

**April 8**

In the evening, the President and Mrs. Bush returned to Washington, DC. Later, the President had a telephone conversation with Tiger Woods congratulating him on winning the Masters golf tournament.

**April 9**

In the afternoon, the President met separately with President Robert Kocharian of Armenia and President Heydar Aliyev of Azerbaijan in the Oval Office.

The President announced the naming of Scott H. Evertz as Director of the Office of National AIDS Policy.

The President announced his intention to nominate Tony Armendariz to be a member of the Federal Labor Relations Authority.

The President announced his intention to nominate Sarah V. Hart to be Director of the National Institute of Justice at the Department of Justice.

The President announced his intention to nominate Shirin Raziuddin Tahir-Kheli to be the Representative of the United States of America on the Human Rights Commission of the Economic and Social Council of the United Nations.

The President announced his intention to nominate Gordon H. Mansfield to be Assistant Secretary of Veterans Affairs for Congressional Affairs.

The White House announced that the President will meet with Amir Hamad bin Issa Al Khalifa of Bahrain for a working visit on May 7.

**April 11**

In the morning, the President traveled to Concord, NC, where he toured Concord Middle School. In the afternoon, the President traveled to Greenville, NC, and in the evening, he returned to Washington, DC.

The President announced his intention to nominate Jon A. Hansen to be Administrator of the U.S. Fire Administration.

The President announced his intention to nominate Richard R. Nedelkoff to be Director of the Bureau of Justice Assistance.

**April 12**

In the afternoon, the President traveled to Crawford, TX.

The President announced his intention to nominate Russell F. Freeman to be Ambassador to Belize.

The President announced his intention to nominate John N. Palmer to be Ambassador to Portugal.

The President announced his intention to nominate Daniel R. Coats to be Ambassador to Germany.

The White House announced that the President contacted Attorney General John Ashcroft concerning recent events in Cincinnati, OH.

**April 13**

The President announced his intention to nominate Charles A. Heimbold, Jr., to be Ambassador to Sweden.

The White House announced that the President invited President Boris Trajkovski of Macedonia to the White House on May 2.

The White House announced that the President will meet with Prime Minister Rafiq Hariri of Lebanon at the White House on April 24.

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**Nominations  
Submitted to the Senate**

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NOTE: No nominations were submitted to the Senate during the period covered by this issue.

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**Checklist  
of White House Press Releases**

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The following list contains releases of the Office of the Press Secretary that are neither printed as items nor covered by entries in the Digest of Other White House Announcements.

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**Released April 9**

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Ari Fleischer

Statement by the Press Secretary: Bahraini Amir To Visit Washington