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...President Clinton's Hope and Opportunity
for Postsecondary Education (HOPE) Act of 1997

March 20, 1997

TODAY, THE PRESIDENT WILL SEND TO CONGRESS NEW LEGISLATION TO HELP OPEN THE DOORS OF COLLEGE TO MORE AMERICANS. The Hope and Opportunity for Postsecondary Education (HOPE) Act of 1997 -- part of President Clinton's five-year balanced budget -- includes a \$10,000 tuition tax deduction, a \$1,500 Hope Scholarship tax credit, a substantial Pell Grant expansion and increase, a cut in student loan fees, new educational assistance from employers, and other provisions. The new legislation provides:

- √ **\$38.4 billion over five years in tax relief** for middle-income families struggling to pay for college and make ends meet.
- √ **At least \$40 billion in Pell Grants** over five years to provide more tuition assistance to low- and moderate-income families, the largest increase in two decades.
- √ **\$2.6 billion in savings over five years in reduced loan fees** for student loan borrowers -- putting more money into the hands of students when they pay tuition bills and other college expenses.
- √ **Financial support for worker training** through the tuition deduction and the extension of the

KEY ELEMENTS OF THE HOPE ACT OF 1997

- **Includes a \$1,500 per student HOPE Scholarship tax credit** for tuition and fees in the student's first year and another \$1,500 in the second year if the student earns at least a B minus average. That credit will help 4.2 million students in 1998.
- **Provides a \$10,000 tuition tax deduction** for higher education and training, which is expected to help the families of 8.1 million students in 1998.
- **Provides the largest Pell Grant increase in two decades** -- from \$2,700 in FY 1997 to \$3,000 in FY 1998. Over 3.6 million students now eligible will receive an increase of up to \$300. This increase and other changes will make an additional 348,000 families eligible for the grant.
- **Lowers fees and reduces interest rates for millions of student borrowers.**

tax-free treatment of up to \$5,250 per employee in employer-provided educational assistance.

OVER 250 COLLEGE PRESIDENTS EXPRESS SUPPORT FOR THE PRESIDENT'S HIGHER EDUCATION PLAN. Already, over 250 college presidents -- representing community colleges, public and private colleges and universities -- have expressed support for the President's higher education initiatives.

NEW STATE-BY-STATE ANALYSIS SHOWS EVERY REGION OF THE COUNTRY BENEFITTING FROM THE HOPE ACT. For the 1998-99 academic year, these proposals will provide nearly \$1.7 billion in Federal benefits for students in California, and over \$300 million for students in Virginia.

Highlights of the Hope and Opportunity for Postsecondary Education (HOPE) Act of 1997

INITIATIVE	DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT	IMPACT
Title I: Higher Education Tax Incentives			
<i>HOPE Scholarship Tax Credit</i>	Up to \$1,500 per-student tax credit for tuition and fees in student's first year and another \$1,500 in the second year if student earns at least a B- average.	\$18.6 billion over five years.	Expected to help 4.2 million students in 1998.
<i>\$10,000 Tax Deduction for Higher Education and Training</i>	Phases up from \$5,000 in 1997 to a \$10,000 maximum deduction in 1999 for tuition and fees. Also available for training and lifelong learning.	\$17.5 billion over five years.	Expected to help 8.1 million students in 1998.
<i>Tax-Free Education Savings*</i>	Families with incomes up to \$100,000 would be eligible for IRAs, and could make penalty-free withdrawals for higher education.	Education specific estimates not available.	Combined with tax deduction, IRA used for education will never be taxed. Will make over 20 million families eligible for such a benefit.
<i>Educational Assistance from Employers</i>	Extends tax exclusion for employer-provided education assistance through 2000, for both undergraduate and graduate education. Also provides tax credit to small businesses.	\$2.4 billion between 1997-2001.	Benefits 1.7 million employees a year.
<i>Community Service: Loan Forgiveness</i>	Tax relief for community service loan forgiveness and for borrowers who repay through the income contingent repayment plan for 25 years.	\$15 million over five years.	Not available.
Title II: Financial Aid for Needy Students			
<i>Pell Grant Increase and Expansion</i>	Largest increase in two decades -- from \$2,700 in FY97 to \$3,000 in FY98. Combined with the FY97 increase, the maximum grant has increased \$530 since FY96.	At least \$40 billion over five years. \$1.7 billion more in 1998 than the FY97 appropriation -- a 25% increase in aid.	Over 3.6 million students now eligible will receive an increase up to \$300. This increase will also make an additional 130,000 families eligible for the grant.
<i>Pell Grant Expansion for Older, Low-Income Students</i>	Increases eligibility for older, low-income students to receive a Pell Grant.	\$3.9 billion over five years.	An additional 218,000 low-income students generally aged 24 or over will be newly eligible for Pell Grants. The new recipients will receive, on average, a grant of \$1,431.
<i>Cut in Student Loan Fees</i>	Cuts loan fees from 4% to 2% on need-based Stafford loans -- and to 3% on other loans for students and parents.	\$2.6 billion in savings for borrowers over five years	Loan fees will be cut in half for 4 million low- and middle-income students, and by a quarter for 2.5 million other loans.

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*The IRA proposal is not part of the HOPE Act but will be transmitted to Congress separately.

Summary of the Hope and Opportunity for Postsecondary Education (HOPE) Act of 1997

March 20, 1997

Today's employers look for job applicants with more than a high school diploma. Since the success of the post-World War II GI Bill, the Federal Government has expanded college aid, making it possible for more Americans to attend college. But for too many, the financial strains of continuing their education are still severe. The President's Hope and Opportunity for Postsecondary Education (HOPE) Act of 1997 ensures that these barriers to higher education continue to fall for all Americans and provides tax relief for middle-income families struggling to pay for college.

Title I: HIGHER EDUCATION TAX INCENTIVES

HOPE Scholarship Tax Credits

- Up to a \$1,500 per student credit for tuition and fees for course work beginning on or after July 1, 1997.
- Credit can be claimed in two tax years for any student who has not finished 13th and 14th years of education.
- The tax credit is expected to help 4.2 million students (1998), and would save families \$18.6 billion over five years.

The non-refundable tax credit is available for students enrolled on at least a half-time basis during the first two years of postsecondary education. The credit may be claimed in no more than two years. To receive the credit for the second time, the student must have at least a B minus grade point average in course work completed before that year. Federal grants (but not loans or work-study) generally would reduce the allowable tax credit. No credit would be available for any student convicted of a drug-related felony.

The credit would be phased out for taxpayers filing a joint return with adjusted gross income between \$80,000 and \$100,000. For taxpayers filing single and head-of-household returns, the credit would be phased out for adjusted gross income between \$50,000 and 70,000. (The phase-out ranges and the amount of the credit would be indexed).

Tax Deduction for Higher Education and Training

- \$10,000 per family maximum deduction for lifelong learning (\$5,000 maximum in 1997 and 1998).
- Available for job training and re-training, in addition to traditional undergraduate and graduate education.
- Deduction is "above the line" -- available even if the taxpayer does not itemize.

- Expected to help 8.1 million students (1998), and would save families \$17.5 billion over five years. The deduction could be claimed for out-of-pocket tuition and fees paid for any student enrolled at least half-time in a degree or certificate program, including graduate programs, at an eligible postsecondary institution. In addition, the deduction would be available for the cost of training -- whether or not it leads to a degree -- that helps the student, older worker, or job-seeker improve or acquire job skills. A student in the first two years of postsecondary education could choose either the credit or the deduction, but not both. The deduction phases in, beginning with a \$5,000 maximum per family for payments made after December 31, 1996 to cover course work beginning on or after July 1, 1997. It increases to a \$10,000 maximum deduction beginning in 1999. The deduction would be phased out at the same income levels as the credit.

Tax-free Education Savings*

- Families with incomes up to \$100,000 would be eligible for IRAs, and could make penalty-free withdrawals for higher education.
- Combined with tuition deduction (above), the IRA savings spent by middle-income families on tuition and fees would never be taxed.

* As part of his balanced budget plan, the President has proposed a number of changes to IRAs to make it possible for families to use them to pay for education tax-free. Although the specific legislation providing for these changes is not included in the HOPE Act, it will be transmitted to Congress soon.

The President's budget plan would allow IRAs to be used for postsecondary education expenses free from early withdrawal tax penalties, and would make over 20 million families eligible to make tax-deductible IRA contributions. Currently, if an individual (or spouse) already participates in an employer's retirement plan, eligibility is phased out for taxpayers filing a joint return with adjusted gross income between \$40,000 and \$50,000 (between \$25,000 and \$35,000 for single filers). The proposal would expand the phase-out ranges for 1997 through 1999 to \$70,000 to \$90,000 for joint filers (\$45,000 to \$65,000 for single). Beginning in 2000, the phase-out range would match the ranges described for the higher education tax credit. The proposal would also create a special IRA that could be used to save for education and other needs, subject to the same income limits.

Educational Assistance from Employers

- Extends tax exclusion for employer-provided education assistance (Section 127) through the year 2000, for both undergraduate and graduate education.
- Tax credit to encourage small businesses to offer educational assistance to employees.
- Benefits 1.7 million employees a year.

The current exclusion from an employee's income of up to \$5,250 per year of postsecondary educational assistance provided by an employer expires this year, and expired for graduate-level assistance last year. The President would extend the exclusion, and reinstate the graduate-level component, through the year 2000. In addition, for 1998-2000, small businesses would be given a new incentive to provide educational assistance to their employees through a ten-percent tax credit for amounts paid under an employer-provided educational assistance program for education provided by a third party.

Community Service: Loan Forgiveness

- Tax-free loan cancellation for public service and forgiveness under the income contingent repayment plan.

Under current law, a charity or private educational institution that forgives a loan as part of a program that enables graduates working in certain professions (such as rural medicine or teaching) to pay off their student loans through community service must report the loan forgiveness as income to the graduate. This proposal would exclude the loan forgiveness from an individual's income and clarify that the same treatment would be provided for forgiveness under the income contingent loan repayment plan for direct loans.

Title II: FINANCIAL AID FOR NEEDY STUDENTS

Pell Grant Increase and Expansion

- Largest increase in Pell Grants in two decades.
- \$300 boost in the Pell Grant maximum, to a \$3,000 maximum award. Since FY 1996, the maximum award will have increased \$530.
- A 25 percent funding increase over last year -- \$1.7 billion more than the FY 1997 appropriation.
- 3.6 million students now receiving Pell Grants will be eligible to receive an increase of up to \$300. The increase will make 130,000 more moderate-income families eligible for the grant.
- Older student provision will make Pell Grants available to additional 218,000 low-income students generally aged 24 or over.
- With these changes, the number of Pell Grant recipients will exceed 4 million in FY 1998.
- At least \$40 billion available for Pell Grants for needy students over five years.

Pell Grants are the foundation of student aid for low- and moderate-income families. Increasing the maximum award to \$3,000 provides more aid to currently eligible students, and makes an additional 130,000 students eligible for the grants. In addition, the proposal would increase the eligibility of older, low-income students. With this change, more low-income students who are 24 years old or older and financially independent from parents would receive a Pell Grant. Pell Grants are particularly beneficial for low-income students who have little or no tax liability because of the high award level and its availability for all four years of undergraduate education.

Cut Student Loan Fees and Interest

- Borrower-paid loan fees cut in half for 4 million low- and middle-income students, and by a quarter for 2.5 million other loans to student and parent borrowers.
- \$2.6 billion in borrower savings over five years produced by the fee cut alone.

- Interest rate during in-school period cut for 2 million students, saving them an additional \$1 billion.

Before 1993, borrowers lost up to 8 percent of their student loans in required fees before the money ever reached them. In 1993, the President's aggressive student loan reforms spurred a 50 percent cut in allowable fees that has already saved families nearly \$2 billion. The President's plan proposes -- for both the Direct and guaranteed loan programs -- to cut loan fees from 4 percent to just 2 percent on need-based Stafford loans, and to 3 percent on other loans for students and parents.

The Congressional Budget Office and other analysts have noted that lender costs during the in-school period -- when students are not required to make payments on their loans -- are very low. The budget reduces the interest rate during that period by one percentage point.

The proposal provides these benefits to students while saving taxpayers \$3.5 billion over five years by streamlining the guaranty agency system to make it more efficient and cost effective and by eliminating excess lender profits.

*College Work-Study**

- Budget funds 1 million College Work-Study slots by the year 2000.
- Incentives to reach the goal of 100,000 work-study reading tutors by 1999.

The President's 1998 budget also increases aid for students through subsidized jobs in the College Work-Study program. The President has called on colleges to commit half of the increased funding since FY 1996, \$120 million for FY 1998, to supporting community service jobs. The Secretary of Education recently waived the institution's required portion of the awards for students that participate as reading tutors -- part of America's Reading Challenge, helping to ensure that every child can read independently and well by the end of third grade. The President's budget is on a path to achieve the President's goal to raise the number of Work-Study recipients to a million by the year 2000, and 100,000 reading tutors by 1999.

* College Work-Study proposal is included in the President's budget request and appropriations language but not in the HOPE Act.

Case Studies:
***How the President's Higher Education Proposals
Benefit Typical American Families***

Two Examples of How to Save for College Tax-Free

Taken together, the Administration's proposal to allow penalty-free withdrawals from IRAs for college tuition and the tuition tax deduction allow families to save tax-free for their children's education. Families pay no income taxes on money they contribute to an IRA, and the interest accumulates tax-free. Under the Administration's proposal, families would be allowed to withdraw money from their IRA to pay higher education expenses without paying the usual excise tax. And because they can deduct tuition expenses of up to \$10,000 per year from taxable income, they will not have to pay the income tax normally due on IRA withdrawals. *This adds up to tax-free saving for college.*

The following examples demonstrate how the Administration's proposals help families save for their children's college tuition:

Example 1
\$35,000 Family Income

A family with combined income of \$35,000 per year in a 15 marginal tax bracket saving for college expenses of \$10,000 per year for 4 years. The family earns an 8 annual return.

- Under the Administration's proposal this family would need to put \$955 per year in before tax savings into an IRA for 18 years.
- Without the Administration's proposal, the same family would need to put away almost \$1,090 per year *after taxes*. That means that they need to earn more than \$1,280 per year *before taxes*, a *difference of \$325 per year to reach the same savings goal.*

Example 2
\$60,000 Family Income

A family with combined income of \$60,000 per year in a 28 marginal tax bracket saving for college expenses of \$10,000 per year for 4 years. The family earns an 8 annual return.

- Under the Administration's proposal this family would need to put \$955 per year in before-tax savings into an IRA for 18 years.
- Without the Administration's proposal, the same family would need to put away \$1,220 per year *after taxes*. That means that they need to earn nearly \$1,700 per year *before taxes*, a *difference of almost \$750 per year to reach the same savings goal.*

Four Examples of How the HOPE Act Works

The tax liabilities used in the following four examples are based on the personal exemption, standard deduction and the beginning point for the 28 percent rate bracket assumed to be in effect in 1998, the first year the increased Pell Grants will be available under the President's proposal. Under the proposal, the maximum tuition deduction for 1998 is \$5,000. It is \$10,000 for years thereafter. Tax liabilities are estimated on the assumption that itemized deductions of 18 percent of adjusted gross income are claimed if that amount exceeds the standard deduction.

Example 3
\$60,000 Family Income
Married Couple With One Child in College
1998 Benefit: \$1,500

Larry and Jill O'Neill are a married couple with two children. Larry and Jill earn \$60,000 in 1998. They claim both children as dependents because they provide more than half of their support. Bobby, the O'Neills' older child, enrolls as a freshman in a community college in the fall of 1998 and is charged \$1,500 in tuition and required fees. Bobby's parents pay his tuition. Under the President's proposals, the O'Neill are entitled to a HOPE Scholarship tuition credit of \$1,500. (Because a credit is being claimed for Bobby's freshman year, his grade point average does not affect his eligibility for the credit.) The credit reduces their tax liability by \$1,500. **Thus, the O'Neills get a total benefit of \$1,500 from the President's proposals.**

<u>Without the President's Proposals</u>	<u>With the President's Proposals</u>
Tuition cost: \$1,500	Tuition cost: \$1,500
Pell grant: \$0	Pell grant: \$0
Tax liability: \$5,760	Tax liability: \$4,260

Example 4
\$10,000 income
Independent College Student
1998 Benefit: \$3,458

Joe Jefferson is a college freshman in the fall of 1998. He is single and supports himself. He earns \$10,000 in 1998. In September 1998, Joe enrolls in college and pays \$3,025 in tuition and required fees for the fall semester. In December he is charged \$3,025 in tuition and fees for the spring semester. Under the President's proposals, Joe is entitled to a Pell grant of \$3,000 that he uses to pay part of his tuition. He pays the remaining \$3,050 with a combination of savings and loans. Under the President's proposals, he is entitled to a tuition deduction for his \$3,050 payment. The deduction reduces Joe's tax bill by \$458, which is more than his total tax liability for the year. **Thus, Joe gets a total benefit of \$3,458 from the President's proposals, \$3000 in Pell Grants and \$458 in reduced taxes.**

<u>Without the President's Proposals</u>	<u>With the President's Proposals</u>
Tuition cost: \$6,050	Tuition cost: \$6,050
Pell grant: \$0	Pell grant: \$3,000

Tax liability: \$458 (less \$3 EITC)

Tax liability: \$0 (plus \$3 EITC refund)

Example 5
\$30,000 Family Income
Married Couple with One Child in College
1998 Benefit: \$1,050

Victor and Susan Montoya are a married couple with one child, Maria. Tom and Susan earn \$30,000 in 1998. They claim Maria as a dependent because they provide more than half of her support. Maria attends college for two semesters in 1998 and is charged \$6,850 in tuition and required fees at the beginning of the year. Under the President's proposals, Maria receives a Pell grant for \$1,850. Her parents pay \$1,000 of her tuition. She pays the rest of the tuition bill with a combination of savings and loans. Under the President's proposals, the Montoyas are entitled to a tuition deduction for the \$5,000 their family has paid in tuition and required fees. The deduction reduces the Montoyas' tax bill by \$750. **Thus, the Montoyas get a total benefit of \$1,050 from the President's proposals, \$300 in additional Pell Grants and \$750 in reduced taxes.**

Without the President's Proposals

Tuition cost: \$6,850

Pell grant: \$1,550

Tax liability: \$2,220

With the President's Proposals

Tuition cost: \$6,850

Pell grant: \$1,850

Tax liability: \$1,470

Example 6
\$90,000 Family Income
Married Couple With Two Children in College
1998 Benefit: \$1,450

Paul and Debbie Green are a married couple with two children, David and Barbara. Paul and Debbie have income of \$90,000 in 1998 (including income from an IRA withdrawal, described below). They claim David and Barbara as dependents because they provide more than half of their support. In 1998, David is enrolled in college for the second semester of his junior year and the first semester of his senior year. Barbara is enrolled in the second semester of her freshman year and the first semester of her sophomore year. At the beginning of 1998, Barbara has a B+ grade point average. David's bill for tuition and required fees is \$5,000, and Barbara's is \$1,500. Paul and Debbie pay their children's tuition and required fees with a combination of savings, including \$2,000 they withdraw from their IRAs, and loans. Under the President's proposals, they avoid any penalty for early withdrawal from their IRAs, and they are entitled to a credit of \$750 for Barbara's tuition and a deduction of \$2,500 for David's tuition. (Because their income places them in the middle of the \$80,000 to \$100,000 phase-out range, they claim half the maximum credit and deduction.) The credit and the deduction reduce their tax liability by \$1,450. **Thus, the Greens get a total benefit of \$1,450 from the President's proposals.**

Without the President's Proposals

Tuition cost: \$6,500

Pell grant: \$0

Tax liability: \$12,128

Penalty for early withdrawal: \$200.

With the President's Proposals

Tuition cost: \$6,500

Pell grant: \$0

Tax liability: \$10,678

**COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY PRESIDENTS SUPPORT
PRESIDENT CLINTON'S HIGHER EDUCATION INITIATIVE**

Already, over 250 college presidents -- representing community colleges, public and private colleges and universities -- have expressed support for President Clinton's higher education initiatives.

- 70 community college presidents and 280 community college trustees signed the American Association of Community Colleges and Trustees letter of support for the President's higher education initiatives
- 105 private college presidents joined the president of Dickinson College in signing a letter of support for the President's initiatives
- 23 California State University presidents joined the Chancellor of the California State University System in a letter of support for the President's initiatives
- 63 Christian college presidents signed the Coalition for Christian Colleges & Universities letter commending the President for his higher education efforts
- The American Council on Education Board of Directors, which represents 1,700 college and university presidents, passed a resolution in support of the President's initiatives
- The National Association of Student Financial Aid Administrators, representing over 3,100 colleges and universities, expressed support for the President's initiatives

Explanation of State-by-State Tables

Table 1 -- Benefits to Students under the HOPE Act

The first column provides the total estimated Pell Grant funding in the 1998-99 academic year for students attending postsecondary institutions in the State.

The second column provides the total estimated reduction in taxes (as a result of the HOPE Scholarship and the higher education tax deduction) in the 1998 calendar year for students attending postsecondary institutions in the State.

The third column provides the total estimated reduction in loan fees in the 1998-99 academic year for students and parents attending postsecondary institutions in the State.

The final column is a total of the first three columns: **the total benefit for students in the State.**

Table 2 -- Pell Grant Benefits to Students

For students attending postsecondary institutions in the State in the 1998-99 academic year:

- the first column shows the number of Pell Grant recipients;
- the second column shows the increase in the number of recipients over the previous year;
- the third column shows the total Pell Grant funding; and
- the fourth column shows the increased Pell Grant funding over the previous year.

Methodology of State-by-State Analysis

Pell Grant Budget Authority for Academic Year 1998-99

Estimates are based on 1998-99 Pell Grant projections, adjusted by the 1994-95 academic year distribution of Pell recipients and funding among different States.

Combined Tax Benefits for Calendar Year 1998

Using a nationally-representative sample of postsecondary students, we first determined the likelihood of a Pell and non-Pell recipient receiving a tax benefit. Using these data and the Pell Grant distributions discussed above, we estimated the number of students that would receive a tax benefit in each state. We then used this relative distribution of tax beneficiaries to allocate calendar year 1998 benefit amounts (\$5.9 billion) among the States.

Cuts in Student Loan Origination Fees for Academic Year 1998-99

Estimates are based on projected loan amounts and number of borrowers for academic year 1998-99, and the historical distribution of loans by State. Two percent of Stafford (subsidized) loan volume and one percent of unsubsidized loan volume equal the estimated student savings by State.

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**President Clinton Wants Flex-Time Legislation that Gives Real Choices
to Employees and Their Families
March 19, 1997**

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**PRESIDENT CLINTON STRONGLY OPPOSES THE REPUBLICAN COMP TIME
PROPOSALS BEFORE CONGRESS BECAUSE:**

- **The President believes employees should be able to choose to receive overtime in income, or trade it in for time off to be with their families.**
- **The Republican proposals could drastically limit the ability of employees to earn overtime pay.** Many working families rely on overtime wages to pay for their rent, food, and clothing. The Republican proposal could take that valuable overtime pay out of their pockets. It allows companies to force employees to take comp time instead of overtime, e.g., by allowing only workers who will take comp time to work more than 40 hours a week.
- **Under Republican proposals, employees lose control over when to take the comp time they have earned.** The Senate GOP bill allows employers to “cash out” any earned comp time with just 30 days notice -- even if the employee was planning to use that time for extended maternity leave. Employers could also deny an employee’s request to use comp time if they claim business would be “unduly disrupted” -- even if the employee is simply doing something that’s already covered by the Family and Medical Leave Act.
- **The Republican proposals have no effective remedy against employer abuses.** The only remedy available to employees is a lawsuit against employers who force them to take comp time. That’s not a practical remedy for most lower-paid workers. And there is no remedy at all when employers deny overtime to an employee who prefers that option.
- **Republican proposals undermine the 40-hour work week.** Under the GOP proposal, employers could make employees work extra hours (beyond the 40 hour) during a week they have taken comp time without paying overtime. Under Senator Ashcroft’s biweekly work or flexible credit programs, employees are never entitled to overtime unless the employer specifically requested it in advance.

HERE IS WHAT PRESIDENT CLINTON DOES SUPPORT:

- **Flex-time that gives employees more choice, not less -- letting them choose between time off and overtime pay, whichever is best for them.** Under the President’s plan, employees and their families are the ones who choose if, how, and when they use comp time. Under the Republican bill, employers, not employees, make those decisions -- and employees are not adequately protected from employer abuses of these laws.
- **The President’s legislation would Expand the Family and Medical Leave Act and Give Employees New Choices on Flex Time.** The President’s plan would allow a worker to take unpaid hours off -- up to 24 hours annually -- for parent-teacher conferences, their children’s regular doctor visits, or to care for older relatives’ health needs.

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CREATOR: Diane C. Regas (CN=Diane C. Regas/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])

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SUBJECT: Kids e.o.

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TEXT:

I think that we have resolved all the kids e.o. issues among WH offices--thanks to your investment of time, thought and energy.

At three this morning one more issue was keeping me thinking, and I want to ask for your thoughts on it before we put a WH draft of the e.o. into review.

As currently drafted the application of the analytical requirements is only to rules initiated after signature. I am concerned that the Administration could be criticized for taking away with one hand what it is giving with the other because so many rules take years and years to complete. In addition, it seems to me that 5 years down the road this could get to be a stumbling block from both an implementation perspective and a political one.

I suggest you consider a phase-in in addition to the current 2-202. One good approach would be to expand application of the analytical requirement to rules for which a proposal is published after two years from the date of signature. I think that two years is enough time for agencies to begin the kind of analysis we have discussed, and this change would ensure that we are well on the way to implementation within this term.

I know that we are planning to circulate a final around noon, so please get back to me before then with your thoughts.

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CREATOR: Lyn A. Hogan (CN=Lyn A. Hogan/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])

CREATION DATE/TIME:20-MAR-1997 10:59:50.00

SUBJECT: Welfare and School to Work/Comp Time

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TEXT:

FYI, I just got back from speaking to about 150 small and medium size employers who are attending the annual National Employer Council meeting. I spoke to them about ways business can become involved in the welfare to work effort.

Employers raised a major impediment to hiring welfare recipients (and school to work participants) that hasn't really come up before: workers comp.

While large corporations can afford increased workers comp rates that result from bringing on new workers, most small and mid-size corporations cannot. Essentially, when a new worker joins the workforce, whether as a volunteer, a trainee, a subsidized worker or a full time employee, the employer's workers comp rate will go up for each worker. If the worker is at more risk than others of being hurt on the job (those without work histories, those with substance abuse problems, etc.) the rate goes up even more. If a worker is actually hurt on the job, the company is held liable even if the employee is not on the pay roll, and the rate goes up more.

Most of these employers want to hire welfare recipients but cannot afford to take the risk because of workers comp and say the work subsidy and/or the tax credit do not offset that risk.

Bruce/Elena--Is there a way to help small and mid-size companies get around this workers comp issue?

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CREATOR: Emily Bromberg (CN=Emily Bromberg/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:20-MAR-1997 11:19:55.00

SUBJECT: privatization

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CC: Bruce N. Reed (CN=Bruce N. Reed/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
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TEXT:

FYI, the Governors Chiles folks are telling us that the FLA state legislature wants to privatize a la Texas. Chiles does not want to, and HHS is talking to his staff.

March 20, 1997

MEMORANDUM FOR CHIEFS OF STAFF AND MEMBERS OF THE INTERAGENCY
WORKING GROUP ON EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT

FROM: Elena Kagan
Deputy Assistant to the President for Domestic Policy

SUBJECT: Interagency Working Group on Early Childhood Development and the *White House Conference on Early Childhood Development and Learning: What New Research on the Brain Tells Us About Our Youngest Children*

As you know, final agency responses to the President's February 24, 1997 memorandum to department heads requesting comprehensive lists of existing and planned agency activities supporting our youngest children are due **Monday, March 24, 1997**. Please be sure to include in your submission when each new action could be announced. We plan to make announcements before, during, and after the April 17th *White House Conference on Early Childhood Development and Learning: What New Research on the Brain Tells Us About Our Youngest Children*, and will be developing an announcement schedule based on these submissions.

The next meeting of the Interagency Working Group on Early Childhood Development will be **Tuesday, March 25 at ___ in room ___**. The meeting will cover the agency responses to the President's February 24th memo, the White House Conference, agency involvement in regional satellite conferences, and written materials that could be released in conjunction with the Conference.

We plan to issue invitations to attend the April 17 *White House Conference on Early Childhood Development and Learning* this weekend. The consolidated agency lists of suggested invitees were extremely helpful and we tried to accommodate the top priorities of the agencies that made these submissions. Space in the East Room is extremely limited and we could not invite everyone we would have liked. Please feel free to refer Congressional inquiries about the Conference to the White House Office of Legislative Affairs. Others should be asked to send their inquiries about the Conference in writing to the White House Office of Public Liaison.

To make arrangements for delivery of your agency response to the President's memorandum no later than close of business on Monday, please call Laura Emmett/Carrie Filak (?) at 456-____. [Carrie - what is the best way do handle clearance info?]

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If you have additional questions, please feel free to contact me or Pauline Abernathy with any questions. You can reach Pauline at 456-5374. Thank you.

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CREATOR: Patricia F. Lewis (CN=Patricia F. Lewis/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

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SUBJECT: Sponsorship questions

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CC: Pauline M. Abernathy (CN=Pauline M. Abernathy/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
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TEXT:

What's the best way to get answers to these two questions:

1. Can private sources contribute to the regional events?
2. If a private concern, like Lifetime Network, pays for materials or contributes in some other way, what exactly do we have to do? (The impression I got from our last meeting was that they are then co-sponsors; but I'm not sure what that means in the way of our taking any real action.)

Thanks.

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CREATOR: Stephen C. Warnath (CN=Stephen C. Warnath/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])

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SUBJECT: a little more on this matter in Cynthia's e-mail

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TEXT:

Just abit more about the issues involved:

- 1) As Cynthia identified: Discriminatory application;
- 2) Also, the question will be asked: Why the change in policy to require identifying citizens and LPRs? Why is this necessary to provide adequate protection for the President or to attend White House events? [I spoke with Dawn Chirwa and Counsel's office will work with Public Liaison to explain this to the groups.]
- 3) And regardless of anything else, the groups will believe that this conclusively establishes their point that employment verification under the immigration bill will be implemented in a discriminatory manner by employers. The logic is that if even the White House can't avoid discrimination by asking someone who "looks or sounds foreign" or who has a so-called "foreign-sounding" name for something that others are not asked for, how do we expect employers around the country to do any better. This is such a fundamental point for the groups that they may decide to use this from now on as evidence in their arguments against employer sanctions and employment authorization pilots.

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MEMORANDUM TO MIKE MCCURRY AND DON BAER
FROM STUART SCHEAR
SUBJECT WEEKEND TV: THURSDAY EVENING UPDATE
ALBRIGHT, BERGER, RICHARDSON, COHEN ON SHOWS
FORMER OFFICIALS TYSON & KESSLER ON TV TOO

FRIDAY MARCH 21

WASHINGTON WEEK IN REVIEW

Topic Helsinki Summit
Guest Doyle McManus, LA TIMES

Topic What's Happened to Newt
Guest Elizabeth Arnold, NPR

Topic Congressional Wrap
Guest Steve Robert, NY DAILY NEWS

Topic Roundtable
Guest Tony Lake & George Tenet

Comment Tom Freedman is guest host. Bode on vacation.

SATURDAY MARCH 22

EVANS & NOVAK (CNN)

Topic Defense Policy
Guest Secy. William Cohen

INSIDE POLITICS WEEKEND (CNN)

Topic Congressional Agenda
Guest Rep. Richard Gephardt

SUNDAY MARCH 23

FOX NEWS SUNDAY (FOX)

Topic Helsinki, China, CIA, etc.
Guest US UN Amb. Richardson

Topic GOP Tax Cut Wars
Guest Rep. Tom DeLay

Topic WH Issues
Guest Dick Morris (Not firmly booked)

Roundtable Mara Liasson, Juan Williams, Brit Hume

FACE THE NATION (CBS)

Topic Helsinki, China, CIA, etc.
Guest Secy. Albright

Comment Schieffer with Tom Freedman

THIS WEEK (ABC)

Topic GOP Battle Over Tax Policy
Guest Jack Kemp vs. GOP Member of House or Senate

Topic TBD
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ALBRIGHT, BERGER, RICHARDSON, COHEN ON SHOWS
FORMER OFFICIALS TYSON & KESSLER ON TV TOO

FRIDAY MARCH 21

WASHINGTON WEEK IN REVIEW

Topic Helsinki Summit
Guest Doyle McManus, LA TIMES

Topic What's Happened to Newt
Guest Elizabeth Arnold, NPR

Topic Congressional Wrap
Guest Steve Robert, NY DAILY NEWS

Topic Roundtable
Guest Tony Lake & George Tenet

Comment Tom Freedman is guest host. Bode on vacation.

SATURDAY MARCH 22

EVANS & NOVAK (CNN)

Topic Defense Policy
Guest Secy. William Cohen

INSIDE POLITICS WEEKEND (CNN)

Topic Congressional Agenda
Guest Rep. Richard Gephardt

SUNDAY MARCH 23

FOX NEWS SUNDAY (FOX)

Topic Helsinki, China, CIA, etc.
Guest US UN Amb. Richardson

Topic GOP Tax Cut Wars
Guest Rep. Tom DeLay

Topic WH Issues
Guest Dick Morris (Not firmly booked)

Roundtable Mara Liasson, Juan Williams, Brit Hume

FACE THE NATION (CBS)

Topic Helsinki, China, CIA, etc.
Guest Secy. Albright

Comment Schieffer with Tom Freedman

THIS WEEK (ABC)

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DATE: MARCH 20, 1997

SUBJECT: LEGISLATIVE REPORT

Late this afternoon Sen. Domenici, as expected, introduced two budget resolutions, which were then referred to the Budget Committee. Under Senate precedents, however, the budget resolutions will automatically be discharged from the Committee following the recess, since the Committee will have missed the statutory April 1 deadline for reporting a resolution.

The two resolutions are: (1) the President's budget as reestimated by CBO; and (2) a budget resolution, based on CBO economics, which includes the President's mandatory savings; a defense path similar to the President's request; no net tax reductions; \$183 billion in NDD cuts (which Domenici said would amount to 20 percent cuts, if applied across the board); no new spending initiatives, but addbacks would be triggered if the economy performs better than CBO now predicts.

Domenici made clear in his floor statement that the second plan is not "his plan" and is not "the Republican plan," but said he would be forced to vote for the plan if progress is not made over the next few weeks. He said he hopes that neither of these resolutions will have to be considered, and he remains hopeful that a budget agreement can be reached.

On Friday, 3/21, oral arguments on the line item veto case will take place in the US District Court.

CONGRESS TODAY (3/20)

SENATE

Passed by voice vote, H.J.Res 58, Disapproving the President's Certification that Mexico has Fully Cooperated with U.S. Anti-Drug Efforts. The Senate adopted the Coverdell/Feinstein Substitute Amendment, which requires a Presidential report on UN-Mexico counternarcotics efforts, by a vote of 94 to 5.

[SAP sent, 3/20: Administration supports the Bipartisan substitute amendment]

After the Minority Leader rejected his motion to proceed to the bill, Senator Lott filed cloture on S. 104, the Nuclear Waste Legislation. A vote will occur on Tuesday, April 8th, at 2:30 when the Senate returns.

[Draft SAP pending: The President would veto the bill.]

By unanimous consent, the Senate passed H.R. 514, Permitting the Waiver of DC Residency Requirements for Certain Employees of the Office of the Inspector General of the District of Columbia, clearing the measure for the President. The House passed the bill by UC on March 18, 1997.

HOUSE

Passed (295-136) H.R. 1122 - Partial Birth Abortion Ban

[SAP sent, 3/19: The President will veto H.R. 929 for the reasons he expressed in his veto message of April 10, 1996, which is attached]

At press time (8:15 p.m.) the House is trying to reach an agreement regarding H.Res. 91, a Resolution Providing Amounts for the Expenses of Certain Committees of the House of Representatives in the One Hundred Fourth Congress; Earlier today, the House rejected the Rule by a vote of 210 to 213.

CONGRESS TOMORROW (3/21):

The House and the Senate will be out of session (provided the House reaches resolution regarding H.Res. 91, Providing Amounts for the Expenses of Certain Committees in the 104th Congress).

CONGRESS -- LONG TERM SCHEDULE:

SENATE

Monday, April 7th

The Senate convene from 12 noon to 1:00 pm, followed by debate on the motion to proceed to debate on S. 104, the Nuclear Waste Policy Act of 1997

[Draft SAP pending: The President would veto the bill]

Tuesday, April 8th

At 2:30 pm, the Senate will hold a cloture vote on S. 104, the Nuclear Waste Policy Act of 1997

[Draft SAP pending: The President would veto the bill]

The week of March 17th, Senator Lott announced that the Republicans will be ready to consider the items listed below when Congress returns from Spring Recess:

Nuclear Waste Policy Act of 1997

[SAP pending: The President would veto the bill]

Team Act

[SAP pending: Labor Secretary veto threat]

Comp Time Bill

ISTEA

Individuals with Disabilities Education Act

Chemical Weapons Treaty

Partial Birth Abortion legislation
Budget Resolution
Product Liability legislation
Assisted Suicide legislation

HOUSE

Schedule yet to be announced

** The Senate will return from recess on April 6th, and the House on April 7th.
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TO: DIRECTOR FRANK RAINES
DEPUTY DIRECTOR JACK LEW
DEPUTY DIRECTOR JOHN KOSKINEN

FROM: OMB LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS

DATE: MARCH 20, 1997

SUBJECT: LEGISLATIVE REPORT

Late this afternoon Sen. Domenici, as expected, introduced two budget resolutions, which were then referred to the Budget Committee. Under Senate precedents, however, the budget resolutions will automatically be discharged from the Committee following the recess, since the Committee will have missed the statutory April 1 deadline for reporting a resolution.

The two resolutions are: (1) the President's budget as reestimated by CBO; and

(2) a budget resolution, based on CBO economics, which includes the President's mandatory savings; a defense path similar to the President's request; no net tax reductions; \$183 billion in NDD cuts (which Domenici said would amount to 20 percent cuts, if applied across the board); no new spending initiatives, but addbacks would be triggered if the economy performs better than CBO now predicts.

Domenici made clear in his floor statement that the second plan is not "his plan" and is not "the Republican plan," but said he would be forced to vote for the plan if progress is not made over the next few weeks. He said he hopes that neither of these resolutions will have to be considered, and he remains hopeful that a budget agreement can be reached.

On Friday, 3/21, oral arguments on the line item veto case will take place in the US District Court.

CONGRESS TODAY (3/20)

SENATE

Passed by voice vote, H.J.Res 58, Disapproving the President's Certification that Mexico has Fully Cooperated with U.S. Anti-Drug Efforts. The Senate adopted the Coverdell/Feinstein Substitute Amendment, which requires a Presidential report on UN-Mexico counternarcotics efforts, by a vote of 94 to 5.

[SAP sent, 3/20: Administration supports the Bipartisan substitute amendment]

After the Minority Leader rejected his motion to proceed to the bill, Senator Lott filed cloture on S. 104, the Nuclear Waste Legislation. A vote will occur on Tuesday, April 8th, at 2:30 when the Senate returns.

[Draft SAP pending: The President would veto the bill.]

By unanimous consent, the Senate passed H.R. 514, Permitting the Waiver of DC Residency Requirements for Certain Employees of the Office of the Inspector General of the District of Columbia, clearing the measure for the President. The House passed the bill by UC on March 18, 1997.

HOUSE

Passed (295-136) H.R. 1122 - Partial Birth Abortion Ban

[SAP sent, 3/19: The President will veto H.R. 929 for the reasons he expressed in his veto message of April 10, 1996, which is attached]

At press time (8:15 p.m.) the House is trying to reach an agreement regarding H.Res. 91, a Resolution Providing Amounts for the Expenses of Certain Committees of the House of Representatives in the One Hundred Fourth Congress; Earlier today, the House rejected the Rule by a vote of 210 to 213.

CONGRESS TOMORROW (3/21):

The House and the Senate will be out of session (provided the House reaches resolution regarding H.Res. 91, Providing Amounts for the Expenses of Certain Committees in the 104th Congress).

CONGRESS -- LONG TERM SCHEDULE:

SENATE

Monday, April 7th

The Senate convene from 12 noon to 1:00 pm, followed by debate on the motion to proceed to debate on S. 104, the Nuclear Waste Policy Act of 1997

[Draft SAP pending: The President would veto the bill]

Tuesday, April 8th

At 2:30 pm, the Senate will hold a cloture vote on S. 104, the Nuclear Waste Policy Act of 1997

[Draft SAP pending: The President would veto the bill]

The week of March 17th, Senator Lott announced that the Republicans will be ready to consider the items listed below when Congress returns from Spring Recess:

Nuclear Waste Policy Act of 1997

[SAP pending: The President would veto the bill]

Team Act

[SAP pending: Labor Secretary veto threat]

Comp Time Bill

ISTEA

Individuals with Disabilities Education Act

Chemical Weapons Treaty

Partial Birth Abortion legislation

Budget Resolution

Product Liability legislation

Assisted Suicide legislation

HOUSE

Schedule yet to be announced

** The Senate will return from recess on April 6th, and the House on April 7th. **