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October 18

The White House announced the President will host an informal meeting with the economic leaders of 15 Organization for Asian-Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC) members in Seattle on November 19 and 20.

The President congratulated the two winners of the 1993 Malcolm Baldrige National Quality Award for excellence in quality management. The winners are Eastman Chemical Co. of Kingsport, TN, in the manufacturing category and Ames Rubber Corp. of Hamburg, NJ, in the small business category.

October 19

The President announced his intention to nominate Jesse L. White to be Cochair of the Appalachian Regional Commission.

The White House announced the President has approved the recommendation of the Secretary of Defense that U.S. Army Special Operations Command elements (Rangers) be returned to the United States from Somalia within the next few days.

October 20

The President announced his appointment of the following individuals to be members of Emergency Board No. 223, to investigate and make recommendations for settlement of a railroad labor dispute:

Bonnie Weinstock, of Melville, NY, Chair;

M. David Vaughn, of Gaithersburg, MD, member; and

Charlotte Gold, of Palm Beach Gardens, FL, member.

October 22

In the afternoon, the President had a working luncheon with members of his Cabinet at Blair House.

The White House announced that Ambassador Paul J. Hare has been named the U.S. Special Representative to the Angolan peace process.

The White House announced that President Clinton has invited President Kim Young Sam of Korea to visit the White House on November 23.

Nominations Submitted to the Senate

The following list does not include promotions of members of the Uniformed Services, nominations to the Service Academies, or nominations of Foreign Service officers.

Submitted October 19

Mark L. Schneider,
of California, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development, vice James Henry Michel, resigned.

Submitted October 20

Olivia A. Golden,
of the District of Columbia, to be Commissioner on Children, Youth, and Families, Department of Health and Human Services (new position).

Jane M. Wales,
of New York, to be an Associate Director of the Office of Science and Technology Policy, vice J. Thomas Ratchford, resigned.

Submitted October 21

Martha Anne Krebs,
of California, to be Director of the Office of Energy Research, Department of Energy, vice William Happer, resigned.

Mary Rita Cooke Greenwood,
of California, to be an Associate Director of the Office of Science and Technology Policy, vice Karl A. Erb, resigned.

Alan D. Bersin,
of California, to be U.S. attorney for the Southern District of California for the term of 4 years, vice William Braniff, resigned.

James Burton Burns,
of Illinois, to be U.S. attorney for the Northern District of Illinois for the term of 4 years, vice Fred L. Foreman, resigned.

Joseph Leslie Famularo,
of Kentucky, to be U.S. attorney for the Eastern District of Kentucky for the term of 4 years, vice Karen K. Caldwell.

Walter Charles Grace,
of Illinois, to be U.S. attorney for the Southern District of Illinois for the term of 4 years, vice Frederick J. Hess, resigned.

Michael David Skinner,
of Louisiana, to be U.S. attorney for the Western District of Louisiana for the term of 4 years, vice Joseph S. Cage, Jr., resigned.

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 October 16

Statement by Director of Communications Mark Gearan on action by the United Nations Security Council to adopt sanctions on Haiti

Released October 18

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Dee Dee Myers

Statement by Press Secretary Dee Dee Myers on the 1993 Malcolm Baldrige National Quality Award recipients

Statement by Press Secretary Dee Dee Myers on the decision of the Government of Pakistan to provide 1,500 additional troops for the U.N. mission in Somalia

Announcement that the President will host an informal meeting of the Organization for Asian-Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC) members

Announcement of the White House Conference on Climate Change

Released October 19

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Dee Dee Myers

Statement by Press Secretary Dee Dee Myers on deployment of forces in Somalia

Transcript of a press briefing by Director of the White House Office of Environmental Policy Kathleen McGinty; Energy Secretary Hazel O'Leary; Transportation Secretary Federico Peña; and Environmental Protection Agency Administrator Carol Browner

Listing of Members of Congress meeting with the President on the North American Free Trade Agreement

Announcement of the White House Conference on Climate Change

Announcement of the nomination of Jesse L. White, Jr., to be a Cochair of the Appalachian Regional Commission

Released October 20

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Dee Dee Myers

Statement by Press Secretary Dee Dee Myers on Haiti

Announcement of the President's signing of Executive Order 12873—Federal Acquisition, Recycling, and Waste Prevention

Announcement of Presidential Emergency Board No. 223

Released October 21

Text of a letter to the President from Jerry Jansinowski, president, National Association of Manufacturers, on health care reform

Statement by Press Secretary Dee Dee Myers on legislation signed by the President

Statement by AIDS Policy Coordinator Kristine Gebbie on effective HIV prevention in adolescents

Announcement of the resignation of Marla Romash as Communications Director for Vice President Albert Gore, Jr.

Released October 22

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Dee Dee Myers

Statement by Press Secretary Dee Dee Myers on the designation of Ambassador Paul J. Hare as the U.S. Special Representative to the Angola peace process

Announcement of intention to nominate four U.S. attorneys

Listing of Members of Congress meeting with the President on the North American Free Trade Agreement