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RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Melinda D. Haskins (CN=Melinda D. Haskins/OU=OMB/O=EOP [OMB])

CREATION DATE/TIME:11-APR-1997 08:43:38.00

SUBJECT: Comments on LRM MDH49: HHS Letter on S. 459 due ASAP

TO: Diana Fortuna (CN=Diana Fortuna/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: Dawn M. Chirwa (CN=Dawn M. Chirwa/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Debra J. Bond (CN=Debra J. Bond/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [OMB])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Larry R. Matlack (CN=Larry R. Matlack/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [OMB])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Gary L. Bennethum (CN=Gary L. Bennethum/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [OMB])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Matthew McKearn (CN=Matthew McKearn/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [OMB])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Keith J. Fontenot (CN=Keith J. Fontenot/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [OMB])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Robert W. Schroeder (CN=Robert W. Schroeder/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Louisa Koch (CN=Louisa Koch/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [OMB])

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Catherine A. Poynton (CN=Catherine A. Poynton/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [OMB])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Wendy A. Taylor (CN=Wendy A. Taylor/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [OMB])

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: E. Irene James (CN=E. Irene James/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [OMB])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Edwin Lau (CN=Edwin Lau/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [OMB])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Cynthia M. Smith (CN=Cynthia M. Smith/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [OMB])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Please provide me with comments on LRM MDH49 -- HHS' letter on S. 459, which would amend the Native Americans Programs Act -- as soon as possible this morning. HHS has asked that OMB provide it with clearance to transmit this letter to the Hill today. Thank you.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:11-APR-1997 09:31:28.00

SUBJECT: Alicia Munnell's office just called...

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

asking where they could pick up the materials? I am not sure how to advise them since I do not know what they are interested in. Please let me know how to advise them or if you need to talk to Alicia or her assistant Lisa- their number is 55036 or 55879.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Nicole R. Rabner (CN=Nicole R. Rabner/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:11-APR-1997 09:57:03.00

SUBJECT:

TO: ELENA (Pager) #KAGAN (ELENA (Pager) #KAGAN [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

pls edit draft you have -- Melanne's comments are minor but she questions
child care package -Nicole

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:11-APR-1997 10:12:22.00

SUBJECT: Re: Deseg study Q&A

TO: Dawn M. Chirwa (CN=Dawn M. Chirwa/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

We could add that this year we have proposed a 90% increase in funding for desegregation training and advisory services under Title IV of the Civil Rights Act, re-establishing federal funding for State educational agency efforts to promote desegregation.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Kathleen M. Wallman (CN=Kathleen M. Wallman/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:11-APR-1997 10:22:05.00

SUBJECT: Re: products memo

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

If you would please call me on this and the children's health eo, I will tell you where I think things stand.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:11-APR-1997 10:29:57.00

SUBJECT: Prescription for reading event meeting at 3:30 pm today

TO: Evan Ryan (CN=Evan Ryan/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Ann T. Eder (CN=Ann T. Eder/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Tracy B. LaBrecque (CN=Tracy B. LaBrecque/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

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: Marsha E. Berry (CN=Marsha E. Berry/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: David Shipley (CN=David Shipley/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: June Shih (CN=June Shih/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Patricia Solis-Doyle (CN=Patricia Solis-Doyle/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Suzanne Dale (CN=Suzanne Dale/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])

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

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Barbara D. Woolley (CN=Barbara D. Woolley/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

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

TO: Steven A. Cohen (CN=Steven A. Cohen/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

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

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

TEXT:

There will be the first event meeting today at 3:30 pm in room 100 on the First Lady's Wednesday morning event announcing a national effort to prescribe reading to young children and ensure that children who come to the doctor have access to books. The POTUS will attend the event if the budget negotiations don't stop him.

Please attend as appropriate.

John Funderburke is the scheduler for this event but is out of the office until Monday.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Dawn M. Chirwa (CN=Dawn M. Chirwa/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:11-APR-1997 11:30:35.00

SUBJECT: FYI: Talking points on Hopwood.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

TEXT:

Education and Justice finally have agreement on language. These talking points went to the Press Office this morning. Education is sending a clarifying letter to Texas State Sen. Ellis today and is meeting with Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchinson today as well.

As was stated by the Justice Department in its amicus brief before the Supreme Court urging review of Hopwood, the Fifth Circuit panel held that educational institutions in the Fifth Circuit may not consider the race of applicants as a relevant factor in making its admission decisions.

The Administration believes that case was wrongly decided and in direct conflict with the Supreme Court's decision in Bakke. However, it is the position of the United States that, absent further judicial developments, Hopwood is binding law in the Fifth Circuit. [In an appropriate case, DoJ would urge the Fifth Circuit as a whole or the Supreme Court to overturn the panel's decision].

Outside the Fifth Circuit, we continue to believe that it is permissible for an educational institution to consider race in an appropriate manner in its admissions process, consistent with the Bakke decision.

Q: A letter sent by the Department of Education to a Texas legislator seems to indicate that Fifth Circuit schools are at risk of losing federal funds from the Department of Education for complying with Hopwood. Is this the case?

No. There has been some confusion on this issue based on mischaracterizations of Education's letter. To clarify: Educational institutions in the Fifth Circuit are not at risk of losing federal funds for complying with Hopwood. Nor has the federal government encouraged or

required any institution in the Fifth Circuit receiving federal funds to engage in race-conscious affirmative action that is inconsistent with the prohibitions in Hopwood. Education has repeatedly made these points in the past few days to clarify any confusion.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:11-APR-1997 13:18:10.00

SUBJECT: COURT DECISION ON TOBACCO RULE WON'T BE BEFORE APRIL 21

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

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

TO: Toby Donenfeld (CN=Toby Donenfeld/O=OVP @ OVP [UNKNOWN])
READ:UNKNOWN

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

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

TO: Jennifer D. Dudley (CN=Jennifer D. Dudley/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: Barbara D. Woolley (CN=Barbara D. Woolley/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Jim Kohlenberger (CN=Jim Kohlenberger/O=OVP @ OVP [UNKNOWN])
READ:UNKNOWN

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

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

TEXT:
per the Judge Osteen's recording.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:11-APR-1997 13:59:49.00

SUBJECT: Education Meeting

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Barry White (CN=Barry White/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [OMB])

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: William R. Kincaid (CN=William R. Kincaid/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: Gene B. Sperling (CN=Gene B. Sperling/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Melissa Green (CN=Melissa Green/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Jill M. Pizzuto (CN=Jill M. Pizzuto/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [OMB])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Instead of the regular weekly Education Strategy Meeting for Monday, April 14, we will be having a more focused meeting to discuss a possible initiative to provide incentives for people to go into teaching, to be announced at the Service Summit.

The time/location are the same: 4:30 p.m. in Bruce Reed's office.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:11-APR-1997 14:33:36.00

SUBJECT: I was faxed a letter to POTUS from 7 Democratic Senators re: legal immigra

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

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

The letter says in part "We are writing to commend your ongoing commitment to restore SSI, Medicaid and other benefits to legal immigrants, which were cut or eliminated through enactment of the 104th Congress' welfare reform initiative. As budget negotiations with Congress proceed, we are prepared to stand firmly with you to demand that key federal benefits to legal immigrants be restored." Signed by Senators Wellstone, Durbin, Kennedy, John Kerry, Bob Graham, Boxer, and Lautenberg.

If you don't already have a copy and want one, respond with your fax number.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Leanne A. Shimabukuro (CN=Leanne A. Shimabukuro/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])

CREATION DATE/TIME:11-APR-1997 15:00:09.00

SUBJECT: highlights from victims report

TO: Dennis K. Burke (CN=Dennis K. Burke/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

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

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

This is a really short description of the report, FYI. Report is going to the AG COB today. They are still finalizing the legislative proposal. Report also details our accomplishments on victims, as Rahm suggested.

1. Law Reforms:

Constitutional Amendment: Justice is working on Constitutional amendment with WH Counsel and Congress and hope to reach consensus in this session of Congress.

Legislative Proposal: Includes authorization for national automated victim information and notification system, additions to Federal victims' bill of rights and stronger restitution provisions. Also includes employment protections for victims attending proceedings on their case.

2. Administrative Reforms:

Revised AG guidelines for victims and witness assistance to assure higher standard of compliance with victims' rights responsibilities.

Convening a victims' rights working group.

Developing and implementing a comprehensive automative victims information and notification system.

Including compliance with victims' rights in workplans and performance appraisals of personnel who deal with victims.

Coordinating with other Federal agencies to ensure baseline of participation for victims. Plan to work with all Federal investigative agencies to develop victim-assistance strategies; will work with Federal judges to maximize victim participation in Federal criminal justice system.

Providing outreach to state and local officials (conferences, research, training). Identifying promising practices for victim assistance in areas like gang violence and hate crimes.

President Clinton Acts to
Expand Family and Medical Leave
April 12, 1997
— DRAFT —

- **Next week's White House Conference on Early Childhood Development and Learning: What New Research on The Brain Tells Us About Our Youngest Children** will explore new information that shows the importance of the first few years of life. It will underscore the need to ensure that parents who work outside the home can take some time off to make sure that their young children get the routine medical care they need, to find nurturing child care, and to participate in their children's education.
- **To assist families in meeting the needs of young children and other family members, the President called on Congress to pass legislation expanding the Family and Medical Leave Act.**
The FMLA currently allows workers to take up to 12 weeks unpaid leave to care for a newborn or adopted child, to attend to their own serious health needs, or to care for a seriously ill parent, child, or spouse. In June, 1996 President Clinton proposed to expand the Family and Medical Leave Act (FMLA) to allow workers to take unpaid hours off -- up to 24 hours a year -- for school and early childhood education activities, routine family medical care, and additional activities related to caring for an elderly relative.
- **Today President Clinton asked Federal agencies to implement his expanded leave policy immediately for Federal workers.** The President asked agencies to ensure employees can schedule and be granted up to 24 hours of unpaid leave for the following activities:
 - **School and early childhood education activities** -- to allow employees to participate in school activities directly related to the educational advancement of a child, including educational activities related to child care, Head Start programs, elementary school and secondary school. Parental involvement in a child's education is an important determinant of the child's success. Parents could use leave to attend parent-teacher conferences or meetings with child care providers, or to interview for a new school or child care facility.
 - **Routine family medical purposes** -- to allow parents to accompany children to routine medical or dental appointments, such as annual checkups or vaccinations.
 - **Elderly relatives' health and care needs** -- to allow employees to accompany an elderly relative to routine medical appointments or other professional services related to the care of the elderly relative, such as making arrangements for housing, meals, phones, banking services, and other similar activities.
- **The Family and Medical Leave Act Works.** The bipartisan Commission on Leave reported last year that more than 12 million American workers have taken leave for reasons covered by the FMLA since its enactment in 1993, and 40% of businesses covered by the law find that it's easy to administer and that it costs them little or nothing.
- **The Clinton Administration is Building a Family Friendly Federal Workplace.**
 - In 1994 the President signed the Federal Employees Family Friendly Leave Act allowing employees to use sick leave for routine medical appointments for family members.
 - Federal employers have authority now to approve employees' requests for time off for school activities, routine medical visits, and elder care. Today, the President asked the Federal agencies to ensure all federal employees have up to 24 hours of unpaid time off for these activities. and to honor employees' requests to use paid time of for these purposes.
 - Federal agencies are working with the Vice President's National Performance Review to

further family friendly work arrangements.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Sarah Farnsworth (CN=Sarah Farnsworth/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:11-APR-1997 17:04:37.00

SUBJECT: Draft layout for the WH Conference on Thursday- remember just a draft

TO: Mary Morrison (CN=Mary Morrison/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Phillip Caplan (CN=Phillip Caplan/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Kimberly H Tilley (CN=Kimberly H Tilley/O=OVP @ OVP [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Eric P. Hothem (CN=Eric P. Hothem/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

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TO: G N. Lattimore (CN=G N. Lattimore/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

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TO: Eli G. Attie (CN=Eli G. Attie/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])
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**WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE ON EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT & LEARNING: WHAT
NEW RESEARCH ON THE BRAIN TELLS US ABOUT OUR YOUNGEST CHILDREN**
Thursday, April 17, 1997

Conference Sessions: East Room
Lunch: State Dining Room
Reception: South Lawn

Guest invite time: 10 a.m.

PRINCIPAL time:

9:45 a.m.-10:25 a.m.	Guest Coffee in the Grand Foyer
10 00 a.m.-10:30 a.m.	POTUS and FLOTUS Briefing in the Map Room
10:35 a.m.-10:45 a.m.	Greet Panel I in the Blue Room
10:50 a.m.-1:00 p.m.	Session I in the East Room (Refer to separate breakdown)
1:20 p.m.-2:30 p.m.	Lunch in the State Dining Room (Closed Press) (FLOTUS only)
2:35 p.m.-2:45 p.m.	Greet Panel II in the Blue Room (POTUS, FLOTUS, VPOTUS, MEG)
2:45 p.m.-4:30 p.m.	Session II in the East Room (Refer to separate breakdown)
5:15 p.m.-5:45 p.m. (T)	Remarks to Reception guests on the South Lawn (Closed Press -t)

TBD Set up in the East Room. (Satellite/seating order/press/whca - tbd visuals)
Satellite contact: Laura Schwartz

9:30 a.m. East Visitor Gate opens for guest arrival. Guests proceed to the Grand Foyer for coffee and juice until time to be seated in the East Room. *List contact: Kim Widdess*

tbd Panel participants arrive at tbd/location and are taken to tbd/location for briefing and run thru by Pauline? ** Who is taking care of the participants?

10:00 a.m. Principal Briefing in the Map Room. (Need list of participants and agenda.)

10:15 a.m. Panel participants are escorted to the Blue Room. (Contact: tbd)

10:30 a.m. Guests are seated in the East Room by Social Aides. Panel participants are escorted to the Blue Room. (Seating order: tbd/contact Panel details: arrival point/contact/names)

10:35 a.m. **The President and the First Lady** arrive in the Blue Room to greet the panel participants. (Refer to separate list - need Blue Room list.; Contact: tbd)

10:45 a.m. Panel participants are announced into the East Room and proceed to seats at table.

The President and the First Lady are announced into the East Room and proceed to seats at the table.

**** Panel seating order to be provided by Nicole/Pauline - Draft ready on Tuesday.**

10:50 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

SESSION I:

SESSION I:	
10:50 -11 a.m	The First Lady delivers remarks and introduces the President.
11-11:15 a.m.	The President delivers remarks.
11:15-11:20 a.m.	Dr. David Hamburg, President, Carnegie Corporation of New York, delivers brief remarks and introduces the next three panelists who speak in order.
11:20-11:55 a.m.	Three Consecutive Presentations by: - Dr. Donald Cohen, Director, Yale Child Study Center (behavioral development) - Dr. Carla Shatz, University of California, Berkeley (neuroscientific overview) - Dr. Patricia Kuhl, University of Washington (language/cognitive development) (Each presenter has 5 min.)
11:55 a.m.-12 p.m.	TBD: either Dr. Hamburg or Mrs. Clinton begins question/answer session with three of the panelists.
12 p.m.-12:45 p.m.	Q&A Session with the following panelists: (Questions by POTUS/FLOTUS) - Dr. Ezra Davidson, Drew University of Medicine (obstetrician) - Dr. T. Berry Brazelton, Harvard University (pediatrician) - Dr. Deborah Phillips, National Research Council (child care/early education)
12:45 p.m.-1:00 p.m.	Closing remarks by the First Lady and the President (to confirm)

Satellite Note: Satellite time ends at 1:10 p.m.

1:00 p.m. Upon conclusion of the first session, **the President and the First Lady** depart the East Room.

Guests will be directed to the State Dining Room for lunch. (20 min break before lunch) Guests will receive escort cards prior to entering the State Dining Room.

1:20 p.m. **The First Lady** proceeds to table in the State Dining Room for lunch.

1:20 p.m.-2:30 p.m. **LUNCH IN THE STATE DINING ROOM**
Staff Contacts: Tracy Labrecque, Robyn Dickey

FORMAT:

- Seated lunch. Seating contact: Tracy, tbd (Pauline/Jen - who's doing this?)
- Closed Press
- Max. 130 guests
- TBD: Open Issue of closing remarks by a Congressional Member or Governor

2:30 p.m. Upon conclusion of lunch, guests are directed to their seats in the East Room. (20 min. break)

2:40 p.m. Session II panelists arrive in the Blue Room. (Contact: Pauline? Nicole? Who will be taking care of them - briefing prior to day?)

2:45 p.m. **The President and the First Lady** arrive in the Blue Room to greet the panelists for the second session. (TBD: Vice President and Mrs. Gore may participate in the second session - awaiting confirmation from schedulers.)

2:55 p.m. Session II panelists are announced into the East Room and proceed to seats at table.

The President and the First Lady (and the VPOTUS/MEG if confirmed) are announced into the East Room and proceed to seats at the table.

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3:00 p.m.-4:30 p.m. **SESSION II**

SESSION II	
3:00 p.m.-3:10 p.m.	Opening remarks by tbd.
3:10 p.m.-4:15 p.m.	The First Lady makes remarks and moderates question and answer session with the following panelists: - 5 panelists (need names/titles)
4:15 p.m.-4:30 p.m.	Closing remarks by the First Lady and the President.
4:30 p.m.	The President and the First Lady depart.

4:00 p.m. East Visitors Gate opens for guest arrival. Guests hold in the East Garden before proceeding to the South Lawn. (Invitation time is 4:30 p.m.) (Refer to separate layout.)

4:30 p.m. **The President and the First Lady** proceed to the Residence until time for the reception. (The Vice President and Mrs. Gore tbd - awaiting decisions from scheduling)

4:30 p.m. Conference participants depart the East Room for the South Lawn.

4:30 p.m.-6:30 p.m. **RECEPTION ON THE SOUTH LAWN**

Approx. 400 guests
Closed Press (to confirm w/press office)

5:15 p.m.-5:45 p.m. (Tbd) **The President and the First Lady** arrive in the Diplomatic Reception Room for announcement onto the South Lawn.

The President and the First Lady are announced onto the South Lawn and proceed to stage in the tent.

Remarks: Program TBD

- The First Lady makes remarks and introduces the President.
- The President makes remarks.
- The President and the First Lady depart the South Lawn.

(To discuss: any other speakers?)

6:30 p.m. Guests depart the South Lawn via the East Gate.

CONFERENCE SESSION NOTE - OEOB 450 ELEMENT

Contact: Ann Eder

Approx. 150 guests will watch Session I in the OEOB Rm 450 via Satellite. They will not participate in Session II, but will return for the Reception. TBD Cabinet Sec. will welcome the guests before the Conference begins.

REGIONAL SATELLITE SITES

Contact: Kris Balderston

There will be approx. 50 (confirm number) locations - 26 states- watching Session I via satellite. Session II will not be shown via satellite. The Regional sites will have their own Session II.

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SET UP NOTES

EAST ROOM - CONFERENCE SESSIONS (Same set up for both sessions)

Max: 130 participants, including panelists and Principals
Max: 9 panelists at table (including POTUS, FLOTUS) for both sessions
Pool press w/rotating print media
Live Satellite for Session I only

- 15x24 Stage w/steps on the side and rear at the South end of the East Room with a long, straight table to seat maximum of 9.
- WHCA: Table mics for each person. Announce mic from the Green Room.
- 120 seats in audience w/center aisle.
- Press set up at north end of the East Room. Press will enter from the Northeast room door. Cutaway location tbd. No cabling in front of the Cross Hall doors. Approx. 15 chairs for press inside the press area.
- Panelists and Principals enter from the South Green Room door.

SEATING ORDER FOR PANELISTS: to come from Pauline and Nicole after being vetted by all interested.

RESERVED SEATING for audience:

- Members of Congress, Cabinet Members, Elected Officials

STATE DINING ROOM LUNCH

- Seated lunch.
- Two options for guest seating:
 - Everyone seated by name
 - Seat Mrs. Clinton's table, table hosts for all tables and then random seating (have guests draw table numbers as they enter the SDR)
- WHCA: toast lectern/pa available for remarks by Mrs. Clinton
- Escort card table at entrance to the State Dining Room
- TBD music for lunch

SOUTH LAWN RECEPTION

Closed Press (to be confirmed)

Approx. 400 guests

Marine Band or Combo in the tent (not on balcony because of conference - or we wait until conf ends)

Stage 10x16 w/steps on side and back for remarks - stanchioned buffer

Guests enter from East Garden

Buffet set up w/tables per discussions w/Ann/Tracy

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Michael Waldman (CN=Michael Waldman/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:11-APR-1997 17:22:54.00

SUBJECT: query re: FMLA extension

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

TO: Anne H. Lewis (CN=Anne H. Lewis/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
READ:UNKNOWN

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

TEXT:

Is it true that the FMLA extension will allow a parent to use the time off to find quality child care for the child? We always said it was for a regularly scheduled doctor's appointment, or for a parent teacher conference. This suggests that you could use it to shop around for day care, etc.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:11-APR-1997 18:02:18.00

SUBJECT: Galston

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

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

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Just hooked up with him to get his advice on summit speech. He said he thought we are being way too timid in general these days, saying "what have we got to lose," and pointed to the radio address not calling for the Maryland graduate requirement to go nation-wide as an example. He said that, instead of searching for another minor executive action for the summit speech, we should consider building on and expanding something big that we have already announced -- i.e., talking about next steps on America Reads, which is in danger of disappearing from public view.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:11-APR-1997 18:46:00.00

SUBJECT: Final fact sheet for FMLA radio address

TO: Anne H. Lewis (CN=Anne H. Lewis/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])

READ:UNKNOWN

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

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

READ:UNKNOWN

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

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

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**President Clinton Acts to
Expand Family and Medical Leave**
April 12, 1997

To assist families in meeting the needs of young children and other family members, the President called on Congress to pass legislation expanding the Family and Medical Leave Act. The FMLA currently allows workers to take up to 12 weeks unpaid leave to care for a newborn or adopted child, to attend to their own serious health needs, or to care for a seriously ill parent, child, or spouse. In June, 1996 President Clinton proposed to expand the Family and Medical Leave Act (FMLA) to allow workers to take unpaid hours off -- up to 24 hours a year -- for school and early childhood education activities, routine family medical care, and additional activities related to caring for an elderly relative.

Today President Clinton asked Federal agencies to implement his expanded leave policy immediately for Federal workers. The President asked agencies to ensure employees can take up to 24 hours of unpaid leave for the following activities:

- **School and early childhood education activities** -- to allow employees to participate in school activities directly related to the educational advancement of their child, including child care and Head Start activities. Parental involvement in a child's education is an important determinant of the child's success. Parents could use leave to attend parent-teacher conferences or meetings with child care providers, or to interview for a new school or child care facility.
- **Routine family medical or dental appointments** -- to allow parents to accompany children to routine medical or dental visits, such as annual checkups or vaccinations.
- **Elderly relatives' health and care needs** -- to allow employees to accompany an elderly relative to routine medical or dental appointments or other professional services related to the elderly relative's care, such as interviewing nursing or group homes.

The Family and Medical Leave Act Works. Based on data in a 1996 report of the bipartisan Commission on Leave, more than 12 million American workers have taken leave for reasons covered by the FMLA since the law's enactment in 1993, and 90% of businesses covered by the law find that it's easy to administer and that it costs them little or nothing.

The Clinton Administration is Building a Family Friendly Federal Workplace.

- In 1994 the President signed the Federal Employees Family Friendly Leave Act allowing employees to use sick leave for routine medical appointments for family members. The President's action today allows employees to take time off for this purpose even when sick leave is unavailable.
- Federal employers have discretion now to approve employees' requests for time off for school activities, routine medical visits, and elder care. Today, the President urged Federal supervisors to exercise their discretion on a routine basis -- to the fullest extent possible -- to give their employees up to 24 hours of unpaid leave for these activities.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Nicole R. Rabner (CN=Nicole R. Rabner/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:11-APR-1997 19:35:19.00

SUBJECT:

TO: ELENA (Pager) #KAGAN (ELENA (Pager) #KAGAN [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

pls call nicole and pauline at 67263 re: memo

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April 11, 1997

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: Bruce Reed
Melanne Verveer
Elena Kagan

RE: White House Conference on Early Childhood Development and Learning

As you know, on April 17th, you and the First Lady will host the *White House Conference on Early Childhood Development and Learning: What New Research on the Brain Tells Us About Our Youngest Children*.

Attached as background reading are three documents that discuss recent scientific research on the brain and the implications of this research for parents, caregivers and policy-makers.

- *Starting Points*, Carnegie's seminal 1994 study on the first few years of life;
- *Rethinking the Brain*, the Family and Work Institute's 1997 report which will be released next week; and
- *Newsweek's* Special Edition, *Your Child*, which is about to hit the stands.

You will also be receiving a memorandum that provides you with a general overview of the Conference.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Richard Socarides (CN=Richard Socarides/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:12-APR-1997 13:02:12.00

SUBJECT: Bill would add straights to Chicago DP benefits law

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

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Doug.Case @ sdsu.edu
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To: Richard Socarides

cc:

Subject: Bill would add straights to Chicago DP benefits law

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JONES PUSHES HEALTH CARE BENEFITS
FOR HETEROSEXUAL LIVE-IN COUPLES [Excerpt]
by Chinta Strausberg

Seeking fairness for all city workers, Ald. Virgil Jones (15th) Thursday began lobbying for passage of a bill that would allow heterosexual city couples who live together to obtain health benefits just as their same-sex peers.

Jones said his bill, when passed, would amend the same sex Domestic Partner Act that allows gay and lesbian city worker[s] to have city health insurance.

Ald. Jones said many women "take care of a man's children and that's an honorable profession being a homemaker. That's a job in itself and if you have that kind of job, don't you think they should receive some kind of benefits?"

Jones said all children "are born of a legitimate, not illegitimate act" and denied he and the other aldermen are promoting immorality by pushing the legislation.

"We have to wait and see the financial impact and whether there's any litigation that's filed" from the passage of a similar bill for gay and lesbian city workers who are living together, Finance Chairman Alds. Edward M. Burke (14th) said.

"When African Americans did not choose to marry and lived common-law, we still acquired (joint) bank accounts and charge cards, but they still did not allow us to get insurance with that city employee," Ald. Carrie Austin (34th) said.

"If you're going to allow city health benefits for same-sex partners, then

it's only fair to allow it for unmarried heterosexual couples."

Austin said when she got remarried she "went through heck and high

water"

with the administration to get her husband on her insurance, including a brief interruption of coverage.

"Why should I have to go through all that when they (same-sex partners) only have to sign an affidavit?" Austin queried.

"I think we should have universal healthcare," Ald. Walter Burnett Jr. (27th) said, adding that in the interim, allowing city health benefits should

be afforded unmarried heterosexual couples.

He denied the aldermen would be sending the wrong message to children if this bill is approved. Burnett said the issue is a "double-edged sword.

"It's prevalent in the African American community ... a lot of people stay

together, take care of each other, but don't get married," Burnett stated.

"A lot of women in our community have children from other relationships and

fathers aren't around. They're dead, in jail."

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RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:13-APR-1997 22:33:31.00

SUBJECT: Parent on Panel 2 of WH Conference

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])

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Over the weekend, I spoke with a mother in the Army who could be put on Panel 2, but if we are not promoting DoD so much, Melanne thought it better if we not put her on the Panel. The woman I spoke with would be fine, but not add all that much.

As a result, my latest idea is to find a parent (in the next 24 hours) who started an Early Childhood PTA in order to share information with other parents of children 0-5 and get involved in their child's child care or preschool program. According to Eliz Drye, the POTUS was very excited about early childhood PTAs when he heard about them on his trip to Georgia after the SOTU. I like the idea for several reasons, including because it is not a low-income initiative and would reinforce our message that this is for everyone. What do you think?

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:14-APR-1997 10:48:51.00

SUBJECT: Kick Butts day remarks

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Michael Waldman (CN=Michael Waldman/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

HHS/FDA staff are getting more nervous about the content we discussed -- just a general strategy (not legal) concern that the President shouldn't be too tough on advertising and kids at this juncture. I talked to Bill Corr and asked that they refrain from panic until they see a draft. He was o.k. with that. Please let me know when you have a draft and I'll get it to HHS/FDA/Justice.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:14-APR-1997 12:40:59.00

SUBJECT: Hispanic Caucus meeting Wednesday

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

READ:UNKNOWN

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

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

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Janet Murguia says that Rep. Gutierrez, who is the Hispanic Caucus' point person on welfare reform, will push the President on Wednesday to give a speech or do an event regarding restoring benefits to legal immigrants. He has introduced a bill of his own which reinstates all benefits and has asked the White House for our language so he can compare our plan with his.

Our current plan is to hold our language.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:14-APR-1997 14:21:31.00

SUBJECT: 4-14-97 Cabinet Memo (internal)

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

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AGRICULTURE

Tomorrow- The Secretary will attend the Enterprise Zone Conference in Detroit.

COMMERCE

Today - The Secretary will attend a G-7 meeting in Colorado. He will interview with the Rocky Mountain News and other local papers.

Tomorrow - The Secretary will meet with the German Telecommunications Minister.

Wednesday - The Secretary will address the U.S. - India Business Roundtable.

Thursday - The Department will release this month's international trade numbers.

ONDCP

Tomorrow - The Director will meet with the governors of Iowa and Kentucky in their states. He will meet with the Louisville Courier editorial board.

EDUCATION

Today - The Secretary will attend a Goals 2000 event with Sen. Jeffords and Gov. Dean in New Hampshire.

Tomorrow - The Secretary will participate in a charter schools event.

EPA

Tomorrow - The Administrator will testify before the House Appropriations committee re: FY98 budget.

HHS

Today - The Secretary will attend the World Economic Forum.

HHS will release an "Atlas of Mortality" which details death statistics throughout the country.

Tomorrow - The Secretary will attend the Charles Young retirement dinner.

HUD

Today - The Secretary will accompany the VP to the Empowerment Zone conference.

INTERIOR

Today - The Secretary addressed the Western States Land Commission this morning.

Tomorrow - He will depart for the Western Samoa Islands.

OMB

No public events.

OPM

No public events.

TRANSPORTATION

Tomorrow - The Secretary will address the National Conference of Building Construction and Trade.

TREASURY

Today - The Secretary will hold a press conference re: tax simplification. He is also scheduled to appear live on MSNBC at 1:30 pm.

USIA

No public events.

USTR

No public events.

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RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Sarah S. Freeman (CN=Sarah S. Freeman/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:14-APR-1997 14:25:13.00

SUBJECT: Abortion Clinic Access letter

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Elena,

Jenn Klein said I should talk to you about updating the Abortion Clinic Access/Violence form letter. I'm not sure how to handle the paragraph on FACE (highlighted in blue). Can you help with this? thanks.

the current Abortion Clinic Violence/Access form letter
Thank you for your letter.

I am concerned about violence against abortion clinics. As a nation committed to the rule of law, we cannot allow vigilantes to restrict the rights of American women. No person seeking medical care and no physician providing that care should have to endure harassment, threats, or intimidation.

While the Freedom of Access to Clinic Entrances Act makes it a federal crime for protesters to use force or physical obstruction with the intention of injuring, intimidating, or interfering with individuals seeking or providing abortion-related services, it does protect the right to peaceful assembly.

Personal privacy is a fundamental liberty protected by the Constitution. The right to privacy includes the freedom to make difficult and intensely personal decisions regarding abortion, without governmental interference. I support a woman's constitutional right to make this difficult decision, but I believe that we must reduce the need for abortion. By providing better family planning services and improved education programs, we can help reduce the number of abortions. In addition, I believe that abstinence and sex education should be taught.

I hope that our common concerns for the future of America will unite us. I appreciate your sincerity and your candor.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Irene Yeh (CN=Irene Yeh/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])

CREATION DATE/TIME:14-APR-1997 15:02:52.00

SUBJECT: Mtg with Dennis Rivera and Kenneth Raske

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Toby Donenfeld (CN=Toby Donenfeld/O=OVP @ OVP [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

The meeting with Dennis Rivera and Kenneth Raske has been rescheduled from Thursday, April 17th at 2pm to Tuesday, April 22nd at 2pm in Room 216. Please let me know whether or not you can attend. Thanks!

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Nicole R. Rabner (CN=Nicole R. Rabner/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:14-APR-1997 15:35:39.00

SUBJECT: SPEECH MEETING TODAY

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

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

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

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

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

TEXT:

Melanne is holding speechwriting meeting today at 6pm in her office -- rm 100. Caroline will participate by speaker phone. Please let me know if you cannot attend. Thanks.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Irene Yeh (CN=Irene Yeh/OU=OPD/O=EOP [OPD])

CREATION DATE/TIME:14-APR-1997 16:37:16.00

SUBJECT: Meeting with Dennis Rivera and Ken Raske

TO: Toby Donenfeld (CN=Toby Donenfeld/O=OVP @ OVP [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

The meeting has been rescheduled for Friday, April 25th, 2pm, Room 211.

Let me know if there are any conflicts. Thanks!

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (EXTERNAL MAIL)

CREATOR: Cynthia A. Rice@EOP@LNGTWY@EOPMRX

CREATION DATE/TIME:14-APR-1997 18:34:00.00

SUBJECT: Options for \$3 billion

TO: Bruce N. Reed (Bruce N. Reed@EOP@LNGTWY@EOPMRX)
READ:NOT READ

TO: Elena Kagan (Elena Kagan@EOP@LNGTWY@EOPMRX)
READ:NOT READ

CC: Mazur_M (Mazur_M@A1@CD) (WHO)
READ:15-APR-1997 09:10:42.57

CC: Lyn A. Hogan (Lyn A. Hogan@EOP@LNGTWY@EOPMRX)
READ:NOT READ

TEXT:
Message Creation Date was at 14-APR-1997 18:25:00

Attached is a list of options for \$3 billion that Lyn and Mark Mazur and I each contributed to. Mark is preparing more detail by tomorrow on costs of various child care options, as noted on the page.

===== ATTACHMENT 1 =====

ATT CREATION TIME/DATE:14-APR-1997 18:35:00.00

ATT BODYPART TYPE:D

TEXT:
The following attachments were included with this message:

TYPE : FILE
NAME : 3bi0414.97

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ATT CREATION TIME/DATE:14-APR-1997 18:35:00.00

ATT BODYPART TYPE:p

ATT SUBJECT: 3bi0414

TEXT:
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Options

- 1) Funds in 1999-2002 to help long-term recipients in high unemployment/high poverty areas go to work and keep jobs. Funds would be added to TANF but earmarked for work.
- 2) Funds in 1999-2002 to help long-term recipients in high unemployment/high poverty areas go to work and keep jobs. Funds would be available only if majority of states did not meet work participation rates in prior year. Funds would be added to TANF, earmarked for work.
- 3) Enhanced tax credit for firms that hire long term welfare recipients--fund would pay firm's share of FICA taxes for individuals hired and retained.
- 4) Funds for vouchers for training, job creation, and job placement to help long-term recipients in high unemployment/high poverty areas go to work and keep jobs. Funds would be added to TANF, earmarked for vouchers for individuals.
- 5) Funds in Title XX Social Services block grant, which states could use for work or child care.
- 6) Child Care:
 - a) Make Child and Dependent Care Tax Credit refundable. Cost: bet. \$2-\$5 billion. (Mark Mazur costing specific options by 4/15.)
 - b) Increase the Child and Dependent Care Tax Credit amount to \$3,600 for one child and \$5,400 for two. Increase could be phased in over time. (Mark Mazur costing specific options by 4/15.)
 - c) \$1.4 billion through 2002 for working poor families that CBO says is needed to keep them from getting short-changed by welfare reform (Dodd-Daschle). (This week, CBO is redoing its analysis of the shortfall -- dollar amount would change accordingly.)
 - d) Tax credit to companies for costs of building, renovating and/or operating child care centers (50% credit for eligible activities up to \$150,000 per year per business). Cost: \$2.6 billion (Kohl). (Because this proposal would subsidize already operating centers, Mark Mazur is developing an option that would subsidize only the expansion or creation of new centers, which would cost less.)
 - e) Loan forgiveness tax credit in President's budget which could be used for

individuals becoming child care workers. Cost: minimal.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Michael Waldman (CN=Michael Waldman/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:14-APR-1997 20:11:35.00

SUBJECT:

TO: ELENA (Pager) #KAGAN (ELENA (Pager) #KAGAN [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

pls call waldman

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Richard Socarides (CN=Richard Socarides/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-APR-1997 12:12:33.00

SUBJECT: Barney Frank

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Let me know when you have spoken with him. Thanks.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Nicole R. Rabner (CN=Nicole R. Rabner/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-APR-1997 12:30:11.00

SUBJECT: Dod language

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

New Language for the second bullet on the exec memo:

II. Establish "Child Care Masters Programs" in the Military Services, in which model military child care centers serve as training centers for civilian child care providers. These programs could demonstrate effective practices for child care centers, family child care homes and school-age facilities throughout the United States. Training in the area of infant and toddler care would be particularly beneficial.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Nicole R. Rabner (CN=Nicole R. Rabner/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-APR-1997 12:30:39.00

SUBJECT:

TO: ELENA (Pager) #KAGAN (ELENA (Pager) #KAGAN [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

I sent by e-mail a new bullet on masters programs -Nicole

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-APR-1997 12:49:55.00

SUBJECT:

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

TEXT:

I think we should get together for a few minutes before the "walk through" meeting with HRC tomorrow at 5. How about 4:30?

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Tracy B. LaBrecque (CN=Tracy B. LaBrecque/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-APR-1997 12:56:32.00

SUBJECT: seating for Thursday's luncheon

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

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Katharine Button (CN=Katharine Button/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

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CC: Sarah Farnsworth (CN=Sarah Farnsworth/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

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CC: Kim B. Widdess (CN=Kim B. Widdess/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Robyn G. Dickey (CN=Robyn G. Dickey/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Per Ann and Melanne's conversation this morning about the seating for the luncheon on Thursday - - we will only seat Mrs. Clinton's table and Mrs. Gore's (if she attends).

The rest of the luncheon seating will be by random drawing with one assigned administration representative at each table to be the table host. We have used this format many times and it works very well.

Please let me know the suggestions for Mrs. Clinton's and Mrs. Gore's tables.

Also please give me a call if you have any questions on this arrangement.

Thanks!

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Eli G. Attie (CN=Eli G. Attie/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-APR-1997 13:30:06.00

SUBJECT: A few ideas for names for new law enforcement/early childhood program

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

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

A few ideas, as requested by Pauline:

Cops For Kids

Law Enforcement Partnership For Kids

Police Partnership For Kids

Child Protection Partnership

Early Childhood Protection Initiative

Protecting Our Children

Police Protecting Our Children

Safe Homes, Strong Children

Safe Start

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-APR-1997 14:18:04.00

SUBJECT: Auto Executives Meeting

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

READ:UNKNOWN

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

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

TEXT:

The Big 3 Auto Executives Meeting is being rescheduled. Scheduling would like to confirm the date of May 20. Please let me know asap if there are any problems with this date.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-APR-1997 14:41:11.00

SUBJECT: 4-15-97 Cabinet Memo (internal)

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

TO: William R. Kincaid (CN=William R. Kincaid/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [OPD])
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TO: WEINSTEIN_P (WEINSTEIN_P @ A1 @ CD @ LNGTWY [EOP]) (OPD)
READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

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AGRICULTURE

Today - The Secretary will attend the Enterprise Zone Conference in Detroit. He will also announce a rural business grant.

COMMERCE

Tomorrow - The Secretary will address the U.S. - India Business Roundtable.
Thursday - The Department will release this month's international trade numbers.

ONDCP

Today - The Director will attend the Iowa governor's conference. He will meet with the Louisville Courier editorial board and hold a press conference after a meeting with US Attorneys in Kentucky.

DEFENSE

Today - The Secretary will attend the Western Hemisphere Conference in Miami.
Tomorrow - The Secretary will deliver a speech at VMI. There will be no press coverage of this event.

EPA

Today - The Administrator will testify before the House Appropriations committee re: FY98 budget.

HHS

Today - HHS will announce a new health-oriented website.

HUD

Today - The Secretary will accompany the VP to the Empowerment Zone conference.

INTERIOR

Today - The Secretary will depart for the Western Samoa Islands.

TRANSPORTATION

Today - The Secretary will attend the Jackie Robinson event.
Tomorrow - He will attend the Empowerment Zone conference in Detroit. He will also attend a seatbelt safety event.

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RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-APR-1997 14:49:35.00

SUBJECT: Feedback on photos?

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

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

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

TEXT:

I need to get the photos enlarged asap. Please let me know what you think of them. I'm at x6-5165.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Kathleen M. Wallman (CN=Kathleen M. Wallman/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-APR-1997 14:51:22.00

SUBJECT: Children's EO

TO: KAGAN_E (KAGAN_E @ A1 @ CD @ LNGTWY [EOP]) (OPD)

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Bradley M. Campbell (CN=Bradley M. Campbell/OU=CEQ/O=EOP @ EOP [CEQ])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

It was suggested to me by Commerce that you might want to give the agencies some guidance about what to say when they are asked on the occasion of the release of the EO about how it will affect them. Commerce's impression is that some agencies may say that it doesn't affect them. This could detract from the message if not handled sensitively.

Draft response to Letter from Democrats on National Uniform Standards Legislation

Dear <salutation>,

Thank you for your letter of March 14 on legislation to create national uniform standards for some types of securities litigation. I agree that it is an important topic. The new regime put in place by the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act is still unfolding, and I believe that we should study all the available data to see whether there is a need for further action at this time. In that connection, the Securities and Exchange Commission [has just] issued a report that I asked them to prepare for me and for Congress assessing the impact of last year's legislation. Other studies also have been done. My Administration will be reviewing the data to assess the need for further legislation at this time, and we will want to talk with you and work with you as we do that.

DRAFT DRAFT

Enhancing Protection of Children's Health
April 16, 1997

Vice President Gore today announced an executive order to reduce environmental health and safety risks to children. For the first time, federal agencies will be required to assign high priority to addressing these risks, to coordinate their research priorities on children's health, and to ensure that their standards take into account special risks to children. The executive order, which President Clinton signed today, includes the following actions:

- ***Strengthen Policies to Protect Children.*** The executive order requires all agencies to make the protection of children a high priority in implementing their statutory responsibilities and fulfilling their overall missions.
- ***Improve Research and other Initiatives to Protect Children.*** The proposed executive order would create an interagency task force to establish a coordinated research agenda, to identify research and other initiatives the Administration will take to advance the protection of children's environmental health and safety, and to enlist public input for these efforts.
- ***Ensure that New Safeguards Consider Special Risks to Children.*** The executive order would, for the first time, require agencies to analyze and explain the effects of their rules on children. When a major regulation addresses special risks to children, agencies would have to 1) consider disproportionate impacts on children; and 2) explain why their proposed action is preferable to other alternatives. The primary goal of this provision is to link policy decisions to the emerging science regarding children's environmental health and safety. This provision ensures accountability to the public and helps agencies identify their research needs.

BACKGROUND

There is a growing body of evidence, highlighted by a 1993 study by the National Academy of Sciences (NAS) on the exposure of children to pesticides, demonstrating that children are at disproportionate risk from environmental health, and safety risks. The report also concludes that federal regulatory standards often fail to consider these risks fully.

These disproportionate risks stem from several fundamental differences between children and adults, in terms of physiology and activity. Children are still developing, and thus are neurologically and immunologically more susceptible to certain risks. Children eat, drink and breathe more for their weight, exposing them to greater amounts of contamination and pollution for their weight. Children are less able to protect themselves by use of judgment and skill (e.g. navigating traffic, reading and following warnings). Concurrent with their recognition of these factors, scientists have

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documented an alarming increase in the incidence of conditions in children that may be linked to environmental health and safety risks. These include childhood cancer, leukemia, and asthma, as well as childhood deaths and injuries from accidents.

President Clinton has taken bold action to respond to the challenge posed by this new science. President Clinton's initiatives resulted in explicit protection for children in the Food Quality Protection Act and Safe Drinking Water Act; development of new standards for passive restraints in cars that are more protective of children; and administrative action to protect children from tobacco, lead, and other hazards. Each of these initiatives responds to major threats to children that are of major concerns to American families.

These successes highlight the need for an overall, coordinated approach to children's issues that highlights their priority, coordinates federal research, and ensures that federal standards consistently account for disproportionate risks to children. Today's executive order, developed through extensive consultation with affected agencies, would fill this gap with provisions to address each of these areas.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Eli G. Attie (CN=Eli G. Attie/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-APR-1997 16:52:04.00

SUBJECT: CEA Early Childhood Report

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

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

FYI -- Michelle Jolin of CEA is concerned that the current plans for Thursday's conference don't include any distribution of their report on the importance of early childhood investments. Since the report doesn't have any news in it, it's hard to justify building it up very much, but Michelle feels that since they did it specifically to help out with the conference (at Sperling's request, I believe), it should at least be available...

I don't have an opinion on this (although the report seems fairly harmless and non-controversial); what do you think?

Eli

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-APR-1997 17:42:24.00

SUBJECT: state consultation

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:

doesn't seem like the states can do Friday so we need to shoot for
thursday. is there any time you can do it? is it ok for cynthia to do it?

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Nicole R. Rabner (CN=Nicole R. Rabner/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-APR-1997 17:58:08.00

SUBJECT: jan katz

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Jan Katz did write in and so received our standard letters from correspondence -- first thanking for her interest, second providing satellite site locations.

Nicole

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-APR-1997 17:59:36.00

SUBJECT:

TO: ELENA (Pager) #KAGAN (ELENA (Pager) #KAGAN [UNKNOWN])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Carol Browner is asking about e.o. Call Gary 260-7960 asap

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Nicole R. Rabner (CN=Nicole R. Rabner/OU=WHO/O=EOP [WHO])

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-APR-1997 18:13:49.00

SUBJECT: Updated regional site list - 82 in 30 states

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

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Alice J. Pushkar (CN=Alice J. Pushkar/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [WHO])

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

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Patricia F. Lewis
04/15/97 05:43:07 PM
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cc:
Subject: Updated regional site list - 82 in 30 states

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-APR-1997 18:46:05.00

SUBJECT: final 1-pager on prescription to read

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

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SEC REPORT ON SECURITIES LITIGATION

Background

The SEC is releasing to the public on Wednesday a report to the President and Congress on how last year's securities litigation legislation has played out.

The report was written at the President's request. He asked for it last year after the legislation went into effect over his veto. It examines questions like whether the number of federal court suits has gone down and what effect there has been on state court litigation.

The report's major conclusions are summarized in the attached two pages from the report. *(I would append pages 4 and 5.)*

Possible Questions and Answers

- Q. So does this mean that the President was wrong to veto the bill?
- A. No, it doesn't mean that. The President's veto was based on his concerns about whether the legislation would unfairly raise the bar for injured plaintiffs to get into court. We want to study the report to see what the SEC learned about how the pleading standards in the bill are operating in practice. The concern is still there; we want to see how it has played out.
- Q. During the campaign, the President told some Silicon Valley CEOs that he thought that California's Proposition 211 should be preempted if enacted. Some of the CEOs thought that he was gung-ho about this and wanted to do it right away, even if Prop 211 didn't pass. Where does he stand now, and what influence will this report have on his thinking?
- A. When he was in California, the President was speaking against the backdrop of Prop 211, which subsequently was roundly defeated. The SEC tried to answer the question of whether the Act had played out in a way that required further legislative action at this time. They concluded that this is not the case. If that case is to be made on the basis of other data, we certainly would listen, and White House staff, with the help of the agencies will do just that. Keep in mind, though, that the evidence would have to be pretty convincing to change a sixty-year-old division of responsibility between the states and the feds on the basis of one year's experience.
- Q. Who's in charge of this issue in the White House?
- A. Counsel's Office and the National Economic Council are coordinating the process.
- Q. Is the SEC involved?

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- A. They are involved as technical advisers to our process.

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Here's the background which I will condense for distribution.

Sheila Amaning:

Sheila is the Co-President of the Charlotte Mecklenburg Schools Early Childhood Parent Teachers Association. This Early Childhood PTA gives parents of pre-school age children the opportunity to share ideas with each other and become involved in their children's learning from the start. Sheila has participated in this Early Childhood PTA since it was first created almost three years ago. Last May, she became the Co-President. Sheila was awarded the States Advocates for Children's Award at the National PTA Convention in Washington, DC last June for her project which provided hospitals with a packet of materials on parenting that was distributed to new mothers. The packet included booklets such as "Helping your child to read," and "Helping your child on social studies."

Sheila worked for a local Community Development Partnership Project called "Success by Six," to provide information and guidance to parents of children under six years old. She currently works as a Family Involvement Coordinator for Childcare Resources, Inc., a non-profit organization which provides resources and referrals to parents of Mecklenburg county on child care, education, parenting, etc.

Her son, Asante, is now 5 years old.

She is a graduate of UNC Chapel Hill. She is married and her husband is a VP with Nationsbank.

Sheila will talk about the value of having a PTA for parents of 0-3 children

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**Crime Meeting Agenda
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Juvenile Justice Bill

Mark-up on House-side on Thursday?

Need an amendment strategy from Leg Affairs/ Fois

Conference -- we need an event proposal to review by the end of this week

Community Policing

We want Justice to draft a report on community policing being implemented across the country and show how it has been adopted in area that now have declining crime rates

How is Police Youth Academy initiative going? Service Summit is coming up -- we need a draft.

How did COPS appropriations hearing go yesterday?

We need letters that you have received critical of the block grant program

Meth Report

What stage is it at? Are we going to have new legislative items to announce?

Treasury Initiatives

GTOs -- "Geographic Targeting Orders" -- we want to announce at the beginning of President's Press Conference on 4/24 that he is directing Rubin to do this nationally.

Cali Cartel list -- Is Treasury going to announce on Thursday more names for the "Specially Designated Narcotics Trafficker" list?

Brady Form went to OMB on Monday?

Sex Offenders

We still want to do the directive

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Q&A on Prescription for Reading Partnership
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- Q What is the role of the federal government?
- A. This coalition came together in response to the First Lady's call in January and the President's America Reads Challenge. The First Lady held a meeting of nearly 20 groups and spoke repeatedly about the need for such an effort.
- Q. Is this a part of America Reads?
- A. Yes, we see it as part of America Reads. All efforts responding to the President's call to help ensure that third graders can read well are part of America Reads. The President's budget proposal contains funding both to support programs that help parents be their children's first teacher, and to help mobilize 1 million volunteers to tutor k-3 graders after school. This is the type of national effort that would be considered for America Reads Parents as First Teachers Challenge Grant funding.
- Q. Is this eligible for federal funding?
- A. Many of the individual members already receive federal funding, such as community health centers and libraries.
- Q. Is a new 501(c)3 forming to do this?
- A. No. The members making the initial commitments will form a steering committee to coordinate and implement their actions. They will develop a strategic plan in the next 4 weeks to guide their actions.
- Q. How will the books be distributed?
- A. Qualifying local programs will be shipped directly from the publishers. The partners will help them selected appropriate books for each age and community.
- Q. Who should people call for more information?
- A. There is an 800 number set up to answer people's questions and for people who want to get involved. The number is 1-800-905-4363. People can also be directed to any of the partnership's members, and especially its leaders:

First Book, 202-393-1222
Scholastic Books, 212-343-6586
Reach Out and Read, 617-534-5701

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- Q. What is the relationship of this Prescription for Reading Partnership and Reach Out and Read?
- A. The partnership will replicate and build on Reach Out and Read, and help build a community network around each Reach Out and Read program.
- Q. Is Scholastic's donation in addition to the 1 million they donated to America Reads under the volunteerism summit?
- A. The 100,000 is part of their commitment of 1 million books. Their pledge to match additional pledges of funding with books are in addition to the 1 million books.
- Q. Where will the other 900,000 books pledged for America Reads go?
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