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009	Email	Broadband - To: Karl Rove, et al. - From: Cesar Conda	1	06/21/2002	P5;
010	Draft	Remarks on Faith-Based Welfare Initiatives	5	07/02/2002	P5; P6/b6;
011	Fax Cover Sheet	Range Rover International Polo Classic - To: Karl Rove - From: Loretta Solon Campbell	1	06/24/2002	P6/b6;
012	Email	[Email] - To: Ken Mehlman, et al. - From: Paul Dyck	1	06/20/2002	PRM;
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015	Fax Cover Sheet	Fax Transmittal Sheet [with Attachment]	2	07/01/2002	PRM;
016	Email	[Email] - To: Susan Ralston	8	01/18/2002	P6/b6;
017	Fax Cover Sheet	[Fax Cover Sheet]	1	11/02/2001	P6/b6;
018	Memorandum	Memorandum - To: Karl Rove - From: Ken Mehlman	1	12/06/2001	P5;
019	Talking Points	Detailed Talking Points	7	N.D.	P5;
020	Memorandum	SAP Positions at IGA - To: Karl Rove - From: Ruben Barrales	1	12/21/2001	P2; P5; P6/b6;

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022	Presentation	National Academy of Sciences' (NAS) Study on Corporate Average Fuel Economy Standards (CAFÉ)	4	N.D.	P5;
023	Comments	State of the Union Address	3	01/25/2002	P5;
024	Email	[Email] - To: Bradford Berenson - From: Brett Kavanaugh	2	12/07/2001	P2; P5; P6/b6;
025	Email	[Email] - To: Bradford Berenson - From: Kyle Sampson	2	12/07/2001	P2; P5; P6/b6;
026	Email	[Email] - To: Alberto Gonzales - From: Bradford Berenson	2	12/07/2001	P2; P5; P6/b6;

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MEMORANDUM FOR DESIGNATED AGENCY HEADS
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FROM: Mac Reed *MR*
Assistant General Counsel

SUBJECT: Proposed Executive Order Entitled "Expedited Naturalization of Aliens and Non-Citizen Nationals Serving in an Active-Duty Status During Operation Enduring Freedom"

Attached is a proposed Executive Order entitled "Expedited Naturalization of Aliens and Non-Citizen Nationals Serving in an Active Duty Status During Operation Enduring Freedom."

On behalf of the Director of the Office of Management and Budget, this office is collecting input on this proposal. Please communicate any comments or objections to Mr. Mac Reed (phone 202-395-3563; fax 202-395-7294; or e-mail: mreed@omb.eop.gov) by 12:00 noon., Friday, June 28, 2002. Please be advised that agencies not responding by that date will be recorded as not objecting to the proposal.

Thank you.

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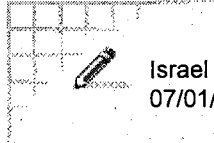
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U.S. Justice Department Joins Civil Suit Tied to HealthSouth (WSJ, 5/29/02)

The Justice Department joined a civil lawsuit against HealthSouth Corp., alleging the company defrauded Medicare and other government programs in part by submitting false claims for physical-therapy services by "unqualified personnel" at its outpatient clinics.

The company, based in Birmingham, Ala., said it would defend itself "vigorously" against the accusations.

The government's complaint, filed May 23 in U.S. District Court in San Antonio, intervenes in a civil suit filed against the company by a HealthSouth patient under the False Claims Act, which essentially allows individuals to file suit on behalf of the government. The complaint alleges in part that from April 1992 to the present, HealthSouth improperly billed the government for physical-therapy services provided by "unqualified personnel."

The complaint also alleges the company sought reimbursement for patients treated without properly certified care plans.

According to the complaint, HealthSouth "systematically" uses supportive personnel, such as aides or trainees, to treat Medicare beneficiaries, but bills Medicare as though licensed therapists or assistants provided the care.

A spokesman for the company called the action a "nuisance suit" and said its lawyers have advised HealthSouth that it has done nothing wrong and need not change the way it does business.

In a Securities and Exchange Commission filing, HealthSouth said its practices are "consistent with accepted clinical standards and practices in physical therapy" and with current Medicare regulations.

A HealthSouth spokesman said the use of aides, or "extenders," is common and necessary to provide "concurrent" therapy, in which several patients with different ailments perform individualized therapy at the same time. The "extenders" assist patients under supervision of a

licensed therapist, who is typically within eyesight of the aides, the spokesman said.

The complaint seeks unspecified damages and civil penalties.

HealthSouth is the nation's largest provider of outpatient physical-therapy services. But Medicare outpatient reimbursements represent roughly 1% of its total revenue, its spokesman said.

Analysts have said the suits don't appear to pose serious financial concerns for HealthSouth. "I don't think it's something that investors are overly concerned with," said Joel Ray, an analyst with Wachovia Securities.

The Justice Department earlier this year had said it would intervene in another, similar suit filed against HealthSouth in Alabama. But the department withdrew its intervention in that case earlier this month, HealthSouth said.

HealthSouth runs rehabilitation hospitals and outpatient rehabilitation, surgical and diagnostic clinics.

In New York Stock Exchange composite trading at 4 p.m. Tuesday, shares of HealthSouth were down two cents at \$14.08.

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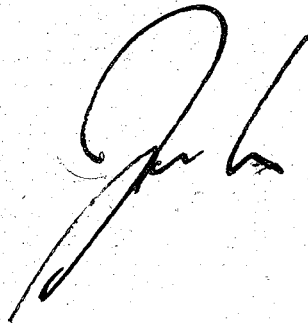
Note to Karl Rove
Barry Jackson

From John Rendon

While working Indications and Warning, we are watching the Human Development Index of the United Nations as a potential recruitment ground of future terrorists.

It seems to me that short targeted dollars (foreign assistance) in these countries might dramatically reduce the recruiting ground.

Please Note: The bottom 25 countries are all in Africa.



when a crumbling economy, a decaying Cold War security structure, and an ethnic-Albanian insurrection against the Serbs in Kosovo combined to intensify ethnic strife and create conditions favorable to greater violence.

Conditions favorable does not signify inevitability, only a strong possibility if policymakers ignore the evidence. Yugoslavia was not so intractable or complex that Margaret Thatcher could not have stopped the war from spreading into Bosnia with the angry rap of her handbag at any of several NATO meetings in 1991 or early 1992, had she still been the British prime minister.

Since early warning is a sine qua non of crisis prevention, and because individual circumstances such as the Conservative party coup that toppled Thatcher from power in 1990 cannot be foreseen, foreign policy must be the art of intelligently organizing what information can be foreseen, so as to provide a framework, albeit indistinct, for future events—that is the lesson of Machiavelli's "anxious foresight."

What can be foreseen is what changes slowly or not at all: climate, the resource base, the pace of urbanization, interethnic relations, the strength of the middle class, and so on. One reason the United Nations keeps track of literacy and fertility rates (and then ranks countries in a "Human Development Index" according to such factors) is that they are descriptive of the present and instructive of the future.

The canceled second round of Algerian elections in January 1992 was not the cause of Algeria's Islamic terrorism and civil conflict but merely its "beginning." The causes include the astoundingly high rates of population increase and urbanization for decades prior to 1992, so hordes of frustrated, unemployed young

males overwhelmed the cities and shantytowns.² There was also the reinvention of Islam in a modern and impersonal urban setting, giving it an ideological severity it lacked in the villages. These circumstances could easily have alerted policymakers to Algeria's increasing tendency for conflict.

In 1989, when the Berlin Wall fell, an analyst relying solely on the evidence of history, culture, and geography could have anticipated the condition of former Warsaw Pact countries a decade later. Before World War II and the Red Army flattened Eastern Europe, the Protestant-Catholic lands of eastern Germany, Poland, Hungary, and western Czechoslovakia—all once part of the advanced Habsburg empire—had boasted large and vibrant middle classes. Industrial production in western Czechoslovakia rivaled that of England and Belgium. Not so in the Eastern Orthodox Balkan nations and Russia, burdened by centuries of Byzantine, Ottoman, and czarist absolutism, where middle classes were tiny specks amid vast peasant populations. Of those poorer nations, Russia was always the worst off, its social fabric rent by more decades of communism than the Balkans, and its problems further complicated by sheer size, ethnic diversity, and proximity to the least stable parts of Asia. Not surprisingly, by 2000, the order of economic development in Eastern Europe was roughly what it had been prior to World War II, with the northern, ex-Habsburg part of the region the most prosperous, the Balkans further behind, and Russia in the worst condition. Croatia, meanwhile, befitting the destiny of a marchland between Central Europe and the Balkans, was torn by Balkan violence in the 1990s, but is now moving toward civil society faster than its southern neighbors.

There are exceptions to this historical and cultural pattern: Serbs,

who are worse off than many urban Russians; ethnic-Hungarian Catholics in northern Serbia, who are worse off than Orthodox Romanians in Bucharest; and, most dramatically, Greece—an Eastern Orthodox, Balkan nation that ranks ahead of Poland, the Czech Republic, and Hungary on the United Nations Human Development Index.³ But Greece's escape from communism and Balkan underdevelopment required an American-backed counterinsurgency against communist guerrillas, followed by \$10 billion in Truman Doctrine aid (in 1940s dollars) for a country of only 7.5 million people, and gross interference by the Central Intelligence Agency in Greece's domestic politics through the 1950s.

The benefits of using historical and cultural models to glimpse the future are obvious, but so are the drawbacks. What if the Truman administration had abandoned Greece? In the late 1940s, Eastern Orthodox Greece was economically backward, without a traditional middle class, torn by civil strife, unexposed to the Western Enlightenment, and geographically and spiritually closer to Russia than to the West. History and geography clearly suggested that helping Greece was a lost cause. Yet, it succeeded. And as expensive as U.S. intervention in Greece turned out to be, it was cheap compared to the cost in American defense outlays and human suffering had Greece become a Soviet satellite in 1949.

The collapse of the Soviet Union is another argument against what Isaiah Berlin dismissed as "historical inevitability."⁴ No matter how infirm the Soviet system was, the spectacle of a continental empire crumbling quickly on its own, with no invading army to instigate it, had few precedents in history. It was this dramatic, unforeseen conclusion to the Cold War that led one of Berlin's colleagues to declare: " 'Inevitability' has rather a bad track record."⁵

A stirring argument against inevitability is the *Shi ji*, or *Records*

of the *Grand Historian*, by Sima Qian, the Thucydides of ancient China, whose history of the Qin and Han dynasties includes many passages like this:

Chen She, born in a humble hut with tiny windows and a wattle door, a day labourer in the fields and a garrison conscript, whose abilities could not match even the average . . . led a band of several hundred poor, weary soldiers in a revolt against Qin. . . . The weapons which he improvised from hoes and tree branches could not match the sharpness of spears and battle pikes; his little band of garrison conscripts was nothing beside the armies of the Nine States. . . . Qin [was] a great kingdom and for 100 years made the ancient eight provinces pay homage at its court. Yet, after it had become master of the six directions . . . a single commoner [Chen She] opposed it and its seven ancestral temples toppled. . . .⁶

If the future were really discernible, political science would enjoy more respect than it does, and determinism—the belief that historical, cultural, economic, and other antecedent forces *determine* the future of both individuals and nations—would not be such a disreputable word. Wars have seldom been won by fatalism, and battlefield victories against great odds have regularly changed the direction of history. "One of the perennial infirmities of human beings," writes the late British historian Arnold Toynbee, "is to ascribe their own failure to forces that are entirely beyond their control."⁷ A great leader needs some sense of idealism and possibility. Machiavelli's *Prince* has endured partly because it is an instructional guide for those who do not accept fate and require the utmost cunning to vanquish more powerful forces.

Yet, it hardly follows that policymakers should ignore all factors, objective and subjective, that forewarn them of crises, and which may prevent them.

Determinism has been argued about since the Greek Stoics identified two seemingly contradictory notions: individual moral responsibility and "causation"—the belief that our acts are the unavoidable result of a chain of prior events.⁸ It was the determinism of the medieval Catholic Church, which believed that history had a single direction and purpose, that Machiavelli revolted against. Twentieth-century history makes determinism the pithiest philosophical issue facing policymakers today, for behind the errors of Marxism and other follies lay the error of reading from the past too narrowly into the future.

While Marxism is the classic case of a determinist philosophy, determinism was also a factor in the appeasement of Nazi Germany in the 1930s. Appeasement revealed the danger of a narrow fixation on power—who has it and who doesn't—which puts one in the awkward position of seizing it oneself or knuckling under. To wit, the pro-appeasement editor of *The Times* of London, Geoffrey Dawson, asked, "If the Germans are as powerful as" people say, "oughtn't we to go with them?"⁹ Chamberlain believed Hitler's rearmament was a troubling but inevitable outcome of Germany's industrial capacity, its large and dynamic population, and its strategic position at the heart of Europe. Thus, the Nazi leader could not be stopped.

Unlike the respectable and upright Chamberlain, Churchill was a drinker and surrounded himself with a "disreputable crowd of

roués."¹⁰ It was precisely such a personality, unstable and overbearing, that was an antidote to Chamberlain's fatalism. Churchill's exuberance and sentimentality regarding the British empire made it impossible for him to imagine an outcome that the British prime minister did not help shape. Thus, he grasped the illogic of Chamberlain's attitude toward Hitler, which nullified the influence of Chamberlain himself.

Churchill was by nature a pluralist: someone who believes that many things (particularly his own actions) interact, and that no one thing *determines* the future. Like Ronald Reagan, another leader who proved more clairvoyant than the foreign affairs mandarin that disdained him, Churchill was blessed with a moral passion—a "clean hatred"—that proved more effective than Chamberlain's pragmatism and fatalism.¹¹ Reagan's first inaugural address might have been lifted from Churchill: "I do not believe in a fate that will fall on us no matter what we do. I do believe in a fate that will fall on us if we do nothing."

It may have seemed irrational for Reagan to believe in the 1980s that the Cold War was temporary and that the Berlin Wall would collapse. Reagan thereby exposed another characteristic of determinism: that of being overly rational, a flaw to which policy analysts and other experts are especially prone. A merely rational man might not have challenged Hitler the way Churchill did.

Whereas Churchill and Reagan represented strategic and moral decisiveness against considerable odds, in 1993 President Clinton appeared to represent the fatalism of the appeasers by failing to intervene in the former Yugoslavia to stop war crimes committed by Bosnian Serbs against Bosnian Moslems.

Some of the strongest criticism against Clinton's failure to inter-

Twenty-Five (25) least livable countries

according to the Human Development Index (United Nations)

1. Sierra Leone: – 30% are Muslim of total population 4,717,000 (1999 UN Estimate)
2. Niger: 90% are Muslim of total population 10,400,000 (1999 UN estimate)
3. Burundi: 1% are Muslim of total population 5,930,800 (98-99 CIA World Fact Book / 2000 estimate)
4. Burkina Faso: 50% are Muslim of total population 11,892,000 (98-99 CIA World Fact Book / 2000 estimate)
5. Ethiopia: 45% to 50% are Muslim of total population 60,967,400 (98-99 CIA World Fact Book / 2000 estimate)
6. Mozambique: 4 Million are Muslim of total population 17,242,240 (2000 official estimate)
7. Guinea-Bissau: 45% are Muslim of total population 1,263,300 (98-99 CIA World Fact Book / 2000 estimate)
8. Chad: 50% are Muslim of total population 7,760,300 (98-99 CIA World Fact Book / 2000 estimate)
9. Central African Republic: 15% are Muslim of total population 3,515,700 (98-99 CIA World Fact Book / 2000 estimate)
10. Mali: 80% to 90% are Muslim of total population 10,960,000 (1999 UN estimate)
11. Rwanda: – 1% is Muslim of total population 8,337,000 (98-99 CIA World Fact Book / 2000 estimate)
12. Malawi: 13% are Muslim of total population 9,933,868 (census results 1998)
13. Guinea: 85% are Muslim of total population 7,610,900 (98-99 CIA World Fact Book / 2000 estimate)
14. Gambia: 90% are Muslim of total population 1,381,500 (98-99 CIA World Fact Book / 2000 estimate)
15. Eritrea: Muslim population ?? 4,142,500 population (98-99 CIA World Fact Book / 2000 estimate)

16. Benin: 15% are Muslim of total population 6,516,600 (98-99 CIA World Fact Book / 2000 estimate)

17. Angola: Muslim population ??? most likely very small of 11,486,700 (98-99 CIA World Fact Book / 2000 estimate)

18. Senegal 94% of the total population is Muslim (1988 census) – population 9,278,617 (official estimate 1999)

19. Cote d'Ivoire: 60% are Muslim of total population 16,190,100 (98-99 CIA World Fact Book / 2000 estimate)

20. Zambia: 24% to 49% are either Muslim or Hindu of total population 9,872,000 (98-99 CIA World Fact Book / 2000 estimate)

21. Democratic Republic of the Congo: 10% are Muslim of total population 51,978,800 (98-99 CIA World Fact Book)

22. Uganda: 5% are Muslim of total population 21,620,000 (1999 UN estimate)

23. Tanzania: 98% of Zanzibar is Muslim and about 1/3 of the mainland population is Muslim -- population of 32,793,000 (1999 UN estimate) (** estimated population of Zanzibar in 1995 was 456,934)

24. Mauritania: 100% are Muslim of total population 2,598,000 (1999 UN estimate)

25. Sudan: 70% are Sunni Muslim of total population 35,530,400 (98-99 CIA World Fact Book / 2000 estimate)

May 16, 2002

Mr. Carl Rove
Advisor to the President
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue NW
Washington, DC 20500

Dear Mr. Rove:

I'm a small business owner and life long Republican. I feel the President, who I like and admire, has come "off the message track" lately and is missing other opportunities to make an impact. The following are the areas for redirection and improvement:

1. The **steel quotas** were a big mistake. How can the President travel around the world and campaign for free trade and then put on quotas to protect the steel industry. The majority of these workers are over paid in relation to other industries. If the steel companies can't compete then their future is limited and they must change like other companies are forced to do to be competitive. I own a printing company. Our industry has lost over 60,000 jobs in the past year. Who bails us out? No one and we do not expect Government help. My employees haven't had a raise in two years due to poor business. They are just happy right now to have a job. I'm tired of paying taxes to bail out industries that are nothing but special interest groups. I thought President Bush was going to be different and operate the government as a business. I sure don't see that happening and I believe he is getting some bad advice from advisors around him.
2. **Government spending is out of control.** Spending is going up 7-8% per year when inflation is only 2 or 3 % per year. The President has done nothing to call Congress into check over run away spending (up \$ 300 billion in two years) including a \$96 billion increase in social welfare programs. I heard recently a California Congress woman had \$50,000 approved for tattoo removal. The Farm Program is a budget buster regardless of what Lawrence Lindsey tries to justify with spending going up near \$75 billion. With the added expenses of national security, we should be sacrificing in other areas to pay for these new national security programs. It looks like business as usual with run away spending and back to deficit spending.

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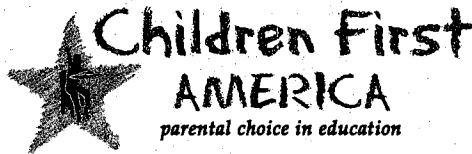
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3. **The farm program** is nothing but a welfare program for big farmers. My family has 280 acres in Indiana that has been in our family since 1840. We don't take government subsidies but the fair market price. The program pays farmers to produce too much especially the larger ones who are raking in large government bailouts. Seventy-five percent of the funds in this program are going to the richest or top 10% of the farmers. When Sam Donaldson and Ted Turner and a number of Congressmen can qualify for government subsidies in this program then it is a failure. This makes this farm program a total disaster and a welfare program. The President should be highlighting wasteful programs and spending and call the Congress on the carpet for their wasteful ways. There is never any accountability in Government spending. He may offend some Congressmen and Senators but will have the respect of the American people for watching the growth of spending. With the added expenses of national security, we should be cutting other areas to pay the security bills. **If the President does not take the lead on wasteful spending who will?**
4. **Energy Plan** - the Democrats only push conservation which has never worked and will lead us to an energy disaster. Stop Daschle's ethanol boondoggle that will raise the price of gas on both coasts. The President needs to call attention to these dumb ideas of the Democratic leadership, fight for his energy plan and sell it to the American people.
5. **Tort Reform** - I've seen no activity from the President on tort reform. Unless the trial lawyers are reigned in they are becoming a greater threat to our country and the economy than terrorism. Lawyers are going after every business over frivolous issues and winning huge settlements forcing some businesses into bankruptcy. I realize its an up hill battle with tort reform because the majority of Congress are lawyers but we need control over these "vultures".

Stick to your message the President got elected on: integrity in Government, fixed lower taxes beyond 2010, spending restraints, an energy program, tort reform, fighting terrorism world wide including the elimination of Suddam and continue working for peace in the impossible Mideast supporting Israel. The President needs to continue to be a man of principle like Ronald Reagan and stick to his conservative beliefs and not make decisions to buy Democrats or voters. I urge you to get the President back on message and quit comprising with the Democrats and special interests groups at every turn. Otherwise, I'm afraid that George W. will end up with the same results as his Father and the Republicans will lose both houses of Congress this year.

Sincerely


James P. Anderson



May 9, 2002

Mr. Karl Rove
Senior Advisor to the President
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20500

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EXEC. DIR. PRESIDENT
WH STRATEGIC INITIATIVES

Dear Mr. ~~Rove~~ *Karl*:

It is with much excitement, enthusiasm, joy, and sadness that I announce today that effective September 1, 2002, I will resign my position as President and CEO of Children First America. This decision has been made in the best interest of my family after much discussion, consideration, and prayer with my wife, Martha.

After spending the last twelve years in the school choice arena and the last twenty years in public and political affairs, the time has come for me to enter the private sector and pursue some entrepreneurial dreams that will allow me to spend more time with my family.

In making this announcement, I would like to thank my excellent staff, dedicated board of directors, generous donors, and faithful friends, for the tremendous support they have given me over the years. Most importantly, I would like to thank God for allowing me the privilege to work with such wonderful people in helping to achieve equal educational opportunities for all children in the United States of America; a goal in which I know we will eventually prevail.

I plan to continue my involvement in a consulting capacity once we find a successor, as well as continue to serve on the Board of Directors and I hope that you will continue to stay involved and help us on this very important issue.

Sincerely,

[Signature]
Fritz S. Steiger
President & CEO

Enclosure
FSS/JB

Carry on boldly my friend!

PS. Attached is a statement from the Chairman of the Board of Children First America.

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Statement from Children First America's Chairman, Peter Flanigan:

Fritz Steiger, the President of Children First America, has informed the Board of Directors of his wish to resign as of September 1, 2002.

No one has done more to further the cause of educational choice for all of America's children than Fritz Steiger. Under his leadership for more than a decade, Children First has grown to a nationwide organization, sponsoring private voucher programs throughout the country and leading the effort to provide publicly funded vouchers wherever the governmental climate is supportive. As a result of Children First America's efforts, over 100,000 children have been given the opportunity to attend schools that their parents think best for them through nearly 100 private voucher programs.

Fortunately, Mr. Steiger will continue to help Children First by acting as a consultant and a member of its Board after September 1st. His experience and wisdom will help to maintain the momentum he has created in the school choice movement.

Everyone connected with Children First – the Board, the Staff, and all its supporters – owe Fritz a debt of gratitude for his extraordinary leadership. His successor will find a high performance organization in place to carry on the work. While he will be sorely missed, all wish Fritz Godspeed and good luck in his new career.



Michael J. Napolitano
06/17/2002 09:46:40 AM

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To: Susan B. Ralston/WHO/EOP@EOP
cc: Katherine G. Marinis/WHO/EOP@EOP, Ken Mehlman/WHO/EOP@EOP
Subject: Teamsters 6/24

Susan -

The Teamster leadership (approx 175 people) is coming to room 450 on 6/24 at 3pm. Ken would like the program to flow like this - if it works with you and KR

3:00-3:05	Mehlman	<i>Confirmed</i>
3:05-3:15	Rove	<i>Pending</i>
3:15-3:30	Chao	<i>Pending - Should have confirmation this afternoon</i>
3:30-3:45	The President	<i>Confirmed</i>

Please let me know if Karl has time to participate. thanks

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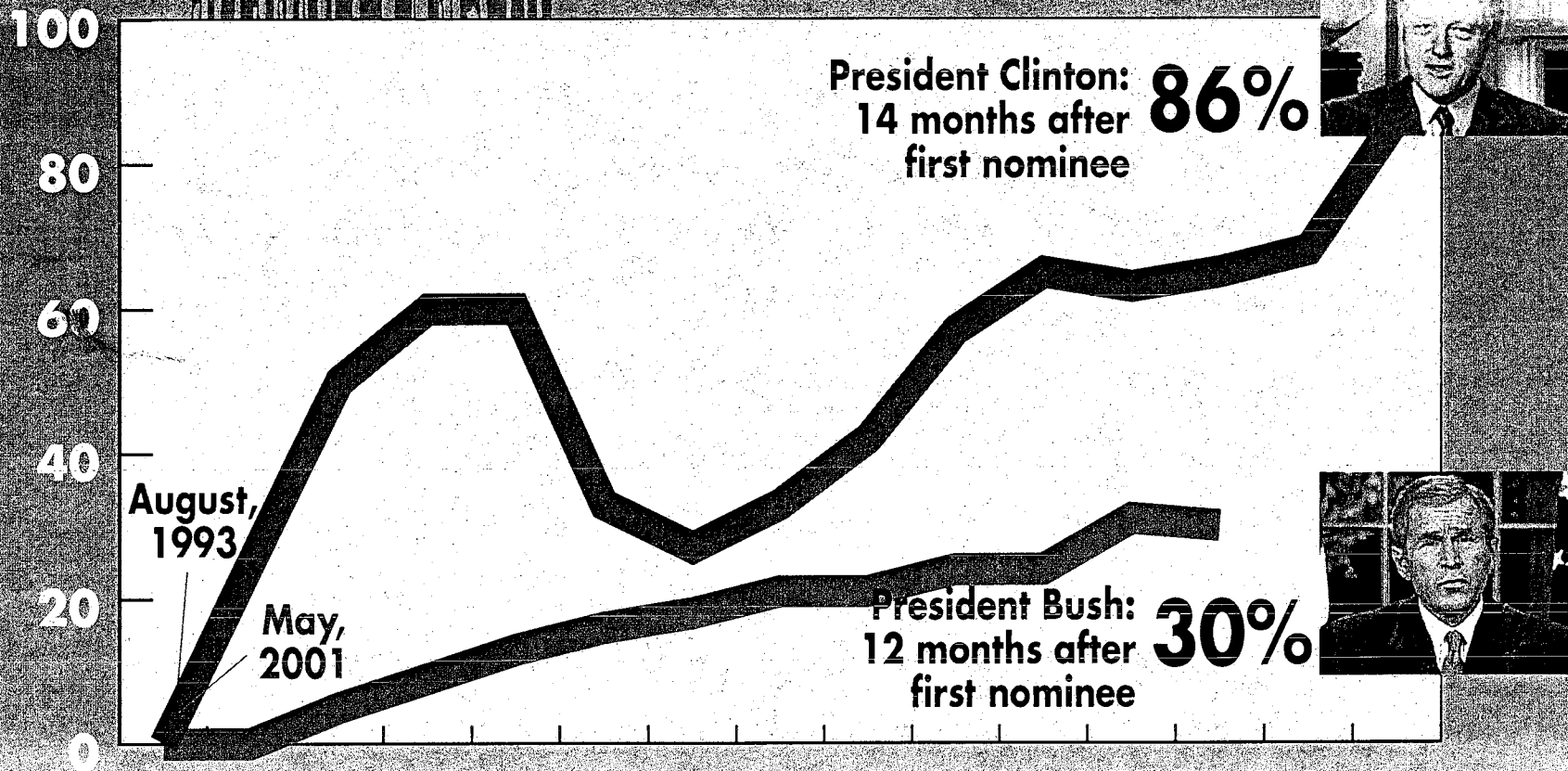
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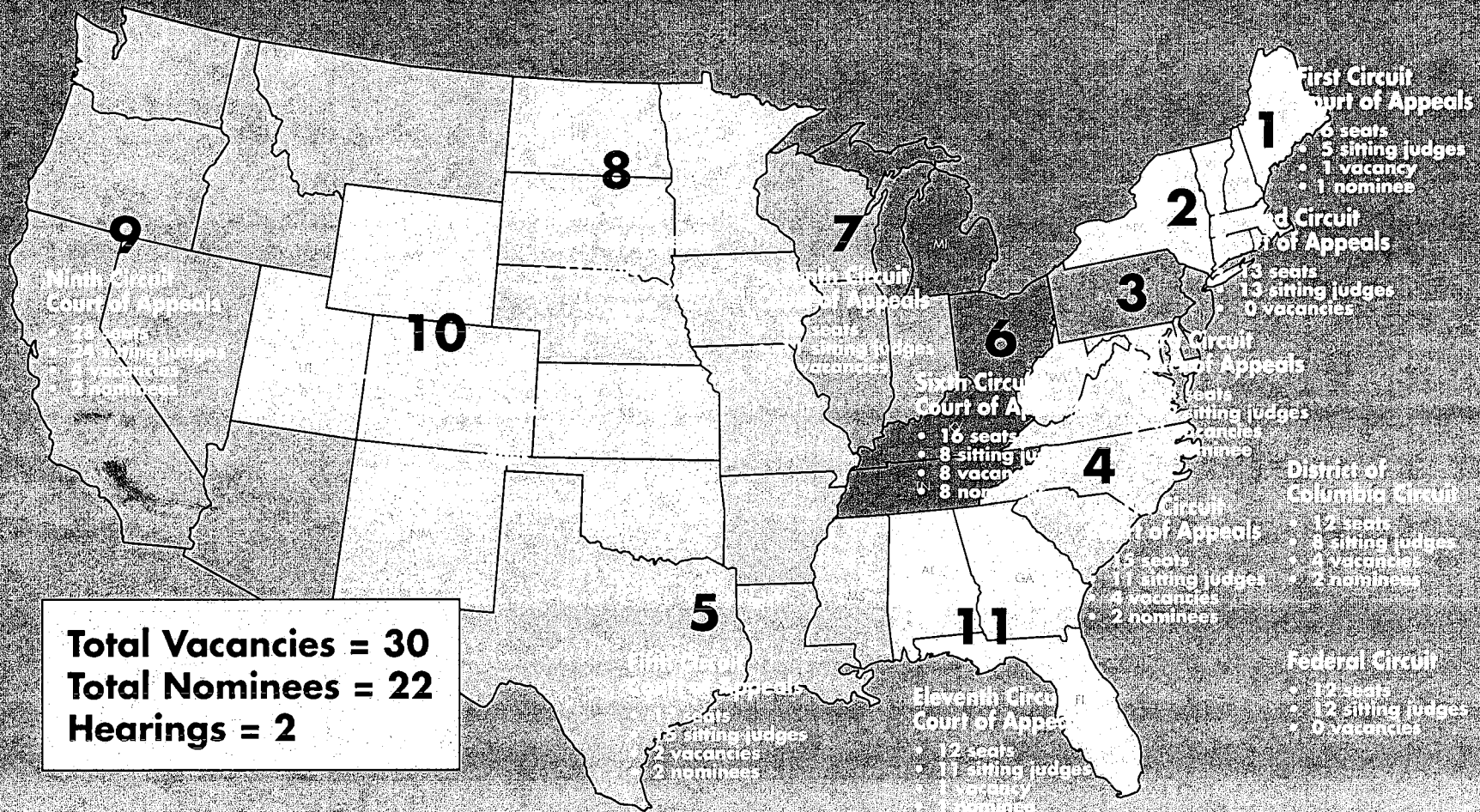
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Circuit Court Confirmation Rates by U.S. Senate



Circuit Court Nominees*



Total Vacancies = 30
Total Nominees = 22
Hearings = 2

Judges Lost in Senator Leahy's Judicial Committee

(as of June 20, 2002)

Stuck In Committee Since May 9, 2001



John Roberts
DC Circuit
406 Days
ABA Rating:
Unan. WQ



Miguel Estrada
DC Circuit
406 Days
ABA Rating:
Unan. WQ



Michael McConnell
10th Circuit
406 Days
ABA Rating:
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Jeffrey Sutton
6th Circuit
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Deborah Cook
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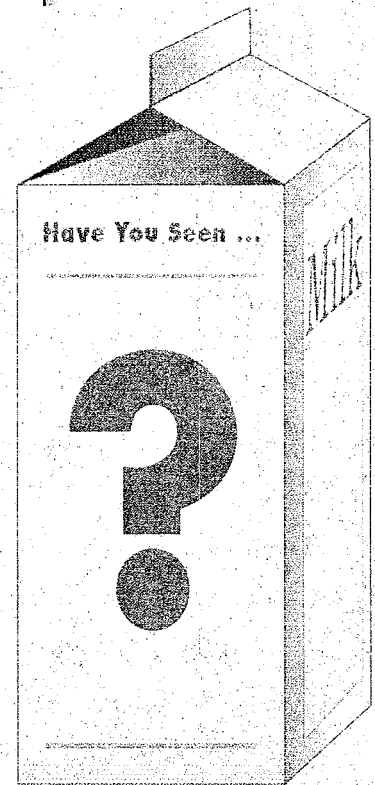
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5th Circuit
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Dennis Shedd
4th Circuit
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ABA Rating:
Maj. WQ



Terrence Boyle
4th Circuit
406 Days
ABA Rating:
Unan. Q



Lavenski Smith
8th Circuit
394 Days
ABA Rating:
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Timothy Tymkovich
10th Circuit
391 Days
ABA Rating:
Maj. Q



Richard Clifton
9th Circuit
363 Days
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Carolyn Kuhl
9th Circuit
363 Days
ABA Rating:
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D. Brooks Smith
3rd Circuit
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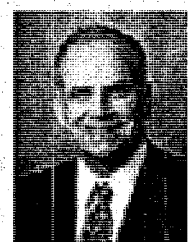
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6th Circuit
224 Days
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Susan Bicke Neilson
6th Circuit
224 Days
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Henry W. Saad
6th Circuit
224 Days
ABA Rating:
Maj. Q, Min. WQ



John M. Rogers
6th Circuit
183 Days
ABA Rating:
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Article III Judicial Nomination Report

Administration Comparison – First Two Years

Bush Nomination Tallies as of June 18, 2002 (7:00 am)

President	Congress	Circuit Court Nominations Submitted	Circuit Court Nominations Confirmed	District Court Nominations Submitted	District Court Nominations Confirmed	TOTAL Submitted	TOTAL Pending	TOTAL Confirmed
Bush 2001 -2002	107th	31	9 (29%)	71	48 (67%)	103 ^a	46 ^a	57 (55%)
Clinton 1993 -1994	103rd	22	19 (86%)	119	108 (90%)	143 ^b	-	129 ^b (90%)
Bush 1989 -1990	101st	23	22 (95%)	52	48 (92%)	76 ^c	-	71 ^c (93%)
Reagan 1981 -1982	97th	20	19 (95%)	69	69 (100%)	90 ^d	-	89 ^d (98%)

Vacancies as of Nov. 1 at the end of the second year of each Administration: Clinton = 59 (7.0%), Bush = 37 (4.9%), Reagan = 23 (3.4%)
 Current Vacancies: Bush = 89 (10.4%)

- a. Total includes one Court of International Trade Nominee
- b. Total includes two Supreme Court Nominees - *Ginsburg, Breyer*
- c. Total includes one Supreme Court Nominee - *Souter*
- d. Total includes one Supreme Court Nominee - *O'Connor*

107th CONGRESS
Article III Judicial Nomination Data

June 18, 2002 (7:00 am)

NOMINATIONS SUBMITTED: 103

US Circuit: 31
US District: 71
USIT: 1

NOMINATIONS CONFIRMED: 57

US Circuit: 9
US District: 48

NOMINATIONS PENDING: 46

Pending in Committee: 34
Reported: 0
Executive Calendar: 12

US Circuit: 22

In Committee: 18
Reported: 0
Executive Calendar: 3
NOT Reported: 1

US District: 23

In Committee: 14
Reported: 0
Executive Calendar: 9

USIT: 1

In Committee: 1
Executive Calendar: 0

VACANCIES: 89

Judicial Emergencies: 35

US Circuit: 31 (17 Judicial Emergencies, 11 Nominees)
US District: 57 (18 Judicial Emergencies, 6 Nominees)
USIT: 1

46 Article III Judicial Nominations Pending in the Senate

June 18, 2002 (7:00 am)

Nominee	Judgeship	Nomination Received	Status	Days in Congress
John G. Roberts - MD	DC Circuit	5/9/01		404
Miguel A. Estrada - VA	DC Circuit	5/9/01		404
Michael W. McConnell - UT	Tenth Circuit	5/9/01		404
Jeffrey S. Sutton - OH	Sixth Circuit	5/9/01		404
Deborah L. Cook - OH	Sixth Circuit	5/9/01		404
Priscilla Richman Owen - TX	Fifth Circuit	5/9/01		404
Dennis W. Shedd - SC	Fourth Circuit	5/9/01		404
Terrence W. Boyle - NC	Fourth Circuit	5/9/01		404
Lavenski R. Smith - AR	Eighth Circuit	5/22/01	Hrg. Held 5/23	392
Timothy M. Tymkovich - CO	Tenth Circuit	5/25/01		389
Charles W. Pickering, Sr. - MS	Fifth Circuit	5/25/01	NOT REPORTED 3/14	389
Richard R. Clifton - HI	Ninth Circuit	6/22/01	Exec. Cal. No. 825	359
Carolyn B. Kuhl - CA	Ninth Circuit	6/22/01		359
D. Brooks Smith - PA	Third Circuit	9/10/01	Exec. Cal. No. 840	276
Julia Smith Gibbons - TN	Sixth Circuit	10/9/01	Exec. Cal. No. 810	249
William H. Steele - AL	Eleventh Circuit	10/9/01		249
David W. McKeague - MI	Sixth Circuit	11/8/01		218
Susan Bieke Neilson - MI	Sixth Circuit	11/8/01		218
Henry W. Saad - MI	Sixth Circuit	11/8/01		218
Timothy C. Stanceu	Court of Int'l Trade	12/19/01		178
John M. Rogers - KY	Sixth Circuit	12/19/01	Hrg. Held 6/13	178
Stanley R. Chesler	District of NJ	1/23/02		142
Ronald H. Clark	Eastern District of TX	1/23/02		142
Joy Flowers Conti	Western District of PA	1/23/02	Exec. Cal. No. 827	142
David C. Godbey	Northern District of TX	1/23/02	Exec. Cal. No. 864	142
Henry E. Hudson	Eastern District of VA	1/23/02	Exec. Cal. No. 865	142
Ronald B. Leighton	Western District of WA	1/23/02		142
Kenneth A. Marra	Southern District of FL	1/23/02	Hrg. Sched. 6/13	142
Jose E. Martinez	Southern District of FL	1/23/02		142
William J. Martini	District of NJ	1/23/02		142
Terrence F. McVerry	Western District of PA	1/23/02		142
Frederick W. Rohlfig	District of HI	1/23/02		142
Arthur J. Schwab	Western District of PA	1/23/02		142
Christopher C. Conner	Middle District of PA	2/28/02	Exec. Cal. No. 826	107

John E. Jones III	Middle District of PA	2/28/02	Exec. Cal. No. 828	107
Timothy J. Savage	Eastern District of PA	3/21/02	Exec. Cal. No. 866	85
David S. Cercone	Western District of PA	3/21/02	Hrg. Held 6/13	85
Richard E. Dorr	Western District of MO	3/21/02	Exec. Cal. No. 863	85
Henry E. Autrey	Eastern District of MO	3/21/02	Exec. Cal. No. 862	85
Amy J. St. Eve	Northern District of IL	3/21/02	Exec. Cal. No. 867	85
Morrison C. England	Eastern District of CA	3/21/02	Hrg. Held 6/13	85
James K. Gardner	Eastern District of PA	4/22/02		85
Reena Raggi - NY	Second Circuit	5/1/02		45
Jay S. Bybee - NV	Ninth Circuit	5/22/02		24
Timothy J. Corrigan	Middle District of FL	5/22/02		24
James C. Dover III	Eastern District of NC	5/22/02		24

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F. Klamath Basin

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cc: David M. Thomas/WHO/EOP@EOP

Subject: Klamath Basin

Susan -

make certain Mary gets
this to me before 2/0/03
Wednesday.

Dave and I held a meeting to discuss the Klamath Basin issue today.

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The following individuals attended the meeting

Department of Interior

Sue Ellen Waldreth - Deputy Chief of Staff

Bennit Railey - Assistant Secretary, Water and Science

Department of Agriculture

Dale Moore - Chief of Staff

Hunt Shipman - Deputy Under Secretary, Farm and Foreign Agriculture Services

Mark Rey - Under Secretary for Natural Resources and the Environment

Tomorrow, I will be sitting down with the Department of Commerce

I've visited with CEQ today and will cover Marcus Peacock/OMB tomorrow.

I've asked for a joint solution for CEQ to scrub and present to you early next week.

Congress of the United States
Washington, DC 20515

FILE: UNFPA

June 19, 2002

The Honorable George W. Bush
President of the United States
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue NW
Washington, DC 20502

Dear Mr. President:

We write to urge that you give full force and effect to the important human rights provision commonly known as the Kemp-Kasten amendment, which governs the eligibility of international organizations for U.S. foreign assistance funds.

The Kemp-Kasten provision prohibits the obligation of any U.S. funds to "any organization or program which, as determined by the President of the United States, supports or participates in the management of a program of coercive abortion or involuntary sterilization." Because of the abundant evidence of forced abortion and forced sterilization in the population control program of the People's Republic of China, and because the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) has long been among the principal international supporters of this program, we believe the law clearly prohibits a United States contribution to UNFPA.

Between 1985 and 1992, an unbroken series of determinations by Presidents Ronald Reagan and George H. W. Bush concluded that the Kemp-Kasten amendment prohibited U.S. funding to the UNFPA. This outcome was required not only by the letter and spirit of the Kemp-Kasten law, but also by respect for the rights of women. President George H.W. Bush even vetoed the 1989 Foreign Operations Appropriations bill because it would have required a U.S. contribution to UNFPA.

The Reagan and Bush Administrations' compliance with the Kemp-Kasten amendment was supported by the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia. In a decision written by Judge Abner Mikva, the panel unanimously ruled that the AID administrator's sworn explanation "of how the UNFPA's activities in China aid the aspects of China's program that Congress condemned amply supports his conclusion that funding UNFPA is prohibited by the [Kemp/Kasten] amendment." [Population Institute v. McPherson, Civil Action No. 85-6042, decided August 12, 1986, p. 23].

In 1993, the Clinton Administration dramatically revised the official interpretation of the Kemp-Kasten amendment in order to facilitate U.S. funding of UNFPA. That Administration required proof that an organization "knowingly and intentionally assist in perpetrating the human rights abuses that are identified in the statute by providing funds or technical management assistance directly to coercive abortion or involuntary sterilization" (1993 AID legal analysis of

Kemp-Kasten amendment). The new requirements that support for coercive practices be "knowing," "intentional," and "direct" are entirely absent from the text and legislative history of the statute. They virtually guaranteed funding for the UNFPA, especially in light of the difficulties of proof in a country such as China, where government programs operate behind veils of secrecy and people who complain about coercion are likely to face retribution at the hands of the state.

Even under the Clinton Administration's view of the law, its conclusion that UNFPA was eligible for a U.S. contribution depended on uncritical acceptance of UNFPA's own self-serving version of the facts. Evidence received at a recent Congressional hearing indicates that there is still widespread coercion in one of 32 "model" Chinese counties in which UNFPA works closely with Chinese family planning authorities, and in which UNFPA has undertaken to monitor the government's compliance with its promise to eliminate birth quotas and other coercive practices.

On October 17, 2001, the House International Relations Committee heard testimony from an independent, undercover investigative team that was sent to Sihui county. Sihui is one of the 32 counties in China where the UNFPA operates and claims that abortion and sterilization are strictly voluntary. The UNFPA scaled back to 32 counties in 1998 to counter criticism of its continued support and defense of the coercive Chinese program. The investigators in Sihui county recorded testimony from many victims and witnesses of coerced abortion and involuntary sterilizations, and the stories told by Chinese women were heartbreaking. As interviews were being conducted and recorded, bystanders often gathered and began to tell their own stories of being forced to have an abortion or sterilization.

Women told the investigators that family planning is not voluntary in Sihui. They testified that coercive family planning policies in Sihui include: age requirements for pregnancy; birth permits; mandatory use of IUDs; mandatory sterilization; crippling fines for non-compliance; imprisonment for non-compliance; destruction of homes and property for non-compliance; forced abortion and forced sterilization.

At a January 24, 2002 press conference, Mrs. Gao Xiao Duan, who served for 14 years as a planned birth officer in the Fujian province of China, released a statement that said, "I do know that any organization that is contributing to China's population control policy is encouraging these officials to implement forced abortion, sterilization and punishments ranging from detainment to house destruction as means of enforcement."

Thousands of women from all parts of China have gained asylum in the United States because they were victims of coerced abortions or involuntary sterilizations. These asylum cases have not abated because the coercive program in China continues to victimize women and children. The UNFPA's monetary support of the Chinese program alone makes it ineligible for U.S. funding. UNFPA's continued public defense of the coercive Chinese population control program, while it abuses women in the very counties in which UNFPA operates as its partner and ostensible monitor, constitutes yet another form of support.

Time and again, high officials of the UNFPA have defended the indefensible and assured

the world that the PRC program is purely voluntary. In January of this year Nafis Sadik, who served as Executive Director of UNFPA from 1987 until 2000, accepted the Population Prize Award from the Chinese government. In her acceptance speech Sadik said:

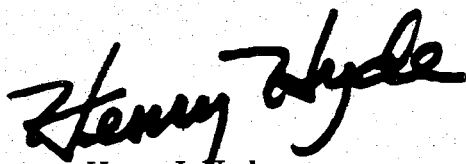
"I have had the honor of being associated with China's reproductive health and family planning programme for more than two decades. I was instrumental in initiating UNFPA's cooperation with China in 1979. Since then, and especially after becoming UNFPA Executive Director in 1987, I have visited China many times. On each visit I discovered that many changes had taken place in almost every aspect of life in this great country. I was most impressed with the strong political will of the Chinese leaders at different levels, and the great enthusiasm and seriousness the Chinese people, including the reproductive health and family planning workers. Looking back, I feel a great sense of pride for the Chinese Government and people for their support to UNFPA and to me, personally, I also feel proud that UNFPA made the wise decision to resist external pressures and continued its fruitful cooperation with China."

Sven Burmester, UNFPA's representative in Beijing, also praised China's program when he said, "In strictly quantitative terms, it was the most successful family-planning policy ever developed."

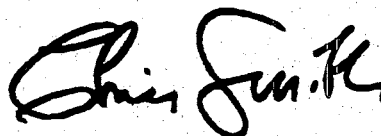
The United Nations' stamp of approval is critical to the continued success of the coercive Chinese program. So long as the UNFPA, with U.S. funding, describes the Chinese program as "successful" and insists that forced abortion and forced sterilization in the program are limited to "isolated abuses" by "overzealous local officials," the government will be free to continue its systematic abuse of women and children.

We urge you to enforce the law by denying funding for UNFPA. Indeed, even if the law and the facts were less clear the decision whether to fund UNFPA would be purely discretionary, and we would urge that you use your discretion to withhold funding. Surely the United States can find some use for \$34 million that will promote, rather than endanger, the welfare and the fundamental rights of women and children.

Sincerely,



Henry J. Hyde
Chairman
Committee on International Relations



Christopher H. Smith
Vice Chairman
Committee on International Relations

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KARL ROVE
MARY MATALIN
CHRIS HENICK
FROM: CHARLIE BLACK *Charlie*
DATE: JANUARY 17, 2002

We have learned from the NSC that the President will do one TV interview with a Japanese TV reporter before he departs for Japan.

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Fuji is the largest broadcast company in Japan and is the most prominent network in news and public affairs programming. The Fuji Network has 28 affiliated stations and reaches 98% of the Japanese population. So, I think choosing Fuji would be the correct decision for you, as well as a favor to me.

We are having Fuji formally request the interview through Anna Perez.

Thank you for your consideration.

XG. Anna Perez

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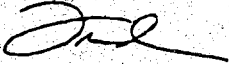
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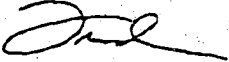
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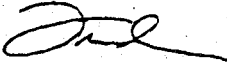
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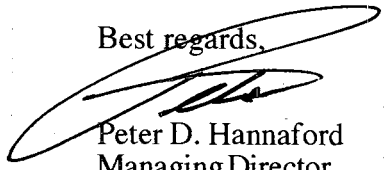
We are delighted that you have accepted Bob Tyrrell's invitation to be the guest speaker at the foundation's annual Washington Club Dinner. There will be approximately 250 guests, consisting of the major donors to our scholarship program, public officials and media representatives. The basic purpose of the dinner is to recognize and thank our supporters for helping make possible the scholarships we give to conservative student journalists/writers. This year--our first with this program--we awarded 27 \$5000 scholarships

The dinner will be held on Thursday, November 8, 2001 at the Four Seasons Hotel in Washington. Cocktails hour is from 6:30-7:30, followed by dinner and the program.

How much time would you like for your remarks? Customarily, there is not a question-and-answer period after the principal address; however, should you wish one, we will set aside some time for it. Just have your office let us know.

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Best regards,


Peter D. Hannaford
Managing Director

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DATE: NoNovember 2, 2001**TO:** Susan Ralston, Office of Karl Rove**FAX NUMBER:** 456-0191**PAGES FOLLOWING THIS ONE:** One

Susan--Following is the schedule for our Washington Club dinner next Thursday. If you can let us know about when Karl will arrive, one of us will be at the hotel entrance to greet him and escort him to the event. If that is "last minute" it will be okay as I will have a cell phone with me

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Washington Club Dinner schedule--November 8, 2001

6:30 p.m. - Cocktails

7:30 - First call to dinner

7:35 - Bar closes

7:50 - Bob Tyrrell welcomes guests; introduces Barbara Comstock (4 mins.)

7:55 - Barbara Comstock introduces Father Vince Rigdon (2 mins.)

7:58 - Invocation by Fr. Vince

8:02 - Dinner

8:45 - Barbara Comstock introduces American Alternative Scholar Chris Flickinger

8:47 - Chris Flickinger (3 mins.)

8:51 - B. Comstock introduces Scholar Chris Lilik

8:53 - Chris Lilik (3 mins.)

8:57 - R. Tyrrell introduces the Free Expression award and the Barbara Olson video (4 mins.)

9:01 - Barbara Olson video

9:11 - R. Tyrrell gives award to Ted Olson

9:14 - T. Olson response

9:17 - B. Comstock introduces Karl Rove

9:21 - Karl Rove

9:41 - Concludes

9:42 - Thanks to Karl Rove and Good Night to all (R. Tyrrell and B. Comstock)

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Since I was out of town and didn't see this when it ran, I thought you might have missed it, too. Please give me a call if you have any thoughts. Thanks —

9 Haley

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 29, 2001

The Washington Post

AN INDEPENDENT NEWSPAPER

No Trust, No Progress

TWO YEARS ago, U.S. District Judge Royce Lamberth gave the government one last chance to begin setting straight the long-abused system under which money is held in trust accounts for hundreds of thousands of Native Americans. The order came in a class action lawsuit filed by beneficiaries of these accounts. The trusts, as the D.C. Circuit Court of Appeals later put it, "were created over one hundred years ago through an act of Congress, and have been mismanaged nearly as long." The mismanagement has been so bad that the Interior Department no longer knows who has accounts or how much they should be worth. This would be intolerably bad government under any circumstances, but it is particularly infuriating because the money is not the government's to squander. It belongs to individual Indians, as the proceeds of land that was taken from them but was supposed to be exploited (by oil exploration, for example) for their benefit. The plaintiffs have been seeking not damages but an accounting and a restoration of the system.

Convinced that the government was finally serious about trust reform and had a credible plan, Judge Lamberth decided in 1999 not to put the system into receivership but to monitor the government's reform efforts. During the past six months, two officials appointed by the judge to watch over trust reform have issued a slew of reports suggesting that abuse of the trusts goes on and that reform is something of a myth. Among the conclusions: The

new computer system that was supposed to be the centerpiece of Interior's efforts to fix the system is riddled with problems and may never work; computer security is so lax that hackers can attack data relatively easily over the Internet; the department never got off the ground with a historical accounting of the trust; the efforts to clean up historical data are, as the court's monitor put it, "in disarray"; and, to top it off, the court itself was misinformed about how badly things were going in all these areas.

Judge Lamberth, known for being tough on government lawyers, has responded with characteristic zeal and—as he did earlier in the litigation—has been holding high-profile contempt hearings. But when all of the table-pounding is done, the problem of how to fix the trusts will remain.

The executive branch has shown itself not up to the task. Successive administrations have promised much and delivered little, and there is little reason for confidence in Interior Secretary Gale Norton's latest plan. As ugly as the prospect of a judge supervising a federal agency is, a receiver may not be avoidable at this point. But the litigation can do only so much. Even if as accurate a historical accounting as possible is performed, the records are such a shambles that it won't be good enough. Eventually the White House and Congress will have to intervene and broker a political settlement. At the rate trust reform is going, serious top-level federal involvement cannot come too soon.

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My latest column F.I. Thank(s) Be Well,

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P.S. GO ELVIS.

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DATE: January 8, 2002

MESSAGE: Karl, you probably remember Dary Stone from your Clements days. I had asked him to take a finance role with us but he's now moving back to TX. FYI.

*Know Dary well. Not surprised
he is being drawn back to Dallas.
A good man. [Signature]*

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STATE OF THE UNION CONFERENCE CALL WITH HIGH TECH LEADERS

JANUARY 28, 2002

5:30 PM - 6:00 PM

AGENDA

5:30 pm - 5:31 pm	Introduction of the Call and Karl Rove - Lezlee Westine
5:31 pm - 5:41 pm	Karl Rove will speak
5:41 pm - 5:42 pm	Introduction of Glenn Hubbard - Lezlee Westine
5:42 pm - 5:47 pm	Glenn Hubbard will speak
5:47 pm - 5:59 pm	Questions and Answers
5:59 pm - 6:00 pm	Thank participants and Close

FORMAT

The conference call will be listen mode only during your comments.

During the question and answer session a handful of participants will be allowed to ask questions.

QUESTIONS

The following participants have expressed interest in asking questions on the following topics -- TPA, Economic Stimulus, Broadband and R&D Funding:

Floyd Kvamme – PCAST Co-Chair, Partner, Kleiner Perkins Caufield & Byers
George Scalise – President, Semiconductor Industry Association
Gregory Slayton – Chairman, ClickAction
Dave Hanna – Chairman, Hanna Capital Management
Bob Grady – Managing Director, The Carlyle Group
Harris Miller – President, Information Technology Association of America

SUMMARY TALKING POINTS

STATE OF THE UNION PREVIEW

America faces a unique moment in history: our nation is at war, our homeland was attacked, and our economy is in recession. In the State of the Union speech, President Bush will commit our nation to achieving three great goals of our time:

- ✓ **To Win the War on Terrorism;**
- ✓ **Strengthen Protections of our Homeland; and**
- ✓ **Revitalize Our Economy and Create Jobs.**

- **National Security.** Our fight against terrorism began in Afghanistan, but it will not end there. President Bush will discuss the keys to ultimate victory by rooting out global terrorism wherever it exists and protecting America and our allies against chemical and biological attacks. Whatever it takes to win the war on terrorism and defend our country, our nation must and will provide it.
- **Homeland Security.** The President will outline plans to strengthen protections against future attacks at home by improving intelligence activities, tightening our borders, protecting our airports and airplanes and dramatically increasing funding to equip and train firefighters, law enforcement, and emergency medical personnel.
- **Economic Security.** The President's economic agenda can be summed up in one word: **jobs.** The president understands that a broad agenda to create jobs and strong economy requires a good **education,** reliable and affordable **health care (including prescription drugs),** a **secure retirement,** a comprehensive **energy policy,** and new markets for America's products through **expanded trade.**

There has been a broad and bipartisan commitment to winning the war on terrorism. The President wants to bring the same focus and bipartisan commitment to work to address America's needs here at home.

The President will also discuss how we can preserve and extend the great good we've seen come out of the evil of September 11th – not only to extend and strengthen our values throughout America, but throughout the world.

DETAILED TALKING POINTS

I. TECHNOLOGY HIGHLIGHTS

- A. Trade Promotion Authority
 - Passed TPA legislation in the House for the first time since 1993
- B. Tax Relief
 - Enacted largest tax cut in a generation, encouraging investment and economic growth
- C. Export Control Reform
 - Raised MTOP control levels to accommodate processor innovation
- D. Internet Tax Moratorium
 - Extended Internet Tax Moratorium for 2 years
- E. Education Reform
 - Passed bipartisan, sweeping reform of education system

F. R&D

- Secured largest R&D investments in U.S. history (over \$103 billion FY 2002). In FY2003 the Administration will propose almost \$112 billion for R&D (a 9% increase). [National Science Foundation, Basic Research (up 8.5% to \$25.5 billion), and Nanotechnology Research (up 17% to \$679 million), Information Technology Research (up 3% to \$1.89 billion) are all up (\$112 billion is public, individual account numbers are not public)]
- Continue to support making the research tax credit permanent.

G. Economic Security

- Will continue to press for reform of depreciation schedules

H. Broadband

- The Administration believes that the development of new technologies and the deployment of high-speed networks are important. It has pursued policies that will help speed broadband rollout.

Administration has:

- Worked with Congress to pass an extension of the moratorium on Internet Access taxes, which will help keep "broadband" access affordable.
- Called for changes to existing tax depreciation schedules to encourage capital investment.
- The President has pursued Pro-growth Telecommunications Policies. The Administration is working closely with industry and state and local governments to facilitate the development and deployment of new information technologies and services.
- On October 24 the Administration supported successful efforts to lift the wireless spectrum ownership limits, which threatens the wireless industry's ability to innovate and provide quality service.
- In addition, the Administration has undertaken a comprehensive assessment to be complete by June 2002 to determine the best way to make spectrum available for advanced wireless service (3G).
- The President also established the President's Committee of Advisors on Science and Technology (PCAST).
- On December 12th, the President held the first meeting of PCAST. PCAST, whose membership includes Floyd Kvamme (PCAST co-Chairman, Partner, Kleiner Perkins Caufield and Byers), Gordon Moore (founder, Intel), Michael Dell (founder, CEO, Dell Computer) and Charles Vest (President, Massachusetts Institute of Technology), among others, has been charged with making recommendations to the President on demand-side issues related to broadband deployment.
- The National Telecommunications and Information Administration (NTIA) has received written input from industry based on a Request for Public Comment and a day-long "Broadband Forum" they ran in October. NTIA is assessing this input.

**STATE OF THE UNION CONFERENCE
CALL WITH AFRICAN -AMERICAN LEADERS
JANUARY 28, 2002
6:15 PM - 6:45 PM**

AGENDA

6:15 pm - 6:16 pm	Introduction of the Call and Karl Rove -- Angela Sailor
6:16 pm - 6:30 pm	Karl Rove will speak
6:30 pm - 6:44 pm	Comments, Questions and answers
6:44 pm - 6:45 pm	Thank participants and Close

FORMAT

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During the question and answer session a select group of participants will be allowed to pose questions or ask questions. Please see the list of people who will pose questions and or comments.

PARTICIPANTS

The participants will represent 50- 75 African American Leaders from the business, education, faith-based and health communities. Presidents of the Urban League chapters and Presidents of the Historically Black College and University community were also extended invitations.

QUESTIONS

(1) John Bryant, President & CEO, Operation Hope--

(i) Comment: Congratulations on the Education bill. Explain why it is helpful to Operation Hope and people in California

(2) Dr. Robert Wright, President & CEO, Dimensions International

(i) Trade Promotion Authority, African Growth and Opportunities Act

(3) Harry Alford -- President & CEO, National Black Chamber of Commerce

(i) How can the diversity of the President's team be more exposed to the public?

(4) Dr. Lomax, President, Dillard University

(i) Question regarding Historically Black Colleges and Universities(HBCU)-- Funding and the HBCU White House Initiative

(5) Rev. Ira Combs, Minister from Michigan

(i) How can he continue to demonstrate support for the Faith-Based Initiative in the Senate?

(6) Dr. Katie Wright, Education Comments

(ii) President is on target with the War on Terrorism.

(ii) Agrees with Secretary of Rumsfeld that the detainees should not be characterized as prisoners of war

SUMMARY TALKING POINTS

I. Key Initiatives

A. HUD -American Dream Down payment Fund, a fiscal year 2003 Bush Administration initiative to help low-income Americans achieve the dream of homeownership.

B. Department of Education- The Martin Luther King, Jr. Scholars Program allows up to ten undergraduate or graduate students with an interest in policy or public policy and administration to participate in a unique 12-week summer internship experience at the U.S. Department of Education

C. Historically Black Colleges and Universities White House Initiative and Executive Order.

The Initiative is housed at the Department of Education under Secretary Rod Paige and Ambassador Leonard Spearman, Executive Director. The White House Historically Black Colleges and University Executive Order will be signed in February, 2002.

D. African Growth and Opportunity Act (AGOA) - The President wants to engage sub-Saharan African countries as valued economic partners.

II. Black Appointees/ African Americans comprise 7% of all appointments

III. Budget Nuggets

A. Education -Title I Grants: Increase of \$1 billion (9.7 percent) to help low-income students meet new reading & math standards.

B. Homeland Security- Bioterrorism: \$4.1 billion for bioterrorism at HHS, the lead agency for preparing for and responding to a biological attack, which is clearly now a more prominent national threat

C. Justice - More Accurate Elections: \$400 million for a new DOJ State/local matching grant program to acquire new voting machines, for voter education and for poll worker training. This new program is consistent with the recommendations of a report on election reform issued by a national commission headed by former Presidents Ford and Carter.

D. Health

- Global Fund to Fight HIV/AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria. The FY 2003 Budget continues the President's \$200 million U.S. commitment to fund a multilateral fund to provide prevention, treatment and care activities for individuals affected by HIV/AIDS, TB and Malaria
- Drug Treatment Initiative: The Budget will propose an additional \$168 million as part of the President's Drug Treatment Initiative to support over 50,000 additional drug abuse treatment slots and help narrow the gap between the number of people in need of drug treatment and the number who receive it
- National Health Service Corps (NHSC) and Nursing Education Loan Repayment (NELR). The Budget increases funding for the NHSC and its sister program, the NELR Program, so that health care providers will be placed in the neediest underserved areas.

E. HUD- HOPWA: Increases HUD's Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS program, which provides housing and services to persons living with HIV or AIDS, by \$15 million, to \$292 million, and allows more communities to become eligible for formula funding.

F. Labor-- Job Training Programs: The 2003 Budget proposes \$1.5 billion for Job Corps, a residential vocational training program for disadvantaged youth. Although Job Corps is DOL's costliest program, with a unit cost of roughly \$29,000 per service year, research has demonstrated that it is a cost-effective federal investment. The 03 Budget provides a 5% increase above 2002 and would support 122 residential training centers, an increase of four centers.

G. Human Resources - Compassion/Faith-Based Initiatives: The budget continues the Administration's Faith-Based efforts by providing \$100 million for the Compassion Capital Fund, \$20 million for Maternity Group Homes, \$15 million for Mentoring Children of Prisoners, and \$20 million for a Responsible Fatherhood Initiative.

IV. OUTREACH

➤ Major Policy Initiatives

- African Growth and Opportunity Act
- Education
- White House Faith-Based Initiative
- White House Initiative on Historically Black Colleges and Universities
- AIDS Funding Announcement
- Project Safe Neighborhoods

➤ Commission Announcement

- H.R. 2133, to create the "Brown v. Board of Education 50th Anniversary Commission
- African American Museum

➤ Presidential White House Events

- Martin Luther King, Jr. Federal Holiday Proclamation Signing
- African Growth and Opportunity Act Forum Announcement
- African Growth and Opportunity Act Forum
- African-American Leaders
- Black Religious Leaders
- Thomas Jefferson
- Black Music Month Celebration, June 29, 2001

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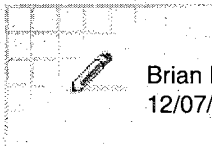
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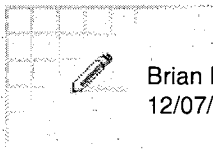
NEW YORK, Dec 7 (Reuters) - U.S. Treasury 30-year bonds extended losses to more than two points on Friday as dealers booked profits before year end and liquidated positions after a massive rally in fixed-income securities this year.

The sell-off extended brutal losses from earlier in the week as dealers have tried to cut back on risk exposure heading into the year end. The size of the losses has been exaggerated by the low level of liquidity in the market, traders said.

"The sentiment in the market is a lot of people are long and made money and now they want to protect their positions and they do that by selling," said Kevin Logan, senior market economist at Dresdner Kleinwort Wasserstein.

Treasuries had earlier surged higher after a report showed a jump in the jobless rate to a six-year high, raising expectations for future Federal Reserve rate cuts.

At 11:10 a.m. EST (1610 GMT), two-year notes were down 3/32 to 99-17/32, yielding 3.24 percent. Five-year notes were down 16/32 to 95-21/32, yielding 4.48 percent. Ten-year notes were down 1-5/32 to 98-23/32, after having earlier gained more than a half point, yielding 5.17 percent -- the highest since early August, while 30-year bonds were down 2-12/32 at 96-12/32, yielding 5.63 percent.



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Guided Tours of the Capitol to Resume

WASHINGTON (AP) - The U.S. Capitol will be open for guided tours on Saturday, Eleanor Holmes Norton, the city's House delegate, announced Friday.

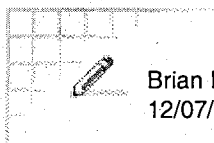
The tours were suspended in October after anthrax-tainted mail was sent to Senate Majority Leader Tom Daschle. Capitol Police said the incidents were unrelated and that the tours were halted so a new screening process for visitors could be designed.

The new security measures require visitors to walk through a metal detector in a facility outside the Capitol. All personal belongings will be X-rayed, and a variety of items - including backpacks, cans, bottles, knives, mace and pepper spray - are prohibited.

The tours were scheduled to resume Wednesday, but were delayed because of security concerns. Lt. Dan Nichols, spokesman for the Capitol Police, said a terrorist alert the government issued Monday was a factor in that decision.

The alert - the third since the Sept. 11 attacks - urged Americans to be extra vigilant during the holiday season because of an increase in credible threats.

Tours will be available from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday and every day except Sunday, Norton said.



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Lawsuit Seeks to Block Energy Plan

By *ROBERT GEHRKE, Associated Press Writer*

WASHINGTON (AP) - Environmentalists have sued the Bush administration in an effort to block the president's efforts to accelerate energy exploration on federal land.

The lawsuit claims the Bureau of Land Management and its parent agency, the Interior Department, broke the law by not assessing the environmental and cultural damage that could be done or consulting with Indian tribes before opening a dozen parcels in southern Utah to oil and gas exploration.

The environmental groups that filed the lawsuit Thursday in U.S. District Court in Washington said the administration was trying to cut corners to speed up processing of oil and gas leases. In doing so, the Bush administration has "embarked on an aggressive stealth campaign to open up public lands for resource development," said Johanna Wald, attorney with the Natural Resources Defense Council, which filed the lawsuit in conjunction with the Southern Utah Wilderness Alliance.

"We filed this lawsuit to protect those lands and to stop BLM before it gets started," she said. Recent BLM directives say the agency should "look for opportunities to improve and streamline the management of the (National Environmental Protection Act) process for all energy resource proposals."

The 12 leases cover about 10,500 acres in four parts of southern Utah - the Lockhart Basin south of Moab, the Comb Ridge and Butler Wash area, Montezuma County in the southeastern corner of the state, and two leases in the Mussentuchit Badlands near Capitol Reef National Park.

SUWA attorney Steve Bloch said the lands are homes to fragile species of plants and animals, delicate soils, historic Indian ruins and artifacts and spectacular scenery, all of which could be irreparably harmed if oil or gas development is permitted on the land.

SUWA has asked Congress to include 2,400 acres of the disputed land in wilderness areas. Development on the land would prohibit a wilderness designation.

The environmental groups are asking a judge to revoke the leases and require BLM to conduct the necessary environmental and historic analyses.

Wald said a victory in the case would force the administration to conduct the studies whenever it issues oil and gas leases.

BLM spokeswoman Celia Boddington said the bureau does not comment on pending litigation. Four of the 12 parcels at issue were bought at the Sept. 6-7 auction by Lowe Partners of Midland,

Texas. Two others were bought by Yates Petroleum Corp. from Artesia, N.M. Six others were bought by agents either buying the land for themselves or unidentified companies.

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