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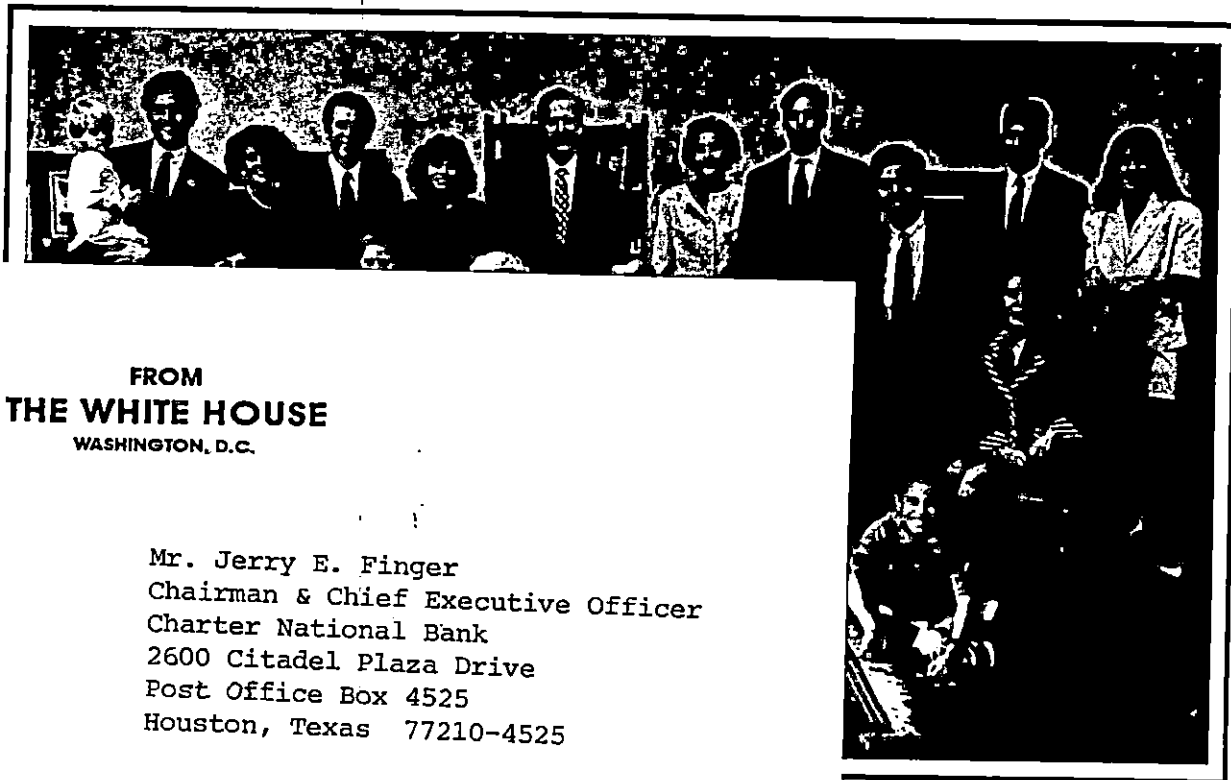
Daily
12-21-92

We wish you a merry Christmas
filled with the love
of family and friends
and a 1993 blessed
with peace on our earth.

12-21-92

Dear Terry - The newest toy soldiers
are here - so lovely. May Thanks.

Merry Christmas, Happy New Year.
Soon will be back to a new life with
friends - love to all
C. Bush



FROM
THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Mr. Jerry E. Finger
Chairman & Chief Executive Officer
Charter National Bank
2600 Citadel Plaza Drive
Post Office Box 4525
Houston, Texas 77210-4525

THE PRESIDENT AND MRS. BUSH



SCHEDULE OF THE PRESIDENT

Monday, December 21, 1992

8:00 am (60 min)	<u>Personal Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
8:30 am (60 min)	<u>Meeting Regarding Start</u> (Scowcroft) (Distributed Separately)	Oval Office
9:30 am (60 min)	<u>Meeting with Attorney</u> <u>General Barr</u> (Holiday) (TAB A)	Oval Office
10:30 am (5 min)	B <u>Photo with the Philbrick</u> <u>Family</u> (Super) (TAB B)	Oval Office
10:35 am (55 min)	<u>Personal Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
11:30 am (10 min)	<u>Photo Opportunities</u> (See Attached List) (TAB C)	Oval Office
11:40 am (20 min)	<u>Personal Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
12:00 pm (60 min)	<u>Lunch</u>	Oval Office
1:00 pm (60 min)	<i>- yeltsin call</i> <u>Administrative Time</u>	Oval Office
2:00 pm (15 min)	<u>Personal Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
2:15 pm	B <u>The President departs for</u> <u>the Air and Space Museum to</u> <u>view "Fires of Kuwait"</u>	South Lawn

UNP 12/18/92
6:00 pm

REVISED 12/21/92



3:25 pm

Arrives White House

South Lawn

3:30 pm
(90 min)

*Lubers
call*

Personal Staff Time

Oval Office

6:45 pm

B Residence Staff Christmas
Party
(Firestone)

State Floor

(TAB D)

UNP 12/18/92
6:00 pm

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SCHEDULE OF THE PRESIDENT

Monday, December 21, 1992

8:00 am (30 min)	<u>Personal Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
8:30 am (15 min)	<u>Intelligence Briefing</u> (Scowcroft)	Oval Office
8:45 am (30 min)	<u>National Security Briefing</u> (Scowcroft)	Oval Office
9:15 am (15 min)	<u>Personal Staff Time</u>	Oval Office
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6:00 pm



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Monday, December 21, 1992

Photo Opportunities

Tom Skully
Dr. Burton Lee
Bobbie Kilberg

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

December 18, 1992

MEETING WITH ATTORNEY GENERAL BARR

DATE: December 21, 1992
LOCATION: The Oval Office
TIME: 9:30 a.m.

FROM: EDE HOLIDAY *Dac for*

I. PURPOSE

To meet with Attorney General Barr.

II. BACKGROUND

After your meeting with the Attorney General on Friday, this one-hour meeting was scheduled.

III. PARTICIPANTS

The President
Attorney General Barr

IV. PRESS PLAN

White House photographer only.

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

Attorney General Barr will enter the Oval Office, participate in a meeting with you, then depart.

VI. REMARKS

Remarks not required.

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

December 18, 1992

PHOTO WITH THE PHILBRICK FAMILY

DATE: MONDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1992
LOCATION: OVAL OFFICE
TIME: 10:30 am
FROM: KATHY SUPER *K. Super*

I. PURPOSE

To briefly meet with the Philbrick family.

II. BACKGROUND

Mrs. Daniel Philbrick wrote to you requesting a brief visit with her family. The Philbrick's have done work on your home in Kennebunkport. Following their visit with you, they will have a tour of the State Floor to view the decorations.

III. PARTICIPANTS

The President and Mrs. Bush
Daniel Philbrick
Mary Philbrick
Peter Philbrick
Dianne Philbrick
Mary Philbrick (Mrs. Daniel)
Kathy Super

IV. PRESS PLAN

White House Photographer

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

- The Philbrick's enter the Oval Office
- You greet them and photos are taken
- The Philbrick's depart the Oval Office

VI. REMARKS

None

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

December 18, 1992

FAREWELL PHOTO OPPORTUNITY

DATE: Monday, December 21, 1992
LOCATION: Oval Office
TIME: 11:30 A.M.

FROM: Tom Scully 

I. PURPOSE

To participate in a photo-op with Tom Scully and his family.

II. BACKGROUND

Tom is currently Deputy Assistant to the President, and Counselor to the Director of OMB. He joined the White House staff on January 29, 1989, and has served both as the Associate Director of OMB for Human Resources, Veterans and Labor, and as the Associate Director for Legislative Affairs.

III. PARTICIPANTS

The President

Tom Scully
Ann Scully (wife)
Sarah Scully (daughter)
Julia Scully (daughter)

IV. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

- * Participants enter Oval Office.
- * Photo takes place.
- * Participants depart Oval Office.

V. PRESS PLAN

White House photographer only.

VI. REMARKS

None Required.

THE BRIEFING PAPER FOR DR. LEE'S PHOTO OP
WILL BE FORWARDED ON MONDAY MORNING.

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

December 18, 1992

FAREWELL PHOTO WITH BOBBIE KILBERG AND HER FAMILY

DATE: Monday, December 21st, 1992
TIME: 11:30 a.m.
LOCATION: Oval Office
FROM: Bobbie Kilberg ^{BK}

I. PURPOSE

Farewell photo for Bobbie Kilberg, her husband Bill, and their five children.

II. BACKGROUND

Bobbie has served as Deputy Assistant to the President and Director, Office of Intergovernmental Affairs since April of 1992. Prior to that she was Deputy Assistant to the President for Public Liaison since January of 1989.

III. PARTICIPANTS

The President

Bobbie Kilberg

Bill Kilberg

Jonathan Kilberg (age 17)

Sarah Kilberg (age 15)

Gillian Kilberg (age 14)

Cameron Kilberg (age 13)

Andrew Kilberg (age 5)

IV. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

- The Kilberg family enters the Oval Office
- You participate in a photo opportunity with the family
- The Kilberg family departs

V. REMARKS

None required

SEQUENCE OF EVENTS: RECEPTION
MEMBERS OF WHITE HOUSE RESIDENCE STAFF
AND THEIR FAMILIES
Monday, December 21, 1992

TIME: 6:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

LOCATION: State Floor

NUMBER OF GUESTS: 340

ENTERTAINMENT: Marine Orchestra - East Room
Military Carolers - East Room
Army Chorale with characters

DRESS: Business Suit/Cocktail Dress

FROM: Laurie Firestone *LF*

6:30 p.m. Guests arrive Visitors Entrance and
proceed to State Floor. (Limited
parking on East Executive Avenue.)

Guests will be directed into East Room
via Cross Hall.

Refreshments are served in East Room
and State Dining Room.

6:45 p.m. Guests will be directed into East Room
for receiving line. (Photos will be
taken of each family.)

6:45 p.m. THE PRESIDENT and MRS. BUSH arrive State Floor and
proceed to Blue Room for receiving line.

7:30 p.m. At conclusion of receiving line, THE PRESIDENT and
MRS. BUSH proceed to East Room to hear carolers.

8:00 p.m. THE PRESIDENT and MRS. BUSH depart State Floor
(Approx.) enroute Residence.

9:00 p.m. Guests depart.

Daily 12/21



RONALD REAGAN

December 21, 1992

Dear George:

Let me first say how pleased and honored I am to be receiving the Medal of Freedom. It certainly means a lot to me that you have decided to recognize me in this special way and I look forward to thanking you personally when I see you on January 13.

I also thought I might bring one thing to your attention that you may not be aware of. I have heard that plans may be underway to eliminate a Radio Free Europe/Voice of America station scheduled to be built in Israel.

As I recall it, the decision to build this transmitter in Israel was the result of a direct personal request I made to Prime Minister Shimon Peres. When the negotiations were finally completed, we held a special ceremony at the White House to commemorate this event.

This transmitter will enable us to send a strong signal to former Soviet Central Asia, India, Pakistan and much of Africa, including Somalia. Although I suppose a plan for a new transmitter could be considered elsewhere in the region, it seems that this could be a disappointment to Israel as well as those who were involved in reaching the agreement with them.

I know there are certainly a lot of matters on your plate these days, but I hope you can encourage them to keep the plans to build this transmitter on track.

Nancy joins me in sending our very warm wishes to you, Barbara and the Bush family for a joyous holiday.

Sincerely, *Ron*

The Honorable George H.W. Bush
President of the United States
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

December 21, 1992

MEMORANDUM FOR ALL WHITE HOUSE OFFICE STAFF

FROM: C. BOYDEN GRAY *CM*
COUNSEL TO THE PRESIDENT

SUBJECT: Clinton Passport Search Investigations

We have recently received a request from the General Accounting Office for access to documents of certain individuals relating to the State Department search of Bill Clinton's passport file, as well as for interviews of those certain individuals. In addition, today we were formally notified of the appointment by the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia of an Independent Counsel to investigate White House involvement in the search of Bill Clinton's State Department files and the subsequent investigation of the search by the State Department Inspector General.

In anticipation of receiving soon from the Independent Counsel a document request directed broadly to the White House staff, I ask that you take every measure necessary to preserve and maintain documents and materials in whatever form (i.e., hard copy or computer) that may be of potential relevance to the Independent Counsel's investigation. You should resolve any doubt about whether a document in your possession is potentially relevant to the Independent Counsel's investigation in favor of preserving that document.

After we have received and reviewed a formal document request from the Independent Counsel, we will supplement this memorandum if necessary.

December 21, 1992

PHONE MESSAGES FOR THE PRESIDENT

1. ~~Secretary Baker~~ - He would like a return call. *free*
2. Senator DeConcini - Has just returned from Bosnia and would like to discuss the Balkan issue with you. He also has a personal message for you. *✓ got him*



12/21/92

Mr. President:

Chuck and Lynda Robb want to come to Andrews to say
goodbye as friends. Senator Robb called Jim Baker
about it.

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you know
why - !!

Very nice

CB/

FROM THE PRESIDENT

Daily 12-21-92

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Mr. Fausto R. Miranda
Blvd. Virreyes No. 135
Col. Lomas Virreyes
11000 Mexico, D.F.
MEXICO



Fausto -
Thanks my
dear friend

Gay

Thank you so much for your warm expression of sympathy. Your thoughts and prayers mean a lot to the entire Bush family. Dorothy Walker Bush was a caring and kind person and a loving mother, and we will miss her.

Gay Bush

Barbara Bush

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Letter of condolence

FAUSTO R. MIRANDA

November 23, 1992

President George Bush and Mrs. Bush
The White House
Washington, D.C.

Dearest George and Barbara,

Through the local press and television I saw that George's Mother has passed away.

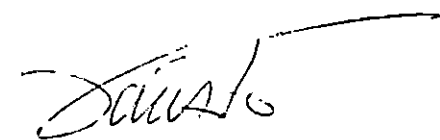
Some of us are more fortunate than others. My own Mother passed away when I was well along in my life.

Even then for me, as it must have been for you George, we would have wanted our Mothers to live just a few more years.

Elena and I accompany the two of you in this sorrow. The good Lord will help you as he has always done. The two of you have lived wonderful years together and as a team have done much for your country, family and the world at large.

As ever with the fondest regards to you both, I am as always,

Cordially yours,


Fausto R. Miranda

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

July 12-21-92
The Honorable and Mrs. David Shiverick Smith
Apartment 20C
525 South Flagler Drive
West Palm Beach, Florida 33401



Thanks, David
Thanks for caring

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Thank you so much for your warm expression of sympathy. Your thoughts and prayers mean a lot to the entire Bush family. Dorothy Walker Bush was a caring and kind person and a loving mother, and we will miss her.

Ag Bush

Barbara Bush

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cc 6/ former Ambassador

DAVID SHIVERICK SMITH

November 29, 1992

The President
The White House
Washington, D. C. 20500

My dear Mr. President:

Mary and I send our deepest sympathy and condolences to you and your family upon the loss of your mother.

Wonderful memories of her come back to me of the nearly fifty years that I knew her - observing the pride she felt watching your father preside as Moderator of The Greenwich Town Meeting, encouraging good tennis at Hobe Sound, meeting new Washington friends at their apartment at The Wardman Park and a host of other memories over the years. She was always encouraging, uplifting, and quietly inspiring. By her own example of devoted support of your father's leadership, she inspired the families of others making sacrifices to participate in public service.

These same qualities also brought forth a special generation of offspring, and even a President who helped to end the Cold War, foster world peace and disarmament and make the world a better and safer place in which to live.

I hope you find great comfort knowing the immense pleasure and pride you brought to her life. Surely there is no other mother who could have been more proud of a son.

Our hearts go out to you in your loss at this time, and we send our deepest sympathy.

Most respectfully,



Daily 12-21-92



Thanks so
much John
G. B.

Thank you so much for your warm expression of sympathy. Your thoughts and prayers mean a lot to the entire Bush family. Dorothy Walker Bush was a caring and kind person and a loving mother, and we will miss her.

G. Bush

Barbara Bush

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Mr. John Winthrop
1 North Adger's Wharf
Charleston, South Carolina 29401

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DWB

COLONY CLUB
564 PARK AVENUE
NEW YORK, NEW YORK 10021

November 24th

Dear George and Barbara -
Mrs Bush Sr and my mother were joined
many years ago in Jupiter Island. During these
enormously difficult days, I share your sense of
loss. When I lost my own mother ten years ago
these words helped. I hope they give you comfort
as well - With affection and sympathy

John (Winthrop)

P.S. Hubby will treat you both far better than you have
been treated recently. You strength + grace are an inspiration!

I am standing upon the seashore. A ship at my side spreads her white sails to the morning breeze and starts for the blue ocean. She is an object of beauty and strength and I stand and watch her until at length she hangs like a speck of white cloud just where the sea and sky come down to mingle with each other. Then someone at my side says: "There! She's gone."

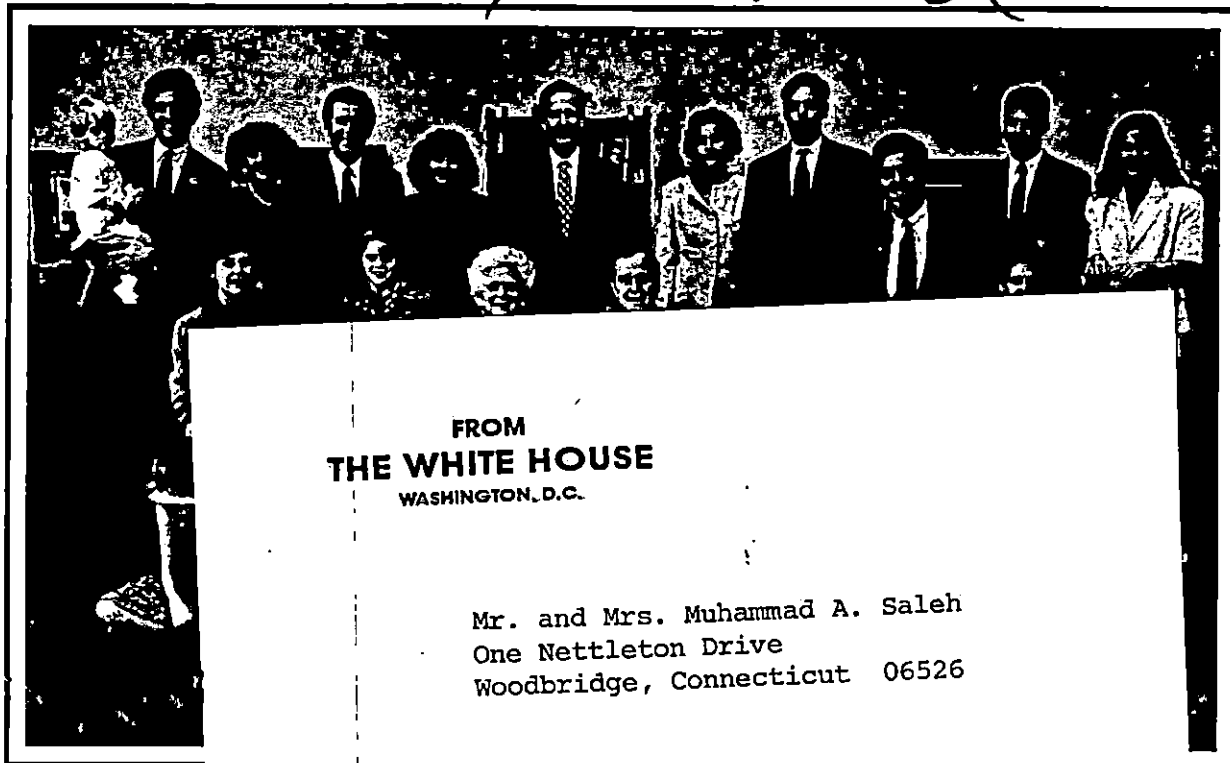
Gone where? Gone from my sight - that is all. She is just as large in mast and hull and spar as she was when she left my side, and just as able to bear her load of living freight to the place of destination. Her diminished size is in me, not in her; just at the moment when someone at my side says "There! She's gone," there are other eyes watching her coming, and other voices ready to take up the glad shout, "There she comes!" And that is dying.

- Author Unknown

Dublin 12-21-92

We wish you a merry Christmas
filled with the love
of family and friends
and a 1993 blessed
with peace on our earth.

Dear Muhammad & Mary -
I hope you have a great Christmas
- a very happy New Year. Thanks for
my wonderful presents. It is perfect.
All Budes will be on hand for Christmas
322 by - As TB



FROM
THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Muhammad A. Saleh
One Nettleton Drive
Woodbridge, Connecticut 06526

TIMEX
CORPORATION

M. A. SALEH
Vice President - Human Resources

Bush
Park Road Extension
P.O. Box 310
Middlebury, Connecticut 06762-0310

12/11/92

Dear President and Mrs. Bush:

On behalf of our entire family, I would like first to extend our deepest condolences on the death of the President's mother. Her loss was felt throughout the state. She was quite a lady and she and the President's father as well will always be fondly remembered by the people of Connecticut.

The elections results were, to say the least, very disappointing to us. We really believed you were going to win. Unfortunately the economy, while definitely on the mend, was suffering from a severe global slump, which many in the electorate did not understand. In the long run, however,

Your letter will go down in history as one of the most impressive periods since World War II. During this period you became the world's president" and you are continuing to such as evidenced by the courageous decision to help the Somali people.

We wish you a happy and healthy "transition". Merry Christmas and happy New Year. Come and see us in New Haven (and at the T).

Yours in 322

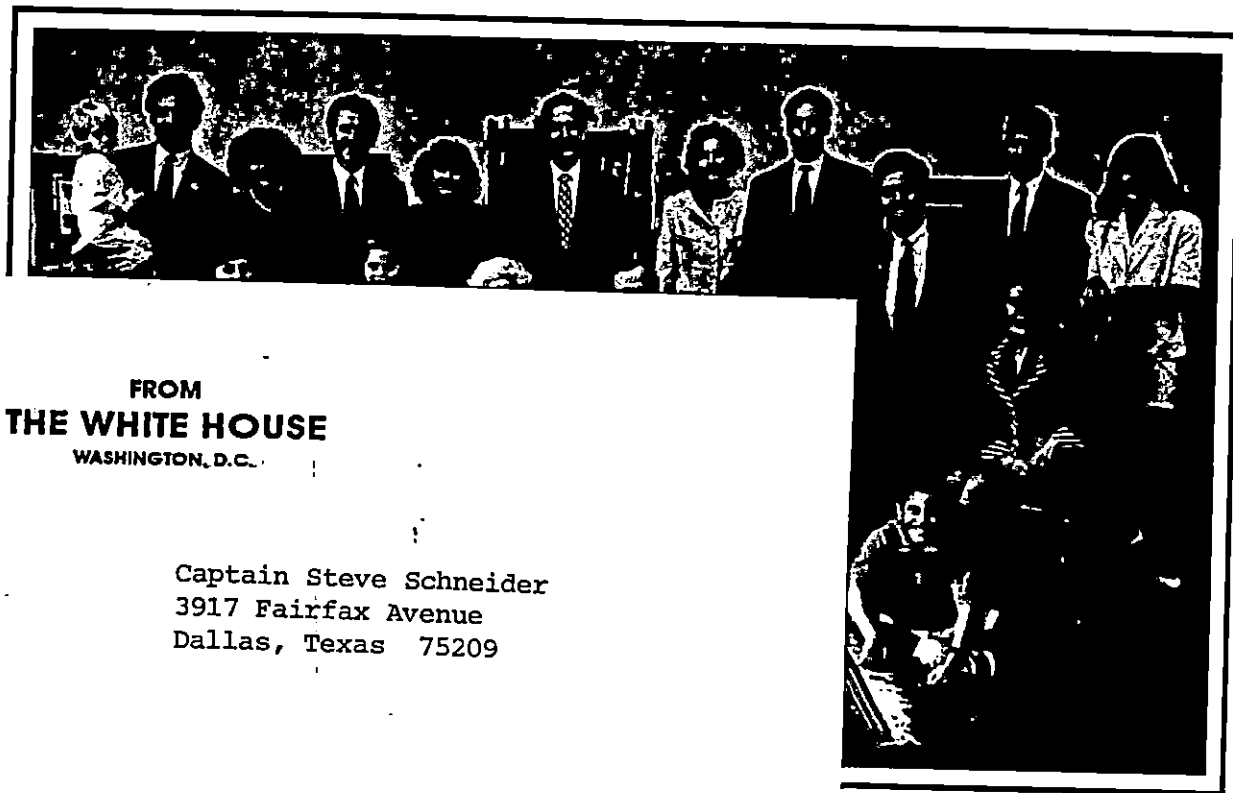
Muhammed & Mary Alek

Home: 1 Nettleton Dr.
Woodbridge, CT 06525

Daily 1221-92

We wish you a merry Christmas
filled with the love
of family and friends
and a 1993 blessed
with peace on our earth.

*Dear C. Houtail —
Loved your card.
Merry Merry Christmas —
G. Bush*



FROM
THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Captain Steve Schneider
3917 Fairfax Avenue
Dallas, Texas 75209

BUSH



FROM
THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

cc: R. Zamaria
Daily 1 copy, in/out
12-21-92

The Honorable Morris B. Abram
The Permanent Representative of
The United States of America
Department of State
Washington, D.C. 20520

We wish you a merry Christmas
filled with the love
of family and friends
and a 1993 blessed
with peace on our earth.

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Dear Morris —

Thanks for your letter (Dec. 17)
about the A-M.
Thanks most of all for your
great service to Country — Happy 1993

As Bill





UNITED STATES MISSION TO INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS
GENEVA, SWITZERLAND

EXECUTIVE OFFICE

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Page 1 of 2 pages. Date: 17 December 1992

From:

Ambassador Morris B. Abram
The Representative of the
United States of America to
the United Nations Office
in Geneva

To:

President George Bush
The White House
Washington, DC
Fax No. (202) 395.52.21

MESSAGE TEXT

PLEASE PASS THE ATTACHED LETTER TO PRESIDENT GEORGE BUSH.
THANK YOU.



THE REPRESENTATIVE
OF THE
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
TO THE
EUROPEAN OFFICE OF THE UNITED NATIONS
GENEVA

17 December 1992

President George Bush
The White House
Washington, DC

Dear Mr. President:

I have just finished reading the text of your remarks at Texas A&M University. It made me feel proud to be an American; proud to have been in your Administration and hopeful for the future if we continue to be what we have been -- as you put it quoting Lincoln: "the last best hope of man on Earth."

Larry Eagleburger was here yesterday, and amidst the numerous speeches to the Vance/Owen conference, his was the one that said what had to be said, and was said by no other -- pointing a finger at criminal conduct in the former Yugoslavia, and actually naming names.

Reflecting on your Texas A&M speech in which you said: "Governments responsive to the will of the people are not likely to commit aggression," I would like to tell you of a challenge I have laid out frequently -- never to be rebutted: "There is no instance in the 20th Century of a truly democratic country waging war against another truly democratic country."

Finally, under your leadership, multilateral diplomacy, in which I have been engaged here, has been revived as an effective instrument of foreign policy and peace. It should not be forgotten that it is American leadership which has made the UN effective in Iraq, Libya, Somalia and to the extent that it has been effective in Yugoslavia.

I thank you for the privilege of serving during your Presidency, and I hope I may be in touch with you from time-to-time in the future.

With best wishes of the Season to you and Mrs. Bush, I am,

Cordially,

Morris B. Abram

P.S. I had the privilege of seeing Jonathan Bush and his lovely wife on December 11 at the American International Club lunch here in Geneva.

THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary

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Until December 23, 1992

December 21, 1992

The President today recognized the volunteers of the El Paso Shelter for Battered Women, of El Paso, Texas, as the 992nd Daily Point of Light for the Nation. The volunteers work to ensure that victims of sexual abuse and assault receive quality care and develop a sense of well-being.

The El Paso Shelter for Battered Women is a 24-hour emergency shelter for abused women and their children. Eighteen volunteers provide refuge and an opportunity for women to redirect their lives through extensive legal, job, housing, and educational counseling. They also provide access to individual psychological and group support counseling for mothers and children. Over 4,000 women and children found refuge at the shelter last year.

During their stay at the shelter, which generally lasts 45 days, families often form lasting friendships with the volunteers, who offer emotional support and encouragement through one-to-one counseling with the women. Volunteers are also trained in crisis intervention. Teen volunteers provide direct care for the children, and seniors serve as foster grandparents.

The President salutes the volunteers of the El Paso Shelter for Battered Women for exemplifying his belief that, "From now on in America, any definition of a successful life must include serving others."

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FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Miah Homstad or Karen Barnes
(202) 456-6266

THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary

For Immediate Release

December 21, 1992

The President today recognized the volunteers of the ARCO-Bakersfield High School Partnership of Bakersfield, California, as the 990th Daily Point of Light for the Nation. Volunteers, employees of the ARCO Oil and Gas Company, provide educational opportunities and hope for the future to Bakersfield High School students.

ARCO's partnership with Bakersfield High School, formed in 1989, is currently supported by 20 employee volunteers who help students considered at risk of dropping out of school or of not attending college. Every Monday, from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m., five employees tutor students in a variety of subjects, assist with homework assignments, and provide other instruction.

ARCO volunteers also run three other programs in the school. Project 90 is geared toward students who are working at a remedial level and probably would not graduate without extra encouragement. Every Thursday, eight volunteers work with them in their classes, helping with homework, developing supportive relationships, and giving them confidence to pursue their academics. Project 2000 assists students who would not attend college without academic assistance, particularly in math and science. By sharing their own experiences, the volunteer tutors emphasize the importance of good education for a successful career. The Bilingual Program targets students for whom English is a second language. Volunteers help them improve their English writing, reading, and speaking skills, enabling them to continue their education.

According to Bakersfield teachers, students who have worked with ARCO volunteers have increased their grade point averages and developed more positive attitudes toward learning.

The President salutes the volunteers of the ARCO-Bakersfield High School Partnership for exemplifying his belief that, "From now on in America, any definition of a successful life must include serving others."

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THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary

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Until December 22, 1992

December 21, 1992

The President today recognized the Mathog & Moniello Team Volunteers (M&MTV) of East Haven, Connecticut, as the 991st Daily Point of Light for the Nation. Volunteers are dedicated to providing excellent care and educational opportunities to troubled youth.

In 1991, the Mathog & Moniello Companies established the program with a commitment to improve the quality of life in the communities where they operate. Approximately 60 of 70 employees are active participants in M&MTV. They seek out service projects each month in the hope that individual employees will continue to volunteer in areas of particular interest.

The volunteers have an ongoing commitment to Forbes House, one of three local homes for troubled youth sponsored by Youth Continuum, Inc. After hosting a Christmas party for the 11 children at Forbes House, volunteers have maintained ongoing, supportive relationships with the youth through tutoring and serving as positive, adult role models. The teenagers in turn have become involved in M&MTV projects, such as a walkathon for the Diabetes Foundation and preparing food baskets and wrapping gifts for the needy. In addition, the volunteers are always available to meet any needs that arise within the Youth Continuum, including collecting mattresses for the children and working to obtain furniture, a copy machine, miscellaneous supplies, and clothing donations.

Volunteers also participate in monthly projects, such as the Big Brother/Big Sister Bowlathon, the Toys for Tots drive, book productions for blind and visually impaired children, and the renovation of the East Haven Town Center. Both management and non-management employees work hand-in-hand with co-workers and family members in making each volunteer project a positive experience. The volunteers are quick to respond whenever a need in the community is brought to their attention.

The President salutes the Mathog & Moniello Team Volunteers for exemplifying his belief that, "From now on in America, any definition of a successful life must include serving others."

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FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Miah Homstad or Karen Barnes
(202) 456-6266

THE WHITE HOUSE
Office of the Press Secretary

For Immediate Release

December 21, 1992

YEAR OF AMERICAN CRAFT:
A CELEBRATION OF THE CREATIVE WORK OF THE HAND, 1993

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BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

A PROCLAMATION

While the United States leads the world in the development and use of sophisticated technology and materials, Americans continue to share a special appreciation of works made by hand. Our ancestors were skilled artisans and craftsmen, as well as accomplished hunters, farmers, and fishermen, and today we still marvel at their skill in carpentry, weaving, stonecutting, smithery, and so forth. Over the years, Americans have maintained a magnificent tradition of craftsmanship and folk art, in keeping with the spirit of our forebears, and it is fitting that we celebrate this rich portion of our national heritage.

Using their hands as the tools of their imaginations, American artisans have designed and developed a tangible record of our national experience. By plying trades that have been passed on through the centuries, from generation to generation, quilters, carvers, and other craftspeople of our day are helping to preserve America's history. These tradespeople and artists have produced objects of practical application, as well as lasting beauty, and many of our art galleries and museums display outstanding samples of their work.

We are rightly proud of American craft and folk art because, in many ways, these works of the hand embody traditional American values: pride in quality and service, diligence in pursuit of a goal, attention to detail, and respect for learning and achievement. By celebrating traditional American craft and by saluting the men and women who have mastered fine trades, we reaffirm the importance of those timeless values.

Crafts are inspired by the best in American tradition, yet they also reflect the informed creativity and vision of the present. Having learned from the past, today's artisans and craftspeople are adding their own unique touches to American culture. As we celebrate traditional craft and folk art in the United States, we also recognize each of the masters and apprentices who, through their works of the hand, continue to preserve and shape this living legacy of beauty.

The Congress, by Senate Joint Resolution 218, has designated 1993 as a "Year of American Craft: A Celebration of the Creative Work of the Hand" and has authorized and requested the President to issue a proclamation in observance of this year.

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NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE BUSH, President of the United States of America, do hereby proclaim 1993 as a Year of American Craft: A Celebration of the Creative Work of the Hand. I invite all Americans to observe this year with appropriate programs and activities in celebrating the traditional arts in the United States.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this twenty-first day of December, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and ninety-two, and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred and seventeenth.

GEORGE BUSH

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Presidential Phone Calls



in reply to his
request to talk
(45)

DATE: 12-21.

TIME: 7:45
incoming/outgoing

WITH: Gov. Voynowich

SUBJECT: Our Taxing program
too much in way
of local health

We relied on their
representation

Issue of tax - we can
go forward

FOLLOW UP: Tax psychiatric
hospitals (essentially
this is now the 'said') -

We Don't have to tax psy. hosp -
give us a waiver on this

gave cc's of this to Hill
follow up

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

December 17, 1992

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: Thomas Scully *Tom Scully*
Deputy Assistant to the President and
Counselor to the Director of OMB

SUBJECT: Governor Voinovich's Call and Ohio's Medicaid Problems

For two years we have had a running battle with the states over the structure of the Medicaid Disproportionate Share Hospital (DSH) program. In November, HHS issued regulations that provide the mechanism for \$16.5 Billion in payments to the states this year, and virtually every state's budget -- including Ohio's -- is severely affected by implementation of the rules.

Background

The Medicaid DSH program has become a major fiscal policy problem in recent years. DSH payments were originally intended as supplemental payments to hospitals in low income areas that had a "disproportionate share" of Medicaid patients. The concept for the program was that, because Medicaid historically had paid less than private insurers, hospitals with high Medicaid populations needed an additional subsidy. A state was required to pay roughly half the additional payment, and the federal government would match the state amount. Until the mid 1980's, this was a fairly small program of about \$100-\$150 Million a year.

In 1985, West Virginia was the first state to find a loophole in the program structure that effectively allowed them to receive federal dollars for the program without spending any state money. The virus slowly spread to Tennessee, Alabama and a number of other southern states, until the program was about \$1 Billion in 1989. At this point HHS moved to close some of the program abuses through regulation. Congress responded by prohibiting HHS from publishing any regulatory changes until January 1, 1991. During this prohibition, virtually all the other states learned how to work the program, and it grew to about \$9 Billion for 1991. It essentially became a back door revenue sharing program that had unlimited potential for draining the Treasury.

We subsequently spent much of 1991 negotiating an agreement with the Governors (including Gov. Voinovich) to restructure the program and to cap the potential federal liability. The highly controversial agreement passed both houses in December 1991, and was structured to take effect in most states on October 1, 1992.

Current Status and Ohio's Problems

OMB and HHS had lengthy negotiations with the National Governors' Association over the regulations, which were issued on November 24, 1992.

1) Ohio's Statute

In June 1992, some preliminary drafts of the regulations leaked from HHS. Ohio created its program based on its interpretation of those drafts, and submitted it to HHS in October. To obtain the \$240 Million in expected federal funds, either its current program must be approved or it must go back to the state legislature for some politically controversial changes.

2) HHS' Views

The problem is that the final regulations are different from the leaked regulations, and Ohio's statute is in clear violation of the final rules. Ohio excluded psychiatric hospitals from its program -- and the regulations clearly prohibit doing so. Ohio does have some good arguments for changing the regulations to allow its plan, and some peculiar circumstances may make Ohio's program somewhat acceptable. Nevertheless, due the 60-day notice and comment period required under the November 24 regulation, HHS cannot legally change the rule again until January 24, 1993.

In addition, in view of the states' clever expansion of payments in recent years, HHS is justifiably concerned about opening additional loopholes in a program that has grown from \$500 Million to \$16.5 Billion since 1989. HHS still has significant questions about the structure of Ohio's program.

3) Governor's Complaint

Gov. Voinovich does have a legitimate bureaucratic complaint. Ohio filed their plan with HHS in October and aggressively has tried to get a ruling on its validity ever since. The staff in the depths of HHS have been remarkably unresponsive, even though Dep. Secretary Moley and I have prodded them weekly. Had the Health Care Financing Administration (HCFA) given Ohio the appropriate attention earlier, this might have been cleared up.

As it is, the best HHS can tell the Governor is that we cannot legally approve his program now; that we will work with his staff to see if the regulation can be adjusted after January 24th; and we will try to give them clearer guidance about what is allowable under the regulation in the coming weeks.

A copy of a letter from the Governor is attached. He is prepared for the above response and is aware that you cannot immediately change the outcome.

Attachment



GEORGE V. VONNOVICH
GOVERNOR

STATE OF OHIO
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
COLUMBUS 43269-0801

December 14, 1992

The President
The White House
Washington, D.C. 20500

Dear Mr. President:

This letter represents a urgent request and I mean urgent, to win federal approval of Ohio's hospital provider tax program.

We have made every effort to meet federal guidelines, as outlined in H.R. 3395 and FHS regulations. Ohio drafted a new provider tax program in October after several discussions with HCFA staff, reviewing draft regulations provided by HCFA for states review, and our informational meeting with White House and HCFA officials on our draft plan. Because all indications were that Ohio's program would meet federal requirements, we submitted a draft state plan amendment to HCFA on October 19. In fact, I was so confident of our program, I asked you for fast track approval. When the interim final regulations were published in November, however, it appeared that all our previous discussions with the federal government were meaningless.

The greatest obstacle that currently exists involves a new requirement that psychiatric hospitals must now be taxed in order for a state program to be approved. These hospitals do not participate in the Medicaid program in Ohio and thus are not taxed under our provider tax program. If we were to revise our tax program to bring these hospitals into the Medicaid program, the federal government would send more Medicaid dollars to Ohio than currently is being spent. It is incredible to force states to tax these hospitals when it will drive up your Medicaid costs. I can't believe it.

In addition, due to the fact that our current provider tax program expired in October, I will have to call the legislature into a special, emergency session to make the changes necessary to gain federal approval in a timely manner and that won't be easy because they also won't understand why the federal government wants to increase Medicaid spending.

I am extremely upset by this last minute, bureaucratic maneuvering. Ohio acted in good faith in drafting a program in October to meet federal guidelines and now we are in jeopardy of losing \$240 million in federal funding for this vital state program.

The President
December 14, 1992
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Mr. President, I implore you to cut through this red tape and send the word to HCPA officials to approve Ohio's plan as soon as possible. As soon as our hospitals who provide indigent care hear that our program will not be approved, they will start turning people away. Even a one year exemption from the requirement to tax psychiatric hospitals would give us the time to work this out with the hospitals not participating, the psychiatric hospitals and the legislature. We will need to start from scratch with these groups.

Mr. President, I really need your help on this now.

Sincerely,


George V. Voinovich
Governor

MEMORANDUM
OF CALL

Previous editions usable

TO: Robin

☐ YOU WERE CALLED BY— ☐ YOU WERE VISITED BY—

Tom Needles

OF (Organization) Gov. Voinovich

☐ PLEASE PHONE ☐ FTS ☐ AUTOVON

202-624-5844

☐ WILL CALL AGAIN ☐ IS WAITING TO SEE YOU

☐ RETURNED YOUR CALL ☐ WISHES AN APPOINTMENT

MESSAGE

(T) 1330
Patty referred to you.

Re: setting up a call w/ POTUS
they think they found a loophole.

RECEIVED BY Subj: Ohio's Medical Program DATE 10/11/80 TIME 11:00

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

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may not happen.

Tonight -

Can we put it
till Thurs or Friday.

Call Please
Thurs. or Friday

December 16, 1992

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

1) Gov Voinovich's office called. The Governor would like to schedule a phone call with you this week. The subject is Ohio's Medicaid Program.

The background and bottom line is:

Tom Scully and HHS have been meeting with Gov Voinovich's staff on this subject. It's a legal issue. Ohio thinks they found a loop hole in the medicaid program. This could cost tens of millions of dollars and could affect every state. This battle between HHS, Scully, and Ohio has been going on and even up to this morning's meeting at HHS has not been resolved. Now, Governor Voinovich wants to bring it directly to you.

Scully, OMB, has been trying to avoid this, but it looks like you may have to do this.

We have worked out a tentative time of 1030 a.m. on your schedule for Friday with the hope that this will be resolved and you will not have to take this 10 minute phone call.

18 Dec

Friday

okay per SB

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PAXED 301-271-1369

TO CAMP DAVID
OPERATORSGOVERNOR GEORGE VOINOVICHFRIDAY - DECEMBER 18

evening	(614) 644-7644	Residence - Columbus
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SATURDAY - DECEMBER 19

early morning	Enroute Cleveland (drive time: 3 hrs.)	
10:00AM	(216) 481-8886	Residence - Cleveland
12:00PM	(216) 881-7773	Hof Brau Haus (Ethnic Christmas Party)
afternoon and evening	(216) 481-8886	Residence - Cleveland

SUNDAY - DECEMBER 20

morning	(216) 481-8886	Residence - Cleveland
2:30PM	(216) 235-2647	Lenau Park Cultural Center (German Christmas Party)
3:00PM	Enroute Columbus (drive time: 3 hrs.)	
6:00PM	(614) 644-7644	Residence - Columbus

MONDAY - DECEMBER 21

all day	(614) 644-0813	Governor's office
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GEORGE V. VOINOVICH
GOVERNOR

STATE OF OHIO
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
COLUMBUS 43266-0601

Facsimile Cover Sheet

To: NANCY WONG
Company: OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
Phone: (202) 456-2328
Fax: (202) 456-2397

From: Jill Stevenson
Company: Office of the Governor
Phone: (614) 644-0981
Fax: (614) 466-9354

Date: 12/18/92

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**NANCY: ATTACHED ARE THE TELEPHONE NUMBERS AND
APPROXIMATE TIMES THE GOVERNOR WILL BE
AVAILABLE TO TAKE A CALL FROM THE PRESIDENT.**

**SHOULD THERE BE ANY PROBLEMS REACHING HIM,
PLEASE CALL ME AT MY HOME (513) 653-3878, AND I
WILL LOCATE HIM.**

THANKS!

JILL



OFFICE OF THE
PRESIDENT
COVER PAGE

TO: CAMP DAVID OPERATORS, ATTN: Operator 12, Sgt. Rider

FROM: Nancy Huang, President's Office

TOTAL NUMBER OF PAGES: 2 pages
(including cover page)

DATE: December 18, 1992

TIME: 4:30 p.m.

MESSAGE:

The President will be calling Governor Voinovich this
weekend. These are the numbers that he can be reached
at different times of the day.

Thanks!

If you have any questions or problems with the transmission, please call:

(202) 456-2328

Office of the Republican Leader
United States House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515-6537

December 15, 1992

The Honorable George Bush
President of the United States
The White House
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. President:

At our last Leadership Meeting, I had intended to pass on a request from our incoming Freshman class of House Republicans. All of them were obviously hoping you would be reelected and they would be given the opportunity to work with you, and occasionally get to see what the inside of the White House looks like. Sadly, things didn't work out, but they have asked me to inquire if perhaps you might be able to invite them all down there with their wives for a little "do" that they might at least say they've seen the White House and met in an informal setting with you and Barbara. I think it would be a nice gesture on your part if it can be arranged and it would certainly need not be anything fancy at all.

Sincerely yours,



Robert H. Michel
Republican Leader

RHM:sy

GUIDANCE: WANT TO HAVE A "DO" FOR THE INCOMING
FRESHMEN CLASS OF HOUSE REPUBLICANS?

YES ___ NO ☒

12/21/92
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Call - will
He'll tell
Michael



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Connie Horner called
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Andy Card has
talked with Jim Baker.
He is contacting Warren
Christopher to see what
they want. Expect to have
word today or tomorrow

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**MATERIALS FORWARDED TO THE PRESIDENT
December 21, 1992**

ACTION

1. Thank You Letter to Ambassador Shoval for photographs.
2. Award of the National Security Medal to Robert M. Gates.
3. Award of the National Security Medal to Jonathan T. Howe.
4. Daily Point of Light Letters and Summaries
(December 21, 1992 - December 27, 1992)
5. Resignation Acceptance Letters for Interior Secy Manuel Lujan, Jr.; State Under Secy John F. W. Rogers; John D. Macomber, President and Chairman, Export-Import Bank; Energy Under Secy Hugo Pomrehn; Energy Deputy Secy Linda G. Stuntz; Lagos Ambassador William Lacy Swing.
6. Disaster Declaration for the State of New York.
7. Disaster Declaration for the State of Massachusetts.
8. Mail sample.
9. Thank you for Service Letters to Ambassadors Harmon E. Kirby, William H. G. Fitzgerald, Robert F. Goodwin, Edward W. Gnehm, Jr., Roger Gran Harrison, Chic Hecht, Smith Hempstone, H. Kenneth Hill, Charles W. Hostler, Roy M. Huffington, Darryl N. Johnson, John H. Kelly, Penne Percy Korth, Robert E. Lamb, Princeton Lyman, Mack Mattingly, Thomas P. Melady, Robert M. Kimmitt, J. Stapleton Roy, Loret Miller Ruppe, Peter F. Secchia, Melvin F. Sembler, Frederick Vreeland.
10. Thank you for Service Letters to Abbott M. Washburn, James David Watkins, Gregg Ward, C. M. Schauerte, Edward J. Perkins, John E. Robson, Andrew S. Natsios, Bob Martinez, Antonio Lopez, William H. Graves, Frank A. Bracken, The Director General and Director of Personnel/State Dept.

CLASSIFIED

1. Response to Fijian President Ganilau.
2. Letter on IDA-10 from the President of Benin.
3. Telephone Call from Prime Minister Ruud Lubbers of the Netherlands.

INFORMATION

1. CEA numbers -- Final Estimate of Third Quarter GDP.

REMARKS

SCHEDULE

1. And accompanying briefing papers.

Daily 12/21
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We wish you a merry Christmas
filled with the love
of family and friends
and a 1993 blessed
with peace on our earth.

Dec. 21 '92

Dear Karsten -

We all wish you a very Merry Christmas.
I am very grateful to you for the clubs!
Now, for us, it's back to Texas and a new
life. Happy New Year, too. *As Bush*



1992
THE PRESIDENT AND MRS. BUSH

FROM
THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Mr. Karsten Solheim
President and Chief Executive Officer
PING
2201 West Desert Cove
Phoenix, Arizona 85029

THE WHITE HOUSE

Mr. Karsten Solheim
PING
2201 W. Desert Cove
Phoenix, Arizona 85029

"My collection of putters grows every time a winner uses a PING putter."



Karsten Solheim
President and Chief Executive Officer

It shouldn't surprise anyone that Karsten Solheim collects putters. After all, he has been building them since 1959, the year he came up with the idea to solve not only his putting woes, but thousands of other golfers' as well. This collection is extra special, though. These are **PING** putters that professional golfers have chosen to use in tournaments — tournaments they have won. His collection has grown to more than 700 in recent years.

Karsten wants these golfers to remember their championships. So to commemorate each victory, Karsten has two gold-plated putters built. Each is

engraved with the name of the player and the tournament. One is given to the player, the other, as you can see, Karsten keeps for his collection. That way, he won't forget their championships either. Please see your golf professional for more information on **PING** putters.

PING "For those who want to putt their best."

PING Putters and the British Open Championship

In the past decade, two out of every three major championships were won by professionals using **PING** putters, as well as eight of the last ten British Open Championships.

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Presidential Phone Calls



DATE: 12-21

TIME: 17²⁰
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WITH: Bong Sanders

SUBJECT: just wish you well

sorry etc.

Tannum in March.
didn't call on that.

713-864-3684 W.

681-6135

FOLLOW UP: _____

THE WHITE HOUSE
Office of the Press Secretary

For Immediate Release

December 17, 1992

REMARKS BY THE PRESIDENT
AND AMBASSADOR SOUHEIL CHAMMAS OF LEBANON
IN PHOTO OPPORTUNITY WITH THE
LEBANESE PEACE PROCESSING DELEGATION

The Oval Office

10:00 A.M. EST

THE PRESIDENT: Welcome, and my respects to people at home. And we're just delighted you're here at the White House. I think it's proper and fitting, and I'm very pleased you're here.

Q Are you happy with the way these talks are going, Mr. President?

THE PRESIDENT: You can answer, sure.

AMBASSADOR CHAMMAS: Maybe we would have wished that the peace talks -- go ahead at a larger pace. But I take this opportunity to express the deep gratitude and recognition of the Lebanese government on behalf of my President, the Prime Minister and the political leadership, as well as the people of Lebanon. We think the initiative of President Bush in holding the Madrid conference and initiating the peace process will in the end be an historic landmark. And time will prove that we're right, those of us who have accepted to come and join the peace process, came knowing in the end, regardless of the difficulties, it would reach ultimately its fruitful conclusions. And this be good for the area, its people and all the states there.

THE PRESIDENT: A very good statement. A very good statement.

Q Do you think the deportation of 400 Palestinians will disrupt the talks?

AMBASSADOR CHAMMAS: It will loom largely over the talks. And we expressly hope that President Bush, with his weight in the administration will do what they think they can in order to have the Israeli government rescind the decision, because, in itself, deportation is bad. And under the circumstances it will adversely affect the peace process, I regret to say. And if the news were to be correct, that they could be deported to Lebanon, this will further aggravate an already grave situation in Lebanon. And I'm sure I will raise this with the President of the United States if President Bush would be kind enough to listen to me.

THE PRESIDENT: And I look forward to -- discussion. Thank you all very much.

END

10:05 A.M. EST

THE WHITE HOUSE
Office of the Press Secretary

For Immediate Release

December 18, 1992

EXECUTIVE ORDER

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HALF-DAY CLOSING OF EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES
OF THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT ON THURSDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1992

By the authority vested in me as President by the Constitution and the laws of the United States of America, it is hereby ordered as follows:

Section 1. All executive departments and agencies of the Federal Government shall be closed and their employees excused from duty for the last half of the scheduled workday on Christmas Eve, December 24, 1992, except as provided in section 2 below.

Sec. 2. The heads of executive departments and agencies may determine that certain offices and installations of their organizations, or parts thereof, must remain open and that certain employees must remain on duty for the full scheduled workday on December 24, 1992, for reasons of national security or defense or for other essential public reasons.

Sec. 3. Thursday, December 24, 1992, shall be considered as falling within the scope of Executive Order No. 11582 and of 5 U.S.C. 5546 and 6103(b) and other similar statutes insofar as they relate to the pay and leave of employees of the United States.

Sec. 4. This order shall apply to executive departments and agencies of the Federal Government only and is not intended to direct or otherwise implicate departments or agencies of State or local governments.

GEORGE BUSH

THE WHITE HOUSE,
December 18, 1992.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
Office of the Press Secretary

NOTICE TO THE PRESS

December 18, 1992

President Bush will travel to Houston and Beeville, Texas, December 28-30. The President will depart Camp David on the 28th en route Houston for a brief visit. The President will then continue to Beeville where he will remain through the 30th. The President will then return to Camp David.

The Travel pool will accompany the President aboard Air Force One. The White House Press Office staff will stay in Beeville at the Best Western Drummer's Inn. Hotel rooms for the travel pool have been blocked at the Luxury Inn in George West, TX (512/449-1192). Additional press traveling to Beeville will need to make their own arrangements. We plan to utilize a pager system similar to the one used in Kennebunkport.

A sign-up sheet is posted in the briefing room. Please sign-up if you plan to travel to Beeville, regardless if you are in the travel pool.

THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary

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Until December 20, 1992

December 18, 1992

The President today recognized the volunteers of Hot Springs Village of Hot Springs, Arkansas, as the 979th Daily Point of Light for the Nation. Residents provide a wide range of services that help improve their own and surrounding communities.

Hot Springs Village, founded in 1971, is home to 7,500 retired professionals, 80 percent of whom regularly volunteer their time and talents to help solve serious social problems. Among their initiatives is the Tutorial Program, which currently has 178 volunteers who serve students in grades K-12 from three local school districts and the community college. These tutors, who are matched with individual students according to specific needs, develop mentoring relationships while providing assistance with homework and reading.

The Levi Hospice Program of Hot Springs Village offers respite care and companionship to family members and friends of terminally ill patients from Hot Springs and neighboring communities. Twenty volunteers work directly with each patient and family on a weekly basis. They also provide counseling to families for one year or more after a patient's death. The program has helped 22 families so far, and eight are currently at the hospice center.

Through the Desota Nursing Association, 100 volunteers, including retired registered nurses, provide free health care to the residents of Hot Springs Village. The volunteers conduct classes on topics such as alzheimers disease, arthritis, and hypertension. They also sponsor the Village Companion Program through which volunteers and patients are matched and spend three to four hours a week developing supportive relationships. In addition, volunteers offer free blood and glucose screening clinics, loan medical supplies, such as walkers, canes, and wheelchairs, and install Lifeline Personal Response Systems, offering residents security in the event of a medical emergency.

Other Hot Springs volunteers work on programs that address the needs of battered women, visually impaired individuals, people with mental illnesses, homebound individuals, and others in need.

The President salutes the volunteers of Hot Springs Village for exemplifying his belief that, "From now on in America, any definition of a successful life must include serving others."

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FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Miah Homstad or Karen Barnes
(202) 456-6266

THE WHITE HOUSE
OFFICE OF THE PRESS SECRETARY

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

December 18, 1992

The President today declared a major disaster exists in the State of New Jersey and ordered Federal aid to supplement state and local recovery efforts in the area struck by a severe coastal storm, unusual high tides, heavy rain, and riverine flooding, beginning on December 10, 1992 and continuing.

The President's action makes Federal funding available to affected individuals and local governments in a three county area. The counties include Atlantic, Monmouth, and Ocean.

Assistance can include temporary housing, grants, low-cost loans to cover uninsured property losses, and other programs to help individuals and business owners recover from the effects of the disaster.

Federal funding also is available to eligible local governments on a cost-sharing basis for the repair or replacement of public facilities damaged by the severe storm and flooding.

Wallace E. Stickney, director of the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), named Stephen Kempf, Jr. of FEMA's regional office in New York to coordinate Federal recovery operations in the affected area.

The Agency said that damage surveys are continuing in other areas, and additional counties may be added after the assessments are completed.

The Agency said that residents and business owners who sustained losses in the designated counties can begin applying for assistance immediately by calling 1-800-462-9029, or 1-800-462-7585 (TDD) for the hearing and speech impaired. The toll-free telephone numbers will operate from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. (EST) seven days a week until further notice.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: FEMA (202) 646-4600.

THE WHITE HOUSE
Office of the Press Secretary

For Immediate Release

December 18, 1992

The President today announced David Q. Bates, Jr., of Texas, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Student Loan Marketing Association. This is a reappointment.

Mr. Bates currently serves as Assistant to the President and Special Assistant to the Chief of Staff.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
Office of the Press Secretary

For Immediate Release

December 17, 1992

STATEMENT BY THE PRESS SECRETARY

The President met today with Lebanese, Syrian, Jordanian-Palestinian, and Israeli delegations involved in the bilateral negotiations of the Middle East peace process. He did so to emphasize the continuing value of the process begun in Madrid, one that aims at a just, lasting and comprehensive peace based on United Nations Security Council Resolutions 242 and 338.

The President commended the parties for their sustained commitment to this process and for the progress they have achieved. It is significant that all of the parties have engaged seriously on the key issues of land, peace and security. Substantial achievements are within reach if the parties make additional efforts to address the legitimate concerns of their negotiating partners.

The actions and statements of the parties away from the table are no less important than the negotiations themselves. Both Arabs and Israelis need to elaborate their visions of peace. This will build public support for the negotiating process. They also need to form a concerted voice calling for an end to all forms of violence and avoid reactions such as deportations that risk complicating the search for peace.

Peace between Israel and its neighbors has never been more achievable. A way has been created whereby the people of the Middle East can escape the wars that have too often defined the region's history. Making peace a reality through these negotiations is the only way to frustrate those who would sabotage the peace process by violence.

The U.S. role as catalyst, honest broker and driving force was instrumental in achieving the historic breakthrough at Madrid. The United States remains an essential participant in the search for peace, willing to assist actively in making the negotiations succeed.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
Office of the Press Secretary

For Immediate Release

December 18, 1992

STATEMENT BY THE PRESS SECRETARY

Korean voters went to the polls today and elected Kim Young Sam to succeed President Roh Tae Woo. We welcome the success of the Korean people in expressing their preference in a constitutional process which enables all concerned to support the winner through free and fair elections. The President has sent his personal congratulations and those of the American people to President-elect Kim Young Sam.

We would like to take this opportunity to express our respect and admiration for the many accomplishments of President Roh. We wish President Roh well, and look forward to working closely with President-elect Kim Young Sam.

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REMARKS BY THE PRESIDENT,
PRIME MINISTER JOHN MAJOR AND EC PRESIDENT JACQUES DELORS
UPON DEPARTURE

The South Lawn

1:35 P.M. EST

THE PRESIDENT: Today's discussions with Prime Minister Major and President Delors mark our fifth meeting since we agreed to these semiannual consultations with the European Community. And the frequency of these meetings is a sign of their vital importance for the world trading system, for our own economic well-being, and for meeting the challenges of the new world. And this morning we covered a broad agenda reflecting the many interests that we share in global partnership.

On trade, we are of one mind -- we agreed that a sound Uruguay Round agreement is essential to boost worldwide economic growth. And we all agreed to conclude the GATT agreement in Geneva by mid-January.

We've instructed our negotiators to work together to this end. And we're committed not only to resolving the differences remaining among ourselves but also to encouraging Japan and other countries to join us in an energetic effort to bring the negotiations to a successful conclusion.

I continue to believe that for the people of Europe as well as of the United States, free and open trade is the key to expanding prosperity. And a successful Uruguay Round could result in over \$5 trillion in increased world output over the next 10 years. Our estimate suggests that the European Community's gains would amount to about \$1.4 trillion, and the United States would benefit from a boost of \$1.1 trillion in that period. And clearly these tremendous gains would promote the well-being of all of our citizens.

Also this morning we discussed the continuing tragedy in what once was Yugoslavia. We reaffirmed our commitment to the unhampered flow of humanitarian aid and to ending the violence there through a sound political solution.

And we also reiterated our continued support for the Russian people's brave efforts to create a market economy there. And we believe that reforms must be implemented quickly if external aid is to be effective. And used wisely, western aid can be a catalyst to democratic reform, reforms that are in the interest of all the world. And we agreed to work closely with President Yeltsin to achieve these goals.

And then I took the opportunity to share with the Prime Minister and the President our views of the Middle East peace process. I welcome the continued active role of the EC, particularly in the multilateral side of the talks.

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After Prime Minister Major and President Delors briefed me on the results of the EC summit in Edinburgh this week, I reaffirmed our longstanding support for European integration.

And so I want to thank the Prime Minister, Prime Minister John Major, and President Delors for their support and friendship, friendship they've shown me personally and most of all shown to the people of the United States. Talks such as these serve as a reminder of their friendship and of our common interests in creating a world of peace and prosperity for all our peoples.

So once again to both of you my sincere thanks. And Mr. Prime Minister would you take the floor, sir.

PRIME MINISTER MAJOR: Mr. President, thank you very much indeed. The President's covered very extensively the areas we've covered, but I'd like to touch on one or two of the matters that have crossed our discussion this morning.

Firstly perhaps, I could add my congratulations to the President on agreement on the North American Free Trade Association. I think that's an extremely good agreement and one that he can justly be proud of. I'd also like to extend my thanks and I think the thanks of millions of other people for the remarkable work that the United States is leading in Somalia at the moment.

In our discussions this morning, we centered on a number of key subjects. Central to them was concern about completion of the Uruguay Round. I think there has been some feeling over recent days that for one reason or another uncertainties, concerns in some countries, that the Uruguay Round might somehow be slipping away when agreement looked as though it was near. We addressed those particular problems this morning and we collectively agreed that we wished our negotiators to resume negotiations early in January -- the multilateral negotiations in Geneva -- and to complete the Uruguay Round by the middle of January. There may be a few odds and ends that would spill over, but our intention is to have the substantive agreements in place by mid January.

And it was our view that that was important not just in itself, but because of the confidence that would engender in the world economy, a confidence at the moment that we felt was badly needed. So I was delighted we were able to reach those agreements this morning.

We spent some time also, of course, reviewing the difficult situation in Yugoslavia. I think there is agreement on the need for political settlement. That is certainly the position the United Kingdom have continually taken. And a political settlement that does not disturb the humanitarian assistance that's so necessary for so many hundreds of thousands of people in Yugoslavia. The President and I will be continuing our discussions about that over the weekend.

Those were the central parts of our discussion. We had the opportunity of touching on the situation in the Middle East, in Russia, the international economy, and a variety of other matters as well.

But I'd simply like to conclude by thanking the President for his hospitality and for the most useful discussions we've had this morning.

PRESIDENT DELORS: I enjoy this opportunity to meet President Bush and his team with which we have worked usefully, it seems to me, during four years. And I thank you, the President, for this warm welcome.

We are in '92,, and '92 is a very important target for the community. And I, as far as the internal revolution of the European Community's concern, I underline the completion of the single European market in just over two weeks. And after the success of the European Council of Edinburgh, chaired by the Prime Minister John Major, between -- very important to confirm the completion of the single market. And simply I recall that the US-EC trade represent now over \$200 billion of dollar U.S.

And even if the Prime Minister has spoken on GATT, it is very important that I join to him to say that on GATT the EC and the U.S. share common interests. Their common responsibility means that they send a good signal to the world economy.

The EC has made not without difficulties, as you know, a very substantial contribution. We hope that others will show the same degree of openness. We should walk together to achieve soon a global and balanced agreement in Geneva. Thank you.

END

1:45 P.M. EST

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December 18, 1992

The President today announced his intention to designate Charles G. Untermeyer, of Texas and Bobbie G. Kilberg, of Virginia to be Members of the Board of Visitors to the United States Naval Academy.

Mr. Untermeyer currently serves as Director of Voice of America.

Ms. Kilberg currently serves as Deputy Assistant to the President and Director of Intergovernmental Affairs.

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December 17, 1992

REMARKS BY THE PRESIDENT
AND MR. MOWAFFAK ALOAF OF SYRIA
IN PHOTO OPPORTUNITY WITH THE
SYRIAN PEACE PROCESSING DELEGATION

The Oval Office

10:20 A.M. EST

THE PRESIDENT: We're glad you're here and look forward to hearing from you how you feel the peace process is going and all of that. We salute you for staying in the game and being at the negotiations and just -- I want to assure you of our determination to try to bring these to -- as far along as we can while we're here. And I'm confident that our successors will want to see this process actively and vigorously continued.

MR. ALOAF: Well, we are grateful very much, Mr. President, for receiving us. We consider this, really, as an indication of the great importance you attach to the peace process, something where our people and our authorities are convinced very deeply of, and they already, I think, have expressed their appreciation for your efforts.

This is your peace initiative. If we are sorry that after 13 months of this peace process we are still without real progress, it is because we know how much effort and how much especially Secretary Baker -- time, I think, has spent a lot of energy and efforts under your leadership in order to make this peace process the hopeful end for a conflict which has lasted for more than half a century -- before and after --

THE PRESIDENT: Well, we can talk in a little more detail now as to what -- how you see it, what you think we might be doing. But I -- again, I say -- welcome.

Q Do you believe the process has not succeeded, Mr. President?

THE PRESIDENT: He doesn't remember that I don't take questions at these photo opportunities. But I'm glad and appreciate your --

Q Are you boycotting the talks today, Mr. Ambassador?

MR. ALOAF: We are not boycotting the peace process. We are protesting against what's happening today when more than 400 people, human beings, sitting blindfolded, their hands tied behind their back, in buses, waiting for a decision about something which is, to begin with, really not acceptable in neither an international -- nor in humanitarian roles. So we shall tell our Israeli counterpart how we feel about that. And we believe that this is not really helpful to the peace process.

Q But you will remain in the peace process.

MR. ALOAF: We are in the peace process because we believe in the seriousness of the United States of America. We consider this invitation by President Bush to us as an indication of that importance and also as a message to the successor of President

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Bush, President-elect Clinton, a message that the peace process is important not only to the parties, but also to the United States of America and to the world.

THE PRESIDENT: I can assure you it is. And we'll see where we go. But we'll discuss that item here now as soon as we have our private talks.

END

10:25 A.M. EST

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December 18, 1992

December 18, 1992

Presidential Determination
No. 93-6

MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE

SUBJECT: Determination Pursuant to Section 2(b)(2) of the
Migration and Refugee Assistance Act of 1962, as
Amended

Pursuant to section 2(b)(2) of the Migration and Refugee Assistance Act of 1962, as amended, 22 U.S.C. 2601(b)(2), I hereby designate refugees, displaced persons, and victims of conflict from and within the former Yugoslavia as qualifying for assistance under section 2(b)(2) of the Act, and determine that such assistance will contribute to the foreign policy interests of the United States.

You are directed to inform the appropriate committees of the Congress of this determination and the obligation of funds under this authority, and to publish this determination in the Federal Register.

GEORGE BUSH

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THE WHITE HOUSE
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December 17, 1992

REMARKS BY THE PRESIDENT
IN PHOTO OPPORTUNITY WITH KUWAITI AMBASSADOR,
SAUD NASIR AL-SABAH

The Oval Office

9:30 A.M. EST

THE PRESIDENT: I don't think anybody has been more steadfast in their support of a common purpose than you have, and I am very grateful to you. And I hope you'll pay my respects when you go home to His Majesty.

But I want to take this opportunity to thank you all -- during that Desert Storm, you stayed in close touch, and you just did a dramatic and wonderful job for the coalition. And we're going to miss you, darn it.

But best of luck back there.

Q Going to Somamlia?

Q Mr. President, are you -- going to Somalia for Christmas?

AMBASSADOR AL-SABAH: I wanted to say few words to express on behalf of His Highness the Amir and my government and the people of Kuwait our deep sense of gratitude for your support, your leadership and the liberation of Kuwait. And our relationship with the United States, I assure you, will remain steadfast, strong as you like it to be.

And I wish you all the best in your future endeavors, Mr. President, and tell you the Kuwaiti people hold you in deep respect for your role here, and we're all looking forward to seeing you in Kuwait as soon as your time allows it, Mr. President.

THE PRESIDENT: Well, someday I want to do that, I tell you. I really do. It's a wonderful, wonderful invitation.

Q Will we see you in Somalia soon, Mr. President?

THE PRESIDENT: Maybe some of these fellas don't understand that under our new policy that's been in effect now for two months, that we have a more rigid policy than we used to. You've been in here many times. But under the new policy, I don't take questions at these, essentially, what are photo opportunities. And so I just simply cannot -- I understand their interest in whether I might travel someplace; but, of course, you're welcome to say anything you want.

Q Are you going?

Q May we request a news conference then, sir?

THE PRESIDENT: We've had 235 news conferences. Isn't that enough?

Thank you all very much.

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Q You mean, you won't answer the question of whether you're considering?

THE PRESIDENT: I hope you have a wonderful Christmas.

Q I hope you --

THE PRESIDENT: We will, we will. We're having the family coming here soon and everything.

Q In Africa?

END

9:36 A.M. EST.

THE WHITE HOUSE
OFFICE OF THE PRESS SECRETARY

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

December 17, 1992

The President today declared a major disaster exists in the State of Connecticut and ordered Federal aid to supplement state and local recovery efforts in the area struck by a winter storm and coastal flooding on December 10-13, 1992.

The President's action makes Federal funding available to affected individuals in Fairfield, New Haven, and Middlesex Counties. Federal funding will be made available to local governments in Fairfield and New Haven Counties.

Assistance can include temporary housing, grants, low-cost loans to cover uninsured property losses, and other programs to help individuals and business owners recover from the effects of the disaster.

Federal funding also is available to eligible local governments on a cost-sharing basis for the repair or replacement of public facilities damaged by the winter storm and coastal flooding.

Wallace E. Stickney, director of the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), named Richard H. Strome of FEMA's regional office in Boston to coordinate Federal recovery operations in the affected area.

The Agency said that damage surveys are continuing in other areas, and additional counties may be added after the assessments are completed.

The Agency said that residents and business owners who sustained losses in the designated counties can begin applying for assistance immediately by calling 1-800-462-9029, or 1-800-462-7585 (TDD) for the hearing and speech impaired. The toll-free telephone numbers will operate from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. (EST) seven days a week until further notice.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: FEMA (202) 646-4600.

Presidential Phone Calls



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TELEPHONE CONVERSATION WITH
DUTCH PRIME MINISTER RUUD LUBBERS

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Van den Broek Appointment

- Congratulations on the appointment of Hans van den Broek to the European Commission. We greatly appreciate his leadership skills and dedication to strong Atlantic ties.
- Do you yet know what his portfolio will be? We can certainly use his energy and good mind working to build the partnership between the EC and the United States.

Andriessen's Departure and the Uruguay Round

- We, of course, appreciate the excellent job which Franz Andriessen has done. I know he was under much pressure during our negotiations over the Uruguay Round and has been criticized sharply by France for the November 20 U.S.-EC agreement.
- But it is a good agreement for both the EC and the United States, especially if it opens the way for a GATT agreement.
- As you know, I discussed GATT with Jacques Delors and John Major on Friday. We agreed to work for a Uruguay Round accord in Geneva by mid-January. To promote that Carla Hills will meet with the new trade commissioner in Geneva as soon as he takes over in January.
- I look forward to your continued support for this last push under my tenure.

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Yugoslavia

- I want to express appreciation for the Netherlands' strong support for action in Bosnia and on other aspects of the Yugoslav crisis.
- As you know, we have been trying to build consensus for a more vigorous response to the Serbs and Milosevic. (You can brief Lubbers at this point on your discussions with John Major over the weekend.)

Somalia

- We are very pleased with the results to date of Operation Restore Hope in Somalia. I have just sent you a message asking that the Netherlands consider providing financial support to the UN fund designed to help defray the costs for poorer nations who are willing to provide troops. I hope you will be able to respond positively.

Farewell

- Finally Ruud, I want to express my deepest thanks for your friendship and unfailing support on so many vital issues over the past years.
- I know the strong ties between our two countries will endure. I appreciate your important role as Prime Minister for the past decade and am grateful for your friendship.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

December 21, 1992

FOR: THE PRESIDENT 22 DEC 21 A10:20

FROM: BRENT SCOWCROFT *JB*

SUBJECT: Telephone Call from Prime Minister Ruud Lubbers of the Netherlands

DATE: December 21, 1992

PURPOSE: Lubbers asked to call you about the departure of Foreign Minister van den Broek for the European Commission and European developments (probably Yugoslavia and possibly GATT).

SECURE OR OPEN: Open

INTERPRETER: None Required

PHONE NUMBER: 31 - 70 - 354 - 4400

CONTACT PERSON: Tony Wayne, 395 - 5646

TIME DIFFERENCE: +6

SUGGESTED TIMES: 2-4 pm

TOPICS OF DISCUSSION: Lubbers just named Hans van den Broek to replace Franz Andriessen as the Dutch Commissioner to the EC. Van den Broek, a committed and forceful Atlanticist, is expected to take over much of Andriessen's foreign affairs portfolio, but it is not clear if he will retain the trade dossier. That will be announced next week. The Dutch are very active on Yugoslavia, pressed by public cries to stop the violence. The Dutch have offered an F-16 squadron to help enforce the no-fly zone, want early recognition of Macedonia and favor creation of safe zones for civilians. The Dutch are supportive on the Uruguay Round, though even they face farm pressure over dairy cuts required by the 11/20 U.S.-EC agreement.

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Notice to Subscribers

This is the last issue of the *Monitor* you will receive this year.

The next issue, to be dated and delivered on Tuesday, Jan. 5, 1993, will welcome the 103rd Congress to town on its first day in session.

The issue will contain key telephone numbers, the 1993 congressional schedule and an outlook for congressional activity during the first few months of the new Congress.

Clinton Transition, House Bank Make News

CISNEROS, BROWN nominated for Clinton's Cabinet.

President-elect Bill Clinton continued to fill out his Cabinet last week, nominating Henry Cisneros as secretary of Housing and Urban Development and Jesse Brown as secretary of Veterans Affairs.

Additional appointments are expected this week as Clinton taps leaders for his administration. With the appointment of Cisneros and Brown, Clinton has named six of the 14 secretaries of major departments as well as a couple of other top posts. (See box, below)

Cisneros served as mayor of San Antonio 1981-89, the first Hispanic to lead a major U.S. city. After three years building his own businesses, he joined the Clinton campaign in August.

Brown is a Vietnam-era veteran whose right arm was partially paralyzed from a combat wound suffered in 1965. He has spent the last two decades work-

ing for Disabled American Veterans, an advocacy group for veterans programs.

HOUSE BANK report says a few members face criminal probe.

A handful of current and former lawmakers face criminal investigations related to overdrafts at the House bank, the Justice Department announced last week.

"Actual criminal conduct by some members appears to have taken place, but it is quite limited," said retired federal Judge Malcolm R. Wilkey in a report to Attorney General William P. Barr.

Wilkey's report concluded his 8½-month inquiry into operations at the bank, which was closed down in October 1991 after revelations that it allowed members to routinely overdraw their checking accounts.

"Where criminal violations were indicated, a full-scale investigation will be undertaken," said Barr.

Barr set up a special unit of five prosecutors and seven FBI agents in the Criminal Division's Public Integrity Section to conduct the investigation. It will be headed by Wilkey's chief of staff, Jim Eicher, an assistant U.S. attorney from Philadelphia.

The department did not name members that Wilkey believes may have committed crimes. Wilkey has sent exoneration letters to all but about 20 of the 325 current and former members who had overdrafts.

DORGAN SWORN IN; Barton running for Bentsen's seat.

Democrat Byron L. Dorgan, who represented North Dakota in the House for 12 years, was sworn in Tuesday as the state's newest senator.

Dorgan was elected Nov. 3 to the seat vacated by Democratic Sen. Kent Conrad. Conrad changed his mind about retiring from the Senate after the state's senior senator, Democrat Quentin N. Burdick, died. Burdick's widow Jocelyn Birch Burdick was appointed to her late husband's seat until Conrad was chosen in a special election Dec. 4.

Because of his House service, Dorgan will outrank all the senators elected Nov. 3 except Dianne Feinstein, D-Calif., who took office Nov. 4.

Dorgan also will have seniority over senators who will be appointed to succeed Vice President-elect Al Gore, D-Tenn., and Lloyd Bentsen, D-Texas, the Treasury secretary-designate.

Gore has said he will give up his Senate seat Jan. 2, and Bentsen is also expected to resign from the Senate in early January. The committee selection process will be delayed until their replacements are appointed.

Even though the appointees for these two Senate seats will probably have the lowest seniority in the Senate, leaders will still want to hear their committee preferences and discuss where they might fit in best before assignments are made.

Bill Clinton's Major Appointments

Position	Nominee	Senate Committee With Jurisdiction
Secretary of Treasury	Lloyd Bentsen	Finance
Secretary of Commerce	Ronald H. Brown	Commerce
Secretary of Labor	Robert B. Reich	Labor
Secretary of Health & Human Services	Donna E. Shalala	Finance
Secretary of Housing & Urban Development	Henry Cisneros	Banking
Secretary of Veterans' Affairs	Jesse Brown	Veterans' Affairs
Director, Office of Management & Budget	Leon E. Panetta	Governmental Affairs
Chairman, Council of Economic Advisers	Laura D'Andrea Tyson	Banking
Chairman, National Economic Council	Robert E. Rubin	*
Director, Environmental Protection Agency	Carol M. Browner	Environment
White House Chief of Staff	Thomas F. McLarty	*

* Not subject to confirmation

In a related development, Republican Rep. Joe Barton on Dec. 17 became the first candidate for the Texas Senate seat that Bentsen is vacating.

Barton announced his candidacy at the Texas Capitol in Austin, his office said. He represents a district that includes the suburbs of Houston and Dallas-Fort Worth.

Dozens of candidates are likely to run in the special election to replace Bentsen, which is expected to be held next spring following the confirmation of Bentsen as Treasury Secretary.

ROSTENKOWSKI STAMP purchases raise questions.

House Ways and Means Committee Chairman Dan Rostenkowski, D-Ill., was the subject of a fresh spate of news stories last week about his use of campaign funds and his dealings with the scandal-ridden House Post Office.

The *Chicago Sun-Times* reported Dec. 13 that Rostenkowski's campaign committee has paid him and his sisters more than \$73,000 in rent for a campaign office since 1986.

The next day, the newspaper reported that Rostenkowski's campaign and a political action committee he controls had reported buying \$26,000 worth of stamps from the House Post Office, which has been under scrutiny by federal prosecutors since mid-1991.

Those purchases were in addition to the previously disclosed \$29,672 in taxpayer funds Rostenkowski's congressional office reported spending for stamps from the House Post Office.

Prosecutors have been investigating whether Rostenkowski and Pennsylvania Democrats Joe Kolter and Austin J. Murphy converted House expense vouchers or campaign funds to cash through sham transactions made to look like stamp purchases. All three lawmakers have denied wrongdoing.

Robb Testifies. After testifying nearly six hours before a grand jury in Norfolk, Va., Sen. Charles S. Robb, D-Va., said last week that he expects to be indicted in connection with a criminal inquiry involving illegal wiretapping.

The grand jury is looking into Robb's alleged involvement in a scheme to leak a wiretapped phone conversation involving Democratic Gov. L. Douglas Wilder to the news media.

Robb has said he never heard the tape, knew only generally about its content and explicitly ordered that it not be leaked. The grand jury is expected to vote in January on whether to return an indictment, but Robb said that he had little doubt that they would.

POW INVESTIGATORS make final trip to Hanoi.

Members of the Senate Select Com-

mittee on POW-MIA Affairs made what they said would be their final trip to Indochina last week before wrapping up a 17-month investigative probe into the fates of missing servicemen.

Officials in Hanoi on Friday invited families of U.S. servicemen missing from the Indochina war to help search for their remains and agreed to open secret army files to assist in the process.

"There couldn't have been a greater affirmation or willingness to move forward on every area we asked," said committee Chairman John Kerry, D-Mass., after meeting with Communist Party General Secretary Do Muoi.

"Most significantly, the general secretary committed personally to intervene in order to guarantee that the military records we are seeking are produced," Kerry said.

Kerry and ranking panel member Robert C. Smith, R-N.H., were in Hanoi to cap a yearlong, \$1.9 million investigation into the cases of Americans either missing or killed in action during the Vietnam War.

The Bush administration moved closer to normalizing ties with Vietnam last week by allowing American firms to open offices and sign contracts in preparation for ending a trade embargo imposed in 1975.

The committee will issue its final report by Jan. 5, according to staff members.

JUDGE REJECTS suit to block Hill cost-of-living adjustments.

A federal judge in Washington, D.C., on Dec. 16 dismissed a challenge to the constitutionality of an automatic congressional pay increase scheduled to take effect Jan. 1.

U.S. District Judge Stanley Sporkin rejected claims that the 3.2 percent cost of living adjustment (COLA) violates the 27th Amendment to the Constitution, which was ratified only last May.

The amendment, written in 1789 by James Madison, says: "No law varying the compensation for the services of the senators and representatives, shall take effect, until an election of representatives shall have intervened."

More than two dozen members of the 102nd and 103rd Congresses and assorted citizens' groups had urged Sporkin to block the COLA, which will raise basic congressional salaries from \$129,500 to \$133,644 per year.

The challenge centered around the Jan. 1 effective date of the COLA — four days before members of the 103rd Congress, elected Nov. 3, will be sworn in. John C. Armor, representing the plaintiffs, argued that even though "an election of representatives" has intervened, defeated or retiring members of the outgoing 102nd Congress will also benefit from the increases.

The effect will be felt primarily in lifetime pension benefits, which are based on the highest three years of pay.

"Automatic annual adjustments to congressional salaries meet both the language and the spirit of the 27th Amendment," Sporkin said.

TAXING HEALTH benefits proposed as part of overhaul plan.

Alain Enthoven, a Stanford University professor who is the leading advocate of the so-called managed competition proposal to overhaul health-care coverage told the Senate Labor Committee last week that Americans must begin paying taxes on health insurance costs paid by employers if his plan is to succeed.

Allowing such benefits to remain untaxed, Enthoven said, would continue to insulate consumers from market costs. Managed competition is designed to establish incentives to promote the use of the most cost-effective health-care services.

Under Enthoven's proposal, quasi-public purchasing groups would be established to negotiate prices on behalf of employers and consumers with insurance companies, health maintenance organizations and other health-care providers. ■

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Public Laws — 102nd Congress

A total of 10,511 bills and joint resolutions were introduced in the 102nd Congress, and just 590 of them became public law — a success rate of 5.6 percent.

The rate of introduced measures enacted into law is generally higher in the second session of a Congress than in the first, because fewer measures are introduced in the second session and many of the bills introduced in the first year do not make it through the system until the second.

The success rate in the first session of the 102nd was 3.6 percent; while the rate in the second session was 9.5 percent. Similarly, in the 101st Congress, while just 3.7 percent of the bills introduced in the first year became public law, the overall success rate was 6.3 percent.

Members of the 102nd Congress cleared 614 measures for President Bush, who vetoed 25 of them. One of these vetoes — of a cable television deregulation bill — was overridden. This was the only time during Bush's presidency that Congress was able to muster the votes for an override (a two-thirds majority vote in each chamber is required). From 1989 to 1992, Bush vetoed 46 measures. (See *veto box*, pgs. 4-5)

Of the measures that became law during the 102nd Congress, almost a third — 180 — were commemoratives, designating, for example, "Dutch-American Heritage Day" and "National Juvenile Arthritis Awareness Week." Commemorative measures also named post offices and honored groups of citizens, such as Peace Corps volunteers.

In addition, the 102nd Congress and the president tackled quite a few contentious issues. The first measure signed into law in the first session (PL 102-1) authorized the use of U.S. armed forces to end Iraq's occupation of Kuwait.

The issue of extending unemployment benefits in light of the prolonged economic recession loomed large during both sessions. In 1991, the president signed but refused to release funds for one benefits-extension measure (PL 102-107), vetoed a second (S 1722) and ultimately signed two others (PL 102-164, PL 102-182). The first measure signed in the second session (PL 102-244) extended the number of weeks benefits are payable, as did PL 102-318.

Other legislative accomplishments of the 102nd Congress include a civil rights measure (PL 102-166), a sweeping highway and mass transit authorization bill (PL 102-240), a national energy strategy measure (PL 102-486) and a package of financial and other assistance for the republics of the former Soviet Union (PL 102-511).

The typical quickening of the legislative pace at the end of a session was compounded in 1992 by the eagerness of legislators to get home to their districts to campaign. Almost two-thirds — 223 — of the bills that became law in 1992 were cleared by Congress after the August recess. More than one-half — 194 — were cleared on or after Oct. 1, just 8 days before adjournment.

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PL 102-1 (H J Res 77). Authorize the use of U.S. armed forces pursuant to United Nations Security Council Resolution 678. Signed Jan. 14, 1991.

PL 102-2 (HR 4). Extend the time for performing certain acts under the internal revenue laws for individuals performing services as part of Operation Desert Shield. Signed Jan. 30, 1991.

PL 102-3 (HR 3). Revise, effective Jan. 1, 1991, the rates of disability compensation for veterans with service-connected disabilities and the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation for survivors of such veterans. Signed Feb. 6, 1991.

PL 102-4 (HR 556). Provide for the secretary of Veterans Affairs to obtain independent scientific review of the available scientific evidence regarding associations between diseases and exposure to dioxin and other chemical compounds in herbicides. Signed Feb. 6, 1991.

PL 102-5 (H J Res 30). Designate Feb. 7, 1991, as "National Girls and Women in Sports Day." Signed Feb. 15, 1991.

PL 102-6 (S J Res 76). Commend the Peace Corps and the current and former Peace Corps volunteers on the 30th anniversary of the establishment of the Peace Corps. Signed March 1, 1991.

PL 102-7 (S J Res 51). Designate the week of March 4, 1991, as "Federal Employees Recognition Week." Signed March 5, 1991.

PL 102-8 (S J Res 55). Commemorate the 200th anniversary of United States-Portuguese diplomatic relations. Signed March 8, 1991.

PL 102-9 (S J Res 58). Designate March 4, 1991, as "Vermont Bicentennial Day." Signed March 11, 1991.

PL 102-10 (S J Res 379). Make technical amendments to the National and Community Service Act. Signed March 12, 1991.

PL 102-11 (S J Res 84). Disapprove the action of the District of Columbia Council in approving the Schedule of Heights Amendment Act of 1990. Signed March 12, 1991.

PL 102-12 (HR 555). Amend the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 to improve and clarify the protections provided by that act; clarify veterans' re-employment rights and improve veterans' rights to reinstatement of health insurance. Signed March 18, 1991.

PL 102-13 (H J Res 98). Designate the week of March 4, 1991, as "National School Breakfast Week." Signed March 18, 1991.

PL 102-14 (H J Res 104). Designate March 26, 1991, as "Education Day, USA." Signed March 20, 1991.

PL 102-15 (H J Res 133). Designate the week of March 11, 1991, as "National Employ the Older Worker Week." Signed March 21, 1991.

PL 102-16 (HR 180). Reauthorize employment and training programs for veterans and extends eligibility for several Vietnam-era programs through Dec. 31, 1994. Signed March 22, 1991.

PL 102-17 (H J Res 167). Designate June 14, 1991, as "Baltic Freedom Day." Signed March 22, 1991.

PL 102-18 (S 419). Amend the Federal Home Loan Bank Act to enable the Resolution Trust Corporation to meet its obligations to depositors and others by providing an additional \$30 billion in fiscal 1991 to continue the savings and loan bailout. Signed March 23, 1991.

PL 102-19 (S J Res 59). Designate March 25, 1991, as "Greek Independence Day: A National Day of Celebration of Greek and American Democracy." Signed March 25, 1991.

PL 102-20 (HR 1176). Authorize supplemental appropriations for fiscal 1991 for the Department of State for certain emergency costs associated with the Persian Gulf conflict. Signed March 27, 1991.

PL 102-21 (HR 1284). Authorize emergency supplemental assistance for Israel for additional costs incurred as a result of the Persian Gulf conflict. Signed March 28, 1991.

PL 102-22 (HR 1316). Extend and improve the Performance Management and Recognition System. Signed March 28, 1991.

PL 102-23 (S J Res 53). Designate April 9, 1991, and April 9, 1992, as "National Former Prisoner of War Recognition Day." Signed March 28, 1991.

PL 102-24 (S J Res 83). Designate April 5-8, 1991, as a "National Day of Prayer and Thanksgiving." Signed March 28, 1991.

PL 102-25 (S 725). Enact the Persian Gulf Conflict Supplemental Authorization and Personnel Benefits Act of 1991. Signed April 6, 1991.

PL 102-26 (HR 1285). Amend 1990 higher education provisions to resolve legal and technical issues relating to federal postsecondary student assistance programs and to prevent undue burdens on participants in Operation Desert Storm. Signed April 9, 1991.

PL 102-27 (HR 1281). Make dire emergency supplemental appropriations for the Operation Desert Shield/Desert Storm war effort, food stamps, unemployment compensation, veterans' compensation and pensions, and other needs for fiscal 1991. Signed April 10, 1991.

PL 102-28 (HR 1282). Make supplemental appropriations for the Operation Desert Shield/Desert Storm war effort for fiscal 1991. Signed April 10, 1991.

PL 102-29 (H J Res 222). Provide for a settlement of the railroad labor-management dispute between certain railroads represented by the National Carriers Conference Committee of the National Railway Labor Conference and certain of their employees. Signed April 18, 1991.

PL 102-30 (H J Res 134). Designate the weeks of April 14, 1991, and May 3, 1992, each as "Jewish Heritage Week." Signed April 18, 1991.

PL 102-31 (H J Res 197). Designate the week of April 15, 1991, as "National Education First Week." Signed April 18, 1991.

PL 102-32 (S 534). Authorize the president to award a gold medal

to Gen. H. Norman Schwarzkopf and provide for the production of bronze duplicates for sale to the public. Signed April 23, 1991.

PL 102-33 (S 565). Authorize the president to award a gold medal to Gen. Colin L. Powell and provide for the production of bronze duplicates for sale to the public. Signed April 23, 1991.

PL 102-34 (S J Res 119). Designate April 22, 1991, as "Earth Day." Signed April 23, 1991.

PL 102-35 (S J Res 16). Designate the week of April 21, 1991, as "National Crime Victims' Rights Week." Signed April 24, 1991.

PL 102-36 (H J Res 218). Designate the weeks of April 21, 1991, and April 19, 1992, each as "National Organ and Tissue Donor Awareness Week." Signed April 26, 1991.

PL 102-37 (S J Res 64). Authorize the president to proclaim the last Friday of April as "National Arbor Day." Signed April 26, 1991.

PL 102-38 (S J Res 98). Express appreciation for the benefit brought to the nation by Amtrak during its 20 years of existence. Signed May 3, 1991.

PL 102-39 (S J Res 102). Designate the second week in May 1991 as "National Tourism Week." Signed May 3, 1991.

PL 102-40 (HR 598). Authorize the Department of Veterans Affairs to increase special pay for physicians and dentists, and to authorize collective bargaining over conditions of employment for health-care employees of the Department of Veterans Affairs. Signed May 7, 1991.

PL 102-41 (H J Res 214). Recognize the Astronauts Memorial at the John F. Kennedy Space Center as the national memorial to astronauts who die in the line of duty. Signed May 8, 1991.

PL 102-42 (H J Res 173). Designate May 1991 and May 1992 each as "Asian/Pacific American Heritage Month." Signed May 14, 1991.

PL 102-43 (H J Res 194). Designate May 12, 1991, as "Infant Mortality Awareness Day." Signed May 14, 1991.

PL 102-44 (H J Res 109). Designate the week of May 12, 1991, as "Emergency Medical Services Week." Signed May 15, 1991.

PL 102-45 (HR 2122). Authorize emergency humanitarian assistance for fiscal year 1991 for Iraqi refugees displaced as a result of the Persian Gulf conflict. Signed May 17, 1991.

PL 102-46 (S 258). Correct an error in the Solar, Wind, Waste and Geothermal Power Production Incentives Act of 1990. Signed May 17, 1991.

PL 102-47 (H J Res 154). Designate May 1991 as "National Foster Care Month." Signed May 20, 1991.

PL 102-48 (S J Res 134). Designate May 22, 1991, as "National Desert Storm Reservists Day." Signed May 21, 1991.

PL 102-49 (S J Res 127). Designate May 1991 as "National Huntington's Disease Awareness Month." Signed May 22, 1991.

PL 102-50 (S 248). Designate certain segments of the Niobrara River in Nebraska and a segment of the Missouri River in Nebraska and South Dakota as components of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System. Signed May 24, 1991.

PL 102-51 (H J Res 141). Designate the week of May 13, 1991, as "National Senior

Nutrition Week." Signed May 29, 1991.

PL 102-52 (HR 2127). Extend for fiscal 1992 vocational, rehabilitation and independent-living programs for people with disabilities. Signed June 6, 1991.

PL 102-53 (HR 831). Designate the "Jesse Owens Building of the U.S. Postal Service" in Cleveland, Ohio. Signed June 11, 1991.

PL 102-54 (HR 232). Reauthorize veterans' housing programs. Signed June 13, 1991.

PL 102-55 (HR 2251). Provide dire emergency supplemental appropriations from contributions of foreign governments and/or interests for humanitarian assistance to refugees and displaced persons in and around Iraq as a result of the recent invasion of Kuwait and for peacekeeping activities for fiscal 1991.

Bush's Veto Pen Gets ...

1989

Bill	Bill Description	Date	Outcome
HR 2	Minimum wage increase	June 13	House sustained, 247-178
S J Res 113	FS-X plane co-development	July 31	Senate sustained, 66-34
H J Res 390 ¹	Thrift-bailout bill		
	enrollment rules	Aug. 16	No override attempt
HR 2990	Labor, HHS, Education		
	fiscal 1990 appropriations	Oct. 21	House sustained, 231-191
HR 3026	District of Columbia		
	fiscal 1990 appropriations	Oct. 27	No override attempt
HR 2939	Foreign aid fiscal 1990		
	appropriations	Nov. 19	No override attempt
HR 3610	District of Columbia		
	fiscal 1990 appropriations	Nov. 20	No override attempt
HR 1231	Eastern Airlines strike		
	resolution	Nov. 21	House sustained, 261-160
HR 1487	State Department		
	authorization	Nov. 21	No override attempt
HR 2712 ²	Chinese immigrant status	Nov. 30	House overrode, 390-25 Senate sustained, 62-37

1990

HR 2364	Amtrak authorization	May 24	House overrode, 294-123 Senate sustained, 64-36
HR 20	Hatch Act amendments	June 15	House overrode, 327-93 Senate sustained, 65-35
HR 770	Parental/medical leave	June 29	House sustained, 232-195
HR 4328	Textile import quotas	Oct. 5	House sustained, 275-152
H J Res 660	Continuing appropriations	Oct. 6	House sustained, 260-138
S 2104	Civil rights	Oct. 22	Senate sustained, 66-34
HR 4638 ³	Orphan drug amendments	Nov. 8	No override attempt
S 321 ³	Indian Preference Act	Nov. 16	No override attempt
HR 4653 ³	Export controls	Nov. 16	No override attempt
HR 3134 ⁴	Relief of Joan R. Daronco	Nov. 16	No override attempt
S 2834 ³	Intelligence authorization	Nov. 30	No override attempt

1991

HR 2699 ²	District of Columbia		
	fiscal 1992 appropriations	Aug. 17	No override attempt
S 1722	Unemployment benefits	Oct. 11	Senate sustained, 65-35
HR 2707	Labor, HHS, Education		
	fiscal 1992 appropriations	Nov. 19	House sustained, 276-156
S 1176 ¹	Morris K. Udall Foundation	Dec. 20	No override attempt

Signed June 13, 1991.

PL 102-56 (H J Res 219). Designate the second week in June as "National Scleroderma Awareness Week." Signed June 13, 1991.

PL 102-57 (H J Res 91). Designate the week of June 10, 1991, as "Pediatric AIDS Awareness Week." Signed June 18, 1991.

PL 102-58 (HR 971). Designate the "Luke Easter Post Office" in Cleveland, Ohio. Signed June 18, 1991.

PL 102-59 (S 483). Expand the Green Mountain National Forest in Vermont and designate 185,000 acres in Vermont's Bennington County as protected wilderness. Signed June 18, 1991.

PL 102-60 (S J Res 111). Commemorate the 75th anniversary of the congressional char-

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1992

Bill	Bill Description	Date	Outcome
HR 2212	Conditional MFN status for China	March 2	House override, 357-61 Senate sustained, 60-38
HR 4210	Tax bill	March 20	House sustained, 211-215
S 3	Campaign finance	May 9	Senate sustained, 57-42
S 2342	Sioux Indian claims	June 16	No override attempt
HR 2507	Fetal tissue research/NIH reauthorization	June 23	House sustained, 271-156
S 250	Motor-voter bill	July 2	Senate sustained, 62-38
S 5	Family leave	Sept. 22	Senate override, 68-31 House sustained, 258-169
S 323	Family planning/abortion counseling	Sept. 25	Senate override, 73-26 House sustained, 266-148
HR 5318	Conditional MFN status for China	Sept. 28	House override, 345-72 Senate sustained, 59-40
HR 5517	District of Columbia fiscal 1993 appropriations	Sept. 30	No override attempt
S 12	Cable TV reregulation	Oct. 3	House override, 308-114 Senate override, 74-25
S 3095 ³	Jena Band of Choctaws status	Oct. 21	No override attempt
HR 5452 ⁶	Delaware River Port Authority development	Oct. 27	No override attempt
HR 2859 ³	Lynn, Mass., study authorization	Oct. 27	No override attempt
HR 5021 ³	Wild and Scenic Rivers amendments	Oct. 27	No override attempt
HR 5061 ³	Dry Tortugas National Park	Oct. 27	No override attempt
HR 2109 ³	Revere Beach study authorization	Oct. 28	No override attempt
HR 6185 ⁶	Federal court reform	Oct. 30	No override attempt
HR 6138 ³	Farm loan and grant eligibility rules amendments	Oct. 31	No override attempt
S 3144 ³	Abortion at military hospitals	Oct. 31	No override attempt
HR 11 ⁷	Tax bill	Nov. 5	No override attempt

¹ Bush asserted that he had pocket-vetoed these bills, although some members of Congress disputed that. However, Congress did not challenge the legality of the vetoes. H J Res 390 was moot, and legislation similar to S 1176 (S 2184 — PL 102-259) was signed March 19, 1992.

² Bush said these were pocket vetoes, but he sent the bills back to Congress, where they were treated as regular vetoes.

³ Pocket veto after final adjournment.

⁴ Pocket veto. Similar provisions were put in HR 5316, signed Dec. 1 (PL 101-650).

⁵ Pocket veto. Bush signed companion Senate bill (S 2964 — PL 102-544) the same day.

⁶ Pocket veto. Bush signed into law a similar bill (S 1569 — PL 102-572) on Oct. 29, 1992.

⁷ Pocket veto. Bush on Nov. 4 sent a "memorandum of disapproval" to Congress.

tering of the Boy Scouts of America. Signed June 18, 1991.

PL 102-61 (S 292). Expand the boundaries of the Saguaro National Monument. Signed June 19, 1991.

PL 102-62 (S 64). Establish the National Commission on a Longer School Year. Signed June 27, 1991.

PL 102-63 (S J Res 159). Designate June 1991 as "National Forest System Month." Signed June 28, 1991.

PL 102-64 (S 909). Extend for another four years the authority of the secretary of Commerce to grant copyright and patent protection to foreign producers of semiconductor chips. Signed June 28, 1991.

PL 102-65 (HR 2332). Amend the Immigration Act of 1990 to extend for four

months the application deadline for special temporary protected status for Salvadorans. Signed July 2, 1991.

PL 102-66 (H J Res 259). Designate July 2, 1991 as "National Literacy Day." Signed July 2, 1991.

PL 102-67 (HR 749). Authorize the secretary of the Interior to accept a donation of land for an addition to the Ocmulgee National Monument in the State of Georgia. Signed July 9, 1991.

PL 102-68 (H J Res 72). Designate Dec. 7, 1991, as "National Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day." Signed July 9, 1991.

PL 102-69 (H J Res 138). Designate the week of July 21, 1991, as "Lyme Disease Awareness Week." July 10, 1991.

PL 102-70 (H J Res 149). Designate

March 1991 and March 1992 each as "Women's History Month." Signed July 10, 1991.

PL 102-71 (S 674). Designate the "J. E. 'Eddie' Russell Post Office" in Monterey, Tenn. Signed July 10, 1991.

PL 102-72 (H J Res 255). Designate the week of July 21, 1991, as "Korean War Veterans Remembrance Week." Signed July 23, 1991.

PL 102-73 (HR 751). Expand current adult illiteracy programs and create new literacy programs. Signed July 25, 1991.

PL 102-74 (H J Res 279). Declare U.S. policy commitment to adult education programs. Signed July 26, 1991.

PL 102-75 (HR 427). Disclaim any interests of the United States in certain lands on San Juan Island, Wash. Signed July 26, 1991.

PL 102-76 (HR 998). Designate the "John Richard Haydel Post Office" in Vacherie, La. Signed July 26, 1991.

PL 102-77 (HR 2347). Designate the "Carl O. Hyde General Mail Facility" in Midland, Texas. Signed July 26, 1991.

PL 102-78 (S J Res 121). Designate Sept. 12, 1991, as "National DARE Day." Signed Aug. 2, 1991.

PL 102-79 (H J Res 181). Designate the third Sunday of August 1991 as "National Senior Citizens Day." Signed Aug. 6, 1991.

PL 102-80 (S J Res 40). Designate the week of Sept. 8, 1991, as "National Historically Black Colleges Week." Signed Aug. 6, 1991.

PL 102-81 (S J Res 142). Designate the week of July 28, 1991, as "National Juvenile Arthritis Awareness Week." Signed Aug. 6, 1991.

PL 102-82 (HR 153). Make technical amendments to the Veterans' Judicial Review Act. Signed Aug. 6, 1991.

PL 102-83 (HR 2525). Codify the provisions of law relating to the establishment of the Department of Veterans Affairs and restate and reorganize certain provisions of that law. Signed Aug. 6, 1991.

PL 102-84 (HR 1779). Designate the "Ralph H. Metcalfe Federal Building" in Chicago, Ill. Signed Aug. 10, 1991.

PL 102-85 (S J 179). Designate the week of Aug. 25, 1991, as "National Parks Week." Signed Aug. 10, 1991.

PL 102-86 (HR 1047). Make miscellaneous improvements in veterans' compensation and pension programs. Signed Aug. 14, 1991.

PL 102-87 (HR 1448). Allow the city of Pocatello, Idaho, to use certain lands for a correctional facility for women. Signed Aug. 14, 1991.

PL 102-88 (HR 1455). Authorize appropriations for fiscal 1991 for the intelligence activities of the U.S. government, the Intelligence Community Staff, and the Central Intelligence Agency retirement and disability system. Signed Aug. 14, 1991.

PL 102-89 (HR 2031). Amend the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 to provide for equal treatment of telephone and electric cooperative welfare plans for the purposes of preemption. Signed Aug. 14, 1991.

PL 102-90 (HR 2506). Make appropriations for the legislative branch for fiscal 1992. Signed Aug. 14, 1991.

PL 102-91 (HR 2901). Authorize the transfer by lease of four vessels to the govern-

ment of Greece. Signed Aug. 14, 1991.

PL 102-92 (H J Res 166). Designate Sept. 13, 1991, as "Commodore John Barry Day." Signed Aug. 14, 1991.

PL 102-93 (H J Res 264). Designate Aug. 1, 1991, as "Helsinki Human Rights Day." Signed Aug. 14, 1991.

PL 102-94 (H J Res 309). Designate Aug. 29, 1991, as "National Sarcoidosis Awareness Day." Signed Aug. 14, 1991.

PL 102-95 (S 1593). Improve the operations and effectiveness of the United States National Commission on Libraries and Information Science by authorizing the commission to accept in-kind contributions and administrative support from all federal agencies. Signed Aug. 14, 1991.

PL 102-96 (S 1594). Honor and commend the efforts of Terry Beirn, and amend the Public Health Service Act to resume and make technical amendments to the community-based AIDS research initiative. Signed Aug. 14, 1991.

PL 102-97 (S J Res 72). Designate the week of Sept. 15, 1991, as "National Rehabilitation Week." Signed Aug. 14, 1991.

PL 102-98 (HR 904). Direct the secretary of the Interior to prepare a national historic landmark theme study on African-American history. Signed Aug. 17, 1991.

PL 102-99 (HR 991). Extend the expiration date of the Defense Production Act of 1950 through Sept. 30, 1991. Signed Aug. 17, 1991.

PL 102-100 (HR 1006). Authorize appropriations for fiscal 1992 for the Federal Maritime Commission. Signed Aug. 17, 1991.

PL 102-101 (HR 1143). Authorize a study of nationally significant places in American labor history. Signed Aug. 17, 1991.

PL 102-102 (HR 1213). Amend the District of Columbia Self-Government and Governmental Reorganization Act to establish a formula for determining the amount of the annual federal payment to the District of Columbia. Signed Aug. 17, 1991.

PL 102-103 (HR 2313). Extend the authorization of appropriations for the School Dropout Demonstration Assistance Act of 1988 through fiscal 1993. Signed Aug. 17, 1991.

PL 102-104 (HR 2427). Make appropriations for energy and water development for fiscal 1992. Signed Aug. 17, 1991.

PL 102-105 (HR 2968). Waive the period of congressional review of certain District of Columbia acts. Signed Aug. 17, 1991.

PL 102-106 (HR 2969). Permit the mayor of the District of Columbia to reduce the budgets of the Board of Education and other independent agencies of the District to permit the District to carry out a program to reduce the number of employees of the District government. Signed Aug. 17, 1991.

PL 102-107 (HR 3201). Provide emergency federal unemployment compensation. Signed Aug. 17, 1991. (*President Bush refused to designate the funds authorized by the bill as emergency spending, thus preventing the implementation of the legislation.*)

PL 102-108 (S 1608). Make technical amendments to the Nutrition Information and Labeling Act. Signed Aug. 17, 1991.

PL 102-109 (H J Res 332). Make continuing appropriations for fiscal 1992 from Oct. 1, 1991, to Oct. 29, 1991. Signed Sept. 30, 1991.

PL 102-110 (S 296). Amend the Immigration and Nationalization Act to provide for special immigrant status for certain aliens who have served honorably (or are enlisted to serve) in the armed forces of the United States for at least 12 years. Signed Oct. 1, 1991.

PL 102-111 (HR 3291). Make appropriations for the District of Columbia for fiscal 1992. Signed Oct. 1, 1991.

PL 102-112 (H J Res 23). Designate the weeks of Nov. 24, 1991, and Nov. 22, 1992, each as "National Family Week." Signed Oct. 3, 1991.

PL 102-113 (H J Res 233). Designate Sept. 20, 1991, as "National POW/MIA Recognition Day" and authorize display of the National League of Families POW/MIA flag. Signed Oct. 3, 1991.

PL 102-114 (S J Res 73). Designate October 1991 as "National Domestic Violence Awareness Month." Signed Oct. 3, 1991.

PL 102-115 (S J Res 115). Designate October 1991 as "Polish American Heritage Month." Signed Oct. 3, 1991.

PL 102-116 (S J Res 126). Designate the second Sunday in October 1991 as "National Children's Day." Signed Oct. 3, 1991.

PL 102-117 (S J Res 151). Designate Oct. 6, 1991, and Oct. 6, 1992, each as "German-American Day." Signed Oct. 3, 1991.

PL 102-118 (S 363). Authorize the addition of 15 acres to Morristown National Historic Park. Signed Oct. 4, 1991.

PL 102-119 (S 1106). Amend the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act. Signed Oct. 7, 1991.

PL 102-120 (S J Res 95). Designate October 1991 as "National Breast Cancer Awareness Month." Signed Oct. 7, 1991.

PL 102-121 (S J Res 78). Designate November 1991 and November 1992 each as "National Hospice Month." Signed Oct. 8, 1991.

PL 102-122 (S J Res 156). Designate the week of October 6, 1991, as "Mental Illness Awareness Week." Signed Oct. 8, 1991.

PL 102-123 (S J Res 172). Authorize the president to proclaim November 1991 and each November thereafter as "National American Indian Heritage Month." Signed Oct. 9, 1991.

PL 102-124 Extend for 31 days the legislative reinstatement of the power of Indian tribes to exercise criminal jurisdiction over Indians. Signed Oct. 9, 1991.

PL 102-125 (H J Res 189). Designate Oct. 8, 1991, as "National Firefighters Day." Signed Oct. 10, 1991.

PL 102-126 (H J Res 305). Designate October 1991 as "Country Music Month." Signed Oct. 10, 1991.

PL 102-127 (S 868). Improve educational assistance benefits for members of the Selected Reserve of the Armed Forces who served on active duty during the Persian Gulf War. Signed Oct. 10, 1991.

PL 102-128 (S J Res 132). Designate the week of Oct. 13, 1991, as "National Radon Action Week." Signed Oct. 10, 1991.

PL 102-129 (HR 2935). Designate the "Patrick P. Patton U.S. Post Office Building" in Cleveland, Ohio. Signed Oct. 15, 1991.

PL 102-130 (HR 2387). Authorize appropriations for certain programs for the conservation of the striped bass. Signed Oct. 17, 1991.

PL 102-131 (H J Res 303). Designate October 1991 as "Crime Prevention Month." Signed Oct. 17, 1991.

PL 102-132 (HR 3259). Authorize appropriations for drug abuse education and prevention programs relating to youth gangs and to runaway and homeless youth. Signed Oct. 18, 1991.

PL 102-133 (S J Res 107). Designate Oct. 15, 1991, as "National Law Enforcement Memorial Dedication Day." Signed Oct. 18, 1991.

PL 102-134 (H J Res 230). Designate Oct. 16, 1991, and Oct. 16, 1992, each as "World Food Day." Signed Oct. 21, 1991.

PL 102-135 (HR 3280). Provide for a study, to be conducted by the National Academy of Sciences, on how the government can improve the decennial census of population. Signed Oct. 24, 1991.

PL 102-136 (HR 2426). Make appropriations for military construction for the Department of Defense for fiscal 1992. Signed Oct. 25, 1991.

PL 102-137 (HR 972). Make permanent the legislative reinstatement, following the decision of *Duro v. Reina*, of the power of Indian tribes to exercise criminal jurisdiction over Indians. Signed Oct. 28, 1991.

PL 102-138 (HR 1415). Authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1992 and 1993 for the Department of State. Signed Oct. 28, 1991.

PL 102-139 (HR 2519). Make appropriations for the departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, commissions, corporations and offices for fiscal 1992. Signed Oct. 28, 1991.

PL 102-140 (HR 2608). Make appropriations for the departments of Commerce, Justice and State, the judiciary and related agencies for fiscal 1992. Signed Oct. 28, 1991.

PL 102-141 (HR 2622). Make appropriations for the Treasury Department, the U.S. Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President and certain independent agencies for fiscal 1992. Signed Oct. 28, 1991.

PL 102-142 (HR 2698). Make appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, rural development, the Food and Drug Administration, and related agencies for fiscal 1992. Signed Oct. 28, 1991.

PL 102-143 (HR 2942). Make appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for fiscal 1992. Signed Oct. 28, 1991.

PL 102-144 (H J Res 340). Designate the week of Oct. 19, 1991, as "National Red Ribbon Week for a Drug-Free America." Signed Oct. 28, 1991.

PL 102-145 (H J Res 360). Make continuing appropriations for fiscal 1992 from Oct. 29, 1991, through Nov. 14, 1991. Signed Oct. 28, 1991.

PL 102-146 (S J Res 137). Designate October 1991 as "National Down Syndrome Awareness Month." Signed Oct. 28, 1991.

PL 102-147 (S J Res 192). Designate Oct. 30, 1991, as "Refugee Day." Signed Oct. 28, 1991.

PL 102-148 (HR 470). Authorize the secretary of Transportation to release the restrictions, requirements and conditions imposed in connection with the conveyance of certain lands to the city of Gary, Ind. Signed Oct. 30, 1991.

PL 102-149 (S J Res 160). Designate the week of Oct. 20, 1991, as "World Population Awareness Week." Signed Oct. 30, 1991.

PL 102-150 (HR 1720). Permit the secretary of Health and Human Services to enter into an agreement with the mayor of the District of Columbia with respect to capital improvements necessary for the delivery of mental-health services in the district. Signed Oct. 31, 1991.

PL 102-151 (S 1823). Authorize the Department of Veterans Affairs to use for the operation and maintenance of the National Memorial Cemetery of Arizona funds appropriated during fiscal 1992 for the National Cemetery System. Signed Nov. 5, 1991.

PL 102-152 (HR 1046). Authorize a 3.7 percent cost of living adjustment for disabled veterans and their families. Signed Nov. 12, 1991.

PL 102-153 (H J Res 280). Designate the week of Nov. 10, 1991, as "Hire a Veteran Week." Signed Nov. 12, 1991.

PL 102-154 (HR 2686). Make appropriations for the Department of Interior and related agencies for fiscal 1992. Signed Nov. 13, 1991.

PL 102-155 (H J Res 175). Designate the weeks beginning Dec. 1, 1991, and Nov. 29, 1992, each as "National Home Care Week." Signed Nov. 13, 1991.

PL 102-156 (H J Res 177). Designate Nov. 16, 1991, as "Dutch-American Heritage Day." Signed Nov. 13, 1991.

PL 102-157 (H J Res 281). Approve the extension of non-discriminatory treatment with respect to the products of the Mongolian People's Republic. Signed Nov. 13, 1991.

PL 102-158 (H J Res 282). Approve the extension of non-discriminatory treatment with respect to the products of the People's Republic of Bulgaria. Signed Nov. 13, 1991.

PL 102-159 (S 1848). Restore the authority of the secretary of Education to make certain preliminary payments to local educational agencies. Signed Nov. 13, 1991.

PL 102-160 (S J Res 36). Designate the months of November 1991 and November 1992 each as "National Alzheimer's Disease Month." Signed Nov. 13, 1991.

PL 102-161 (S J Res 145). Designate the week of Nov. 10, 1991, as "National Women Veterans Recognition Week." Signed Nov. 13, 1991.

PL 102-162 (S J Res 188). Designate November 1991 as "National Red Ribbon Month." Signed Nov. 13, 1991.

PL 102-163 (H J Res 374). Make continuing appropriations for fiscal 1992 from Nov. 15, 1991, through Nov. 26, 1991. Signed Nov. 15, 1991.

PL 102-164 (HR 3575). Provide federal supplemental compensation (unemployment benefits). Signed Nov. 15, 1991.

PL 102-165 (H J Res 140). Designate Nov. 19, 1991, as "National Philanthropy Day." Signed Nov. 18, 1991.

PL 102-166 (S 1745). Strengthen and improve federal civil rights laws to provide for damages in cases of intentional employment discrimination and to clarify provisions regarding disparate impact actions. Signed Nov. 21, 1991.

PL 102-167 (HR 3350). Extend the United States Commission on Civil Rights through fiscal 1994. Signed Nov. 26, 1991.

PL 102-168 (HR 3402). Revise and extend certain Public Health Service programs regarding health information and health promotion. Signed Nov. 26, 1991.

PL 102-169 (H J Res 215). Acknowledge the sacrifices that military families have made on behalf of the nation and designate Nov. 25, 1991, as "National Military Families Recognition Day." Signed Nov. 26, 1991.

PL 102-170 (HR 3839). Make appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services and Education and related agencies for fiscal 1992. Signed Nov. 26, 1991.

PL 102-171 (S 374). Settle all claims of the Aroostook Band of Micmacs resulting from the band's omission from the Maine Indian Claims Settlement Act of 1980. Signed Nov. 26, 1991.

PL 102-172 (HR 2521). Make appropriations for the Department of Defense for fiscal 1992. Signed Nov. 26, 1991.

PL 102-173 (S 1475). Reauthorize, through fiscal 1995, programs under the Protection and Advocacy for Mentally Ill Individuals Act of 1986. Signed Nov. 27, 1991.

PL 102-174 (S J Res 207). Designate the week of Dec. 1, 1991, and the week of Nov. 29, 1992, each as "National Adoption Week." Signed Nov. 27, 1991.

PL 102-175 (HR 2270). Protect employees in the Senior Executive Service to permit reductions in pay only for reasons of misconduct. Signed Dec. 2, 1991.

PL 102-176 (H J Res 125). Designate the week of Nov. 24, 1991, and the week of Nov. 22, 1992, each as "National Family Caregivers Week." Signed Dec. 2, 1991.

PL 102-177 (H J Res 130). Designate January 1 as "National Ellis Island Day." Signed Dec. 2, 1991.

PL 102-178 (H J Res 327). Designate 1992 as the "Year of the Gulf of Mexico." Signed Dec. 2, 1991.

PL 102-179 (S 1568). Amend the act incorporating the American Legion so as to redefine eligibility for membership therein. Signed Dec. 2, 1991.

PL 102-180 (S 1720). Reauthorize appropriations for the Navajo-Hopi Relocation Housing Program for fiscal 1992-95. Signed Dec. 2, 1991.

PL 102-181 (HR 3728). Provide for a six-month extension of the Commission on the Bicentennial of the Constitution, until June 30, 1992. Signed Dec. 3, 1991.

PL 102-182 (HR 1724). Provide for permanent and unconditional most-favored-nation trade status for Czechoslovakia and Hungary, ending the application of the Jackson-Vanik provisions of the 1974 Trade Act. (The measure also provides extra unemployment benefits to jobless workers; expands trade ties with the Baltic nations of Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania; expands trade ties with the Andean nations of Bolivia, Ecuador, Colombia and Peru; and requires the president to impose strict trade sanctions on countries that use, produce or stockpile biological or chemical weapons.) Signed Dec. 4, 1991.

PL 102-183 (HR 2038). Authorize appropriations for fiscal 1992 for intelligence activities of the U.S. government, the Intelligence Community Staff, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System. Signed Dec. 4, 1991.

PL 102-184 (HR 3394). Amend the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act to expand programs established in 1988 to give Indian tribes more authority to carry out certain services. Signed Dec. 4, 1991.

PL 102-185 (HR 3624). Provide appropriate procedures for the appointment of the chairman of the U.S. International Trade Commission. Signed Dec. 4, 1991.

PL 102-186 (S 1563). Authorize appropriations to carry out the National Sea Grant College Program Act. Signed Dec. 4, 1991.

PL 102-187 (S J Res 187). Make technical corrections to PL 101-549 (Clean Air Act). Signed Dec. 4, 1991.

PL 102-188 (S J Res 217). Authorize and request the president to proclaim 1992 as the "Year of the American Indian." Signed Dec. 4, 1991.

PL 102-189 (H J Res 201). Designate the week of Dec. 1, 1991, and the week of Nov. 15, 1992, each as "Geography Awareness Week." Signed Dec. 4, 1991.

PL 102-190 (HR 2100). Authorize appropriations for fiscal 1992-93

Public Laws

A total of 347 bills became public laws in 1992 — the second session of the 102nd Congress; 243 bills were signed into law in the first session.

The second session of a Congress generally produces a significantly greater number of public laws than the first, since so many of the bills that are introduced in the first session take the full two years to make it through the legislative process. Typically, about two-thirds of the bills that become law in a congressional term are enacted during the second session. Legislators in the 102nd Congress, however, spread their work out a little more evenly over the two-year period, with about 58 percent of the total number of public laws enacted in 1992.

Following is a list of the number of public laws enacted in each year since 1971.

Year	Public Laws	Year	Public Laws
1992	347	1981	145
1991	243	1980	426
1990	410	1979	187
1989	240	1978	410
1988	471	1977	223
1987	242	1976	383
1986	424	1975	205
1985	240	1974	402
1984	408	1973	247
1983	215	1972	383
1982	328	1971	224

for military functions of the Department of Defense and prescribe military personnel levels for fiscal years 1992 and 1993. Signed Dec. 5, 1991.

PL 102-191 (HR 2629). Amend the Small Business Act to assist the development of small business concerns owned and controlled by women. Signed Dec. 5, 1991.

PL 102-192 (S J Res 184). Designate November 1991 as "National Accessible Housing Month." Signed Dec. 5, 1991.

PL 102-193 (HR 3919). Extend the Defense Production Act of 1950 through March 1, 1992. Signed Dec. 6, 1991.

PL 102-194 (S 272). Provide for a coordinated federal research program to ensure continued United States leadership in high-performance computing. Signed Dec. 9, 1991.

PL 102-195 (HR 1988). Authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. Signed Dec. 9, 1991.

PL 102-196 (HR 3370). Direct the secretary of the Interior to carry out a study and make recommendations to the Congress regarding the feasibility of establishing a Native American cultural center in Oklahoma City, Okla. Signed Dec. 9, 1991.

PL 102-197 (H J Res 346). Approve the extension of nondiscriminatory treatment with respect to the products of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics. Signed Dec. 9, 1991.

PL 102-198 (S 1284). Make technical corrections in the Judicial Improvements Act of 1990. Signed Dec. 9, 1991.

PL 102-199 (HR 525). Amend the federal charter for the Boys Clubs of America to reflect the change of the name of the organization to the Boy's & Girl's Clubs of America. Signed Dec. 10, 1991.

PL 102-200 (HR 829). Make changes in the composition of the eastern and western federal judicial districts of Virginia. Signed Dec. 10, 1991.

PL 102-201 (HR 848). Change the name of the Custer Battlefield National Monument to the Little Bighorn National Battlefield Park and authorize the establishment of a memorial at the park to honor the Indians who fought in the Battle of the Little Bighorn. Signed Dec. 10, 1991.

PL 102-202 (HR 990). Authorize additional appropriations for land acquisition at Monocacy National Battlefield, Md. Signed Dec. 10, 1991.

PL 102-203 (HR 3322). Designate the Wellston Station facility of the U.S. Postal Service in St. Louis, Mo., as the "Gwen B. Giles Post Office Building." Signed Dec. 10, 1991.

PL 102-204 (HR 3531). Authorize fiscal 1992 appropriations for the Patent and Trademark Office in the department of Commerce and authorize an increase in patent and trademark fees. Signed Dec. 10, 1991.

PL 102-205 (HR 3709). Waive the period of congressional review for certain District of Columbia acts and permit the council of the District of Columbia to enact laws relating to attorneys and the representation of indigents in criminal cases. Signed Dec. 10, 1991.

PL 102-206 (H J Res 191). Designate the week of Jan. 5, 1992, as "National Law Enforcement Training Week." Signed Dec. 10, 1991.

PL 102-207 (H J Res 212). Designate the week of Feb. 16, 1992, as "National Visiting Nurse Associations Week." Signed Dec. 10, 1991.

PL 102-208 (H J Res 300). Designate the month of May 1992 as "National Trauma Awareness Month." Signed Dec. 10, 1991.

PL 102-209 (H J Res 356). Designate December 1991 as "Bicentennial of the District of Columbia Month." Signed Dec. 10, 1991.

PL 102-210 (H J Res 372). Designate Dec. 21, 1991, as "Basketball Centennial Day." Signed Dec. 10, 1991.

PL 102-211 (HR 690). Authorize the National Park Service to acquire and manage the Mary McLeod Bethune Council House National Historic Site. Signed Dec. 11, 1991.

PL 102-212 (HR 794). Establish the Silvio O. Conte National Fish and Wildlife Refuge. Signed Dec. 11, 1991.

PL 102-213 (HR 948). Designate the U.S. courthouse located at 120 North Henry Street in Madison, Wis., as the "Robert W. Kastenmeier United States Courthouse." Signed Dec. 11, 1991.

PL 102-214 (HR 1099). Amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act by designating segments of the Lamprey River in the state of New Hampshire for study for potential addition to the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System. Signed Dec. 11, 1991.

PL 102-215 (HR 3012). Amend the Wild and Scenic River Act by designating the White Clay Creek in Delaware and Pennsylvania for study for potential addition to the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System. Signed Dec. 11, 1991.

PL 102-216 (HR 3169). Lengthen from 5 years to 7 years the expiration period applicable to legislative authority relating to construction of commemorative works on federal land in the District of Columbia and its environs. Signed Dec. 11, 1991.

PL 102-217 (HR 3245). Designate certain National Forest System lands in the state of Georgia as wilderness. Signed Dec. 11, 1991.

PL 102-218 (HR 3327). Amend title 38, U.S. Code, to provide for the designation of an assistant secretary of the Department of Veterans Affairs as the Chief Minority Affairs Officer of the department. Signed Dec. 11, 1991.

PL 102-219 (HR 3387). Amend the Pennsylvania Avenue Development Corporation Act of 1972 to authorize appropriations for implementation of the development plan for Pennsylvania Avenue between the Capitol and the White House. Signed Dec. 11, 1991.

PL 102-220 (HR 3604). Direct acquisitions within the Eleven Point Wild and Scenic River to establish the Greer Spring Special Management Area in Missouri. Signed Dec. 11, 1991.

PL 102-221 (HR 3932). Improve the operational efficiency of the James Madison Memorial Fellowship Foundation. Signed Dec. 11, 1991.

PL 102-222 (S 2050). Ensure that the ceiling established with respect to health education assistance loans does not prohibit the provision of federal loan insurance to new and previous borrowers under such loan program. Signed Dec. 11, 1991.

PL 102-223 (S 2098). Authorize the president to appoint Maj. Gen. Jerry Ralph Curry to the Office of Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration. Signed Dec. 11, 1991.

PL 102-224 (S J Res 198). Recognize contributions federal civilian employees provided during the attack on Pearl Harbor and during World War II. Signed Dec. 11, 1991.

PL 102-225 (HR 3881). Expand the boundaries of Stones River National Battlefield, Tenn. Signed Dec. 11, 1991.

PL 102-226 (HR 2105). Designate the area in Calhoun County, Texas, known as Rancho La Bahia as the "Myrtle Foester Whitmire National Wildlife Refuge." Signed Dec. 11, 1991.

PL 102-227 (HR 3909). Amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend certain expiring provisions. Signed Dec. 11, 1991.

PL 102-228 (HR 3807). Amend the Arms Export Control Act to authorize the president to transfer certain military equipment to member countries of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization in conjunction with implementations of the Treaty on Conventional Armed Forces in Europe. Signed Dec. 12, 1991.

PL 102-229 (H J Res 157). Make supplemental appropriations for fiscal 1992 and make technical corrections and correct enrollment errors in certain acts making appropriations for fiscal 1992. Signed Dec. 12, 1991.

PL 102-230 (HR 3576). Amend the Cranston-Gonzalez National Affordable Housing Act to reserve assistance under the HOME Investment Partnerships Act for certain insular areas. Signed Dec. 12, 1991.

PL 102-231 (HR 1476). Provide for the divestiture of certain properties of the San Carlos Indian irrigation project in the state of Arizona. Signed Dec. 12, 1991.

PL 102-232 (HR 3049). Amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to restore authority in courts to naturalize persons as citizens. Signed Dec. 12, 1991.

PL 102-233 (HR 3435). Provide funding for the resolution of failed savings associations and working capital for the Resolution Trust Corporation, and to restructure the Oversight Board and the Resolution Trust Corporation. Signed Dec. 12, 1991.

PL 102-234 (HR 3595). Delay until Sept. 30, 1992, the issuance of any regulations by the secretary of Health and Human Services changing the treatment of voluntary contributions and provider-specific taxes by states as a source of a state's expenditures for which federal financial participation is available under the Medicaid program. Signed Dec. 12, 1991.

PL 102-235 (S 367). Amend the Job Training Partnership Act to encourage a broader range of training and job placement for women. Signed Dec. 12, 1991.

PL 102-236 (S 1532). Revise and extend the programs under the Abandoned Infants Assistance Act of 1988. Signed Dec. 12, 1991.

PL 102-237 (HR 3029). Enact the Food, Agriculture, Conservation and Trade Act Amendments of 1991. (Technical and substantive changes to the 1990 farm bill.) Signed Dec. 13, 1991.

PL 102-238 (S 1193). Make technical amendments to various Indian laws. Signed Dec. 17, 1991.

PL 102-239 (S 1891). Permit the secretary of Health and Human Services to waive certain recovery requirements with respect to the construction or remodeling of facilities. Signed Dec. 17, 1991.

PL 102-240 (HR 2950). Develop a national intermodal surface transportation system; and authorize funds for construction of highways, for highway safety programs, and for mass transit programs. Signed Dec. 18, 1991.

PL 102-241 (HR 1776). Authorize fiscal 1992 funds for the U.S. Coast Guard. Signed Dec. 19, 1991.

PL 102-242 (S 543). Reform federal deposit insurance, protect the deposit insurance funds and improve supervision and regulation of the disclosure relating to federally insured depository institutions. Signed Dec. 19, 1991.

PL 102-243 (S 1462). Prohibit certain practices involving the use of telephone equipment for advertising and solicitation purposes. Signed Dec. 20, 1991.

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PL 102-244 (HR 4095). Increase the number of weeks for which benefits are payable under the Emergency Unemployment Compensation Act of 1991. Signed Feb. 7, 1992.

PL 102-245 (HR 1989). Authorize appropriations for the National Institute of Standards and Technology and the Technology Administration of the Commerce Department. Signed Feb. 14, 1992.

PL 102-246 (S 1415). Provide for additional membership on the Library of Congress Trust Fund Board. Signed Feb. 18, 1992.

PL 102-247 (HR 2927). Provide for the establishment of the St. Croix, Virgin Islands, Historical Park and Ecological Preserve. Signed Feb. 24, 1992.

PL 102-248 (HR 543). Establish the Manzanar National Historic Site in California. Signed March 3, 1992.

PL 102-249 (HR 476). Designate certain rivers in Michigan as components of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System. Signed March 3, 1992.

PL 102-250 (HR 355). Amend the Reclamation States Drought Assistance Act of 1988 to extend the period of time during which drought assistance may be provided by the secretary of the Interior. (Emergency drought relief for California and other Western states.) Signed March 5, 1992.

PL 102-251 (HR 3866). Provide for designation of the Flower Garden Banks National Marine Sanctuary. (Includes several other maritime provisions, including permission for U.S.-flag vessels to offer gambling on certain voyages in international waters.) Signed March 9, 1992.

PL 102-252 (H J Res 395). Designate Feb. 6, 1992, as "National Women and Girls in Sports Day." Signed March 10, 1992.

PL 102-253 (H J Res 350). Designate March 1992 as "Irish-American Heritage Month." Signed March 10, 1992.

PL 102-254 (H J Res 254). Designate March 12, 1992, as "Girl Scouts of the United States of America 80th Anniversary Day." Signed March 11, 1992.

PL 102-255 (HR 4113). Permit the transfer of the obsolete training aircraft carrier U.S.S. *Lexington* to the city of Corpus Christi, Texas, for use as a naval museum and memorial. Signed March 12, 1992.

PL 102-256 (HR 2092). Establish a civil action for recovery of damages from an individual who engages in torture or extrajudicial killing. Signed March 12, 1992.

PL 102-257 (S J Res 176). Designate March 19, 1992, as "National Women in Agriculture Day." Signed March 17, 1992.

PL 102-258 (S 996). Direct the secretary of the Interior to terminate a reservation of use and occupancy at the Buffalo National River. Signed March 19, 1992.

PL 102-259 (S 2184). Establish the Morris K. Udall Scholarship and Excellence in National Environmental Policy Foundation. Signed March 19, 1992.

PL 102-260 (H J Res 446). Waive certain enrollment requirements with respect to HR 4210 (expediting its delivery to the White House). Signed March 20, 1992.

PL 102-261 (S 1467). Designate the "Frank M. Johnson Jr. Federal Building and United States Courthouse" in Montgomery, Ala. Signed March 20, 1992.

PL 102-262 (S 1889). Designate the "Ewing T. Kerr Federal Building and United States Courthouse" in Casper, Wyo. Signed March 20, 1992.

PL 102-263 (S J Res 240). Designate March 25, 1992, as "Greek Independence Day: A National Day of Celebration of Greek and American Democracy." Signed March 20, 1992.

PL 102-264 (H J Res 284). Designate the second week in April as "National Public Safety Telecommunications Week." Signed March 26, 1992.

PL 102-265 (S 2324). Amend the Food Stamp Act of 1977 to make a technical correction relating to exclusions from income under the food stamp program. Signed March 26, 1992.

PL 102-266 (H J Res 456). Make continuing appropriations for fiscal 1992. Signed April 1, 1992.

PL 102-267 (H J Res 272). Proclaim March 20, 1992, as "National Agriculture Day." Signed April 2, 1992.

PL 102-268 (H J Res 410). Designate April 14, 1992, as "Education and Sharing Day, U.S.A." Signed April 13, 1992.

PL 102-269 (S J Res 246). Designate April 15, 1992, as "National Recycling Day." Signed April 15, 1992.

PL 102-270 (S J Res 271). Express the sense of the Congress regarding the peace process in Liberia and authorize reprogramming of existing foreign aid appropriations for limited assistance to support this process. Signed April 16, 1992.

PL 102-271 (S 606). Designate certain segments of the Allegheny River in Pennsylvania as a component of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System. Signed April 20, 1992.

PL 102-272 (HR 3686). Make changes in the places of holding court in the Eastern District of North Carolina. Signed April 21, 1992.

PL 102-273 (HR 4449). Authorize jurisdictions receiving funds for fiscal 1992 under the HOME Investment Partnerships Act that are allocated for new construction to use the funds, at the discretion of the jurisdiction, for other eligible activities under such act, and authorize local governments that have financed housing projects that have been provided a section 8 financial adjustment factor to use recaptured amounts available from refinancing of the projects for housing activities. Signed April 21, 1992.

PL 102-274 (S 985). Authorize expenditure of unobligated balances from a foreign economic assistance account for emergency food and health assistance for Sudan, Ethiopia and Somalia. Signed April 21, 1992.

PL 102-275 (S 1743). Designate segments of eight rivers in Arkansas as part of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System. Signed April 22, 1992.

PL 102-276 (HR 4572). Direct the secretary of Health and Human Services to waive certain requirements under the Medicaid Program during 1992 and 1993 for health maintenance organizations operated by the Dayton Area Health Plan in Dayton, Ohio. Signed April 28, 1992.

PL 102-277 (H J Res 402). Authorize a memorial to George Mason in the Mall area of Washington, D.C. Signed April 28, 1992.

PL 102-278 (S J Res 174). Designate May 1992 as "National Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis Awareness Month." Signed May 9, 1992.

PL 102-279 (S J Res 222). Designate 1992 as the "Year of Reconciliation Between American Indians and non-Indians." Signed May 9, 1992.

PL 102-280 (H J Res 430). Designate the week of May 4, 1992, as "Public Service Recognition Week." Signed May 11, 1992.

PL 102-281 (HR 3337). Require the secretary of the Treasury to mint coins in commemoration of the 200th anniversary of the White House, James Madison, the 500th anniversary of the voyage of Christopher Columbus, the 1994 World Cup soccer games and American soldiers who served in the Persian Gulf War. Signed May 13, 1992.

PL 102-282 (HR 2454). Authorize the secretary of Health and Human Services to impose debarments and other penalties for illegal activities involving the approval of abbreviated (generic) drug applications. Signed May 13, 1992.

PL 102-283 (H J Res 425). Designate May 10, 1992, as "Infant Mortality Awareness Day." Signed May 14, 1992.

PL 102-284 (S J Res 251). Designate May 1992 as "National Huntington's Disease Awareness Month." Signed May 14, 1992.

PL 102-285 (HR 2763). Establish a national geological mapping program to make available more information on mineral deposits and environmental characteristics of lands. Signed May 18, 1992.

PL 102-286 (HR 4184). Designate the medical center located in Northampton, Mass., as the "Edward P. Boland Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center." Signed May 18, 1992.

PL 102-287 (H J Res 466). Designate the week of April 26, 1992, as "National Crime Victims' Rights Week." Signed May 18, 1992.

PL 102-288 (H J Res 388). Designate May 1992 as "National Foster Care Month." Signed May 19, 1992.

PL 102-289 (HR 4774). Provide flexibility to the secretary of Agriculture to carry out food assistance programs in certain countries. Signed May 20, 1992.

PL 102-290 (H J Res 371). Designate the week of May 31, 1992, as a "Week for the National Observance of the 50th Anniversary of World War II." Signed May 20, 1992.

PL 102-291 (S 2378). Extend authorities of the Department of Veterans Affairs to maintain an office in the Philippines, to conduct certain vocational rehabilitation and training programs, and to establish

research corporations. Signed May 20, 1992.

PL 102-292 (S 1182). Transfer jurisdiction of certain public lands in the state of Utah to the Forest Service. Signed May 26, 1992.

PL 102-293 (S 452). Authorize a transfer of administrative jurisdiction over certain lands in South Dakota and Colorado to the secretary of the Interior. Signed May 27, 1992.

PL 102-294 (S 749). Rename and expand the boundaries of the Mound City Group National Monument in Ohio. Signed May 27, 1992.

PL 102-295 (S 838). Revise and extend programs under the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act. Signed May 28, 1992.

PL 102-296 (S J Res 254). Commend the New York Stock Exchange on the occasion of its bicentennial. Signed May 28, 1992.

PL 102-297 (S 2569). Amend title 10, U.S. Code, to make the vice chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff a member of the Joint Chiefs of Staff; to provide joint duty credit for certain service; and to provide for the temporary continuation of the current Deputy National Security Advisor in a flag officer grade in the Navy. Signed June 2, 1992.

PL 102-298 (HR 4990). Rescind certain fiscal 1992 budget authority. Signed June 4, 1992.

PL 102-299 (S 870). Authorize inclusion of a tract of land in the Golden Gate National Recreation Area, Calif. Signed June 9, 1992.

PL 102-300 (S 2783). Give the Food and Drug Administration more authority to monitor manufacturers of medical devices. Signed June 16, 1992.

PL 102-301 (HR 2556). Los Padres Condor Range and River Protection Act. Signed June 19, 1992.

PL 102-302 (HR 5132). Make dire emergency supplemental appropriations for disaster assistance to meet urgent needs because of calamities such as those that occurred in Los Angeles and Chicago, for the fiscal year ending Sept. 30, 1992. Signed June 22, 1992.

PL 102-303 (H J Res 445). Designate June 1992 as "National Scleroderma Awareness Month." Signed June 23, 1992.

PL 102-304 (HR 1642). Establish the Palo Alto Battlefield National Historic Site in Texas. Signed June 23, 1992.

PL 102-305 (H J Res 442). Designate the week of July 5, 1992, as "National Awareness Week for Life Saving Techniques." Signed June 23, 1992.

PL 102-306 (H J Res 517). Provide for a settlement of the railroad labor-management disputes between certain railroads and certain of their employees. Signed June 26, 1992.

PL 102-307 (S 756). Eliminate the requirement for certain authors to formally seek a second term of copyright protection for their works; create an automatic renewal system for all works copyrighted before 1978; and require the establishment of a National Film Registry to preserve significant U.S.-made movies. Signed June 26, 1992.

PL 102-308 (S 2703). Authorize the president to appoint Gen. Thomas C. Richards as administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration. Signed June 26, 1992.

PL 102-309 (H J Res 470). Designate September 1992 as "National Spina Bifida Awareness Month." Signed June 30, 1992.

PL 102-310 (S 2905). Provide a four-month extension of the transition rule for separate capitalization of savings associations' subsidiaries. Signed July 2, 1992.

PL 102-311 (HR 4548). Authorize contributions for U.N. peace-keeping activities. Signed July 2, 1992.

PL 102-312 (HR 3041). Designate the "L. Douglas Abram Federal Building" in St. Louis, Mo. Signed July 2, 1992.

PL 102-313 (HR 2818). Designate the "Silvio O. Conte Federal Building" in Pittsfield, Mass. Signed July 2, 1992.

PL 102-314 (HR 3711). Authorize grants to state programs designed to provide fresh fruits and vegetables to participants in the Women, Infants and Children (WIC) supplemental food program. Signed July 2, 1992.

PL 102-315 (H J Res 499). Designate July 2, 1992, as "National Literacy Day." Signed July 2, 1992.

PL 102-316 (H J Res 509). Extend through Sept. 30, 1992, the period in which there remains available for obligation of certain amounts appropriated for the Bureau of Indian Affairs for the school operations costs of Bureau-funded schools. Signed July 2, 1992.

PL 102-317 (S 2901). Direct the secretary of Health and Human Services to extend the waiver granted to the Tennessee Primary Care Network of the enrollment mix required under the medicaid program. Signed July 2, 1992.

PL 102-318 (HR 5260). Extend, at least until March 6, 1993, the Emergency Unemployment Compensation Program, to provide 26 weeks of federal unemployment benefits to long-term jobless workers. Signed July 3, 1992.

PL 102-319 (H J Res 459). Designate the week of July 26, 1992, as "Lyme Disease Awareness Week." Signed July 8, 1992.

PL 102-320 (S 1254). Increase the authorized acreage limit for the Assateague Island National Seashore. Signed July 10, 1992.

PL 102-321 (S 1306). Amend Title V of the Public Health Service Act to revise and extend certain programs and to restructure the Alcohol, Drug Abuse and Mental Health Administration. Signed July 10, 1992.

PL 102-322 (HR 5412). Authorize the transfer of certain naval vessels to Greece and Taiwan. Signed July 19, 1992.

PL 102-323 (S J Res 324). Commend the NASA Langley Research Center on the celebration of its 75th anniversary on July 17th, 1992. Signed July 20, 1992.

PL 102-324 (S 2780). Amend the Food Security Act of 1985 to remove certain easement requirements under the conservation reserve program. Signed July 22, 1992.

PL 102-325 (S 1150). Reauthorize the Higher Education Act of 1965. Signed July 23, 1992.

PL 102-326 (HR 158). Designate the "Zora Leah S. Thomas Post Office" in Hiddenite, N.C. Signed July 23, 1992.

PL 102-327 (HR 4505). Designate the "Arthur J. Hollard United States Post Office Building" in Trenton, N.J. Signed July 23, 1992.

PL 102-328 (HR 479). Designate the California National Historic Trail and the Pony Express National Historic Trail as components of the National Trails System. Signed Aug. 3, 1992.

PL 102-329 (HR 5343). Make technical amendments to the American Technology Preeminence Act of 1991 and the Fair Packaging and Labeling Act with respect to their treatment of the SI metric system. Signed Aug. 3, 1992.

PL 102-330 (S 2938). Authorize the Architect of the Capitol to acquire certain property. Signed Aug. 3, 1992.

PL 102-331 (S J Res 92). Designate July 28, 1992, as "Buffalo Soldiers Day." Signed Aug. 3, 1992.

PL 102-332 (S J Res 295). Designate Sept. 10, 1992, as "National D.A.R.E. Day." Signed Aug. 3, 1992.

PL 102-333 (S J Res 310). Designate Aug. 1, 1992, as "Helsinki Human Rights Day." Signed Aug. 4, 1992.

PL 102-334 (S 2641). Partially restore obligation authority authorized in the Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act of 1992. Signed Aug. 6, 1992.

PL 102-335 (HR 3836). Provide for the management of federal lands containing the Pacific Yew to ensure a sufficient supply of taxol, a cancer-treating drug made from the Pacific Yew. Signed Aug. 7, 1992.

PL 102-336 (HR 5059). Extend the boundaries of the grounds of the National Gallery of Art to include the National Sculpture Garden. Signed Aug. 7, 1992.

PL 102-337 (S 2917). Authorize the secretary of Agriculture to provide financial aid and other assistance to the University of Mississippi, in cooperation with the University of Southern Mississippi, to establish and maintain a food service management institute. Signed Aug. 7, 1992.

PL 102-338 (HR 4026). Formulate a plan for the management of natural and cultural resources on the Zuni Indian Reservation, on the lands of the Ramah Bank of the Navajo Tribe of Indians, and the Navajo Nation, and in other areas within the Zuni River watershed and upstream from the Zuni Indian Reservation. Signed Aug. 11, 1992.

PL 102-339 (HR 5566). Provide additional time to negotiate settlement of a land dispute in South Carolina. Signed Aug. 12, 1992.

PL 102-340 (S J Res 270). Designate Aug. 15, 1992, as "82nd Airborne Division 50th Anniversary Recognition Day." Signed Aug. 12, 1992.

PL 102-341 (HR 5487). Make appropriations for the Department of Agriculture, rural development, the Food and Drug Administration and related agencies for fiscal 1993. Signed Aug. 14, 1992.

PL 102-342 (S 2759). Reauthorize a nutrition program for children under the age of 6 living in homeless shelters. Signed Aug. 14, 1992.

PL 102-343 (S 959). Establish a commission to commemorate the 250th anniversary of the birth of Thomas Jefferson. Signed Aug. 17, 1992.

PL 102-344 (HR 4312). Amend the Voting Rights Act of 1965 with respect to bilingual election requirements. Signed Aug. 26, 1992.

PL 102-345 (HR 5481). Amend the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 relating to administrative assessment of civil penalties. Signed Aug. 26, 1992.

PL 102-346 (S 544). Amend the Food, Agriculture, Conservation and Trade Act of 1990 to provide protection to animal research facilities from illegal acts. Signed Aug. 26, 1992.

PL 102-347 (S 807). Permit Mount Olivet Cemetery Association of Salt Lake City, Utah, to lease a certain tract of land for a period of not

more than 70 years. Signed Aug. 26, 1992.

PL 102-348 (S 1770). Convey certain surplus real property located in the Black Hills National Forest to the Black Hills Workshop and Training Center. Signed Aug. 26, 1992.

PL 102-349 (S 1963). Allow a member of the U.S. Sentencing Commission whose term has expired to continue serving until a replacement has been appointed. Signed Aug. 26, 1992.

PL 102-350 (S 2079). Establish the Marsh-Billings National Historical Park in the state of Vermont. Signed Aug. 26, 1992.

PL 102-351 (S 3001). Amend the Food Stamp Act of 1977 to prevent a reduction in the adjusted cost of the thrifty food plan during fiscal year 1993. Signed Aug. 26, 1992.

PL 102-352 (S 3112). Amend the Public Health Service Act to make certain technical corrections. Signed Aug. 26, 1992.

PL 102-353 (S 3163). Amend the Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act to coordinate federal and state regulation of wholesale drug distribution. Signed Aug. 26, 1992.

PL 102-354 (HR 2549). Make technical corrections to chapter 5 of title 5, U.S. Code, recodifying existing federal law enacted under the Administrative Conference Act, the Negotiated Rulemaking Act of 1990 and the Administrative Dispute Resolution Act. Signed Aug. 26, 1992.

PL 102-355 (HR 2926). 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. Signed Aug. 26, 1992.

PL 102-356 (HR 2977). Authorize appropriations for the Corporation for Public Broadcasting for fiscal years 1994 through 1996. Signed Aug. 26, 1992.

PL 102-357 (HR 3795). Amend title 28, U.S. Code, to establish three divisions in the Central Judicial District of California. Signed Aug. 26, 1992.

PL 102-358 (HR 4437). Authorize funds for the implementation of the settlement agreement reached between the Pueblo de Cochiti and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers under the authority of public law 100-202. Signed Aug. 26, 1992.

PL 102-359 (HR 5560). Extend for one year the National Commission on Time and Learning. Signed Aug. 26, 1992.

PL 102-360 (HR 5623). Waive the period of congressional review for certain District of Columbia acts. Signed Aug. 26, 1992.

PL 102-361 (HR 5688). Amend title 28, U.S. Code, to authorize the appointment of additional bankruptcy judges. Signed Aug. 26, 1992.

PL 102-362 (H J Res 411). Designate the week of Sept. 13, 1992, through Sept. 19, 1992, as "National Rehabilitation Week." Signed Aug. 26, 1992.

PL 102-363 (H J Res 507). Approve the extension of nondiscriminatory treatment with respect to the products of the Republic of Albania. Signed Aug. 26, 1992.

PL 102-364 (H J Res 492). Designate September 1992 as "Childhood Cancer Month." Signed Sept. 2, 1992.

PL 102-365 (HR 2607). Authorize activities under the Federal Railroad Safety Act of 1970 for fiscal years 1992 through 1994. Signed Sept. 3, 1992.

PL 102-366 (HR 4111). Amend the Small Business Act to provide additional loan assistance to small businesses. Signed Sept. 4, 1992.

PL 102-367 (HR 3033). Amend the Job Training Partnership Act to improve the delivery of services to hard-to-serve youth and adults. Signed Sept. 7, 1992.

PL 102-368 (HR 5620). Make supplemental appropriations, transfers and rescissions for the fiscal year ending Sept. 30, 1992. Signed Sept. 23, 1992.

PL 102-369 (H J Res 413). Designate Sept. 13, 1992, as "Commodore John Barry Day." Signed Sept. 24, 1992.

PL 102-370 (S J Res 303). Designate October 1992 as "National Breast Cancer Awareness Month." Signed Sept. 24, 1992.

PL 102-371 (HR 4551). Amend the Civil Liberties Act of 1988 to increase the authorization for the Trust Fund under that act. (Compensation for Japanese-Americans who were interned in war camps during World War II.) Signed Sept. 27, 1992.

PL 102-372 (S 680). Amend the International Travel Act of 1961 to assist in the growth of international travel and tourism into the United States. Signed Sept. 30, 1992.

PL 102-373 (S J Res 337). Designate Sept. 18, 1992, as "National POW/MIA Recognition Day" and authorize display of the National League of Families POW/MIA flag. Signed Sept. 30, 1992.

PL 102-374 (S 1607). Provide for the settlement of the water rights claims of the Northern Cheyenne Tribe. Signed Sept. 30, 1992.

PL 102-375 (HR 2967). Amend the Older Americans Act of 1965

to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1992 through 1995, to authorize a 1993 National Conference on Aging, and to amend the Native Americans Programs Act of 1974 to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1992 through 1995. Signed Sept. 30, 1992.

PL 102-376 (H J Res 553). Make continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1993. Signed Oct. 1, 1992.

PL 102-377 (HR 5373). Make appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending Sept. 30, 1992. Signed Oct. 2, 1992.

PL 102-378 (HR 2850). Make technical and conforming changes in title 5, U.S. Code, and the Federal Employees Pay Comparability Act of 1990. Signed Oct. 2, 1992.

PL 102-379 (HR 5126). Direct the secretary of the Treasury to mint coins in commemoration of the 100th anniversary of the beginning of the protection of Civil War battlefields. Signed Oct. 5, 1992.

PL 102-380 (HR 5428). Make appropriations for the legislative branch for the fiscal year ending Sept. 30, 1993. Signed Oct. 5, 1992.

PL 102-381 (HR 5503). Make appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending Sept. 30, 1993. Signed Oct. 5, 1992.

PL 102-382 (HR 6056). Make appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending Sept. 30, 1993. Signed Oct. 5, 1992.

PL 102-383 (S 1731). Establish the policy of the United States with respect to Hong Kong after July 1, 1997. Signed Oct. 5, 1992.

PL 102-384 (S 3175). Improve the administrative provisions and make technical corrections in the National and Community Service Act of 1990. Signed Oct. 5, 1992.

PL 102-385 (S 12). Amend title VI of the Communications Act of 1934 to ensure carriage on cable television of local news and other programming and to restore the right of local regulatory authorities to regulate cable television rates. President vetoed Oct. 3; Senate overrode veto Oct. 5; House overrode veto Oct. 5; became public law without presidential approval Oct. 5.

PL 102-386 (HR 2194). Amend the Solid Waste Disposal Act to clarify provisions concerning the application of certain requirements and sanctions to federal facilities. Signed Oct. 6, 1992.

PL 102-387 (H J Res 560). Waive certain enrollment requirements with respect to any appropriations bill for the remainder of the 102nd Congress. Signed Oct. 6, 1992.

PL 102-388 (HR 5518). Make appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending Sept. 30, 1993. Signed Oct. 6, 1992.

PL 102-389 (HR 5679). Make appropriations for the departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, boards, commissions, corporations and offices for the fiscal year ending Sept. 30, 1993. Signed Oct. 6, 1992.

PL 102-390 (HR 3654). Provide for the minting of commemorative coins to support the 1996 Atlanta Centennial Olympic Games and the programs of the U.S. Olympic Committee. Signed Oct. 6, 1992.

PL 102-391 (HR 5368). Make appropriations for foreign operations, export financing and related programs for the fiscal year ending Sept. 30, 1993. Signed Oct. 6, 1992.

PL 102-392 (HR 5427). Make appropriations for the legislative branch for the fiscal year ending Sept. 30, 1993. Signed Oct. 6, 1992.

PL 102-393 (HR 5488). Make appropriations for the Treasury Department, the U.S. Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President and certain independent agencies for the fiscal year ending Sept. 30, 1993. Signed Oct. 6, 1992.

PL 102-394 (HR 5677). Make appropriations for the departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending Sept. 30, 1993. Signed Oct. 6, 1992.

PL 102-395 (HR 5678). Make appropriations for the departments of Commerce, Justice and State, the judiciary, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending Sept. 30, 1993. Signed Oct. 6, 1992.

PL 102-396 (HR 5504). Make appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending Sept. 30, 1993. Signed Oct. 6, 1992.

PL 102-397 (S 1766). Expand the jurisdiction of the U.S. Capitol Police. Signed Oct. 6, 1992.

PL 102-398 (S J Res 23). Give consent to certain amendments enacted by the legislature of the state of Hawaii to the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act of 1920. Signed Oct. 6, 1992.

PL 102-399 (HR 5058). Authorize appropriations for the American Folklife Center for fiscal 1993-97. Signed Oct. 7, 1992.

PL 102-400 (HR 5399). Amend the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights Act of 1983 to provide an authorization of appropriations. Signed

Oct. 7, 1992.

PL 102-401 (HR 5630). Amend the Head Start Act to expand services provided by Head Start Programs; to expand the authority of the secretary of Health and Human Services to reduce the amount of matching funds required to be provided by particular Head Start agencies; and to authorize the purchase of Head Start facilities. Signed Oct. 7, 1992.

PL 102-402 (HR 1435). Direct the secretary of the Army to transfer jurisdiction over the Rocky Mountain Arsenal, Colo., to the secretary of the Interior. Signed Oct. 9, 1992.

PL 102-403 (HR 3379). Amend section 574 of title 5, U.S. Code, relating to the authorities of the Administrative Conference. Signed Oct. 9, 1992.

PL 102-404 (S 1216). Provide for the deferral of enforced departure and the granting of lawful temporary resident status in the United States to certain classes of nonimmigrant aliens of the People's Republic of China. Signed Oct. 9, 1992.

PL 102-405 (S 2344). Improve the provision of health care and other services to veterans by the department of Veterans Affairs. Signed Oct. 9, 1992.

PL 102-406 (HR 2448). Provide for the minting of coins in commemoration of Benjamin Franklin and to enact a fire-service bill of rights. Signed Oct. 12, 1992.

PL 102-407 (HR 1628). Authorize the construction of a monument in the District of Columbia or its environs to honor Thomas Paine. Signed Oct. 13, 1992.

PL 102-408 (HR 3508). Amend the Public Health Service Act to revise and extend certain programs relating to the education of individuals as health professionals. Signed Oct. 13, 1992.

PL 102-409 (HR 4178). Amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for a program to carry out research on the drug known as diethylstilbestrol, to educate health professionals and the public on the drug, and to provide for certain longitudinal studies regarding individuals who have been exposed to the drug. Signed Oct. 13, 1992.

PL 102-410 (HR 5673). Amend the Public Health Service Act to revise and extend the programs of the Agency for Health Care Policy and Research. Signed Oct. 13, 1992.

PL 102-411 (HR 5925). Amend title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 to establish a revolving fund for use by the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission to provide education, technical assistance and training relating to the laws administered by the commission. Signed Oct. 14, 1992.

PL 102-412 (H J Res 320). Authorize the government of the District of Columbia to establish, in the District of Columbia or its environs, a memorial to African-Americans who died as Union soldiers during the Civil War. Signed Oct. 14, 1992.

PL 102-413 (H J Res 542). Designate the week beginning Nov. 8, 1992, as "Hire a Veteran Week." Signed Oct. 14, 1992.

PL 102-414 (S 3195). Require the secretary of the Treasury to mint coins to commemorate of the 50th anniversary of the U.S. involvement in World War II. Signed Oct. 14, 1992.

PL 102-415 (HR 3157). Provide for the settlement of certain claims under the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act. Signed Oct. 14, 1992.

PL 102-416 (HR 2144). Provide restoration of the federal trust relationship with and assistance to the terminated tribes of California Indians and the individual members thereof; extend federal recognition to certain Indian tribes in California; establish administrative procedures and guidelines to clarify the status of certain Indian tribes in California; and establish a federal commission on policies and programs affecting California Indians. Signed Oct. 14, 1992.

PL 102-417 (HR 2324). Amend title 28, U.S. Code, to prohibit the payment of witness fees to prison inmates who testify in federal court. Signed Oct. 14, 1992.

PL 102-418 (S J Res 287). Designate the week of Oct. 4, 1992, through Oct. 10, 1992, as "Mental Illness Awareness Week." Signed Oct. 14, 1992.

PL 102-419 (HR 2321). Establish the Dayton Aviation Heritage National Historical Park in the state of Ohio. Signed Oct. 16, 1992.

PL 102-420 (HR 5258). Provide for the withdrawal of most-favored-nation status from the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia and provide for the restoration of such status if certain conditions are fulfilled. Signed Oct. 16, 1992.

PL 102-421 (HR 5483). Modify the provisions of the Education of the Deaf Act of 1986. Signed Oct. 16, 1992.

PL 102-422 (S 1880). Amend the District of Columbia Spouse Equity Act of 1988. Signed Oct. 16, 1992.

PL 102-423 (S 3007). Authorize financial assistance for the construction and maintenance of the Mary McLeod Bethune Memorial Fine

Arts Center. Signed Oct. 16, 1992.

PL 102-424 (S J Res 305). Designate October 1992 as "Polish-American Heritage Month." Signed Oct. 16, 1992.

PL 102-425 (S J Res 319). Designate the second Sunday in October of 1992 as "National Children's Day." Signed Oct. 16, 1992.

PL 102-426 (HR 4016). Amend the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980 to require the federal government, before termination of federal activities on any real property owned by the government, to identify real property where no hazardous substance was stored, released or disposed of. Signed Oct. 19, 1992.

PL 102-427 (HR 3665). Establish the Little River Canyon National Preserve in the state of Alabama. Signed Oct. 21, 1992.

PL 102-428 (HR 5237). Amend the Rural Electrification Act of 1936 to improve the provision of electric and telephone service in rural areas. Signed Oct. 21, 1992.

PL 102-429 (HR 5739). Reauthorize the Export-Import Bank of the United States. Signed Oct. 21, 1992.

PL 102-430 (HR 1216). Modify the boundaries of the Indiana Dunes National Lakeshore. Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-431 (HR 2181). Permit the secretary of the Interior to acquire by exchange lands in the Cuyahoga National Recreation Area that are owned by the state of Ohio. Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-432 (HR 2431). Amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act by designating a segment of the Lower Merced River in California as a component of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System. Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-433 (HR 3118). Designate Federal Office Building Number 9 located at 1900 E Street, Northwest, in the District of Columbia, as the "Theodore Roosevelt Federal Building." Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-434 (HR 3818). Designate the building located at 80 North Hughey Avenue in Orlando, Fla., as the "George C. Young U.S. Courthouse and Federal Building." Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-435 (HR 4281). Designate the U.S. federal building and U.S. courthouse to be located at Fifth and Ross streets in Santa Ana, Calif., as the "Ronald Reagan Building." Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-436 (HR 4489). Provide for a land exchange with the city of Tacoma, Wash. Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-437 (HR 4539). Designate the general mail facility of the U.S. Postal Service in Gulfport, Miss., as the "Larkin I. Smith General Mail Facility" and the facility of the U.S. Postal Service in Poplarville, Miss., as the "Larkin I. Smith Post Office." Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-438 (HR 4771). Designate the facility of the U.S. Postal Service being constructed at FM 1098 Loop in Prairie View, Texas, as the "Esel D. Bell Post Office Building." Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-439 (HR 4999). Authorize additional appropriations for implementation of the development plan for Pennsylvania Avenue between the Capitol and the White House. Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-440 (HR 5013). Promote the conservation of exotic wild birds. Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-441 (HR 5122). Relating to the settlement of the water rights claims of the Jicarilla Apache Tribe. Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-442 (HR 5222). Designate the federal building and U.S. courthouse located at 204 South Main Street in South Bend, Ind., as the "Robert A. Grant Federal Building and U.S. Courthouse." Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-443 (HR 5291). Provide for the temporary use of certain lands in the city of South Gate, Calif., for elementary school purposes. Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-444 (HR 5328). Amend title 35, U.S. Code, with respect to the late payment of maintenance fees. Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-445 (HR 5431). Designate the federal building located at 200 Federal Plaza in Patterson, N.J., as the "Robert A. Roe Federal Building." Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-446 (HR 5432). Designate the federal building and U.S. courthouse located at the corner of College Avenue and Mountain Street in Fayetteville, Ark., as the "John Paul Hammerschmidt Federal Building and United States Courthouse." Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-447 (HR 5453). Designate the Central Square facility of the U.S. Postal Service in Cambridge, Mass., as the "Clifton Merriman Post Office Building." Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-448 (HR 5479). Designate the facility of the U.S. Postal Service located at 1100 Wythe Street in Alexander, Va., as the "Helen Day United States Post Office Building." Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-449 (HR 5491). Designate the Department of Veterans Affairs medical center in Marlin, Texas, as the "Thomas T. Connally Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center." Signed Oct. 23, 1991.

PL 102-450 (HR 5572). Designate May of each year as

"Asian/Pacific American Heritage Month." Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-451 (HR 5575). Authorize certain uses of real property acquired by the architect of the Capitol for use by the librarian of Congress and for other purposes. Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-452 (HR 5602). Grant the consent of the Congress to the Interstate Rail Passenger Network Compact. Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-453 (HR 5605). Authorize and direct land ownership consolidation in the Cedar River Watershed, Mt. Baker-Snoqualmie National Forest, Wash. Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-454 (HR 5751). Provide for the distribution within the United States of certain materials prepared by the United States Information Agency. Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-455 (HR 5831). Designate the federal building located at 312 South Main Street in Victoria, Tex., as the "Martin Luther King Jr. Federal Building." Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-456 (HR 6000). Redesignate Springer Mountain National Recreation Area as "Ed Jenkins National Recreation Area." Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-457 (HR 6049). Amend the Congressional Award Act to revise and extend authorities for the Congressional Award Board. Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-458 (HR 6072). Direct expedited negotiated settlement of the land rights of the Kenai Natives Association, Inc., under section 14 (h)(3) of the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act, by directing land acquisition and exchange negotiations by the secretary of the Interior and certain Alaska Native corporations involving lands and interests in lands held by the United States and such corporations. Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-459 (HR 6165). Amend certain provisions of a law relating to establishment, in the District of Columbia or its environs, of a memorial to honor Thomas Paine. Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-460 (HR 6179). Amend the Wild and Scenic River Act. Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-461 (HR 6184). Amend the National Trails System Act to designate the American Discovery Trail for study to determine the feasibility and desirability of its designation as a national trail. Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-462 (H J Res 353). Designate Jan. 4, 1992, through Jan. 10, 1992, as "Braille Literacy Week." Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-463 (H J Res 399). Designate the week beginning Nov. 1, 1992, as "National Medical Staff Services Awareness Week." Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-464 (H J Res 457). Designate Jan. 16, 1993, as "Religious Freedom Day." Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-465 (H J Res 467). Designate Oct. 24, 1992, through Nov. 1, 1992, as "National Red Ribbon Week for a Drug-Free America." Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-466 (H J Res 471). Designate Sept. 16, 1992, as "National Occupational Therapy Day." Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-467 (H J Res 484). Designate the week beginning Feb. 14, 1993, as "National Visiting Nurse Associations Week." Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-468 (H J Res 489). Designate Feb. 21, 1993, through Feb. 27, 1993, as "American Wine Appreciation Week." Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-469 (H J Res 500). Designate March 1993 as "Irish-American Heritage Month." Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-470 (H J Res 520). Designate the month of October 1992 as "Country Music Month." Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-471 (H J Res 523). Designate Oct. 8, 1992, as "National Firefighters Day." Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-472 (H J Res 529). Support the planting of 500 redwood trees from California in Spain in commemoration of the quincentenary of the voyage of Christopher Columbus and designate the trees as a gift to the people of Spain. Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-473 (H J Res 543). Designate Nov. 30, 1992, through Dec. 6, 1992, as "National Education First Week." Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-474 (H J Res 547). Designate May 2, 1993, through May 8, 1993, as "National Walking Week." Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-475 (H J Res 563). Provide for the convening of the First Session of the 103rd Congress. Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-476 (S 1146). Establish a national advanced technician training program, utilizing the resources of the nation's two-year associate-degree granting colleges to expand the pool of skilled technicians in strategic advanced-technology fields, to increase the productivity of the nation's industries, and to improve the competitiveness of the United States in international trade. Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-477 (S 1530). Authorize the integration of employment, training and related services that are provided by Indian tribes. Signed

Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-478 (S 2625). Designate the U.S. courthouse being constructed at 400 Cooper Street in Camden, N.J., as the "Mitchell H. Cohen United States Courthouse." Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-479 (S 2661). Authorize the striking of a medal commemorating the 250th anniversary of the founding of the American Philosophical Society and the birth of Thomas Jefferson. Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-480 (S 2834). Designate the United States Post Office Building located at 100 Main Street, Millsboro, Del., as the "John J. Williams Post Office Building." Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-481 (S J Res 166). Designate the week of Oct. 4, 1992, through Oct. 10, 1992, as "National Customer Service Week." Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-482 (S J Res 218). Designate the calendar year 1993 as the "Year of American Craft: A Celebration of the Creative Work of the Hand." Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-483 (S J Res 252). Designate the week of April 19, 1992, through April 25, 1992, as "National Credit Education Week." Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-484 (HR 5006). Authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1993 for military functions of the Department of Defense and prescribe military personnel levels for fiscal year 1993. Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-485 (HR 6050). Facilitate recovery from recent disasters by providing greater flexibility for depository institutions and their regulators. Signed Oct. 23, 1992.

PL 102-486 (HR 776). Provide for improved energy efficiency. Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-487 (HR 2263). Amend title 5, U.S. Code, with respect to certain programs under which awards may be made to federal employees for superior accomplishments or cost-saving disclosures. Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-488 (HR 2896). Authorize the secretary of the Interior to revise the boundaries of the Minute Man National Historical Park in the state of Massachusetts. Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-489 (HR 3638). Make technical amendments to the law that authorizes modification of the boundaries of the Alaska Maritime National Wildlife Refuge. Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-490 (HR 3673). Authorize a research program through the National Science Foundation on the treatment of contaminated water through membrane processes. Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-491 (HR 4398). Remove outdated limitations on the acquisition or construction of branch buildings by Federal Reserve banks that are necessary for bank branch expansion if the acquisition or construction is approved by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System. Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-492 (HR 4412). Amend title 17, U.S. Code, relating to fair use of copyrighted works. Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-493 (HR 4773). Provide for reporting of pregnancy success rates of assisted reproductive technology programs for the certification of embryo laboratories. Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-494 (HR 4841). Grant the consent of the Congress to the New Hampshire-Maine Interstate School Compact. Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-495 (HR 4844). Restore Olympic National Park and the Elwha River ecosystem and fisheries in the state of Washington. Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-496 (HR 5095). Authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1993 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the U.S. government and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System. Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-497 (HR 5686). Make technical amendments to certain federal Indian statutes. Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-498 (HR 6014). Designate certain land in the state of Missouri owned by the United States and administered by the Secretary of Agriculture as part of the Mark Twain National Forest. Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-499 (HR 6047). Amend the U.S. Information and Educational Exchange Act of 1948, the Foreign Service Act of 1980, and other provisions of law to make certain changes in administrative authorities. Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-500 (HR 6164). Amend the John F. Kennedy Center Act to authorize appropriations for maintenance, repair, alteration and other services necessary for the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts. Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-501 (HR 6183). Amend the Public Health Service Act to provide protections from legal liability for certain health-care professionals. Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-502 (H J Res 271). Authorize the Go for Broke National Veterans Association to establish a memorial to Japanese-American veterans in the District of Columbia or its environs. Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-503 (H J Res 409). Designate Jan. 16, 1993, as "National Good Teen Day." Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-504 (H J Res 429). Designate May 2, 1993, through May 8, 1993, as "Be Kind to Animals and National Pet Week." Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-505 (H J Res 458). Designate the week beginning Oct. 25, 1992, as "World Population Awareness Week." Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-506 (S 1145). Amend the Ethics in Government Act of 1978 to remove the limitation on the authorization of appropriations for the Office of Government Ethics. Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-507 (S 1577). Reauthorize the Alzheimer's Disease and Related Dementias Services Research Act of 1986. Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-508 (S 1583). Amend the Natural Gas Pipeline Safety Act of 1968 and the Hazardous Liquid Pipeline Safety Act of 1979 to authorize appropriations and to improve pipeline safety. Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-509 (S 2201). Authorize the admission to the United States of certain scientists of the Commonwealth of Independent States as employment-based immigrants under the Immigration and Nationality Act. Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-510 (S 2322). Increase the rates of compensation for veterans with service-connected disabilities and the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation for the survivors of certain disabled veterans. Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-511 (S 2532). Enact the Freedom For Russia and Emerging Eurasian Democracies and Open Markets Support Act. Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-512 (S 2875). Amend the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 to enhance competition among infant formula manufacturers and to reduce the per unit costs of infant formula for the special supplemental food program for Women, Infants and Children (WIC). Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-513 (S 3224). Designate the United States Courthouse to be constructed in Fargo, N.D., as the "Quentin N. Burdick United States Courthouse." Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-514 (S 3279). Extend the authorization of use of official mail in the location and recovery of missing children. Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-515 (S 3312). Enact the Cancer Registries Amendment Act. Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-516 (S J Res 304). Designate Jan. 3, 1993, through Jan. 9, 1993, as "National Law Enforcement Training Week." Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-517 (S J Res 309). Designate the week beginning Nov. 8, 1992, as "National Women Veterans Recognition Week." Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-518 (S J Res 318). Designate Nov. 13, 1992, as "Vietnam Veterans Memorial 10th Anniversary Day." Signed Oct. 24, 1992.

PL 102-519 (HR 4542). Augment federal efforts to prevent and deter auto theft. Signed Oct. 25, 1992.

PL 102-520 (HR 5862). Amend title I of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to ensure an equitable and timely distribution of benefits to public-safety officers. Signed Oct. 25, 1992.

PL 102-521 (S 1002). Impose a criminal penalty for flight to avoid payment of arrearages in child support. Signed Oct. 25, 1992.

PL 102-522 (HR 2042). Authorize appropriations for activities under the Federal Fire Prevention and Control Act of 1974. Signed Oct. 26, 1992.

PL 102-523 (HR 5419). Amend the Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972 to authorize the secretary of State to enter into international agreements to establish a global moratorium to prohibit harvesting of tuna through the use of purse seine nets deployed on or to encircle dolphins or other marine mammals. Signed Oct. 26, 1992.

PL 102-524 (S 2044). Assist Native Americans in assuring the survival and continuing vitality of their languages. Signed Oct. 26, 1992.

PL 102-525 (S 2890). Provide for the establishment of the Civil Rights in Education: Brown versus Board of Education National Historic Site in the state of Kansas. Signed Oct. 26, 1992.

PL 102-526 (S 3006). Provide for expeditious disclosure of records relevant to the assassination of President John F. Kennedy. Signed Oct. 26, 1992.

PL 102-527 (HR 1252). Authorize the State Justice Institute to analyze and disseminate information regarding the admissibility and quality of testimony of witnesses with expertise relating to battered women, and to develop and disseminate training materials to increase the use of such experts to provide testimony in criminal trials of bat-

tered women, particularly in cases involving indigent women. Signed Oct. 27, 1992.

PL 102-528 (HR 1253). Amend the State Justice Institute Act of 1984 to carry out research, and develop judicial training curricula, relating to child custody litigation. Signed Oct. 27, 1992.

PL 102-529 (HR 2660). Authorize appropriations for the United States Holocaust Memorial Council. Signed Oct. 27, 1992.

PL 102-530 (HR 3475). Assist business in providing women with opportunities in apprenticeship and nontraditional occupations. Signed Oct. 27, 1992.

PL 102-531 (HR 3635). Amend the Public Health Service Act to revise and extend the program of block grants for preventive health and health services. Signed Oct. 27, 1992.

PL 102-532 (HR 4059). Amend the Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act of 1954 to authorize additional functions within the Enterprise for the Americas Initiative. Signed Oct. 27, 1992.

PL 102-533 (HR 4250). Authorize appropriations for the National Railroad Passenger Corporation. Signed Oct. 27, 1992.

PL 102-534 (HR 5716). Extend for two years the authorizations of appropriations for certain programs under title I of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968. Signed Oct. 27, 1992.

PL 102-535 (HR 5763). Provide equitable relief to producers of sugarcane subject to proportionate shares. Signed Oct. 27, 1992.

PL 102-536 (HR 5853). Designate segments of the Great Egg Harbor River and its tributaries in the state of New Jersey as components of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System. Signed Oct. 27, 1992.

PL 102-537 (HR 6022). Amend the Fair Credit Reporting Act to require the inclusion in consumer reports of information provided to consumer reporting agencies regarding the failure of a consumer to pay overdue child support. Signed Oct. 27, 1992.

PL 102-538 (HR 6180). Authorize appropriations for the National Telecommunications and Information Administration. Signed Oct. 27, 1992.

PL 102-539 (HR 6182). Amend the Public Health Service Act to establish the authority for the regulation of mammography services and radiological equipment. Signed Oct. 27, 1992.

PL 102-540 (H J Res 503). Acknowledge the sacrifices that military families have made on behalf of the nation and designate Nov. 23, 1992, as "National Military Families Recognition Day." Signed Oct. 27, 1992.

PL 102-541 (S 225). Expand the boundaries of the Fredericksburg and Spotsylvania County Battlefields Memorial National Military Park, Va. Signed Oct. 27, 1992.

PL 102-542 (S 759). Amend certain trademark laws to clarify that states, instrumentalities of states, and officers and employees of states acting in their official capacity, are subject to suit in federal court by any person for infringement of trademarks, and that all the remedies can be obtained in a suit against a private entity. Signed Oct. 27, 1992.

PL 102-543 (S 1664). Establish the Keweenaw National Historical Park in Michigan. Signed Oct. 27, 1992.

PL 102-544 (S 2964). Grant the consent of the Congress to a supplemental compact or agreement between the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the state of New Jersey concerning the Delaware River Port Authority. Signed Oct. 27, 1992.

PL 102-545 (S 3134). Expand the production and distribution of educational and instructional video programming and supporting educational materials for preschool and elementary school children as a tool to improve school readiness; develop and distribute educational and instructional video programming and support materials for parents, child-care providers, and educators of young children; and expand services provided by Head Start programs. Signed Oct. 27, 1992.

PL 102-546 (HR 707). Improve the regulation of futures trading and authorize appropriations for the Commodity Futures Trading Commission. Signed Oct. 28, 1992.

PL 102-547 (HR 939). Provide eligibility to members of the selected reserve for the Veterans Home Loan Program. Signed Oct. 28, 1992.

PL 102-548 (HR 3598). Amend title 49, U.S. Code, to require the verification of weight and description of certain property carried by intermodal transportation. Signed Oct. 28, 1992.

PL 102-549 (HR 4996). Extend the authorities of the Overseas Private Investment Corporation. Signed Oct. 28, 1992.

PL 102-550 (HR 5334). Amend and extend certain laws relating to housing and community development. Signed Oct. 28, 1992.

PL 102-551 (HR 5954). Amend the Rural Electrification Act of 1936 to clarify the status of the Rural Telephone Bank and its accounting policies. Signed Oct. 28, 1992.

PL 102-552 (HR 6125). Enhance the financial safety and soundness of the banks and associations of the Farm Credit System. Signed Oct. 28, 1992.

PL 102-553 (HR 6128). Amend the U.S. Warehouse Act to provide for the use of electronic cotton warehouse receipts. Signed Oct. 28, 1992.

PL 102-554 (HR 6129). Amend the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act to establish a program to aid beginning farmers and ranchers and to improve the operation of the Farmers Home Administration, and to amend the Farm Credit Act of 1971. Signed Oct. 28, 1992.

PL 102-555 (HR 6133). Enable the United States to maintain its leadership in land remote sensing by providing data continuity for the Landsat Program, and establish a new national land remote sensing policy. Signed Oct. 28, 1992.

PL 102-556 (HR 6191). Protect the public interest and future development of pay-per-call technology by providing for the regulation and oversight of the applications and growth of the pay-per-call industry. Signed Oct. 28, 1992.

PL 102-557 (H J Res 546). Designate Feb. 4, 1993, and Feb. 3, 1994, each as "National Women and Girls in Sports Day." Signed Oct. 28, 1992.

PL 102-558 (S 347). Amend the Defense Production Act of 1950 to revitalize the defense industrial base of the United States. Signed Oct. 28, 1992.

PL 102-559 (S 474). Prohibit sports gambling under state law. Signed Oct. 28, 1992.

PL 102-560 (S 758). Clarify that states, instrumentalities of states, and officers and employees of states acting in their official capacity are subject to suit in federal court by any person for infringement of patents and plant variety protections, and that all the remedies can be obtained in such suit that can be obtained in a suit against a private entity. Signed Oct. 28, 1992.

PL 102-561 (S 893). Amend title 18, U.S. Code, to impose criminal sanctions for violation of software copyright. Signed Oct. 28, 1992.

PL 102-562 (S 1439). Authorize and direct the secretary of Interior to convey certain lands in Livingston Parish, La. Signed Oct. 28, 1992.

PL 102-563 (S 1623). Amend title 17, U.S. Code, to implement a royalty payment system and a serial copy management for digital audio recording, and to prohibit certain copyright infringement actions. Signed Oct. 28, 1992.

PL 102-564 (S 2941). Provide the administrator of the Small Business Administration continued authority to administer the Small Business Innovation Research Program. Signed Oct. 28, 1992.

PL 102-565 (S 3309). Amend the Peace Corps Act to authorize appropriations for the Peace Corps for fiscal year 1993 and to establish a Peace Corps foreign exchange fluctuations account. Signed Oct. 28, 1992.

PL 102-566 (S 3327). Amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938 to permit the acre-for-acre transfer of an acreage allotment or quota for certain commodities. Signed Oct. 28, 1992.

PL 102-567 (HR 2130). Authorize appropriations for the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration for fiscal year 1992. Signed Oct. 29, 1992.

PL 102-568 (HR 5008). Amend title 38, U.S. Code, to reform the formula for payment of dependency and indemnity compensation to survivors of veterans who died from service-connected causes. Signed Oct. 29, 1992.

PL 102-569 (HR 5482). Revise and extend the programs of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973. Signed Oct. 29, 1992.

PL 102-570 (HR 5809). Authorize the secretary of the Interior to construct and operate an interpretive center for the Ridgefield National Wildlife Refuge in Clark County, Wash. Signed Oct. 29, 1992.

PL 102-571 (HR 6181). Amend the Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act to authorize human drug application, prescription drug establishment and prescription drug product fees. Signed Oct. 29, 1992.

PL 102-572 (S 1569). Implement the recommendations of the Federal Courts Study Committee. Signed Oct. 29, 1992.

PL 102-573 (S 2481). Amend the Indian Health Care Improvement Act to authorize appropriations for Indian health programs. Signed Oct. 29, 1992.

PL 102-574 (S 2679). Promote the recovery of Hawaii tropical forests. Signed Oct. 29, 1992.

PL 102-575 (HR 429). Authorize additional appropriations for the construction of the Buffalo Bill Dam and Reservoir, Shoshone Project, Pick-Sloan Missouri Basin Program, Wyo. Signed Oct. 30, 1992.

PL 102-576 (HR 2032). Amend the act of May 15, 1965, authorizing the secretary of the Interior to designate the Nez Perce National Historical Park in the State of Idaho. Signed Oct. 30, 1992.

PL 102-577 (H J Res 422). Designate May 1992 as "Neurofibromatosis Awareness Month." Signed Oct. 30, 1992.

PL 102-578 (S 775). Increase the rates of compensation for veterans with service-connected disabilities and the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation for the survivors of certain disabled veterans. Signed Oct. 30, 1992.

PL 102-579 (S 1671). Withdraw certain public lands and otherwise provide for the operation of the Waste Isolation Pilot Plant in Eddy county, N.M. Signed Oct. 30, 1992.

PL 102-580 (HR 6167). Provide for the conservation and development of water and related resources, and authorize the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers civil works program to construct various projects for improvements to the nation's infrastructure. Signed Oct. 31, 1992.

PL 102-581 (HR 6168). Amend the Airport and Airway Improvement Act of 1982 to authorize appropriations for the portion of fiscal year 1993 ending before May 1, 1993, and amend title XIII of the Federal Aviation Act of 1958 relating to aviation insurance. Signed Oct. 31, 1992.

PL 102-582 (HR 2152). Enhance the effectiveness of the United Nations international drift net fishery conservation program. Signed Nov. 2, 1992.

PL 102-583 (HR 6187). Amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 with respect to international narcotic control programs and activities. Signed Nov. 2, 1992.

PL 102-584 (S 2572). Authorize an exchange of lands in the states of Arkansas and Idaho. Signed Nov. 2, 1992.

PL 102-585 (HR 5193). Improve the delivery of health-care services to eligible veterans and clarify the authority of the secretary of Veterans Affairs. Signed Nov. 4, 1992.

PL 102-586 (HR 5194). Amend the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act of 1974 to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1993, 1994, 1995 and 1996. Signed Nov. 4, 1992.

PL 102-587 (HR 5617). Provide congressional approval of a governing international fishery agreement. Signed Nov. 4, 1992.

PL 102-588 (HR 6135). Authorize appropriations to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for research and development, space flight, control and data communications, construction of facilities, research and program management, and the inspector general. Signed Nov. 4, 1992.

PL 102-589 (HR 5377). Amend the Cash Management Improvement Act of 1990 to provide adequate time for implementation of that act. Signed Nov. 10, 1992.

PL 102-590 (HR 5400). Establish in the Department of Veterans Affairs a program of comprehensive services for homeless veterans. Signed Nov. 10, 1992.

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Meetings and Events Scheduled

Events Today

HEALTH CARE NEWS CONFERENCE

Dr. Steffie Woolhandler of Physicians for a National Health Program and Dr. Sidney Wolfe of Public Citizen's Health Research Group hold a news conference to release a report compiled from Census Bureau data that provides national and state-by-state breakdowns on Americans without health insurance. The report shows five states accounting for nearly 90 percent of the increase in the uninsured to 35.4 million in 1991 and shows spending on Medicaid doubling since 1989.

11am, National Press Club, 14th and F streets NW, Lisagor Room **December 21**

Contact: Bob Dreyfuss, PNHP, 703-660-8633, or Andy Carol, PC, 202-833-3000

Senate Committees Future Listings

★ COMMERCE NOMINATION

Senate Commerce, Science and Transportation Committee (Chairman Hollings, D-S.C.) will hold a confirmation hearing on the nomination of Ronald H. Brown to be secretary of Commerce.

10am SR-253 Russell Bldg. **January 6**

★ PRESIDENTIAL TRANSITION RECOMMENDATIONS

Senate Governmental Affairs Committee (Chairman Glenn, D-Ohio) will hold a hearing on recommendations by the General Accounting Office on the presidential transition.

9:30am SD-342 Dirksen Bldg. **January 7**

★ GOVERNMENT PROGRAMS SUSCEPTIBLE TO FRAUD

Senate Governmental Affairs Committee (Chairman Glenn, D-Ohio) will hold a hearing on a report issued by the General Accounting Office that contains a list of government programs that are susceptible to a high degree of fraud, waste and abuse.

9:30am SD-342 Dirksen Bldg. **January 12**

★ OMB DIRECTOR NOMINATION

Senate Governmental Affairs Committee (Chairman Glenn, D-Ohio) will hold confirmation hearings on the nomination of Rep. Leon E. Panetta, D-Calif., to be the director of the

Office of Management and Budget.

9:30am H-216 Hart Bldg. **January 13**

9:30am SD-342 Dirksen Bldg. **January 14**

■ LEGISLATIVE AGENDA OF VETERANS' ORGANIZATIONS Joint Hearing

Senate Veterans' Affairs Committee (Chairman TBA) and House Veterans' Affairs Committee (Chairman Montgomery, D-Miss.) will hold joint hearings to hear veterans' organizations present their legislative agendas for the 103rd Congress.

9:30am 345 Cannon Bldg. **February 23 & 25; March 2 & 31**

Agenda:

February 23: Disabled American Veterans

February 25: Paralyzed Veterans of America; Blinded Veterans of America; Military Order of the Purple Heart; Jewish War Veterans

March 2: Veterans of Foreign Wars

March 31: AMVETS; Veterans of World War I; Vietnam Veterans of America; American Ex-Prisoners of War; Non-Commissioned Officers Association

Other Events Future Listings

BANKING ISSUES FACING CLINTON

National Economists Club will sponsor a luncheon meeting to hear banking authority Bert Ely discuss the specific banking issues facing the new administration, including funding of the Resolution Trust Corporation, encouraging prudent bank lending, loosening banking regulation and revising the deposit insurance system.

Noon to 1:30pm, Montpelier dining room, Library of Congress Madison Bldg., 101 Independence Ave. S.E. **January 12**

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.

GERMAN ISSUES

National Economists Club will sponsor a luncheon meeting to hear German radio and newspaper commentator Peter de Thaler discuss changes shaping German economic policy and the possible changes in U.S. policy toward Germany under the new Clinton administration.

Noon to 1:30pm, Montpelier dining room, Library of Congress Madison Bldg., 101 Independence Ave. S.E. **January 19**

Contact: 703-532-9048

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MAKING DECISIONS UNDER NEW ECONOMIC RULES

National Economists Club will sponsor a luncheon meeting to hear William Mayer, dean of the University of Maryland College of Business and Management, discuss how to make business decisions in light of new economic rules and profound changes in current economic systems.

Noon to 1:30pm, George Washington University Club, Marvin Center, 800 21st St. N.W. **January 26**

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.

★ ENERGY PRIORITIES IN 103rd CONGRESS

Women in Government Relations will sponsor a luncheon meeting to hear a discussion of the direction of energy policy in the 103rd Congress.

Noon to 2pm, Capitol Hill Club, 300 First St. S.E. **January 29**

Contact: Pam Whitted at 202-682-0611

Participants: Ben Cooper - majority staff director, Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee; Rob Wallace - minority staff director, Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee; Jack Riggs - majority staff director, House Energy and Power Subcommittee; Jessica Laverty - minority staff director, House Energy and Power Subcommittee

Note: There is a charge for this event of \$25 for members, \$35 for guests, and \$40 for non-members. For reservations send a check, made payable to WGR, to:

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National Governor's Association will hold its annual winter meeting.

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"This cabinet will look like America: with men at the top.
That isn't what we thought he meant."

-- Rep. Pat Schroeder (D-CO), L.A. TIMES, 12/19. (#5)

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Only in DC can people submit their resignation to the person they replace. Al Gore will follow in his predecessor's footsteps: He must write Senate pres. Dan Quayle, just as Quayle did to Bush.

*1 APPOINTMENTS WEEK: WERE YOU A GOOD DEMOCRAT THIS YEAR?

Clinton is expected to name MN utilities exec. Hazel O'Leary as Energy Sec. and ex-SC Gov. Dick Riley as Education Sec. today (mult., 12/21). Clinton spent much of his weekend "making his list and checking it twice in preparation for a final pre-Christmas rush of Cabinet appointments" (Black, BOSTON GLOBE, 12/20). Clinton, asked if he had completed the selection process: "No, but I'm close." He "apparently is prepared to add at least one and possibly two appointments to the six he already has made" (Oman, ARKANSAS DEMOCRAT-GAZETTE, 12/21). "A few last-minute shifts are possible, particularly as Clinton aides struggle to find ways to name more women to what is shaping up as an overwhelmingly male Cabinet. But most of the appointments are in place (Nagourney, USA TODAY, 12/21). NPR's Roberts on Cabinet diversity after today's expected appointments: "Of that lower tier of cabinet, that still leaves Interior, Transportation and Agriculture to go where he can keep filling it out with people of various stripes" ("Morning Edition," 12/21). Today's announcements come at a 3:00p EST press conference.

AGRICULTURE: Rep. Mike Espy (D-MS) met with Clinton in Little Rock 12/20. "Transition advisers said he remained the favorite, but that Clinton likely would wait until [12/22] to fill the Agriculture post" (King, AP, 12/21). Espy's candidacy appeared "less certain than several days ago" (Putzel, BOSTON GLOBE, 12/19). DALLAS MORNING NEWS' Lewis reports ex-USDA general counsel Ruth Harkin, wife of Sen. Tom Harkin (D-IA), and Rep. Jill Long (D-IN) "may be reconsidered" (12/20). Some aides said Espy "could fall victim to the question of the number of women in the Cabinet" (Nagourney, USA TODAY, 12/21).

ATTORNEY GENERAL: CBS' Spencer reports the "choice has narrowed" to DC atty Brooksley Born and NY Appeals Judge Judith Kaye (12/20). But AP reported Kaye "removed her name from consideration" (DALLAS MORNING NEWS, 12/20). Aides say Clinton "has finally settled" on his choice, but "his choice is unclear." The three "on the list": U.S. Court of Appeals Judge Amalya Kearse, Carter Sec/Educ. Shirley Hufstедler and Born. Women's groups "have rallied around" Born (Ifill, N.Y. TIMES, 12/21). NBC's Miklaszewski mentions Kerse, Kaye and Born as the "top contenders" (12/21). NPR's Totenberg put Kaye as the front runner (12/21).

TRANSPORTATION: Most reports place Chicago banker Bill Daley as leading. N.Y. TIMES' Ifill reports ex-MI Gov. Jim Blanchard "is also a finalist" (12/21). HUD Sec.-designee Henry Cisneros said at least two Hispanics remain under consideration for Cabinet posts -- including ex-Denver Mayor Federico Pena for Transportation (Lewis, DALLAS MORNING NEWS, 12/20).

WHITE HOUSE STAFF: "Team spirit in the Clinton camp is showing strains as the key players jockey for positions. Dee Dee Myers has been mentioned for press secretary, but insiders say that George Stephanopoulos has become very fond of TV exposure and the mountains of fan mail he attracts. And what about Paul Begala and Mark Gearan? Transition Central has really cleared things up by telling all four that they will be part of Clinton's Office of the President. Staff members have been sniping that Myers 'doesn't look the part of a White House press secretary.'" Translation: she's a she" ("Grapevine," TIME, 12/28 issue).

*2 ENERGY: CONFIRMATION FIGHT APPARENTLY NOT WORTH IT

Clinton "probably will name" Northern States Power Co. VP Hazel O'Leary to be his Energy Sec. The appointment comes after weeks of speculation that it would go to retiring CO Sen. Tim Wirth (Abramson, W.S. JOURNAL, 12/21). Clinton interviewed O'Leary in Little Rock 12/18. The company serves 1.6 million customers in MN, WI the Dakotas and upper MI (R.M. NEWS, 12/19). One transition source: "She's a late entry but a very strong entry." The interview with O'Leary, a black woman, "came amid a fresh round of complaints" on the diversity of Clinton's Cabinet (AP/MIAMI HERALD, 12/19). O'Leary served in Carter's Economic Regulatory Admin. "While not among the best-known utility executives in the country, in her current post she provided advice to lawmakers on the 1990 Clean Air Act and this year's energy bill" (W.S. JOURNAL, 12/21). O'Leary "is said to have been recommended" by Clinton WH CoS Mack McLarty (W. POST, 12/21). NPR's Roberts calls O'Leary "not well known to Washington": "One of the interesting things about her is that apparently, she was the choice of ... McClarty ... it gives you some sense that he's going to have more influence than we knew going into this" ("Morning Edition," 12/21). One transition official had noted the possibility that ex-AZ Gov. Bruce Babbitt, the leading contender for Interior, could be named to Energy with Rep. Bill Richardson (D-NM) taking Interior (Jehl, L.A. TIMES, 12/19). DENVER POST also mentions the Babbitt-to-Energy, Richardson-to-Interior scenario. Ex-VT Gov. Madeleine Kunin, who reportedly finished 2nd for EPA, was also mentioned as possible for Energy (12/19).

WHY NOT WIRTH? Speculation ranged from Wirth's "ties" to the S&L industry to Gore's expected role as the leading enviro in the new admin. But "the deciding element now may be Clinton's need to get more women and minorities in his cabinet." Some "wondered if whatever it was that really drove Wirth out of [the '92] race might be coming back to haunt his cabinet ambitions." Wirth raised "hundreds of thousands of dollars" from energy companies, S&Ls and "other controversial special interests." CO GOP strategist Dick Wadhams said his confirmation "would have been in particular trouble because 'there very clearly was a pattern of Senator Wirth tying legislation to fund-raising'" (Brown, DENVER POST, 12/19). R.M. NEWS' Brinkley obtained correspondence between Wirth and Columbia S&L pres. Thomas Spiegel, now under indictment. The source who provided the letters said "he would share them" with the Senate Energy Cmte should Wirth be nominated (12/19). Sources close to Wirth said he believes coal-state Senators, including Byrd (D-WV) and Ford (D-KY) "have been blocking him" (D. POST, 12/19). Ford, through an aide: "It's news to me" (W. POST, 12/19). One GOP Senate aide said Wirth's critical N.Y. TIMES MAGAZINE piece, written upon announcing his retirement "really hurt him." One Dem Senate aide said the article had been seen as "hypocritical" (R.M. NEWS, 12/19). CO GOP chair Bruce Benson: "My understanding is he wasn't terribly well liked on either side of the aisle" (D. POST, 12/19). The GOP Senate aide added another reason may be that the transition "is not conferring with the hill" on nominees: "The committees are trying to send them a message" (R.M. NEWS, 12/19).

NUKE WASTE CZAR: ID Gov. Cecil Andrus (D) told transition officials outgoing Rep. Richard Stallings (D-ID) should be Clinton's nuclear waste negotiator. Although some enviros have called for eliminating the negotiator's office, budgeted at \$2.5 million this year, Andrus believes Clinton will fill it. The job

is currently held by ex-ID LG David Leroy (R), whom Andrus defeated in 1986. Stallings lost the race for ID's open Sen. seat to GOPer Dirk Kempthorne (Popkey, IDAHO STATESMAN, 12/18).

*3 FOREIGN POLICY POSTS: DONE DEALS ALL AROUND

Clinton met with House Armed Services Cmte chair Les Aspin (D-WI) in Little Rock 12/18. Sources "said Clinton made plain to Aspin during their midday meeting that he was the top choice for Defense." Aspin's selection would "represent a public-relations victory." He chose silence over his "customary gregariousness as a tactic for bidding for the job." Some transition aides called Rep. Dave McCurdy (D-OK) "overzealous" in his pursuit of the job (Jehl, L.A. TIMES, 12/19). U.S. NEWS reports, if nominated, Aspin "is likely to have an unusual witness appearing on his behalf" in Senate confirmation hearings: Defense Sec. Dick Cheney. Despite their differences, "their mutual respect is rooted in a decade of service together in the House" (12/28). Some McCurdy backers charge Aspin staffers with spreading rumors that McCurdy was "badmouthing" other candidates. But one defense industry official said the Clintons "traced" some remarks back to McCurdy. According to the official, Hillary Clinton "had remarked that she did not want an 'ambitious backstabber' in her husband's cabinet" (Scarborough/Gertz, W. TIMES, 12/21).

THE TEAM: The announcements of transition dir. Warren Christopher for State and Clinton adviser Tony Lake for NSA are also expected to come this week (mult, 12/20). N.Y. TIMES' Gelb profiles Clinton's expected "Security Trio": Aspin, Christopher and Lake. They "are highly experienced problem solvers," but if they "have a weakness as a group, it is their lack of pre-cooked clout. ... Clinton, by far the strongest personality of the lot, will shape the trio more than they shape him" (12/20). Clinton "appears to have put an emphasis on teamwork, compatibility and an understanding of Capitol Hill in assembling his foreign policy and defense group" (Balz, W. POST, 12/21). Transition foreign policy chief Sandy Berger "is expected" to be Lake's deputy at NSC. Career foreign service officer John Trattner "is a leading candidate for" Dep. Sec/State (Wilkie, BOSTON GLOBE, 12/19). CBS' Spencer noted the "foreign policy team is still expected to be led" by Christopher (12/20). All nets reported Aspin at Defense. Clinton CoS Mack McLarty: "Certainly ... Aspin has had a long and distinguished record in this area" (NBC, 12/18).

WOMEN IN HIGH PLACES: A "restructured" State Dept. office is "being contemplated" for transition adviser Madeleine Albright "that would give her responsibility for Eastern European affairs, including Russia. Other women under consideration for foreign policy posts: atty Hattie Babbitt, wife of Bruce Babbitt, for Sec/State for inter-American affairs or OAS Amb.; Carter State Dept. official Patricia Derian; ex-State official Rozanne Ridgway; trade consultant Sally Shelton; ex-Sen. Kennedy staffer Nancy Soderberg (Wilkie, BOSTON GLOBE, 12/19). Albright is also mentioned as a possible U.N. Amb. (CBS, 12/20; W. POST, 12/21).

CIA DIRECTOR: McCurdy, "who has apparently lost out on being named defense secretary," said he "won't leave Congress to head the CIA or take a secondary post at the Pentagon." McCurdy, who was reportedly Clinton's top choice for CIA, "said he would have enjoyed the challenge of running the Pentagon": "The only statement I would make, that I have made publicly to the transition, is that I wouldn't leave the Congress for the CIA" (Casteel, DAILY OKLAHOMAN, 12/19). Walter Mondale "is widely reported to be under serious consideration for either" UN Amb. or

the CIA (Putzel, BOSTON GLOBE, 12/19). CBS' Spencer mentioned Walter Mondale as a "possibility" (12/20). ABC's Zellnick reports McCurdy and others are pressing for CIA Dir. Robert Gates to stay on (12/18). NBC's Dancy indicated McCurdy wants Gates to "stay on for six months or so" ("Meet the Press," 12/20).

*4 CABINET REVIEWS: GOP HIT LIST; NEWS AND REVIEWS

BOSTON GLOBE's Stark: "Barring some last-minute surprises, this group ain't what it's cracked up to be" (12/21). W. POST's Marcus calls his domestic policy choices "an activist and unusual mix" and a "contrast to the generally predictable and conservative choices Clinton has made for his economic team and that he is expected to mirror on the national security side" (12/20). N.Y. DAILY NEWS' Auletta: "What he's really doing ... is guaranteeing that as president he will receive a welter of conflicting advice on economic matters" (12/20). N.Y. TIMES' DeParle writes the Clinton social agenda is being "shaped" by two "separate and often conflicting camps" -- the DLC and the Children's Defense Fund (12/20). NEW REPUBLIC takes issue with the choice of Donna Shalala for HHS and the expected naming of Warren Christopher to State and calls Laura Tyson and Ron Brown examples of "change for the worse" (1/4-11 issue).

BUZZWORDS: KNIGHT-RIDDER's Boyd notes a few key words of the transition: DIVERSITY: "Clinton is working to keep his promise to form a government that reflects the diversity of America." BALANCE: "In addition to race and gender, the 14 appointments announced so far are balanced geographically between insiders and outsiders -- and ideologically between the center and the left" of the Dem Party. CONFLICT: "Clinton is clearly willing to accept, even welcome, conflicts of opinion within his government -- more the style of [FDR] than George Bush" (12/19). Wm Safire: "[Clinton] is practicing safe politics. He runs the risk of running no risk" (N.Y. TIMES, 12/21).

SHALALA: W. POST header: "Hill Republicans Map Attack on Shalala ... Confirmation Inquiry May Focus on Campus 'Political Correctness.'" W. POST's Vobejda reports it is Shalala's "involvement with efforts to ban harassing speech and promote racial diversity on college campuses that congressional Republicans are exploring as a possible point of attack." Sen. Trent Lott (R-MS) said an inquiry on Shalala will focus on her time at U/WI (12/20). Rep. Scott Klug (R-WI) writes, "Shalala couldn't solve all the problems at [U/WI], and she surely won't solve all the problems at [HHS]. But two things are certain ... Shalala will be creative and aggressive. And, she'll do some of her best work with Republicans" (W. TIMES, 12/20). W. TIMES' Lambro on Shalala: "Ultraliberal ... the clearest signal yet of the influence that Hillary will wield" (12/21).

RON BROWN: Evans & Novak write GOP Sens. "have trained their sights" on Commerce Sec.-designee Ron Brown as the nominee "they are targeting for their heaviest fire." Lott is the designated "hit man," but "some GOP strategists question the wisdom of assigning a white Republican from the Deep South to go after a black Democrat from Harlem" (N.Y. POST, 12/19). N.Y. TIMES's LaBaton writes Brown's "business dealings are expected to be explored in depth by Republicans at his confirmation hearings next year, in part because Mr. Clinton has made a big deal of ethics rules" (12/20). With Brown at Commerce and the "expected appointment" of Rep. Mike Espy (D-MS) to Ag., "a threshold has been crossed. In the next ten years there are going to be a lot more qualified black candidates for jobs in everything ... it

will soon not even be noticed that they are black. Optimistic? Put it down to the season" (ECONOMIST, 12/19 issue).

REICH: In "private farewell remarks" at Harvard's JFK School, Labor Sec.-designee Robert Reich said "he plans to recommend that Clinton retreat from a key campaign promise requiring that US companies spend billions of dollars more annually training their workers." Reich said he thinks the policy should be to "ask companies to 'voluntarily' raise the amount they spend on training and spread it among more workers": "I'd rather hold off and see how far we can get challenging the business community" (Gosselin, BOSTON GLOBE, 12/19).

CISNEROS: HOUSTON CHRONICLE editorial: "Clinton has chosen well" (12/18). N.Y. DAILY NEWS header over Lars-Erik Nelson column: "Look for a San Antonio spur for cities" (12/21). Balto. SUN editorial: "[Cisneros] could be a major player in the next administration" (12/21).

McLARTY: TIME's Duffy profiles Clinton WH CoS Mack McLarty: "Clinton is no George Bush, and it is no accident that the new chief of staff lacks the hardball callouses of his predecessors. Rather than letting a lone chief of staff bring a narrow set of final decisions to him, as Bush did, Clinton will spend much of his time debating the pros and cons of issues with his deputies" (12/28 issue). U.S. NEWS reports McLarty has consulted with Reagan CoS Howard Baker: "Clinton aides see Baker as the model of how a nice guy can be an extremely effective manager" (12/28-1/4 issue). N.Y. TIMES' Hayes & Kerr profile McLarty and his work at ARKLA (12/21).

*5 WOMEN: "THAT ISN'T WHAT WE THOUGHT HE MEANT"

"With only five cabinet shopping days left before Christmas, [Clinton's] plans to fill the remaining senior posts of his administration have collided with protests from women and Latinos. ... What once seemed a relatively calm and carefully considered process ... now appears increasingly chaotic as all-but-certain nominees fall by the wayside while other previously little-known names rapidly to the top" (Richter/Lauter, L.A. TIMES, 12/19). Balto. SUN's Baer writes, "Although his early top level appointments ... came swiftly and smoothly, the selection process slowed down markedly --and in fact, came to a screeching halt ... as women's groups turned up the volume" (12/21). PHILA. INQUIRER subhead: "It looked like clear sailing for four more white males. Then women and minorities cried foul" (12/10). CBS' Spencer: "With only one woman named to the Cabinet so far, women's groups are pressing him on his promise for a Cabinet that 'looks like America.' ... The Clinton team is hinting that women will end up with four Cabinet-level jobs." Besides Shalala at HHS, Spencer notes Hazel O'Leary as the "late front-runner" for Energy, Madeleine Albright as U.N. Amb. -- and a woman for AG W.S. JOURNAL's Michael Frisby: "There'll most definitely will be a woman attorney general" (CNN, 12/18). NPR's Roberts: "In an attempt to have a more diverse cabinet, it's not that easy to find women of stature to take cabinet posts. This generation of women is the first to really enter the workplace in huge numbers and it is that generation that Clinton is looking to, and finding enough to really be at the top is not that easy" ("Morning Edition," 12/21). Fund For A Feminist Majority's Eleanor Smeal: "We want to encourage, that in this generation, he [Clinton] has the opportunity to break the glass ceiling at the top levels of government" (NBC, 12/21).

HEAR THEM ROAR: Women's Campaign Fund's Jane Danowitz:

"This train is pulling out of the station, and not enough women are on board" (BOSTON GLOBE, 12/20). Smeal, in a letter to Clinton: "If the trend you have established in your Cabinet appointments continues, it is probable that you will appoint fewer women to the Cabinet than Presidents Carter, Reagan or Bush" (Fund release, 12/18). W. POST's Gilliam notes no African-American women have been tapped: "He's looking pretty traditional and coming dangerously close to reflecting the current reality of America" (12/19). Rep. Pat Schroeder (D-CO): "This cabinet will look like America: with men at the top. That isn't what we thought he meant" (L.A. TIMES, 12/19). Germond & Witcover: "Activist women in his own party are not going to let him paper over it with such ruses as his invitation to Carol Browner" to be EPA Admin. (Balto. SUN, 12/19).

CELEBRATING THE YEAR: NEWSWEEK devotes its cover to women in politics with pieces such as "Did America Really 'Get It'?" and commentary by author Susan Faludi (12/28 issue). The DSCC Women's Council is holding a victory celebration 1/5 (DSCC release, 12/18). EMILY's List is seeking a new field of candidates for 1994. Exec. dir. Ellen Malcolm: "It's not too early" (N.Y. TIMES, 12/20). From Ellen Goodman's Year of the Woman retrospective: "So as this year winds down, I take less pride in the notion that women and men remain different. I put a bit more hope in the idea that men will join women in making a difference" (BOSTON GLOBE, 12/20).

*6 HILLARY CLINTON: EVERYONE IS TRYING TO DEFINE HER ROLE

Most reports refer to Bill Clinton's statement in a W.S. JOURNAL interview that Hillary would be present at Cabinet meetings (see HOTLINE 12/18). George Stephanopoulos: "I don't know how many she'll attend, but certainly she'll be free to attend when she feels she can make an addition, and that's probably a lot. She obviously can contribute on a number of issues having to do with children, family, but I wouldn't want to limit it in any way or expand on it in any way right now" (N.Y. TIMES, 12/19). W. POST's McGrory said Clinton "is creating the impression that we're all in this together. ... He needs his wife's help." Bob Novak: "I would suggest [Clinton] go to Congress and repeal the Bobby Kennedy law ... which is a bad law anyway. ... Then if he thinks Hillary knows more than everybody, which he says, name her to high office" ("Meet the Press," NBC, 12/20). CBS' Schieffer to those people who think it's a big deal Hillary will sit in on Cabinet meetings: "Nothing ever happens at Cabinet meetings anyway. They are called mainly so Cabinet members can get their pictures taken with the president. The president gets the real advice that counts in small meetings. Since Mrs. Clinton has a regular place at the breakfast table, whether or not she sits at the Cabinet table is irrelevant" ("Face the Nation," 12/20). NEWSWEEK's Clift & Miller write in the cover story, "Longtime Clinton watchers recognized Hillary's fine hand in the economic summit." It was "modeled" after the education-reform hearings Hillary chaired in AR in the '80s (12/28 issue). W. POST's Sherrill examines the influence she has had on some appointments and the influence she will have in the WH (12/19).

HER ROLE WILL BE? NEWSWEEK's Clift & Miller write, "The expectation among friends and aides is that she will act as an unofficial [CoS]. Not that she will have an office in the West Wing, but she will find a way to oversee everything. And having an old friend like Mack McLarty as [CoS] makes it an easy fit"

(12/28 issue). Hillary denied that she has been "quiet" during the transition: "I have given two major speeches on children's issues. I have spoken out all through the campaign, oftentimes in ways that weren't covered nationally, but got a lot of local press coverage" (NEWSWEEK, 12/28 issue). Author Susan Faludi, in a N.Y. TIMES op-ed: "What galls her detractors isn't so much that she is independent -- but that she enjoys it. ... It's her refusal to play the penitent Mary that most enrages the antifeminist commentators" (12/20).

SOME SUGGESTIONS: NEWSWEEK's Sally Quinn: "On Jan. 20, it will be time for the real Hillary Clinton to stand up. Who that woman will be, and how she does it, will determine the success or failure of her time in the [WH]." Quinn's other suggestions: "She needs her own job ... she should not attend her husband's meetings ... she should not allow herself to become a scapegoat ... she shouldn't make Bill Clinton look like a wimp" and she "should not betray the electorate" (12/28 issue). U.S. NEWS predicts Hillary Clinton "will play a key role in shaping a children's federal agenda that is likely to include": Head Start, health care, child support enforcement, child welfare, family leave and school reform (Toch, 12/28-1/4 issue).

WATCH OUT, LARRY: NBC's Dancy on a new rumor: "There will be a Hillary Clinton talk show. ... The transition office has denied this, said that it's not so, there have been no discussions. But I have heard that in fact discussions have been held in Hollywood." NBC's Russert says the discussions are with the Disney Channel and topics may do with education and kids ("Meet the Press," 12/20).

*7 INAUGURAL: IT ONLY HAPPENS ONCE EVERY FOUR YEARS

THE SPEECH: While suggestions for the substance of Clinton's address "vary widely, there is little disagreement about the advice that the notoriously long-winded president-elect is getting about its length: 'Keep it short!'" Few expect Clinton "to match the modern record for brevity set in 1945 set by [FDR], whose wartime speech lasted only six minutes." George Washington holds the all-time record for brevity, he "spoke for two minutes in 1793" (U.S. NEWS, 12/28-1/4 issue).

HOLLYWOOD'S INFLUENCE: NBC's Russert recounted how, at a recent meeting, a certain Hollywood producer heading the inaugural proposed the following: "As he sat there ... he read the oath of office, which says, 'to preserve, protect, and defend.' He said, you know, it would scan much better if we could say, 'defend, preserve, protect'" ("Meet the Press," 12/20).

I WANT MY MTV: Billed as a "tribute to the young Americans who voted in the 1992 presidential election," MTV's "televised bash" at the Washington Convention Center is "one of the most sought-after inaugural tickets." DNC chair Ron Brown co-chairs the ball with MTV pres. Tom Freston. "With so many music industry operatives, cable officials, advertisers and young folks ... there might not be much room for the political hobnobbers." The convention hall "should literally vibrate with activity," since it also hosts the Arkansas ball "where CLinton is expected to spend the bulk of his evening," and the New England ball (Norris/Trescott, W. POST, 12/21).

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*8 COVER TO COVER

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NEW REPUBLIC -- "The 20Something Myth" (1/4 & 1/11).

*9 PASSPORT PROBE: MULLINS IS A TARGET; OTHERS FROM WH, TOO?

WH political aide Janet Mullins has been named the subject of independent prosecutor Joseph diGenova's criminal probe into the State Dept. search through Bill Clinton's passport files. The diGenova order, first reported 12/18, has still not been unsealed. W. POST's LaFraniere & Pincus report his probe will not be limited to Mullins, although WH CoS James Baker "is not a principal subject of the inquiry. ... diGenova will focus primarily on the question of whether [WH] officials lied to State Department investigators about what they knew" (12/19). L.A. TIMES' Ostrow reports sources said diGenova will investigate "whether [WH] officials attempted to cover up their knowledge of the search, possibly committing felony violations that carry prison terms." The sources say "only a single White House official [is] a suspect, but ... 'others' may be involved." Probes by State Dept. Inspector General Sherman Funk and the GAO "focused" on Mullins, Baker and Baker aide Margaret Tutwiler. Mullins and Tutwiler "are Baker's closest political aides." Funk "questioned all three, and determined that Tutwiler and Mullins knew about the files search when it was under way, and that Baker learned of it within hours. [Funk] said his finding appeared to conflict with Mullins' assertion that she knew only what she had read in newspapers of the incident" (12/19). Mullins, Tutwiler and Baker have each retained attorneys. The diGenova appointment, made only hours before the special prosecutor statute would expire, "stunned" the WH "and dashed the hopes of some senior [admin.] officials that the ... controversy would quietly die" (W. POST, 12/19). Rep. Pat Schroeder (D-CO) "suggested" the admin. sought the diGenova probe, after railing against the statute, "to protect" the WH "from the embarrassment" of a GAO probe. "Republicans, she said, can now contend that Congressional investigations are unneeded because an independent prosecutor is examining the case" (Pear, N.Y. TIMES, 12/19). NEWSWEEK's "Periscope" also notes the belief that Barr wished to "undermine" the GAO. "Justice sources say that theory 'defies common sense'" (12/28 issue). Clinton spokesperson George Stephanopoulos called AG Wm Barr's appointment of diGenova a "good step": "I guess the only reasonable conclusion is that Barr felt he had to do it and that it would have been terribly embarrassing if he didn't" (L.A. TIMES, 12/19).

TV: Sec/State Lawrence Eagleburger, on NBC's "Meet the Press": "The question is ... what were the links between the White House and the State Department, if any, with regard to engendering to look into the files. And I'm not indicating at all that Jim Baker or anybody else knew anything about it. That's for this investigation to establish. The question is who knew what when" (12/20). CBS' Braver: "The whole episode has

cast a cloud over Baker and two of his top aides" (12/18). Charles Krauthammer: "It's a real footnote in history -- a footnote of a footnote. It's only possible impact is that it will be the final end of the political career of Jim Baker" ("Inside Washington," 12/19). AMERICAN LAWYER's Stuart Taylor on Mullins and Tutwiler: "[They] appear to be the likeliest people who have triggered the appointment." Taylor also noted Baker and Eagleburger are the only other two officials who could have triggered the Independent Counsel act. David Gergen: "I would be stupefied if [Baker] were involved with this. ... He cares a heck of a lot more about his reputation than anything else, including the re-election of George Bush." Mark Shields: "There's always been a feeling about [Baker] that if he drove a convertible with the top down through a car wash, somebody else would get wet" ("MacNeil/Lehrer," PBS, 12/18).

***10 PEROT: BITTEN BY THE POWER BUG**

"Wielding his extraordinary political checkbook," Ross Perot made a \$500,000 contribution to Lead or Leave, "an organization dedicated to reducing the federal deficit." Perot "had hoped that the anti-deficit organization would merge with his own United We Stand, but during an all day meeting earlier this month, LOL's Rob Nelson, 29, and Jon Cowan, 27, convinced Perot that their group would be more effective if it remained independent" (Fenyvesi, U.S. NEWS, 12/28 & 1/4 issue).

GRRRRRR: U.S. NEWS' Barone predicts Perot will join talk-radio's Rush Limbaugh and the Christian right in being the first to attack Clinton: "If Perot decides, as he did about Bush, that Clinton is not an 'eagle' but a 'rabbit' -- then Perot could show up again on CNN's 'Larry King Live' one night and reinvigorate America's first born-on-cable candidacy" (12/28 & 1/4 issue).

NEW ORGANIZATION: According to Perot campaign counsel Clay Mulford, Perot will turn his organization of volunteers into a non-profit watchdog group next month and initiate a new membership drive (AP, 12/18).

***11 THE GOP: INTO THE THINK-TANK**

WH counsel Boyden Gray, WH media aide Dorrance Smith and EEOC chair Evan Kemp "are planning to form what has been described as an activist conservative opposition-in-exile, which would be part think tank, part public interest law firm and part cable television news channel." The three "say their anti-liberal network will be made possible by a new technology that within two years will offer viewers access to as many as 500 cable channels." Smith, a former ABC news producer, "plans to present a mix of news and current events designed to broaden the conservative base." Possible conservative network stars: Retiring Rep. Vin Weber (R-MN), Quayle CoS Wm Kristol (Fenyvesi, U.S. NEWS, 12/28 & 1/4 issue). W.S. JOURNAL's Gigot: "Dick Cheney and Jean Kirkpatrick are close to signing up with" HUD Sec. Jack Kemp, Rep. Vin Weber (R-MN) and GOP consultant Bill Bennett "into a new Republican organization that will really be the Republican shadow government" ("McLaughlin Group," 12/19).

CHENEYS: Evans & Novak: A Cheney may well run for Senate from WY in '94, "but Washington insiders say it is more likely to be Lynne Cheney than her husband Dick" (N.Y. POST, 12/19).

CHRISTIAN COALITION: Christian Coalition exec. dir. Ralph Reed: "If a person of faith is elected to a position of party leadership in either the Republican or Democratic party, they should represent everybody in that party, because a party is not

a blanket woven of a single thread, it's a patch quilt. It's made up of diverse elements, and I think whoever that person is they should represent everybody." Republican Maj. Coalition's Roger Stone: "I give Ralph and his group credit, they did turn out their vote for George Bush, but that demonstrated that it is not enough votes to win. Consequently this party is going to have to be more tolerant. It's going to have to be broader. It's going to have to find issues, economic issues, to bring back the Reagan Conservatives." Stone on whether he wants the Christian Coalition out of the GOP: "I don't want to expel anyone from the party. ... What we want is a broader more inclusionary party. Reed on whether he would support a pro-choice platform in '96 for the purpose of party unity: "The Republican party needs to remain firm in supporting unborn life, the language that convenes that is obviously negotiable" ("Crossfire," CNN, 12/18).

*12 LOBBYISTS: DON'T THROW AWAY THOSE TASSELED LOAFERS JUST YET CBS' "60 Minutes" examined Clinton's pledge to decrease the influence of lobbyists and the reality of doing so. CBS' Safer noting Clinton "railed against" lobbyists in the campaign, "but he never named any names. ... Tonight we name the names and see the faces and it turns out that some of them are Mr. Clinton's best friends and closest advisers." Named: Tommy Boggs "about the fattest of the Fat-Cats," and law partners Ron Brown, and Timothy May; ex-DNC chair Charles Manatt, who was shown avoiding the camera and eventually leaving the building being followed by Safer; John Zorak, "Zorak the Magnificent," who takes Safer through an imaginary piece of lobbying in the Senate Reception room. Safer noted Clinton's ethic guidelines "will not affect the current business of lobbying, or what happens on Capitol Hill. In fact, virtually every lobbyist we spoke to said the Clinton Administration would be good for their industry. Democrats in the [WH] traditionally mean new legislation, and new legislation means new opportunities. The hunting season continues" (12/20).

*13 ILLINOIS: PROSECUTORS PLAYING BEAT THE CLOCK ON ROSTY

NEWSWEEK reports "federal prosecutors are racing to indict powerful" Rep. Dan Rostenkowski (D-08) "before Inauguration Day." They "worry" that if charges aren't brought against Rosty before 1/20, the Clinton admin. "won't vigorously pursue the case." As House Ways and Means chair, Rostenkowski "is expected to play a key role" in pushing Clinton's economic agenda through the House (12/26 issue). ROLL CALL's Burger reports Clinton "will have the option" of replacing U.S. Atty Jay Stephens, who is conducting the probe, "a factor which some observers speculate is spurring Stephens either to wrap up the investigation or bring it to a point at which it would be more controversial" to name a new U.S. Atty (12/21).

TALKING "MORTALITY": Rosty "has shown political resilience" during the House Post Office probe, "testimony to the power attached to his chairmanship and to his skill in wielding it." But, there have been "signs" he "has suffered some dents to his armor." While reelected without challenge as Ways & Means chair, "he drew 53 'no' votes in a secret ballot -- more than any of the other 20 uncontested chairmen." Dems then "adopted rules designed by the liberal House Democratic Study Group to try to make Rostenkowski more closely toe the party line." Rostenkowski "has started talking about his political mortality." Speaking to reporters after this year's cmte assignments, "he boasted" he put Rep.-elect Mel Reynolds (D-IL) on his cmte "so a Chicagoan would be left on Ways and Means 'when the curtain falls.'" There "has been no serious talk" about replacing him "unless he is indicted in the stamp scandal" (Talbott, CHICAGO SUN-TIMES, 12/20). The new Dem rules may facilitate such a move, "including one that requires a vote on removing a chairman if 50 members sign a petition" (W. TIMES, 12/21).

*14 MINNESOTA: THE KISS OF JUDE -- HE SWITCHES TO GOP

Outgoing Hennepin Co. Commis. Tad Jude, "accused by critics of being a 'bad Democrat'" during his primary bid to unseat Rep. Gerry Sikorski (D-06), said he now "agrees with his critics and would be more comfortable" in the GOP. Jude, an "outspoken" pro-lifer "who refused to support Bill Clinton," switched parties to join the MN IR. Jude: "I have found that the Republican Party is far more open, more mainstream, closer to the philosophy that I learned from Hubert Humphrey and more accommodating to alternative viewpoints." Jude announced the change from the office of HUD Sec. Jack Kemp, causing "some to speculate" Jude "is planning to sign on with Kemp for his anticipated run" for pres. in '96, "and others to guess" Jude may run for office again in '94. Jude said his new party alliance "won't make him change his positions on any issues." MN DFL political dir. Todd Rapp: "He is largely a single-issue candidate and he went to a party largely organized around this one issue." DFL Pro-Life Caucus chair Jackie Schwietz: "I understand why [Jude] is doing this. This is not a party of inclusiveness. The DFL is a party of intolerance" (Minneapolis STAR TRIBUNE, 12/18).

*15 NEW YORK: TABLOID SEZ AILES MAY RUN FOR GOVERNOR

N.Y. POST's Dicker reports "controversial" GOP consultant Roger Ailes "has privately told a key New York Republican that he's interested in running" for gov. in 1994. A senior NY GOP

official said Ailes raised the "startling possibility" himself in a discussion with NY GOP chair Wm Powers: "Ailes said he's really interested." Powers "confirmed": "Roger did say he might be interested in running for governor." Although Ailes is Gov. Mario Cuomo's (D) "political nemesis," the two have "privately kept in touch ... through intermediaries" over the years. Still, "that doesn't mean ... that Ailes wouldn't love to defeat Cuomo in a head to head election contest." Ailes helped run Lew Lehrman's (R) "almost-successful" '82 race against Cuomo. Other potential Repubs: Sen. Al D'Amato, ex-Amb. to France Evan Galbraith, cosmetics heir/'89 NYC mayoral candidate Ron Lauder, financier Jon Fossil, NYU Dean Herb London, businessman Pat Barrett and ex-RNC cmte member Richard Rosenbaum (12/21).

*16 OREGON: WOMEN'S GROUPS GO LIGHTER ON BOB THAN CLARENCE?

W.S. JOURNAL's Thomas points out, despite "the much more egregious actions" of Sen. Bob Packwood (R-OR), the "fury" of the nat'l women's groups is "muted" compared to that toward Supreme Court nominee Clarence Thomas a year ago. "Even after [he] admitted to conduct that included restraining several women staffers and lobbyists as he tore at their clothes, altering his story and attempting to discredit his accusers, much of the women's lobby is soberly reserving judgment on the man they have considered a friend on such issues as abortion rights and the Equal Rights Amendment." While NOW, Nat'l Women's Political Caucus and Fund for a Feminist Majority have called for Packwood to resign -- the Women's Legal Defense Fund, the National Women's Law Center and NARAL have not. NARAL's Kate Michelman: "He has to decide for himself." Gloria Steinem: "We all deserve to have our lives judged in context." Even those who have called for him to step down remembered his support for women's issues. NWPC's Harriett Woods: "If someone has stood up for you over a long period of time, it does make it hard to condemn him." Eleanor Smeal said if the same actions came from "a person who was sitting there blocking [legislation], that's worse." Some of the national groups were slow to move, with NOW acting "only after its Oregon chapter raised a ruckus" (12/21).

"CAPITAL GANG" XMAS GIFTS TO PACKWOOD: Al Hunt: "A plaque in the Baseball Hall of Fame in Cooperstown for the most consecutive strike outs." Bob Novak: "To keep him away from temptation ... an all male staff" (CNN, 12/19).

*17 TENNESSEE: GORE MEETS WITH MCWHERTER; WILL RESIGN 1/2

VP-elect Al Gore visited with Gov. Ned McWherter (D) 12/18 in Nashville. McWherter told reporters he was still undecided on naming Gore's successor. McWherter backed off previous statements that he would make the appointment before Christmas: "I honestly don't have a timetable." McWherter "said he did not ask Gore his preference about a successor but talked in general terms about the kind of person he felt would help carry out" the Clinton admin.'s agenda. "Gore said he will resign in a letter to the President of the Senate," VP Dan Quayle (Rawlins, AP, 12/18). McWherter "is considering appointing one of three top aides" as a caretaker until the '94 special election. McWherter aide Jim Hall: "A caretaker would be more interested in working with President Clinton and supporting his program than worrying about his own re-election." Gore will resign 1/2 to "allow his appointed successor to be sworn in with the rest" of the 103rd Congress "and keep the appointee on a par with them in seniority." The gov. "reportedly has separated the large field

of candidates ... into two categories -- caretakers and those who want to keep the job and run" in '94. Caretaker mentions: Hall, McWherter CoS Jim Kennedy; McWherter aide Harlan Matthews; ex-Nashville mayor/ex-Rep. Dick Fulton; House Speaker Pro Tem Lois DeBerry; ex-Rep. Ed Jones. Those who would keep the seat: Reps. Jim Cooper (D-04), Bart Gordon (D-06) and Bob Clement (D-05); ex-Public Service Commis. Jane Eskind; and TN Higher Education Commis. chair Peaches Simpkins. "As late as last week" the gov. was "still fishing around for names, a sign that he is uncomfortable" with his list of contenders. Cooper "had been considered the favorite for the seat," but sources said his "vigorous campaigning ... has made him appear more likely to get the seat than is actually the case" (Jacoby, ROLL CALL, 12/21).

NEW TN GOP CHAIR: Randle Richardson, ex-TN dir. of the Farmers Home Admin., was elected 12/19 as the new TN GOP chair. '94 is key with a gov. and two Sen. races in TN (AP, 12/19).

*18 VIRGINIA: ROBB GRAND JURY WON'T RECONVENE UNTIL 1/12

Sen. Chuck Robb (D) "scrambled ... to shift attention from remarks suggesting he expected to be indicted." Reports about Robb's press conference "seized on comments indicating" such expectations (Hardin/Allen, RICHMOND TIMES-DISPATCH, 12/19). Robb press sec. Peggy Wilhide said Robb "feels very good about his testimony and is optimistic that ... this grand jury will defy the odds and fulfill its historic role as a shield to protect citizens from unwarranted or inappropriate prosecution." She added Robb "remains completely confident about the final outcome whenever it occurs." A "source familiar with the case" says the grand jury investigating Robb will reconvene 1/12. (Cosco/Eure, Norfolk VIRGINIAN-PILOT, 12/19).

WHAT'S NEXT? Ex-U.S. Atty Wm Cummings said jurors and DoJ officials "probably will ask for transcripts of Robb's testimony to compare his comments" from 12/17 with other statements by Robb and other witnesses. Cummings said voting on the indictment immediately after Robb's testimony "would have been a bit impetuous." Jurors "may now want to reconsider the indictment," and "some guy at Justice may want to stick his nose in it one more time to consider changes in language or in the charges themselves" (W. POST, 12/19).

*19 TEXAS SENATE: NO NEWS IS NO NEWS

DALLAS MORNING NEWS' Attlesey writes, "It's time for posturing, positioning and jockeying for control of the parties and for the top offices that are suddenly open." For Dems it's "a personal struggle for Gov. Ann Richards [who is] seeking to keep her popularity sky high and for would-be U.S. Senate candidates hoping to fill the big shoes of Lloyd Bentsen." For GOPers "rallying around a Senate hopeful may be a more immediate goal" but they are also "fighting internecine wars and trying desperately to weaken" Richards for '94 (12/20).

MOST RECENT SPECULATION: Reps. Mike Andrews (D-25) and John Bryant (D-05) "appear to be emerging as the lead contenders." Dem leaders "threw cold water on the notion" that ex-federal prosecutor Paul Hobby, son of ex-LG Bill Hobby, should get the appointment "because his family's wealth would make it easy" for him to run in the special and in '94 for the full term. TX Dem Exec. Cmte member Ed Miller: "I just don't think the voters would look favorably on it being handed down as a monarchy" (Ratcliffe, HOUSTON CHRONICLE, 12/19).

GOP RUMBLINGS: Treas. Kay Bailey Hutchison and Rep. Jack Fields (R-08) have formed exploratory cmtes. Helping and advising Hutchison are Bush TX chair Jim Oberwetter, Sen. Phil Gramm adviser James Francis and ex-football star Roger Staubach (AP/DALLAS MORNING NEWS, 12/20). Fields "will make a formal announcement early [this] week." His "final decision will be based on family considerations" (CHRONICLE, 12/19).

FARENTHOLD: Activist Francis "Sissy" Farenthold (D) boldly asked Gov. Ann Richards (D) for the appointment: "I have ... notified the Governor that I am willing and anxious to serve, and that I am prepared to become a candidate in the special election" (Farnethold release, 12/18).

WHERE IS ANN NEEDED MORE? AG Dan Morales (D) told AP "he wants to start a movement for Richards to appoint herself": "I know that the governor doesn't want to do it ... but we simply cannot afford to lose that Senate seat" (CHRONICLE, 12/19). AUSTIN AMERICAN-STATESMAN's McNeely lists reasons Richards should remain gov: She couldn't abandon her New Texas; TX "would be in the hands" of LG Bob Bullock; "Can she quit now" in her fight for TX schools?; Abortion rights are probably not safe on the state level; "She would have to campaign all over Texas for four months, then for 18 months more to defend the seat in 1994 -- against a probable downturn for [Dems] in the second year of [Clinton's] term." Reasons she should run: "She's the only [Dem] who can win -- or at least, the only one who she'd like to see win"; "High poll ratings don't necessarily hold. ... Cash in now"; "Her star quality would instantly make her a player"; "She could name federal judges in Texas and raise money for the party nationally" (12/20).

*20 WI 01: THE RACE TO SUCCEED ASPIN

With Rep. Les Aspin (D-01) considered likely to be appointed as Sec/Defense, "voters should brace themselves for the first wide-open race since Aspin won the seat 22 years ago." The front-runner is '92 Aspin challenger/home builder Mark Neumann (R), but he faces "a potential slate" of challengers from GOP and Dems. Possible Dems: State Rep. Judy Robson, WI Dem chair Jeff Neubauer, Janesville City Councilmember Jeff Thomas, state Rep.

Peter Barca, ex-Senate Maj. Leader Tim Cullen, state Sen. Joseph Andrea, Kenosha Co. Exec. John Collins and state Rep. Wayne Wood. Robson "retreated a bit," saying she's "very strongly considering" a run. On the GOP side, "other candidates are 'deferring to Neumann.'" GOPers who appear to be "interested": State Sen. Timothy Weeden, state Sen. George Petak, state Rep. Charles Coleman. Rep. Scott Klug (R-02) CoS Brandon Scholz "said he expects [GOP] business types who supported Aspin in the last election to throw their support to Neumann this time" (Smith, WISCONSIN STATE JOURNAL, 12/18).

***21 NYC MAYOR: SCHUMER RUMOR FLOATED**

N.Y. POST's Seifman reports, some community leaders "unhappy with the current crop" of mayoral candidates are looking for a "fresh face." Political insiders "say the most sought-after candidate" is Rep. Charles Schumer (D-10). "But it appears only a monumental political earthquake will convince Schumer to give up a secure and influential seat in Washington for a shot at City Hall." One insider: "It's not in his immediate plans, but if 1,900 people -- political leaders -- say we are going to draft you, he will hear the call." Sources "said that renewed tensions between Jews and blacks have been a factor in Schumer's hesitancy" to challenge Mayor David Dinkins (D). Others who have been approached and "responded with an unequivocal 'no, thanks'": Manhattan BP Ruth Messinger, Bronx BP Fernando Ferrer. City Councilwoman Ronnie Eldridge tested her "mayoral ambitions," when she spoke at a Jewish group this week": "If I had a spontaneous outpouring of people to help, yes" (12/19).

SPARRING: "Shifting into campaign mode," Dinkins "swiped" at ex-U.S. Atty Rudy Giuliani (R) and City Council Pres. Andrew Stein (D) over their reax to the city's racial tensions. Dinkins did not accuse either of "stoking the fires" but he added, "they haven't been very useful or very helpful. ... I will not accuse them of taking advantage of it, although some have. I will simply say they have not assisted the cause." Dinkins said Giuliani's role in a "rowdy City Hall demonstration" by police union members "showed he lacked 'the temperament to be mayor.'" Giuliani: "If the mayor continues to talk this way during the holiday season, people will stop saying he is a nice guy, and if they do that there would be nothing else to say about him" (Kovaleski, N.Y. DAILY NEWS, 12/21). Dinkins also "spoke of Stein dismissively, saying he has accomplished little" on the Council (Schwartzman, N.Y. POST, 12/21).

FESTIVAL OF SLIGHTS: "For the second year in a row," Crown Heights Jewish leaders did not invite Dinkins to their Hanukkah celebration. Rabbi Schmu-el Butman, "who has been a Dinkins critic," had "indicated that Dinkins would be invited this year," but that was before the acquittal of Lemrick Nelson in the Crown Heights stabbing case (N.Y. POST, 12/21).

===== POLL UPDATE =====

*22 NEWSWEEK: WOMEN BELIEVE WOMEN'S MOVEMENT HELPED THEM
750 women interviewed 12/17-18 by Gallup; margin of error
+/- 4% (NEWSWEEK release, 12/19).

OPINION OF HILLARY	SHE BE ACTIVE ON POLICY MATTERS?	DIFF. TO BE MADE BY WOMEN APPOINTED ELECTED
Favorable 49%	Yes 46%	Big difference 31% 34%
Unfav. 17	No 40	Small diff. 40 48
		No difference 17 14

WOMEN IN '92	MEN UNDERSTAND ISSUES	HAVE MEN IN YOUR LIFE
Made progress 38%	THAT CONCERN WOMEN?	BECOME MORE SENSITIVE
Held position 41	Yes 27%	IN THE PAST YEAR?
Lost ground 14	No 68	Yes - 55%, No - 38%

WOMEN'S MOVEMENT HELPED...	VERY FAIRLY NOT WELL WELL WELL	WOMEN BETTER OFF NOW THAN 1982 IN... YES NO
Professional Women 31%	54% 9%	Eco. resources 71% 25%
Working class women 19	59 19	Legal rights 79 16
Poor Women 6	30 55	Status in society 79 16
Women like yourself 16	57 21	Burden from housewkw 56 37

YOUR JOB OPS AND PAY COMPARED TO MEN	WHAT'S YOUR JOB?	WHY DO YOU WORK?
Better 12%	Full-time 39%	Mostly for \$\$\$ 68%
Worse 37	Part-time 15	Mostly other reasons 28
Same 43	Not employed 30	
	Retired 16	

IN PAST YEAR HAVE YOU SEEN THESE WORKPLACE CHANGES?	YES	NO
Men more sensitive to problem of sexual harrassment?	58%	32%
Bosses more sensitive to the problem?	66	22
Bosses more sensitive to problems of working mothers?	57	35

CLARENCE THOMAS SEX. HARRASS ANITA HILL?	CONSIDER YOURSELF A FEMINIST?	FREEDOM OF CHOICE ACT TO GUAR. ABORTION RTS?
NOW 10/91	NOW 10/91	Favor 60%
Yes 51% 27%	Yes 32% 34%	Oppose 32
No 34 37	No 61 57	

IN THE LAST YEAR HAVE YOU ...	YES	NO
Become more politically active?	36%	63%
Given \$ to a feminist group or women's group?	14	86
Given money to a political candidate?	15	85
Changed your job or career goals?	22	78

*23 HARRIS: BUSH SEEN BETTER THAN ANY PRESIDENT SINCE JFK
1254 adults interviewed 12/4-8, margin of error +/- 2.5%,
Louis Harris and Associates release 12/18.

RATE BUSH VS	FDR	HST	DDE	JFK	LBJ	RMN	FORD	JEC	RWR
Bush better than	19%	29%	31%	26%	57%	72%	67%	67%	44%
Bush worse than	65	54	48	62	27	19	19	24	40

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MONITOR =====

*24. THIS MORNING: All nets report the appointment of ex-SC Gov. Dick Riley to Education and MN Utility VP Hazel O'Leary to Energy (12/21). ABC's "GMA" hosted pollster Doug Schoen on Serbian elections, Col. David Hackworth (Ret.) in Somalia; Omaha, NE Mayor P.J. Morgan on Gun Amnesty Day. "CBS This Morning" hosted Zbigniew Brzezinski on Bosnia. NBC's "Today" hosted USMC spokesperson Col. Fred Peck in Somalia, Fund For A Feminist Majority pres. Eleanor Smeal.

THIS WEEKEND: "Brinkley" hosted CIA Dir. Robert Gates, Bosnian For. Min. Haris Silajdzic and Clinton adviser Sandy Berger. NBC's "Press" hosted Sec/State Lawrence Eagleburger. CBS' "Nation" hosted Sec/Defense Dick Cheney.

THIS WEEKEND: 12/19: ABC led with Clinton's possible national security team. NBC led with Bosnia. CBS was pre-empted. 12/18: ABC led with Somalia. NBC led with Bosnia. CBS led with the appointment of a special prosecutor for the passport probe case. PBS' "MacNeil/Lehrer" led with deported Palestinians, hosted Gergen & Shields and focused on Bosnia with N.Y. TIMES' Anthony Lewis and CHICAGO TRIBUNE's Steven Chapman. "M/L" also focused on Clinton's passport search with AMERICAN LAWYER's Stuart Taylor. CNN's "Crossfire" hosted GOP strategist Roger Stone and Christian Coalition exec. dir. Ralph Reed on the GOP. "Larry King Live" hosted Bosnian Foreign Minister Dr. Haris Silajdzic, Rep. Frank McCloskey (D-IN) and U.S. Army Col. Harry Summers (ret.) on Bosnia. ABC's "Person of the Week" was Arthur Ashe. ABC's "Nightline" focused on Somalia.

PREDICTIONS: Eleanor Clift: "Clinton's middle-class tax cut will be reconfigured as an increase tax reduction for families with children." Morton Kondrake predicted Bush will pardon Caspar Weinberger ("Group," 12/19).

STOCKING STUFFERS: TO CLINTON: Al Hunt: "A McDonalds within jogging distance of the" WH. TO BUSH: Mark Shields: "Clearly Total Recall; A Guide to Better Memory at Any Age." HILLARY: Bob Novak: "The repeal of the Kennedy anti-nepotism law so she can legally be a cabinet member." TO PACKWOOD: Bob Novak: "To keep him away from temptation ... an all male staff" ("Gang," 12/19).

===== TV SNAKEBITE =====

"Have yourself a merry little Christmas ..."
 -- Carl "Ho-Ho-Ho-in'" Rowan and Nina "O Totenberg, O" Totenberg,
 in a touching, musical Holiday tableau,
 accompanied by Gordon "Twinkle Pinkies" Peterson on piano,
 "Inside Washington," 12/19.

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THE PRESIDENT HAS SEEN ^{12/21}

December 18, 1992

President George H. W. Bush
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue
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Dear Mr. President:

Enjoyed the visit with you on Wednesday. We'll all be happy to have you and Bar back again and look forward to good old times -- a little golf, some meals, some deals. ¿ Quien sabe ? I still feel there are good opportunities in the oil business, not only domestically but abroad as well. We can discuss when you get down here.

It sounds as though you're going to be active up in College Station, which is great, and the intellectual stimulation from that association should be exciting. At the same time, you'll be presented a lot of opportunities for your occupation and remuneration as well. You'll enjoy it, I know.

Everything is all taken care of at HCC, and you're set there as of January 21, 1993.

If anything comes open on the Eurasia Foundation, let me know.

Best and Merry Christmas
to you, Bar and the
whole bunch,

Albie

JBA:cp
Enclosure

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The president Sept. 30 sent to the House of Representatives a veto statement concerning HR 5517, providing appropriations for the District of Columbia.

The president Sept. 30 sent to Congress a proposed "Violent Crime Control Act of 1992."

The president Sept. 30 declared parts of Wisconsin eligible for disaster assistance.

The president Sept. 30 sent to Congress a report of the National Institute of Building Sciences.

The president Sept. 30 sent to Congress a notice extending the state of emergency regarding Haiti and economic sanctions against Haiti, plus a report on the sanctions and relations with Haiti.

The president Sept. 30 sent to the Senate an statement concerning his signing of S 680, the "Tourism Policy and Export Promotion Act of 1992."

The president Sept. 30 sent to Congress a report on a schedule for resumption of nuclear testing talks.

The president Sept. 30 announced his intention to nominate Paul Sarbanes to be a representative to the United Nations General Assembly.

The president Sept. 30 sent to the Senate a protocol on taxation with Barbados.

The president Sept. 30 announced the selection of William Frenzel, William Bader, McGeorge Bundy, Andrew Falkiewicz, Gordon Humphrey, Vernon Jordan, Max Kampelman, Thomas Kemp, Susan King, Peter McPherson, Arnold Weber, and Marina Von Neuman Whitman as members of the board of the Eurasia Foundation, which will support the process of economic and political reform in the newly independent states of the former Soviet Union.

The White House Sept. 30 issued a fact sheet concerning the "child support enforcement initiative."

Press Secretary Marlin Fitzwater Sept. 30 issued a statement concerning this year's report of the National Education Goals Panel.

The president Sept. 29 sent Congress a report on the state of small business.

December 21, 1992

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PHONE MESSAGES FOR THE PRESIDENT

- ✓ 1. Doug Sanders- Would like a return call any time today.

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** These numbers have been passed to the WH Operators.

- ✓ 2. Connie Horner- Called regarding the note you sent her on Guy Molinari. Please call at your convenience.

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Presidential Phone Calls



DATE: 12-21 TIME: 1:12
incoming/outgoing

WITH: Colin Powell

SUBJECT: re W'agner pardon

Has to be a ~~witness~~ for both
prosecutor & defense
killing him -
I am really sick -

Cops has shingles
really mentally down

FOLLOW UP: I am wheel chair - sprains
low -

→ not easy time for you

made large contribution to
military -