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properly honored by their President or any other citizen except to say a simple thank you and to give a prayer to God for their souls. They will be remembered as all of you knew them, standing tall and ready, the sentinels of our liberty. Let us live in ways that will honor their ultimate contribution to our lives.

Thank you, and God bless you all.

NOTE: The President spoke at 8:40 p.m. at the memorial. In his remarks, he referred to Craig Floyd, chairman, National Law Enforcement Officers Memorial Fund, and Kathleen A. Young, president, Concerns of Police Survivors.

Letter to Congressional Leaders Transmitting a Report on Soviet Treaty Compliance

May 13, 1993

Dear Mr. President: (Dear Mr. Chairman:)

Enclosed are classified and unclassified copies of the report on Soviet Treaty Compliance required under condition 7 of the Resolution of Ratification for the Strategic Arms Reduction Treaty (START).

The judgments included in this report are drawn from reports prepared by the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency and submitted to Congress under the provisions of PL 99-145, as amended, and Section 52 of the Arms Control and Disarmament Act.

Under the terms set forth in the Resolution of Ratification, this report addresses actions of the former Soviet Union which were violations or probable violations of the obligations of the SALT I Interim Agreement, SALT II, ABM,

INF and START Treaties and the ultimate resolution of these issues. This report does not address the actions of the newly independent states which have succeeded the Soviet Union. In contrast to the Soviet Union, the newly independent states have demonstrated a substantially improved willingness to adhere to arms control obligations and to work with us to resolve problems.

Sincerely,

WILLIAM J. CLINTON

NOTE: Identical letters were sent to Albert Gore, Jr., President of the Senate, and Claiborne Pell, chairman of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations. An original was not available for verification of the content of this letter.

Nomination for Posts at the Housing and Urban Development, Transportation, and State Departments

May 13, 1993

The President announced his intention today to nominate G. Edward DeSeve and Nelson Diaz to be Chief Financial Officer and General Counsel, respectively, of the Department of Housing and Urban Development; David Hinson to be Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation; and Peter Galbraith to be Ambassador to Croatia.

"We are continuing to make real progress in filling key positions in my administration," said

the President. "This group of individuals whose appointments we are announcing today have the kind of experience and expertise that our country needs."

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