

### **Nominations for the Environmental Protection Agency**

*July 15, 1993*

The President announced his choices for five key positions at the Environmental Protection Agency today, declaring his intention to nominate Jonathan Cannon to be the Assistant Administrator for Administration and Resources Management and the Chief Financial Officer; Elliot Laws to be Assistant Administrator for Solid Waste and Emergency Response; Mary Nichols to be Assistant Administrator for Air and Radiation; Robert Perciasepe to be Assistant Administrator for Water; and Shelly Metzenbaum to be Associate Administrator for Regional Operations and State/Local Relations.

"This outstanding group of people, added to the already strong team at EPA, will work together with Administrator Carol Browner to continue building a stronger and more vibrant Agency," said the President. "Each of these five individuals has expertise in environmental issues, meaningful Government experience, and most importantly, a strong commitment to protecting our Nation's precious natural resources."

NOTE: Biographies of the nominees were made available by the Office of the Press Secretary.

### **Nominations for the Department of Energy**

*July 15, 1993*

The President announced today that he intends to nominate Martha Krebs and Corlis Moody to senior positions at the Department of Energy. Krebs will be Director of the Office of Energy Research, and Moody will be the Director of the Office of Minority Economic Impact.

"It gives me great pleasure to announce these nominations today," said the President. "Martha Krebs has demonstrated tremendous leadership capacity as an administrator of one of our country's most important research facilities and a senior congressional aide. As for Corlis Moody, Secretary O'Leary knows better than anyone the high quality of work that she has done in the past and

is capable of doing at the Department of Energy. I welcome both of their service."

NOTE: Biographies of the nominees were made available by the Office of the Press Secretary.

### **Nominations for the Agency for International Development**

*July 15, 1993*

The President today announced his intention to nominate Margaret Carpenter, Assistant Administrator for Asia and Douglas Stafford, Assistant Administrator for Food and Humanitarian Affairs at the Agency for International Development, U.S. International Development Cooperation Agency.

"With their dual experience in the field of foreign affairs and understanding of the good global assistance can do, I am certain both Margaret and Doug will work hard to fulfill AID's mission of providing economic and humanitarian assistance to the developing world," the President said.

NOTE: Biographies of the nominees were made available by the Office of the Press Secretary.

### **Nomination for Inspector General of the United States Information Agency**

*July 16, 1993*

The President today announced his intention to nominate attorney Marian Bennett as Inspector General at the United States Information Agency.

"I am pleased today to name Marian Bennett to this important post at USIA," the President said. "I am certain she will work hard to ensure USIA is a tight-run operation up to the task of its mission to promote democracy and freedom abroad."

NOTE: A biography of the nominee was made available by the Office of the Press Secretary.

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### **Digest of Other White House Announcements**

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The following list includes the President's public schedule and other items of general interest announced by the Office of the Press Secretary and not included elsewhere in this issue.

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#### **July 10**

In the late morning, the President and Hillary Clinton traveled from Tokyo, Japan, to Seoul, South Korea.

#### **July 11**

In the morning, the President had breakfast with President Kim Young Sam of South Korea in the Blue House garden.

In the evening, the President and Hillary Clinton traveled to Honolulu, HI.<sup>1</sup>

After arriving in Honolulu in the early morning, the President had breakfast with servicemen at the Pearl Harbor Naval Base. After the breakfast, the President and Hillary Clinton participated in a wreath-laying ceremony at the U.S.S. *Arizona* Memorial. The President then attended briefings at the CINCPAC headquarters at Camp H.M. Smith.

In the evening, the President and Hillary Clinton attended a dinner for Governor John Waihee.

#### **July 13**

In the late evening, the President traveled to Des Moines, IA.

#### **July 14**

In the morning, the President took a helicopter tour of the damage caused by severe flooding in Iowa. In the evening, the President returned to Washington, DC.

The President announced that he has added 87 more counties in the State of Iowa to the Presidential major disaster declaration of July 9, 1993, allowing flood victims to be eligible for Federal assistance. The additions bring to 99 the number of counties in Iowa that are eligible for Federal assistance to affected residents and businesses.

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<sup>1</sup> *The President and Hillary Clinton crossed the international dateline on their trip to Hawaii, arriving in Honolulu on Sunday morning.*

#### **July 15**

In the afternoon, the President had lunch with the Vice President.

The President announced his intention to nominate Joseph Swerzewski to be General Counsel of the Federal Labor Relations Authority and Alice Dear to be Executive Director of the African Development Bank, and to renominate William Hathaway as a member and Chair of the Federal Maritime Commission.

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### **Nominations Submitted to the Senate**

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The following list does not include promotions of members of the Uniformed Services, nominations to the Service Academies, or nominations of Foreign Service officers.

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#### **Submitted July 13**

James J. Blanchard,  
of Michigan, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to Canada.

Walter C. Carrington,  
of Maryland, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Federal Republic of Nigeria.

Jeffrey Davidow,  
of Virginia, a career member of the Senior Foreign Service, class of Minister-Counselor, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Republic of Venezuela.

Thomas J. Dodd,  
of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Oriental Republic of Uruguay.

Stuart E. Eizenstat,  
of the District of Columbia, to be Representative of the United States of America to the European Communities, with the rank and