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### Statement on Disaster Assistance for Alabama *March 3, 1994*

My heart goes out to the people of the South who have suffered from these recent storms. I know how difficult this winter has been, and I am confident that FEMA Director James Lee Witt will do all he can to assist the people of Alabama, and those throughout the rest of

the South, to recover from these damaging storms.

NOTE: This statement was included in a White House statement announcing disaster assistance for Alabama due to winter storms that began January 14 and continued through February 14.

### Statement on Presentation of the Presidential Citizens Medal to Representative William H. Natcher *March 3, 1994*

Congressman Natcher has served the people of Kentucky and this Nation with distinction since 1941. He is revered by friends and opponents alike, and I can think of no person who deserves our recognition more. He represents the model of leadership to which we should all strive.

NOTE: This statement was included in a White House statement announcing that the President presented Representative Natcher with the medal at Bethesda Naval Hospital, Bethesda, MD.

### Statement on the Executive Order on Identification of Trade Expansion Priorities *March 3, 1994*

This administration is committed to opening markets for high-quality goods and services produced by competitive American workers. That was the goal of NAFTA, the GATT negotiations, the APEC conference, the U.S.-Japan framework talks, and a number of other steps my administration has taken. Today I have signed

an Executive order reinstituting Super 301. This action will help us reach our objective: open markets that will create better jobs and increase wages at home and abroad.

NOTE: The Executive order is listed in Appendix D at the end of this volume.

### Message to the Congress Reporting on the National Emergency With Respect to Iraq *March 3, 1994*

*To the Congress of the United States:*

I hereby report to the Congress on the developments since my last report of August 2, 1993,

concerning the national emergency with respect to Iraq that was declared in Executive Order No. 12722 of August 2, 1990. This report is