

mit herewith the Treaty Between the United States of America and the Republic of Bulgaria Concerning the Encouragement and Reciprocal Protection of Investment, with Protocol and related exchange of letters, signed at Washington on September 23, 1992. I transmit also, for the information of the Senate, the report of the Department of State with respect to this Treaty.

The Treaty will help to encourage U.S. private sector involvement in the Bulgarian economy by establishing a favorable legal framework for U.S. investment in Bulgaria. The Treaty is fully consistent with U.S. policy toward international investment. A specific tenet, reflected in this Treaty, is that U.S. investment abroad and foreign investment in the United States should receive fair, equitable, and nondiscriminatory treatment. Under this Treaty, the Parties also agree to international law standards for expropriation and expropriation compensation; free transfers of funds associated with investments; and the option of the investor to resolve disputes with the host government through international arbitration.

I recommend that the Senate consider this Treaty as soon as possible, and give its advice and consent to ratification of the Treaty, with Protocol and related exchange of letters, at an early date.

George Bush,

The White House,
January 19, 1993.

NOTE: This message was released by the Office of the Press Secretary on January 20.

Letter to Congressional Leaders Transmitting the Report on the Recommendations of the United Nations Secretary-General

January 19, 1993

Dear Mr. Speaker: (Dear Mr. President:)

Consistent with section 1341 of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1993 (Public Law 102-484), I hereby transmit my report on the proposals of the Secretary General of the United Nations contained in his report to the Security Council

entitled "Preventive Diplomacy, Peacemaking and Peacekeeping", dated June 19, 1992.

Sincerely,

George Bush

NOTE: This letter was released by the Office of the Press Secretary on January 20. Identical letters were sent to Thomas S. Foley, Speaker of the House of Representatives, and Dan Quayle, President of the Senate.

Points of Light Recognition Program

President Bush named the following individuals and institutions as exemplars of his commitment to making community service central to the life and work of every American.

January 16

Volunteers of Rape Victim Services, of Paducah, KY

January 17

Phylliss Fishleder and the volunteers of Fabulous Finds, of San Diego, CA

January 18

Robert Thompson, of St. Joseph, MO

January 19

Jennifer Trigg, of San Jose, CA

January 20

Volunteers of Mariucci Inner City Hockey Starter Association, of St. Paul, MN

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 issue.
