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**[12/11/1998 - 12/15/1998]**



December 11, 1998

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: Bruce Reed  
Elena Kagan

RE: DPC Weekly Report

**Education -- National Education Goals Panel:** The National Education Goals Panel released its annual progress report on Dec. 10. The report, which summarized previously released data, highlighted improvements in the school readiness, math achievement, and the participation of women and minorities in math and science in higher education. The Goals Panel also had a lengthy discussion of the future of the goals and the goals panel. There is strong consensus on the panel that we should continue to pursue national education goals after 2000, especially since the goals will not be met by that deadline. There is also a pretty strong consensus to continue to have a bipartisan, intergovernmental reporting panel, though critical Republican members including Engler and Goodling were not present and have not weighed in on this. Finally, Sen. Bingaman urged that you convene a summit in order to elevate the national goals and reenergize the process started at the Charlottesville Summit. Gov. Hunt and members of the business community also argued for some kind of high profile process that would engage the American public and culminate in a set of national education goals. While these are appealing ideas and could conceivably help restore some measure of bipartisanship to the education debate, we and Secretary Riley believe that we must first determine that there will be significant support from Republican governors and Jeffords and Goodling before proceeding supporting any such effort by the Goals Panel.

**Education -- GED:** In response to your inquiry on this matter, we have learned that the American Council on Education is responsible for the developing and administering the GED. There is interest in the Education Department in figuring out how we might go about strengthening the GED, and DPC and Education Department staff will soon begin to discuss this with ACE.

**Health Care -- CDC releases guidelines for HIV surveillance:** This week, the CDC released their draft guidelines to assist States in the design and implementation of new HIV surveillance systems. Representatives from the HIV/AIDS community were nervous about the CDC's proposed recommendation to States that they use name based surveillance systems to track the epidemic. Through discussions with HHS, we were able to ensure that CDC left States with the option of creating surveillance systems that used unique identifier codes that provide

demographic information without identifying individuals by name. To date, the guidelines have been relatively well received by the AIDS community. **However, because the confidentiality issues associated with HIV surveillance are incredibly sensitive and of high interest to the community, questions and concerns about the CDC draft guidance may be raised at your meeting with the AIDS Council on December 18th. In response, you can indicate your support for alternatives to name based reporting and explicitly indicate your support for States like California, who are actively exploring developing these alternative systems.**

**Health Care -- Meeting of the Presidential Task Force on Employment of Adults with Disabilities:** On Tuesday, the Vice President will meet with the Presidential Task Force on the Employment of Adults with Disabilities and accept their first report. Although a number of the Task Force's recommendations require new investments and need to be considered within the context of the budget process, many of the administrative actions they recommend can be implemented immediately. As a result of this report, the **Office of Personnel Management will develop a plan to increase the representation of adults with disabilities in the Federal workforce and the Small Business Administration will launch a new outreach campaign to improve opportunities for Americans with disabilities. The Vice President will also take the opportunity to reiterate the Administration's commitment to passing a strong enforceable patients' bill of rights to improve the quality of care for people with disabilities at Tuesday's meeting. This report lays a solid foundation for a number of disability initiatives that are likely to be included in this year's budget, including funding for the Jeffords-Kennedy Work Incentives Improvement Act.**

**Health Care -- Swearing in of Dr. Jane Henney as FDA Commissioner:** On Tuesday, the Vice President will swear in Dr. Jane E. Henney, the first woman and first oncologist to be Commissioner of the Food and Drug Administration. We expect a large audience consisting of representatives of consumer protection groups and advocates for the food, pharmaceutical, and device manufacture industries to attend.

**Health Care -- Dean Ornish Update:** Following up on your interest in the status of Dr. Ornish's request to establish a cost-effectiveness demonstration on programs like his "Life Style Intervention," we obtained a commitment from Nancy Ann Min DeParle that she would indicate her openness to and support for the type of demonstration that he seeks. She is meeting today (Friday) and, although no final agreement will be reached on the scope, size and financing of the demonstration, we expect Dr. Ornish to be pleased with the result of the meeting. We will stay on top of this issue to ensure that an acceptable final outcome is reached.

**Crime -- Capital Punishment:** This Sunday, the Justice Department will release a bulletin on the death penalty indicating that in 1997, 17 states executed 74 prisoners. This is 29 more executions than in 1996, and the largest annual number since 1955 (76 executions). The states with the highest number of execution were: Texas, 37; Virginia, 9; Missouri, 6; Arkansas 4; and Alabama, 3. All of those executed in 1997 were males, and by race: 45 were white; 27 were black; one was Asian and one was American Indian. Of this number, 5 were of Hispanic descent. There were an additional 3,335 men and women on death row in 34 states and the

federal prison system: 1,876 whites, 1,406 blacks, 28 American Indians, 17 Asians and 8 of other races. This total includes 238 Hispanics and 44 women. Nearly two-thirds of inmates with death sentences had previous felony convictions, including 9 percent with at least one prior homicide conviction. The report also notes that as of November 30, 1998, 18 states had executed 58 inmates, with Texas and Virginia accounting for half the total (17 and 12, respectively).

**Welfare Reform -- Work Participation Rates:** We now have in hand the very first work participation data from the new welfare reform law. The data show that 95 percent of states met the first year requirement to have 25 percent of all families on welfare engaged in work activities. These data are from the last quarter of FY 1997, when the new work rates applied to 38 states plus D.C. (the remaining states implemented the new law after March 1997 and didn't have to meet the work rates until FY 1998). Nevada and D.C. failed to meet the rate, although they may make the target based on additional information they are providing to HHS.

As you may recall, the participation rate measures the proportion of families on welfare with an adult in work activities for at least 20 hours per week. States get a credit for caseload reductions to help account for people who leave the rolls and go to work. States are also required to ensure that 75 percent of two parent families have a parent who works at least 35 hours per week. Only 20 of the 39 jurisdictions met this test, which applies to 7 percent of welfare families. As required by law, HHS will impose financial penalties of up to 5 percent of a state's TANF grant for failing to meet the work rates, but a state will have an opportunity to enter into a corrective compliance plan which, if it succeeds in increasing work rates to the required level, will preclude the penalty.

**Welfare Reform -- Positive Teen Birth Trends Continue:** A new study by the Centers for Disease Control shows encouraging news about teen birth rates. The study provides new detail regarding the previously reported 15 percent decline in the national teen birth rate from 1991 to 1997. The most striking finding was the decline in the rate of second births to teens, which fell 21 percent from 1991 to 1996. Second births comprise about one-fifth of total teen births. In addition, the report showed declines in teen births for all races and ethnic groups and in all states.

**Children and Families -- New Data on Infant Mortality and Other Health Indicators:** A new study published in the journal of *Pediatrics*, based on 1997 data compiled by the Centers for Disease Control, reported new data on rates of infant mortality, low birthweight, teen births, and life expectancy. First, the study reported that U.S. infant mortality rates reached their lowest level in history last year. The 1997 infant mortality rate -- a measure of the number of deaths before a baby turns 1 -- was 7.1 deaths per 1,000 births, which was about 3 percent lower than the 1996 rate of 7.3 deaths per 1,000 live births. The drop in infant deaths came despite a 7.5 percent increase in the number of low birthweight babies, and an increase of about 2 percent in the number of births by women late in their childbearing years. In addition, the study reported that births to teen-age mothers fell in 1997 for the sixth consecutive year to 52.9 births per 1,000 females ages 15 to 19 -- 3 percent lower than the 1996 rate of 54.4 and 15 percent lower than the 1991 rate of 62.1. Finally, the study reported that Americans' average life expectancy rose to an all-time high of 76 ½ years. This increase is due in part to falling death

rates from major diseases and from accidents, homicides and suicides. For example, deaths from HIV or AIDS dropped by 47 percent in 1997. The most dramatic improvement in life expectancy was among black males, whose expectancy increased by 1.2 years to 67.3.

**Abortion -- New Abortion Study:** This week, the Alan Guttmacher Institute (AGI) released a new study on abortion incidence and services based on a survey of all known abortion providers in the United States. The study showed that, from 1992 to 1996, the number of abortions performed fell from 1,529,000 to 1,366,000, and the abortion rate decreased from 26 to 23 per 1,000 women aged 15-22. In that period, the number of facilities providing abortions fell sharply -- by 14 percent, with the greatest decline among hospitals and physicians' offices rather than clinics. The AGI study concluded, however, that factors other than access to abortion -- such as the decreasing rate of unintended pregnancies -- have had more influence on the abortion rate. The study also examined the prevalence of dilation and extraction procedures (so-called "partial birth" abortions), and found that, in 1996, an estimated 650 of these procedures were performed (out of a total of 1.36 million abortions), with the large majority of these performed at 20 to 24 weeks.

**Community Empowerment -- Community Development Financial Institutions Fund (CDFI):** The Treasury Department recently provided the DPC with summary statistics on the CDFI awards made during the first three years of funding (1996, 1997, and 1998). In *Putting People First*, you called for the creation of "a network of community development banks to provide small loans to low-income entrepreneurs and homeowners in inner cities." Since its creation, the CDFI Fund has made a total of 196 awards to 164 institutions. Of the institutions receiving awards, 139 were already established, and 25 were startup. Of the startup institutions, 9 were full-service financial institutions -- banks, bank holding companies, and credit unions -- and 16 were more specialized financial institutions such as microenterprise funds, venture capital funds, and business loan funds. Below is a detailed chart summarizing the statistics on the CDFI awards:

Type of Institution	Total Awards	Total Institutions	Established Institutions	Start-up Institutions	Certified CDFIs
1. Banks & Bank Holding Companies	13	11	6	5	20
2. Community Development Credit Unions	40	36	32	4	57
3. Other Types of CDFIs					
Intermediaries	4	3	3	0	
Venture Capital Funds	10	9	6	3	
Multi-Bank CDCs	7	7	7	0	
Business Loan Funds	45	33	30	3	
Housing/Facilities Loan Fund	53	45	39	6	

Microenterprise	24	20	16	4	
Funds					
Total Other	143	125	107	16	185
Types					
Total Number	196	164	139	25	
Total Dollars	\$125,371,471		\$109,259,579	\$16,111,892	

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:11-DEC-1998 14:30:07.00

SUBJECT:

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Reminder: Jenny Luray is about to come over for a brief meeting in 222

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:11-DEC-1998 09:21:55.00

SUBJECT: When you talk to Bill Corr, make sure to get his views on how we should

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 ] )

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

approach the rest of the caucus since Conrad Kennedy et al are eager to  
sit down (but we  
were holding off to talk to Bill first)

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:11-DEC-1998 11:03:00.00

SUBJECT: Tobacco Farmers

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

CC: Mary L. Smith ( CN=Mary L. Smith/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Scott Ballin from Tobacco Free Kids says that he doesn't think the health groups will say anything about a discount the companies may get. He says he has discussed this with Matt Myers. In addition, he says he told the farmers "do what you have to do, just don't let them think they are on your side."

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:11-DEC-1998 11:01:38.00

SUBJECT: GED item for weekly

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

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Here is a more substantive version of the GED item.

GED. In response to your inquiry on this matter, we have learned that the American Council on Education is responsible for the developing and administering the GED. As you know, the credibility of the GED has eroded considerably in recent years because its standards have remained fixed (and relatively low) while secondary school, institutions of higher education and employers have focused intensely on raising standards. ACE is in the process of upgrading the GED to keep up with state efforts to raise standards, and plans to unveil a new test in 2001. DPC and the Education Department will work to determine how we can best help adult education programs, community colleges and school systems prepare people for the strengthened GED.

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:11-DEC-1998 12:17:37.00

SUBJECT:

TO: BRUCE N. (Pager) #REED ( BRUCE N. (Pager) #REED [ UNKNOWN ] )

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Karen T's office just called & says she hopes either BR or EK will come to  
12:00 Americorps Mtg. in 176 OEOB

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Jose Cerda III ( CN=Jose Cerda III/OU=OPD/O=EOP [ OPD ] )

CREATION DATE/TIME:11-DEC-1998 16:50:45.00

SUBJECT: Weekly Items Requested

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

TO: Leanne A. Shimabukuro ( CN=Leanne A. Shimabukuro/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:

This week's goodies:

Crime -- COPS Retention: Earlier this week you asked about how a new COPS initiative would deal with the issue of retention. Currently, we plan to set aside \$50 million for one-year waivers to assist economically-distressed communities in absorbing long-term costs of their new police hires. Addressing the retention issue on a case-by-case basis through waivers will allow us to avoid creating an incentive for local police departments to depend on federal grants indefinitely. Such an approach will also require law enforcement agencies to demonstrate hardship before receiving a fourth year of funding. In FY 98, Congress earmarked a \$100 million in COPS funding for a retention initiative that targeted smaller jurisdictions, which are the ones most at risk of failing to meet their long-term funding commitment. At the time, we feared that this program might encourage these smaller departments to apply for additional assistance -- and not meet their original funding obligations. Ultimately, however, only \$13.4 million of this retention funding was spent due to limited demand. Thus, we believe that \$50 million should be sufficient to address the issue of retention in a new COPS initiative.

Crime -- Preliminary 1998 FBI Crime Statistics: On Sunday, the FBI will release the crime figures collected through the Uniform Crime Reporting System for the first six months of 1998. The preliminary data show a 5 percent decline in overall crime compared to the half-year figures of 1997, with violent crime down 7 percent, and property crime down 5 percent. Specifically for violent crime, murder decreased 8 percent; robbery, 11 percent; and 5 percent each for aggravated assault and rape. For property crime, larceny dropped 5 percent; motor vehicle theft 8 percent; burglary 3 percent; and arson 12 percent. Serious crime declined in each region of the country, with the Northeast experiencing the greatest decline in serious crime (8 percent) followed by the West (6 percent), the South (5 percent), and the Midwest (one percent). Cities of all sizes reported decreases in serious crime, with the greatest declines reported by cities with populations between 50,000 to 99,000 (8 percent) and over one million (6 percent). The smallest declines in serious crime were reported by cities with populations of under 10,000 (3 percent). (Note to EK: All of percentage declines are for the number of offenses, not rates.)



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

CREATION DATE/TIME:11-DEC-1998 18:09:03.00

SUBJECT:

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

TEXT:

pls call barry toiv 62580

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Neera Tanden ( CN=Neera Tanden/OU=WHO/O=EOP [ WHO ] )

CREATION DATE/TIME:11-DEC-1998 19:17:12.00

SUBJECT: Abortion clinic safety proposal-- from Jen as well as Neera

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

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

The abortion clinic safety proposal for the FY 2000 budget had two main provisions -- funding for security assessment and funding for direct provision of security measures to clinics; funding for both has been estimated at \$4 million.

The Justice Department has asked that we pull the abortion clinic safety proposal from the budget process because 1) they feel that they can and will do security assessments under current FY 99 funding and 2) because funding for direct provision of security measures will require authorization. They believe that they will be able to provide direct grants (and a possible grant announcement) for security assessments some time in the near future, but have not provided us with a date. While to some degree we are persuaded by this new analysis, we wanted to seek your guidance before we agreed to remove this from our set of priorities.

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:11-DEC-1998 17:44:49.00

SUBJECT: Education Meeting

TO: Vicky\_Stroud ( Vicky\_Stroud @ ed.gov@inet [ UNKNOWN ] )  
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TO: Amy Weiss ( CN=Amy Weiss/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [ WHO ] )  
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Barbara Chow ( CN=Barbara Chow/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [ OMB ] )  
READ:UNKNOWN

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

TO: Cecilia E. Rouse ( CN=Cecilia E. Rouse/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
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TO: Shirley S. Sagawa ( CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [ WHO ] )  
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TO: Broderick Johnson ( CN=Broderick Johnson/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [ WHO ] )  
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TO: Janet Murguia ( CN=Janet Murguia/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [ WHO ] )  
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TO: Elena Kagan ( CN=Elena Kagan/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
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TO: Charles R. Marr ( CN=Charles R. Marr/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
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CC: MaryEllen C. McGuire ( CN=MaryEllen C. McGuire/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [ WHO ] )  
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CC: Jason H. Schechter ( CN=Jason H. Schechter/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [ WHO ] )  
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CC: Laura Emmett ( CN=Laura Emmett/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [ WHO ] )  
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CC: Chantell S. Long ( CN=Chantell S. Long/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
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CC: Sandra Yamin ( CN=Sandra Yamin/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [ OMB ] )  
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CC: Mindy E. Myers ( CN=Mindy E. Myers/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [ WHO ] )  
READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Sonyia Matthews ( CN=Sonyia Matthews/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Bruce Reed will be having a meeting to discuss Teacher Quality on Monday, December 14, at 4:00 p.m. in his office, 2 Floor/West Wing. The folks from the Education Department are also invited.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:12-DEC-1998 14:04:24.00

SUBJECT: Organ donations

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

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

TEXT:

The President expressed an interest in a radio address about organ donations --based on recommendation frm a friend. Its a good ida --is there a polcy or progress achievement we could use as a hook ? (No jokes about the OCngress, please)

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:14-DEC-1998 12:05:45.00

SUBJECT: agenda for 3:00pm meeting -- revised

TO: Charles A. Blanchard ( CN=Charles A. Blanchard/OU=ONDCP/O=EOP @ EOP [ ONDCP ] )  
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TO: Cathy R. Mays ( CN=Cathy R. Mays/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
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TO: Bruce N. Reed ( CN=Bruce N. Reed/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
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TO: Laura Emmett ( CN=Laura Emmett/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [ WHO ] )  
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TO: Elena Kagan ( CN=Elena Kagan/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
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TO: David J. Haun ( CN=David J. Haun/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [ OMB ] )  
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CC: Michael Deich ( CN=Michael Deich/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [ OMB ] )  
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**Crime Meeting Agenda**  
**December 14, 1998, 3:00pm**

I. Update on FY 2000 budget and new initiatives

- COPS II/Crime Bill II
- Reports
- Legislative decisions
- Outreach to groups

II. Events/announcements

- Monitoring the Future release (12/18)
- Guidelines on prison drug testing/treatment
- Recommendations on gun shows (1/7)
- YCGII Report (2/9)

Other:

- Timing/guidelines for community prosecution grants
- Timing/guidelines for COPS/school safety earmark
- Timing/announcement for announcement of Exile earmark

III. Miscellany

- Impact of OMB guidance for CJS appropriations -- how will funds be allocated?
- DOJ proposed directive requiring firearms to be stamped -- not etched.
- Pending reports to be released:
  - COPS shutdown report due (12/23)
  - National Crime Victimization Survey (12/31)

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*Hex-Dump Conversion*

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Jonathan E. Smith ( CN=Jonathan E. Smith/OU=WHO/O=EOP [ WHO ] )

CREATION DATE/TIME:14-DEC-1998 10:39:53.00

SUBJECT: Women's Meeting

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TO: Skye S. Philbrick ( CN=Skye S. Philbrick/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [ WHO ] )  
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TO: Rebecca M. Blank ( CN=Rebecca M. Blank/OU=CEA/O=EOP @ EOP [ CEA ] )  
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TO: Elena Kagan ( CN=Elena Kagan/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
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TO: Minyon Moore ( CN=Minyon Moore/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [ WHO ] )  
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TO: Susan M. Liss ( CN=Susan M. Liss/O=OVP @ OVP [ UNKNOWN ] )  
READ:UNKNOWN

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

TEXT:

There will be a Women's Mtg at 9am on Thursday in room 100. Thank you!

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Janelle E. Erickson ( CN=Janelle E. Erickson/OU=WHO/O=EOP [ WHO ] )

CREATION DATE/TIME:14-DEC-1998 12:52:54.00

SUBJECT: Choice Mtg, tomorrow, Tuesday, 12/15 2:00 PM

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

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

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

TEXT:

There will be a meeting regarding "choice" issues Tuesday, 12/15, 2:00 PM  
in the Roosevelt Room.

Please let me know if you can not attend - thanks.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Joshua S. Gottheimer ( CN=Joshua S. Gottheimer/OU=WHO/O=EOP [ WHO ] )

CREATION DATE/TIME:14-DEC-1998 16:08:03.00

SUBJECT: CFR MTG. TUES

TO: Peter Rundlet ( CN=Peter Rundlet/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [ WHO ] )

READ:UNKNOWN

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

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

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TO: Morley A. Winograd ( CN=Morley A. Winograd/O=OVP @ OVP [ UNKNOWN ] )

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TO: Jennifer R. Muller ( CN=Jennifer R. Muller/O=OVP @ OVP [ UNKNOWN ] )

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

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TO: Charles W. Burson ( CN=Charles W. Burson/O=OVP @ OVP [ UNKNOWN ] )

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TO: Lisa M. Brown ( CN=Lisa M. Brown/O=OVP @ OVP [ UNKNOWN ] )

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

There will a CFR meeting tomorrow at 4:30pm in room 472. Pls let me know if you can't attend. Thanks.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Andrea Kane ( CN=Andrea Kane/OU=OPD/O=EOP [ OPD ] )

CREATION DATE/TIME:14-DEC-1998 19:54:40.00

SUBJECT: Archer on welfare reform and child care

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

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

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Bruce, we've dug around a bit more to find out what Archer said on these issues but it doesn't sound like there's much more there there at this point.

On 11/20, Archer delivered the Republican response to the President's radio address on social security, followed by a news conference. He used the news conference to lay out the 4 elements of the Ways & Means agenda for 1999: 1) tax cuts, 2) social security, 3) fighting protectionism, 4) "welfare reform part two". Among the accomplishments he cited was moving people from welfare to work. That's all he said in his statement and in a release. In response to a question from a reporter asking "what are some of the changes you see for welfare", Archer said:

"We must continuously monitor the welfare reform program. It is not a process that has ended; it is a continuing process. And there are two things that I want us to focus on: I want us to focus on abstinence education. We are finally beginning to see a decline in teenage pregnancies and out-of-wedlock births. We should do everything we can to hasten that. And secondly, we need to give the states even more flexibility in the use of the block-grant funds for child care."

Based on issues raised to the committee in the past (and high on states' agenda), and comments from Ron, we think the last statement could refer to several things:

1) expanding the definition of assistance to make it easier for states to spend TANF funds on child care w/o invoking the TANF requirements such as time limits, reporting requirements and assignment of child support rights (the TANF NPRM included child care subsidies to individuals w/in the definition of assistance, and HHS does not believe they have statutory authority to change this interpretation even if we wanted to w/in the final rule).

2) expand transferability from TANF to CCDF (child care fund) and/or SSBG to give states more ways to spend TANF \$ on child care for a broader low income population and w/o the TANF requirements. Currently, states can transfer up to 30% to CCDF, including up to 10% to SSBG. But, TEA-21

reduced the SSBG transfer to 4.25% beginning in 2001 and as you know, OMB has a proposal to institute this cap in 2000 to help pay for SSBG restoration.

3) -- this is purely speculation on my part, but the reference could be to the child care block grant rather than the TANF block grant, in which case maybe he's talking about some kind of credit for moms staying at home ??

Ron had indicated to HHS staff right after the Archer statement that there wasn't any more detail to share, but they are following up to see if anything's changed.

Re: Archer's point on abstinence education, while the trends for teen births and teen pregnancies are positive, the preliminary 1997 data from NCHS on out of wedlock births to all age groups shows numbers and rates holding steady (though there are caveats because CA and NY changed the way they report marital status in 1997). Also, just as a reminder, PRWORA did set aside \$50 M annually for grants to states for abstinence only education. All states applied and received grants in 98, and I believe all states also applied for 99 (last I checked the 99 grants had not been finalized). Perhaps he's thinking about increasing this funding level??

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:14-DEC-1998 12:25:19.00

SUBJECT: Please welcome Eric Gould

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

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

TO: Andrea Kane ( CN=Andrea Kane/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
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TO: Essence P. Washington ( CN=Essence P. Washington/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Leanne A. Shimabukuro ( CN=Leanne A. Shimabukuro/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
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TO: Cynthia A. Rice ( CN=Cynthia A. Rice/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
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TO: Nicole R. Rabner ( CN=Nicole R. Rabner/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [ WHO ] )  
READ:UNKNOWN

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

TO: Laura Emmett ( CN=Laura Emmett/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [ WHO ] )  
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TO: Jose Cerda III ( CN=Jose Cerda III/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
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TO: Jonathan H. Schnur ( CN=Jonathan H. Schnur/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
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TO: Julie A. Fernandes ( CN=Julie A. Fernandes/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
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TO: Paul J. Weinstein Jr. ( CN=Paul J. Weinstein Jr./OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
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TO: Mary L. Smith ( CN=Mary L. Smith/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
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TO: Christa Robinson ( CN=Christa Robinson/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
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TO: Bruce N. Reed ( CN=Bruce N. Reed/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )

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TO: Cathy R. Mays ( CN=Cathy R. Mays/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
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TO: Jeanne Lambrew ( CN=Jeanne Lambrew/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: Michael Cohen ( CN=Michael Cohen/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
READ:UNKNOWN

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

TEXT:

Our new tobacco/welfare team member has just arrived. Some of you may know Eric from his days with Rep. Sandy Levin, before he made a detour to the private sector. Please stop by room 210 to say hello. He will (we believe) be keeping Cynthia Dailard's old phone number, 6-7871.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Scott Busby ( CN=Scott Busby/OU=NSC/O=EOP [ NSC ] )

CREATION DATE/TIME:14-DEC-1998 15:26:18.00

SUBJECT: Mitch and Migration briefing

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

TO: Elena Kagan ( CN=Elena Kagan/OU=OPD/O=EOP@EOP [ OPD ] )  
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TO: Marjorie Tarmey ( CN=Marjorie Tarmey/OU=WHO/O=EOP@EOP [ WHO ] )  
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TO: Janet Murguia ( CN=Janet Murguia/OU=WHO/O=EOP@EOP [ WHO ] )  
READ:UNKNOWN

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

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

TEXT:

FYI. A few weeks ago, Eric Schwartz was invited to give a briefing hosted by the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace on Hurricane Mitch and the migration reponse. That briefing is scheduled for this Wednesday at 8:30 a.m. at the Carnegie Endowment (on Mass Ave.). I will be preparing points for Eric consistent with where we are at present on this issue and will share those around. Let me know if you have any thoughts/concerns.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:14-DEC-1998 17:10:06.00

SUBJECT: SOTU/Budget Initiatives

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

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

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

TO: Elena Kagan ( CN=Elena Kagan/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
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TO: Ann F. Lewis ( CN=Ann F. Lewis/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [ WHO ] )  
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TO: Clara J. Shin ( CN=Clara J. Shin/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [ WHO ] )  
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TO: Neal Lane ( CN=Neal Lane/OU=OSTP/O=EOP @ EOP [ OSTP ] )  
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Ron Klain ( CN=Ron Klain/O=OVP @ OVP [ UNKNOWN ] )  
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TO: Gene B. Sperling ( CN=Gene B. Sperling/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
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CC: Joshua S. Gottheimer ( CN=Joshua S. Gottheimer/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [ WHO ] )  
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CC: Laura Emmett ( CN=Laura Emmett/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [ WHO ] )  
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CC: Scott R. Hynes ( CN=Scott R. Hynes/O=OVP @ OVP [ UNKNOWN ] )  
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CC: Janet L. Graves ( CN=Janet L. Graves/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [ OMB ] )  
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CC: Melissa G. Green ( CN=Melissa G. Green/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
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CC: Jessica L. Gibson ( CN=Jessica L. Gibson/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [ WHO ] )  
READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Peter A. Weissman ( CN=Peter A. Weissman/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Bruce Reed will be having a meeting to discuss free/low cost ideas on Wednesday, December 16, at 5:00 p.m. in his office, 2 Fl/WW.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:14-DEC-1998 15:52:32.00

SUBJECT: Food safety

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

CC: Mary L. Smith ( CN=Mary L. Smith/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Along with FDA and Bill Schultz, we have been talking to the food safety groups about the initiative. The groups had been fearful that FDA was planning on turning over federal responsibility to the states, while weakening federal inspection generally. After Carol Tucker Foreman and Caroline Smith Dewall understood from FDA that the state program was adding to, not subtracting from federal efforts, she and Caroline called to say they are comfortable supporting the program. Schultz thinks there was a communication gap. Carol said they also wanted to talk to the head of the parents group STOP tonight to get them on board as well, but that the groups now understood and supported the project.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Julie A. Fernandes ( CN=Julie A. Fernandes/OU=OPD/O=EOP [ OPD ] )

CREATION DATE/TIME:14-DEC-1998 17:16:07.00

SUBJECT: Civil rights enforcement -- correction

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:

This morning, I misstated the totals re: civil rights enforcement. The chart that I sent you on Thursday accurately reflects that OMB is recommending a \$40.5 million increase over last year -- not a \$60 million increase as I stated this morning.

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RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-DEC-1998 15:00:05.00

SUBJECT: Event Possibilities

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

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Here are some event possibilities for Dec-Jan.:

Title IX -- Same description as before. Can be ready at any time.

After-school/social promotion -- We could preview this budget announcement.

Child Care/families -- We could preview the entire initiative.

Kids Aging Out of Foster Care -- We had hoped the First Lady would do an event announcing the new budget initiatives on independent living/transitional living/Medicaid for children aging out of the foster care system. We could do the event with the President.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: MaryEllen C. McGuire ( CN=MaryEllen C. McGuire/OU=WHO/O=EOP [ WHO ] )

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-DEC-1998 09:47:42.00

SUBJECT: AmeriCorps Meeting

TO: Tanya E. Martin ( CN=Tanya E. Martin/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
READ:UNKNOWN

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

TO: Jennifer M. Palmieri ( CN=Jennifer M. Palmieri/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: Stacie Spector ( CN=Stacie Spector/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [ WHO ] )  
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Elena Kagan ( CN=Elena Kagan/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
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TO: Anne E. McGuire ( CN=Anne E. McGuire/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [ WHO ] )  
READ:UNKNOWN

TO: Thomas L. Freedman ( CN=Thomas L. Freedman/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:

Shirley Sagawa has scheduled a meeting with the Corporation for National Service on Thursday, December 17th at noon and would like, if possible, for all of you to attend. I am in the process of booking a room and will distribute that information once I have it. In the meantime, if you could accept or regret via email or phone (62106), it would be greatly appreciated.  
Thank you.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Neera Tanden ( CN=Neera Tanden/OU=WHO/O=EOP [ WHO ] )

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-DEC-1998 18:42:16.00

SUBJECT: another event idea for January

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

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

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

TEXT:

The First Lady is planning to do a mentoring event in which she would announce \$16 million in mentoring grants, release a report on the effectiveness of mentoring, as well as promote a new psa campaign on mentoring. We are also exploring additional mentoring announcements from the Department of Education. This announcement will be ready around mid-January, and could be made by the President and First Lady.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-DEC-1998 17:08:32.00

SUBJECT: Tobacco Farmers

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

READ:UNKNOWN

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

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

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

READ:UNKNOWN

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

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

USDA will put out a release late today saying the companies will buy 103 million pounds of the '97 crop. That means the quota for next year will be a 17% decline from last year. The majority (70%) will be bought by Phillip Morris. the companies will receive a 15% discount. The companies -- PM, RJR, and B & W -- will commit to purchase intentions of 475 million a year for the next five years. The 17% quota decline includes a 3% discretionary decision by the Secretary.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

CREATOR: Maritza Rivera ( CN=Maritza Rivera/OU=WHO/O=EOP [ WHO ] )

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-DEC-1998 15:35:21.00

SUBJECT: NCLR

TO: Sally Katzen ( CN=Sally Katzen/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
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

CC: Marjorie Tarmey ( CN=Marjorie Tarmey/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [ WHO ] )  
READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Shannon Mason ( CN=Shannon Mason/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
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CC: Mindy E. Myers ( CN=Mindy E. Myers/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [ WHO ] )  
READ:UNKNOWN

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

TEXT:

I would like to thank you all for taking the time out of your busy schedules to meet with NCLR today. I know they really appreciated the time and they remain ready to work on issues of concern to the Hispanic community that come up in the budget as well as those that were suggested by you all. Thanks again.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-DEC-1998 16:08:25.00

SUBJECT: Education Meeting

TO: Vicky\_Stroud ( Vicky\_Stroud @ ed.gov@inet [ UNKNOWN ] )  
READ:UNKNOWN

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

TO: Barbara Chow ( CN=Barbara Chow/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [ OMB ] )  
READ:UNKNOWN

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

TO: Cecilia E. Rouse ( CN=Cecilia E. Rouse/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
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TO: Neera Tanden ( CN=Neera Tanden/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [ WHO ] )  
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TO: Shirley S. Sagawa ( CN=Shirley S. Sagawa/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [ WHO ] )  
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CC: Jason H. Schechter ( CN=Jason H. Schechter/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [ WHO ] )  
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CC: Laura Emmett ( CN=Laura Emmett/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [ WHO ] )  
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CC: Chantell S. Long ( CN=Chantell S. Long/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )  
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CC: Sandra Yamin ( CN=Sandra Yamin/OU=OMB/O=EOP @ EOP [ OMB ] )  
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CC: Mindy E. Myers ( CN=Mindy E. Myers/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [ WHO ] )  
READ:UNKNOWN

CC: Sonyia Matthews ( CN=Sonyia Matthews/OU=OPD/O=EOP @ EOP [ OPD ] )

READ:UNKNOWN

TEXT:

Bruce Reed will be having an Education Meeting tomorrow, December 16, at 1:00 p.m. in his office, 2 Floor/West Wing. Topics discussed will be: Ending Social Promotion and Public School Choice.

Let me know if you are unable to attend.

RECORD TYPE: PRESIDENTIAL (NOTES MAIL)

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

CREATION DATE/TIME:15-DEC-1998 15:48:45.00

SUBJECT: Thursday's Education Strategy Meeting

TO: Vicky\_Stroud ( Vicky\_Stroud @ ed.gov@inet [ UNKNOWN ] )  
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TO: Amy Weiss ( CN=Amy Weiss/OU=WHO/O=EOP @ EOP [ WHO ] )  
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TEXT:

We will be having the weekly Education Strategy Meeting on Thursday, December 17, at 5:15 p.m. in Bruce Reed's office, 2 Floor/West Wing. The meeting will focus on Bilingual Education and Title 1 issues (other than accountability).