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The President declared a major disaster in Virginia and ordered Federal aid to supplement Commonwealth and local recovery efforts in the area struck by severe storms, flooding, and tornadoes associated with Tropical Depression Gaston beginning on August 30 and continuing.

Nominations Submitted to the Senate

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

Checklist of White House Press Releases

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.

Released August 30

Transcript of a press gaggle by Press Secretary Scott McClellan

Released August 31

Transcript of a press gaggle by Press Secretary Scott McClellan

Statement by the Press Secretary on the terrorist attacks in Russia

Statement by the Press Secretary on the terrorist attacks in Beersheva, Israel

Released September 1

Transcript of a press gaggle by Press Secretary Scott McClellan

Statement by the Press Secretary on disaster assistance to Indiana

Statement by the Press Secretary on disaster assistance to South Carolina

Released September 2

Advance text: Remarks by the President at the 2004 Republican National Convention

Fact sheet: Strengthening Education and Job Training Opportunities

Fact sheet: Increasing Affordable Housing and Expanding Homeownership

Fact sheet: President Bush Proposes New "Opportunity Zones"

Fact sheet: President Bush's Plan To Make Health Care More Affordable

Released September 3

Statement by the Press Secretary on action by the Lebanese Parliament to amend its constitution to extend the term of the current President

Statement by the Press Secretary on disaster assistance to Virginia

Acts Approved by the President

NOTE: No acts approved by the President were received by the Office of the Federal Register during the period covered by this issue.