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ADDRESS AT THE CONVENTION OF THE UNITED STEELWORKERS OF AMERICA  
September 20, 1978

President McBride, delegates of the United Steel-  
workers of America, and friends --

It's an honor to be introduced by one of the most  
outstanding labor leaders in America today -- your  
President, Lloyd McBride -- and to speak to one of the  
finest groups of working men and women I know, the United  
Steelworkers of America.

I am here today to reaffirm my solidarity with the  
working people of our nation in pursuing the goals we  
share. There is no clearer expression of my commitment  
to this solidarity than my appointment of Ray Marshall  
as Secretary of Labor.

You who have gathered in convention here this week represent one of America's great national assets.

I am not talking about size alone, nor even about the enormous gains steelworkers have made for themselves in the last forty-two years.

I am talking about the broader social vision of this international union and of the American labor movement.

You have been part of the conscience of America. Conscience is what motivated Phil Murray to organize this union in the first place. Conscience is what motivated one of the most decent and honorable men ever to serve as a union President, I. W. Abel. And Abe Abel's successor is poured out of that same crucible.

These men exemplify your fight for decency and social justice and human rights -- not just for your

own members, but also for millions of others who never carried a union card.

You have fought for the right of young people to have a decent education. And we are working together this year to achieve an unprecedented increase in Federal aid to education.

You have fought for the right of older people to enjoy security and to escape the burden of doubt and fear.

When I assumed office, our nation's Social Security System was on the verge of financial collapse. You can be proud that the Steelworkers Union joined with my Administration and the Congress to restore the integrity of the Social Security system.

On issue after issue, down the line, the labor movement and my Administration have stood together. And we can be proud of what we've accomplished.

We stood together to give 4 million Americans a chance to earn a life of dignity and decency under the Federal minimum wage.

We stood together to pass that new mine safety and health legislation which Lloyd McBride and all of you have been fighting to pass for years. That legislation greatly strengthens the protection the thousands of miners in your union receive and puts responsibility for enforcement where it belongs -- in the Department of Labor under Secretary Ray Marshall.

We have stood together on occupational safety and health. Your union helped lead the fight to pass a strong occupational safety and health bill. But for 6 years, that legislation was systematically undermined by a hostile Administration.

We have turned away from the nitpicking that was designed to discredit this program. Today, we are inspecting the most dangerous job sites. Today, we are attacking the most serious threats to health.

The value of a human life cannot be measured on a balance sheet. And as long as I am President, the health and safety of American workers on the job will be protected.

We have stood together to safeguard American jobs threatened by unfair trade.

The skills and experience of America's steelworkers cannot be matched anywhere in the world.

But the rules of international trade must be fair to America's workers.

America's workers, and America's steelworkers, should not be forced to compete against foreign exporters

who do not sell their products at a fair price. And I will not permit our workers to suffer from unfair trading practices.

The steps we have taken to help steelworkers and the steel industry are already being felt:

- Employment in steel has increased by 24,000 since January.
- Plant utilization has risen from 76 to 90 per cent of capacity since January of 1977.
- Shipments of domestic steel this year are up 5 per cent over last year.
- And industry revenues -- which are needed to modernize plant and equipment -- have risen substantially.

We will continue to work toward an International Steel Agreement with our major trading partners to deal

with the problems posed by a depressed world steel market.

I pledge to you that we will sign no agreement that is not fair to American steel workers and to the people of the United States.

Closely related to our trade problems is the challenge of the energy crisis.

Last year, foreign oil cost us \$45 billion. That is eight times as much as America was paying just 5 years ago before the first oil embargo.

That massive export of American dollars has eroded the value of our dollar abroad; it has helped to build the inflation we face at home; and it has left our nation far too dependent on uncertain foreign supplies for the energy we must have to run our steel mills, to heat our homes and our schools, and to fuel our transportation system.

The Senate began voting yesterday on one of the most crucial parts of my national energy plan -- the natural gas conference report. We must pass this legislation to ensure that industries and communities which depend on natural gas will be assured of continued supplies. This is especially true of the steel industry. I am sure you remember the crisis our nation faced during the natural gas shortage in the winter of 1977. Nationwide, more than a million Americans were laid off because industry could not obtain the gas it needed. Between fifty and a hundred thousand steel workers were left unemployed. Our nation, and your members, cannot afford that kind of loss.

Passage of this legislation -- along with the other energy conference reports before the Congress -- will give our nation what America so badly needs: our first National Energy Plan. The consequences of failure for our country are simply unacceptable. We have debated

long enough. It is time to put the interest of our nation and the American people first and act without further delay.

We have stood together to enhance our nation's crucial role in world affairs.

I believe that our nation must continue to have a strong defense -- a defense that is second to none.

Our nation must continue to lead the most difficult and important undertaking on this planet -- the search for peace. And we will do that, in the Middle East and elsewhere.

And our nation must continue to support human rights. I am proud that our country stands for liberty and justice. And I pledge to you that under this Administration, America will not turn its back on the struggle for human freedom and human rights around the

world.

Our own rights and our own freedoms were won in struggle, and that struggle still continues.

It continues in the fight for labor law reform.

I am disappointed that Congress has not yet passed this important legislation.

Our labor law reform bill is not a grab for power by the unions, but a reach for justice -- justice that is long overdue. It is a reasonable and responsible piece of legislation. Its purpose is to prevent a small minority of employers from flagrantly violating the law. Our goal is simply to guarantee the rights promised American workers 43 years ago in the National Labor Relations Act. And I am determined to reach this goal.

You represent more than a million Americans.

What has always impressed me is that you have never used

your influence and power to demand a handout. You have asked for jobs.

Our society honors work. We believe in work. That is our great strength as Americans.

When I took office there were ten million people in this country who wanted to work but could not find a full time job. Unemployment had more than doubled in eight years. It stood at nearly 8 per cent.

I pledged to work with you to provide jobs for the American people.

Working together, we doubled the number of public service jobs in America to 725,000. We tripled Federal support for public works. We cut taxes for working Americans and low income Americans by \$7 billion so they would have the purchasing power to stimulate demand. We doubled the size of the Job Corps. We passed our nation's first Youth Employment Bill to reduce the tragic

unemployment rate among our young people.

And we have seen the results. We have had a net increase of 6 million new jobs in America. Last month, the unemployment rate dropped below 6 per cent, a reduction of 25 per cent. I am proud of that record.

We have a right to be proud of the gains we have made. But the progress we have made and the progress we can make are both in danger. They face a threat of the utmost seriousness -- the threat of inflation.

Inflation strikes at our faith in the future.

Inflation can wipe out your savings and your dreams.

Inflation is hardest on those who have no savings and who lack the degree of economic power that union membership affords. It cruelly gouges the old and the poor. With inflation at 7 per cent, fixed incomes are

cut in half every ten years.

When there is inflation, it is government and unions that often get the blame. That is obviously unfair. But you and I do share -- along with others -- a great responsibility.

We must join together to fight this enemy, inflation.

We must join together to help the Congress resist the special economic interests which behave as if they care nothing for the common good.

The hospital cost containment legislation I have submitted is a perfect example. A couple of weeks ago, Tip O'Neill sent me a copy of a hospital bill received by one of his constituents. The man's son was in an accident and broke several front teeth. For 26 hours in the hospital, the bill came to \$2,330.99.

This kind of thing is all too typical. Hospital costs have gone up 1000 per cent since 1950. They're still going up at more than twice the overall inflation rate.

My bill is a moderate proposal to alleviate a problem that concerns the vast majority of American families. Yet the medical lobby and the hospital industry lobby have so far been able to block it.

It's time for the rest of us to stand up to these interests -- and to all the others that refuse to look past their own selfish concerns.

Another example of important anti-inflation legislation is airline deregulation.

One price that has gone down in the last year is the price of an airline ticket on domestic and overseas flights.

That price has gone down because of policies set by my appointees to the Civil Aeronautics Board. We need to let those policies be imbedded in the law so that domestic airline fares can also be reduced by competition under the American free enterprise system. The airline deregulation bill is an important way to get prices under control.

Government cannot do the job alone, but Government must take the lead. In fiscal year 1976, when I ran for President, the Federal deficit was \$66.4 billion. In fiscal year 1978, the first budget that I prepared, we had cut it down to \$51 billion. Next year, fiscal year 1979, the Federal deficit will be down into the forties of billions of dollars. And my goal for fiscal year 1980 is to bring the deficit down to the thirties of billions of dollars.

I am determined to exercise discipline over the Federal budget--even if it means saying "no" to popular proposals, if that's what it takes to fight inflation.

We can get more out of the money we do spend if our government is streamlined and responsive. That is why Civil Service reform is so important.

We need a Civil Service system that makes the bureaucracy manageable and rewards good performance.

My Civil Service reforms will do this, while fully protecting the rights of government workers.

In waging this war on inflation, I reject the policies of the past. I will not fight inflation by throwing millions of Americans out of work. Such a policy is morally wrong.

We have suffered from severe inflation for 10 years. Our current inflation is certainly not due to excessive

wage increases or responsible government programs. It will do no good to search for villains -- whether in government, business, or labor.

But business and labor, like government, are critical to stopping inflation. As both business and labor try to catch up with past inflation and protect themselves against future inflation, prices and wages keep mounting, and in the end no one wins.

To bring inflation under control, we must have cooperation among business, labor and government. This is indisputable.

In the near future, I will announce a strengthening of our limited arsenal of weapons against inflation.

I can tell you today that what we do will be fair. It will not penalize labor on any other group in our society.

At the same time, it will be as tough as I can make it short of wage and price controls. I will ask for restraint and some sacrifice from all.

I will ask you to consider what I will have to say with open minds and in a spirit of cooperation and patriotic concern. The problem of inflation is an enormously difficult one -- far more difficult than it was a decade or two ago.

Controlling this problem is not just one option among many. It is a necessity. We must control inflation, and in order to do it we must do it together.

I spoke of conscience at the beginning of this talk. I have no hesitation in calling upon the conscience of the United Steelworkers of America and the American Labor movement. I place my faith in the broad social concern that you have shown so often in the past. I have no doubt that you will meet the challenge once more.

Together -- as partners -- we can continue to  
build an even greater America.

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9/20/78

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THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON  
September 19, 1978

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM:

JACK WATSON *Jack*

SUBJECT:

Atlantic City Speech to Steelworkers;  
Loan Guarantee for J & L Steel Corp.

EDA is ready to announce a reservation of \$100 million in loan guarantees for J & L Steel Corporation (subsidiary of LTV) for modernization of their facilities at Pittsburgh and Aliquippa, Pennsylvania.

This is obviously a major announcement for the industry, for the steelworkers, and for Western Pennsylvania. It will save an estimated 7,000 jobs which were threatened.

There are basically three ways we could handle the announcement:

- 1) You could announce it to the Steelworkers Convention as a dramatic illustration of what you are doing for the industry and for steelworkers;
- 2) You could wait and announce it at the Town Hall meeting on Saturday in Aliquippa; or *do this*
- 3) You could have the announcement made by the Department of Commerce.

I recommend the first option. By announcing it at the Steelworkers Convention, you would get a double benefit:

- (1) You would very tangibly demonstrate that you are delivering on that part of your steel program concerned with modernization of facilities and job preservation, as well as with the trigger price system. Steelworkers from all over the country will be there to receive the news, and there is no doubt that they will welcome it enthusiastically even though the action is limited in its immediate impact to the two plants in Western Pennsylvania; and

- (2) The good news will still be warmly received in Pittsburgh and Aliquippa, and, in fact, you can, of course, reference the action when you are in Aliquippa for the town meeting on Saturday.

Saving the announcement for Saturday's Town Hall meeting would obviously make the greater impact, but would forfeit the benefits of delivering the good news to a national steelworkers forum.

I am attaching EDA's memorandum to me on the loan guarantee for your information. I think this is a very worthwhile addition to your Steelworkers' speech.

Mr. President:

I understand you have shortened your speech considerably, and I realize that you may prefer to hold this announcement for the Pennsylvania trip this weekend. In any event, I wanted you to know of this announcement so you could make the judgment yourself about its timing, etc -

Jack



**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**  
**The Assistant Secretary for Economic Development**  
Washington, D.C. 20230

September 19, 1978

MEMORANDUM FOR Bruce Kirschenbaum  
FROM: Robert T. Hall  
SUBJECT: Update on Proposed EDA Assistance  
to J & L Steel Plants in Pittsburgh  
and Aliquippa, Pennsylvania

Since our earlier memo concerning the J & L Steel Corporation proposal the Board of Directors of the parent company, LTV, has voted in favor of proceeding with the proposal and has submitted to EDA a letter of intent to file an application. EDA, in turn, has invited the Corporation to submit an application. There will, of course, be a period of negotiation between EDA and J & L as to what form the final proposal will take and what assurances EDA will require of the company before we can consider the application for approval. We estimate at this time that it will take six to eight weeks to work out the final package.

We expect to be sending the attached letter to J & L, after the President announces the reservation of funds, informing them that we (EDA) have set aside and reserved the necessary funds to guarantee up to 90% of a \$111.1 million\* loan. We therefore now recommend that the President say the following regarding the J & L steel situation:

"I am pleased to announce that we have reserved funds to guarantee \$100,000,000 of a loan to J & L for modernization of their facilities at Pittsburgh and Aliquippa and save 7,000 jobs which could be in jeopardy."

Note: We will coordinate the sending of the letter to J & L with the President's trip so that the letter is not received before the President makes his announcement regarding the proposal. I also want to stress that while we expect to develop and approve a J & L loan guarantee, we have not yet received an application of any type from the company, much less one that meets the intent and requirements of the Steel Loan Guarantee Program.

\* EDA will reserve \$20 million to cover the potential guarantee of \$100 million.

cc: Jack Watson

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Mr. Thomas C. Graham, President  
J & L Steel Corporation  
3 Gateway Central  
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15263

Dear Mr. Graham:

I am pleased to inform you that the Economic Development Administration (EDA) has set aside and reserved the necessary funds under its Steel Loan Guaranty Program to guaranty up to 90% of a \$111.1 million loan (maximum EDA exposure \$100 million) to be part of a \$139.7 million modernization and environmental capital expenditure program at your plants in Pittsburgh and Aliquippa, Pennsylvania, which will maintain approximately 7,000 jobs in these two facilities. You are hereby authorized to make a formal application for an EDA loan guaranty for this purpose.

Your application should include all the required documents and information specified in application form ED-250, a copy of which is enclosed herewith. Furthermore, it should be in line with the terms and conditions discussed with representatives of LTV and J & L Steel Corporation by officials of our Office of Business Development on Thursday, September 7, 1978.

Reservation of funds is not a commitment to approve a guaranty. The EDA commitment will be provided after an evaluation of your application and a determination that it can be approved under the Law.  
Sincerely,

Robert T. Hall  
Assistant Secretary  
for Economic Development

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THREATENING MAIL

THE WHITE HOUSE  
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September 14, 1978

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

FROM: BOB LIPSHUTZ *BJ*

The Secret Service has requested that you, along with the First Lady and your three adult children, as well as the Vice President and the adult members of his family, each sign the authorization set out in the attached form.

This appears to be both appropriate and desirable, and I recommend that each of you sign it.

Attached is a form to be used by all five members of your family.

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DISAPPROVE \_\_\_\_\_

*Ok, but --  
Bob- How can we  
insure that this does not get  
out of hand? What is the  
anticipated volume? what  
happens to the mail?*

THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

September 18, 1978

MEMORANDUM FOR JERRY RAFSHOON

FROM:

JIM FALLOWS *JF*

Here are the three jokes Jack Kaplan passed on for the President's appearance at the Atlantic City Fundraising Luncheon:

-- I just came from speaking to the steelworkers union. I feel that I have a great deal in common with them -- if we do our jobs right, we both have to take a lot of heat.

-- It's great to be in Atlantic City. The gambling atmosphere, however, is already taking its toll. Just this morning, one of my advisors came up with a new plan to pay off the national debt -- lay the whole '79 budget on the hard-way 8. I told him roulette would be more appropriate -- we've been in the red for years.

-- I may not be much of a gambler, but I have learned one important gambling principle since being in office -- the odds are always with the House. The Senate doesn't do badly either.

PRESIDENT JIMMY CARTER  
ATLANTIC CITY LUNCHEON  
SEPTEMBER 20, 1978

CONGRESSMAN BILL HUGHES, WHO GAVE A FINE AND MUCH APPRECIATED INTRODUCTION, GOVERNOR BRENDAN BYRNE, SENATOR HARRISON WILLIAMS, CONGRESSMAN JIM FLORIO AND BOB ROE, AND THE MANY OTHER FINE PUBLIC OFFICIALS OF THIS STATE AND COMMUNITY:

THANK YOU VERY MUCH.

NEW JERSEY HAS BEEN A PLEASURE TO VISIT TODAY -- ESPECIALLY AFTER BEING SO DEEPLY INVOLVED AT CAMP DAIF AND THE WHITE HOUSE THIS MONTH.

IT'S GOOD TO COME TO THE JERSEY SHORE FOR SOME OF THAT FAMOUS FRESH AIR.

I ASKED STEVE PERSKIE WHAT I COULD SAY TO PLEASE THIS AUDIENCE, BUT I DIDN'T GET MUCH HELP.

HE SAID, "TRY BLACKJACK INSTEAD -- THE ODDS ARE BETTER."

--AND I'M DISAPPOINTED

AND I'M DISAPPOINTED THAT THE CASINO IN THIS  
HOTEL ISN'T OPEN YET.

I'D LIKE TO KNOW WHAT TO DO NOW WITH ALL THIS  
CHANGE I BROUGHT WITH ME.

WELL, I GUESS AMY WILL BE GLAD TO GET BACK THE  
PROCEEDS OF HER PIGGY BANK.

LET ME ALSO TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO THANK YOU  
BELATEDLY FOR YOUR SUPPORT IN THE 1976 ELECTION.

I CARRIED THE SECOND DISTRICT BECAUSE SO MANY OF  
YOU WORKED HARD FOR ME.

ROSALYNN SAYS THAT IT WAS BECAUSE SHE POSED  
WITH "MR. PEANUT" ON THE BOARDWALK, AND I'M SURE  
THAT HELPED TOO.

BUT I ESPECIALLY WANT TO THANK YOU FOR TURNING  
OUT TODAY TO SUPPORT THESE OUTSTANDING CANDIDATES.

BILL BRADLEY AS A U.S. SENATOR IS GOING TO MAKE  
NEW JERSEY PROUD.

HE AND I SHARE A FUNDAMENTAL AGREEMENT ON THE NEED  
FOR TAX CUTS, FIGHTING INFLATION, AND REGIONAL GROWTH --  
JOBS THAT NEED TO GET DONE IN WASHINGTON.

HIS YEARS AS A PROFESSIONAL ATHLETE, A BUSINESS CONSULTANT, AND HIS INVOLVEMENT WITH NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS GAVE HIM A STRONG GRASP OF NEW JERSEY PROBLEMS AND THE ROLE OF GOVERNMENT IN SOLVING THEM.

HE HAS WORKED 16-HOUR DAYS IN THIS CAMPAIGN TO GET HIS MESSAGE ACROSS.

I KNOW THAT HE DESERVES YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT.  
AND I LOOK FORWARD TO WORKING WITH HIM.

I HAVE ALREADY HAD THE PLEASURE TO WORK WITH BILL HUGHES -- NOT ONLY WITH ISSUES THAT AFFECT THIS DISTRICT -- BUT NATIONAL ISSUES AS WELL.

THE NEW OCEAN DUMPING POLICY -- OUR OFFSHORE OIL LEASING POLICIES -- AND THE NEW BUILDINGS AT THE NATIONAL AVIATION FACILITIES EXPERIMENTAL CENTER ALL BEAR BILL'S PERSONAL STAMP.

BILL HAS COMPILED A REMARKABLE RECORD IN LESS THAN FOUR YEARS IN THE HOUSE.

HE HAS CERTAINLY EARNED MY RESPECT -- THE RESPECT OF HIS COLLEAGUES ON CAPITOL HILL -- AND THE SUPPORT OF THE VOTERS OF THIS DISTRICT.

--LET ME ALSO THANK YOU

LET ME ALSO THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT OF THE LOCAL CANDIDATES HERE.

GEORGE BRYAN, PETE EGAN, GUS HARMON, AND JOE THOMPSON WILL ALL DO OUTSTANDING JOBS IN OFFICE.

I STARTED MY PUBLIC SERVICE AS A COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER.

IN THE YEARS SINCE, I WILL CONTEND THAT THERE IS NO LEVEL OF GOVERNMENT THAT AFFECTS THE LIVES OF PEOPLE MORE DEEPLY AND DIRECTLY -- THAT THE QUALITY OF LOCAL ELECTED OFFICIALS CAN MAKE OR BREAK A COMMUNITY -- AND THAT WHAT USUALLY DETERMINES THAT QUALITY IS HOW MANY PEOPLE GET INVOLVED AS ACTIVE CITIZENS.

AS PRESIDENT, I CONSIDER LOCAL GOVERNMENT THE MOST IMPORTANT LINK OF MY ADMINISTRATION WITH THE PEOPLE WE MUST SERVE.

IN FACT, TO STRENGTHEN THAT LINK, I HAVE BEGUN A SERIES OF WHITE HOUSE MEETINGS WITH STATE AND LOCAL OFFICIALS AND CIVIC LEADERS, STATE BY STATE.

WE'VE BRIEFED THEM ON ADMINISTRATION POLICIES AND LISTENED CAREFULLY TO THEIR PERSPECTIVE ON NATIONAL PROBLEMS.

OUR FIRST MEETING, BY THE WAY, WAS WITH PEOPLE FROM NEW JERSEY.

THREE OF THEM WERE FROM ATLANTIC COUNTY AND ARE HERE TODAY -- STEVE PERSKIE, ANNE MARIE CODARIO, AND CHUCK WORTHINGTON.

I KNOW THAT WE ALL LEARNED A GREAT DEAL FROM THAT SESSION.

TO OVERCOME OUR NATIONAL PROBLEMS, WE ESPECIALLY NEED A STEADY FLOW OF INFORMATION AND COOPERATION AMONG, NOT ONLY ALL LEVELS OF GOVERNMENT, BUT ALSO WITH THE PRIVATE SECTOR.

AS I SAID IN MY STATE OF THE UNION ADDRESS, GOVERNMENT ALONE CANNOT SOLVE OUR DEEP SOCIAL PROBLEMS.

IT TAKES AN EFFECTIVE PARTNERSHIP WITH THE PRIVATE SECTOR.

THAT PARTNERSHIP HAS NEVER BEEN MORE NECESSARY. FOR THE PROBLEMS OF THIS DECADE HAVE NEVER BEEN MORE COMPLEX AND DIFFICULT.

WHEN I TOOK OFFICE, WE FACED SOME VERY URGENT ONES.

--THE RECOVERY FROM OUR

THE RECOVERY FROM OUR DEEPEST RECESSION IN  
NEARLY 40 YEARS WAS PAINFULLY SLOW -- UNEMPLOYMENT  
WAS AT EIGHT PER CENT IN LATE 1976 -- AND INFLATION  
WAS SERIOUS.

OUR ENERGY CRISIS WAS UNCHECKED.

WITHOUT ANY REAL NATIONAL POLICY, WE WERE GROWING  
EVEN MORE DEPENDENT ON IMPORTED OIL AND MORE VULNERABLE  
TO CUTOFFS AND SHORTAGES.

AND WE INHERITED A FEDERAL BUREAUCRACY OUT OF  
CONTROL, BOGGED DOWN BY INEFFICIENCY, UNABLE TO ACCOMPLISH  
MANY OF OUR MOST BASIC FUNCTIONS.

CONSTANTLY REMINDED OF FEDERAL INACTION, THE  
CONFIDENCE OF THE AMERICAN PUBLIC HAD DECLINED  
DRASTICALLY -- NOT ONLY IN GOVERNMENT -- BUT IN  
VIRTUALLY EVERY OTHER INSTITUTION TOO.

SO WHEN THE PEOPLE OF THIS DISTRICT AND AROUND THIS  
COUNTRY ELECTED ME, THEY VOTED FOR A FRESH APPROACH,  
A NEW START WITH THESE PROBLEMS.

AND WHILE WE HAVE MUCH TO DO, WE HAVE MADE GOOD,  
SOLID PROGRESS.

SINCE 1976, WE ADDED MORE THAN SIX MILLION NEW JOBS TO OUR ECONOMY -- THE GREATEST INCREASE IN OUR HISTORY -- BECAUSE WE ADOPTED A STRONG RECOVERY PROGRAM.

THE NATION'S OUTPUT OF GOODS AND SERVICES IS UP 18 PER CENT SINCE THE BOTTOM OF THE RECESSION.

PERSONAL INCOME AND BUSINESS PROFITS ARE ALSO UP SIGNIFICANTLY.

NEARLY HALFWAY THROUGH THE FOURTH YEAR OF THIS RECOVERY, OUR OUTLOOK FOR MORE EXPANSION IS STILL VERY GOOD -- WITH MORE IMPROVEMENT AHEAD FOR JOBS AND PRODUCTION.

DURING THIS ECONOMIC EXPANSION, I AM MAKING SURE THAT NO REGION OR COMMUNITY WILL BE LEFT BEHIND.

I AM ESPECIALLY CONCERNED THAT THE NORTHEAST AND UPPER MIDWEST -- OUR TRADITIONAL INDUSTRIAL STATES -- GET THEIR FAIR SHARE OF JOBS, PRIVATE INVESTMENT, AND FEDERAL DOLLARS.

THESE ARE CONCERNS OF BILL BRADLEY, AS HE HAS STATED FORCEFULLY DURING HIS CAMPAIGN -- OF BILL HUGHES, WHO IS ALREADY WORKING HARD TO REVERSE THE TREND OF REGIONAL GROWTH -- AND OF THE OTHER MEMBERS OF THE STATE DELEGATION.

--THE GROUNDBREAKING

THE GROUND BREAKING AT THE AVIATION CENTER HERE TODAY IS JUST ONE EXAMPLE OF THE STRONG LEAD WE ARE TAKING AS PART OF OUR URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND BALANCED GROWTH POLICIES.

I AM ENCOURAGED BY THE SIGNS OF PRIVATE INVESTMENT TO EXPAND INDUSTRIAL ACTIVITY HERE, AS A RESULT OF THE AVIATION CENTER.

INFLATION, OF COURSE, IS OUR NATION'S BIGGEST ECONOMIC PROBLEM -- AND GOVERNMENT WILL LEAD THE WAY IN SOLVING THAT PROBLEM.

BESIDES COORDINATING VOLUNTARY WAGE AND PRICE RESTRAINT, WE ARE SETTING AN EXAMPLE -- A FREEZE ON FEDERAL EXECUTIVE SALARIES, REGULATORY REFORM, A TAX CUT TO KEEP RECOVERY GOING WITHOUT CREATING MORE INFLATION, AND A TIGHT FEDERAL BUDGET.

WE'VE MADE PROGRESS IN ENERGY, AS WELL.

FOR THE FIRST TIME EVER, WE WILL HAVE A NATIONAL ENERGY POLICY BASED ON DELIBERATE DECISION MAKING -- NOT SIMPLY DEFAULT -- THAT PROTECTS OUR NATIONAL SECURITY.

CONGRESS IS VERY CLOSE TO PASSING THE COMPREHENSIVE ENERGY LEGISLATION THAT THE NEW JERSEY DELEGATION AND I HAVE WORKED HARD FOR -- LEGISLATION THAT WILL ENCOURAGE THE ORDERLY DEVELOPMENT OF THE RICH ENERGY SUPPLIES THAT LIE OFF THE NEW JERSEY COASTLINE.

I AM ALSO CARRYING OUT MY PLEDGE TO MAKE GOVERNMENT MORE EFFECTIVE AND EFFICIENT.

WITH THE HELP OF BILL BRADLEY IN THE SENATE, *Wms* AND THE HELP OF THE REST OF THIS DELEGATION, WE CAN MAKE EVEN MORE PROGRESS.

JUST LAST WEEK, THE HOUSE PASSED OUR CIVIL SERVICE REFORM BILL -- ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT FEDERAL MANAGEMENT IMPROVEMENTS.

WE ESTABLISHED THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY.

WE IMPROVED CASH MANAGEMENT THROUGHOUT THE GOVERNMENT.

WE INAUGURATED ZERO-BASED BUDGETING.

WE ARE DIGGING OUT CORRUPTION IN THE GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION.

AND WE ARE LIFTING THE HEAVY HAND OF GOVERNMENT REGULATION WHERE IT STIFLES COMPETITION OR CREATES UNNECESSARY BURDENS.

--LET ME MENTION OTHER.....

LET ME MENTION OTHER PROGRESS WE HAVE MADE.

WE DEVELOPED A STRONG URBAN POLICY,

WE REVITALIZED HOUSING PROGRAMS, JOB TRAINING,  
PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION, ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, CIVIL RIGHTS  
ENFORCEMENT, AID TO EDUCATION.

WE KEPT OUR NATIONAL DEFENSES STRONG, AND RENEWED  
EFFORTS TO LIMIT STRATEGIC ARMS AND NUCLEAR PROLIFERATION.

YET DURING MY ADMINISTRATION, NOT ONE AMERICAN  
SOLDIER HAS SHED BLOOD IN A FOREIGN WAR.

MORE IMPORTANT, WE HAVE REASSERTED AMERICA AS THE  
LEADER OF THE FREE WORLD AND A BEACON OF HOPE -- STANDING  
UP FOR HUMAN RIGHTS, SEEKING NEW COOPERATION, MEDIATING  
FOR PEACE.

I'VE JUST COME FROM CAMP DAVID, WHERE THE LEADERS  
OF EGYPT AND ISRAEL CAME TO SEEK PEACE, TO STOP THE  
VICIOUS CIRCLE OF TENSION AND BLOODSHED, TO RESOLVE THEIR  
DIFFERENCES.

THE RESULT WAS AN AFFIRMATION OF THE HOPE THAT  
AMERICA STILL REPRESENTS TO THE REST OF THE WORLD --  
AS MUCH AS IT WAS THE BEGINNING OF A LASTING PEACE  
IN THE MIDDLE EAST.

I AM RESOLVED TO CONTINUE THE SEARCH FOR PEACE --  
TO SOLVING THE MANY OTHER PROBLEMS WE FACE TODAY --  
FOR LEAVING BEHIND A NATION AND A WORLD BETTER THAN  
WHAT I FOUND.

ALL OF US SHARE THAT CONVICTION.

THAT'S WHY YOU HAVE COME HERE TODAY, OFFERING YOUR  
SUPPORT TO THESE CANDIDATES -- TO THIS POLITICAL SYSTEM  
WHICH HAS WORKED SO WELL IN OUR FIRST TWO CENTURIES.

I ENCOURAGE YOU TO CONTINUE -- TO KEEP OUR SYSTEM  
WORKING -- TO KEEP IT RESPONSIVE, CREATIVE, AND STRONG.

LET US RENEW OUR DEDICATION TO SERVING OUR  
FELLOW CITIZENS.

THANK YOU.

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*Gen Gregorenko*

PRESIDENT JIMMY CARTER  
UNITED STEELWORKERS ADDRESS  
SEPTEMBER 20, 1978

*SEN WMS, CASE - BYRNE  
CONG*

PRESIDENT McBRIDE, DELEGATES OF THE UNITED  
STEELWORKERS OF AMERICA, AND FRIENDS --

IT'S AN HONOR TO BE INTRODUCED BY ONE OF THE  
MOST OUTSTANDING LABOR LEADERS IN AMERICA TODAY --  
YOUR PRESIDENT, LLOYD McBRIDE -- AND TO SPEAK TO  
ONE OF THE FINEST GROUPS OF WORKING MEN AND WOMEN  
I KNOW, THE UNITED STEELWORKERS OF AMERICA.

*Sinai / C David*

I AM HERE TODAY TO REAFFIRM MY SOLIDARITY WITH  
THE WORKING PEOPLE OF OUR NATION IN PURSuing THE  
GOALS WE SHARE.

--THERE IS NO CLEARER EXPRESSION

THERE IS NO CLEARER EXPRESSION OF MY COMMITMENT  
TO THIS SOLIDARITY THAN MY APPOINTMENT OF RAY MARSHALL  
AS SECRETARY OF LABOR.

YOU WHO HAVE GATHERED IN CONVENTION HERE THIS  
WEEK REPRESENT ONE OF AMERICA'S GREAT NATIONAL ASSETS.

I AM NOT TALKING ABOUT SIZE ALONE, NOR EVEN  
ABOUT THE ENORMOUS GAINS STEELWORKERS HAVE MADE FOR  
THEMSELVES IN THE LAST 42 YEARS.

I AM TALKING ABOUT THE BROADER SOCIAL VISION  
OF THIS INTERNATIONAL UNION AND OF THE AMERICAN  
LABOR MOVEMENT.

YOU HAVE BEEN PART OF THE CONSCIENCE OF  
AMERICA.

CONSCIENCE IS WHAT MOTIVATED PHIL MURRAY TO  
ORGANIZE THIS UNION IN THE FIRST PLACE.

CONSCIENCE IS WHAT MOTIVATED ONE OF THE MOST  
DECENT AND HONORABLE MEN EVER TO SERVE AS A UNION  
PRESIDENT, I.W. ABEL.

AND <sup>PRES.</sup> ~~ABE~~ ABEL'S SUCCESSOR IS POURED OUT OF THAT  
SAME CRUCIBLE.

THESE MEN EXEMPLIFY YOUR FIGHT FOR DECENCY AND  
SOCIAL JUSTICE AND HUMAN RIGHTS -- NOT JUST FOR YOUR  
OWN MEMBERS, BUT ALSO FOR MILLIONS OF OTHERS WHO  
NEVER CARRIED A UNION CARD.

YOU HAVE FOUGHT FOR THE RIGHT OF YOUNG PEOPLE  
TO HAVE A DECENT EDUCATION.

AND WE ARE WORKING TOGETHER THIS YEAR TO ACHIEVE  
AN UNPRECEDENTED INCREASE IN FEDERAL AID TO EDUCATION.

YOU HAVE FOUGHT FOR THE RIGHT OF OLDER PEOPLE  
TO ENJOY SECURITY AND TO ESCAPE THE BURDEN OF DOUBT  
AND FEAR.

WHEN I ASSUMED OFFICE, OUR NATION'S SOCIAL  
SECURITY SYSTEM WAS ON THE VERGE OF FINANCIAL COLLAPSE.

YOU CAN BE PROUD THAT THE STEELWORKERS UNION  
JOINED WITH MY ADMINISTRATION AND THE CONGRESS TO  
RESTORE THE INTEGRITY OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY SYSTEM.

*WILL KEEP IT SOUND*

ON ISSUE AFTER ISSUE, DOWN THE LINE, THE LABOR  
MOVEMENT AND MY ADMINISTRATION HAVE STOOD TOGETHER.

AND WE CAN BE PROUD OF WHAT WE'VE ACCOMPLISHED.

WE STOOD TOGETHER TO GIVE 4 MILLION AMERICANS  
A CHANCE TO EARN A LIFE OF DIGNITY AND DECENCY UNDER  
THE FEDERAL MINIMUM WAGE.

WE STOOD TOGETHER TO PASS THAT NEW MINE SAFETY  
AND HEALTH LEGISLATION WHICH LLOYD McBRIDE AND ALL  
OF YOU HAVE BEEN FIGHTING TO PASS FOR YEARS.

THAT LEGISLATION GREATLY STRENGTHENS THE  
PROTECTION THE THOUSANDS OF MINERS IN YOUR UNION  
RECEIVE AND PUTS RESPONSIBILITY FOR ENFORCEMENT  
WHERE IT BELONGS -- IN THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR UNDER  
SECRETARY RAY MARSHALL.

WE HAVE STOOD TOGETHER ON OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY  
AND HEALTH.

YOUR UNION HELPED LEAD THE FIGHT TO PASS A  
STRONG OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH BILL.

BUT FOR 6 YEARS, THAT LEGISLATION WAS  
SYSTEMATICALLY UNDERMINED BY A HOSTILE ADMINISTRATION.

WE HAVE TURNED AWAY FROM THE NITPICKING THAT  
WAS DESIGNED TO DISCREDIT THIS PROGRAM.

--TODAY, WE ARE INSPECTING

TODAY, WE ARE INSPECTING THE MOST DANGEROUS  
JOB SITES.

TODAY, WE ARE ATTACKING THE MOST SERIOUS  
THREATS TO HEALTH.

THE VALUE OF A HUMAN LIFE CANNOT BE MEASURED ON  
A BALANCE SHEET.

AND AS LONG AS I AM PRESIDENT, THE HEALTH AND  
SAFETY OF AMERICAN WORKERS ON THE JOB WILL BE  
PROTECTED.

WE HAVE STOOD TOGETHER TO SAFEGUARD AMERICAN  
JOBS THREATENED BY UNFAIR TRADE.

THE SKILLS AND EXPERIENCE OF AMERICA'S STEEL-  
WORKERS CANNOT BE MATCHED ANYWHERE IN THE WORLD.

BUT THE RULES OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE MUST BE  
FAIR TO AMERICA'S WORKERS.

AMERICA'S WORKERS, AND AMERICA'S STEELWORKERS,  
SHOULD NOT BE FORCED TO COMPETE AGAINST FOREIGN  
EXPORTERS WHO DO NOT SELL THEIR PRODUCTS AT A FAIR  
PRICE.

~~AND~~ I WILL NOT PERMIT OUR WORKERS TO SUFFER  
FROM UNFAIR <sup>INT</sup> TRADING PRACTICES. *DUMPING*  
*MUST STOP!*

THE STEPS WE HAVE TAKEN TO HELP STEELWORKERS  
AND THE STEEL INDUSTRY ARE ALREADY BEING FELT:

- EMPLOYMENT IN STEEL HAS INCREASED BY  
24,000 SINCE JANUARY.
- PLANT UTILIZATION HAS RISEN FROM 76 TO 90  
PER CENT OF CAPACITY SINCE JANUARY OF 1977.

-- SHIPMENTS OF DOMESTIC STEEL THIS YEAR ARE  
UP 5 PER CENT OVER LAST YEAR.

-- AND INDUSTRY REVENUES -- WHICH ARE NEEDED  
TO MODERNIZE PLANT AND EQUIPMENT -- HAVE  
RISEN SUBSTANTIALLY.

WE WILL CONTINUE TO WORK TOWARD AN INTERNATIONAL  
STEEL AGREEMENT WITH OUR MAJOR TRADING PARTNERS TO  
DEAL WITH THE PROBLEMS POSED BY A DEPRESSED WORLD  
STEEL MARKET.

I PLEDGE TO YOU THAT WE WILL SIGN NO AGREEMENT  
THAT IS NOT FAIR TO AMERICAN STEEL WORKERS AND TO  
THE PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES.

CLOSELY RELATED TO OUR TRADE PROBLEMS IS THE  
CHALLENGE OF THE ENERGY CRISIS.

LAST YEAR, FOREIGN OIL COST US \$45 BILLION.  
THAT IS EIGHT TIMES AS MUCH AS AMERICA WAS  
PAYING JUST 5 YEARS AGO BEFORE THE FIRST OIL EMBARGO.

THAT MASSIVE EXPORT OF AMERICAN DOLLARS HAS  
ERODED THE VALUE OF OUR DOLLAR ABROAD; IT HAS HELPED  
TO BUILD THE INFLATION WE FACE AT HOME; AND IT HAS  
LEFT OUR NATION FAR TOO DEPENDENT ON UNCERTAIN FOREIGN  
SUPPLIES FOR THE ENERGY WE MUST HAVE TO RUN OUR STEEL  
MILLS, TO HEAT OUR HOMES AND OUR SCHOOLS, AND TO FUEL  
OUR TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM.

THE SENATE BEGAN VOTING YESTERDAY ON ONE OF THE  
MOST CRUCIAL PARTS OF MY NATIONAL ENERGY PLAN -- THE  
NATURAL GAS CONFERENCE REPORT.

--WE MUST PASS THIS LEGISLATION

WE MUST PASS THIS LEGISLATION TO ENSURE THAT  
INDUSTRIES AND COMMUNITIES WHICH DEPEND ON NATURAL  
GAS WILL BE ASSURED OF CONTINUED SUPPLIES.

THIS IS ESPECIALLY TRUE OF THE STEEL INDUSTRY.

I AM SURE YOU REMEMBER THE CRISIS OUR NATION  
FACED DURING THE NATURAL GAS SHORTAGE IN THE WINTER  
OF 1977.

NATIONWIDE, MORE THAN A MILLION AMERICANS WERE  
LAI D OFF BECAUSE INDUSTRY COULD NOT OBTAIN THE GAS  
IT NEEDED.

BETWEEN FIFTY AND A HUNDRED THOUSAND STEEL  
WORKERS WERE LEFT UNEMPLOYED.

OUR NATION, AND YOUR MEMBERS, CANNOT AFFORD  
THAT KIND OF LOSS.

PASSAGE OF THIS LEGISLATION -- ALONG WITH THE  
OTHER ENERGY CONFERENCE REPORTS BEFORE THE CONGRESS --  
WILL GIVE OUR NATION WHAT AMERICA SO BADLY NEEDS:  
OUR FIRST NATIONAL ENERGY PLAN.

THE CONSEQUENCES OF FAILURE FOR OUR COUNTRY  
ARE SIMPLY UNACCEPTABLE.

WE HAVE DEBATED LONG ENOUGH.

IT IS TIME TO PUT THE INTEREST OF OUR NATION  
AND THE AMERICAN PEOPLE FIRST AND ACT WITHOUT FURTHER  
DELAY. *TO HAVE A NATIONAL*  
*ENERGY POLICY*

WE HAVE STOOD TOGETHER TO ENHANCE OUR NATION'S  
CRUCIAL ROLE IN WORLD AFFAIRS.

I BELIEVE THAT OUR NATION MUST CONTINUE TO  
HAVE A STRONG DEFENSE -- A DEFENSE THAT IS SECOND  
TO NONE.

OUR NATION MUST CONTINUE TO LEAD THE MOST  
DIFFICULT AND IMPORTANT UNDERTAKING ON THIS PLANET --  
THE SEARCH FOR PEACE.

AND WE WILL DO THAT, IN THE MIDDLE EAST AND  
ELSEWHERE.

AND OUR NATION MUST CONTINUE TO SUPPORT HUMAN  
RIGHTS.

I AM PROUD THAT OUR COUNTRY STANDS FOR LIBERTY  
AND JUSTICE.

AND I PLEDGE TO YOU THAT UNDER THIS  
ADMINISTRATION, AMERICA WILL NOT TURN ITS BACK ON THE  
STRUGGLE FOR HUMAN FREEDOM AND HUMAN RIGHTS AROUND  
THE WORLD.

OUR OWN RIGHTS AND OUR OWN FREEDOMS WERE WON  
IN STRUGGLE, AND THAT STRUGGLE STILL CONTINUES.

IT CONTINUES IN THE FIGHT FOR LABOR LAW  
REFORM.

I AM DISAPPOINTED THAT CONGRESS HAS NOT YET  
PASSED THIS IMPORTANT LEGISLATION.

OUR LABOR LAW REFORM BILL IS NOT A GRAB FOR  
POWER BY THE UNIONS, BUT A REACH FOR JUSTICE --  
JUSTICE THAT IS LONG OVERDUE.

IT IS A REASONABLE AND RESPONSIBLE PIECE OF  
LEGISLATION.

ITS PURPOSE IS TO PREVENT A SMALL MINORITY OF  
EMPLOYERS FROM FLAGRANTLY VIOLATING THE LAW.

OUR GOAL IS SIMPLY TO GUARANTEE THE RIGHTS  
PROMISED AMERICAN WORKERS 43 YEARS AGO IN THE  
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS ACT.

AND I AM DETERMINED TO REACH THAT GOAL.

YOU REPRESENT MORE THAN A MILLION AMERICANS.

WHAT HAS ALWAYS IMPRESSED ME IS THAT YOU  
HAVE NEVER USED YOUR INFLUENCE AND POWER TO DEMAND  
A HANDOUT.

YOU HAVE ASKED FOR JOBS.

OUR SOCIETY HONORS WORK.

WE BELIEVE IN WORK.

THAT IS OUR GREAT STRENGTH AS AMERICANS.

WHEN I TOOK OFFICE THERE WERE TEN MILLION  
PEOPLE IN THIS COUNTRY WHO WANTED TO WORK BUT COULD  
NOT FIND A FULL TIME JOB.

UNEMPLOYMENT HAD MORE THAN DOUBLED IN EIGHT  
YEARS.

IT STOOD AT NEARLY EIGHT PER CENT.

I PLEGGED TO WORK WITH YOU TO PROVIDE JOB  
S  
FOR THE AMERICAN PEOPLE.

WORKING TOGETHER, WE DOUBLED THE NUMBER OF  
PUBLIC SERVICE JOBS IN AMERICA TO 725,000.

WE TRIPLED FEDERAL SUPPORT FOR PUBLIC WORKS.

WE CUT TAXES FOR WORKING AMERICANS AND LOW  
INCOME AMERICANS BY \$7 BILLION SO THEY WOULD HAVE  
THE PURCHASING POWER TO STIMULATE DEMAND.

*MORE THIS  
YEAR*

WE DOUBLED THE SIZE OF THE JOB CORPS.

WE PASSED OUR NATION'S FIRST YOUTH EMPLOYMENT  
BILL TO REDUCE THE TRAGIC UNEMPLOYMENT RATE AMONG  
OUR YOUNG PEOPLE.

--AND WE HAVE SEEN

AND WE HAVE SEEN THE RESULTS.

WE HAVE HAD A NET INCREASE OF 6 MILLION NEW  
JOBS IN AMERICA.

LAST MONTH, THE UNEMPLOYMENT RATE DROPPED  
BELOW 6 PER CENT, A REDUCTION OF 25 PER CENT.

I AM PROUD OF THAT RECORD.

WE HAVE A RIGHT TO BE PROUD OF THE GAINS  
WE HAVE MADE.

BUT THE PROGRESS WE HAVE MADE AND THE  
PROGRESS WE CAN MAKE ARE BOTH IN DANGER.

THEY FACE A THREAT OF THE UTMOST  
SERIOUSNESS -- THE THREAT OF INFLATION.

INFLATION STRIKES AT OUR FAITH IN THE FUTURE.

INFLATION CAN WIPE OUT YOUR SAVINGS AND  
YOUR DREAMS.

INFLATION IS HARDEST ON THOSE WHO HAVE  
NO SAVINGS AND WHO LACK THE DEGREE OF ECONOMIC  
POWER THAT UNION MEMBERSHIP AFFORDS.

IT CRUELLY GOUGES THE OLD AND THE POOR.

WITH INFLATION AT 7 PER CENT, FIXED INCOMES  
ARE CUT IN HALF EVERY TEN YEARS.

WHEN THERE IS INFLATION, IT IS GOVERNMENT AND  
UNIONS THAT OFTEN GET THE BLAME.

THAT IS OBVIOUSLY UNFAIR.

BUT YOU AND I DO SHARE -- ALONG WITH OTHERS --  
A GREAT RESPONSIBILITY.

WE MUST JOIN TOGETHER TO FIGHT THIS ENEMY,  
INFLATION.

WE MUST JOIN TOGETHER TO HELP THE CONGRESS  
RESIST THE SPECIAL ECONOMIC INTERESTS WHICH BEHAVE  
AS IF THEY CARE NOTHING FOR THE COMMON GOOD.

THE HOSPITAL COST CONTAINMENT LEGISLATION I  
HAVE SUBMITTED IS A PERFECT EXAMPLE.

A COUPLE OF WEEKS AGO, TIP O'NEILL SENT ME  
A COPY OF A HOSPITAL BILL RECEIVED BY ONE OF  
HIS CONSTITUTENTS.

THE MAN'S SON WAS IN AN ACCIDENT AND BROKE  
SEVERAL FRONT TEETH.

FOR 26 HOURS IN THE HOSPITAL, THE BILL  
CAME TO \$2,330.99.

THIS KIND OF THING IS ALL TOO TYPICAL.

HOSPITAL COSTS HAVE GONE UP 1000 PER CENT  
SINCE 1950.

THEY'RE STILL GOING UP AT MORE THAN  
TWICE THE OVERALL INFLATION RATE.

MY BILL IS A MODERATE APPROACH TO A PROBLEM  
THAT CONCERNS THE VAST MAJORITY OF AMERICAN  
FAMILIES.

YET THE MEDICAL LOBBY AND THE HOSPITAL  
INDUSTRY LOBBY HAVE SO FAR BEEN ABLE TO BLOCK IT.

IT'S TIME FOR THE REST OF US TO STAND UP  
TO THESE INTERESTS -- AND TO ALL THE OTHERS THAT  
REFUSE TO LOOK PAST THEIR OWN SELFISH CONCERNS.

ANOTHER EXAMPLE OF IMPORTANT ANTI-INFLATION  
LEGISLATION IS AIRLINE DEREGULATION.

ONE PRICE THAT HAS GONE DOWN IN THE LAST YEAR  
IS THE PRICE OF AN AIRLINE TICKET ON DOMESTIC  
AND OVERSEAS FLIGHTS.

THAT PRICE HAS GONE DOWN BECAUSE OF POLICIES  
SET BY MY APPOINTEES TO THE CIVIL AERONAUTICS BOARD.

WE NEED TO LET THOSE POLICIES BE IMBEDDED IN  
THE LAW SO THAT DOMESTIC AIRLINE FARES CAN ALSO  
BE REDUCED BY COMPETITION UNDER THE AMERICAN FREE  
ENTERPRISE SYSTEM.

THE AIRLINE DEREGULATION BILL IS AN IMPORTANT  
WAY TO GET PRICES UNDER CONTROL.

GOVERNMENT CANNOT DO THE JOB ALONE, BUT  
GOVERNMENT MUST TAKE THE LEAD.

IN FISCAL YEAR 1976, WHEN I RAN FOR  
PRESIDENT, THE FEDERAL DEFICIT WAS \$66.4 BILLION.

IN FISCAL YEAR 1978, THE FIRST BUDGET THAT  
I PREPARED, WE HAD CUT IT DOWN TO \$51 BILLION.

NEXT YEAR, FISCAL YEAR 1979, THE FEDERAL  
DEFICIT WILL BE DOWN INTO THE FORTIES OF BILLIONS  
OF DOLLARS.

AND MY GOAL FOR FISCAL YEAR 1980 IS TO  
BRING THE DEFICIT DOWN TO THE THIRTIES OF BILLIONS  
OF DOLLARS.

I AM DETERMINED TO EXERCISE DISCIPLINE OVER  
THE FEDERAL BUDGET -- EVEN IF IT MEANS SAYING  
"NO" TO POPULAR PROPOSALS, IF THAT'S WHAT IT  
TAKES TO FIGHT INFLATION.

--WE CAN GET MORE OUT

WE CAN GET MORE OUT OF THE MONEY WE DO SPEND  
IF OUR GOVERNMENT IS STREAMLINED AND RESPONSIVE.

THAT IS WHY CIVIL SERVICE REFORM IS SO IMPORTANT.

WE NEED A CIVIL SERVICE SYSTEM THAT MAKES  
THE BUREAUCRACY MANAGEABLE AND REWARDS GOOD  
PERFORMANCE.

MY CIVIL SERVICE REFORMS WILL DO THIS,  
WHILE FULLY PROTECTING THE RIGHTS OF GOVERNMENT  
WORKERS.

IN WAGING THIS WAR ON INFLATION, I REJECT  
THE POLICIES OF THE PAST.

I WILL NOT FIGHT INFLATION BY THROWING  
MILLIONS OF AMERICANS OUT OF WORK.

SUCH A POLICY IS MORALLY WRONG.

WE HAVE SUFFERED FROM SEVERE INFLATION FOR  
10 YEARS.

OUR CURRENT INFLATION IS CERTAINLY NOT DUE  
TO EXCESSIVE WAGE INCREASES OR RESPONSIBLE  
GOVERNMENT PROGRAMS.

IT WILL DO NO GOOD TO SEARCH FOR VILLAINS --  
WHETHER IN GOVERNMENT, BUSINESS, OR LABOR.

BUT BUSINESS AND LABOR, LIKE GOVERNMENT, ARE  
CRITICAL TO STOPPING INFLATION.

AS BOTH BUSINESS AND LABOR TRY TO CATCH UP  
WITH PAST INFLATION AND PROTECT THEMSELVES AGAINST  
FUTURE INFLATION, PRICES AND WAGES KEEP MOUNTING,  
AND IN THE END NO ONE WINS.

TO BRING INFLATION UNDER CONTROL, WE MUST  
HAVE COOPERATION AMONG BUSINESS, LABOR AND  
GOVERNMENT.

THIS IS INDISPUTABLE.

IN THE NEAR FUTURE, I WILL ANNOUNCE  
A STRENGTHENING OF OUR LIMITED ARSENAL OF WEAPONS  
AGAINST INFLATION.

I CAN TELL YOU TODAY THAT WHAT WE DO  
WILL BE FAIR.

IT WILL NOT PENALIZE LABOR OR ANY OTHER  
GROUP IN OUR SOCIETY.

AT THE SAME TIME, IT WILL BE TOUGH.

I WILL ASK FOR RESTRAINT AND SOME SACRIFICE  
FROM ALL.

I WILL ASK YOU TO CONSIDER WHAT I WILL  
HAVE TO SAY WITH OPEN MINDS AND IN A SPIRIT  
OF COOPERATION AND PATRIOTIC CONCERN.

THE PROBLEM OF INFLATION IS AN ENORMOUSLY  
DIFFICULT ONE -- FAR MORE DIFFICULT THAN IT  
WAS A DECADE OR TWO AGO.

CONTROLLING THIS PROBLEM IS NOT JUST ONE  
OPTION AMONG MANY.

IT IS A NECESSITY.

WE MUST CONTROL INFLATION, AND IN ORDER  
TO DO IT WE MUST DO IT TOGETHER.

I SPOKE OF CONSCIENCE AT THE BEGINNING  
OF THIS TALK.

I HAVE NO HESITATION IN CALLING UPON THE  
CONSCIENCE OF THE UNITED STEELWORKERS OF AMERICA  
AND THE AMERICAN LABOR MOVEMENT.

I PLACE MY FAITH IN THE BROAD SOCIAL  
CONCERN THAT YOU HAVE SHOWN SO OFTEN IN THE PAST.

I HAVE NO DOUBT THAT YOU WILL MEET  
THE CHALLENGE ONCE MORE.

TOGETHER -- AS PARTNERS -- WE CAN  
CONTINUE TO BUILD AN EVEN GREATER AMERICA.

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THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON  
September 19, 1978

*out of Camp David/  
Sinai*

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MEMORANDUM FOR JERRY RAFSHOON

FROM: JIM FALLOWS *JL*  
SUBJECT: Atlantic City Fundraising Luncheon

Here are a couple of jokes passed on this morning by Jim Lipton.

-- We Southern Baptists aren't tempted by gambling. But I have to admit that last week I wish that someone would have offered me 2-1 odds that nothing good would come from the Camp David meetings.

-- All three of us at Camp David are religious men, although of different faiths. One clear night we took a stroll under the sky and suddenly saw what seemed to be a star rising in the east. I said, "Look, a star -- just like the stars in our American flag."

Prime Minister Begin said, "No, it seems to have six points."

President Sadat told us that we were both wrong. "It's not a star at all, but a crescent moon," he said.

I was a bit exasperated and said, "What difference does it make? It's a miracle."

Prime Minister Begin quietly said, "No, Mr. President, if President Sadat saw a Star of David, and I <sup>saw</sup> was a Moslem crescent -- now that would be a miracle."

PRESIDENT JIMMY CARTER  
NAFEC GROUNDBREAKING CEREMONY  
NEW JERSEY  
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 1978

*NAT AV FACILITIES  
EXPERIMENTAL CENTER*

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GOVERNOR BYRNE, SENATOR CASE, SENATOR WILLIAMS,  
CONGRESSMAN HUGHES, ROBERT FAITH, DIRECTOR OF THE NATIONAL AVIATION  
FACILITIES EXPERIMENTAL CENTER, AL MARKS, CHAIRMAN OF THE  
ATLANTIC COUNTY REGIONAL IMPROVEMENT AUTHORITY, MEMBERS OF CONGRESS  
AND THE NEW JERSEY LEGISLATURE, AND FRIENDS: THANK YOU VERY MUCH.

I AM DELIGHTED TO BE HERE THIS MORNING TO HELP YOU BREAK  
GROUND ON NAFEC'S NEW BUILDING PROGRAM.

(--OVER--)(THIS IS A GREAT DAY.....)

2

THIS IS A GREAT DAY FOR <sup>*OUR COUNTRY*</sup> ME AND FOR THE PEOPLE OF ATLANTIC COUNTY  
AND SOUTHERN NEW JERSEY.

AND WE KNOW WHO MADE THIS DAY POSSIBLE.

CONGRESSMAN HUGHES HAS WORKED LONG, GRUELING HOURS TO KEEP  
NAFEC HERE WHERE IT BELONGS.

HE DESERVES THE THANKS OF ALL OF US FOR HIS MONUMENTAL EFFORTS.

SENATORS HARRISON WILLIAMS AND CLIFFORD CASE WERE RESPONSIBLE FOR  
GETTING THE PROJECT APPROVED ON THE SENATE SIDE.

NAREC DIRECTOR BOB FAITH WAS EXTREMELY HELPFUL, OF COURSE, AS  
WAS THE SAVE NAFEC COMMITTEE.

(--NEW CARD--)(THANKS SHOULD ALSO GO....)

THANKS SHOULD ALSO GO TO ATLANTIC CITY MAYOR JOSEPH LAZAROW,  
AND AL MARKS, ROBERT GASKO, CHUCK WORTHINGTON, LOUIS DALBERTH AND  
STATE SENATOR STEVEN PERSKIE -- ALL OF ATLANTIC COUNTY.

I THINK WE ALL KNOW HOW MUCH OF A TEAM EFFORT THIS REALLY WAS.

ALL OF YOU CAN BE VERY PROUD OF YOUR ROLE IN KEEPING NAFEC IN  
THIS STATE, AND IN PRESSING FORWARD WITH PLANS FOR THIS MUCH-NEEDED  
EXPANSION.

THE STRUGGLE WAS TOUGH. THE FRUSTRATIONS WERE MANY.

BUT IN THE END, THE EFFORTS OF YOU AND YOUR REPRESENTATIVES  
TRIUMPHED.

(-OVER-) (YOU WON'T BE WEARING.....)

YOU WON'T BE WEARING OKLAHOMA COWBOY HATS AFTER ALL.

TODAY WE ARE REAFFIRMING OUR COMMITMENT TO SAFE, EFFICIENT  
CIVILIAN AVIATION, AND WE ARE SHOWING OUR FAITH IN NEW JERSEY'S  
ABILITY TO CARRY OUT THAT COMMITMENT.

WE ARE LAYING THE CORNERSTONE OF A NEW PERMANENT PRESENCE FOR  
NAFEC IN NEW JERSEY.

IN THE SHORT RUN, THIS \$50 MILLION PROJECT MEANS 1800-2000 NEW  
CONSTRUCTION JOBS FOR THIS AREA.

AND IN THE LONG RUN, A PERMANENT, MORE MODERN NAFEC FACILITY  
WILL MEAN CONTINUED ECONOMIC STABILITY HERE.

(=NEW CARD=) (FOR OUR NATION,.....)

FOR OUR NATION, THE EXPANSION OF NAFEC SIGNALS A RENEWED EFFORT TO ADVANCE THE CAUSE OF SAFE AIR TRAVEL.

BY PROVIDING BETTER FACILITIES FOR TESTING, RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT IN AREAS LIKE AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL, COMMUNICATIONS, NAVIGATION, AIRPORTS AND AIRCRAFT, WE ARE MAKING SURE THAT THE SCIENCE OF AVIATION KEEPS PACE WITH A SOCIETY WHOSE PEOPLE ARE SPENDING MORE AND MORE TIME IN THE AIR.

THROUGHOUT ITS 20 YEAR HISTORY, NAFEC HAS LED THE WAY IN DEVELOPING NEW TECHNOLOGIES FOR CIVILIAN AIR FLIGHT.

ITS EXPERIMENTS HAVE MADE INNOVATIONS POSSIBLE IN SUCH AREAS AS CRASH AND RESCUE TECHNIQUES, FIRE SAFETY, AIRPORT RUNWAY AND LIGHTING SYSTEMS, STRUCTURAL STRESS, WAKE TURBULENCE, AND RADAR TO MENTION JUST A FEW  
(=OVER=) (THOSE INNOVATIONS, . . . .)

THOSE INNOVATIONS MUST CONTINUE.

THE FINANCING OF PHASE II OF NAFEC'S EXPANSION HAS BEEN COMPLICATED.

BUT I THINK WE ALL REALIZE THE VALUE OF THE LEASE-BACK ARRANGEMENT. BECAUSE OF IT, WE ARE SAVING THE TAXPAYERS SEVEN-AND-A-HALF MILLION DOLLARS.

TWENTY-ONE MONTHS FROM NOW, WHEN THE NEW TECHNICAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE COMPLEX IS OCCUPIED, ALL OF YOU WILL MORE FULLY REALIZE WHAT YOUR EFFORTS HAVE YEILDED -- BOTH FOR THIS AREA, AND FOR OUR NATION.

(=NEW-CARD=) (BUT EVEN TODAY IT IS CLEAR. . . .)

BUT EVEN TODAY IT IS CLEAR THAT WHEN COMMITTED PEOPLE WORK  
TOGETHER ON A GOOD PROJECT,...WHEN THEY REFUSE TO GIVE UP HOPE,...  
WHEN THEY KEEP PUSHING FOR WHAT THEY KNOW IS RIGHT -- THEY CAN'T LOSE.

THIS GROUNDBREAKING IS LIVING PROOF OF THAT.

THANK YOU VERY MUCH.

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U.S. House of Representatives  
Democratic Steering and Policy Committee

MEMO TO: The Speaker Sept. 18  
FROM : Irv Sprague  
SUBJECT: Legislative Breakfast, 8 am, Tues.  
White House

The White House says the President asked for the meeting to bring him up to date on the legislative program. His topics:

- Energy
- Taxes
- Post Election Session
- Possible Vetoes
- Foreign Assistance
- Campaign Appearances

Attached is our current legislative status report. Must bills are listed on Page one.

While the President was at Camp David the House:

- (a) Sustained the DOD veto, ~~override~~ ✓
- (b) Passed Civil Service ✓
- (c) Passed Foreign Intelligence Surveillance ✓
- (d) Passed New York loan guarantees ✓
- (e) Defeated effort to instruct conferees to prohibit the President from imposing oil import fees. ✓
- (f) Passed aircraft noise control. ✓



September 18, 1978

MUST BE DONE

1. Energy  
Senate votes September 27. 10/11
2. Taxes  
Passed House 362-49. In Senate committee markup.
3. Budget Resolution  
Conferees deadlocked over public works. ← #1Bil H #2Bil S
4. Appropriations (14) Three completed.  
Public Works-----House approved conference 319-71.  
Legislative-----House approved conference.  
HUD-----House acts on conference September 19.  
State-Justice-----Filed. Awaiting FTC Authorization. Floor this week.  
Interior-----In conference.  
Treasury-----In conference. Dole amendment problem.  
Agriculture-----In conference. Agreed to file Monday night.  
Defense-----Passed House. Awaiting authorization.  
Foreign Aid-----Passed House. Senate reported. Floor this week.  
Labor-HEW-----Passed House. Senate reported. Abortion problem.  
Continuing-----Full committee meets Sept. 21 on Defense and HEW.
5. Expiring Authorization  
58 in varying stages.
6. Airline Deregulation  
Passed Senate 83-9. House Floor Sept. 20. ✓
7. CETA  
Passed Senate 66-10. House Floor Sept. 20. ✓
8. Ethics  
Passed Senate 74-5. House Floor Sept. 20. ✓
9. Labor Intensive Public Works  
Reported by House subcommittee. Awaiting Budget resolution.
10. Highways - Mass Transit  
Rule adopted. House Floor Sept. 21.
11. Waterway User Fees  
Will go to conference after House passes Water Resources.  
Scheduled Sept. 21.
12. Countercyclical Revenue Sharing  
HR 2852 reported in Senate.
13. In Conference  
Civil Service, Housing, Judgeships, Education, International  
Monetary Fund, Veterans Pensions, Foreign Intelligence Wiretapping.
14. Also Pending  
Sugar, Beef, Safe Banking, Middle Income Student Assistance, Welfare  
Fiscal Relief, DOD Authorization, DOE Authorization. If Senate  
acts: Education Department, Hospital Cost Containment.
15. Passed House  
ERA, Humphrey-Hawkins, Parks, Postal, Lobby, Alaska, Noise.

IN CONFERENCE

1. Public Works Appropriations (HR 12928)  
Filed. House approved (319-71). EXPIRING APPROPRIATION
2. Legislative Appropriations (HR 12935)  
Filed. House approved. EXPIRING APPROPRIATION
3. HUD Appropriations (HR 12936)  
House acts Sept. 19. EXPIRING APPROPRIATION
4. State-Justice Appropriations (HR 12934)  
Conferees named. House acts first. EXPIRING APPROPRIATION
5. Interior Appropriations (HR 12932)  
Conferees named. House acts first. EXPIRING APPROPRIATION
6. Treasury Appropriations (HR 12930)  
Conferees appointed. House acts first. EXPIRING APPROPRIATION
7. Agriculture Appropriations (HR 13125)  
Conferees named. House acts first. Conferees meet Sept. 18. EXPIRING APPROPRIATION
8. Insecticide Act (FIRFA) (S. 1678)  
House acts Sept. 19. EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION
9. AMTRAK Authorization (S. 3040)  
House acts Sept. 19. EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION
10. Foreign Relations Authorization (HR 12598)  
House acts Sept. 19. EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION
11. International Development Food Assist. (HR 12222)  
House acts Sept. 19. EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION
12. NASA Authorization (HR 11401)  
Senate approved. House acts Sept. 19. EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION
13. Customs Reform (HR 8149)  
Senate approved. House acts Sept. 19.
14. Budget Resolution (H. Con. Res. 683)  
Conferees deadlocked. PRIORITY
15. Civil Service Reform (HR 11280)  
Conferees appointed. PRIORITY
16. Judgeships (HR 7843)  
Conferees deadlocked. House acts first. PRIORITY
17. FTC Amendments (HR 3816)  
Senate approved. Pending before Rules Sept. 19. EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION
18. Housing and Community Development (S. 3084)  
Conferees meeting. Senate acts first. EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION
19. Environmental Protection Agency (HR 11302)  
Conferees appointed. Senate acts first. EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION
20. Older Americans (HR 12255)  
Agreed to file. House acts first. EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION
21. Commodity Exchange Act (S. 2391)  
Agreed to file. Senate acts first. EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION
22. White House Personnel (HR 11003)  
Conferees appointed. Senate acts first. NEW AUTHORIZATION
23. SBA Amendments (HR 11445)  
Conferees appointed. House acts first. Meet Sept. 19. EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION
24. Economic Opportunity Amendments (HR 7577)  
Conferees appointed. House acts first. Meet Sept. 15. EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION

(In Conference continued)

25. Elementary and Secondary Education (HR 15)                      EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
House conferees named.
26. International Monetary Fund (HR 9214)  
House conferees instructed.
27. Sex Discrimination Based on Pregnancy (HR 6075) (S. 995)  
Conferees appointed. Senate acts first.
28. Federal Elections Commission (S. 3025) (HR 11983)  
Conferees named. House acts first.
29. Tuition Tax Credit (HR 12050)  
Senate conferees named. House acts first.
30. Maritime Satellite Telecommunications (HR 11209)  
House conferees named. Senate acts first.
31. D.C. Retirement (HR 6536)  
Conferees named.
32. Victims of Crime (HR 7010)  
Senate conferees named.
33. Extended Unemployment Compensation (HR 12380)  
House conferees named.
34. National Commission on Unemployment (HR 12232)  
House conferees named.
35. SBA Minority Program Authorization (HR 11318)  
Senate conferees named.

PASSED HOUSE AND SENATE

1. Foreign Intelligence Wiretapping (HR 7308) PRIORITY  
Will go to conference.
2. Veterans Disability Compensation (HR 11886) BIG VETERANS PENSIONS  
Will go to conference.
3. Water Research and Development Act (HR 11226) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
Senate will ask for conference.
4. Federal Fire Protection (HR 11291) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
Resolve without conference.
5. SEC Authorization (HR 11517) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
Sent back to Senate amended.
6. U.S. Railway Authorization (HR 10898) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
Senate amended House bill.
7. Philippine Veterans (HR 5029) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
Hope to resolve informally.
8. Civil Rights Commission (HR 12432) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
Will go to conference.
9. National Historic Trails (HR 6900)  
No movement either side.
10. National Science Foundation (HR 11400)  
Sent back from Senate amended.
11. Exchange Stabilization Fund (S. 2093)  
House may accept Senate amendment.
12. Sea Grant Program (HR 10822)  
Sent back to Senate amended.
13. International Trade Commission (HR 11005)  
Will go to conference.
14. Tax on Fringe Benefits (HR 12841)  
May go to conference.
15. Conrail Employees (HR 5646)  
House will accept Senate amendment.
16. Veterans Survivors (HR 10173)  
Hope to resolve informally.
17. Veterans Housing (HR 12028)  
House will further amend and return to Senate.
18. Part Time Work Schedule (HR 10126)  
Senate amended House bill.
19. Retired Servicemen Benefits (HR 3702)  
Senate amended House bill.
20. Timing of Tax Laws (HR 7320)  
Senate amended House bill.

(Passed House and Senate continued)

21. Bankruptcy (HR 8200)  
Senate amended House bill.
22. Aquaculture Development (HR 9370)  
Senate amended House bill.
23. Port Safety (HR 13311)  
Senate amended S. 682.
24. Federal District Courts (HR 13331)  
Senate amended S. 3375.
25. Excise Tax on Trucks (HR 1337)
26. Fuels Transportation Safety (HR 11622)  
House amended S. 1895.
27. Psychotropic Substances (HR 12008)
28. Smithsonian Art Museum (HR 10792)
29. Drug Abuse (HR 12348)

PASSED HOUSE

1. Labor HEW Appropriations (HR 12929) EXPIRING APPROPRIATION  
S- On Senate calendar #1040.
2. DOD Appropriations (HR 13635) EXPIRING APPROPRIATION  
S- Awaiting authorizations.
3. Foreign Assistance Appropriations (HR 12931) EXPIRING APPROPRIATION  
S- Ordered reported.
4. Humphrey-Hawkins (HR 50) PRIORITY  
S- On Senate calendar #1100.
5. Alaska Lands (HR 39) PRIORITY  
S- Pending in Energy Committee. Markup underway.
6. Parks (HR 12536) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
S- Energy Subcommittee hearings on HR 12536 completed. S. 2876 on Senate calendar #742.
7. Rehabilitation Services (HR 12467) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
S- On Senate calendar #837.
8. New York City Financial Assistance (H.J.Res.1088) EXPIRING APPROPRIATION  
S- Reported.
9. Public Telecommunications Financing (HR 12605) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
S- On Senate calendar #893.
10. DOE Research Authorization (HR 12163) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
S- S. 2693 on Senate calendar #893.
11. Export-Import (HR 12157) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
S- S. 3077 on Senate calendar #961.
12. Noise Reduction (HR 8729)  
S- S. 3279 reported from Commerce, pending in Finance.
13. Labor-HEW Reform (HR 8410)  
S- Pending in Human Resources Committee.
14. Navajo-Hopi Commission (HR 11092)  
S- On Senate calendar #1081.
15. Lobby Reform (HR 8494)  
S- Pending in Governmental Affairs Committee.
16. Postal Act (HR 7700)  
S- HR 7700 reported.
17. ERA Extension (H. J. Res. 638)  
S-
18. Solar Power Satellite Program (HR 12505)  
S- S.2860 hearings completed. No further action planned.
19. Solar Research Demonstration (HR 12874)  
S- S. 2860 hearings completed. No further action planned.
20. Franking Amendments (HR 7792)  
S- Reported.
21. Oil Pollution Liability (HR 6803)  
S- On Senate calendar #1074. S. 2083 reported 8/25/78.
22. Intercoastal Shipping Act (HR 6503)  
S- Pending in Commerce Subcommittee on Merchant Marine & Tourism.
23. Indian Peaks Wilderness (HR 12026)  
S-
24. Boundary Waters Canoe Area (HR 12250)  
S- S. 3242 Energy Subcommittee on Parks hearings completed.

(Passed House continued)

25. Public Grazing Lands (HR 10587)  
S- S. 2475 hearings completed. Nothing scheduled yet.
26. Inspector General (HR 8588)  
S- Reported. Calendar #993.
27. Treasury Draw Authority (H. J. Res. 816)  
S- Pending in Banking Committee.
28. Social Services Amendments (HR 12973)  
S- Hearings held. No further action scheduled.
29. SSI Presumptive Disability (HR 10848)  
S- Pending in Finance Committee. Hearings Sept. 26.
30. Worldwide Immigration Ceiling (HR 12443)  
S- Held at Senate desk.
31. Immigration of Adopted Children (HR 12508)  
S- Held at desk. S. 987 and S. 1818 similar to HR 12508, but not identical. No action scheduled.
32. Deep Seabed Hard Minerals (HR 3350)  
S- S. 2053 reported from Commerce Committee and Foreign Relations Committee.
33. Civil Rights of Institutionalized Persons (HR 9400)  
S- S. 1393 on Senate calendar #979.
34. Comptroller General Retirement (HR 12196)  
S- Governmental Affairs Committee markup completed on S. 3491.
35. Ocean Shipping (HR 9998)  
S- Pending in Commerce Subcommittee. Hearings Sept. 6.
36. SSI Work Disincentives (HR 12972)  
S- Finance Committee hearings Sept. 26.
37. Electronic Fund Transfers (HR 13007)  
S- S. 3156 on Senate calendar #852.
38. Trade Adjustment Assistance (HR 11711)  
S- In Finance Committee.
39. Medicare Amendments of 1978 (HR 13097)  
S-
40. Social Security Health Program Amendments (HR 13817)  
S-

PASSED SENATE

1. Hazardous Material Transportation (S. 1896) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
H- HR 11871 reported. Suspension Sept. 18.
2. Nurse Training (S. 2416) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
H- HR 12303 reported. Suspension Sept. 18.
3. Public Health Services (Health Planning and Resource Development) (S. 2410) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
H- HR 11488 reported. Suspension Sept. 18.
4. Mental Health Centers and Biomedical Research (S. 2450) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
H- HR 12460 reported. Suspension Sept. 18.
5. Cross-Florida Canal (S. 3337)
6. Federal Information Centers (S. 3259)  
H- Reported HR 13688.
7. Cotton Price Supports (S. 3468)  
H- Reported. Suspension.
8. Armed Services Union Organization (S. 274)  
H- Reported. Suspension Sept. 18.
9. Middle Income Student Assistance (S. 2539) PRIORITY  
H- HR 11274 reported. Pending in Rules.
10. Motor Vehicle Safety Authorization (S. 2604) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
H- HR 11286 reported. Possible suspension.
11. Railway Safety Programs (S. 3081) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
H- HR 12577 reported. Pending in Rules.
12. Health Services (S. 2522; S. 2474) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
H- HR 12370 reported. Pending in Rules.
13. Endangered Species EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
H- HR 12807 passed subcommittee. Full committee Sept. 19.
14. Noise Control (S. 3083) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
H- HR 12647 reported. Pending in Rules.
15. Action Domestic Volunteer Service (S. 2617) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
H- HR 12299 reported. Pending in Rules.
16. Health Maintenance Organizations EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
H- Reported. HR 13655 pending in Rules.
17. Child Care Food Programs (S. 3085) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
H- HR 12511 reported. Pending in Rules.
18. Conrail (HR 12161) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
H- Reported. Rules Sept. 19.
19. Consumer Product Safety (S. 7396) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
H- Reported. Pending in Rules.
20. Rail Public Counsel (S. 2789) INITIAL AUTHORIZATION  
H- HR 12162 reported. Pending in Rules.
21. Health Research and Statistics (S. 2466) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
H- HR 12584 reported. Rule granted.
22. Travel and Tourism (S. 2352) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
H- HR 11870 reported. Pending in Rules.
23. Biomedical Research Commission (S. 2579) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
H- HR 2347 reported. Rule granted.
24. Justice Department Authorization (S. 3151) NEW AUTHORIZATION  
H- HR 12005 reported. Rule granted. House Floor Sept. 21.

(Passed Senate continued)

25. Farmers to Consumers Marketing Act (S. 2833)      EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
H- HR 12101 reported. Suspension Sept. 19.
26. Safe Banking Act (S. 71)  
H- Clean bill ordered reported (HR 13471).
27. Truth in Lending (S. 2802)  
H- Pending in Consumer Affairs Subcommittee on Banking.
28. Beef Imports (HR 11545)  
H- Senate amended minor House-passed bill to extend the quota system for beef and veal imports, added a countercyclical formula for the quotas, and restricted the President's discretion to suspend or increase quotas. HR 11545 reported. Rule granted.
29. Fish and Wildlife Conservation (S. 1140)  
H- HR 10255 reported. Pending in Rules.
30. Agriculture Lands (S. 2946)  
H- Reported. Suspension.
31. Dam Inspection (S. 4444)  
H- Pending in Public Works.
32. Oil Shale Technology (S. 419)  
H- In committee.
33. Consumer Controversies Resolution (S. 957)  
H- Joint referral to Commerce and Judiciary.
34. Toxic Substances (S. 1531)  
H- HR 12441 failed under suspension June 12 (190-188). Pending in Rules.
35. Clinical Laboratory Improvement (S. 705)  
H- HR 10909 reported. Rule granted.
36. Employees of Referees in Bankruptcy (S. 3107)  
H- In subcommittee. Suspension.
37. Indian Lands Claims (S. 3153)  
H- Ordered reported (HR 12860). Suspension.
38. Magistrates Act (S. 1613)  
H- S. 1613 reported. Rule granted. Week of Sept. 18.
39. Dam Safety (S. 2820)  
H- HR 11153 reported.
40. Assistant Secretary of Commerce (S. 1624)  
H- Pending in Commerce subcommittee.
41. Domestic Violence Act (S. 2759)  
H- HR 12299 failed suspension. Rules Sept. 20.
42. Food Stamp Amendments (S. 3271)  
H- Reported HR 12149. Suspension.
43. Livestock Sales (S. 3272)  
H- HR 9482 reported. Suspension
44. Livestock Slaughtering (S. 3092)  
H- HR 1464 reported. Suspension.
45. Foreign Acquisition Farm Lands (S. 3384)  
H- HR 13356 reported.
46. FEC Amendments (S. 926)  
H- HR 11315 reported. No House action this year.
47. Tax Amendments on Overseas Income  
H- HR 13488 reported. Rule granted.

(Passed Senate continued)

48. Amateur Athletic Act (S. 2727)  
H- In full committee. \$30 million is still in after test vote.
49. Susan B. Anthony Dollar Coin (S. 3036)  
H- HR 12728 ordered reported. Suspension.
50. Indian Child Health (HR 12533)  
H- Reported. Rules Sept. 19.
51. Criminal Code Reform (S. 1437)  
H- Subcommittee reported. Further action not anticipated.
52. Agriculture Exports (S. 3447)  
H- Joint referral to Agriculture and International Relations.
53. Perishable Agriculture Commodities (S. 976)  
H- Reported. Suspension.

OTHER MEASURES

(Not acted on by House or Senate)

1. Continuing Resolution EXPIRING APPROPRIATION  
H- Will be necessary. HEW bill left out \$17 billion for a long list of projects not yet authorized.
2. Sugar Stabilization Act (HR 12486) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
H- Reported from Agriculture. Ways and Means ordered reported. To be filed September 11. Rules granted. House Floor week of Sept. 18.  
  
S- Senate Finance Hearings on S. 2990 completed. Negotiation needed with Administration prior to markup.
3. DOD Authorization (HR 14042) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
H- Veto sustained. New bill reported. House Floor week of Sept. 18.  
S- S. 3486 reported.
4. Welfare Fiscal Relief (HR 13335) PRIORITY  
H- Reported. Rule requested.
5. DOE Authorization (HR 11392) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
H- Reported. Rule granted. Held up until Energy passed. (Armed Services has a competing bill HR 12557 for which rule is requested.)
6. Regulation Q EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
H- After safe banking.  
  
S- Late in session.
7. Developmental Disabilities Act (HR 12326) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
H- Reported. Suspension Sept. 18.
8. Rail Services Assistance (HR 11979) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
H- Reported. Pending in Rules.
9. Marine Protection, Research and Sanctuaries Act (HR 10661) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
H- Reported. Suspension.  
  
S- S. 2767 on Senate calendar #816.
10. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Auth. (HR 12355) EXPIRING AUTHORIZATION  
H- HR 12355 reported. Rule granted.
11. Hospital Cost Containment (HR 6575) PRIORITY  
H- Reported from Commerce in decimated form. Administration working in Senate to move Talmadge bill, amended by Nelson. Continues to be top Carter priority.  
  
S- HR 5285 reported. On Senate calendar #1031.
12. Education Department (HR 13778) PRIORITY  
H- Reported. Rule granted. Awaiting Senate action.  
  
S- S. 991 on Senate calendar #1000.
13. Federal Reserve Act Amendments (HR 14022)  
H- Ordered reported.
14. Anti-Trust (Illinois Brick) (HR 11942)  
H- Ordered reported.
15. Child Health Assessment (HR 13611)  
H- Reported. Suspension.

(Other Measures continued)

16. Recombinant DNA (HR 11192)  
H- Reported. Rule requested.  
S- S. 1217 on Senate calendar #334.
17. Emergency Wheat Stockpiles (HR 13835)  
H- Reported.  
S- Agriculture Committee plans no action on wheat stockpiles but reported S. 3460, Senate calendar #1073, which establishes a fund to purchase food, which would include wheat.
18. Reorganization Plan No. 4 (Employee Retirement Administration)  
H- Will be reported in mid-September.  
S- Government Affairs hearings underway on S. Res. 537.