

August 8

In the morning, the President had an intelligence briefing followed by briefings by National Security Adviser Stephen J. Hadley and Homeland Security Adviser Frances Fragos Townsend.

August 9

In the morning, the President had an intelligence briefing.

In the afternoon, the President had a telephone conversation with Prime Minister Tony Blair of the United Kingdom.

During the day, the President had separate telephone conversations with Secretary of State Condoleezza Rice and National Security Adviser Stephen J. Hadley.

The President announced that he has named Deb Fiddelke as Deputy Assistant to the President for Legislative Affairs.

The President announced that he has named Neal Burnham as Special Assistant to the President for White House Management.

The President announced that he has named Darren Hipp as Special Assistant to the President and Director of Presidential Correspondence.

The President announced that he has named Gregory Jacob as Special Assistant to the President for Domestic Policy.

The President announced that he has named Brent J. McIntosh as Associate Counsel to the President.

August 10

In the morning, the President had an intelligence briefing and a briefing on the arrests of suspected terrorists in Birmingham and London, England. Later, he traveled to Green Bay, WI, where, upon arrival, he met with USA Freedom Corps volunteer Karl Durant. He then participated in a tour of Fox Valley Metal-Tech, Inc.

In the afternoon, the President traveled to Oneida, WI, where, at a private residence, he attended a reception for congressional candidate John G. Gard. Later, at Oneida Police Department, he met family members of

military personnel killed in Iraq. He then returned to the Bush Ranch in Crawford, TX.

August 11

In the morning, the President had an intelligence briefing.

In the afternoon, at Broken Spoke Ranch, the President attended a Republican National Committee reception. He then returned to the Bush Ranch.

Also in the afternoon, the President had a telephone conversation with Prime Minister Ehud Olmert of Israel to discuss the United Nations draft resolution to end fighting in Lebanon.

**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 6

Transcript of a press briefing by Secretary of State Condoleezza Rice

Transcript of a press briefing by National Security Adviser Stephen J. Hadley

Released August 8

Transcript of a press gaggle by Press Secretary Tony Snow

Released August 9

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Tony Snow

Released August 10

Transcript of a press gaggle by Press Secretary Tony Snow

Fact sheet: National Strategy To Internationalize Efforts Against Kleptocracy

Released August 11

Transcript of a press gaggle by Press Secretary Tony Snow

**Acts Approved
by the President**

Approved August 4 *

H.R. 5877 / Public Law 109–267

To amend the Iran and Libya Sanctions Act of 1996 to extend the authorities provided in such Act until September 29, 2006

S. 3741 / Public Law 109–268

To provide funding authority to facilitate the evacuation of persons from Lebanon, and for other purposes

* These Public Laws were not received in time for inclusion in the appropriate issue.