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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON D.C.



December 20, 2007
6:36 AM THURSDAY

START	END	DESCRIPTION
6:36 AM		The President went to the Oval Office.
		The President met with:
7:00 AM	7:34 AM	Joshua B. Bolten, Assistant and Chief of Staff
7:04 AM	7:34 AM	Stephen J. Hadley, Assistant for National Security Affairs (in/out)
7:04 AM	7:08 AM	Lt. Gen. Douglas E. Lute, Assistant and Deputy National Security Advisor for Iraq and Afghanistan
7:21 AM	7:34 AM	Edward W. "Ed" Gillespie, Counselor
7:34 AM	7:42 AM	The President met with Mr. Hadley.
7:42 AM	7:55 AM	The President met with:
		Dennis C. Wilder, Special Assistant and Senior Director for East Asian Affairs, National Security Council (NSC)
		Mr. Hadley (in/out)
		Gordon D. Johndroe, Special Assistant and National Security Council Press Secretary
		James A. Regenor, Deputy Executive Secretary, National Security Council (NSC) (out at 7:53)
7:46 AM	7:53 AM	The President talked on a conference call with:
		Lee Myung-Bak , President-elect of South Korea
		(b)(3) 10 USC 130b
7:56 AM	7:56 AM	The President met with Mr. Hadley.
7:57 AM	8:03 AM	The President met with:
		Richard B. Cheney, Vice President
		Mr. Bolten (in at 7:58)
		Mr. Hadley
8:03 AM	8:31 AM	The President met for a daily intelligence briefing with:
		Vice President Cheney
		Vice Adm. J. Michael "Mike" McConnell, Director of

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December 20, 2007
8:03 AM THURSDAY

START	END	DESCRIPTION
		National Intelligence Michael V. Hayden, Director of the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA) (b)(3) 50 USC 403g, Section 6 Mr. Bolten Mr. Hadley Frances F. "Fran" Townsend, Assistant for Homeland Security and Counterterrorism
8:34 AM	8:57 AM	The President met for a daily communications briefing with: Vice President Cheney Mr. Bolten (in/out) Mr. Hadley (out at 8:56) Joel D. Kaplan, Assistant and Deputy Chief of Staff for Policy Mr. Gillespie (out at 8:56)
8:57 AM	9:17 AM	The President participated in a personnel meeting with: Vice President Cheney Mr. Bolten (in/out) Barry S. Jackson, Assistant to the President for Strategic Initiatives and External Affairs Joie A. Gregor, Assistant for Presidential Personnel David Clark, Deputy Assistant to the President and Deputy Director of Presidential Personnel Martha Miller, Special Assistant for Presidential Personnel Luis Reyes, Special Assistant for Presidential Personnel Luke Frans, Special Assistant for Political Affairs
9:17 AM	9:19 AM	The President met with: Vice President Cheney Mr. Bolten (in/out) Mr. Jackson Ms. Gregor
9:22 AM	9:58 AM	The President met with: Mr. Bolten Mr. Kaplan (in/out) Mr. Hadley (in at 11:48) Mr. Gillespie (in at 9:23)(in/out) Dana M. Perino, Assistant and Press Secretary (out at 9:52)

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December 20, 2007
9:59 AM THURSDAY

START	END	DESCRIPTION
		Kevin F. Sullivan, Assistant for Communications (out at 9:52)
9:59 AM		The President went to the Outer Oval Office. He was accompanied by: Mr. Bolten Mr. Hadley
9:59 AM		The President went to the Press Briefing Room. He was accompanied by: Mr. Bolten Mr. Kaplan Mr. Hadley Mr. Gillespie Ms. Perino Mr. Sullivan
10:01 AM	10:49 AM	The President participated in a Press Conference.
10:50 AM		The President returned to the Outer Oval Office. He was accompanied by: Mr. Gillespie Ms. Perino Mr. Sullivan
10:50 AM		The President went to the Oval Office. He was accompanied by: Mr. Gillespie Ms. Perino Mr. Sullivan
10:50 AM	11:03 AM	The President met with: Mr. Gillespie Ms. Perino Mr. Sullivan
11:12 AM	11:15 AM	The President met with: Vice President Cheney (in/out) Mr. Bolten (in/out)
11:15 AM		The President went to the South Lawn. He was accompanied by: Vice President Cheney

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December 20, 2007
11:16 AM THURSDAY

START	END	DESCRIPTION
		Mr. Bolten
11:16 AM	11:20 AM	The President motored from the South Lawn of the White House to the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs.
11:20 AM *		The President went to the G.V. "Sonny" Montgomery Veterans Conference Center. He was met by: Lt. Gen. James B. Peake, Secretary of Veterans Affairs Janice Peake, wife Kimberly Peake, daughter Charles "Mack" Blakely, Son-in-law
11:23 AM *		The President participated in a photo opportunity with Secretary Peake and his family.
11:24 AM	11:38 AM	The President attended the ceremonial swearing-in ceremony for Secretary Peake. The oath of office was administered by Vice President Cheney.
11:24 AM	11:36 AM	The President addressed approximately 150 invited guests.
11:41 AM	11:45 AM	The President motored from the Department of Veterans Affairs to the South Grounds of the White House.
11:45 AM		The President and Vice President Cheney returned to the Oval Office.
11:45 AM	11:51 AM	The President met with: Vice President Cheney Mr. Bolten Mr. Hadley (in at 11:46)
11:50 AM	11:53 AM	R The President talked with the Secretary of Defense, Robert M. Gates.
11:51 AM	12:35 PM	The President and Vice President Cheney went to the Oval Office dining room and had lunch.
12:35 PM		The President and Vice President Cheney returned to the Oval Office.

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December 20, 2007
12:35 PM THURSDAY

START	END		DESCRIPTION
12:35 PM			The President and Vice President Cheney went to the Outer Oval Office.
12:36 PM			The President returned to the Oval Office.
12:39 PM	12:42 PM		The President met with his Assistant and Staff Secretary, Raul F. Yanes.
12:39 PM	12:40 PM	P	The President talked with Representative John A. Boehner (R-Ohio).
12:41 PM	12:43 PM	P	The President talked with Senator Addison M. "Mitch" McConnell, Jr. (R-Kentucky).
12:43 PM	12:44 PM	P	The President talked with Mr. Bolten.
12:44 PM	12:48 PM		The President met with Mr. Yanes.
12:45 PM	12:47 PM	P	The President talked with his Assistant for Legislative Affairs, Candida P. "Candi" Wolff.
12:50 PM			The President went to the Outer Oval Office.
12:51 PM			The President returned to the Oval Office.
12:52 PM	1:00 PM		The President legislative affairs pre-brief with: Henry M. "Hank" Paulson, Secretary of the Treasury Mr. Bolten (in at 12:53) Candida P. "Candi" Wolff, Assistant for Legislative Affairs Salvatore A. "Tony" Fratto, Deputy Assistant and Deputy Press Secretary
12:52 PM	12:59 PM		The President talked with Special Assistant and Deputy National Security Advisor for Iraq and Afghanistan, Meghan L. O'Sullivan.

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December 20, 2007
1:00 PM THURSDAY

START	END	DESCRIPTION
1:00 PM	1:05 PM	The President met with Members of Congress prior to bill signing. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "A."</u>
1:05 PM		The Presidential party went to the Roosevelt Room.
1:05 PM	1:11 PM	The President participated in a Signing Ceremony for H.R. 3648, the Mortgage Forgiveness Debt Relief Act of 2007.
1:05 PM	1:10 PM	The President issued remarks at the signing of H.R. 3648, the Mortgage Forgiveness Debt Relief Act, 2007.
1:11 PM		The President returned to the outer office.
1:13 PM	1:19 PM	The President met with Secretary Paulson.
1:19 PM	2:00 PM	The President participated in an economic policy meeting. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "B."</u>
2:00 PM		The President went to the Outer Oval Office.
2:02 PM		The President returned to the Oval Office.
2:05 PM	2:05 PM	The President met with: Ms. Perino Lt. Gen. Lute Jason Recher, Special Assistant and Trip Director Mr. Kaplan
2:06 PM *		The President went to the South Grounds. He was accompanied by: Lt. Gen. Lute Mr. Kaplan Ms. Perino Mr. Recher

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WASHINGTON D.C.



December 20, 2007
2:08 PM THURSDAY

START	END	DESCRIPTION
2:08 PM	2:15 PM	The President flew by Marine helicopter from the South Grounds of the White House to William H.G. Fitzgerald Tennis Center Landing Zone. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "C."</u>
2:17 PM	2:21 PM	The President motored from William H.G. Fitzgerald Tennis Center Landing Zone to Walter Reed Army Medical Center.
2:21 PM		The President went to the 5th Floor - Ward 57 and was greeted by: Col. Patricia Honhoo, Commander, Walter Reed Health Care System Maj. Gen. Carla Hawley-Bowland, Commanding General, North Atlantic Regional Medical Command and Walter Reed Medical Center Col. Dennis Doyle, Deputy Commander for Nursing, Walter Reed Army Medical Center and Chief Nurse, North Atlantic Regional Medical Command Capt. Louis Damiano, Deputy Commander for Integration, Walter Reed Army Medical Center Command Sergeant Major Rodolfo Delvalle, Command Sergeant Major, North Atlantic Regional Medical Command
2:25 PM	4:12 PM	The President visited with military personnel recovering from injuries or illnesses sustained in Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom. The President visited with 33 patients and awarded four Purple Hearts.
4:14 PM	4:16 PM	The President made a statement to members of the press after visiting with wounded military personnel.
4:17 PM	4:21 PM	The President motored from Walter Reed Army Medical Center to the William H.G. Fitzgerald Tennis Center Landing Zone.

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WILLIAM H.G. FITZGERALD TENNIS
CENTER LANDING ZONE
WASHINGTON D.C.



December 20, 2007
4:22 PM THURSDAY

START	END	DESCRIPTION
4:22 PM	4:29 PM	The President flew by Marine helicopter from William H.G. Fitzgerald Tennis Center Landing Zone the South Grounds of the White House. For a list of passengers, see <u>APPENDIX "D."</u>

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APPENDICES FOR THE PRESIDENTIAL DIARY

OF

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MEETING WITH MEMBERS OF CONGRESS BEFORE BILL SIGNING

Appendix "A"

Attendance not confirmed.

December 20, 2007
The Oval Office

ATTENDEES:

The President

Henry M. "Hank" Paulson, Secretary of the Treasury

Alphonso R. Jackson, Secretary of Housing and Urban Development (HUD)

Joshua B. Bolten, Assistant and Chief of Staff

Candida P. "Candi" Wolff, Assistant for Legislative Affairs

Allan B. Hubbard, Assistant for Economic Policy and Director, National Economic Council

Salvatore A. "Tony" Fratto, Deputy Assistant and Deputy Press Secretary

Senator Max Baucus, (D-Montana)

Senator George V. Vionovich, (R-Ohio)

Ms. Deborah Ann "Debbie" Stabenow, (D-Michigan)

Representative James O. McCrery, (R-Louisiana)

Representative Robert Earnest Andrews, (D-New Jersey)

Representative Stephanie Tubbs Jones, (R-Ohio)

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ECONOMIC POLICY TIME

December 20, 2007
The Oval Office

Appendix "B"

Attendance confirmed by Oval
Office Log.

ATTENDEES:

The President

Henry M. "Hank" Paulson, Secretary of the Treasury

James A. "Jim" Nussle, Office of Management and Budget Director

Joshua B. Bolten, Assistant and Chief of Staff

Edward W. "Ed" Gillespie, Counselor

Joel D. Kaplan, Assistant and Deputy Chief of Staff for Policy

Allan B. Hubbard, Assistant for Economic Policy and Director, National Economic Council

Barry S. Jackson, Assistant to the President for Strategic Initiatives and External Affairs

Edward P. "Eddie" Lazear, Chairman, Council of Economic Advisers (CEA)

Keith B. Hennessey, Deputy Assistant for Economic Policy

Dana M. Perino, Assistant and Press Secretary

Kevin F. Sullivan, Assistant for Communications

Candida P. "Candi" Wolff, Assistant for Legislative Affairs

Daniel P. Meyer, Deputy Assistant for Legislative Affairs

Eric Solomon, Assistant for Tax Policy

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David S. Addington, Chief of Staff to the Vice President

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MARINE ONE MANIFEST

Appendix "C"

December 20, 2007

From: South Grounds, White House

To: William H.G. Fitzgerald Tennis Center Landing Zone

ATTENDEES:

The President

Lt. Gen. Douglas E. Lute, Assistant and Deputy National Security Advisor for Iraq and Afghanistan

Joel D. Kaplan, Assistant and Deputy Chief of Staff for Policy

Dana M. Perino, Assistant and Press Secretary

Jason Recher, Special Assistant and Trip Director

Jared B. Weinstein, Special Assistant and Personal Aide

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Kevin O'Conner, White House Medical Unit

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MARINE ONE MANIFEST

Appendix "D"

December 20, 2007

From: William H.G. Fitzgerald Tennis Center Landing Zone

To: South Grounds, White House

ATTENDEES:

The President

Lt. Gen. Lute

Joel D. Kaplan, Assistant and Deputy Chief of Staff for Policy

Dana M. Perino, Assistant and Press Secretary

Jason Recher, Special Assistant and Trip Director

Jared B. Weinstein, Special Assistant and Personal Aide

(b)(3) 10 USC 130b

Kevin O'Conner, White House Medical Unit