

## Appendix A—Digest of Other White House Announcements

*The following list includes the President's public schedule and other items of general interest announced by the Office of the Press Secretary and not included elsewhere in this book.*

### July 1

In the morning, the President had a telephone conversation with Prime Minister Tony Blair of the United Kingdom concerning the Northern Ireland peace process. In the evening, he attended the U.S.–Germany Women's World Cup soccer game at Jack Kent Cooke Stadium in Landover, MD.

The President announced his intention to nominate Phillip R. Anderson to be a member of the Mississippi River Commission.

The President announced his intention to nominate Michael Cohen to be Assistant Secretary for Elementary and Secondary Education at the Department of Education.

The President announced his intention to nominate James B. Cunningham to be U.S. Deputy Representative to the United Nations, with rank and status of Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary.

The President announced his intention to nominate Earl E. Devaney to be Inspector General at the Department of the Interior.

The President announced his intention to nominate Harriet L. Elam to be Ambassador to Senegal.

The President announced his intention to nominate J. Richard Fredericks to be Ambassador to Switzerland and Liechtenstein.

The President announced his intention to nominate Barbara J. Griffiths to be Ambassador to Iceland.

The President announced the nomination of Curt Hebert, Jr., to be a member of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission.

The President announced his intention to nominate Gregory Lee Johnson to be Ambassador to Swaziland.

The President announced his intention to nominate Jimmy J. Kolker to be Ambassador to Burkina Faso.

The President announced his intention to nominate Susan Ness to be member of the Federal Communications Commission.

The President announced his intention to nominate Sylvia Gaye Stanfield to be Ambassador to Brunei.

The President announced his intention to nominate Clifford Gregory Stewart to be General Counsel at the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission.

The President announced his intention to appoint Raymond D. Nasher as member of the President's Committee on the Arts and the Humanities.

### July 2

In the afternoon, the President participated in a swearing-in ceremony in the Oval Office for newly appointed Secretary of the Treasury Lawrence H. Summers.

### July 3

The President had separate telephone conversations with Prime Minister Nawaz Sharif of Pakistan and Prime Minister Atal Behari Vajpayee of India concerning the situation in Kashmir.

### July 4

In the evening, the President had a telephone conversation with Prime Minister Atal Behari Vajpayee of India concerning the situation in Kashmir. Later, he made brief remarks on the South Lawn before the fireworks display.

### July 5

In the morning, the President traveled to Hazard, KY. While en route aboard Air Force One, he had a telephone conversation with Northern Ireland Ulster Unionist Party leader David Trimble concerning the Northern Ireland peace process.

In the afternoon, the President toured the Whispering Pines neighborhood, where he talked with residents. Later, he toured the Mid-South Electric Co. In the evening, the President traveled to Memphis, TN.

### July 6

In the morning, the President traveled to Clarksdale, MS, where he toured local businesses. In the afternoon, he traveled to East St. Louis, IL, where he visited a Walgreens drugstore.

In the evening, the President traveled to Rapid City, SD. Later, he toured Mount Rushmore and the Crazy Horse Memorial.

The President announced the nomination of Q. Todd Dickinson to be Assistant Secretary and Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks at the Department of Commerce.

The President announced his intention to appoint George Becker and to reappoint Marc S. Tucker as members of the National Skill Standards Board.

The President announced his intention to appoint Amy W. Meyer as a member of the Board of Directors of the Presidio Trust.

### July 7

In the morning, the President traveled to Pine Ridge, SD. In the afternoon, he traveled to Phoenix,

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AZ, where he toured Chicanos Por La Causa, Inc., and the La Canasta Mexican Food Products factory. In the evening, the President traveled to Los Angeles, CA.

The White House announced that the President will meet with Prime Minister Ehud Barak of Israel on July 15.

The White House announced that the President will travel to Des Moines, IA, on July 16.

*July 8*

In the morning, the President toured the Transportation Academy Youth Training Facility at Alain Leroy Locke High School. In the afternoon, he traveled to Anaheim, CA.

*July 9*

In the morning, the President traveled to Torrance, CA, and in the afternoon, he returned to Los Angeles, CA.

The President announced his intention to nominate Tibor P. Nagy, Jr., to be Ambassador to Ethiopia.

The President announced his intention to appoint William K. Reilly as a member of the Board of Directors of the Presidio Trust.

*July 10*

In the afternoon, the President traveled to Pasadena, CA. Later, he returned to Washington, DC.

*July 12*

In the morning, the President met with Prime Minister John Howard of Australia in the State Dining Room for a working visit.

The President announced his intention to appoint Jared L. Cohon as Chair and member of the Nuclear Waste Technical Review Board.

*July 13*

In the morning, the President traveled to Miami Beach, FL. In the evening, he traveled to Coral Gables, FL, and later, he returned to Washington, DC.

The President announced his intention to appoint Lee Haney as Chair of the President's Council on Physical Fitness and Sports.

*July 14*

In the afternoon, the President traveled to Baltimore, MD, and later, he returned to Washington, DC.

The President announced his intention to nominate David N. Greenlee to be Ambassador to Paraguay.

The President announced his intention to appoint Ronald Morris as a member of the National Drought Policy Commission.

The President announced his intention to appoint Nancy M. Zirkin as a member of the Board of Trustees of the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars.

The White House announced that the President will travel to Little Rock, AR, on August 6–10 and September 22.

*July 15*

In the afternoon, the President met with Crown Prince Khalifa bin Zayid of the United Arab Emirates in the Oval Office.

In the evening, the President and Hillary Clinton traveled to Camp David, MD.

The White House announced that the President will travel to Lansing, MI, on July 22.

The White House announced that the President welcomed the successful outcome of talks between Argentina and the United Kingdom concerning the Falklands/Malvinas and other South Atlantic islands.

*July 16*

In the morning, the President traveled to Des Moines, IA. In the evening, he attended a dinner for Senator Tom Harkin at a private residence. Later, the President returned to Camp David, MD.

The President announced his intention to nominate Andrew Fish to be Assistant Secretary for Congressional Relations at the Department of Agriculture.

*July 18*

In the afternoon, the President and Hillary Clinton returned to Washington, DC.

*July 19*

In the afternoon, the President met with Prime Minister Ehud Barak of Israel in the Oval Office and then in the Cabinet Room.

The President announced his intention to nominate William B. Taylor, Jr., for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as Coordinator for U.S. Assistance to the New Independent States of the former Soviet Union.

The White House announced that the President will travel to Sarajevo, Bosnia-Herzegovina, on July 30 to participate in the Southeast Europe Stability Pact Summit.

*July 20*

The President announced his intention to nominate Jeffrey A. Bader to be Ambassador to Namibia.

The President announced his intention to appoint Curt Smitch as Commissioner of the Pacific Salmon Commission.

The President announced his intention to appoint the following individuals as members of the Board of Advisers on Tribal Colleges and Universities:

Alison R. Bernstein;  
Lionel Bordeaux;  
Tom Colonnese;  
Verna Fowler;  
Tommy Lewis, Jr.;  
Joe McDonald;  
Joseph Martin;  
Gerald (Carty) Monette;

Debra Norris;  
Janine Pease-Pretty on Top;  
Anne C. Petersen;  
Faith Ruth Roessel;  
Karl Stauber;  
Richard Trudell; and  
Patrick Williams.

The President declared a major disaster in Nevada and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by severe storms and flash flooding on July 8–16.

*July 21*

The White House announced that the President and Hillary Clinton will travel to New York City on July 23, to attend the private memorial service for John F. Kennedy, Jr., and Carolyn Bessette Kennedy.

*July 22*

In the morning, the President traveled to Lansing, MI, and in the afternoon, he returned to Washington, DC.

The President announced his intention to nominate Norman A. Wulf to be Special Representative for Nuclear Nonproliferation with the rank of Ambassador at the Department of State.

The White House announced that the President declared a major disaster in Iowa and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by severe storms and flooding on July 2 and continuing.

*July 23*

In the morning, the President and Hillary and Chelsea Clinton traveled to New York City to attend the private memorial service for John F. Kennedy, Jr., and Carolyn Bessette Kennedy at the Church of St. Thomas More. In the afternoon, the President and Chelsea Clinton returned to Washington, DC.

In the evening, the President traveled to Cincinnati, OH, and later, he traveled to Aspen, CO.

*July 24*

In the evening, the President returned to Washington, DC. Later, the President and Hillary and Chelsea Clinton traveled to Rabat, Morocco, arriving the following day.

*July 25*

The President met briefly with Prime Minister Ehud Barak of Israel and Chairman Yasser Arafat of the Palestinian Authority at the Royal Palace in Rabat. The President and Hillary Clinton then met briefly with King Mohammed VI of Morocco, successor to King Hassan II, before attending the funeral of King Hassan.

During the day, the President met separately with the following foreign leaders:

President Abdelaziz Bouteflika of Algeria,  
President Mustafizur Rahman of Bangladesh,

President Hosni Mubarak of Egypt,  
President Jacques Chirac of France,  
Prime Minister Ehud Barak of Israel,  
King Abdullah II of Jordan,  
Crown Prince Saad al-Sabah of Kuwait,  
President Olusegun Obasanjo of Nigeria,  
Chairman Yasser Arafat of the Palestinian Authority,  
President Abdou Diouf of Senegal,  
President Thabo Mbeki of South Africa, and  
President Ali Abdallah Salih of Yemen.

In the evening, the President and Hillary and Chelsea Clinton returned to Washington, DC.

*July 26*

The White House announced that the President announced the release of Treasury Department regulations implementing the administration's new humanitarian-based food and medicine sanctions policy.

*July 27*

The President announced his intention to nominate Anne H. Chasser to be Assistant Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks at the Department of Commerce.

The President announced his intention to appoint Paige E. Reffe as a member of the Board of Visitors of the U.S. Air Force Academy.

The President announced his intention to appoint J. Shelby Bryan as a member of the President's Foreign Intelligence Advisory Board.

*July 28*

The President announced his intention to nominate Martin N. Baily to be Chair and member of the Council of Economic Advisers.

The President announced his intention to nominate Dorian Vanessa Weaver to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Export-Import Bank of the United States.

The President announced his intention to nominate James G. Huse, Jr., to be Inspector General at the Social Security Administration.

The President announced the nomination of Thomas B. Leary to be a member of the Federal Trade Commission.

The President declared a major disaster in Minnesota and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by severe storms, winds, and flooding on July 4 and continuing.

*July 29*

In the morning, the President traveled to Aviano Air Base, Italy.

The President announced his intention to nominate Susan M. Wachter to be Assistant Secretary for Policy Development and Research at the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

The President announced his intention to nominate Zell Miller to be a member of the Board of Directors for the Overseas Private Investment Corporation.

*July 30*

In the morning, the President traveled to Sarajevo, Bosnia-Herzegovina, where he met with Prime Minister Milorad Dodik of Republika Srpska and Prime Minister Edhem Bicakcic and Deputy Prime Minister Dragan Covic of the Federation Government (Muslim and Croat) at Zetra Stadium. In the afternoon, he attended the Stability Pact summit meeting at the stadium. In the evening, the President returned to Washington, DC, arriving the following morning.

The President announced his intention to nominate Edward W. Stimpson to be the U.S. Representative on the Council of the International Civil Aviation Organization, with the rank of Ambassador.

The President announced his intention to nominate Robert H. Griffin and Sam Angel to be members of the Mississippi River Commission.

*August 2*

The President announced his intention to nominate Neal S. Wolin to be General Counsel at the Department of the Treasury.

The President announced his intention to nominate Stephen D. Van Beek to be Associate Deputy Secretary and Director of Intermodalism for the Department of Transportation.

*August 3*

In the morning, the President traveled to Chicago, IL, and in the afternoon, he returned to Washington, DC.

The President announced his intention to nominate Kathryn M. Turman to be Director of the Office for Victims of Crime at the Department of Justice.

The President announced his intention to nominate David J. Hayes to be Deputy Secretary at the Department of the Interior.

The President announced his intention to nominate Michael J. Frazier to be Assistant Secretary for Governmental Affairs at the Department of Transportation.

The President directed the Department of Health and Human Services to release \$55 million in Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program emergency funds for nine States affected by the ongoing heat wave.

The White House announced that the President will meet with Prime Minister Bulent Ecevit of Turkey on September 28.

*August 4*

The President announced the nomination of Ivan Itkin to be Director of the Office of Civilian Radioactive Waste Management at the Department of Energy.

The President announced the nomination of Gregory L. Rohde to be Assistant Secretary for Communications and Information at the Department of Commerce.

The President announced his intention to appoint Cecille Pulitzer as a member of the Library of Congress Trust Fund Board.

*August 5*

The President announced his intention to nominate Carol J. Parry to be a member of the Board of Governors for the Federal Reserve System.

The President announced his intention to nominate Paul Hill to be Chair and member of the Chemical Safety and Hazard Investigation Board.

The President announced his intention to nominate John W. Marshall to be Director of the U.S. Marshals Service at the Department of Justice.

The President announced his intention to nominate John J. Goglia to be a member of the National Transportation Safety Board.

The President announced his intention to nominate Dan Herman Renberg to be a member of the Board of Directors at the Export-Import Bank of the United States.

The White House announced that the President will award the Presidential Medal of Freedom to the following individuals during the week of August 9:

Lloyd M. Bentsen;  
Edgar M. Bronfman, Sr.;  
Jimmy and Rosalynn Carter;  
Evy Dubrow;  
Sister M. Isolina Ferre;  
Gerald R. Ford;  
Oliver White Hill;  
Max Kampelman; and  
Edgar Wayburn.

*August 6*

In the morning, the President traveled to Little Rock, AR.

The President announced the nomination of Sylvia V. Baca to be Assistant Secretary for Land and Minerals Management at the Department of the Interior.

The President announced the nomination of Richard A. Meserve to be a member of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission. The President will designate him as Chair upon appointment.

The President announced the nomination of George Farr to be a member of the Internal Revenue Service Oversight Board.

The President announced the nomination of Linda Morgan to be a member of the Surface Transportation Board. The President will designate her as Chair upon appointment.

The President announced his intention to nominate Roger W. Ferguson, Jr., to be Vice Chair of the Board of Governors for the Federal Reserve System.

The President announced his intention to appoint Sam Kathryn Campana as a member of the National Drought Policy Commission.

The White House announced that the President will attend the Asia Pacific Economic Cooperation

(APEC) Leaders Meeting on September 12–13 in Auckland, New Zealand.

The White House announced that the President will meet with Prime Minister Kjell Magne Bondevik of Norway on October 15.

*August 7*

In the morning, the President traveled to Helena, AR. In the afternoon, he returned to Little Rock, AR.

*August 8*

In the afternoon, the President traveled to St. Louis, MO. In the afternoon, he returned to Washington, DC.

*August 9*

In the morning, the President traveled to Ft. Myer, VA. Later, he returned to Washington, DC. In the afternoon, the President traveled to Atlanta, GA, and in the evening, he returned to Washington, DC.

The President announced his intention to nominate Joshua Gotbaum to be Controller at the Office of Management and Budget.

The White House announced that the President named J. Terry Edmonds as Assistant to the President and Director of Speechwriting.

*August 10*

In an early evening ceremony in the Oval Office, the President received diplomatic credentials from Ambassadors Richard Sezibera of Rwanda, Hugo Noe Pino of Honduras, Joao Alberto Bacelar da Rocha Paris of Portugal, Rubens Antonio Barbosa of Brazil, Ahmed Ould Khalifa Ould Jiddou of Mauritania, George Saliba of Malta, Ernesto Maceda of the Philippines, Alfonso Rivero Monsalve of Peru, and Juan Esteban Aguirre Martinez of Paraguay.

*August 11*

The White House announced that the President accepted an invitation from Prime Minister Jean Chretien for a working visit in Canada on October 8.

*August 12*

In the evening, the President met with Jewish leaders in the Cabinet Room.

*August 13*

In the afternoon, the President and Hillary Clinton went to Camp David, MD.

*August 15*

In the morning, the President and Hillary Clinton traveled to New Rochelle, NY, and in the afternoon, they returned to Camp David, MD.

*August 16*

In the morning, the President traveled to Kansas City, MO, and in the afternoon, he returned to Camp David, MD.

The President declared a major disaster in Utah and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by a tornado, severe thunderstorms, and hail on August 11.

The President declared a major disaster in Wisconsin and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by severe storms, straight-line winds, and flooding July 4 through July 31.

*August 17*

In the morning, the President and Hillary Clinton returned to Washington, DC.

The President announced his intention to appoint Richard Brown as a member of the President's National Security Telecommunications Advisory Committee.

*August 18*

The President announced his intention to nominate Jay W. Johnson to be Director of the Mint at the Department of the Treasury.

The President announced his intention to appoint Raj Reddy and Irving Wladawsky-Berger as Co-Chairs of the President's Information Technology Advisory Committee.

*August 19*

In the afternoon, the President and Hillary Clinton traveled to Martha's Vineyard, MA. In the evening, they attended a birthday celebration for the President at the residence of Vernon Jordan.

The President announced his intention to appoint Carol A. Cartwright as a member of the Board of Trustees of the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars.

The White House announced that the President appointed Deputy Assistant Attorney General Beth Nolan as Assistant to the President and Counsel to the President beginning in September.

*August 20*

In the morning, the President and Hillary Clinton traveled to Nantucket, MA. In the evening, they returned to Martha's Vineyard, MA.

The President declared a major disaster in Nebraska and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by severe storms and flooding August 6 through August 9.

*August 21*

In the morning, the President and Hillary Clinton traveled to Nantucket, MA. In the evening, they returned to Martha's Vineyard, MA.

The President had a telephone conversation with Senator Strom Thurmond concerning Mr. Thurmond's release from the hospital.

*August 22*

The President declared a major disaster in Texas and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local

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recovery efforts in the area struck by severe storms and flooding caused by Hurricane Bret on August 21 and continuing.

*August 24*

The President announced his intention to nominate Willene A. Johnson to be U.S. Executive Director of the African Development Bank.

*August 26*

The President declared a major disaster in Minnesota and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by severe ice storms, flooding, and heavy rains March 1 through May 30.

*August 27*

The White House announced that the President announced the appointment of former U.S. Representative Harry Johnston as Special Envoy for Sudan.

*August 28*

In the afternoon, the President and Hillary Clinton traveled to East Hampton, NY.

*August 29*

In the evening, the President and Hillary Clinton traveled to Bridgehampton, NY.

*August 30*

In the morning, the President and Hillary Clinton traveled to Syracuse, NY, and in the afternoon, they traveled to Skaneateles, NY.

*August 31*

In the evening, the President visited Democratic Party fundraiser Terence McAuliffe's mother, Millie, at the St. Camillus Nursing Home.

The President had separate telephone conversations with Secretary of State Madeleine K. Albright concerning her upcoming trip to the Middle East and with Prime Minister Antonio Guterres of Portugal concerning the elections in East Timor.

The White House announced that the President will travel to Norfolk, VA, on September 6.

*September 1*

The President announced his intention to appoint Stanislaus A. Blejwas, Susan Estrich, Benjamin Meed, and Menachem Z. Rosensaft as members of the U.S. Holocaust Memorial Council.

The President announced his intention to appoint John H. Dalton, Peter J. Kadzik, and Martha Polan Landsman as members of the President's Advisory Committee on the Arts of the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts.

The President declared a major disaster in California and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by severe fires on August 24 and continuing.

The President declared a major disaster in North Carolina and ordered Federal aid to supplement State

and local recovery efforts in the area struck by Hurricane Dennis on August 29 and continuing.

The President declared a major disaster in Pennsylvania and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by severe storms and flooding on August 20–21.

The President declared a major disaster in Texas and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by extreme fire hazards on August 1 and continuing.

The White House announced that the President has named Mark F. Lindsay as Assistant to the President for Management and Administration and Bradley J. Kiley as Deputy Assistant to the President for Management and Administration.

The White House announced that the President will meet with President Eduard Shevardnadze of the Republic of Georgia on September 23.

*September 2*

In the evening, the President and Hillary Clinton traveled to Auburn, NY, and later returned to Skaneateles, NY.

The White House announced that the President and Hillary Clinton have entered into a contract to purchase a home in Chappaqua, NY.

*September 3*

In the afternoon, the President and Hillary Clinton traveled to Camp David, MD.

The White House announced that the President announced the appointment of Robert A. Bradtke as Executive Secretary of the National Security Council.

The White House announced that the President announced the appointment of Alfred H. Moses as Special Presidential Emissary for Cyprus.

*September 6*

In the morning, the President traveled to Norfolk, VA. In the afternoon, he participated in a classroom renovation project at Coleman Place Elementary School. Later, the President traveled to Newport News, VA. In the evening, he returned to Washington, DC.

The President had separate telephone conversations with Secretary-General Kofi Annan of the United Nations and Prime Minister John Howard of Australia concerning the situation in East Timor.

The President declared a major disaster in Virginia and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by Tropical Storm Dennis and tornadoes on August 27 and continuing.

*September 7*

In the afternoon, the President traveled to Olney, MD, where he read to a first grade class and visited a third grade history class at Brooke Grove Elementary School. Later, he returned to Washington, DC.

The President announced his intention to nominate Adm. Joseph W. Prueher to be U.S. Ambassador to China.

*September 8*

In the morning, the President had a telephone conversation with President Boris Yeltsin of Russia on U.S.–Russian relations.

The President announced his intention to nominate Linda Lee Aaker, Edward L. Ayers, Pedro G. Castillo, Peggy Whitman Prenshaw, and Theodore W. Striggles to be members of the National Council on the Humanities.

*September 9*

In the evening, the President and Hillary and Chelsea Clinton traveled to Auckland, New Zealand, arriving on September 11.

The President announced his intention to nominate Sim Farar to be U.S. Representative to the 54th session of the United Nations General Assembly.

The President declared a major disaster in North Carolina and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by Hurricane Dennis on August 29 and continuing.

*September 10*

The President announced his intention to nominate John F. Potter to be a member of the Board of Regents of the Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences at the Department of Defense.

The President announced his intention to nominate William B. Bader to be Assistant Secretary for Educational and Cultural Affairs at the Department of State.

*September 11*

In the morning, after crossing the international dateline, the President and Hillary and Chelsea Clinton arrived in Auckland, New Zealand.

*September 12*

In the morning, the President and Hillary and Chelsea Clinton met with crews participating in the America's Cup and toured the *America True* at Hobson Wharf at the New Zealand National Maritime Museum. Later, the President had a telephone conversation with Serena Williams to congratulate her on winning the U.S. Open tennis tournament.

In the afternoon, the President met separately with Prime Minister Vladimir Putin of Russia in the Merlion Room at the Stamford Plaza Hotel and Prime Minister John Howard of Australia. Later, he attended meetings of the Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation summit at the Carlton Hotel. In the evening, the President attended an APEC dinner in the townhall.

*September 14*

In the morning, the President and Hillary and Chelsea Clinton traveled to Queenstown, New Zealand.

The President declared an emergency in Georgia and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area impacted by Hurricane Floyd on September 14 and continuing.

The President declared an emergency in Florida and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area impacted by Hurricane Floyd on September 14 and continuing.

The White House announced that the President will address the 54th Session of the United Nations General Assembly in New York City on September 21.

*September 15*

In the morning, the President and Hillary and Chelsea Clinton traveled to Christchurch, New Zealand. There, the President toured the International Antarctic Centre. In the evening, the President and Hillary and Chelsea Clinton traveled to Hickam Air Force Base, HI, arriving in the morning of September 15 after crossing the international dateline. They then returned to Washington, DC, arriving after midnight.

The President announced his intention to appoint Ray Martinez as Deputy Assistant to the President and Deputy Director for Intergovernmental Affairs.

The President announced his intention to appoint Sheryl Dicker and Patricia T. Russell as members of the President's Committee on Mental Retardation.

The President announced his intention to appoint Sally Katzen as Chair of the Interagency Committee on Women's Business Enterprise.

The President announced his intention to appoint C. Michael Armstrong as a member of the President's National Security Telecommunications Advisory Committee.

The President declared an emergency in South Carolina and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area impacted by Hurricane Floyd on September 14 and continuing.

The President declared an emergency in North Carolina and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by Hurricane Floyd on September 15 and continuing.

*September 16*

The President declared a major disaster in North Carolina and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by Hurricane Floyd on September 15 and continuing.

*September 17*

The President announced his intention to appoint Steve Owens as a member of the Joint Public Advisory Committee of the Commission for Environmental Cooperation.

The President announced his intention to appoint Theresa Trujeque as a member of the Advisory Council of the Border Environment Cooperation Commission.

The President announced his intention to appoint Sheryl Dicker and Patricia T. Russell as members of the President's Committee on Mental Retardation.

The President announced his intention to appoint C. Michael Armstrong as a member of the President's

National Security Telecommunications Advisory Committee.

The President announced his intention to appoint Sally Katzen as Chair of the Interagency Committee on Women's Business Enterprise.

The President announced his intention to nominate Mary Carlin Yates to be Ambassador to Burundi.

The President declared an emergency in New Jersey and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by Hurricane Floyd on September 16 and continuing.

*September 18*

The President declared a major disaster in Virginia and ordered Federal aid to supplement Commonwealth and local recovery efforts in the area struck by Hurricane Floyd on September 13 and continuing.

The President declared a major disaster in Pennsylvania and ordered Federal aid to supplement Commonwealth and local recovery efforts in the area struck by Hurricane Floyd on September 16 and continuing.

The President declared a major disaster in New Jersey and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by Hurricane Floyd on September 16 and continuing.

The President declared an emergency in New York and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by Hurricane Floyd on September 16 and continuing.

*September 19*

The President declared a major disaster in New York and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by Hurricane Floyd on September 16 and continuing.

*September 20*

In the morning, the President traveled to Raleigh, NC, where he was briefed by Gov. James B. Hunt, Jr., at the airport. In the afternoon, he traveled to Tarboro, NC, where he toured areas damaged by Hurricane Floyd. Later, the President returned to Washington, DC.

*September 21*

In the morning, the President traveled to New York City, where he met separately with U.N. Secretary-General Kofi Annan and President Ismail Omar Guelleh of Djibouti at the United Nations.

In the afternoon, the President met separately at the United Nations with the following foreign leaders:

Prime Minister Mikulas Dzurinda of Slovakia,  
President Thabo Mbeki of South Africa,  
President Carlos Saul Menem of Argentina,  
President Benjamin William Mkapa of Tanzania,  
President Andres Pastrana of Colombia, and  
President Hugo Chavez Frias of Venezuela.

In the evening, the President returned to Washington, DC.

The President announced his intention to nominate Gregory A. Baer to be Assistant Secretary for Financial Markets at the Department of the Treasury.

The President announced his intention to nominate Ira Berlin and Evelyn Edson to be members of the National Council on the Humanities.

The President announced his intention to appoint David Berger, Lanny A. Breuer, and Nan H. Rich to the U.S. Holocaust Memorial Council.

The President announced his intention to appoint William C. Oldaker as a member of the National Bioethics Advisory Commission.

The President announced his intention to appoint W. Robert Connor as a member of the President's Committee on the Arts and the Humanities.

The President announced his intention to appoint Jeremy Bernard to the President's Advisory Committee on the Arts of the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts.

The President announced the appointment of Alan Philip Larson as a member of the Board of Directors for the Overseas Private Investment Corporation.

The President declared a major disaster in South Carolina and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by Hurricane Floyd on September 14 and continuing.

The President declared a major disaster in Delaware and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by Hurricane Floyd on September 15–17.

*September 22*

The President announced his intention to appoint Shirley J. Humphrey to the National Nutrition Monitoring Advisory Council.

The President declared a major disaster in Florida and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by Hurricane Floyd on September 13 and continuing.

The President declared a major disaster in Pennsylvania and ordered Federal aid to supplement Commonwealth and local recovery efforts in the area struck by severe flash flooding associated with Tropical Depression Dennis on September 6–7.

The President declared a major disaster in New Mexico and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by severe storms and flooding on July 16–August 7.

The White House announced that President Olusegun Obasanjo of Nigeria will make an official working visit to Washington, DC, on October 28.

*September 23*

The President announced his intention to nominate Skila Harris and Glenn L. McCullough, Jr., to be members of the Board of Directors of the Tennessee Valley Authority.

The President announced his intention to nominate William A. Halter to be Deputy Commissioner of the Social Security Administration.

The President announced his intention to nominate Gerald V. Poje to be a member of the Chemical Safety and Hazard Investigation Board.

The President announced his intention to nominate J. Stapleton Roy to be Assistant Secretary for Intelligence and Research at the State Department.

The President declared a major disaster in Connecticut and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by high winds, heavy rains, and flooding associated with Tropical Storm Floyd on September 16 and continuing.

#### *September 24*

The President announced his intention to nominate A.J. Eggenberger and Jessie M. Roberson to be members of the Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board.

The President declared a major disaster in Maryland and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by Hurricane Floyd on September 16–20.

The White House announced that the President named Baltimore City Police Commissioner Thomas Frazier as Director of the Office of Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS) at the Justice Department.

#### *September 25*

In the morning, the President traveled to Bethesda, MD, for his annual physical at the National Naval Medical Center. Later, he returned to Washington, DC.

#### *September 27*

In the morning, the President traveled to New Orleans, LA, and in the evening, he returned to Washington, DC.

The President announced his intention to nominate Frank H. Cruz and Ernest J. Wilson III to be members of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting.

The President announced his intention to appoint Richard H. Brown as a member of the Advisory Committee for Trade Policy and Negotiations.

The President announced his intention to appoint Sara Castro-Klaren, Hoyt H. Purvis, and Lee Williams to the J. William Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Board.

The White House announced that the President will travel to Canada on October 8, to address the Forum of Federations in Mont Tremblant and to meet with Prime Minister Jean Chretien in Ottawa.

The White House announced that the President will attend the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe Summit in Istanbul, Turkey, on November 18–19, and will visit Bulgaria before the summit and Italy and Greece after the summit.

#### *September 28*

The President announced his intention to nominate Charles Manatt to be Ambassador to the Dominican Republic.

The President announced his intention to nominate Avis Thayer Bohlen to be Assistant Secretary of the Bureau of Arms Control at the Department of State.

The President announced his intention to nominate Alan C. Kessler and LeGree S. Daniels to be members of the U.S. Postal Service Board of Governors.

The President announced his intention to appoint Ronnie Fern Liebowitz as a member of the U.S. Naval Academy Board of Visitors.

#### *September 29*

The President announced his intention to appoint Richard N. Zare as Chair and Sandra M. Faber and Jay Patel as members of the President's Committee on the National Medal of Science.

The President announced his intention to appoint Marvin E. Johnson and John G. Wofford as members of the Federal Service Impasses Panel.

#### *September 30*

In the afternoon, the President traveled to Palisades, NY, and in the evening, he returned to Washington, DC.

The President announced his intention to nominate Joseph R. Crapa to be Assistant Administrator for Legislative and Public Affairs for the U.S. Agency for International Development.

The President announced his intention to appoint John Gage, Nancy E. Pfund, and Susan R. Collins as members of the Web-Based Education Commission.

The President announced his intention to appoint Martin E. Marty as a member of the President's Committee on the Arts and the Humanities.

#### *October 1*

In the morning, the President traveled to Las Vegas, NV, and in the afternoon, he traveled to Palo Alto, CA.

#### *October 2*

In the afternoon, the President traveled to Beverly Hills, CA, and in the evening, he traveled to Brentwood, CA.

#### *October 3*

In the morning, the President traveled to Beverly Hills, CA, and in the evening, he returned to Washington, DC, arriving the following morning.

#### *October 4*

The President announced his intention to nominate Alphonso Maldon, Jr., to be Assistant Secretary of Defense for Force Management Policy.

The President announced his intention to nominate Cornelius P. O'Leary to be a member of the National Security Education Board.

The President announced his intention to nominate John K. Veroneau to be Assistant Secretary of Defense for Legislative Affairs.

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The President announced his intention to nominate Roy E. Barnes to be a member of the National Drought Policy Commission.

*October 5*

The White House announced that the President met with Senate Finance Committee Chairman William V. Roth, Jr., and ranking Democratic Senator Daniel Patrick Moynihan in the Oval Office to discuss Medicare reform.

*October 6*

The President announced his intention to nominate Donald Stuart Hays to be U.S. Representative to the United Nations for U.N. Management and Reform, with the rank of Ambassador.

*October 7*

In the morning, the President traveled to New York City, and in the evening, he traveled to Ottawa, Canada.

The President announced his intention to appoint Jeanne P. Nathan to the President's Advisory Committee on the Arts of the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts.

*October 8*

In the afternoon, the President traveled to Mont-Tremblant, Canada. Later, he met with Premier Lucien Bouchard of Quebec. In the evening, the President traveled to Chicago, IL.

The President announced his intention to nominate Alan P. Larson to be Under Secretary for Economic, Business, and Agricultural Affairs at the Department of State.

The President announced his intention to nominate Carol Moseley-Braun to be U.S. Ambassador to New Zealand.

The President announced his intention to nominate Amy L. Comstock to be Director of the Office of Government Ethics.

The President announced his intention to appoint Marc H. Morial as a member of the Twenty-First Century Workforce Commission.

*October 9*

In the afternoon, the President returned to Washington, DC.

*October 10*

In the afternoon, the President traveled to Camp David, MD.

*October 12*

In the morning, the President returned to Washington, DC. In the afternoon, he met with King Abdullah II of Jordan.

*October 13*

In the morning, the President traveled to George Washington National Forest, VA, and in the afternoon, he returned to Washington, DC.

The President announced his intention to appoint Jennifer L. Hernandez as a member of the Board of Directors of the Presidio Trust.

*October 14*

The President announced his intention to appoint Kumiki Gibson as a member of the District of Columbia Commission on Judicial Disabilities and Tenure.

*October 15*

In the morning, the President met with Prime Minister Kjell Bondevik of Norway.

The President announced his intention to nominate Herschelle S. Challenor to be a member of the National Security Education Board.

The President announced the nomination of Charles L. Kolbe to the Internal Revenue Service Oversight Board.

The President declared a major disaster in Arizona and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by severe storms, flooding, and high winds on September 14–23.

The President declared a major disaster in Florida and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by Hurricane Irene on October 14 and continuing.

*October 18*

In the afternoon, the President traveled to Newark, NJ. In the evening, he traveled to Elizabeth, NJ, and later returned to Washington, DC.

The President declared a major disaster in New Hampshire and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by Tropical Storm Floyd on September 16–18.

*October 19*

In the afternoon, the President met with President Mireya Moscoso of Panama in the Oval Office.

In the evening, the President met with congressional leaders concerning the budget. Later, he attended a Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee dinner at Sam & Harry's Restaurant and a Democratic Senatorial Campaign Committee dinner at a private residence.

The President announced his intention to nominate Linda J. Bilmes to be Chief Financial Officer and Assistant Secretary for Administration at the Department of Commerce.

*October 20*

The President announced his intention to appoint Frances Ann Ulmer as a member of the North Pacific Anadromous Fish Commission.

The President announced his intention to appoint Jan A. Hartke as a member of the Enterprise for the Americas Board.

The President declared a major disaster in Florida and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by Hurricane Irene on October 14 and continuing.

*October 21*

In the afternoon, the President met with former President Nelson Mandela of South Africa in the Oval Office.

The President announced his intention to nominate Marc B. Nathanson to be a member of the Broadcasting Board of Governors.

*October 22*

The White House announced that the President will travel to Oslo, Norway, on November 1–2 for a state visit, at the invitation of King Harald V.

*October 25*

In the afternoon, the President traveled to New York City. In the evening, he returned to Washington, DC, arriving after midnight.

The President announced his intention to reappoint Senators Edward M. Kennedy and Orrin G. Hatch and U.S. Circuit Court Judge Morris (Buzz) Arnold as members of the Board of Trustees of the James Madison Memorial Fellowship Foundation.

*October 26*

The President announced his intention to nominate James D. (J.D.) Bindenagel for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure as Special Envoy for Holocaust Issues.

The President announced his intention to nominate Thomas A. Fry III to be Director of the Bureau of Land Management at the Department of the Interior.

The White House announced that the President will visit Greece on November 13–15 and Turkey on November 15–17, before attending the summit of the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe in Istanbul, Turkey, on November 17–19. Following the summit, he will visit Florence, Italy, November 20–21 and Bulgaria, November 21–23.

*October 27*

In the morning, the President met with European Commission President Romano Prodi in the Oval Office.

The President announced his intention to appoint Bernard J. Hansen as Commissioner of the U.S. Section of the Great Lakes Fisheries Commission.

*October 28*

In the morning, the President met with President Olusegun Obasanjo of Nigeria in the Oval Office, and in the afternoon, they met again in the Cabinet Room.

The President announced his intention to nominate Bobby L. Roberts to be a member of the National Commission on Libraries and Information Science.

The President announced his intention to nominate Martin S. Indyk to be Ambassador to Israel.

The President announced his intention to nominate Edward S. Walker, Jr., to be Assistant Secretary for Near Eastern Affairs at the Department of State.

*October 29*

In the morning, the President traveled to Philadelphia, PA. In the afternoon, he traveled to Atlanta, GA. En route, he had separate telephone conversations with President Hosni Mubarak of Egypt and President Robert Kocharian of Armenia. In the evening, the President returned to Washington, DC.

The President announced his intention to nominate N. Cinnamon Dornsife to be the U.S. Executive Director to the Asian Development Bank with the rank of Ambassador.

The President announced his intention to nominate Bruce A. Morrison to be Chairman and member of the Federal Housing Finance Board.

The President announced his intention to nominate J. Timothy O'Neill to be a member of the Federal Housing Finance Board.

The President announced his intention to nominate Anthony S. Harrington to be Ambassador to the Federative Republic of Brazil.

*October 30*

In the morning, the President and Hillary Clinton traveled to Providence, RI, to attend the funeral service for Senator John H. Chafee, and in the afternoon, they returned to Washington, DC.

*October 31*

In the afternoon, the President traveled to Oslo, Norway, arriving the following morning.

*November 1*

In the afternoon, the President met with Prime Minister Ehud Barak of Israel in the Holmenkollen Room II at the Radisson Plaza Hotel.

The President announced his intention to nominate Michael G. Rossmann and Daniel Simberloff to be members of the National Science Board.

The President announced his intention to reappoint Patrick D. Cannon and June I. Kailes as members of the Architectural and Transportation Barriers Compliance Board.

*November 2*

In the afternoon, the President met with Prime Minister Vladimir Putin of Russia in the Library Room at City Hall.

The President had separate telephone conversations with Gov. Paul E. Patton of Kentucky; Lt. Gov. Ronnie Musgrove of Mississippi; Mayor-elect Bart Peterson of Indianapolis, IN; Mayor Woodrow Stanley of Flint, MI; Mayor-elect Michael Coleman of Columbus, OH; Mayor-elect John F. Street of Philadelphia, PA; Mayor Edward Rendell of Philadelphia, chairman, Democratic National Committee; and B.J. Thornberry, executive director, Democratic Governors Association.

In the evening, the President returned to Washington, DC.

The President announced his intention to nominate Revius Ortigue to be U.S. Alternate Representative

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to the 54th session of the General Assembly of the United Nations.

The President announced his intention to nominate Irwin Belk to be Alternate Delegate for the 54th session of the General Assembly of the United Nations.

The President announced his intention to nominate Earl Anthony Wayne to be Assistant Secretary for Economic and Business Affairs at the Department of State.

The President announced his intention to appoint Gail S. Schoettler for rank of Ambassador as head of the U.S. delegation to the World Radio Conference.

*November 3*

In the afternoon, the President met with Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Defense Prince Sultan of Saudi Arabia in the Oval Office.

In the evening, the President met with former Senator George J. Mitchell in the Residence at the White House.

*November 4*

In the morning, the President traveled to Newark, NJ. In the afternoon, he traveled to Hartford, CT, where he toured the El Mercado marketplace.

In the evening, the President was interviewed by Larry McQuillan of USA Today at the Artist's Collective. Later, he traveled to Little Rock, AR.

The President announced his intention to nominate Carol J. Carmody to be a member of the National Transportation Safety Board.

The President announced his intention to appoint Valdis Mezainis as a member of the Enterprise for the Americas Board.

*November 5*

In the morning, the President traveled to Hermitage, AR, where he toured the Hermitage Tomato Co-operative Association.

In the afternoon, the President traveled to Chicago, IL, and in the evening, he returned to Washington, DC, arriving after midnight.

*November 8*

In the afternoon, the President met with Prime Minister Milos Zeman of the Czech Republic and Prime Minister Mikulas Dzurinda of Slovakia.

The President announced his intention to nominate Mark L. Schneider to be Director of the Peace Corps.

The President announced his intention to nominate Juanita Sims Doty and Leslie Lenkowsky to be members of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for National and Community Service.

The President announced his intention to nominate Gov. Mel Carnahan of Missouri to be a member of the Board of Trustees of the Harry S. Truman Scholarship Foundation.

*November 9*

The President announced his intention to nominate Gary A. Barron to be a member of the Board of

Directors of the Overseas Private Investment Corporation.

The President announced his intention to nominate Antony Merck to be Commissioner of the Federal Maritime Commission of the United States.

The President announced his intention to nominate Randolph D. Moss to be Assistant Attorney General for the Office of Legal Counsel at the Department of Justice.

The President announced his intention to nominate John R. Lacey to be Chair and Laramie F. McNamara to be a member of the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission of the United States.

*November 10*

In the morning, the President had telephone conversations with Speaker of the House J. Dennis Hastert and Senate Majority Leader Trent Lott concerning the budget negotiations. He later had a second telephone conversation with Senator Lott concerning trade legislation for Africa and the Caribbean.

Later in the morning, the President traveled to York, PA, where he toured the Harley-Davidson Motor Co. plant. In the afternoon, he returned to Washington, DC.

The President announced his intention to nominate Robert M. (Mike) Walker to be Under Secretary for Memorial Affairs at the Department of Veterans Affairs.

The President announced his intention to nominate Frank S. Holleman III to be Deputy Secretary of the Department of Education.

The President announced his intention to nominate Luis Lauredo to be the U.S. Permanent Representative to the Organization of American States, with the rank of Ambassador.

The President announced his intention to nominate Donald R. Vereen, Jr., to be Deputy Director of the Office of National Drug Control Policy.

The President announced his intention to nominate Deanna Tanner Okun to be a member of the International Trade Commission.

The President announced his intention to nominate Ernest W. DuBester, Francis J. Duggan, and Magdalena G. Jacobsen to be members of the National Mediation Board.

The President announced his intention to nominate Jerome F. Kever and Virgil M. Speakman, Jr., to be members of the Railroad Retirement Board.

The President announced his intention to nominate Carol Waller Pope to be a member of the Federal Labor Relations Authority.

The President announced his intention to nominate Eric D. Eberhard to be a member of the Board of Trustees for the Morris K. Udall Scholarship and Excellence in National Environmental Policy Foundation.

The President announced his intention to nominate Monte R. Belger to be Deputy Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation.

The President announced his intention to nominate Joan R. Challinor to be a member of the National Commission on Libraries and Information Science.

The President declared a major disaster in Vermont and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by severe storms and flooding associated with Tropical Storm Floyd on September 16–21.

The White House announced that the President rescheduled his visit to Greece and will travel from Istanbul, Turkey, to Athens, Greece, on November 19 and continue to Italy on November 20.

*November 11*

In the morning, the President traveled to Arlington, VA, where he participated in a Veterans Day wreath-laying ceremony at the Tomb of the Unknowns. In the afternoon, he returned to Washington, DC.

*November 14*

In the morning, the President and Hillary and Chelsea Clinton traveled to Ankara, Turkey.

*November 15*

In the morning, the President participated in a wreath-laying ceremony at the mausoleum of Kemal Ataturk, founder of modern Turkey.

The President announced his intention to nominate James Hoecker to be a member of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission and will designate him Chair upon appointment.

*November 16*

In the morning, the President and Hillary and Chelsea Clinton traveled to Izmit, Turkey, where they toured earthquake-damaged areas. In the afternoon, they traveled to Istanbul, Turkey.

The President announced his intention to nominate Janie L. Jeffers to be a Commissioner of the U.S. Parole Commission.

The President announced his intention to nominate W. Michael McCabe to be Deputy Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency.

*November 17*

In the morning, the President and Hillary and Chelsea Clinton traveled to Ephesus, Turkey, where they toured ancient ruins and the Ephesus Museum. In the afternoon, they returned to Istanbul.

In the evening, the President met with Prime Minister Ehud Barak of Israel in the Conrad Motel. Later, the President and Hillary and Chelsea Clinton met with Ecumenical Patriarch Bartholomew in the Throne Room at the Ecumenical Patriarchate.

Later in the evening, the President and Hillary Clinton attended a cultural performance at the Media Center.

The President announced his intention to nominate Kathryn Shaw to be a member of the Council of Economic Advisers.

The President announced his intention to appoint Al From as a member of the U.S. Naval Academy Board of Visitors.

The President declared a major disaster in the U.S. Virgin Islands and ordered Federal aid to supplement territory and local recovery efforts in the area struck by Hurricane Lenny on November 17 and continuing.

The President declared an emergency in the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico and ordered Federal aid to supplement Commonwealth and local recovery efforts in the area struck by Hurricane Lenny on November 17 and continuing.

*November 18*

In the morning, the President met with President Boris Yeltsin of Russia in Suite 6 at Ciragan Palace. In the afternoon, he met with President Jacques Chirac of France in Suite 6 at Ciragan Palace.

The President announced his intention to appoint Bob Armstrong as Chair and U.S. Representative to the Rio Grande Compact Commission.

The President announced his intention to appoint Aurelio Sisneros as Chair and Federal Representative of the Arkansas River Compact Administration (Colorado and Kansas).

The President declared a major disaster in Maine and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by Hurricane Floyd on September 16–19.

The White House announced that the President, accompanied by Secretary of State Madeleine K. Albright, hosted a small gathering of representatives from Turkish nongovernmental organizations.

*November 19*

In the evening, the President and Hillary and Chelsea Clinton traveled to Athens, Greece, where they attended a state dinner with President Konstandinos Stephanopoulos of Greece at the Presidential Palace.

The President named Lauren Supina as Deputy Assistant to the President and Director of Women's Initiatives and Outreach.

*November 20*

In the afternoon, the President and Hillary and Chelsea Clinton traveled to Florence, Italy.

*November 21*

In the evening, the President and Chelsea Clinton traveled to Sofia, Bulgaria.

*November 22*

In the morning, the President participated in a wreath-laying ceremony at the Bulgarian Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.

In the afternoon, the President and Chelsea Clinton participated in a discussion with students from the American University of Bulgaria at the Down the Alley, Behind the Cupboard Restaurant.

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The President announced his intention to appoint David J. Hickton as a member of the President's Advisory Committee on the Arts of the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts.

*November 23*

In the morning, the President and Chelsea Clinton traveled to Pristina, Kosovo. There, the President met first with U.N. Special Representative Bernard Kouchner and the German Commander of KFOR, Gen. Klaus Reinhardt and later with the Kosovo Transitional Council at Pristina Airport. Later, the President and Chelsea Clinton traveled to Ferizaj, Kosovo. In the afternoon, they returned to Washington, DC.

The President announced the following organizations as winners of the 1999 Malcolm Baldrige National Quality Award:

STMicronics, Inc.—Region Americas  
(Carrollton, TX; manufacturing);

BI (Minneapolis, MN; service);

the Ritz-Carlton Hotel Company, L.L.C. (Atlanta, GA; service); and

Sunny Fresh Foods (Monticello, MN; small business/manufacturing).

The President declared a major disaster in the U.S. Virgin Islands and ordered Federal aid to supplement territorial and local recovery efforts in the area struck by Hurricane Lenny on November 17 and continuing.

*November 24*

In the afternoon, the President and Hillary Clinton traveled to Camp David, MD.

The President announced his intention to appoint Rhonda Walters as a member of the Commission on Presidential Scholars.

*November 28*

The President and Hillary Clinton returned to Washington, DC.

*November 29*

In an early evening ceremony in the Oval Office, the President received diplomatic credentials from Ambassadors Lebohang K. Moleko of Lesotho, Mario Artaza of Chile, Roland Eng of Cambodia, Simbi Veke Mubako of Zimbabwe, Roberto Bernardo Saladin Selin of the Dominican Republic, Guillermo Alfredo Ford Boyd of Panama, Mohamed Nabil Fahmy of Egypt, Shunji Yanai of Japan, and Jibril Muhammed Aminu of Nigeria.

The President announced the recess appointment of Leonard R. Page as General Counsel of the National Labor Relations Board.

*November 30*

In the morning, the President traveled to San Francisco, CA. In the evening, he traveled to Beverly Hills, CA, and Seattle, WA.

The President announced his intention to appoint John T. Pawlikowski and Jerome J. Shestack to the U.S. Holocaust Memorial Council.

*December 1*

In the morning, the President toured the Control Tower and Terminal Five Transit Shed at the Port of Seattle, WA. In the afternoon, he spoke briefly to representatives of the agricultural community.

*December 2*

In the afternoon, the President traveled to Philadelphia, PA, where he attended a reception at the Pennsylvania Convention Center. In the evening, he returned to Washington, DC.

*December 3*

In the afternoon, the President participated in a menorah lighting ceremony in the Oval Office.

*December 6*

In the evening, the President and Hillary Clinton attended the Congressional Ball in the Map Room.

The President declared an emergency in Massachusetts and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by fire on December 3 and continuing.

*December 7*

The President announced his intention to appoint Deborah E. Lipstadt and Sidney R. Yates to the U.S. Holocaust Memorial Council.

*December 8*

In the morning, the President met with President Leonid Kuchma of Ukraine in the Oval Office.

The President had separate telephone conversations with Prime Minister Ehud Barak of Israel and Chairman Yasser Arafat of the Palestinian Authority on the Middle East peace process.

*December 9*

In the morning, the President met in the Oval Office with representatives of civil rights organizations, communications industries, and other foundations to discuss efforts to narrow the digital divide. Later, he traveled to Worcester, MA. In the afternoon, the President returned to Washington, DC.

The President announced his intention to appoint Victoria McCammon Murphy to the J. William Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Board.

The President announced his intention to recess appoint Stuart E. Weisberg as a member of the Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission.

The President announced his intention to recess appoint Janie L. Jeffers and Marie F. Ragghianti as Commissioners of the U.S. Parole Commission.

*December 10*

In the morning, the President traveled to Little Rock, West Memphis, and Earle, AR. In the evening, he traveled to Orlando, FL.

*December 11*

In the morning, the President traveled to Fort Lauderdale, FL.

In the evening, the President traveled to Miami, FL, and later, he returned to Washington, DC, arriving after midnight.

*December 12*

In the evening, the President and Hillary Clinton attended the annual "Christmas in Washington" celebration at the National Building Museum.

*December 14*

In the afternoon, the President met with Filipino veterans of World War II at the Dwight D. Eisenhower Executive Office Building.

The President announced his intention to appoint Gus Weill as a member of the J. William Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Board.

*December 15*

In the morning, the President met separately with Prime Minister Ehud Barak of Israel and Minister of Foreign Affairs Farouk al-Shara of Syria in the Oval Office.

The President announced his intention to appoint Amanda Aguirre, Jeffrey Brandon, Carlos Rene Gonzales, Rosemarie Marshall Johnson, Laurance N. Nickey, Blair Sadler, Catherine Torres, and Paul Villas as members of the U.S. section of the United States-Mexico Border Health Commission.

*December 16*

In the morning, the President was interviewed by Peter Jennings of ABC News in the Diplomatic Reception Room.

In the afternoon, he met separately with Prime Minister Ehud Barak of Israel and Minister of Foreign Affairs Farouk al-Shara of Syria in the Oval Office.

*December 17*

The President announced his intention to appoint Paul LeClerc as a member of the President's Committee on the Arts and Humanities.

The President announced the recess appointment of Sarah M. Fox as a member of the National Labor Relations Board.

*December 20*

In the morning, the President met with First Minister David Trimble of Northern Ireland in the Oval Office on the Northern Ireland peace process.

In the afternoon, the President and Hillary Clinton hosted a Christmas celebration for children in the East Room.

The White House announced that the President expressed his deep condolences for those killed and quick recovery wishes to those injured in the two bomb blasts at election rallies in Sri Lanka.

*December 21*

In the morning, the President met with President Nursultan Nazarbayev of Kazakhstan in the Oval Office.

The President announced his intention to appoint Samuel H. Preston and Mary Lou Zoback as members of the President's Committee on the National Medal of Science.

*December 22*

The President announced his intention to recess appoint Clifford Gregory Stewart as General Counsel at the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission.

The President announced his intention to recess appoint Mark L. Schneider as Director of the Peace Corps.

The President announced his intention to recess appoint Luis Lauredo as the U.S. Permanent Representative to the Organization of American States, with the rank of Ambassador.

The President announced his intention to designate Robert M. (Mike) Walker as Acting Under Secretary for Memorial Affairs at the Department of Veterans Affairs.

*December 27*

The White House announced that the President will attend the World Economic Forum in Davos, Switzerland, on January 29, 2000.

*December 28*

The President announced his intention to recess appoint Frank S. Holleman III as Deputy Secretary of the Department of Education.