusing on changes in the family and workplace.

10am B-318 Rayburn Bldg. April 8

USING MEDICARE GUIDELINES TO SET HEALTH-CARE PAYMENTS

Health Subcommittee (Chairman Stark, D-Calif.) of House Ways and Means Committee will hold a hearing on proposals to use Medicare payment methodologies to establish rates for hospital and physician services for all payers.

1pm 1100 Longworth Bldg. April 8

SUPERFUND OVERSIGHT

Oversight Subcommittee (Chairman, Pickle, D-Texas) of House Ways and Means Committee will hold a series of oversight hearings on the financing, operation and future status of the Hazardous Substance Superfund.

Time and room TBA dates TBA

Note

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

Joint Committees

Joint Economic

U.S.-LATIN AMERICAN RELATIONS

Joint Economic Committee (Chairman Hamilton, D-Ind.) will hold a hearing on U.S.-Latin American relations.

10am 2247 Rayburn Bldg. April 2

Witnesses scheduled: David Malpass - deputy assistant secretary of State for inter-american affairs; Rudiger Dornbusch - professor of economics, Massachusetts Institute of Technology; Sylvia Saborio - director, International Trade Program, Overseas Development Council; Sidney Weintraub - Lyndon Johnson School of Public Affairs, University of Texas at Austin

MARCH EMPLOYMENT

Joint Economic Committee (Chairman Sarbanes, D-Md.) will meet to receive the employment and unemployment statistics for the month of March.

9:15am SD-628 Dirksen Bldg. April 3

Conference Committees Future Listings

EDUCATION REAUTHORIZATION

Conferees will meet on legislation (S 1150) to reauthorize the Higher Education Act of 1965.

Time & room TBA date TBA

House conferees:

From the Committee on Education & Labor for consideration of the Senate bill, and the House amendments, and modifications committed to conference: Ford, Gaydos, Miller, Kildee, Williams, Hayes, Sawyer, Payne, Lowey, Unsoeld, Washington, Serrano, Mink, Andrews, Jefferson, Reed, Roemer, Goodling, Petri, Coleman, Roukema, Gunderson, Armey, Henry, Molinari, Barrett, Klug

Additional conferees from the Committee on Foreign Affairs, for consideration of section 613 of the Senate bill, and bill modifications committed to conference: Fawell, Berman, Weiss, Broomfield, Snowe

ALCOHOL, DRUG ABUSE REAUTHORIZATION

Conferees will meet on legislation (S 1306) to amend title V of the Public Health Service Act to revise and extend certain programs, to restructure the Alcohol, Drug Abuse and Mental Health Administration

Time & room TBA date TBA

House conferees: Dingell, Waxman, Rowland, Lent, Bliley

Senate conferees: Kennedy, Pell, Metzenbaum, Dodd, Harkin, Adams, Hatch, Coats, Thurmond, Durenberger

FAMILY & CHILD SERVICES

Conferees will meet on legislation (HR 2720) to extend for one year the authorizations of appropriations for the programs under the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act and the Family Violence Prevention and Services Act, and for certain programs relating to adoption opportunities.

Time & room TBA date TBA

Senate conferees: Dodd, Kennedy, Adams, Hatch, Coats

House conferees:

CAMPAIGN FINANCE

Conferees will meet on legislation (S 3) to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to provide for a voluntary system of spending limits for Senate election campaigns.

Time & room TBA date TBA

Senate conferees: Ford, Boren, Mitchell, McConnell, Gramm

House conferees:

From the House Committee on House Administration: Rose, Gejdenson, Gephardt, Swift, Panetta, Synar, Kleczka, Thomas, Edwards, Livingston, Walsh

From the House Energy and Commerce Committee: Dingell, Markey, Lent

From the House Post Office and Civil Service: Clay, McCloskey, Gilman

EXPORT ADMINISTRATION

Conferees will meet on legislation (HR 3489) to reauthorize the Export Administration Act of 1979.

Time & room TBA date TBA

Senate conferees: Riegle, Cranston, Sarbanes, Garn, Mack

House conferees: TBA

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HEALTH PROFESSIONALS

Conferees will meet on legislation (HR 3508) to revise and extend certain programs relating to the education of individuals as health professionals.

Time & room TBA date TBA

Senate conferees: Kennedy, Metzenbaum, Simon, Hatch, Kassebaum

House conferees: Dingell, Waxman, Richardson, Lent, Bliley

PREVENTIVE HEALTH

Conferees will meet on legislation (HR 3635) to revise and extend the program of block grants for preventive health and health services

Time & room TBA date TBA

Senate conferees: Kennedy, Metzenbaum, Harkin, Hatch, Kassebaum

House conferees: Dingell, Waxman, Rowland, Lent, Bliley

OLDER AMERICANS ACT

Conferees will meet on legislation (HR 2967) to reauthorize the Older Americans Act.

Time & room TBA date TBA

Senate conferees:

From the Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Kennedy, Metzenbaum, Adams, Hatch, and Cochran

From the Committee on Finance (solely for the Social Security retirement earnings provisions): Bentsen, Moynihan and Packwood

House conferees: TBA

FEDERAL FACILITIES COMPLIANCE

Conferees will meet on HR 2194, Federal Facilities Compliance Act of 1991.

Time & room TBA date TBA

Senate conferees: Burdick, Baucus, Moynihan, Mitchell, Lautenberg, Chafee, Simpson, Durenberger, Warner

House conferees:

From the Energy and Commerce Committee for consideration of the House bill, and the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Dingell, Swift, Eckart, Slattery, Sikorski, Lent, Ritter, Schaefer

As additional conferees from the Armed Services Committee, for consideration of section 113 of the Senate amendments, and modifications committed to conference: Ray, Hochbrueckner, Saxton

As additional conferees from the Judiciary Committee, for consideration of section 2(a) of the House bill, and section 103(a) of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Brooks, Frank of Mass., Gekas

As additional conferees from the Merchant Marine Committee, for consideration of section 304(a) of the Senate amendments, and modifications committed to conference: Jones of N.C., Studds, Davis

As additional conferees from the Public Works Committee, for consideration of sections 102, 109, and 115-119 of the Senate amendments, and modifications committed to conference: Roe, Nowak, Hammerschmidt

As additional conferees from the Public Works Committee, for consideration of title IV of the Senate amendments, and modifications committed to conference: Roe, Savage, Norton, Nowak, Borski, Hammerschmidt, Shuster, Inhofe

PRICE FIXING

Conferees will meet on legislation (S 429) to amend the Sherman Act to strengthen laws

against vertical price-fixing

Time & room TBA date TBA

House conferees: Brooks, Edwards of Calif., Synar, Fish, Campbell of Calif.

Senate conferees: Biden, Kennedy, Metzenbaum, Thurmond, Hatch

DEFENSE PRODUCTION ACT

Conferees will meet on legislation (S 347) to amend the Defense Production Act of 1950 to revitalize the defense industrial base of the United States

Time & room TBA date TBA

House conferees:

From the House Banking Committee: Carper, LaFalce, Oaker, Vento, Kanjorski, Ridge, Paxon, Hancock

From the House Armed Services Committee: Aspin, Mavroules, Siskis, Dickinson, Bateman

Additional conferees from House Energy Committee: Dingell, Markey, Collins of Ill., Lent, Rinaldo

Additional conferees from House Government Operations Committee: Conyers, English, Wise, Horton, Kyl

Additional conferees from House Judiciary Committee: Brooks, Edwards of Calif., Fish, Moorhead

Additional conferees from House Ways and Means Committee: Rostenkowski, Gibbons, Jenkins, Archer, Crane

Senate conferees: Riegle, Sarbanes, Dixon, Garn, Gramm

Note: At the end of the first session of the 102nd Congress the House passed a bill (HR 3919) to temporarily extend the Defense Production Act through March 1, 1992.

FOLLOW-THROUGH ACT

Conferees will meet on legislation (HR 2312) to make certain technical and conforming amendments to the Follow Through Act and the Head Start Transition Project Act.

Time & room TBA date TBA

Senate conferees: Kennedy, Pell, Metzenbaum, Hatch and Kassebaum

House conferees: TBA

CFTC REAUTHORIZATION

Conferees will meet on legislation (HR 707) to improve the regulation of futures trading and authorize appropriations for the Commodity Futures Trading Commission.

Time and room TBA addl dates TBA

Note: Conference began November 6

Senate conferees: Leahy, Boren, Heflin, Conrad, Lugar, Dole, Cochran

House conferees:

From the Committee on Agriculture, for consideration of the House bill, and the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: de la Garza, English, Staggers, Stallings, Nagle, Sarpalis, Johnson, Huckaby, Glickman, Penny, Espy, Long, Stenholm, Tallon, Coleman, Smith of Ore., Gunderson, Combest, Allard, Barrett, Nussie, Boehner, Roberts

From the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs, for consideration of section 263 and title III of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Gonzalez, Annunzio, Neal, Hubbard, LaFalce, Oaker, Wylie, Leach, McCollum, Roukema

From the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for consideration of section 263 and title III of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Dingell, Markey, Scheuer, Synar, Eckart, Slattery, Lent, Moorhead, Rinaldo, Ritter

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Other Events Future Listings

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 202-728-1862, attn: Robert Healy. Only events related to Congress can be listed. Deadline is noon two days before the date of issue (i.e. Monday noon for Wednesday issue). The editors reserve the right to edit or reject any submission. For further information call 202-887-8686.

See Campaign Events Section for listing of events related to congressional and presidential campaigns.

CHILD WELFARE CONFERENCE

Child Welfare League of America will hold its national conference.

Grand Hyatt Hotel, 1000 H St. N.W. April 1, 2 & 3

Contact: Joyce Johnson at 202-638-2952

TAX/HEALTH ISSUES

Budget and Tax Task Force of Women in Government Relations will sponsor a breakfast meeting to hear House Ways and Means Committee member Rep. Johnson, R-Conn., discuss key issues of the 1992 tax bill and the prospects for health care legislation.

8am to 9:30am, Capitol Hill Club, 300 1st St. S.E. April 1

Contact: Dorothea Barr at 703-549-6400

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$25 for members and \$35 for non-members. For reservations send a check, made payable to WGR, to:

WGR
1325 Massachusetts Ave. N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20005-4171

HEALTH ISSUES

National Health Council will sponsor a forum on "Long Term Care: The Missing Piece in the Health Reform Puzzle."

Vista International Hotel, April 2 & 3

Contact: John Madigan or Russ Walker at 202-785-8076

Congressional highlights:

April 2:

8:45am: Sen. Dave Durenberger, R-Minn.

April 3:

12:30pm: Paul Simon, D-Ill.

HEALTH REGULATION

American Group Practice Association will sponsor a congressional forum on regulatory changes that might be expected in the health-care field, including physician ownership and referral regulations. Medicare fraud and abuse safe harbors, Medicare fee schedule, clinical lab regulations and OSHA blood-borne pathogen regulations.

J.W. Marriott Hotel, 1331 Pennsylvania N.W. April 2 & 3

Contact: 703-838-0033

Congressional highlights:

April 2:

8:30am: Kevin Moley - deputy secretary of Health

and Human Services

9:30am: Physician Ownership and Referral: Rep. Pete Stark, D-Calif.

11am: Health System Reform: Rep. Dan Rostenkowski, D-Ill.

12:30pm: Keynote address: Sen. Dave Durenberger, R-Minn.

4pm: Richard Kusserow - inspector general, Health and Human Services

April 3:

12:15pm: Medicaid and Health Systems Reform: Rep. Jim Cooper, D-Tenn.

11am: Tom Scully - Office of Management and Budget

★ RISKS OF

ELECTRO-MAGNETIC FIELDS

Women's Council on Energy and Environment will sponsor a discussion on electromagnetic fields, including the risks that are associated with them and proposals to change regulations and legislation.

Noon Edison Electric Institute, 701 Pennsylvania Ave. N.W. April 2

Contact: Mary Glass at 703-522-0940 or Jill Schaefer at 202-293-1775

BRAIN DEVELOPMENT & COGNITION

American Health Foundation will sponsor a workshop on the vulnerability of the developing brain to the environment. The workshop will look at the relation between the developmental environment of a child and the child's health and ability to learn. Legislation (S 2191) currently pending in the Senate would authorize the development of school-based programs to promote a healthy developmental environment for children. The workshop is being held in conjunction with a conference on "Comprehensive School Health: A Challenge for the Nineties and Beyond."

1pm to 6pm, Capital Hilton Hotel, 16th & K Sts. N.W. April 2

Contact: Jessica Cherry at 212-953-1900

Note: There is a \$50 charge for this event (No charge for members of Congress and their staff). For reservations call the number listed above.

NATIONAL ESTUARINE RESEARCH RESERVE SYSTEM

National Estuarine Research Reserve Association will sponsor a briefing on estuarine research and education and its contribution to improved coastal management.

10:30am 1334 Longworth Bldg. April 3

Contact: Michael Graybill at 503-888-5558

DEFENSE INDUSTRY DOWNSIZING

Economic Strategy Institute will sponsor a discussion on "Downsizing the Defense Industry for National Security and Economic Competitiveness." former deputy assistant secretary of Defense Jacques Gansler will be the speaker.

Noon, 1100 Connecticut Ave. N.W., Suite 1300 April 3

Contact: 202-728-0993

BENEFITS ISSUES

National Employee Benefits Institute will

hold a meeting.

Madison Hotel, April 7 & 8

Contact: 800-558-7258

Congressional highlights:

April 7: Reps. Sam Gibbons, D-Fla.; Beryl Anthony, D-Ark.; Cass Ballenger, R-N.C.

April 8:

9:30am: Rep. Dan Rostenkowski, D-Ill.

12:15pm: Sen. David Durenberger, R-Minn.

Time TBA: Reps. Scott Klug, R-Wis.; Ray McGrath, R-N.Y.

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$100 for members and \$250 for non-members. For reservations call the number listed above.

BUDGET & AEROSPACE/ DEFENSE TECHNICAL LEADERSHIP

Electronic Industries Association will sponsor a conference on balancing U.S. aerospace-defense technical leadership with the fiscal realities of the 1990s, focusing on the Defense Department and National Aeronautics and Space Administration budget.

Holiday Inn Crowne Plaza, Arlington, Va. April 7 & 8

Contact: John Geron at 202-457-4944

ENGINEERS LEGISLATIVE CONFERENCE

American Consulting Engineers Council will hold a legislative conference to discuss matters affecting infrastructure and other engineering related legislative issues.

Hyatt Regency Hotel April 8, 9, 10

Contact: Elyzabeth Long at 202-775-8881 or Sally Keene at 202-682-4337

★ WOMEN IN DEFENSE ANNUAL MEETING

Women in Defense will hold their annual meeting. The theme is "Defense: Where are We Going?"

8:15am DeWitt Auditorium, Fort McNair, April 9

Contact: Carolyn Becraft 202-797-0007

PRESIDENT'S HEALTH-CARE PROPOSALS

National Economists Club will sponsor a luncheon meeting to hear Tom Scully, associate director for human resources, veterans and labor of the Office of Management and Budget, discuss the administration's health-care plan and how it compares with the proposals pending in Congress.

Noon to 1:30pm, GW University Club, 3rd floor, Marvin Center, 800 21st St. N.W. April 9

Contact: 703-532-9048

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$14 for members and \$20 for non-members. For reservations call the number listed above. Deadline for reservations is noon the day before the luncheon is scheduled.

ECONOMIC RECOVERY IN AN ERA OF RESTRUCTURING

National Economists Club will sponsor a luncheon meeting to hear Stephen Roach, principal and senior economist for Morgan Stanley & Co., discuss the U.S. economic recovery in an

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era of restructuring.

Noon to 1:30pm, Montpelier dining room, Library of Congress Madison Bldg., 101 Independence Ave. S.E. **April 14**

Contact: 703-532-9048

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$10 for members and \$15 for non-members. For reservations call the number listed above. Deadline for reservations is noon the day before the luncheon is scheduled.

FINANCIAL MARKETS OUTLOOK

National Economists Club will sponsor a luncheon meeting to hear John Robson, deputy secretary of the Treasury, discuss the outlook for domestic and international financial markets.

Noon to 1:30pm, GW University Club, 3rd floor, Marvin Center, 800 21st St. N.W. **April 21**

Contact: 703-532-9048

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$14 for members and \$20 for non-members. For reservations call the number listed above. Deadline for reservations is noon the day before the luncheon is scheduled.

★ TELECOMMUNICATIONS ISSUES

Capitol Telecommunications Professionals will sponsor a meeting to hear a panel discussion on the breakup of the telephone system. The session will focus legislative proposals to loosen or remove the restrictions placed on the telephone companies by the modified final judgement (MFJ).

6:30pm Omni Georgetown Hotel, 2121 P St. N.W. **April 22**

Contact: 301-564-1032

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$5 for members and \$25 for nonmembers. For reservations call the number listed above.

NORTH AMERICAN FREE-TRADE AGREEMENT

National Economists Club will sponsor a luncheon meeting to hear M. Delal Baer, senior fellow and director of the Mexico Project of the Americas Program of the Center for Strategic and International Studies, discuss the outlook for the North American Free Trade Agreement and the potential obstacles to congressional enactment in 1992.

Noon to 1:30pm, GW University Club, 3rd floor, Marvin Center, 800 21st St. N.W. **April 28**

Contact: 703-532-9048

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$14 for members and \$20 for non-members. For reservations call the number listed above. Deadline for reservations is noon the day before the luncheon is scheduled.

U.S. FOREIGN POLICY ISSUES

The Atlantic Council will sponsor a series of discussions on the reshaping of the foreign policy and international presence of the United States.

3:30pm National Press Club, 524 14th St., N.W. **April 29 & May 26**

4pm National Press Club, 524 14th St., N.W. **June 22**

Contact: 202-347-9353, ext. 6840 (media inquiries to Rian Smith, ext. 32)

★ *New listing*

Agenda:

April 29: Beyond Our Shores: The Agenda of a Transforming World

May 26: Realities of Engagement: Programs, People and Budgets

June 22: Facing America's Foreign Policy Future

★ SYNAR LUNCHEON

American League of Lobbyists will hold a

luncheon meeting to hear a speech by Rep. Mike Synar, D-Okla.

Noon, Washington Court Hotel, 525 New Jersey Ave. N.W. **May 4**

Contact: Pattie Jo Baber at 703-960-3011

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$35 for members and \$45 for nonmembers. For reservations call the number listed above.

Campaign Future Listings

--from Reuters

The *Monitor* has received notice of the following congressional and presidential campaign events scheduled to take place in Washington. Organizations that 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 202-728-1862, attn: Robert Healy. Fundraisers will not be listed. Deadline is noon two days before the date of issue (i.e. Monday noon for Wednesday issue). The editors reserve the right to edit or reject any submission. For further information call 202-887-8686.

Presidential

REPORT CARD ON CANDIDATES

American Consulting Engineers Council will hold a briefing to release a "report card" grading the presidential candidates on their record (or stated policy) on infrastructure issues.

2pm, Hyatt Regency Hotel **April 8**

Contact: Elyzabeth Long at 202-775-8881 or Sally Keene at 202-682-4337

Candidates

DEMOCRATS**Jerry Brown**

Contact: Ileana Wachtel, 310-449-1907

March 31

In Washington, D.C., and New York

7:30am: Addresses a breakfast meeting of New York members of the AFL-CIO Building and Construction Trades Department. Washington Hilton, 1919 Connecticut Ave. NW, Washington, D.C. Contact Bruce Kozarsky or Laurie Strongin, 202-223-8700

7pm: Democratic candidates debate sponsored by Bronx Cable Community Programming and WABC-TV. The Bronx, N.Y. **Note:** C-Span covers live.

April 1

In New York

April 2

In New York

Bill Clinton

Contact: Richard Mintz, Steven Cohen, or Julia Payne, 501-372-1992

March 31

In New York

REPUBLICANS**Pat Buchanan**

Contact: Jerry Woodruff or Vaughn Ververs, 703-929-9292

March 31

In Milwaukee, Wis., and Minnesota

9:30am: Holds a news conference. Hyatt Regency Hotel, 333 West Kilbourne Ave., Milwaukee, Wis.

10:30am: Tour of EZ Painter factory. 4051 South Iowa Ave., Milwaukee, Wis.

12:30pm: Departs Milwaukee Airport on Northwest 1203 en route Minneapolis, Minn.

1:47pm: Arrives Minneapolis, Minn.

2pm: Holds a news conference at the Minneapolis Airport.

2:30pm: Visits Republican State headquarters. Minneapolis, Minn.

4:15pm to 5:30pm: In Rochester, Minn.

7pm: Arrive Hyatt Regency, 1300 Nicollet Mall, Minneapolis.

RON Minneapolis, Minn. Contact Deena Pollard, 612-370-1234

April 1

In Minneapolis, Minn.

11am: Minnesota meeting at Convention Center in Minneapolis.

12:40pm: Northern States Power Candidate's Forum.

April 2

In Minnesota and Los Angeles, Calif.

8am: Arrives Anoka County Chamber of Commerce.

10:30am: Addresses the Minnesota State Legislature.

6:15pm: Departs Minneapolis Airport on Northwest 45 en route Los Angeles, Calif.

8:10pm: Arrives Los Angeles International Airport.

RON Century Plaza Hotel, 2025 Avenue of the Stars, Los Angeles, Calif. Contact Neil Lloyd, 310-277-2000

April 3

In Los Angeles, Calif.

7:30pm: Speech to California Republican Assembly.

RON Century Plaza Hotel

April 4

12:25pm: Departs Los Angeles International Airport on Northwest 1210 en route Milwaukee, Wis.

6:16pm: Arrives Milwaukee, Wis.

RON Hyatt Regency, 333 West Kilbourne Ave., Milwaukee, Wis. Contact Mary Broesch, 414-276-1234

■ *Revised listing*

Campaign Events *continued*...**Bush-Quayle**

Contact: Torie Clarke or Devorah Goldberg,
202-336-7080

No schedule available

David Duke

Contact: Laura Otilio, 504-831-7745

No schedule available

INDEPENDENTS**Ron Daniels**

Contact: Cassandra Godwin, 202-635-6272 or
Lorraine Griffith at 301-420-3044

No schedule announced

Lenora Fulani

Contact: Madelyn Chapman, 212-799-2100

March 30

In New York

1:30pm: Baptist minister's convention, Convnet
Baptist Church, Harlem

March 31

In New York

11am: Press conference on criminal fraud
investigation of Tsongas petitioning drive, 250
W. 57th St., Suite 317

8pm: Democratic party presidential debates, Leh-
man College, Bronx

April 3

In New York

12:30pm: Medgar Evers College, Brooklyn, N.Y.

7:30pm: Community meeting, Harriet Tubman
School, 250 W. 127th St.

April 12

In Harriburg, Pa.

April 13 & 14

In Pittsburgh, Pa.

April 15

In Philadelphia, Pa.

April 16

In Chicago, Ill.

April 17

In Cincinnati & Kenyon, Ohio

April 22

In Detroit, Mich.

April 23 & 24

In Virginia

Ralph Nader

Contact: Carl Mayer, 603-641-5577

No schedule announced

**Primaries &
Caucuses**

March 31: Vermont caucus

April 2: Alaska caucus (Democrats)

April 5: Puerto Rico

April 7: Kansas, Minnesota, Wisconsin and
New York primaries

April 11: Virginia caucus

April 20: Utah caucus (Republicans)

April 28: Pennsylvania primary

May 3: Guam caucus

May 5: Washington, D.C., Indiana, North
Carolina and Ohio primaries

May 12: Nebraska and West Virginia
primaries

May 19: Oregon primary

May 26: Arkansas, Kentucky and Idaho (Re-
publicans) primaries

June 2: Alabama, California, Montana, New
Jersey and New Mexico primaries

June 9: North Dakota caucus

Status of Appropriations — Fiscal 1993

WEEK OF MARCH 30

FULL COMMITTEE

House: 225-2771; Senate: 224-3471

AGRICULTURE

House: 225-2638; Senate: 224-7240

House subcmte hearings scheduled: March 31, April 1, 2

Senate subcmte hearings scheduled: April 3

COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE, & THE JUDICIARY

House: 225-3351; Senate: 224-7277

House subcmte hearings scheduled: March 31, April 1, 2

Senate subcmte hearings scheduled: April 1

DEFENSE

House: 225-2847; Senate: 224-7255

House subcmte hearings scheduled: March 31, April 1, 2

Senate subcmte hearings scheduled: April 2

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

House: 225-5338; Senate: 224-7236

ENERGY & WATER DEVELOPMENT

House: 225-3421; Senate: 224-7260

House subcmte hearings scheduled: March 31, April 1

Senate Subcmte hearings scheduled: April 1

FOREIGN OPERATIONS

House: 225-2041; Senate: 224-7209

INTERIOR

House: 225-3081; Senate: 224-7233

House subcmte hearings scheduled: March 31, April 1, 2

LABOR/HHS/EDUC

House: 225-3508; Senate: 224-7283

House subcmte hearings scheduled: March 31, April 1, 2

LEGISLATIVE BRANCH

House: 225-5338; Senate: 224-7338

House subcmte hearings completed: January 29

Senate subcmte hearings completed: February 7

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION

House: 225-3047; Senate: 224-7255

TRANSPORTATION

House: 225-2141; Senate: 224-7245

House subcmte hearings scheduled: March 31, April 1

Senate subcmte hearings scheduled: April 2

TREASURY/POSTAL SERVICE

House: 225-5834; Senate: 224-6280

House subcmte hearings scheduled: April 1, 2

Senate subcmte hearings scheduled: April 1

VA, HUD & INDEPENDENT AGENCIES

House: 225-3241; Senate: 224-7211

Senate subcmte hearings scheduled: April 2

House Floor Action

Week of March 30

Monday, March 30:

Under suspension of the rules:

S 1743 Amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act by designating certain rivers in the state of Arkansas as components of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System passed by voice

HJRes 402 Approve the location of a memorial to George Mason passed by voice

HR 3292 Require candidates who are eligible to receive amounts from the Presidential Election Campaign Fund to prepare television commercials with closed captioning for the oral content passed by voice

Tuesday, March 31:

HR 3732 Amend the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 to eliminate the division of discretionary appropriations into three categories for purposes of a discretionary spending limit for fiscal year 1993 continue consideration

Under suspension of the rules

HR 1558 Amend the Panama Canal Act of 1979 to provide for a chairman of the board of the Panama Canal Commission begin consideration

Wednesday, April 1 &

Balance of the Week:

HR 4241 Provide funding for the Resolution Trust Corporation begin consideration

HR 2039 Reauthorize the Legal Services Corporation begin consideration

Senate Floor Action

Week of March 30

Monday, March 30:

Not in session

Tuesday, March 31:

HR 2507 Reauthorize and revise and extend the programs of the National Institutes of Health continue consideration (a vote on cloture is scheduled for today)

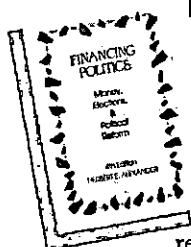
Wednesday, April 1 &

Balance of the Week:

Schedule uncertain



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Financing Politics

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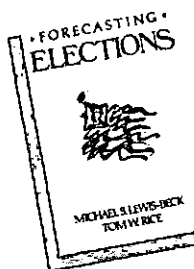
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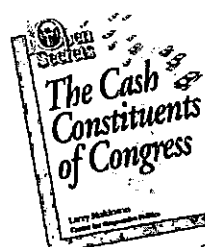


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Michael S. Lewis-Beck,
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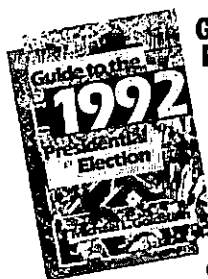


The Cash Constituents of Congress

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Center for Responsive Politics

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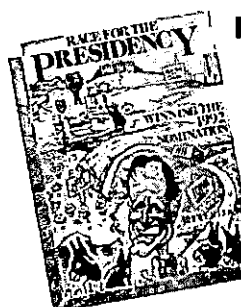


Guide to the 1992 Presidential Election

Michael L. Goldstein,
Claremont-McKenna College

Serving as a handbook to understanding the 1992 campaigns and the election process, the *Guide* also includes brief profiles of 1992 presidential hopefuls.

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CQ-ISBN 0-87187-601-9. \$13.95.



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Winning the 1992 Nomination

Rhodes Cook,
Senior Political Writer, CQ Weekly Report
This guide takes a step-by-step look at the 1992 presidential campaign by profiling each state and its voters. States' parties, constituents, and rules are explained.

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Larry Makinson, Center for Responsive Politics
April 1992. Hardbound. App. 1,400 pages.
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Full Committee, February 19, 1992.
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Health for Families and the Uninsured Subcommittee, September 23 & 30, 1991.
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Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs Subcommittee, November 21 & 22, 1991.
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Full Committee, May 20, 1991, Serial No. J-102-8.
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Full Committee, July 23, 1991, Serial No. J-102-33.
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- Forensic DNA Analysis
Constitution Subcommittee and Civil and Constitutional Rights Subcommittee of House

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Full Committee, June 18, 1991.
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Full Committee, January 9, 1992, Comm. Pub. No. 102-845.
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- H-Rpt 102-463 (Part I) to HR 1435, A bill to direct the Secretary of the Army to transfer jurisdiction over the Rocky Mountain Arsenal, Colo., to the Secretary of the Interior
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Health and the Environment Subcommittee. July 10, 29; October 31, 1991. Serial No. 102-85.
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- **Rollups by Bankatlantic Financial Corp.**
Oversight and Investigations Subcommittee. July 10, 1991. Serial No. 102-73.
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- **HRpt 102-464 to HR 3698, Community Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services Improvement Act of 1991**

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- **Review of Persian Gulf Burden Sharing**
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Asian and Pacific Affairs Subcommittee. November 6, 1991.
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Employment and Housing Subcommittee. April 29, 1991.
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- **Establishment of the National Museum of the American Indian**
Full Committee and Libraries and Memorials Subcommittee of House Administration Committee and Public Buildings and Grounds Subcommittee of House Public Works and Transportation Committee. March 9, 1989. Serial No. 101-53.
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- **HRpt 102-465 to HR 2926, A bill to amend the act of May 17, 1954, relating to the Jefferson National Expansion Memorial to authorize increased funding for the East Saint Louis portion of the memorial, and for other purposes**
- **HRpt 102-466 to HR 3011, A bill to amend the National Trails System Act to designate the American Discovery Trail for study to determine the feasibility and desirability of**

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its designation as a national trail

•HRpt 102-467 to S 870, A bill to authorize inclusion of a tract of land in the Golden Gate National Recreation Area, Calif.

•HRpt 102-468 to S 1254, A bill to increase the authorized acreage limit for the Assateague Island National Seashore on the Maryland mainland, and for other purposes

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•Department of Justice Authorization for Appropriations, Fiscal Year 1992 (Part 2 — Appendix)

Full Committee. July 11 & 18, 1991. Serial No. 12.

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Civil and Constitutional Rights Subcommittee and Constitution Subcommittee of Senate Judiciary Committee. June 13, 1991. Serial No. 30.

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Price: \$11.00

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•National Marine Sanctuary Program Reauthorization

Oceanography, Great Lakes and the Outer Continental Shelf Subcommittee and Fisheries and Wildlife Conservation and the Environment Subcommittee. November 7, 1991. Serial No. 102-55.

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•HRpt 102-469 (Part I) to HR 3247, National Undersea Research Program Act of 1991

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•HR 2606 (Relating to Construction of a Building for the Environmental Protection Agency in Research Triangle Park, N.C.); 11(B) Studies for Tampa or St. Petersburg, Fla., and Steubenville, Oh; Amendments to Previously Approved Construction Resolutions in Boulder, Co; Hammond, Ind; and Portland, Ore; An Amendment to A Previously Approved Repair and Alteration Resolution for Worcester, Mass; And on a Construction Prospectus for the Department of Transportation Headquarters

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•Water Quality of the Anacostia River, Washington, D.C.

Water Resources Subcommittee. July 24, 1991.

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•Rule granted: HRpt 102-462 to H Res 403, Resolution providing for the consideration of HR 3553, a bill to amend and extend the Higher Education Act

•Rule granted: HRpt 102-470 to H Res 410, Resolution providing for further consideration of HR 3732, a bill to amend the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 to eliminate the division of discretionary appropriations into 3 categories for purposes of a discretionary spending limit for fiscal year 1993, and for other purposes

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SPOTLIGHT

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? ? ? ? OVERLOOKED ? ? ? ?

Although it was threatened, there was no AIDS awareness demonstration to disturb last night's Oscars show. Will the candidates face a similar de-escalation from protesters in NY?

*1 VERMONT: BROWN CAMP PREDICTS VICTORY TONIGHT

Brown VT coordinator Ken Dean: "I am confident." Clinton's camp "played down" tonight's caucuses. Clinton VT dir. Craig Fuller: "They saw New York and Wisconsin as being more critical to what they were trying to accomplish." 15 of VT's 21 delegates are up for grabs (BURLINGTON FREE PRESS, 3/31). The GOP also caucuses. Buchanan "made little effort" in VT (USA TODAY, 3/31).

*2 NEW YORK: CLINTON SHIFTS STRATEGY AMID BAD POLL RATINGS

A BUFFALO NEWS poll, conducted 3/27-29 by Political/Media Research, surveyed 838 likely voters; margin of error +/- 3.5%. Dem subsample: 338 LVs; +/- 5.5% (3/31).

							NON-JEWISH	ALL
DEMS	ALL	MEN	WOMEN	JEWS	HISP	BLK	WHITE	FAV/UNFAV
Clinton	40%	43%	37%	33%	57%	53%	31%	38%/ 27%
Brown	34	32	36	29	25	27	48	33 / 18
Undec.	26	25	27	38	18	20	21	

GENERAL ELECTION MATCHUPS

Bush	44%	Bush	45%	Bush	34%	Bush	34%
Clinton	37	Brown	43	Clinton	26	Clinton	27
Undec.	19	Undec.	12	Brown	25	Perot	20
				Undec.	15	Undec.	19

IF "NONE OF THE ABOVE" WERE ON THE BALLOT, WOULD VOTE FOR IT?

Yes 45% No 45%

CLINTON RECANTS NO-DEBATE STRATEGY: Under header, "Flip-Flop: Bill Asks To Debate," N.Y. POST reports Clinton "tried to energize" his NY campaign by challenging Brown to a series of debates -- "and Brown immediately seized on that move as proof Clinton has the jitters." Clinton "reversed himself" from his earlier position to limit the number of debates and refrain from any one-on-one debates with Brown (3/31). N.Y. DAILY NEWS header: "A worried Clinton asks more debates." DAILY NEWS' Milligan describes Clinton as "clearly concerned," and his challenge as "an indication of how worried he is about his standing among New Yorkers" (3/31). N.Y. DAILY NEWS' Bob Herbert: "Candidates who are way out in front are never anxious to debate their opponents. With the primary a week away, Slick Willie is running scared" (3/31). Clinton "called the multiple debate strategy a gamble but said it would illustrate the contrast between him and Mr. Brown and break through the bad news in the New York tabloids" (Berke, N.Y. TIMES, 3/31). Brown called Clinton's invite a "major breakthrough. ... I would say we're on our way." Clinton deputy manager George Stephanopoulos said that 6 debates had already been scheduled for the 6 days before the 4/7 primary. After Clinton's announcement, another debate was added for 4/2 at Harlem's Apollo Theater. Clinton was pressing Brown for a series of debates all over NY on 4/4 (Clifford, N.Y. NEWSDAY, 3/31). COX NEWS' May & Shepard: "The shifting Clinton tactics is just one piece of evidence that his campaign is faltering. ... Ten days ago, Clinton aides were calling Mr. Brown a 'political terrorist' whom they would not debate unless he 'behaved'" (ATLANTA CONSTITUTION, 3/31). Today's schedule includes an a.m. meeting with NYC Mayor Dinkins and Conference of Mayors pres./Boston Mayor Ray Flynn, as well as

several other urban leaders, at a forum at Gracie Mansion. Tonight, Bronx Borough Pres. Fernando Ferrer is sponsoring a TV debate at Lehman College (NEWSDAY, 3/31). Aides to ex-Sen Eugene McCarthy said they will file a complaint with the FEC if the debate goes on without him. The debate airs from 7-8:30p on WABC-TV and WNYC radio. It will also be carried live on C-SPAN. PBS will air a delayed broadcast (NEWSDAY, 3/31). USA TODAY reports Clinton has also agreed to debate Brown 4/6 on "Donahue." There will be no audience and no phone calls, just Clinton and Brown. "Donahue" hosts Clinton tomorrow and Brown on 4/2 (3/31). Brown, on the Harlem debate: "Clinton wants to come in by satellite. But I think that's a moonbeam trick. I want him there personally." Clinton will be in person at the Apollo Theater for the debate (L.A. TIMES, 3/31). NBC's Andrea Mitchell: "The race is believed to be tight and Clinton feels he has to get off the defensive" (3/30). Balto. SUN's Germond warns the Clinton camp "may be kidding themselves" if they think they can win NY by "cutting Jerry Brown down to size." Brown is the "quintessential moving target" (3/31).

TEMPLE OF BOOM: In an appearance on Wall Street, Brown "engaged in 1930s-style warfare ... portraying Clinton as the tool of moneyed Wall Street interests and himself as the champion of oppressed organized labor" (Clifford, NEWSDAY, 3/31). "With his face flushed red and the veins in his forehead throbbing," Brown "thundered like an Old Testament prophet" at the lunchtime Wall St. rally (Roberts, S.F. CHRONICLE, 3/31).

FULL UNION JACKET: Brown received the endorsement of the 117,000-member Local 1199 of the Hospital and Health Care Workers Union, and its "influential president" Dennis Rivera. The backing "represents a major inroad into the black community" (Seelye, KNIGHT-RIDDER, 3/31). N.Y. DAILY NEWS header: "Hospitalable to Brown" (3/31). L.A. TIMES' Fulwood: "This was a day when Brown's campaign appeared to gain momentum" (3/31). N.Y. TIMES' Sam Roberts writes Jesse Jackson's influence "may have been signaled" through the endorsement. Rivera, along with CWA VP Jan Pierce and NYC Teamsters' pres. Barry Feinstein, formed the core of Jackson's '88 support. Pierce: "There is no institution in America that can credential a candidate quicker in the minority community than 1199" (3/31). Jeff Greenfield examines the potential dangers Jackson can pose, directly or indirectly (N.Y. POST, 3/31).

ROUNDING OUT FLAT TAX: At a meeting of black newspaper publishers, Brown "began modifying" his flat tax proposal "to make them more palatable to his growing ranks of labor supporters." Brown spoke of ways to make the tax "harmless" to low-income people, and "spoke favorably" of capping mortgage-interest deductions as a way to make the tax more progressive (Clifford, NEWSDAY, 3/31).

LIFE IN THE BIG CITY: Clinton "issued an anguished critique of the news media for the way they have covered his campaign and said he would take his case 'directly to the people.'" In addition to his debate challenges, advisers are considering buying a half-hour of TV time, as they did in NH, to let Clinton answer voters' questions." Another part of the plan is to schedule events to "make him appear open to inquiry from voters," and begin running positive TV ads. Clinton pollster Stan Greenberg: "We begin with more doubts about us than in [NH]. These voters have been exposed to a good three months of some of the worst press imaginable" (Edsall, W. POST, 3/31). One Clinton aide during an afternoon stop in Williamsburg planned to discuss

Israel with Jewish voters: "This whole place is Italian." Earlier four pro-Israel Congress Members, including Reps. Charles Schumer (D-10) and Stephen Solarz (D-13), held a press conference to challenge Brown on whether he backs foreign aid to Israel, but there was little press coverage (N.Y. POST, 3/31). Brown heard of the rally and challenged Solarz as a front for Clinton. Solarz accused Brown of "reckless demagoguery" (N.Y. TIMES, 3/31). WWOR's Heidi Kemp, after a rally at a Clinton HQ: "You had to feel a little bit sorry for Gov. Clinton, he couldn't find a loud supporter in the group. He had quite a bunch of negative people and he was really beginning to lose control. It's gotta be tough when you want so desperately to get your message across and you don't feel that anyone is listening.

... I'm sure he was anxious to get out of Mount Vernon tonight" (WWOR, 3/30).

REDISCOVERING JERRY: With help from the Clinton opposition research operation, N.Y. DAILY NEWS' Arthur Browne recalls a 10/5/75 Brown appearance on "Meet the Press" where he stated reluctance on the NYC bailout (3/31). DAILY NEWS editorial calls his actions on behalf of ICN Pharmaceuticals a "clumsy attempt at influence peddling" and questions the depth of his political rebirth (3/31). W. POST's Kurtz and N.Y. TIMES' Kolbert both note Brown's use of traditional media coverage, getting early shots with both Dinkins and Cuomo (3/31). N.Y. POST's Newfield puts in a vote for Brown, citing doubts about Clinton. In explaining his reasoning, he quotes Norman Mailer's reaction to Oliver Stone's "JFK": "Sometimes the only way to defeat bull---t is with superior bull---t" (3/31).

THROUGH THE SMOKE: DAILY NEWS editorial on the Clinton marijuana admission: "If the act itself is of no consequence, his refusal to address it early is also of little consequence" (3/31). N.Y. TIMES' Kolbert calls Clinton's admission "one of the more bizarre examples of political soul-baring in recent memory." Clinton had the "sheepish look of a boy caught tying the teacher's shoe laces together" (3/31).

CUOMO: Cuomo pressed the candidates to get back to issues. On Clinton being "slick": "Lincoln was accused of being slick. [FDR] was accused of being too clever by half. You tell me what great successful politician was not accused of being slick" (DAILY NEWS, 3/31). Cuomo said "he'll be happy" to meet with Clinton, probably this weekend (USA TODAY, 3/31).

TABLOID WATCH: N.Y. POST -- Mike Tyson graces cover, with header: "JAILHOUSE BLUES FOR TYSON" (3/31). N.Y. DAILY NEWS -- Cover is John Gotti: "GOTTI JURY JOLTED" (3/31). N.Y. NEWSDAY -- Tyson: "HE WON'T EAT." Dem consultant Hank Morris, on the tabloid coverage of Clinton's marijuana admission: "They make Animal House seem like a high-class Shakespearean production" (SAN JOSE MERCURY NEWS, 3/31). N.Y. TIMES editorial takes aim at the "Get the Candidates" approach (3/31). N.Y. TIMES' Raines writes Carter and Reagan both went through "more rigorous examinations" on their first go-around in NYC than Clinton (3/31).

TV: ABC's Mike Schneider reported the debate challenge (3/31). CBS' Scott Pelley on Brown's reax: "For Brown it appeared to be the moment the frontrunner blinked. ... There was a time that the Clinton staff debated whether to take the Brown campaign seriously. They no longer have that luxury. With just a week now before the primaries it now appears Brown could be within striking distance of wins both here in [NY and WI]" (3/31). NBC's Faith Daniels: "It's a quiet week for presidential primaries, but the two big names for the Democratic nomination

haven't let up on the pace. ... Clinton found himself fending off hecklers once again in NYC." Clinton: "Will you please let me talk? We have listened to you. (Pause as crowd boos hecklers) Alright. Shut this guy up" ("Today," NBC, 3/31).

*3 OTHER UPCOMING STATES

KANSAS (4/7): Hillary Clinton spoke to about 300 Dem legislators in Topeka 3/27 and picked up the endorsement of House Speaker Marvin Barkis, who had backed Tsongas. But despite a 20 minute private meeting with Hillary, Gov. Joan Finney (D) opted to stay uncommitted for the time being (AP/WICHITA EAGLE, 3/28). K.C. STAR's Petterson examines the generally low interest by the contenders in the primary. KS Dem chair John Bird said the state is "up for grabs": "There's a real feeling out there that the voters are not willing to make a choice yet" (3/28).

WISCONSIN (4/7): "Some observers see Brown is poised for an upset win over Clinton" in WI. Brown has spent six campaign days in WI, compared to two for Clinton (Lamke, MILWAUKEE SENTINEL, 3/31). The WI Tsongas campaign "legally re-incorporated as the 'Citizens to Draft Tsongas' committee, a move required by [FEC] rules to assure an independent relationship from Tsongas."

Tsongas backer Mari Ann Olson said 7 of the 9 original Tsongas volunteer coordinators had rejoined the effort. Tsongas' name appears on the ballot (SENTINEL, 3/31). Clinton on his chances in WI: "I think I could lose any state. It depends on the size of the turnout, and whether people really examine Jerry Brown's program and record." Clinton WI chair Tom Loftus: "No, I'm not confident." Brown WI chair Ed Garvey, who had backed Harkin: "The enthusiasm here for Brown is so much higher" (Mayers, WISCONSIN STATE JOURNAL, 3/31). Harkin campaigned for Clinton 3/30 in Madison and Milwaukee. Harkin: "I tell you, there's been a consistent, straight record ... of constantly improving the quality of life of the people of Arkansas. He's a tough campaigner. He's smart. I know he can win." But it "all sounded phony" to Garvey, who noted that "most" of Harkin's WI steering cmte had either joined Brown or dropped active participation in the primary (STATE JOURNAL, 3/31). Also, Buchanan campaigns in Milwaukee today (SENTINEL, 3/31).

PENNSYLVANIA (4/28): Gov. Bob Casey (D) said Clinton "poorly handled" the issue of marijuana use and now must work "vigorously" to "blunt questions about his credibility,": "The answer was forthright but obviously in hindsight, he would have been better off having admitted in the beginning what he made reference to [3/29]. ... It was the way it was handled rather than a suggestion that what he did was somehow disabling." Casey also criticized DNC chair Ron Brown, who called for an end to personal attacks between Clinton and Jerry Brown: "[It] seemed to impose some kind of censorship on the discussion." Casey said it "was too soon to tell" if the party was "producing a flawed candidate" in Clinton: "I certainly don't like what I've heard until now. I'm certainly not alone." Casey on Brown: "I don't think you can count anybody out at this point. This is a very unusual year" (Zausner, PHILA. INQUIRER, 3/31).

*4 CLINTON: MARIJUANA STATEMENTS CRITICIZED

While Billy Crystal weighed in with disbelieving barbs at last night's Oscars ("Didn't inhale?"), and favored the audience with a impersonation of Clinton smoking -- but not enjoying it -- the L.A. TIMES editorializes, "It's no big deal" (3/31). W. POST's Richard Cohen, however, calls Clinton's response to the

marijuana question "a boy's answer, unworthy of a man, not to mention a presidential candidate. ... reminiscent of Sen. Charles Robb's [massage] response to the accusation that he had an affair." Clinton's behavior is "childish and troubling. It dilutes his promise, mocks the seriousness of his purpose -- comes up behind him at somber events and puts up two fingers behind his head as the picture is snapped." Cohen compares "boy" Clinton with the "man" Clinton who talked race relations to NYC Jews. The "man" Clinton "cannot cancel the Clinton who weasels and prevaricates, who treats truth as a child does -- not as a moral obligation, but a chore like making the bed that can, with guile, be ducked" (3/31). Header over Balto. SUN editorial: "Slick Willie, Huffing and Puffing" (3/31). CNN's Catherine Crier: "First there was sex then draft evasion, now marijuana. Name a scandal and somebody is trying to pin it on Bill Clinton. But so far the Clinton campaign rolls right along" (3/30).

RAZZIN' FROM HOME: Two cartoons from the ARKANSAS DEMOCRAT-GAZETTE. One shows a long-haired Clinton, pinwheels in his eyes, being offered a joint. Clinton: "No more for me. I wanna remain politically viable." The second shows a news anchor: "In a related story, Clinton admitted he had committed adultery, but said he didn't like it." AR columnists John Brummett and John Robert Starr both hit his statements on the issue as well. Headers: "Pot smoking is no big deal, but the double talk is." "Clinton played games with truth" (3/31).

RAZORBACK RECORD: N.Y. TIMES' Brinkley, in the first of five articles, examines his tenure as gov. Clinton "remade Arkansas in his own image -- a people easily forgiving of past problems, proud of what has been accomplished, eager to move forward, even if what has been done so far has been flawed or incomplete ... his administration has made concerted efforts in several areas that had long been ignored." But during his tenure, "other states made improvements, too. As a result, in many areas Mr. Clinton's efforts have simply insured that his state did not fall even further behind" (3/31). Responding to a study by the National Safe Workplace Inst. ranking AR last in worker safety, Clinton's office "defend[ed] Arkansas accident prevention and compensation laws" (Blount, ARKANSAS DEM-GAZETTE, 3/31). Columnist Paul Greenberg notes Bill Bradley's disavowal of VP interest: "Clearly such an old-fashioned candidate -- he's probably one of those squares whose word is his bond -- doesn't belong on a ticket with Slick Willie" (W. TIMES, 3/31).

CART BEFORE THE HORSE? W.S. JOURNAL's Seib reports Clinton "is about to take on the president over foreign policy," beginning with a high-profile NY speech tomorrow. Clinton's foreign policy represents "the mainstream of [Dem] thinking," drawing more from Nunn than McGovern, and will hit Bush for "being too meek and miserly" in supporting Boris Yeltsin. Bush, however, will announce a new Russian aid package tomorrow (3/31).

FIRST LADY, DOUBLE DUTY? Clinton told MILWAUKEE SENTINEL's Kenneth Lamke he "would not rule out selecting his wife, Hillary, for a Cabinet post": "[I] would be very disappointed if ... she weren't involved literally full time working in some capacity for the life of this administration." Asked which post she might get, Clinton: "Oh, I haven't thought about any position particularly." He also "conceded" that his campaign had leaked the material linking Brown strategist Pat Caddell's "Mr. Smith" novel and Brown's campaign: "It was given to us and we gave it to the press. We sure did. But I think they may have gotten it independently" (3/31).

*5 BROWN: MORE RE-EXAMINATION FROM HOME, ELSEWHERE

L.A. TIMES' Balzar takes a hard-hitting look at Brown's tenure as CA gov.: "He trod on our toes and splashed ice water on our faces." Chronicling the highs and lows of Brown's career, from the 1974 Political Reform Act to appointing judicial novice Rose Bird as CA Supreme Ct. chief justice, Balzar writes, "At his best Brown was the kind of governor who could peer around corners into the future. He excited the public imagination about tomorrows unseen. ... But transforming their vision into action was not Jerry Brown's strength." In his current WH bid, "he grabbed a fresh jug of ice water and summoned the press." Just "look at all those comfortable toes out there blocking the path to the future as he sees it" (3/31). USA TODAY's Vic Pollard looks at Brown's "flip-flops": raising money for the CA Dems v. refusing to accept contributions over \$100; opposition to CA's Prop. 13 v. calling himself "a born-again tax-cutter" when it passed overwhelmingly; "rail[ing] against the rich" when his net worth is estimated at more than \$1 million. Brown: "When I find out something doesn't work, I change my mind." Non-partisan political publisher Bud Lemke: "He's an opportunist like most politicians" (3/31). In examining Brown's lack of specifics and WASH. TIMES' Major Garrett writes Brown "doesn't have the data to prove it, [but] he believes" his flat tax will cut poor and middle class taxes. "He admits he has provided no evidence ... but when pressed again for details he falls back on an excuse reporters have been hearing for nearly 2 weeks: 'We have some revenue tables and we're looking at it.'" His press aides also "frequently plead ignorance" (3/31).

DETAILS ON CORPORATE "WORK": LEGAL TIMES header: "Jerry Brown's Unexamined Life; 'Spiritual Journey' Was Subsidized by Law Firm, Corporate Board." Dan Klaidsman & Tom Watson report on the "little known chapter in [Brown's] strange saga" -- his mid-to-late 1980s stint for a "powerful corporate law firm, trading on his political stature to secure a \$50,000-a-year perch that required only a few hours' effort each week." They outline several examples of Brown's admittedly limited work for NY-based Reavis & McGrath, later merged with TX-based Fulbright & Jaworski, concluding: "As Brown continues to hammer away at the corruption he sees in the American political process, some see a gentle irony -- others outright hypocrisy" (3/30 issue). ABC's Peter Jennings: "It was Jerry Brown's turn to take some heat. ... Brown was accused of having nothing to offer but platitudes and gimmicks, and not necessarily his own at that" (3/30).

*6 TSONGAS: DOESN'T EXPECT LIGHTNING TO STRIKE

Tsongas said "he does not expect to reenter the primaries, but would accept his party's nomination if [Dems] rally behind his economic message." He said he expects Clinton to win the nomination, and the Dem "establishment is getting what they wanted" in Clinton. Tsongas "acknowledged" he'd "still be interested in the nomination" if "the party was ready to coalesce behind me ... with a mandate for my message," but added that he "did not expect lightning to strike" that way. On getting back in: "The realities I'm facing today are no different ... I cannot take on the Ron Browns and the Tom Foleys and the George Mitchells." He explained he has "neither the financial nor the organizational resources to compete in the primaries against Clinton." Tsongas "expressed some bitterness at the sharp attacks" Clinton used against him and "made it clear" he was

"disillusioned": "The Seawolf was the last straw. If you can do that (support the Seawolf), you can do anything" (Dionne, W. POST, 3/31).

***7 PEROT: PICKS VIETNAM WAR HERO AS TEMPORARY VEEP**

He "took a crucial step toward a full-fledged presidential campaign [3/30], naming a former Vietnam prisoner of war as an 'interim' running mate" (Jackson, DALLAS MORNING NEWS). Perot said he chose Vice Admiral James Stockdale, now a senior research fellow at Stanford's Hoover Inst., because running mates are required to qualify for the ballot in more than half the states. If he gets on all 50 state ballots, he said he'd name a "permanent running mate 'by the time of the two major political conventions this summer.'" Some partisan observers, such as Bush TX chair Jim Oberwetter, "suggested that Perot was having trouble finding a permanent running mate." Stockdale: "He was just getting rushed. I think he wanted a safe guy so he could think about the big picture" (3/31). Stockdale, who spent 2,714 days in the "Hanoi Hilton," is profiled by MORNING NEWS, USA TODAY, L.A. TIMES, WASH. TIMES, (3/31). Stockdale, at his Stanford press conference, on Perot: "I'd trust him with my life. He's not a sleazeball begging for favors. ... This isn't the first time he's come to the fore because there's a gap to fill" (S.F. EXAMINER, 3/31). Perot's picture is on the front-page of USA TODAY over header "'Dictatorial' ways 'easier in business.'" Debbie Howlett outlines his issue positions, and quotes ex-House whip Tony Coelho: "In business there's a hierarchy. In Congress, you have 535 people ... and you're not their boss. It's much easier in business" (3/31). SAN JOSE MERCURY NEWS' Barry Witt reports election officials in CA said the issue of swapping a VP choice "would have to be studied," and a HI election official said the VP name on the ballot could not be changed (3/31). Following is a list of states requiring a VP on the ballot, according to the Perot Cmte: AL, CA, CO, CT, DC, FL, HI, ID, IL, IN, IA, KS, ME, MD, MA, MN, MS, MO, NE, NJ, NM, OH, PA, SC, SD, VT, VA, WI (AP, 3/30).

STATE REPORTS: NC: Raleigh NEWS & OBSERVER profiled the "high-tech political cowboy and his telecommunications posse" quoting supporters who liken his use of computer technology to the role the printing press played in toppling King George III, "We have the power of the press right in our hands" (3/29). PA: Only "37,216 signatures away from running" in PA, the local Perot cmte has until 8/3 to file. PA Perot coordinator is Lawrence Jamieson. Phone lines are not yet up at HQ (Goldwyn, PHILA. DAILY NEWS, 3/31). SC: Offices have opened in Greenville and Murrells Inlet to field calls from supporters and to help collect 10,000 signatures in "one of the least stringent" ballot access states in the nation (CHARLOTTE OBSERVER, 3/30).

SILBER: BU pres. John Silber, who some reports had mentioned as a possible Perot VP, said he spoke with "a person claiming to be part of Ross Perot's organization ... I did not know anything of his relation to the Perot organization ... If Ross Perot wanted me as his running mate, he would call me directly" (DALLAS MORNING NEWS, 3/31). A Perot spokesperson in Dallas denied the reports as well (L.A. TIMES, 3/31).

QUOTABLE, NOTABLE: GOP strategist Ed Rollins: Perot "can wreak havoc on the whole political process" (HOUSTON CHRONICLE, 3/30). Berkeley's Nelson Polsby: "He's wasting his money. He's never held public office in his life and therefore totally unqualified to be president" (USA TODAY, 3/31). W. POST

editorial praises his highlighting the deficit: "He is not ducking the number one serious issue" (3/31). POST's John Mintz examines the growing Perot phone bank operation (3/31). USA TODAY notes his 800 number got 54,000 calls after his 3/29 appearance on "60 Minutes" (3/31).

TV: '80 candidate John Anderson: "He might even have the means to stage his own convention. It seems to me he'd be wise to do that. To assemble a cast of some of the most distinguished people in the country willing to speak out in support of his candidacy. Particularly people that are experts in various areas; education, the environment, fiscal and budget policy. Have those speak in his behalf at a convention, competing as it were, with the major parties. If he seems to be capable of doing that, then I think his candidacy will take on new credibility and he will take on new stature" (CNN, 3/30). NBC, CBS, CNN reported Stockdale's selection. Stockdale was interviewed on NBC's "Today." On being on the fall ticket: "That's up to Ross -- I don't count on that." On Perot: "He's had an impeccable life that would withstand any sort of scrutiny" (3/31).

*8 CUOMO: SPECULATION MILL CRANKS UP OVER CA TRIP

ALBANY TIMES-UNION's Tom Precious notes Cuomo's "rare overnight trip" to CA 4/10-11, "where he will speak to fund-raisers" and the CA Dem convention. The trip comes 3 days after the NY primary; should Brown "do well against Bill Clinton ... speculation will intensify over the chances for a brokered national convention, in which Cuomo or some other party leader could emerge as the eventual nominee." Some CA Dems "who have backed Cuomo's [WH] ambitions theorize that [he] may be trying to rally -- or at least maintain -- support in case the convention is deadlocked." L.A. \$-raiser/DNC exec. board member Rosiland Wyman: "We're stunned. We've tried to get him out here many, many times. It's a very interesting time to be coming." Under statutes "recently changed under a court order," the CA Sec/State can add a candidate to the ballot as late as 4/4 (3/31).

*9 BUSH: THEY'RE BAAAAAAACK -- WILLIE HORTON ROUND II?

The Presidential Victory Cmte, a conservative group that produced the Willie Horton ads in '88, announced the formation of an independent cmte that plans to spend \$10M on attack ads to promote Bush's re-election. PVC chair Floyd Brown "said their should be plenty of grist for negative advertising" if Clinton wins the Dem nomination: "Every time I pick up the morning newspaper, I feel like a kid in a candy store. The fact is that he is just very vulnerable ... It's not just Gennifer Flowers. It's not just the S&L deals. It's not just that he smoked marijuana. ... There are so many things that it just accumulates." The Bush-Quayle camp released a hand-written letter to Brown, complaining about his use of the name "Citizens for Bush" in some of his fund-raising literature. Brown said the PVC "will be careful to abide by the election laws and will avoid any contact with the Bush campaign." Bush had similarly objected to '88 efforts of the Nat'l Security PAC -- PVC's predecessor -- but a FEC report released earlier this year "found evidence suggesting" a Bush camp official "had a secret role in planning the Willie Horton ads" (Demick, PHILA. INQUIRER, 3/31). ABC's Ann Compton: "Nothing sells better politically these days than the anti-government sentiment sweeping the nation's voters. President Bush taps those sentiments every chance he gets." Compton also reported Floyd Brown was again campaigning as a

private citizen for the re-election of Bush: "Bush plans to wrap all this anti-government sentiment into one major address this week demanding reform and he wants to be part of it. ... This year he calls himself 'the ally of change fighting against the defenders of the status quo'" (3/31). NBC's Jim Miklaszewski: "You know George Bush protests too much. He says he may want to run a clean campaign, but if Bill Clinton becomes the Democrat candidate this campaign will turn ugly or uglier in a big hurry." Video of Willie Horton ad. Miklaszewski: "In the category for political attack ads this one could have won an Oscar. ... It's creator is gearing up to do it again, this time to Bill Clinton." Floyd Brown: "Every time I pick up the morning newspaper I feel like a kid in a candy store. He is very vulnerable." Dem strategist Bob Squier: "This is going to be the toughest election that we have ever seen in American politics" ("Today," NBC, 3/31). CBS' Bill Plante: "At the same time that the White House was disavowing the outside effort on the one hand, a [WH] official was telling reporters about the campaign Mr. Bush intends to run. ... The president won't attack Clinton's character, but, said the official, the president will simply let others worry about that" (CBS, 3/31).

***10 BUCHANAN: BACK ON THE CAMPAIGN TRAIL**

Declaring himself "tanned, rested and ready," Buchanan said he would return to the campaign trail after a two week hiatus. But he declined to attack Bush, turning his "biting remarks" to Congress instead (N.Y. TIMES, 3/31). He singled out Rep. Stephen Solarz (D-NY), calling him the "check-kiting Marco Polo of Capitol Hill" to emphasize the state of a Dem-controlled Congress (Richard Sisk, N.Y. DAILY NEWS, 3/31). Although maintaining his candidacy, Buchanan "had lots of advice on how Mr. Bush can serve the GOP cause and strengthen his candidacy." He said Bush had a "golden" opportunity because Congress has never been held in greater contempt (Ralph Hallow, W. TIMES, 3/31). Buchanan spokesperson Greg Mueller "said the campaign's focus would be pulling Bush to the right rather than defeating him for the nomination": "We'll focus on the differences between where Bush is taking the Republican Party and the country and where Pat Buchanan would take them" (John Yang, W. POST, 3/31). Bush camp spokeswoman Torie Clarke maintained that Buchanan's return is "largely irrelevant": "We are going to continue doing what we've been doing all year long: campaigning hard in all states and winning all the primaries." Buchanan plans to spend time in WI and MN in preparation for the 4/7 primaries. He failed to qualify for the NY ballot. Although his contributions have dropped to half of the previous \$75,000-a-day average, Buchanan treasurer Scott Mackenzie said "he expects fresh fund-raising appeal to boost them to their former level" (Ralph Hallow, W. TIMES, 3/31).

*11 PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE SCHEDULES

	3/31	4/1	4/2	4/3	4/4
BROWN 213/449-1992 I. Wachtel	DC NY	NY	NY		
CLINTON 501/372-1992 J. Eller	NY	NY DC	NY		
BUCHANAN 703/790-9292 G. Mueller	Minn. MN	Minn. MN	Minn. MN		
BUSH 202/336-7080 T. Clarke	DC	Phil. PA	DC	DC	

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***12 OHIO: GLENN RELEASES NET WORTH FOR FIRST TIME**

At a 3/27 press breakfast, Sen. John Glenn (D) revealed his net worth to be "about \$9 million," based on a 1990 audit of his finances. This was "believed to be the first time [Glenn] disclosed his net worth," which is "more than six times as much" as LG Mike DeWine (R), "the other millionaire" in the race. DeWine, an ex-Rep., began the "full disclosure frenzy" 3/9 when he released his net worth of about \$1.5 million and acknowledged he wrote 14 bad checks totaling \$4,886 at the House bank. Glenn also said he paid off, with his own money, his entire \$528,000 legal bill accrued in his defense before the Senate Ethics Cmte in the Keating Five matter. While the cmte said Glenn "broke no laws or Senate rules, it questioned his judgment in arranging a 1988 luncheon between Keating and then-House Speaker Jim Wright" (Hershey, Akron BEACON JOURNAL, 3/27). U.S. NEWS spotlights Glenn's failure to "make a dent" in the \$3 million he still owes from his failed '84 presidential run. According to last year's FEC report, Glenn "raised only \$250 in campaign contributions and paid nothing to his many creditors." DeWine will likely make the debt a major campaign issue. "Washington insiders ... see Glenn as one of the most endangered" incumbents up in '92 (4/6 issue).

***13 OREGON: GOP NEWSPAPER AD TARGETS AUCOIN ON BOING**

Rep. Les AuCoin (D-01) "has been hurt by the check-bouncing issue" and Sen. Bob Packwood (R) and the OR GOP are "trying to make sure voters won't forget about it." The OR GOP ran an ad in the Portland OREGONIAN 3/25 and 3/29 "chastising" AuCoin for bouncing 80 checks. The ad: Photo of a checkbook register with instructions on how to use it under header: "Hey, Congressman AuCoin! Here's how ordinary Oregonians do it!" AuCoin said last fall he was told by bank officials he'd bounced 7 checks over a one-year period. AuCoin's accountant found 66 overdrafts during that year and, for the 39-month period studied by the ethics cmte, found a total of 80 checks. AuCoin said he was never told of the overdrafts and that he "always had a positive balance in every monthly statement." OR GOP chair Craig Berkman hopes the issue is "so poisonous" to AuCoin that businessman Harry Lonsdale (D) will win the primary: "We believe Mr. Lonsdale would be an easier candidate to beat in the general election." Lonsdale manager Cynthia Wieland said GOPers "are mistaken if they thought Lonsdale would be easier to beat": "Packwood is in as big trouble as AuCoin is." AuCoin press secretary Rick Gureghian: "This race will not be decided in a vacuum. There are a lot of other issues" (Jeff Mapes, OREGONIAN, 3/27).

DEBATE: AuCoin "attacked" Lonsdale in a 3/27 debate, accusing him of supporting "radical anti-timber-industry proposals" and for "wanting to cut the military after accepting defense contracts at his high-tech company." Appearing in the "first debate of his political career," Lonsdale "verbally held his own and repeated his litany of charges" calling AuCoin "out-of-touch." Atty Joe Wetzel (D) delivered "his share of sharp soundbites," and gave "a clear ideological contrast" when he called for higher timber harvests and defended his anti-abortion stance. During an AuCoin/Lonsdale exchange over the cars they drive, Wetzel interjected, "I hope all this rhetoric puts people back to work" (Mapes, OREGONIAN, 3/28). In an analysis piece, Mapes calls the economy Lonsdale's "Achilles' heel," mentioning

Lonsdale "can't get specific" on Israel and didn't "seem conversant" on tax legislation (OREGONIAN, 3/29).

*14 PENNSYLVANIA: GOP MEETING MORE "BARFIGHT" THAN DEBATE

In the only televised GOP debate, Freind "unleashed a slashing attack" on Sen. Arlen Specter and "turned each of his answers ... into an attack" on the incumbent. Specter "largely ignored Freind's almost incessant attacks," but at one point, claimed he was "jostled," "pushed" and "assaulted" by Freind supporters as he entered the station (Gorenstein, PHILA. INQUIRER, 3/31). When Freind extended his hand for a handshake after the debate, Specter "coolly ignored his challenger for a good 20 seconds before shaking his hand." At Specter's post-debate press conference, Freind "tried to edge his way in" by banging on the door and Freind's driver Liam Smith "got into a fistfight" with Specter's "longtime press secretary" Dan McKenna. "Pandemonium reigned in the room" as McKenna and Smith were separated and Smith "continued to hurl expletives" at McKenna. Although "several reporters wondered how Freind, who was banging on the closed door, could have seen anything" Freind said: "Specter's press guy ... physically attacked my driver." Specter, "always a stickler for decorum": "Is it gonna get worse? I don't think it can." Station general manager Rick Reeves, asked whether he'd ever seen anything like this: "Not between senatorial candidates. Maybe at a barfight" (Weisensee, PHILA. DAILY NEWS, 3/31). Specter begins TV ads today (INQUIRER, 3/31).

DEMS: The 5 Dems vying for Specter's seat met last night in "little more than a battle of ... wimpy soundbites" (Weisensee, DAILY NEWS, 3/31). "Severely constrained" by the 30-minute debate format, the Dems "did not vary drastically on any issue" except LaRouche follower Philip Valenti who opposes abortion. Women's activist Lynn Yeakel took "an oblique shot" at LG Mark Singel, calling herself "consistent" on abortion "unlike some of her opponents." Anti-abortion groups have "sharply criticized" Singel for his election year "flip-flop" on the issue. Criticizing Yeakel as a "limousine liberal," Singel added, "This is not a hobby for me." Focusing on incumbent members of Congress, Frederica Mann Friedman "did surprisingly well," according to a Singel aide and other observers (Gorenstein, INQUIRER, 3/31). DAILY NEWS' Baer writes Friedman "came off as caring and confident" and "was easily the most lively candidate." Allegheny Co. DA Bob Coleville "made the best use of limited time" by giving a short autobiography -- "football coach, teacher, cop, police chief and DA" -- and offered "to take those skills to Washington" (3/31).

***15 RETIREMENTS: ADD THREE MORE TO THE LIST**

MI: Rep. Howard Wolpe (D-03) announced yesterday he would retire rather than fight Rep. Bob Carr (D-06) in a "costly and divisive" Dem primary in the new 8th CD. He is the second in MI's delegation to retire, following Rep. Carl Pursell (R-02) (Schneider, DETROIT FREE PRESS, 3/31).

NJ: Rep. Robert Roe (D-08) announced his retirement yesterday, saying the remap did not influence his decision. State Sen. Joseph Bubba (R) has announced for the seat and was endorsed by the Passaic Co. GOP on 3/28. Possible Dem: Paterson Mayor/state Assemblyman William Pascrell (N.Y. TIMES, 3/31).

OH: Rep. Chalmers Wylie (R-15) announced this morning that he will retire after this term (HOTLINE sources, 3/31). "As word spread" that Wylie will not run, GOPers began exploring their chances. Six possible GOP replacements have been mentioned, but OH Dems claim four would not qualify because of a '48 OH ruling that bars candidates who have already filed for another office from seeking the CD. Possible GOPers: ex-Columbus Mayor Dana Rinehart, Franklin Co. Commissioners Jack Foulk and Dorothy Teater, state Reps. William Schuck and E.J. Thomas and state Sen. Eugene Watts (Curtin, COLUMBUS DISPATCH, 3/28).

***16 REDISTRICTING UPDATE**

AL (0): The DoJ ruled 3/27 that AL's Dem-drawn remap failed to comply with the Voting Rights Act, saying it should have created two minority-black CDs, instead of one. The Supreme Court "followed suit several hours later by allowing the plan drawn by a three-judge federal panel in Mobile to take 3/27. Although the panel's plan also creates just one black CD, the Court's ruling said the plan is not required to go before DoJ for approval. Rep. Claude Harris (D-07), who ends up in the new black 7th CD under the court plan, said he might run against Rep. Ben Erdeich (D-06) in the 6th (MONTGOMERY ADVERTISER, 3/28).

CO (0): Gov. Roy Romer (D) signed a remap into law last week that presumably leaves CO's delegation evenly divided among Dems and GOPers. Romer had vetoed two other GOP-drawn remaps, before a 3-judge federal court ordered him and the Leg. into negotiations for the latest map. Hispanics who sought a majority-Hispanic CD in Southern CO may challenge the map in court (Posh, DENVER POST, 3/25).

FL (+4): Federal judges "seized control" of the remap process 3/27, unconvinced that state lawmakers could do it themselves. The 3-judge panel will appoint a special master 4/9 to draw new boundaries. They expected to approve new CDs by 5/29. Lawmakers, "deadlocked in a bitter special session," can continue trying to reach a compromise, but political and legal hurdles "make it more likely that the districts drawn by the judges will become law" (Nickens, MIAMI HERALD, 3/28). A fight over how to draw two majority-black CDs has divided black lawmakers and "triggered political threats" against Dems, who planned to vote against the most ambitious plan (Nickens, HERALD, 3/26). Meanwhile, "influential lobbyists" are hosting a \$125 per person fund-raiser for Rep. Jim Bacchus (D-11). With the remap up in the air, Bacchus does not yet have an opponent. GOPers hope to recruit Orange Co. Commiss. Bill Donegan (R) or RNC vice chair Jeanie Austin to run (ORLANDO SENTINEL, 3/29).

GA (+1): A plan is scheduled to go before GA's House and

Senate today -- the last day of the session. If it passes, it still must win DoJ approval: Should it fail to pass, a federal court will hear a suit 4/3 brought by GOPers to set a deadline for the Leg. to complete the remap (HOTLINE sources, 3/31).

KS (-1): After nearly a year of unsuccessful haggling, the joint House-Senate remap task force has agreed to disband. The move forces lawmakers to push a plan through the politically divided Leg. A GOP plan has been introduced in the GOP-controlled Senate, but nothing has been introduced in the House (HOTLINE sources, 3/31).

MA (-1): The U.S. Supreme Court issued a stay 3/27 that knocked MA back down to 10 CDs. "The stay is in effect until the high court rules on the merits of a lower-court opinion" that said MA was entitled to 11 seats. AG Scott Harshbarger said (D) the court "apparently wanted to preserve the status quo until after the completion of full review by the court." Arguments are scheduled to be heard 5/21, but a final decision is not expected until the court's usual adjournment in July. LG Paul Cellucci (R) said he expects to reopen remap negotiations with the Leg. (Fehrnstrom, BOSTON HERALD, 3/28). The previous 10-district plan pitted Rep. Joseph Early (D-03) against Rep. Chester Atkins (D-05) in the only seat that would require an incumbent face off. But GOPers say they will now try to preserve their seats, along with that of Rep. Nicholas Mavroules' (D-06), because the three are thought to be vulnerable (McGrory, BOSTON GLOBE, 3/29).

MN (0): The Supreme Court agreed to hear a case brought by state officials challenging a remap ordered into effect by a 3-judge federal panel. The question is whether the federal court should have deferred to a state court, which had approved a different plan adopted by the state Leg. A decision is not likely before the '92 elections (Greenhouse, N.Y. TIMES, 3/31).

NJ (-1): Rep. Frank Pallone (D-03) filed suit 3/26 to overturn the dismantling of his CD. The newly adopted remap splits his CD into 4 pieces and forces him to run in the new 6th. Pallone argues that the map destroys a "community of interests" that binds together shore towns in Monmouth and Ocean Counties. Pallone was slated to face Rep. Bernard Dwyer (D-06) until Dwyer announced his retirement last week. Pallone's suit is the second to contest the plan for carving up the 3rd CD. The "Save Our Shore District" group has filed a suit that maintains the remap is invalid because the use of a commission in drawing in was unconstitutional (King, N.Y. TIMES, 3/26).

OH (-2): Gov. George Voinovich (R) signed into law a "hard fought" remap compromise. The new map eliminates 1 GOP CD and 1 Dem CD, placing Reps. David Hobson (R-07) and Clarence Miller (R-10) in the new 7th CD (Suddes, CLEVELAND PLAIN DEALER, 3/28). Sources say Rep. Louis Stokes (D-21) may challenge the remap on the grounds that it does not do enough to protect minority voting rights. Stokes is OH's only black Rep. (Hoffman, BEACON JOURNAL, 3/28). With no incumbent in the new 13th, a race "may shape up" between ex-OH Sec/State Sherrod Brown (D), who has already announced, and state Rep. Bill Batchelder (R). OH Sec/State Robert Taft is examining whether candidates who have already filed for OH Gen. Assembly seats, such as Batchelder, may withdraw and seek redrawn CDs. Several state lawmakers mentioned as possible candidates: state Reps. Ronald Mott (D) and Joseph Koziura (D) (PLAIN DEALER, 3/28). Rep. Edward Feighan (D-19) is planning to seek re-election in the new 19th, which is made up of retiring Rep. Dennis Eckart's (D-11) old territory. Eckart touts Feighan as the natural "heir" to his CD. But some think Feighan

"may be vulnerable in the wake of allegations that he is among the 24 worst offenders" in the House Bank scandal (Harter, PLAIN DEALER, 3/28). Meanwhile, state Sen. Anthony Sinagra (R), the GOP's "best bet" to unseat Rep. Mary Rose Oakar (D-20), has decided against a challenge (Luttner, PLAIN DEALER, 3/26). Candidates have until 4/3 to file their nominating petitions. The primary is 6/2 (PLAIN DEALER, 3/28).

***17 PERKS: WHITE HOUSE WON'T SURRENDER 'EM**

"There were no apologies" from WH spokeswoman Judy Smith, "who said the administration would continue to ferry officials around town in chauffeur-driven cars and to provide top presidential aides with door-to-door transportation." Smith responding to statements by House Speaker Tom Foley (D-WA). On CBS' "Face the Nation" and other statements, Foley "said he intended to review a number of perks for executive branch officials as well as those for members of the House." Smith said the president did "not intend to alter or eliminate any of the benefits" (Hess/Warren, PHILA. INQUIRER, 3/31). Bush Admin. spokespersns announced the GAO "was auditing [WH] spending in fiscal years 1989 and 1991." Today, a House Post Office and Civil Service subcmte begins hearings on the costs of presidential travel, staff size and entertaining costs for both the president and the vice president. And House Appropriations subcmte "has asked for detailed explanations of spending on various perks." Rep. Dan Burton (R-IN), ranking GOPer on the Post Office subcmte: "This is a deliberate attempt to throw up a smokescreen and cover up the corruption and mismanagement that's been taking place in the U.S. House of Representatives. ... The Democrats are scared to death that they are going to lose a lot of their numbers." For its two main accounts, the WH has asked for \$24.5M for the office of administration and \$36.4M for the specific WH office in fiscal 1993 (Moss, W. TIMES, 3/31). Balto. SUN's Hosler writes, "Indeed the administration is expanding the benefits for [WH] employees. ... Door-to-door chauffeur service for top Bush aides has recently been expanded to include" domestic policy chief Clayton Yeutter and deputy CoS Henson Moore. "Critics say that by allowing himself to appear insensitive to questions about perks" at the WH, Bush "may be risking a central part of his re-election strategy, which is to run against Congress as a corrupt branch of government that is holding back his proposals for reform" (3/31). W.POST's Dana Priest lists presidential perks. Nearly 100 staff at residence; Bowling alley, movie theater, swimming pool, putting green, tennis courts, basketball court and horseshoe pit; Air Force One, a second 747 on alert when the president travels, a helicopter and backup helicopters. Other benefits: Health care at the WH clinic and Bethesda Naval Medical Center; Boxes at the Kennedy Center; Camp David in MD (3/31).

FOLEY HAVING A "ROUGH PATCH": "After nearly 28 years on Capitol Hill, Foley must fight for his political career, colleagues agree." Rep. Norm Dicks (D-WA): "He's got to turn this thing around and restore confidence in his leadership." Most Congress watchers "agree that voters will eventually determine [Foley's] fate by how they treat House Democrats at the polls." Rep. Al Swift (D-WA): "There is panic in the body right now. Foley is the head of a group looking for somebody to blame for their problems." Swift says the speaker is having a "'rough patch,' but believes the speaker's drive to abolish perks should make the bank scandal a memory by November." Among those

"questioning Foley's prospects for retaining the speakership are such veteran" Dems as: Reps. Schroeder (D-CO), Scheuer (D-NY), Early (D-MA), Matusi (D-CA), Glickman (D-KS) (Hanson/Connelly, SEATTLE POST-INTELLIGENCER, 3/31).

RUBBERGATE ADDS FUEL TO FIRE IN MA & AZ: The House bank scandal "threw a monkey wrench" into another MA Rep.'s re-election campaign, as Rep. Chet Atkins disclosed he bounced 90. "The political damage was made worse by the fact he initially tried to minimize his involvement which turned out to be much deeper than he said." GOP consultant Todd Domke, who is advising Atkins opponent Michael Conway, claims Atkins "obviously was trying to mislead people." Atkins is making a "restitution" in the form of \$2,000 charitable contribution, roughly \$15/per check. Atkins advisor Lou DiNatale: "He's betting that by letting it all out, the voters can distinguish abuse from mistakes" (Fehrnstrom, BOSTON HERALD, 3/28).

AZ: Three term incumbent Rep. Jay Rhodes (R-AZ), "already has been attacked by his opponent," state Rep. Stan Barnes (R). Barnes: "I think Jay is content to open his mail and collect his big salary for the next 30 years. ... He doesn't care to change Washington. He likes Washington just the way it is." Rhodes: "In spite of, or even because of, those scandals, if Congress threw off the shackles and showed some significant progress, they (the voters) would forgive us" (ARIZONA REPUBLIC, 3/28).

OTHER STUFF: FAIRFAX JOURNAL's Tash reports, "The voters may indeed be ready to 'throw the rascals out' of Congress this year, but many of those 'rascals' will be landing on a well stuffed pension mattress." Foley and House Min. Leader Bob Michel (R-IL) are "eligible for annual pensions exceeding \$100,000 apiece if they leave Congress after this term -- not counting Social Security or other retirement benefits" (3/31).

POLL UPDATE

*18 L.A. TIMES: PEROT GRABS 21% IN THREE-WAY MATCH-UP
1,521 adults surveyed 3/27-29; margin error +/- 3% (3/31).

HAS HONESTY/INTEGRITY TO SERVE AS PRESIDENT	BUSH	CLINTON
Yes	67%	39%
No	26	38
Not sure	6	22

	FAV/UNFAV	GOP PRIMARY (+/- 5%)
Bush		Bush 81%
Buchanan	28 / 41	Buchanan 11
Clinton	40 / 38	Duke 2
Brown	38 / 31	
Perot	"3-1 fav"	

GENERAL ELECTION MATCHUPS			
Bush	48%	Bush	37%
Clinton	46	Clinton	35
DK/other	6	Perot	21
		DK/other	7
Bush	53%	Bush	48%
Brown	41	Tsongas	45
DK/other	6	DK/other	7

NOTES: Clinton is running "about as well" as Carter vs. Ford in '76 and Reagan vs. Carter in '80. John Anderson pulled 23% at about the same point in '80 on his way to about 7% of the vote. Perot would pull 20% of those would back Clinton in a two-way matchup, and 16% of those who would back Bush.

QUALIFIED TO BE PRESIDENT?	CLINTON	BROWN
Yes	51%	36%
No	31	39

DESCRIBE ECONOMY TODAY	IS THE COUNTRY GOING IN
Good	2%
Bad	51
In between	46
Right direction	20%
Wrong track	72

BUSH RATINGS	3/29/92		2/3/92	
	APPROVE	DISAPPROVE	APPROVE	DISAPPROVE
Overall job	44%	51%	46%	47%
Economy	25	71	29	66
Foreign affairs	60	34	59	33

SATISFIED WITH CANDIDATES?	
Satisfied	26%
Want others	68
DK/ref.	6

HOW MUCH DO YOU TRUST GOVT. TO DO RIGHT THING?		
	3/29/92	2/3/92
Always	2%	3%
Most of time	18	25
Some of time	53	54
Hardly ever	25	17
Not sure	2	1

===== TV MONITOR =====

*19 THIS MORNING: ABC's "GMA" hosted House Speaker Tom Foley (D-WA) and ex-Sec/State Al Haig on executive perks. NBC's "Today" hosted Perot running mate Vice Adm James Stockdale (Ret). "CBS This Morning" discussed Baby Theresa and teens and AIDS. "FOX Morning News" hosted GOP consultant Mike Murphy and Dem consultant Mark Mellman; and profiled Perot (3/31).

A.M. QUOTABLES: Dem consultant Mark Mellman on Clinton's drug use: "It's not much of an experiment if you don't inhale, to tell you the truth." FOX's Tim White: "Really?" Mellman (laughing): "I don't know, but people have told me." GOP consultant Mike Murphy on NY media's handling of drug use: "[NY] is the electric pencil-sharpener and Bill Clinton's the pencil" ("FOX Morning News," 3/31). Al Haig on perks: "Anything that is done to make a public official more efficient is justified. ... We shouldn't let this perk orgy deflect our attention from the real problems facing this country" (ABC, 3/31). Stockdale: "Ross is the man of the hour. ... You're gonna see a groundswell of enthusiasm for this little fellow from Texas. ... He's dead honest, I trust him with my life. ... He's had an impeccable life that would withstand any sort of scrutiny" (NBC, 3/31).

LAST NIGHT: All nets and PBS' "MacNeil/Lehrer" led with death of "Baby Theresa." CNN's "Crossfire" hosted film critic John Podhoretz and PREMIERE MAGAZINE's Howard Karren. "Larry King Live" hosted alleged doctor-abuse victim Roberta Ward, med board of CA's Kenneth Wagstaff and malpractice atty Russell Kussman. ABC's "Nightline" hosted movie director Robert Altman.

LAUGHS: Billy Crystal at the Academy Awards ceremony: "Tonight we have the first cartoon ever nominated. Not counting Dan Quayle." On the purchase of Orion: "The bad news is it was purchased by the House of Representatives. They're planning a sequel of "Backdraft." It's called "Overdraft" (ABC, 3/30).

===== TV SOUNDBITE =====

"Didn't inhale?"

-- Billy Crystal, at the Oscars, ABC, 3/30.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

THE PRESIDENT HAS SEEN 2/31

Mar

Dear G.B. -

Thanks so much for the corse
tie! My favorite birthday present.
I will wear it next time we are
with John Major so he will know
that you also have very "attractive" friends.
It was wonderful that you

11
killed them at the fashion
Maybe you don't need that new
famous vacation after all —

Best regards —

George

Presidential Phone Calls



DATE: 3-31

TIME: 6¹⁵
incoming/outgoing

WITH: Mich Brady

SUBJECT: ① Fed. Res. Board
gave Greenspan continuation
of 1/4 % authority

② All Board Directors
were upset!!!

FOLLOW UP: _____

Presidential Phone Calls



DATE: 3-31-92

TIME: 4:30
incoming/outgoing

WITH: Chadwick W/ly

SUBJECT: wish him well
on return.

FOLLOW UP: _____

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

CD
11

DATE: 3/31/92

TO: *Mr. President*

FROM: ROSE ZAMARIA
Deputy Assistant to the President

*Per Nick Calio, we
won the vote on the
firewalls legis -*

238-187

RZ

Presidential Phone Calls



DATE: 3-31 TIME: 7⁴⁰₁₁
incoming/outgoing

WITH: Digger Phelps

SUBJECT: Come in Next Wed
the 8th

Notre Dame Cleared
Start

- 1) Sportswriters interested
- 2) Go to Weed - Seed -
- 3)

I tell him announcement
still working -

FOLLOW UP: wants military
base for "Weed" side
of it -

"seed" need
to get 1 city to work
weed annihilation

- ① wants to be on
Natl Comm Service Commission -
Gregg needs me on this



The President
must have
given Mr.
Skinner
his copy
per

March 31, 1992

Sam:

Re: DIGGER *Philips*

He called. His papers are almost cleared up.

He will come in next Wednesday the 8th

He asked about **announcement**. I told him you and I had talked and agreed there would be a Presidential announcement porpresenting him, emphasizing weed and seed etc. We need to egt Barr and Martinez on board.

Digger think all sports writers will be interested and want to help on **weed and seed**.

I am glad he is fired up, but when he asked me about **access to me** I told him 'sure wanted to see him etc., but life is complicated here. He suggested a weed and seed trip to some model program. I think that is a good idea for down the road. I was pleased that the State AG's seemed to feel that weed and seed is a great program.

Let's get Digger off to a good start then see how we straighten out the whole set up in the drug policy office.

File

FROM THE PRESIDENT

Tuesday March 31 92

Date



✓ 1) Perkins - Get acts together

2) Cuban meeting -

✓ Vargos editor - 75 yr. old
gentleman - sweet gentleman
a) gentle man ex Amb
Vargos -

95% vote

Perkins - Rose - ed

✓ 3) Fetal Tissue?

ISRAELI RELATIONS

Jennings reports that it's always been the case that when something important happens on one side of the U.S.-Israeli relationship, it certainly has an effect on the other. Moreover, there is now an election campaign going on in Israel, and Israel's relationship with the U.S. has become quite an issue.

ABC's Dean Reynolds reports that increasingly there is a sense of betrayal among Israelis -- a feeling that the rules of the game have been changed by a uniquely hostile American Administration just looking for a fight.

(Ehud Olmert: "There is a certain distortion in the basic principles of decency and friendliness with regard to the government of Israel.")

For a sizeable minority of Israelis, American criticism has awakened fears never far from the surface.

(Joseph Goell, Jerusalem Post: "This point of view tends to equate anything critical of Israel with antisemitism. If you are going to say something against Israel, it's because you're an antisemite.")

And some in Prime Minister Shamir's Likud Party now see that idea as a vote getter in the June elections. References to the holocaust are already seeping into right-wing comments about President Bush. Typically such words come from junior officials like Deputy Minister Benjamin Netanyahu, who said, Bush wanted Israel to move its borders to Aushwitz. But there are other Israelis who think attacking America could backfire, especially if Bush and company are reelected. (ABC-13)

PAT BUCHANAN

Jennings reports that Pat Buchanan said today that he will spend less time in the future attacking President Bush and pay more attention to Congress. Mr. Buchanan called Congress a swamp that must be drained. (ABC-4)

H. ROSS PEROT

NBC's Tom Brokaw reports that H. Ross Perot chose a temporary running mate -- Retired Admiral James Stockdale, a highly decorated Vietnam War veteran. Perot had to make a choice now because many states require a vice presidential candidate for a position on the ballot. (CBS-7, NBC-2)

UNEMPLOYMENT

Jennings reports unemployment in the U.S. early in the current recession was actually much worse than the government had reported. The Bureau of Labor Statistics acknowledged today that more than half of a million people who lost their jobs between March 1990 and March 1991 were left out of the official count. (ABC-7)

HOUSING STARTS

Jennings reports the housing industry slipped back in February. Sales of new (ABC-8)

NETWORK NEWS

(Monday evening, March 30)

BABY WITH BRAIN STEM ONLY

ABC's Peter Jennings: We begin tonight with a family tragedy that has become a matter of great public concern -- a private matter that led to a debate about public policy. In Ft. Lauderdale, FL, a baby has died. She was born nine days ago with only a brain stem -- only enough to keep some of her body's functions going for only a little while. Her parents had asked a court to let her life be terminated so that her healthy organs could be donated to others in need. (All Nets Lead)

WILLIE HORTON AD MAN

CBS's Dan Rather: Get ready for more negative advertising in the presidential campaign. The whole campaign may be about to get a lot dirtier. The man behind the ads that helped destroy Michael Dukakis said today he's preparing a new assault on Bill Clinton.

CBS's Bill Plante: If you liked the 1988 presidential campaign you're going to love 1992.

(TV coverage of President Bush shaking hands with Boy Scouts at an outdoor event in 1988.)

Floyd Brown is back. Brown heads the conservative political action committee which paid for the Willie Horton ad. And just like four years ago he can't wait to help George Bush, especially if his opponent is Bill Clinton.

(Brown: "Every time I pick up the morning newspaper I feel like a kid in a candy store. The fact is that he [Clinton] is very vulnerable.")

Brown says he will raise \$10,000,000 to make what he calls comparative ads for the 1992 campaign. He says there is no connection to the Bush campaign.... This time around Democrats don't buy the idea that there's no connection.

(Wendy Sherman, Dukakis campaign: "I would bet there is not a viewer tonight who believes that this isn't connected to George Bush and his effort to win reelection.")

Bill Clinton wasn't buying it either.

(Clinton: "George Bush said on "David Frost" that he would do anything to win. I am getting sick and tired of people who are too weak-kneed to take him on.")

In case there is any doubt about what kind of campaign lies ahead, a senior official said today that the President will make family values a key campaign issue, and that he won't be doing any ads attacking Clinton's character. No, said the official, the President will let others do that. (CBS-8)

Typical
Rather
crop
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**'WELL-CONNECTED' JORDANIAN AVOIDED U.S.
INDICTMENT IN IRAQI LOAN FRAUD**

The Justice Department decided last year not to indict a Jordanian businessman in a \$5 billion Iraqi loan fraud scheme after the State Department pointed out that he was "well connected" to the King of Jordan and to U.S. grain exporters, according to records made public in the House Monday.

Government prosecutors had been planning to name the middleman, Wafai Dajani, as one of the defendants in a conspiracy to funnel billions of dollars in illegal bank loans to Iraq, but decided not to do so shortly before the indictment was returned on Feb. 28, 1991. In a secret internal memo that day, the State Department said it had "no objections" to indictment of any of the individuals on the prosecution's list, including Dajani, but it expressed reservations about proceeding against him in light of his connections....

Rep. Gonzales said Monday that Dajani also helped obtain arms for Iraq from firms in Portugal and Cyprus. The Banking Committee, Gonzales added, is investigating "whether or not the CCC commodities destined for Mr. Dajani's grain handling facility in Aqaba were diverted to pay for these weapons or others."... Gonzales called the decision not to indict Dajani "probably the most blatant example of State Department intervention" in the case.

(George Lardner, Washington Post, A12)

BUSH IS PRESSED ON VIETNAM EMBARGO

The Bush Administration is under growing pressure from American business leaders and foreign allies to modify its embargo against Vietnam. In response, officials say, the government may be preparing to move to a new phase of relations with Hanoi, which recently pledged to remove some major obstacles to the resolution of the issue of Americans still missing from the Vietnam War.... "We cannot watch from the tailgate as other nations get their fair share of trade in Vietnam, a big nation of 66 million people that needs to buy many things," said Heinz Pletcher, chairman of the President's Export Council.

(Barbara Crossette, New York Times, A3)

GEPHARDT BILL TRIGGERS U.S.-JAPAN AUTO DEBATE

American and Japanese automakers sparred Monday over a proposal that would force Japan to eliminate its trade surplus with the U.S. over five years or face limits on sales of Japanese cars in the U.S. There was opposition even among the "Big Three" U.S. automakers to the proposal by Rep. Gephardt and all three said the Bush Administration already has the tools to force Japan to import more American cars and buy more American parts.

At a hearing before the trade subcommittee of the House Ways and Means Committee, support for the Gephardt bill, co-sponsored by Sen. Riegle, was led by Chrysler Corp. It has long favored formal restraints on Japanese imports and cars made at Japanese-owned "transplant" factories. GM said it has not made a decision on whether to support the bill.... U.S. representatives of Toyota and Honda said the bill would cost Americans jobs and raise car prices for

(State House Journal of Commerce)
BUSH LIBRARY PHOTOCOPY - GEORGE BUSH HANDWRITING

DEMOCRATIC 'PERK PATROLS' FOCUS ON EXECUTIVE BRANCH

"Perk patrols" organized by congressional Democrats, who have been stung by Republican criticism of the House Bank affair, have vowed to peer into every nook and cranny of executive branch privilege.

The Senate and House Appropriations committees and several of their subcommittees intend to scrutinize the operation of the White House, the offices of the President and Vice President and the habits of every Cabinet member and federal department....

"It's fine, we ought to look at our own House," Rep. Hoyer said of the investigation of House Bank check-kickers. "The issue is the same whether it's on one side of Pennsylvania Avenue or the other. How genuine is the criticism from the President if you criticize someone for putting their foot in the water and you have your leg in the water? You may look disingenuous, even political."...

According to congressional, White House and federal government officials, under scrutiny is the \$7,262,000 operating budget of the Executive Residence, among other things.... Congressional sources, however, suspect the actual costs of White House operations are hidden in accounts of the Defense and State Departments and the General Services Administration. Members of Congress also have asked for a detailed accounting of the operating costs of Camp David, the President's Maryland retreat operated by the Navy....

As for Cabinet members, Congress is planning to investigate how much is spent on the private dining rooms, chefs and gyms that some departments have. Free parking also may be reviewed.

(USA Today, 4A)

BEING THERE IS BIGGEST PERK

Democrat-inspired congressional probes of White House spending and travel aim to blunt President Bush's criticism of Capitol Hill perk abuse, but they hit only the hole in the doughnut.

The No. 1 White House perquisite is simply being president in an election year. "Being in the job shows he is the one who clearly has the hands-on leadership and more experience than anyone else," Torie Clarke, campaign spokeswoman, said Monday.

But "he doesn't have the luxury of being able to run all over the country and, as some of the other candidates do, spout a lot of nice rhetoric without having any of the responsibility," she said.

Gov. Clinton's spokesman, Jeff Eller, countered: "At some point in time, the people expect the President to get out and campaign -- to get out and earn their vote. That doesn't mean you fly in on a 747, make a speech and fly away, or that you bring yourself into their living room by satellite."...

Clinton doesn't begrudge the President those moments of reflected glory with sports heroes in the Rose Garden, Eller said Monday. "It's more of an honor for the team. Voters know that. I think the voters are a lot smarter than we give them credit for," he said. "When Bill becomes president, he'll do the same thing."

(Frank Murray, Washington Times, A1)

**GOP GROUP THAT SPONSORED WILLIE HORTON
ATTACK ADS TO BE BACK THIS YEAR**

The folks that brought you Willie Horton are back. A group of conservative political activists on Monday announced the formation of an independent committee that plans to spend \$10 million on attack advertising to promote President Bush's reelection. Floyd Brown, chairman of the new Presidential victory Committee, was a key figure in a similar 1988 committee that spent \$10 million in an aggressive campaign against the Democrats.... Brown said there should be plenty of grist for negative advertising if Gov. Clinton wins the Democratic nomination.

(Barbara Demick, Knight-Ridder)

U.S. APPROVES NEW INFUSION OF CAMPAIGN SUBSIDIES

The Federal Election Commission Monday approved a new infusion of government cash into the 1992 presidential campaign in the form of subsidies to match amounts raised privately by the major candidates. The commission approved payments of \$1.043 million to Patrick Buchanan, \$666,877 to President Bush, \$1.113 million to Gov. Clinton and \$306,798 to Jerry Brown.

(Reuter)

WHAT A JOKE:

Some people say the presidential campaign is a joke. The center for Media and Public Affairs, a think tank that takes these things seriously, can tell you how much of a joke -- and who's leading. Researchers tally all jokes about the candidates on the "Tonight Show" and "Late Night With David Letterman." From Jan. 1 through Super Tuesday, President Bush was the runaway favorite with 97 jokes -- twice the 46 told about Gov. Clinton. The rest of the field: Patrick Buchanan, 35; Paul Tsongas, 28; Jerry Brown, 26. Among the center's favorites, from Jay Leno on the "Tonight Show:" "Both Bush and Buchanan say they have a plan for reviving the economy. You ever get the feeling that the only Republican who ever had a recovery program that worked was Betty Ford?"

(Dana Priest, Washington Post, A7)

GAO EXAMINES SPENDING HABITS OF WHITE HOUSE

As Congress questions how the White House spends its money, Democrats contend the heat placed on Capitol Hill reflects a government-wide problem, while Republicans believe their colleagues are just trying to shift the blame.... Yesterday, the White House announced that the GAO was auditing White House spending in fiscal years 1989 and 1991.... "This is a deliberate attempt, in my opinion, to throw up a smoke screen and cover up the corruption and the mismanagement that's been taking place in the U.S. House of Representatives.... The Democrats are scared to death they're going to lose a lot of their members," said Rep. Burton.... "There is no evidence that the White House has been doing the wrong thing. There is definite and conclusive evidence that the House of Representatives has been run in a slipshod manner," he said Monday.

(Jennings Moss, Washington Times, A6)

CLINTON TO CHANGE TACTICS**Candidate Defends character As Poll Shows Trouble In N.Y.**

MILWAUKEE -- Faced with mounting evidence that questions about his character put him in danger in next Tuesday's crucial New York primary, Gov. Clinton Monday issued an anguished critique of the news media for the way they have covered his campaign and said he would take his case "directly to the people." In an unusual step for a front-runner, Clinton called for a sharp increase in the number of debates with Jerry Brown because all that voters "have heard is bad stuff dumped on them about me." He charged that the media do not accurately report on his positions, and that "at least the people who watch the debate will hear them."

(Thomas Edsall, Washington Post, A1)

CLINTON CREDIBILITY TAKES ANOTHER HIT

Gov. Clinton's admission that he tried marijuana over 20 years ago in Britain is a political wound others have easily survived but it deals yet another blow to his badly bruised credibility.

Party officials and political analysts said they doubted Clinton's brief college-boy experiment with marijuana, in itself, would hurt him. But they said the issue does add to the lengthening list of questions about Clinton's truthfulness and integrity because he had previously dodged direct answers to drug questions with replies that he had never broken U.S. drug laws. Those evasions now have a cunning feel that may provide more ammunition to those who dub Clinton "Slick Willie."...

Even the White House took the position that youthful indiscretions of that type should have no bearing on judgments of fitness for high office....

Analysts said that using marijuana years ago is not Clinton's problem. What is a problem, they say, is his open admission after repeated earlier evasions.

(Michael Posner, Reuter)

BUCHANAN ZEROES IN ON CONGRESS

Patrick Buchanan turned his sights from President Bush to Congress Monday, telling a Capitol Hill rally that he was renewing his presidential campaign in order "to oust the establishments of both parties."

Buchanan declared to cheers: "We are still running for the Republican nomination." His main focus, though, was Congress, which he called "a swamp that must be drained."

Later, Buchanan spokesman Greg Mueller said the campaign's focus would be pulling Bush to the right rather than defeating him for the nomination. "There's a lot more on the line than just the numerical race and winning the nomination," Mueller said.... Buchanan aides said Buchanan would focus on the future path of the Republican Party and, in the process, try to make himself the leader of its conservative wing....

Yesterday, Buchanan, who has derided Bush as "King George" for his patrician background and "Marco Polo" for his world travels, barely mentioned the President. Instead, his target was members of Congress, whom he called "our Lords Temporal."

(John Yang, Washington Post, A6)

NATIONAL NEWS-

ECONOMISTS URGE INVESTING STIMULUS

A group of about 100 prominent economists Monday called on President Bush and Congress to stimulate the sluggish American economy by increasing federal aid to hard-pressed state and local governments by \$50 billion and providing businesses a tax credit if they increase their spending on equipment.

The economists, whose ranks include six Nobel Prize winners, also urged the Fed to cut short-term interest rates further to make sure any economic recovery this year is strong enough to reduce unemployment significantly.... The economists argued that a program focused on stimulating investment would be healthy for the economy even if it increased the deficit in the short term.

The group flatly rejected differing proposals from President Bush, congressional Democrats and Gov. Clinton for personal income tax cuts. "We believe that cutting income taxes is exactly the wrong approach," said James Tobin, professor emeritus at Yale University, as he read the group's statement at a Press conference at the National Press Building....

Tobin said the goal of economic policy now should be to seek an economic growth rate of 4.5-5 percent until unemployment falls substantially.... To free up resources to finance investment, the economists argued that the federal deficit will have to come down, a change that ultimately will require higher, not lower, taxes....

Financial analysts expressed skepticism that either the Bush Administration or Congress would have much appetite for the second half of the economists' prescription. As a result, any sign the short term stimulus portion of the proposal might be adopted likely would cause long-term interest rates to rise, the analysts said.

(John Berry, Washington Post, C1)

EXPERTS: FED WON'T CHANGE COURSE

The Fed, which hasn't cut interest rates since December, will hold to that course in meetings this week despite pressure from the Bush Administration to do more to bolster the economy, private analysts predicted Monday.... But even if the Fed's credit easing days are over for now, analysts were not looking for rates to head sharply higher, given the absence of any inflationary pressure and the belief that the upcoming economic recovery will be one of the weakest on record....

Private analysts said they believed the central bank would ignore the Administration's worries and decide to hold interest rates steady based on a string of recent favorable reports. "The Fed has to feel happy and satisfied with the way things are going now. The economy looks like it is beginning a recovery and inflation remains subdued," said Allen Sinai, chief economist of the Boston Co.... Still, some Fed critics worried that an unexpected jump in long-term mortgage rates could stifle the housing recovery, and for that reason they said it made sense for the central bank to buy an insurance policy in the form of at least one more round of rate cuts.

(Martin Crutsinger, Washington Times, C1)

3/31/92

NOTE FOR ED HEWETT

RE: German Proposal

Per your conversation with Bob Zoellick,
I have attached the Kohler letter.

RW
Ross Wilson

Withdrawal/Redaction Sheet

(George Bush Library)

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THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary

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For Immediate Release

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STATEMENT BY THE PRESIDENT

File

I have just met with the Congressional leadership to request their bipartisan backing for a new, comprehensive, and integrated program to support the struggle for freedom in Russia, Ukraine, and the other new states that have replaced the Soviet Union. The revolution in these states is a defining moment in history with profound consequences for America's own national interests.

The stakes are as high ^{for us} as any ^{we} American has faced in this century. Our adversary for 45 years -- the one nation that posed a world-wide threat to freedom and peace -- is now seeking to join the community of democratic nations. A victory for ^{democracy} freedom in the former USSR creates the possibility of a new world of peace for our children and grandchildren. ^{But if today's victory ~~is~~ for democracy} ~~A~~ defeat could plunge us into a world more dangerous in some respects than the dark years of the Cold War. ^{turning into defeat that}

America must meet this challenge, joining with those who stood beside us in the battle against imperial communism -- Germany, the United Kingdom, Japan, France, and our other allies.

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Together, we won the Cold War. Today we must win the peace.

This effort will require new resources from the industrial democracies, but nothing like the price we would pay if democracy and reform failed in Russia and Ukraine, Armenia, Byelarus or the other new states. It will require the efforts of a united America, strengthened by a consensus that transcends even the heated partisanship of a Presidential election campaign. Today I call upon Congress, Republicans and Democrats alike, and the American people, to stand behind this united effort.

Our national effort must be part of a global effort. I have been in contact with Chancellor Kohl, Prime Minister Major, ^{FM} and other key allies, to discuss our plans, and to assure them of the high priority I place on the success of this effort.

To this end, I would like to announce today a three-point plan -- six months in the making -- to support democracy in the states of the former Soviet Union:

First, the United States has been working with its western allies and the international financial institutions on an unprecedented multilateral program to support reform in the newly independent states. The success of this program will depend upon their commitment to reform and willingness to work with the international community.

Russia has already exhibited that commitment, and I am announcing today that the U.S. is prepared to join in a substantial multilateral financial assistance package in support of Russia's reforms. We are committed to developing with our allies and the

over the last - we've been helping them to put into effect a reform plan. We have been working with the G-7 countries for many months to finalize the plan that is now set.

IMF, a \$6 billion currency stabilization fund to help maintain confidence in the Russian ruble. The U.S. will also join in a multilateral effort to marshal \$18 billion in financial support in 1992 to assist Russian efforts to stabilize and restructure their economy. I urge the G-7 Finance ministers to complete action on this \$24 billion package by the end of April. *I pledge U.S. full cooperation*

now **Second,** I am transmitting to Congress a comprehensive bill -- the Freedom Support Act -- to mobilize the Executive Branch, the Congress, and our private sector around a comprehensive and integrated package of support for the new states. This package will:

- Authorize a U.S. quota increase of \$12 billion for the IMF, which is critical to supporting Russia and the other new states. The IMF and World Bank will be the primary source of funding for the major financial assistance needs of the new governments. The U.S. quota increase for the IMF was specifically assumed in the budget agreement, and need not require a single penny of U.S. cash outlays.
- Strengthen my authority to work with the G-7 and the IMF to put together the stabilization program for Russia, and possible subsequent programs for other states as they embark on landmark reforms.
- Repeal restrictive Cold War legislation so that American business can compete on an even footing in these new markets.

- Broaden use of the \$500 million appropriated by Congress last year to encompass not only the safe dismantling and destruction of nuclear weapons, but also the broader goals of nuclear plant safety, demilitarization and defense conversion.
- Establish a major people-to-people program between the U.S. and the states of the former Soviet Union to create the type of lasting, personal bonds among our peoples so critical to long-term peace.

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In sending this authorization legislation to Congress, I call upon the Congress to act concurrently to provide the appropriations necessary to make these authorizations a reality.

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Third, I am announcing today \$1.1 billion in new Commodity Credit Corporation credit guarantees for the purchase of American agricultural products: \$600 million for U.S. sales to Russia, and an additional \$500 million for U.S. sales to Ukraine and other states.

Let me close on a personal note.

As President, I think every day about the challenge of securing a peaceful future for the American people. I believe very strongly that President Yeltsin's courageous reform program holds the greatest hope for the future of the Russian people, and for the

security of the American people as we define a new relationship with that great country. *Pres Boris Yeltsin has taken some very courageous steps. It is in our own interest to support him*

For more than forty-five years the highest responsibility of nine American Presidents, Democrats and Republicans, was to wage and win the Cold War. It is my privilege to lead the American people in winning the peace by embracing the people so recently freed from tyranny -- to **welcome them** into the community of democratic nations. I know there are those who say we should pull back -- concentrate our energies, our interest and our resources on pressing domestic problems. I ask them to think of the consequences **here at home of peace in the world.**

We **must** seize this moment. If we turn away, if we **do not do** what we can to help democracy succeed in the lands of the old Soviet Union -- our failure to act will carry a **far higher price.** If we face up to the challenge, matching the courage of Russian President Boris Yeltsin, Ukrainian President Kravchuk, Armenian President Ter-Petrosian and many others, future generations of Americans will thank us for having had the foresight and conviction to stand up for democracy and to work for peace in this decade and into the next century.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

32 MAR 31 4:20

RECOMMENDED TELEPHONE CALL BY THE PRESIDENT

TO: Congressman Sid Morrison (R-WA)

DATE: March 31, 1992 (before 1:00 p.m.)

RECOMMENDED BY: Nicholas E. Calio *NEL*

PURPOSE: To persuade him to oppose H.R. 3732, the Budget Process Reform Act (the "firewalls" bill).

BACKGROUND: This bill is scheduled for floor action this afternoon. Congressman Morrison is indicating that he is inclined to support the bill. It appears that he is figuring that he can benefit politically in his race for Governor by appearing to support increased spending for education and highway programs.

Our chances of defeating this bill are enhanced dramatically by having all Republicans vote against the bill, which we are close to doing.

The bill is scheduled today under a closed rule. No amendments are allowed except a possible Republican motion to recommit the bill with instructions. (Those instructions have not been determined yet.) The key vote is on final passage of the Conyers bill.

Congressman Morrison needs to be persuaded that it is better politically to support using defense savings to reduce the deficit, not to increase spending for domestic programs.

DATE OF SUBMISSION: March 31, 1992

KEY POINTS: See Attached.

ACTION:

KEY POINTS

- Sid, I'm calling about a bill that is supposed to be on the floor this afternoon. It's called the "firewalls" bill. It breaks the 1990 budget agreement by tearing down the "firewalls" between defense, international affairs and domestic spending.
- I'm hoping you can vote against the bill for several reasons.
- I feel strongly that any defense savings should be used to reduce the deficit. Every poll I've seen shows that the American people overwhelmingly support reducing the deficit. With projections showing the deficit heading toward \$400 billion, it is imperative that we get control of that and start to bring it down.
- Also, we're just starting to see signs of economic recovery. The one thing that could trip up that recovery is rising long-term interest rates. Financial markets are watching very closely to see if there's any signal that we're serious about controlling federal spending.
- Passing this bill sends exactly the opposite signal. Barely a year after the 1990 budget agreement became law, already Congress is passing legislation that would renege on that deal. That will send a terrible signal to the markets.
- Can I count on your help in stopping this bill?

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

THE PRESIDENT HAS SEEN 3/31

March 31, 1992

02 MAR 31 11:24

MEMORANDUM TO THE PRESIDENT

FROM: DAVID F. DEMAREST

SUBJECT: RECONCILED REFORM SPEECH

Attached is the first cut of a reconciled draft of your remarks for Philadelphia. There will be subsequent drafts but this is where the speech stands at this time.

Howard Baker
page

Disclosure

Shawter
Summit

Too many vets
+ threats

Rose:

David Demarest dropped this off. These are the Pres' original changes. Thought we should hold out in case he asks for it in the a.m. David has a copy and will incorporate in a new draft.

After tomorrow a.m., I'll file in daily.

Robin

PRESIDENTIAL REMARKS AT OLD HOUSE CHAMBER
PHILADELPHIA, PA.
APRIL 3, 1992

Thank you for that kind introduction. [ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS]
Today, I would rather be in Philadelphia. Old Congress Hall is home to great ideas and great debate. In this very room, pivotal and profound discussions occurred -- setting in motion a grand experiment in man's ability to chart his own future.

The vision of the Founding Fathers may still be hard for us to fully comprehend. But if you really think about it, their goals were not much different than ours -- they wanted their new country to prosper -- and they knew intuitively that the road to prosperity was freedom. They believed in the fundamentals -- in the inherent strength of faith and family -- and they were determined to preserve them. They wanted the citizens of our young nation to live in peace -- safe and secure from threats at home and abroad. It took a revolution to achieve their vision - and it is our duty to preserve it.

When British General Cornwallis surrendered at Yorktown in 1781, he had his band play "The World Turned Upside Down", as his troops marched before Washington's Continental Army. It was a profoundly simple realization that an old world order was coming to a close and a new order was beginning.

Now more than two hundred years later, we are again in the midst of great change. Democracy and freedom once again have

essayist, G.K. Chesterton said, "there can be no talk of reform, without talk of form". This has been amply demonstrated in just the last decade as one institution after another has been challenged -- forced to take a hard look within itself, make needed improvements, and act to make the institution live up to its principles. That process is called reform.

In the private sector, or more specifically, in a business, it might be called the crusade for quality. Often it's not flashy -- perhaps it's a return to old values and standards like "built to last a lifetime", or "the customer's always right." At other times it means measuring performance, because that is the how to improve performance. Competition improves quality and performance. The proof is that today, American products are quantifiably better than just a few years ago.

Not only the private sector feels the positive pressure of healthy competition. For example, the military, in the face of tighter budgets, has cut the fat, gotten leaner and smarter. Desert Storm proved it. The drive for excellence has influenced almost every other institution, from state and local government to trade associations and unions.

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Yet, the federal government is a glaring hold-out. It has resisted reform and protects a failed status quo -- even in the face of an unambiguous need for change. But, this is not about *barber shops or office space or parking -* gymnasium privileges or limousines. It is not about perks. It is about power, and our ability to use it for the public good.

It is about big things - major changes to make government more responsive
The changes that are sweeping the rest of the country have

turned the world upside down. America once again stood at the forefront of a great worldwide movement. We stood firm for our principles through some very difficult times. We changed the world, and we stand upon a new threshold. Now, as you have heard me say, if we could change the world, we can change America.

Henry Luce called the 20th century the American Century. In a world more driven by economic competition than ever before, we must now meet five great challenges, if we are to ensure that the next century is also the American Century.

First, our children must develop good character and values so they can be educated adults -- literate and drug-free -- motivated to make learning a lifelong pursuit. ^{dramatically change} We must reform our education system -- literally revolutionize it. Second, our people must have a sense of well-being about their physical health. ^{use word change} We must guarantee them access to the finest health care system in the world, and make that care more affordable. ^{My proposal to change the existing health care system guarantees that we keep on}

Next, our civil justice system must do what it was designed to do: dispense justice for all. Eighteen million lawsuits a year are choking us -- costing us billions of dollars -- and putting a tremendous drag on our civility as well as our economy. ^{guarantee of his case -- access} This must change -- we need to pass up -- legislation

And in the next century, economic competition, as well as economic opportunity will come from beyond our borders. That demands we open more foreign markets for quality American goods and services to sustain and create American jobs.

Finally, if we are to change America we must change government. That is what I will address today. British

stopped cold at the Capital Beltway. This entrenched status quo attitude can be laid squarely at the doorstep of Congress.

The most recent proof was its inability to rise to today's economic challenges without reverting to form -- higher taxes and bigger government. We all know that government is too big and spends too much. Too often the way Congress spends the people's money is the wrong way -- inefficiently, ineffectively, without accountability, and frankly, without compassion. It stonewalls solutions we have proposed. With tough, complicated problems ahead, from education to health care, we simply cannot afford this kind of government.

Political scientist Morris Fiorina paints a disturbing but familiar picture of how Washington really behaves. He says that the growth of big government has changed the role of Congress from policymaking to pork-barreling -- changed the Congressional office to a Campaign and Constituent office. He argues this sets in motion a perpetual cycle of congressional support for more unnecessary spending -- creating bigger and even less responsive bureaucracies. Then, the members and their increasingly powerful staffs become ombudsmen between the constituent and the agencies -- expediting benefits and procuring more pork -- thus ensuring re-election and a continuation of the status quo. Finally, Congress routinely exempts itself from the laws it imposes on the rest of the nation.

Prophetically, the Founding Fathers warned us about these dangers. Federalist paper #57 asserts that elected officials,

"can make no law which will not have its full operation on themselves and their friends, as well as on the great mass of the society." Federalist Paper #52 argued that permanent majorities are dangerously undemocratic. James Madison would be appalled to hear that 98% of Congressmen who seek re-election are in fact re-elected. That one party, the Democrats, have controlled the

House? Congress 58 out of the last 62 years. *That means self perpetuating staffs. That means a bureaucracy beholden to one set of leaders*

One-party rule is a big part of the problem, but not the only problem. We have had divided government before in our history, sometimes during periods of great crisis. Each time we worked together in good faith to meet new challenges. *leads to confusion*

The larger issue is the systemic problem of Congress -- the sticky web of 284 Congressional Committees and Subcommittees, the almost 40,000 legislative branch employees and staff, 2.5 billion dollars of taxpayer financing, overlaid with a 117 million dollar re-election war chest for incumbents in special-interest campaign contributions, and millions more in special-interest influence. *The bench - post office scandals are the result of one party control and the fact that such control breeds corruption*

This is not a system that can promote reform and change. *disregard results in lack of supervision lack of care lack of change*
Rather, it aggressively protects the status quo. Talk to retiring members, many of them good people like Senator Warren Rudman of New Hampshire, and you will hear the frustration. When asked about the continuing spectre of huge budget deficits, he issued this indictment of the system, "the fact is that we are unable, institutionally, to do what has to be done. We are

literally not watching the fiddler fiddle while Rome burns; we are watching the entire orchestra."

He knows the American people are a compassionate people -- willing to foot the bill to help make this country better. But there is a mismatch between their willingness to help and their skepticism about government. ^{Congress?} They just don't trust government to ^{Congress?} use their hard-earned tax dollars wisely.

So when taxpayer money goes for outlandish pork-barrel projects, or mass mailings that are little more than thinly veiled re-election devices, people get angry. In the Senate, eight percent of the out-going mail is for answering voters. The rest is unsolicited "reports" to the people. Maybe it's small potatoes to the Congress, but the public knows P.R. when it sees it. They know it adds up to real money -- taxpayer money, and I believe we must put a stop to it.

Today government is a trillion and a half dollar enterprise. But it frequently forgets that the taxpayer is original investor, customer, shareholder, and board member all rolled into one. When it forgets that, it issues counterproductive regulations -- ^{as on Congress} ones that increase the cost of doing business, but worse, ones that don't really solve the problem they were designed to solve. It shelters perpetual programs that have outlived their function, but not their funding.

Because the government forgets who is really the boss -- the American taxpayer -- it has become insulated, unresponsive and resists reform. It is almost impossible to adequately reward

success, much less punish failure. Talk to the hardworking people in government service -- many will say the same thing -- they are frustrated too. But the system, which may have been good for its time, now must change, and it won't be easy.

That's because this kind of government doesn't just happen. Congress creates these giant centralized bureaucracies, lays down the mandates, funds the programs. Then, it is the Congress that protects them, harasses them, investigates them, micro-manages them. With a Congressional subcommittee Chairman as godparent, they become stepchildren of the Congress. Some thirty different Congressional committees, and 77 subcommittees claim some degree of oversight responsibility for the Department of Defense. Seventy-four committees and subcommittees compete to exercise jurisdiction over the War on Drugs. It should be no surprise that it takes so long to get anything done.

Think of the time and resources spent by the Executive Branch to fulfill Congressional demands for testimony. Think of the thousands of required reports that must be researched, written and delivered to Capitol Hill. Sixty reports from HUD. More than six hundred from the Defense Department -- and on through all the Cabinet Departments.

Congress has legitimate oversight responsibilities of course. And I know that the federal government cannot be run just like IBM or the local convenience store, but we can improve its performance, and we must. What merely hampered us in the past, will paralyze us in the new century. Our ability to

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compete requires us to make these reforms, not just of Congress but of the federal bureaucracy as well. But let me be clear, it is impossible to have adequate executive branch reform without first reforming the Congress.

Today I am proposing a set of actions that taken together will make government work for the people.

First, universal application of the laws of the land. In other words, Congress must govern itself by the laws it imposes on the public. Across the board. No more special treatment. Like age, race, sex and disability discrimination laws; labor standards -- worker and workplace protections. Congress should also submit to the laws it imposes on the Executive Branch -- like conflict of interest laws or the independent counsel law.

So today, I am proposing the Congressional Accountability Act which will force Congress to be covered by the same laws as everyone else. Further, I will veto any future legislation that extends special treatment to the Congress.

Second, reform of the Congressional committee system. I support efforts to trim the overgrown thicket of committees and subcommittees which now paralyzes the Congress. Democratic Senator Boren said it best when he described the Congress as "inefficient, wasteful, and compromised by the way it finances its campaigns." The Boren-Domenici committee reform bill is a good start, but real reform is still on the back burner. It is time for the American people to turn up the heat.

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Third, sweeping campaign finance reform. Three years ago, I proposed the total elimination of special interest Political Action Committees and limits on so-called "leadership PACs." I proposed ways to reduce the influence of special interests, decrease the time candidates and incumbents spend fund-raising, and increase the legitimate role of our political parties. I called on Congress to pass tough new full disclosure laws to stop the abuse that results from spreading around what's called "soft money." These reforms are stalled on Capitol Hill, the time for action is long past -- we must clean up our election system.

Fourth, spending reform. I have already proposed to freeze domestic discretionary spending in federal employment next year. I have proposed to curb as well the growth of mandatory programs without touching Social Security. The American people should demand that the Congress pass the same measure that 43 governors have: the line-item veto. They should demand a Balanced Budget Constitutional Amendment. In the absence of those important measures I will continue to use whatever means are legally at my disposal, including the line-item-rescission, to protect the taxpayer from the spending excesses of Congress. And I will veto any attempt by the Congress to dismantle the only defense the taxpayer has against Congressional overspending -- the budget caps implemented in the 1990 Budget Act.

Fifth, regulatory reform. I have put a ninety-day moratorium on new government regulations. We are revising and eliminating regulations that impede our ability to compete, and

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we are accelerating regulations that enhance our competitive edge. Since I announced the moratorium on January 28th, new regulatory requirements have already been reduced by over 30 percent. As our review continues we will announce further steps to reduce the burden of unnecessary regulations.

Finally, we must limit Congressional terms. The cycle of virtually guaranteed re-election through the built-in advantages of incumbency must be broken. Our Founding Fathers never considered elected government service to be a career. I believe Senators should be limited to two terms, and Representatives, limited to six terms. After all, as President my terms are limited, the same should apply to members of Congress. Our first concern should be the country not a career. *[insert to number of days in session the vs. now]*

Change is sweeping America, just as it is sweeping the ~~the~~ *what was put* world. Once again, as in the first days of our new nation, we *is now* must change an unresponsive government. The reforms I've *full term -* outlined today can renew our faith in government -- restore the *leads to* principles of our Founders, and guarantee for our children a new American Century.

The choice is clear. On one side stand the defenders of the status quo. On the other: the forces of change. We must make the choice worthy of the men who met here -- and began the world's only permanent revolution. Now that we've changed the world, we must make the choice to change America.

Thank you, and may God bless the United States of America.

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Patty Presock

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All yours to file

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March 31, 1992

Patty:

George "P" can come up. Please get him a ticket to come up Saturday P.M., returning to Miami right after the game on Monday, even if that means leaving the game a little early.

Notify advance people who apparently have discussed the "3 Georges" on the mound idea with Eli Jacobs.

In arranging for "P" to come I am assuming that his throwing out the first ball with Geo W and me at his side **has indeed been cleared.**

CP/

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FROM THE PRESIDENT

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April 2, 1992

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT AND MRS. BUSH

SUBJECT: **CAMP DAVID**
 April 3 - 6, 1992

FRIDAY, APRIL 3, 1992

12:50 p.m. The President arrives Camp David

5:00 p.m. Mrs. Bush arrives Camp David

OVERNIGHT GUESTS: NONE

SATURDAY, APRIL 4, 1992

9:45 a.m. Dr. and Mrs. Bobby Brown (Sara) arrive National Airport (Delta flight #1745). They depart immediately by White House car enroute Camp David. **Approximate arrival time at Camp David: 11:15 a.m.**

3:00 p.m. Dr. and Mrs. Charles Neblett (Sally); Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Neblett (Margaret) and their 7 month old baby, Kelsey, arrive Camp David by private car (Silver Saab 900 - TEXAS license plate: 938 TSY.)

5:56 p.m. George P. Bush arrives National Airport (American Flight #1508) and immediately departs by White House car enroute Camp David. **Approximate arrival time at Camp David: 7:30 p.m.**

OVERNIGHT GUESTS:

George P. Bush

Dr. and Mrs. Bobby Brown (Sara)

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Neblett (Sally)

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Neblett (Margaret)

Kelsey Neblett

SUNDAY, APRIL 5, 1992

- 9:00 a.m. The President and Mrs. Bush attend Chapel
- 11:45 a.m. The Nebletts depart Camp David by private car.
(approx.)
- 3:00 p.m. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gaylord (Thelma) arrive Hagerstown Airport, Aviation Services (301-733-5200) by private plane (Challenger Tail #N19036), and depart by Camp David car enroute Camp David.
- 4:30 p.m. Dr. and Mrs. Bobby Brown depart Camp David enroute Washington, D.C. for a private reception with the Orioles. They will go directly from the reception to Baltimore where they will overnight Sunday.

OVERNIGHT GUESTS:

George P. Bush
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gaylord (Thelma)

MONDAY, APRIL 6, 1992

- 9:06 a.m. George W. Bush arrives National Airport (American Airlines Flight #846) and proceeds directly to the White House.
- 11:00 a.m. The President, Mrs. Bush, George P. Bush, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gaylord depart Camp David by helicopter enroute the White House.
- 11:30 a.m. Marine One arrives the South Lawn
- 12:00 noon The President, George P. Bush, George W. Bush, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gaylord have lunch in the President's Dining Room (West Wing).

NOTE: Doro and Sam LeBlond, and Bobby Koch may join the President for lunch - to be determined.

Mrs. Bush has a luncheon commitment in the Residence.

1:35 p.m. The President, George P. Bush, George W. Bush, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gaylord board Marine One and depart the South Lawn enroute Baltimore to attend the Baltimore Orioles opening baseball game.

(Doro and Sam LeBlond, accompanied by Bobby Koch and Don Rhodes depart the White House at 1:00 p.m. by car enroute the Pentagon Helicopter Pad. They will chopper to Baltimore on Nighthawk II.)

3:05 p.m. The President and George P. participate in the FIRST PITCH CEREMONY.

TBD The President departs Oriole Park at Camden Yards enroute Washington, D.C.

NOTE: George P. will be manifested on Nighthawk II which lands at the Pentagon. A White House car will take George P. to National Airport where he is scheduled to depart at 6:50 p.m. aboard American Airlines Flight #897.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gaylord will remain in Baltimore.

Doro and Sam LeBlond, Bobby Koch, and George W. Bush will be manifested on Marine One from Baltimore to Washington, D.C.

OVERNIGHT GUESTS AT THE WHITE HOUSE:
George W. Bush

STAFF AT CAMP DAVID:

Don Rhodes

Paula Rendon

Ariel DeGuzman

LCDR Wayne Justice, USCG

Dr. Larry Mohr

CPT. Deborah Beatty

Michael Busch

Dave Carpenter

MOVIES:

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Patty Presock

Mr President:
A thoughtful letter.
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FIFTEENTH DISTRICT
OHIO

CHALMERS P. WYLIE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
WASHINGTON, D. C. 20515

For Immediate Release
March 31, 1992

STATEMENT BY THE HONORABLE CHALMERS P. WYLIE
CONGRESSMAN, 15TH OHIO CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

I have said to Michael Colley, our Republican County Chairman, that I will not seek re-election for a 14th term. My reasons for not seeking re-election are:

I am frustrated by being in the minority for 26 years. I had hoped to be Chairman of the House Banking Committee to demonstrate what I could do and to apply some of my own philosophy. Back in 1982, I offered amendments to the law governing savings and loans. All were defeated on pretty much straight party line votes. Many of the suggestions I made back then have since been enacted into law, but only after the savings and loan debacle had occurred. Just last week, the minority teamed up with enough Democrats to make a difference. The Chairman did not like the bill in final form so he adjourned the meeting without allowing the bill to come up for a vote.

I do not see the Republicans gaining control of the House in the 103rd Congress, and the role of ranking Republican on the Banking Committee with its frustrations and lack of opportunity to make the big difference does not have that much appeal to me anymore.

The big issue is the staggering federal deficit. I have introduced legislation in every Congress for a constitutional amendment to balance the budget and for a line item veto. Two years ago many of us worked hard to bring the balanced budget amendment to the House floor for a vote. It got more than half, but not the two-thirds vote required to send it to the Senate for consideration. If you add up my votes there would not be a deficit.

There is an ugliness in the House now which does not appeal to me. Most members do a good job, work hard and like what they do. In my own case, I was a trial lawyer. It was almost 16 years before my net taxable income in Congress equalled my income as a practicing attorney. I did not agree to run for Congress for personal aggrandizement or personal wealth. Acquiring a lot of personal wealth has never concerned me.

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The opportunity to serve my country had more appeal, and I pride myself on working hard for my constituents in solving many personal problems and in the many ways I have been able to help our community. Serving in Congress has provided me an opportunity to add meaning and purpose to my life through helping others. One day Congress will be restored to its rightful place of honor as the greatest deliberative body in the history of the world.

Marjorie and I have a condominium in Ft. Lauderdale. We were there five days in 1991 and five days in 1990. Any moment we are expecting our third grandchild. I think it is time to smell the roses a little more. Marjorie has been very supportive over the years, but the leaving on Monday morning and coming back home on Thursday or Friday and the over 2700 trips between Columbus and Washington seems too much of a price to pay for the uncertainty of making any meaningful accomplishment on legislation in the 103rd Congress.

I am proud to have served in Congress. I am proud to have represented the wonderful people who live in the 15th District. I am pleased the district has remained basically intact, and I am grateful to the solid people of Madison County who were very supportive in that regard.

May I express my sincere thanks to the people of the 15th District for the honor of representing them in Congress and for their overwhelming support over the years. The time has come for someone else to have the honor.

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WASHINGTON

March 27, 1992

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MEMORANDUM FOR PHILLIP BRADY

THROUGH: RONALD C. KAUFMAN (RC) DEPUTY ASSISTANT TO THE PRESIDENT FOR POLITICAL AFFAIRS

FROM: RUTH C. GUIMOND (RG) EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT, OFFICE OF POLITICAL AFFAIRS

SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL QUOTE FOR JIM GARDNER

Phil, the Jim Gardner for Governor campaign has submitted for White House approval a quote from the President to be printed on the outside of a political brochure along with Governor Jim Martin and former President Ronald Reagan.

The quote reads as follows:

"Jim Gardner is a proven leader in the war against crime and drug abuse, and I'm proud to run on the same ballot with him in North Carolina."

Approval is requested by April 3, 1992.

Thank you.

Jim Gardner, an old friend,

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: CONSTANCE HORNER *CH*
Director of Presidential Personnel

SUBJECT: Delegation to the 50th Anniversary
Commemorations in the Philippines

The Chief of Staff concurs.

Ambassador Wisner has suggested that it would be appropriate for you to send a special representative or delegation to the April 9 observances of the 50th Anniversary of the fall of Bataan and the fall of Corregidor. The State Department has recommended that we send only two or three delegates.

I have not contacted any of the following individuals to seek their interest, but upon your approval, I will contact them. I recommend that you select the following individuals to represent you at the ceremonies:

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is too
back!!*

MRS. JEAN MACARTHUR, of New York. Widow of General Douglas MacArthur. Mrs. MacArthur is 93 years old but remains fairly active. If she cannot physically attend, she could serve as an "Honorary Delegate."

SENATOR RICHARD LUGAR. Senator Lugar served as the Ranking member of Senate Foreign Relations during President Aquino's election and was actively involved in the American response to that event. *OK ①*

WILLIAM "GROGAN" EDWARDS, of St. Louis. Served as an Ensign on the USS Finback, Tenth War Patrol, WWII. Retired Naval Commander. *OK ③*

PAUL BLANCO, of California. (Recommended by the Republican National Committee). The first Asian American recipient of the "point of light" recognition, Blanco is the founder and current Chairman of the National Organization of Filipino American Republicans. He also serves on the Asian Advisory Board to the Chairman of the Republican National Committee. *OK ②*

APPROVE *GB*

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MATERIALS FORWARDED TO THE PRESIDENT
March 31, 1992

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1. Personnel Selection: Thomas Carl Richards to be Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration
2. Letter to be Sent to 4000 Republican Precinct Delegates in Arizona
3. Judicial Nominations: Alfred Voello, to be U.S. District Judge for the District of Connecticut; Irene Keeley to be U.S. District Judge for the Northern District of West Virginia; Carol Jackson to be U.S. District Judge for the Eastern District of Missouri; Charles Banks to be U.S. District Judge for the Eastern District of Arkansas; Jerome Simandle to be U.S. District Judge for the District of New Jersey
4. Treaty with the Federal Republic of Nigeria on Mutual Legal Assistance in Criminal Matters
5. Judicial Nomination: Lourdes Baird to be U.S. District Judge for the Central District of California
6. Recommended Telephone Calls to Congressmen Jimmy Hayes (D-LA) and Sid Morrison (R-WA) re Budget Process Reform Act ("firewalls bill")
7. Delegation to the 50th Anniversary Commemoration in the Phillippines
8. Approval of Presidential Quote for Jim Gardner's Campaign
9. Gift Letters
10. Farewell Letter to Petty Officer Gary L. Mugridge
11. Executive Order to Establish an Emergency Board to Investigate Dispute Between Nat'l Railroad Passenger Corporation and Its Employees Representated by Certain Labor Organizations
12. Executive Order Establishing an Emergency Board to Investigate a Dispute Between the Consolidated Rail Corporation and Its Employees Represented by the Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employes

13. Executive Order Establishing an Emergency Board to Investigate Disputes Between Certain Railroads and Their Employees Represented by the International Association of Machinists and Aerospace Workers
14. Horner Memo re 1992 Summer Olympic Delegation
15. P. Brady Memo re National Medal of the Arts

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1. Response to Kohl on GATT and UN Matters

INFORMATION

1. Kaufman Memo re Vermont Caucuses
2. Demarest Memo re Captain Jacques Cousteau
3. Holiday Memo Forwarding Briefing Paper from the Attorney General re the Conference Crime Bill
4. Smith Memo re Radio Address Coverage Report
5. Horner Memo re Digger Phelps
6. Block schedule

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1. Reconciled Reform Speech

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LETTER FROM NANCY REYNOLDS (3/26/92)

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3. Central Files

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Dear Mr. President,

You are a real sweetheart! When I got to Santa Fe there were two notes awaiting me from your friends. I nearly fell over with surprise! Your thoughtfulness knows no bounds.

Evaline Thompson and Marian Chambers have said they will call when they return to Santa Fe. I'm really looking forward to meeting them.

Thanks so much for easing the move. I just hope I'll see you and Barbara there!

FONDLY - Nancy

Nancy Clark Reynolds

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March 26, 1992

*Dear Mr. President
You are a real
sweetheart! When I
got to Santa Fe
there were two notes
awaiting me from your
friends. I nearly fell*

CHARLES L. BARTLETT

1529 18TH ST., N.W.

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20036

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Memo to the President
from Charley Bartlett

1.) I am faxing the enclosed to Max Frankel and mailing a copy to Punch. We are concerned that the character of The Times may diminish under Punch's son, Arthur, who appears so far to be much less of a person.

✓ 2.) If it is possible that you get a break around Easter-time, you might think about a place that Tom Stroock discovered, a splendid hotel on an island 20 minutes by boat from Belize City. He makes it sound like a restful, beautiful spot with good lodging and splendid bonefishing off that great reef. The prices are very reasonable, he tells me. The press and entourage could stay at the Ramada Hotel in Belize City.

March 31, 1992

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Charlie
Great letter to the
NYT, but I don't
blame Arthur, Punch's
son. The Trudeau
piece was a new low
for the NYT GB

CHARLES L. BARTLETT

1529 18TH ST., N.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20036

Letter to the Editor of
The New York Times
229 West 43rd Street
New York City

ONE-PAGE FAX MSGE

Sir:

I was reminded by your allocation of a full column to the Trudeau caricatures of President Bush's offspring of one of the rules with which Adolph Ochs made The Times a model of fairness for American journalism. The rule was to give no space to cartoonists for the reason that they were prevented by the nature of their work from giving a balanced portayal of any situation. That is, as I have always understood it, why political cartoons have never appeared in The Times' editorial pages.

It is clear that the Ochs rule was brusquely violated by the inclusion of the Trudeau material, all of which was a malignant oversimplification that could make no claim to fairness.

I feel that this break with tradition and this show of partisanship were highly regretable at the outset of a campaign in which your readers will be looking more than ever for balanced enlightenment from The Times.

Yours truly,


Charles Bartlett

March 31, 1992

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Recommended Telephone Call

TO: Alfred V. Covello

TELEPHONE: Home: (203) 521-0545
Office: (203) 566-5641

DATE TO CALL: March 30, 1992 (Justice Covello will be unavailable after 2:00 on March 30) or March 31, 1992 (Justice Covello will be unavailable from 11:00 to 3:30 on March 31)

RECOMMENDED BY: The Attorney General, Samuel K. Skinner, Nicholas E. Calio, C. Boyden Gray, and Constance Horner

PURPOSE: To ask him to serve as United States District Judge for the District of Connecticut

TOPICS OF

1. Since 1987, Justice Covello has served on the Connecticut Supreme Court. In addition, he has continued to serve on the Superior Court for the State of Connecticut since 1978. Before that, he served as a Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, State of Connecticut, 1975-1978; as a Circuit Court Judge for the State of Connecticut, 1974-1975; as Assistant Corporation Counsel for the City of West Hartford, 1964-1967; as a partner in the law firm of Gross, Hyde & Williams, 1964-1974; and as a partner in the law firm of Bieluch, Barry & Covello, 1960-1964.
2. Justice Covello received an A.B. degree (1954) from Harvard University and an LL.B. degree (1960) from the University of Connecticut Law School. He served in the United States Army from 1955 to 1957, when he was honorably released from active duty.
3. Justice Covello is 59 years old, married, his wife's name is Suzanne, they have two children, and reside in West Hartford, Connecticut.

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Recommended Telephone Call

TO: Irene M. Keeley

TELEPHONE: Home: (304) 622-2216
Office: (304) 624-8131

DATE TO CALL: March 31, 1992

RECOMMENDED BY: The Attorney General, Samuel K. Skinner,
Nicholas E. Calio, C. Boyden Gray, and
Constance Horner

PURPOSE: To ask her to serve as United States District
Judge for the Northern District of
West Virginia

TOPICS OF
DISCUSSION:

- ✓ 1. Since 1980, Mrs. Keeley has been associated with the law firm of Steptoe & Johnson as an associate, 1980-1984, and a partner, 1985-present.
- ✓ 2. She received a B.A. degree (1965) from the College of Notre Dame of Maryland, a M.A. degree (1977) and a J.D. degree (1980) from West Virginia University.
- ✓ 3. Mrs. Keeley is 48 years old, married, her husband's name is John Paul Keeley, III, they have three children, and reside in Clarksburg, West Virginia.

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Recommended Telephone Call

TO: Judge Carol E. Jackson

TELEPHONE: Home: (314) 771-0373
Office: (314) 539-2368

DATE TO CALL: March 31, 1992

RECOMMENDED BY: The Attorney General, Samuel K.
Skinner, Nicholas E. Calio, C. Boyden Gray,
and Constance Horner

PURPOSE: To ask her to serve as United States District
Judge for the Eastern District of Missouri

TOPICS OF
DISCUSSION:

- ✓ 1. Since 1985, Judge Jackson has served as a United States Magistrate Judge for the Eastern District of Missouri. Before that, she was a senior attorney with Mallinckrodt, Inc., 1983-1985; and an associate with the law firm of Thompson & Mitchell, 1976-1983.
2. She received a B.A. degree (1973) from Wellesley College and a J.D. degree (1976) from the University of Michigan Law School.
3. Judge Jackson is 39 years old, single, has 1 adopted child, and resides in St. Louis, Missouri.

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Recommended Telephone Call

TO: Jerome B. Simandle

TELEPHONE: Home: (609) 235-6250
Office: (609) 757-5167

DATE TO CALL: March 31, 1992

RECOMMENDED BY: The Attorney General, Samuel K. Skinner,
Nicholas E. Calio, C. Boyden Gray, and
Constance Horner

PURPOSE: To ask him to serve as United States District
Judge for the District of New Jersey

TOPICS OF DISCUSSION:

1. Since 1983, Judge Simandle has served as a United States Magistrate Judge for the District of New Jersey. Before that, he was an Assistant United States Attorney for the District of New Jersey, 1978-1983; and a Law Clerk to the Honorable John Gerry, United States District Judge for the District of New Jersey, 1976-1978.
2. He received a B.S. degree (1971) from Princeton University and a J.D. degree (1976) from the University of Pennsylvania Law School.
3. Mr. Simandle is 42 years old, married, his wife's name is Jane Darton, they have two children, and reside in Moorestown, New Jersey.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Recommended Telephone Call

TO: Charles A. Banks

TELEPHONE: Home: (501) 661-0616
Office: (501) 324-5347

DATE TO CALL: March 31, 1992

RECOMMENDED BY: The Attorney General, Samuel K. Skinner,
Nicholas E. Calio, C. Boyden Gray, and
Constance Horner

PURPOSE: To ask him to serve as United States District
Judge for the Eastern District of Arkansas

TOPICS OF
DISCUSSION:

1. Since 1987, Mr. Banks has served as United States Attorney for the Eastern District of Arkansas. Before that, he was a partner in the law firm of Banks & Ritchey, 1979-1987; a sole practitioner in Blytheville and Osceola, 1975-1979; a Public Defender for Mississippi County, Arkansas, 1973-1975; and a Criminal Litigation Attorney for the Arkansas Attorney General's office, 1973. In addition, he served as Deputy Prosecuting Attorney for the Osceola District of Mississippi County, 1979-1981; and as Deputy Prosecuting Attorney for the Blytheville District of Mississippi County, 1975-1978.
2. He received a B.A. degree (1969) and a J.D. degree (1973) from the University of Arkansas.
3. Mr. Banks is 45 years old, married, his wife's name is Nancy Helms, they have one child, and reside in Little Rock, Arkansas.

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March 31, 1992

Connie Horner

Re: Olympic Delegation.

These all look fine.

I have numbered the possible additions in order of preference. Let's hold up a little on this one. I will try to come up with other names, then we can decide with finality.

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FROM THE PRESIDENT

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

March 27, 1992

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: CONSTANCE HORNER *CH*
Director of Presidential Personnel

SUBJECT: 1992 Summer Olympics Delegation

You have already decided on the following people to represent you at the Summer Olympics in Barcelona:

HEAD OF DELEGATION:

ARNOLD SCHWARZENNEGER

DELEGATES:

MARVIN BUSH
MARGARET BUSH

It would be appropriate to send an additional two or three delegates. I haven't talked with any of the following candidates, pending your thoughts. Do you have any preferences or other ideas? (The closing date for accreditation for delegations to the Olympics is May 15, 1992.)

- ① JOE PATERNO, head coach of Penn State football team, Bush '88 "All Star"
- ④ PAM SHRIVER, professional tennis player, Bush '88 "All Star"
- ② MARY LOU RETTON, Olympic gold medalist, Bush '88 "All Star"
- ③ SAMMY LEE, Olympic gold medalist in diving, Bush '88 "All Star"