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SUBJECT: Weird things in NEC/OMB writeup on budget agreement

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TEXT:

NEC and OMB are about to release the attached description of the budget agreement. We have asked them to hold, because the section toward the end on welfare to work/TANF talks about a share of the money going directly to cities -- don't you think we should drop the word "directly"?

It also seems odd to make it sound like we have an agreement on how to treat legal immigrant new entrants when in fact we don't. Ken was just advising us to tell governors and mayors that there is no agreement in this area yet.

THE PRESIDENT FOUGHT TO BETTER PROTECT:

CHILDREN

Keeping the Guarantee of Medicaid. Preserves the Federal guarantee of Medicaid coverage for the vulnerable populations who depend on it and contains additional investments to extend coverage to uninsured children.

LEGAL IMMIGRANTS WITH DISABILITIES

Current Recipients. Restores both SSI and Medicaid benefits for immigrants now receiving assistance who became disabled, ensuring that they will not be turned out of their apartments or nursing homes or otherwise left to an uncertain fate.

Current Resident Nonrecipients. Does not change the rules retroactively. Immigrants who are already in the country, are not now receiving benefits and subsequently become disabled will also be fully eligible for SSI and Medicaid benefits.

New Entrants. Partially restores SSI and Medicaid benefits for future arrivals who become disabled after entry--sponsor deeming will be applied with respect to both programs.

Children. Restores SSI (and Medicaid) benefits for disabled legal immigrant children who are now in the country. For children who arrive in the future, sponsor deeming will be applied with respect to both SSI and Medicaid eligibility.

Refugees and Asylees. Extends the SSI and Medicaid eligibility period for refugees and asylees from 5 years after entry (the limit in the welfare bill) to 7 years, in order to give these residents more time to

naturalize.

PEOPLE WHO WANT TO WORK BUT CAN'T FIND A JOB

Childless adults. Last year's welfare reform bill harshly restricted food stamps for able-bodied childless adults to only 3 out of every 36 months, unless they are working. This move ignored the fact that finding a job often takes time. The budget agreement adds \$750 million to the Food Stamp program, and redirects existing program funds, to create 190,000 new work slots for food stamp recipients subject to the "3 in 36" time limit.

Allows States to exempt up to 15 percent of the food stamp recipients who would otherwise be denied benefits as a result of the "3 in 36" limit.

These two provisions together will preserve food stamps for approximately half of the able-bodied adults who, even though they are willing to work, would otherwise be ineligible for benefits.

FINISH THE JOB OF WELFARE REFORM

Additional resources for areas of particular need. Adds \$2.0 billion to the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) block grant, to be targeted to high-poverty, high-unemployment areas. A share of the additional dollars will go directly to cities with large poverty populations. These resources will give States and cities the help they need to place welfare recipients living in the most disadvantaged areas into lasting jobs.

These funds could be used for wage subsidies to private employers, transportation and other post-employment supportive services essential for job retention, and other effective job creation and placement strategies.

Extra incentive for employers. Most welfare recipients want to work. The agreement establishes an enhanced welfare-to-work tax credit, to provide private employers with an incentive to give recipients a chance.

The welfare-to-work tax credit in the budget agreement would allow employers to claim a credit of up to 50 percent of the first \$10,000 in wages paid during a year to a worker who had been on welfare for a prolonged period of time. The credit is available for up to two years per worker, giving employers an incentive to not just hire, but make efforts to retain long-term welfare recipients.

In addition, expands the existing work opportunity tax credit (WOTC) to include, as one of the eligible populations, individuals subject to the "3 in 36" food stamp limit.

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Can we get the Q&A Kevin mentioned yesterday down to Sylvia before the hearing on Thursday. I explained the ethical debate to her, and told her that in any case this wasn't another Tuskegee, but we should send her a piece of paper in any case.

Thanks.

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FROM: OMB LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS

DATE: MAY 6, 1997

SUBJECT: LEGISLATIVE REPORT

The Senate continues to debate the Bosnia/Disaster Supplemental, though no significant progress was made on the most contentious issues. Meanwhile, the House Rules Committee today postponed their consideration of the bill until next week at a time to be determined.

Senator Lott asserted that the Democrats are delaying disaster assistance to needy victims by filibustering the bill, pending resolution of the automatic continuing resolution. Senator Daschle denied that any such filibuster was underway and that, in fact, it was Democrats' desire to expedite consideration of the bill. Senate Democrats are circulating a letter to the President saying they would vote to sustain his veto if he vetoed the supplemental because of the automatic continuing resolution. The letter currently has 37 signatures.

CONGRESS TODAY (5/6):

SENATE

The Senate continued consideration of S. 672, the Bosnia/Disaster Assistance Supplemental, and adopted the Grams amendment, regarding the depository disaster relief act, by a vote of 98 to 0. Senator Reid today offered his amendment to strike the Endangered Species Act waiver.

[SAP sent, 5/5: Based on the Senate Committee bill, which included the automatic continuing resolution, the President had indicated that he would veto it because it includes strongly objectionable extraneous provisions.]

HOUSE

Continued consideration of H.R. 2 - Housing Opportunity and Responsibility Act of 1997 (Open Rule)

[SAP sent, 4/30: Administration supports many of the bill's objectives, but opposes the bill unless it is amended]

While under consideration, the House considered the following amendments:

- o Rejected (140-286) Watt amendment regarding individuals who perform work pursuant to the bill, work not less than minimum wage.
- o Rejected (158-253) Frank amendment to make the community work and self-sufficiency contracts optional if insufficient funds are available

Considered the following two bills under suspension of the rule:

Passed (voice vote) H.R. 1463, the Customs USTR / ITC Authorization bill

[No SAP -- No objection, informally]

Considered but postponed the vote on H.Res. 93 - Regarding the BLS and adjustments to the CPI. The vote will occur on Wednesday.

[No SAP-- a resolution]

CONGRESS TOMORROW (5/7)

SENATE

Convene at 9:30 am to continue consideration of S. 672, the Bosnia/Disaster Assistance Supplemental. A cloture vote, filed by the Leadership on Monday, will occur at 10:00 a.m.

[SAP sent, 5/5: Based on the Senate Committee bill, which included the automatic continuing resolution, the President had indicated that he would veto it because it includes strongly objectionable extraneous provisions.]

HOUSE

Convene at 10:00 am

Vote on H.Res. 93, regarding the BLS and adjustments to the CPI. The House considered the bill in Tuesday's session under suspension of the rule, and ordered but postponed a vote.

Continue consideration of H.R. 2 - Housing Opportunity and Responsibility Act of 1997 (Open Rule)

[SAP sent, 4/30: Administration supports many of the bill's objectives, but opposes the bill unless it is amended]

Consider H. R. 478 - Flood Prevention Act (Open Rule) (likely on Wednesday)
[SAP sent, 5/2: Interior Secretary would recommend veto]

CONGRESS -- LONG-TERM SCHEDULE

SENATE

The Senate aims to complete consideration of S. 672, the Bosnia/Disaster Assistance Supplemental, on Wednesday, May 7th, or Thursday, May 8th.

The Senate will likely take up the following items prior to the Memorial Day recess:

Partial Birth Abortion legislation (likely to follow consideration of the Supplemental)

[House SAP sent, 3/21: President will veto]

S. 4, Family Friendly Workplace

[SAP pending: President will veto]

Budget Resolution (possible the week of May 19th)

HOUSE

Thursday, May 8th

Convene at 11:00 am to consider H.R. 3 - Juvenile Crime Control Act of 1997
(likely on Thursday)

[SAP pending]

Friday, May 9th

No Votes

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Christopher C. Jennings (CN=Christopher C. Jennings/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 6-MAY-1997 21:16:20.00

SUBJECT: FDA Commissioner

TO: Elena Kagan (CN=Elena Kagan/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Thursday afternoon and Friday we are bringing in candidates for FDA Commissioner for interviews. If you are at all available/interested in being part of the panel of interviewers, your input would be much appreciated. Let me know.

Thanks

..cj

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME: 6-MAY-1997 11:16:43.00

SUBJECT: religious expression

TO: Elena Kagan (CN=Elena Kagan/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Chuck's memo is quite good, I think. And the Presidential memorandum itself is excellent. Your legacy is intact.

Do you think the Court will overturn the Religious Freedom Restoration Act? Should we announce this deal then?

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Eric P. Goosby (CN=Eric P. Goosby/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 6-MAY-1997 09:28:26.00

SUBJECT: Re: medical research

TO: Elena Kagan (CN=Elena Kagan/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ: UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Eleana:

Background:

A Public Watch group made up of some leading epidemiologists and ethicists, wrote a letter under Sid Wolfe's signature (ethicists) accusing the CDC and NIH of unethical conduct in 15 studies based in third world countries (mainly central and western Africa). These studies are focused on looking at perinatal transmission of HIV. As you recall in 1994 in the AIDS Clinical Trials Group (ACTG) study 076, it was shown that when AZT was orally administered to HIV positive pregnant women during gestation (2nd trimester to term) and intravenously at delivery, followed by oral syrup with the newborn for 6 weeks, the transmission of HIV went from 27% to 8%.

Issue:

The studies in question do not offer the known, proven effective intervention of AZT to the study participants, but offer unproven cheaper variations on the AZT interventions (oral preparations; less time on drug ; other antiretrovirals are tried).

This was justified by the CDC by making one basic assumption: the standard of care these countries does not include AZT of any kind, therefore, if they are randomized to a study arm that includes some form of AZT it is better than their current situation. In addition, each of the study arms has the potential and likelihood of being effective.

The Public Watch group has accused HHS of a "Tuskegee-like" process and demands the studies be stopped.

CDC points out all of these studies which began in 1993 (before 076 results) went through institutional review boards (IRB's) both in the US and in each hosting country, and contend they are ethical in design.

HHS is in the middle of a review that has a broad spectrum of opinion. This will come to completion by Friday of this week, or early next week. The potential for it coming up at the ceremony is small but present in my estimate. The concerned groups have no obvious connections with the Tuskegee survivors.

I would be happy to talk with you about this further.

Eric

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Jennifer L. Klein (CN=Jennifer L. Klein/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 6-MAY-1997 18:02:21.00

SUBJECT: Re: TitleIX

TO: Elena Kagan (CN=Elena Kagan/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Sure. Just ask Laura to let us know when.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME: 6-MAY-1997 13:40:08.00

SUBJECT: Indian Law Enforcement

TO: Leanne A. Shimabukuro (CN=Leanne A. Shimabukuro/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Jose Cerda III (CN=Jose Cerda III/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Elena Kagan (CN=Elena Kagan/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Cathy R. Mays (CN=Cathy R. Mays/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Interior and Justice have a proposal to move Interior's law enforcement authority to Justice and create a new Indian Country Investigative Service. Seth Waxman would like to brief us on it.

Cathy, could you set up a mtg with

elena
jose
leanne
lynn cutler
maria
michael deutsch (I think)
seth waxman & david ogden from DOJ
anne shields & whoever else she wants from DOI

thanks. let cathy know if others should be included.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Diana Fortuna (CN=Diana Fortuna/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 6-MAY-1997 11:19:14.00

SUBJECT: volunteers and liability

TO: Elena Kagan (CN=Elena Kagan/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Laura Emmett (CN=Laura Emmett/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

I know you had said last week that we needed to oppose the Repub. bill limiting lawsuits where volunteers are involved. But I seem to recall a newspaper article in the past few days saying some kind of compromise was struck which allowed 99 Senators to vote for it. I think it protected the volunteers themselves but not organizations. Do you know if we have moderated our position to support this new version?

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Jonathan A. Kaplan (CN=Jonathan A. Kaplan/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 6-MAY-1997 17:05:42.00

SUBJECT: Budget Rollout

TO: Jonathan A. Kaplan (CN=Jonathan A. Kaplan/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Craig T. Smith (CN=Craig T. Smith/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Beverly J. Barnes (CN=Beverly J. Barnes/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Maria Echaveste (CN=Maria Echaveste/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Julia R. Green (CN=Julia R. Green/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Elena Kagan (CN=Elena Kagan/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: WEINSTEIN_P (WEINSTEIN_P @ A1 @ CD @ LNGTWY [EOP]) (OPD)
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Jeanne Lambrew (CN=Jeanne Lambrew/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Christopher C. Jennings (CN=Christopher C. Jennings/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Alison E. Bracewell (CN=Alison E. Bracewell/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Stephen B. Silverman (CN=Stephen B. Silverman/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Sara M. Latham (CN=Sara M. Latham/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Eli G. Attie (CN=Eli G. Attie/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Douglas B. Sosnik (CN=Douglas B. Sosnik/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Charles R. Marr (CN=Charles R. Marr/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Jake Siewert (CN=Jake Siewert/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Michele Jolin (CN=Michele Jolin/OU=CEA/O=EOP @ EOP [CEA])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Kathryn O. Higgins (CN=Kathryn O. Higgins/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Rebecca R. Culberson (CN=Rebecca R. Culberson/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [OMB])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Ron Klain (CN=Ron Klain/O=OVP @ OVP [UNKNOWN])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Gene B. Sperling (CN=Gene B. Sperling/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Karen E. Skelton (CN=Karen E. Skelton/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Stacey L. Rubin (CN=Stacey L. Rubin/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Cheryl M. Carter (CN=Cheryl M. Carter/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Robert B. Johnson (CN=Robert B. Johnson/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Kenneth S. Apfel (CN=Kenneth S. Apfel/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [OMB])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Michael Cohen (CN=Michael Cohen/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Robert M. Shireman (CN=Robert M. Shireman/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Sarah A. Bianchi (CN=Sarah A. Bianchi/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [OMB])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Virginia M. Terzano (CN=Virginia M. Terzano/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Marcia L. Hale (CN=Marcia L. Hale/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Lori L. Anderson (CN=Lori L. Anderson/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Kathleen M. Wallman (CN=Kathleen M. Wallman/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Ann F. Lewis (CN=Ann F. Lewis/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Michelle Crisci (CN=Michelle Crisci/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Peter R. Orszag (CN=Peter R. Orszag/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Russell W. Horwitz (CN=Russell W. Horwitz/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Anne E. McGuire (CN=Anne E. McGuire/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Jacob J. Lew (CN=Jacob J. Lew/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [OMB])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Jason S. Goldberg (CN=Jason S. Goldberg/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Victoria Radd (CN=Victoria Radd/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Rahm I. Emanuel (CN=Rahm I. Emanuel/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Gene Sperling and Rahm Emanuel would like to compile a report of all of the activities undertaken as a part of the budget rollout since Friday, May 2.

Please send a reply email to me by noon tomorrow (Wednesday) with a list of what you, your office, and your principal have accomplished since Friday. Specifically, your list should include a report on those activities and calls listed on the strategy document that was circulated on Friday as well as any other activities or calls that you have completed (e.g., press calls, outreach calls, documents faxed).

Please also list the activities that you, your office, and your principal plan to conduct in the days ahead (e.g., constituency briefings, conference calls, follow-up press calls). Following up on this effort -- and on your reports -- we plan to hold a meeting later in the week to discuss further budget rollout activities.

Thanks very much, both for your timely response to this email, as well as for your patience and efforts on Friday.

Jon Kaplan
NEC
6-5360

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Elizabeth Drye (CN=Elizabeth Drye/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 6-MAY-1997 15:39:18.00

SUBJECT: Ignore my 2 previous e-mails on .08 BAC. DOT HAS JUST CALLED TO WITHDRAW T

TO: Elena Kagan (CN=Elena Kagan/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

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03:40 PM -----

James A. Brown
05/06/97 02:07:20 PM
Record Type: Record

To: See the distribution list at the bottom of this message
cc: James J. Jukes/OMB/EOP, James C. Murr/OMB/EOP
Subject: DOT HAS JUST CALLED TO WITHDRAW THEIR PROPOSED LETTER ON .8% BAC

No action on the letter is therefore required. Sorry for the confusion.

Message Sent

- To: _____
- Michael Deich/OMB/EOP
 - Elizabeth Drye/OPD/EOP
 - Dorothy Robyn/OPD/EOP
 - /WHO/EOP
 - Jamie B. Schwartz/WHO/EOP
 - Sally Katzen/OMB/EOP
 - Daniel C. Tate/WHO/EOP
 - Ananias Blocker III/WHO/EOP
 - Kenneth L. Schwartz/OMB/EOP
 - David E. Tornquist/OMB/EOP
 - Mark J. Schwartz/OMB/EOP
 - David J. Worzala/OMB/EOP
 - Diane R. Montgomery/OMB/EOP
 - Jonathan C. Ball/OMB/EOP
 - Victoria Wassmer/OMB/EOP
 - Michael A. Fitzpatrick/OMB/EOP
 - Edward H. Clarke/OMB/EOP

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Cynthia A. Rice (CN=Cynthia A. Rice/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 6-MAY-1997 18:46:02.00

SUBJECT: Update on Supplemental & Texas

TO: Barbara Chow (CN=Barbara Chow/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Susan A. Brophy (CN=Susan A. Brophy/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Elena Kagan (CN=Elena Kagan/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Kenneth S. Apfel (CN=Kenneth S. Apfel/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [OMB])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Diana Fortuna (CN=Diana Fortuna/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

House action on the supplemental has apparently been pushed until next week.

In the Senate, there's a rumour that Sen. Gramm is afraid he'll the vote on the Texas welfare amendment, so he may offer the amendment but then say his delegation has asked for a meeting with the White House chief of staff for next week and that out of respect for Bowles he will withdraw the amendment until the face to face meeting. A counterveiling force seems to be that Sen. Hutchison still wants to push for a vote.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: William R. Kincaid (CN=William R. Kincaid/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 6-MAY-1997 21:37:59.00

SUBJECT: IDEA--big day Wednesday

TO: Elena Kagan (CN=Elena Kagan/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Lucia A. Wyman (CN=Lucia A. Wyman/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Diana Fortuna (CN=Diana Fortuna/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Christa Robinson (CN=Christa Robinson/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Michael Cohen (CN=Michael Cohen/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

fyi-- Diana may have updated you on this, but the product of the Lott-sponsored bipartisan negotiating process for the IDEA reauthorization will be marked up at the full committee level tomorrow morning in both the House and the Senate. Assuming the mark-ups go smoothly, in the afternoon, Secretary Riley will have a press conference (tentatively 3 pm) to praise the legislation, with probable attendees including Sens Lott, Jeffords, Coats, and Harkin, and Reps Goodling, Riggs, Castle, L. Graham, Clay, Martinez, and Miller. Sen. Kennedy might also participate--see below. Floor action on the bill is expected next week, on Tuesday in the House and on Thursday in the Senate. If all goes without a hitch, we could be looking at the potential for a bill signing as early as May 22 or 23.

The main question mark for tomorrow is Kennedy; late in the process he began pushing to give DOJ authority to investigate IDEA matters without having them referred from Education, as a means of toughening enforcement. There has been lots of back and forth between Kennedy and Lott's staff; as of late today it wasn't clear whether Kennedy would pursue this tomorrow, and if he does (and fails) what it would mean for his support for the bill overall, which is getting praise as very balanced from both education and disability advocacy groups. Meanwhile, Kennedy has irritated the Republicans, notably Riggs, for raising the DOJ issue so late. Riggs has made noises about pushing harder on an issue of his own (having to do with services to students in adult prisons) that had already been raised and addressed in the negotiating process, but ED thinks at this point he probably won't.

On one of the biggest sticking point from the last Congress, cessation of services/discipline, my understanding is that the agreement that has been worked out would overrule the 4th Circuit decision and explicitly require states to provide services to special ed students who had been suspended or expelled from school.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Cathy R. Mays (CN=Cathy R. Mays/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 6-MAY-1997 11:25:56.00

SUBJECT: Kennedy Center

TO: Leanne A. Shimabukuro (CN=Leanne A. Shimabukuro/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Cynthia A. Rice (CN=Cynthia A. Rice/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Jonathan Prince (CN=Jonathan Prince/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Jennifer L. Klein (CN=Jennifer L. Klein/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Elena Kagan (CN=Elena Kagan/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Thomas L. Freedman (CN=Thomas L. Freedman/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Elizabeth Drye (CN=Elizabeth Drye/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Jose Cerda III (CN=Jose Cerda III/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: WEINSTEIN_P (WEINSTEIN_P @ A1 @ CD @ LNGTWY [EOP]) (OPD)
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Christa Robinson (CN=Christa Robinson/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Nicole R. Rabner (CN=Nicole R. Rabner/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Jeanne Lambrew (CN=Jeanne Lambrew/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: William R. Kincaid (CN=William R. Kincaid/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
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TO: Christopher C. Jennings (CN=Christopher C. Jennings/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
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TO: Laura Emmett (CN=Laura Emmett/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Michael Cohen (CN=Michael Cohen/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Sarah A. Bianchi (CN=Sarah A. Bianchi/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [OMB])
READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

I have two tickets for the Presidential Box for tomorrow evening's performance of Valley Song. If you want them, let me know before 2 p.m. today.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME: 6-MAY-1997 13:51:03.00

SUBJECT: Immigration

TO: Leanne A. Shimabukuro (CN=Leanne A. Shimabukuro/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Jose Cerda III (CN=Jose Cerda III/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Elena Kagan (CN=Elena Kagan/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Sylvia is out of the country, but not out of reach. She called to say the President wants to aggressively pursue solving our Nicaraguan problem. He's not going to say anything about it on this trip, but he would like us to look into how we might try letting 100,000 illegals in for the next 3 yrs. Sylvia said members on the trip were pressing him in this direction.

Can we set in place a process to advise the President on this and any other ideas he might come up with over the course of this expedition? Sylvia thought we should give him advice next week if possible.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Elizabeth Drye (CN=Elizabeth Drye/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 6-MAY-1997 13:53:56.00

SUBJECT: Proposed Transportation letter on Lautenberg .8% BAC Bill -- Comments by 5

TO: Elena Kagan (CN=Elena Kagan/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

DOT is asking us to clear before tomorrow's hearing a letter from Slater to Lautenberg on his .08 BAC sanctions proposal. As you know, NEXTEA has .08 incentive grants. DOT's letter concludes, "in the case of 0.08, a strategy that combines incentives first and sanctions as a last resort may be an appropriate way to achieve our mutual goal to reduce drunk driving.

I have directed my staff to work with your staff to determine if we can find a legislative way to achieve our common goal." This says to me we'll support sanctions if Congress does. I can live with it. Is it too strong given our implicit decision not to take on .08 sanction fight?

----- Forwarded by Elizabeth Drye/OPD/EOP on 05/06/97
01:36 PM -----

James A. Brown
05/06/97 01:27:57 PM
Record Type: Record

To: See the distribution list at the bottom of this message
cc: James C. Murr/OMB/EOP, James J. Jukes/OMB/EOP
Subject: Proposed Transportation letter on Lautenberg .8% BAC Bill --
Comments by 5:00 P.M. Today, Please

This is DOT's proposed letter on S. 412. (Please note that while expressing considerable sympathy for the bill, the letter stops somewhat short of an outright endorsement.)

We are also distributing this via LRM. Could you provide any comments by 5:00 p.m. today, please? DOT is requesting that clearance be provided today so that the letter may be sent prior to tomorrow's hearing on ISTEA reauthorization. Thanks.

DRAFT

The Honorable Frank R. Lautenberg
United States Senate
Washington, D.C 20510-3002

Dear Frank:

Thank you for your letter requesting the Administration's support for S. 412, the "Safe and Sober Streets Act of 997," a bill you joined with Congresswoman Nita Lowey in introducing. S. 412, which is modeled on the Age-21 Minimum Drinking Age Law and the Zero Tolerance Law for underage drivers, would direct the Secretary of Transportation to withhold 5 percent of a State's Interstate Maintenance, National Highway System, and Surface Transportation funds in fiscal year 2001 if it fails to make 0.08 blood-alcohol concentration (BAC) the legal standard of driving while intoxicated (DWI). This withholding would rise to 10 percent each fiscal year after 2001 until the State adopts 0.08 as its standard for DWI.

A standard of 0.08 is highly desirable. In a 1992 report to Congress, the Department's National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) recommended that all States lower their legal standard for DWI to 0.08 BAC for all drivers aged 21 and above. At 0.08, virtually all drivers are substantially impaired with regard to braking, steering, lane changing, and judgment--critical driving tasks. In 1995, 17,274 people were killed in alcohol-related crashes. During that same year, over 80 percent of the drivers involved in fatal crashes who were determined to have a positive BAC level had levels exceeding 0.08.

A 0.08 BAC standard also is highly effective. Fourteen States have adopted 0.08 as their standard for DWI. A recent study of five of these States show that significant decreases in alcohol-related fatalities can be achieved by adopting 0.08 BAC as the per se standard for DWI.

As you know, the Department's ISTEA reauthorization proposal, S. 468, includes an incentive grant program directed at preventing alcohol-impaired driving. This program, which would begin in fiscal year 1998 and conclude in fiscal year 2003, contains an incentive grant designed to encourage the States to adopt 0.08 BAC laws. This incentive approach is one we believe has the greatest chance of gaining wide-spread political acceptance. Your bill, S. 412, would ensure, by fiscal year 2001, that the States adopt 0.08 laws by using the sanction of withholding a portion of a State's highway funds if it fails to enact this legal

standard.

Sanctions obviously do work, and so do incentives. The fourteen States that have adopted 0.08 show there is already considerable momentum to the consideration and enactment of this standard. The Department believes that, in the case of 0.08, a strategy that combines incentives first and sanctions as a last resort may be an appropriate way to achieve our mutual goal to reduce drunk driving. I have directed my staff to work with your staff to determine if we can find a legislative way to achieve our common goal. I look forward to working with you on this matter.

The Office of Management and Budget advises that, from the standpoint of the Administration policy, that there is no objection to the submission of this letter for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Rodney E. Slater

Message Sent

To:

Michael Deich/OMB/EOP
Elizabeth Drye/OPD/EOP
Dorothy Robyn/OPD/EOP
/WHO/EOP
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CREATOR: Paul J. Weinstein Jr. (CN=Paul J. Weinstein Jr./OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 6-MAY-1997 11:44:20.00

SUBJECT: Hearing List for Week of May 5, 1997

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TO: Nicole R. Rabner (CN=Nicole R. Rabner/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])
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TO: Elena Kagan (CN=Elena Kagan/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])
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TO: Christa Robinson (Christa Robinson @ EOP @ LNGTWY [OPD])
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TO: MAZUR_M (MAZUR_M @ A1 @ CD @ LNGTWY [EOP]) (WHO)
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TO: Jennifer L. Klein (CN=Jennifer L. Klein/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
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TO: Cathy R. Mays (Cathy R. Mays @ EOP @ LNGTWY [OPD])
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CC: Elena Kagan (CN=Elena Kagan/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])
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CC: Bruce N. Reed (CN=Bruce N. Reed/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])
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TEXT:

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05/06/97 11:37 AM -----

Alison C. Perkins
05/05/97 05:36:12 PM
Record Type: Record

To: See the distribution list at the bottom of this message
cc:
Subject: Hearing List for Week of May 5, 1997

HEARING LIST 5/5/97

Date	Cte.	Bill
5/5	HRC	FULL COMMITTEE HEARING HR901 - To preserve the sovereignty of the over public lands and to preserve state sovereignty and private property rights in non-federal lands surrounding those public lands
5/5	SENRC	HEARING S.430 - To protect the permanent trust funds the State of New Mexico from erosion due to inflation
5/6	HRC	SUBCOMMITTEE HEARING Forests and Forest Health Subcommittee will hold a hearing on: HR985 - To provide for the expansion of the Eagles Nest Wilderness, within the Arapaho and White River National Forests; HR1019 - Raggeds Wilderness/White River National Forest boundary adjustment; HR1020 - White River

National Forest/Arapaho NF boundary
 HR1439 - To facilitate the sale of certain land in
 Tahoe National Forest to Placer County; HR79 -
 Hoopa Valley Tribe land conveyance. adju

5/8 HRC SUBCOMMITTEE MARK-UP
 Forests and Forest Health Subcommittee will
 mark-up: HR985 - To provide for the
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HR1439 - To facilitate the sale of certain land in
 Tahoe National Forest to Placer County; HR79 -
 Hoopa Valley Tribe land conveyance. adju

*5/8 HRC SUBCOMMITTEE MARKUP
 National Parks and Public Lands Subcommittee
 will meet to mark-up: HR765 - Shackleford
 Horses; HR1127 - To Amend the Antiquities Act to
 Require and Act of Congress and the Concurrence of
 the Governor for the Establishment of Certain
 National Monuments (DOI preparing leg.
 report that threatens veto)

5/13 HRC SUBCOMMITTEE HEARING
 Energy and Mineral Resources Subcommittee will
 meet to consider New World Mine and
 (this hearing was originally scheduled for 4/24.
 CEQ and Interior testimony has already been
 cleared and transmitted to the committee). Head

*5/14 HAC SUBCOMMITTEE HEARING
 Department Operations, Nutrition and Foreign
 Agriculture Subcommittee will meet to review
 USDA's information technology procurement
 practices.

5/14 SENRC FULL COMMITTEE MARK-UP
 Committee will mark-up pending legislation

5/15 SENRC/HRC JOINT COMMITTEE HEARING
 Forests and Public Land Management
 Subcommittee of the SENRC and the Forests and
 Forest Health Subcommittee of the HRC will hold
 a hearing on the release of the EIS for the
 Columbia River Basin

*5/15 HRC SUBCOMMITTEE OVERSIGHT HEARING
 National Parks and Public Lands Subcommittee
 will hold a hearing on BLM's Law Enforcement
 Authorities

5/15 HAC SUBCOMMITTEE OVERSIGHT HEARING
 Livestock, Dairy and Poultry Subcommittee will
 hold a hearing on USDA's progress in
 implementing the changes in dairy programs
 contained in the FAIR Act

*5/20 HRC SUBCOMMITTEE OVERSIGHT HEARING
Energy and Mineral Resources Subcommittee will hold a hearing on BLM's hardrock mining bonding regulations

*5/20 HRC SUBCOMMITTEE HEARING
National Parks and Public Lands SC will hold a hearing on: HR1198 - To direct the Sec. of Interior to convey certain land to the city of Grants Pass, OR; HR960 - To Validate Conveyances in the City of Tulare, CA; HR60 - To provide assistance to the Casa Malpais National Historic Landmark; HR822 - Wenatchee NF Land Exchange.

5/22 SENRC SUBCOMMITTEE WORKSHOP
Forests and Public Land Management Subcommittee will hold a workshop on draft legislation relating to public land management

TBA SENRC HEARING

Hearing on the Administration's FY98 budget proposals for programs under its jurisdiction

Committee Abbreviations:

HAP House Appropriations Committee
HRC House Resources Committee
HNPS House National Parks, Forests and Lands Subcommittee
HEMRS House Energy and Mineral Resources Subcommittee
HAC House Agriculture Committee
HEIPS House Int. Economic Policy and Trade Subcommittee
HGRO House Government Reform and Oversight Committee
SAC Senate Agriculture Committee
SENRC Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee
SEOIS Senate Energy Oversight and Investigation Subcommittee
SPHPS Senate Parks, Historic Preservation, and Recreation Subcommittee
SFPLS Senate Forests and Public Land Management Subcommittee
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RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME: 6-MAY-1997 13:09:24.00

SUBJECT: Housing Bill

TO: Elena Kagan (CN=Elena Kagan/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

----- Forwarded by Bruce N. Reed/OPD/EOP on 05/06/97
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Jonathan Prince

05/06/97 11:23:23 AM

Record Type: Record

To: Bruce N. Reed/OPD/EOP

cc:

Subject: Housing Bill

The SAP actually opposes the bill, unless certain amendments are made. They list 8 different areas we want changed, but they probably don't all rise to the level of a veto.

The most important are fixes to the assistance targeting in the House bill, and the most important targeting fix we want is a Section 8 income limit for new admissions (90% at or below 60% median income, 40% at or below 30%). We want tighter targeting requirements for PHAs and tenant-based assistance as well, although at least some OMB folks concede that the argument against tight PHA targeting -- it creates clusters, and cultures, of poverty -- makes sense.

Of the other fixes, there are only two I think you might be interested in.

First, we want to delete requirement of a self-sufficiency agreement between PHAs and tenants or assistance recipients. In the House bill, this has two components: the 8 hour service requirement, and a contract with adults that sets a targeted graduation date. Our bill includes the service requirement, but not the contract; instead our proposal "clarifies" that "it would be the PHA's job to assist State welfare agencies,"presumably on the logic that housing offices shouldn't be welfare offices...

Second, we want to delete the requirement that private owners of federally assisted housing are provided with conviction information about applicants and tenants. Hmmmm...

Of other interest: HR2 (and our alternate as well, I assume) includes a \$290 million for 98 and 99 for a new grant to fight crime in and around public or assisted housing; expands access to NCIC, and Rahm's sex offender registry; and mandates 3 years of ineligibility if a family is evicted for a drug-related crime.

Let me know what else you want to know.

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CREATOR: Paul J. Weinstein Jr. (CN=Paul J. Weinstein Jr./OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 6-MAY-1997 17:24:04.00

SUBJECT: Budget Rollout

TO: Elena Kagan (CN=Elena Kagan/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

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Jonathan A. Kaplan

05/06/97 05:03:00 PM

Record Type: Record

To: Paul J. Weinstein Jr.

cc:

Subject: Budget Rollout

Message Creation Date was at 6-MAY-1997 22:03:00

Gene Sperling and Rahm Emanuel would like to compile a report of all of the activities undertaken as a part of the budget rollout since Friday, May 2.

Please send a reply email to me by noon tomorrow (Wednesday) with a list of what you, your office, and your principal have accomplished since Friday. Specifically, your list should include a report on those activities and calls listed on the strategy document that was circulated on Friday as well as any other activities or calls that you have completed (e.g., press calls, outreach calls, documents faxed).

Please also list the activities that you, your office, and your principal plan to conduct in the days ahead (e.g., constituency briefings, conference calls, follow-up press calls). Following up on this effort -- and on your reports -- we plan to hold a meeting later in the week to discuss further budget rollout activities.

Thanks very much, both for your timely response to this email, as well as for your patience and efforts on Friday.

Jon Kaplan
NEC
6-5360

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CREATOR: Barry J. Toiv (CN=Barry J. Toiv/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME: 6-MAY-1997 19:08:07.00

SUBJECT: IDEA

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TO: Elena Kagan (CN=Elena Kagan/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
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CC: Susan A. Brophy (CN=Susan A. Brophy/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
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TEXT:

Lucia Wyman in Leg. Affairs is recommending a POTUS statement for an event I understand is being held tomorrow with Secy. Riley and bipartisan group on the Hill re reauthorization of IDEA, education for children with disabilities. Do you agree, and if so do you want to write something to be read there?

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CREATOR: Alice E. Shuffield (CN=Alice E. Shuffield/OU=OMB/O=EOP [OMB])

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TO: DIRECTOR FRANK RAINES
DEPUTY DIRECTOR JACK LEW
DEPUTY DIRECTOR JOHN KOSKINEN

FROM: OMB LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS

DATE: MAY 6, 1997

SUBJECT: LEGISLATIVE REPORT

The Senate continues to debate the Bosnia/Disaster Supplemental, though no significant progress was made on the most contentious issues. Meanwhile, the House Rules Committee today postponed their consideration of the bill until next week at a time to be determined.

Senator Lott asserted that the Democrats are delaying disaster assistance to needy victims by filibustering the bill, pending resolution of the

automatic continuing resolution. Senator Daschle denied that any such filibuster was underway and that, in fact, it was Democrats' desire to expedite consideration of the bill. Senate Democrats are circulating a letter to the President saying they would vote to sustain his veto if he vetoed the supplemental because of the automatic continuing resolution. The letter currently has 37 signatures.

CONGRESS TODAY (5/6):

SENATE

The Senate continued consideration of S. 672, the Bosnia/Disaster Assistance Supplemental, and adopted the Grams amendment, regarding the depository disaster relief act, by a vote of 98 to 0. Senator Reid today offered his amendment to strike the Endangered Species Act waiver.

[SAP sent, 5/5: Based on the Senate Committee bill, which included the automatic continuing resolution, the President had indicated that he would veto it because it includes strongly objectionable extraneous provisions.]

HOUSE

Continued consideration of H.R. 2 - Housing Opportunity and Responsibility Act of 1997 (Open Rule)

[SAP sent, 4/30: Administration supports many of the bill's objectives, but opposes the bill unless it is amended]

While under consideration, the House considered the following amendments:

- o Rejected (140-286) Watt amendment regarding individuals who perform work pursuant to the bill, work not less than minimum wage.
- o Rejected (158-253) Frank amendment to make the community work and self-sufficiency contracts optional if insufficient funds are available

Considered the following two bills under suspension of the rule:

Passed (voice vote) H.R. 1463, the Customs USTR / ITC Authorization bill
[No SAP -- No objection, informally]

Considered but postponed the vote on H.Res. 93 - Regarding the BLS and adjustments to the CPI. The vote will occur on Wednesday.

[No SAP-- a resolution]

CONGRESS TOMORROW (5/7)

SENATE

Convene at 9:30 am to continue consideration of S. 672, the Bosnia/Disaster Assistance Supplemental. A cloture vote, filed by the Leadership on Monday, will occur at 10:00 a.m.

[SAP sent, 5/5: Based on the Senate Committee bill, which included the automatic continuing resolution, the President had indicated that he would veto it because it includes strongly objectionable extraneous provisions.]

HOUSE

Convene at 10:00 am

Vote on H.Res. 93, regarding the BLS and adjustments to the CPI. The House considered the bill in Tuesday's session under suspension of the rule, and ordered but postponed a vote.

Continue consideration of H.R. 2 - Housing Opportunity and Responsibility

Act of 1997 (Open Rule)

[SAP sent, 4/30: Administration supports many of the bill's objectives,
but opposes the bill unless it is amended]

Consider H.R. 478 - Flood Prevention Act (Open Rule) (likely on Wednesday)

[SAP sent, 5/2: Interior Secretary would recommend veto]

CONGRESS -- LONG-TERM SCHEDULE

SENATE

The Senate aims to complete consideration of S. 672, the Bosnia/Disaster Assistance Supplemental, on Wednesday, May 7th, or Thursday, May 8th.

The Senate will likely take up the following items prior to the Memorial Day recess:

Partial Birth Abortion legislation (likely to follow consideration of the Supplemental)

[House SAP sent, 3/21: President will veto]

S. 4, Family Friendly Workplace

[SAP pending: President will veto]

Budget Resolution (possible the week of May 19th)

HOUSE

Thursday, May 8th

Convene at 11:00 am to consider H.R. 3 - Juvenile Crime Control Act of 1997 (likely on Thursday)

[SAP pending]

Friday, May 9th

No Votes

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CREATION DATE/TIME: 6-MAY-1997 17:18:21.00

SUBJECT: Re: TitleIX

TO: Elena Kagan (CN=Elena Kagan/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

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TEXT:

Not yet, there is a request in and we need to discuss what we want this to look like. I don't think that we want it to be only about women's sports. Maria wants to get ahead of this since the anniversary is in June.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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SUBJECT: Proposed Transportation letter on Lautenberg .8% BAC Bill -- Comments by 5

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Dorothy Robyn and I suggest the following change to Slater's letter -- drop last two lines about directing his staff to work w/Lautenberg's staff to achieve legislative solution, and just say, "I look forward to working with you to achieve our mutual goals" -- i.e. don't commit to actively pursuing a resolution. That solves it for Dorothy and me. O.K?

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Elizabeth Drye

05/06/97 01:52:33 PM

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To: Elena Kagan/OPD/EOP

cc: Bruce N. Reed/OPD/EOP

Subject: Proposed Transportation letter on Lautenberg .8% BAC Bill --
Comments by 5:00 P.M. Today, Please

DOT is asking us to clear before tomorrow's hearing a letter from Slater to Lautenberg on his .08 BAC sanctions proposal. As you know, NEXTEA has .08 incentive grants. DOT's letter concludes, "in the case of 0.08, a strategy that combines incentives first and sanctions as a last resort may be an appropriate way to achieve our mutual goal to reduce drunk driving.

I have directed my staff to work with your staff to determine if we can find a legislative way to achieve our common goal." This says to me we'll support sanctions if Congress does. I can live with it. Is it too strong given our implicit decision not to take on .08 sanction fight?

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James A. Brown

05/06/97 01:27:57 PM

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To: See the distribution list at the bottom of this message

cc: James C. Murr/OMB/EOP, James J. Jukes/OMB/EOP

Subject: Proposed Transportation letter on Lautenberg .8% BAC Bill --
Comments by 5:00 P.M. Today, Please

This is DOT's proposed letter on S. 412. (Please note that while

expressing considerable sympathy for the bill , the letter stops somewhat short of an outright endorsement.)

We are also distributing this via LRM. Could you provide any comments by 5:00 p.m. today, please? DOT is requesting that clearance be provided today so that the letter may be sent prior to tomorrow's hearing on ISTEA reauthorization. Thanks.

DRAFT

The Honorable Frank R. Lautenberg
United States Senate
Washington, D.C 20510-3002

Dear Frank:

Thank you for your letter requesting the Administration's support for S. 412, the "Safe and Sober Streets Act of 997," a bill you joined with Congresswoman Nita Lowey in introducing. S. 412, which is modeled on the Age-21 Minimum Drinking Age Law and the Zero Tolerance Law for underage drivers, would direct the Secretary of Transportation to withhold 5 percent of a State's Interstate Maintenance, National Highway System, and Surface Transportation funds in fiscal year 2001 if it fails to make 0.08 blood-alcohol concentration (BAC) the legal standard of driving while intoxicated (DWI). This withholding would rise to 10 percent each fiscal year after 2001 until the State adopts 0.08 as its standard for DWI.

A standard of 0.08 is highly desirable. In a 1992 report to Congress, the Department's National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) recommended that all States lower their legal standard for DWI to 0.08 BAC for all drivers aged 21 and above. At 0.08, virtually all drivers are substantially impaired with regard to braking, steering, lane changing, and judgment--critical driving tasks. In 1995, 17,274 people were killed in alcohol-related crashes. During that same year, over 80 percent of the drivers involved in fatal crashes who were determined to have a positive BAC level had levels exceeding 0.08.

A 0.08 BAC standard also is highly effective. Fourteen States have adopted 0.08 as their standard for DWI. A recent study of five of these States show that

significant decreases in alcohol-related fatalities can be achieved by adopting 0.08 BAC as the per se standard for DWI.

As you know, the Department's ISTEA reauthorization proposal, S. 468, includes an incentive grant program directed at preventing alcohol-impaired driving. This program, which would begin in fiscal year 1998 and conclude in fiscal year 2003, contains an incentive grant designed to encourage the States to adopt 0.08 BAC laws. This incentive approach is one we believe has the greatest chance of gaining wide-spread political acceptance. Your bill, S. 412, would ensure, by fiscal year 2001, that the States adopt 0.08 laws by using the sanction of withholding a portion of a State's highway funds if it fails to enact this legal standard.

Sanctions obviously do work, and so do incentives. The fourteen States that have adopted 0.08 show there is already considerable momentum to the consideration and enactment of this standard. The Department believes that, in the case of 0.08, a strategy that combines incentives first and sanctions as a last resort may be an appropriate way to achieve our mutual goal to reduce drunk driving. I have directed my staff to work with your staff to determine if we can find a legislative way to achieve our common goal. I look forward to working with you on this matter.

The Office of Management and Budget advises that, from the standpoint of the Administration policy, that there is no objection to the submission of this letter for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Rodney E. Slater

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President Clinton Delivers the First Balanced Budget in A Generation Historic Agreement Promotes the Country's Priorities

President Clinton has achieved a balanced budget agreement that includes critical investments in education, health care, and the environment while strengthening and modernizing Medicare and Medicaid -- just as he promised last year. We have cut the deficit 63% -- from \$290 billion in 1992 to \$107 billion last year. This historic achievement will finish the job, giving the American people the first balanced budget in a generation, while meeting the President's goals.

GOAL: To ensure that every 8 year-old can read, every 12 year-old can log on to the Internet, and every 18 year-old can go to college.

- Largest Pell Grant increase in two decades -- 4 million students will receive a grant of up to \$3,000, an increase of \$300 in the maximum grant.
- \$35 billion of tax cuts targeted to higher education to make college more affordable for America's families.
- An America Reads initiative to mobilize a million tutors to help three million children learn to read by the end of the third grade.
- Expansion of Head Start -- to achieve goal of one million kids in 2002.
- Doubles funding to help schools integrate innovative technology into the curriculum.

GOAL: Expand health coverage for as many as 5 million uncovered children.

- Medicaid improvements and added Medicaid investments.
- A new capped mandatory grant program that provides additional dollars to supplement states efforts to cover uninsured children in working families.

GOAL: Secure and strengthen Medicare and Medicaid

- Extends the solvency of Medicare Trust Fund to at least 2007 through long overdue structural reforms.
- Expands coverage of critical preventive treatments of diseases such as diabetes and breast cancer.
- Preserves the federal Medicaid guarantee of coverage to our nation's most vulnerable people.

GOAL: Strengthen environmental protection and enforcement

- Accelerates Superfund cleanups by almost 500 sites by the year 2000.
- Expands the Brownfield Redevelopment Initiative to help communities cleanup and redevelop contaminated areas.
- Boosts environmental enforcement to protect public health from environmental threats.

GOAL: Move people from welfare to work and treat legal immigrants fairly

- A Welfare-to-Work tax credit to help long-term welfare recipients to get jobs.
- Restores disability and health benefits for legal immigrants.
- Restores Medicaid coverage for poor legal immigrant children.
- Preserves food stamp benefits for people willing to work.
- Provides States and cities with additional resources to move disadvantaged recipients into jobs.

GOAL: Cut taxes for America's hard working families

- A Child Tax Credit to make it easier for families to raise their kids.
- \$35 billion of tax cuts targeted to higher education to make college more affordable

An Historic Return to Sound Fiscal Footing Deficit Reduction During the Clinton Administration

- **The President inherited a budget deficit of \$290 billion that was expected to explode to over one-half trillion dollars in 2002.** The economy's growth was stagnant and jobs for many Americans were hard to find. A decade of large deficits had weakened the foundation of our economy, cast doubt on the country's ability to self-govern, and sapped our power and prestige abroad.
- **President Clinton addressed this problem of fiscal instability immediately, moving during the first days of his Presidency on a pledge to cut the deficit in half.** Working with Democrats in Congress, he implemented an economic program designed to reduce the deficit and to invest in critical priorities, such as education and training. That economic program also instilled in law a fundamental principal of the President's: no Americans who work hard at their jobs should have to raise their families in poverty.
- **The 1993 economic plan has exceeded all expectations: the economy has produced over 12 million new jobs, the unemployment rate is at its lowest point in 24 years, and the deficit has fallen by 63 percent, falling four years in a row to \$107 billion in 1996.** Mounting evidence suggests the deficit will fall again this year, lengthening the streak of declining deficits to five years -- the longest in 50 years. Private sector growth has averaged a robust 3.5 percent, benefitting from the improved investment climate to which deficit reduction has heavily contributed. Most recently, during the first quarter of this year, the economy surged ahead at a 5.6 percent rate, the fastest growth in a decade.
- **The President began his second term determined to fulfill his goal of balancing the budget.** With this bipartisan balanced budget agreement, working with both Republicans and Democrats, the President finishes the job.
- **As we head into the next century, this bipartisan balanced budget agreement solidifies the nation's economic foundation, restores faith in our ability to govern ourselves, and bolsters our preeminent position in the world economy.**

Fact Sheet on the Budget Agreement

- Budget balances by 2002 -- for the first time since 1969

New Initiatives

- Agreement provides \$34 billion over 5 years for new initiatives, including:
 - \$14 billion for restoring medical and disability benefits to legal immigrants and other improvements to the welfare bill, including funding for communities to help welfare recipients move to work
 - Provides \$16 to \$17 billion to provide health coverage for up to 5 million children by 2002

Discretionary Spending

- Non-defense discretionary outlays are within 1 percent of the President's FY 1998 Budget request over 5 years
 - protecting education, the environment, international and other priorities
- Defense spending meets President's FY 1998 Budget request (on budget authority)

Medicare & Medicaid

- Medicare savings of \$115 billion over 5 years, extending the life of the Trust Fund until at least 2007
 - Modernizes Medicare by providing new health plan choices such as PPOs and PSOs and new preventive care benefits, including annual mammograms without co-payments, diabetes self-management, and colorectal screenings
 - Reforms outdated payment methodology for home health, skilled nursing facilities, outpatient departments, and HMOs
 - Phases in, over time, cost of home health care into Part B premium with expanded low income protections
- Medicaid: Imposes new cost constraints (e.g., on disproportionate share hospital payments), while maintaining the Federal guarantee. The agreement responds to States' concerns by dropping the per capita cap proposal, and allowing States more flexibility to manage their Medicaid programs.

Education

- Largest increase in education spending in 30 years
- \$35 billion for education tax cuts, including the Hope Scholarship and the \$10,000 tax deduction
- Increases maximum Pell grant award to \$3,000
- Fully funds the President's America Reads initiative

Environment

- Full funding for the President's priority areas, including Superfund and brownfields
- Full funding for national parks and Federal land management

Tax Cuts

- \$85 billion in net tax cuts, including \$135 billion in gross tax cuts and \$50 billion of revenue raisers and extenders (\$30 billion of which is the extension of the airline ticket tax)
- A majority of the \$135 billion in tax cuts are dedicated to the President's priorities for middle-income tax relief, including education tax cuts and the \$500 per child tax credit

COLAs

- No legislated change in COLAs. Congress will incorporate into its economic assumptions the expected effect of ongoing improvements at the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Welfare Reform

- A welfare-to-work tax credit to help long-term welfare recipients get jobs
- New flexibility for states and localities to provide benefits for poor families

President Clinton Worked to Expand Educational Opportunity for All

**PRESIDENT CLINTON WOULD NOT ACCEPT ANY BALANCED
BUDGET AGREEMENT THAT DOES NOT EXPAND EDUCATIONAL
OPPORTUNITIES IN AMERICA.**

TO OPEN THE DOORS OF COLLEGE, THIS BUDGET AGREEMENT INCLUDES:

- **Pell Grant Expansion.** Includes the largest increase in two decades -- a funding boost of 25%. The maximum award will reach \$3,000, an increase of \$300. In the 1998 budget alone, an additional 348,000 students will receive grants: 130,000 young people from moderate-income families, and 218,000 low income students over the age of 24.
- **Tax cuts for higher education.** To help make college affordable for all American families.
- **Work-Study.** Will continue to expand the availability of work-study jobs, including an increasing number of community service positions, moving closer to the President's commitment to 1 million work-study jobs by the year 2000.

EXPAND ACCESS TO HEAD START AND EARLY HEAD START

- **A Commitment to Enrolling 1 million children in Head Start in 2002.** The President has long been committed to making Head Start, and now Early Start, available to more children. The agreement adopts that goal, accepting the President's proposal for increases from 1998 to 2002.
- **Over the past 4 years, the President, working with allies in Congress, has secured a 43% increase in funds for Head Start.** The program will serve 800,000 in 1997, and the 1998 budget will bring in 86,000 more children.

AMERICA READS CHALLENGE

- **The President has launched the America Reads Challenge to ensure that all kids read well and independently by the end of the third grade.** This commitment includes:
 - **America's Reading Corps.** Will provide individualized after-school and summer help for over three million children in grades K-3. Federal aid would be used to help communities recruit and train over 1 million tutors.

WORKING TO ENSURE THAT EVERY 12 YEAR-OLD CAN LOG ON TO THE INTERNET

- **Technology Literacy.** Doubles funding to help ensure that computers are in every classroom, every classroom is connected to the Internet, all teachers are trained, and that high quality software and on-line resources are available to help schools integrate technology into the curriculum so that students can become technologically literate.

President Clinton Worked to Expand Coverage for Children

**TEN MILLION AMERICAN CHILDREN TODAY
LACK HEALTH CARE COVERAGE.**

THE PRESIDENT'S CHILDREN'S HEALTH INITIATIVE EXPANDS HEALTH CARE COVERAGE FOR MILLIONS OF CHILDREN.

- *THE PRESIDENT FOUGHT TO ENSURE THAT ANY BALANCED BUDGET AGREEMENT EXPANDS CHILDREN'S HEALTH COVERAGE. HIS CHILDREN'S HEALTH INITIATIVE PROVIDES HEALTH COVERAGE FOR AS MANY AS FIVE MILLION ADDITIONAL CHILDREN BY:*
 - **Strengthens Medicaid for Children.** The President fought to ensure that the guarantee of Medicaid coverage for all poor children is preserved. Furthermore, the Agreement invests in expanding Medicaid coverage for poor children by:
 - Working to enroll many of the three million children who are eligible but not enrolled in Medicaid;
 - Providing States with new options to expand coverage to children; and
 - Continuing Medicaid coverage for children with disabilities who lost coverage due to definitional changes as well as impoverished legal immigrants.
 - **Supports Innovative State Programs through a Capped Mandatory Grant Program.** States could receive grants to:
 - Cover children whose families earn too much to qualify for Medicaid but too little to afford private coverage; and
 - Builds on innovative programs that address the unique needs of children in each State. For example, programs like State/insurance company partnerships and school-based could be expanded.

President Clinton Worked for Stronger Environmental Enforcement and Protection

PRESIDENT CLINTON WOULD NOT ACCEPT ANY BUDGET THAT DOES NOT INCREASE ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

PRESIDENT CLINTON IS WORKING TO MOVE THE COUNTRY FORWARD TOWARDS A CLEANER ENVIRONMENT:

ACCELERATE TOXIC WASTE CLEANUPS

- **Double the Pace of Superfund Cleanups.** In contrast to earlier Republican efforts to slow cleanups down, the President has achieved a near doubling of the pace of Superfund cleanups. The budget provides for:
 - The cleanup of 500 additional sites by the end of the year 2000 so millions of Americans can enter the next century in healthier neighborhoods.
 - A \$650 million increase over 1997 for Superfund, bringing total funding to \$2.1 billion in 1998.

EXPAND BROWNFIELDS REDEVELOPMENT INITIATIVE

- **Tax Incentives for Distressed Areas.** The President's Brownfields Initiative helps communities cleanup and redevelop contaminated areas with grants and targeted tax incentives, creating jobs and protecting public health.
 - Funding is boosted \$75 million in 1998 to provide grants to communities for site assessment and development planning and to leverage state, local, and private funds to foster redevelopment.

IMPROVE AMERICANS' RIGHT TO KNOW ABOUT TOXICS

- **Expanding Community Right-to-Know.** The budget includes new funds to expand the information people get about toxic threats to their families and communities.

MORE AGGRESSIVE CRIMINAL ENFORCEMENT AGAINST POLLUTERS

- **Stepped-Up Enforcement.** President Clinton is committed to more aggressive enforcement efforts against polluters. The budget provides:
 - Increased funding to train state and local officials who work at the local level to enforce environmental laws.
 - An increase to the account which funds EPA enforcement.

BETTER PROTECTION OF NATIONAL PARKS

- **Helping Preserve our National Heritage.** The budget provides a 6 percent (\$66m) increase for national park operations to help improve park facilities and further protect

PROMOTE ENERGY EFFICIENCY AND RENEWABLE ENERGY

- **The budget contains new funds for energy efficiency and for solar and renewable energy.**

President Clinton Worked to Modernize and Strengthen Medicare and Medicaid

TO MODERNIZE THE MEDICARE PROGRAM AND BRING IT INTO THE 21ST CENTURY, THE BUDGET:

EXTENDS THE LIFE OF THE MEDICARE TRUST FUND UNTIL AT LEAST 2008.

MODERNIZES MEDICARE. The Agreement contains a series of structural reforms which modernize the program, bringing in line with the private sector and preparing it for the baby boom generation. It:

- ☞ ***Increases the number of health plan options*** -- by making Preferred Provider Organizations and Provider Sponsored Organizations -- available to Medicare's seniors and people with disabilities.
- ☞ ***Improves Medicare managed care payment methodology and informed beneficiary choice.*** Addresses geographic disparities in payments; and adjusts managed care rates for overpayments due to favorable selection.
- ☞ ***Builds on the successful hospital prospective payment system model,*** implementing prospective payment systems for skilled nursing home facilities, home health, and hospital outpatient departments.

EXPANDS PREVENTIVE BENEFITS

- ☞ ***Waives cost-sharing for mammography services and provides annual screening mammograms*** for beneficiaries age 40 and older to help detect breast cancer;
- ☞ ***Establishes a diabetes self-management benefit;***
- ☞ ***Covers colorectal screening*** (early detection of cancer can result in less costly treatment, enhanced quality of life, and, in some cases, greater likelihood of cure);
- ☞ ***Increases reimbursement rates for certain immunizations*** to protect seniors from pneumonia, influenza, and hepatitis.

Preserves and Protects Medicaid

— *Achieves \$14.6 billion in savings* through increased State flexibility and a reduction in disproportionate share hospital payments, while maintaining the federal guarantee to coverage. Eliminates per capita cap.

— *Extends Medicaid coverage to uninsured children* through new options and outreach.

— *Restores Medicaid coverage for legal immigrants* allowing children to keep their Medicaid coverage if they lost their SSI eligibility following last year's definitional change, restores Medicaid to legal immigrants who pay taxes, play by the rules but are disabled and maintains eligibility for legal immigrant children whose families are impoverished.

President Clinton Fought to Protect The Most Vulnerable People

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to ensure that any agreement protects the most vulnerable in our society.

THE PRESIDENT FOUGHT TO BETTER PROTECT:

CHILDREN

- **Keeping the Guarantee of Medicaid.** Preserves the Federal guarantee of Medicaid coverage for the vulnerable populations who depend on it and contains additional investments to extend coverage to uninsured children.

LEGAL IMMIGRANTS WITH DISABILITIES

- **Current Recipients.** Restores both SSI and Medicaid benefits for immigrants now receiving assistance who became disabled, ensuring that they will not be turned out of their apartments or nursing homes or otherwise left to an uncertain fate.
- **Current Resident Nonrecipients.** Does not change the rules retroactively. Immigrants who are already in the country, are not now receiving benefits and subsequently become disabled will also be fully eligible for SSI and Medicaid benefits.
- **New Entrants.** Partially restores SSI and Medicaid benefits for future arrivals who become disabled after entry--sponsor deeming will be applied with respect to both programs.
- **Children.** Restores SSI (and Medicaid) benefits for disabled legal immigrant children who are now in the country. For children who arrive in the future, sponsor deeming will be applied with respect to both SSI and Medicaid eligibility.
- **Refugees and Asylees.** Extends the SSI and Medicaid eligibility period for refugees and asylees from 5 years after entry (the limit in the welfare bill) to 7 years, in order to give these residents more time to naturalize.

PEOPLE WHO WANT TO WORK BUT CAN'T FIND A JOB

- **Childless adults.** Last year's welfare reform bill harshly restricted food stamps for able-bodied childless adults to only 3 out of every 36 months, unless they are working. This move ignored the fact that finding a job often takes time. The budget agreement adds \$750 million to the Food Stamp program, and redirects existing program funds, to create 190,000 new work slots for food stamp recipients subject to the "3 in 36" time limit.
- **Allows States to exempt up to 15 percent of the food stamp recipients who would otherwise be denied benefits as a result of the "3 in 36" limit.**

These two provisions together will preserve food stamps for approximately half of the able-bodied adults who, even though they are willing to work, would otherwise be ineligible for benefits.

FINISH THE JOB OF WELFARE REFORM

- **Additional resources for areas of particular need.** Adds \$2.0 billion to the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) block grant, to be targeted to high-poverty, high-unemployment areas. A share of the additional dollars will go directly to cities with large poverty populations. These resources will give States and cities the help they need to place welfare recipients living in the most disadvantaged areas into lasting jobs.

These funds could be used for wage subsidies to private employers, transportation and other post-employment supportive services essential for job retention, and other effective job creation and placement strategies.

- **Extra incentive for employers.** Most welfare recipients want to work. The agreement establishes an enhanced welfare-to-work tax credit, to provide private employers with an incentive to give recipients a chance.

The welfare-to-work tax credit in the budget agreement would allow employers to claim a credit of up to 50 percent of the first \$10,000 in wages paid during a year to a worker who had been on welfare for a prolonged period of time. The credit is available for up to two years per worker, giving employers an incentive to not just hire, but make efforts to retain long-term welfare recipients.

In addition, expands the existing work opportunity tax credit (WOTC) to include, as one of the eligible populations, individuals subject to the "3 in 36" food stamp limit.