

In the afternoon, the President and Hillary Clinton met with Latvian political, cultural, and business leaders at the Stock Market Building. Following the reception, they went to Freedom Square, where the President met with U.S. Embassy staff from Latvia, Estonia, and Lithuania. They then traveled to Warsaw, Poland, arriving in the late afternoon.

In the evening, the President and Hillary Clinton went to the Presidential Palace. Following an arrival ceremony in the courtyard, the President met with President Lech Walesa in the Blue Room.

The President announced his intention to nominate Joel D. Valdez as a member of the National Commission on Libraries and Information Science.

The President announced his intention to nominate Marc Lincoln Marks as Commissioner of the Federal Mine Safety and Health Review Commission.

The President announced the appointment of Dwight N. Mason as Chair of the Permanent Joint Board of Defense, U.S. and Canada.

July 7

In the morning, the President and Hillary Clinton went to the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, where the President participated in a wreath-laying ceremony. They then went to the Warsaw Ghetto, where the President participated in a wreath-laying ceremony at the memorial for the Warsaw Ghetto uprising of 1943. Following the ceremony, he met with Prime Minister Waldemar Pawlak at the Polish Parliament.

In the afternoon, the President and Hillary Clinton toured Old Town and then went to the Presidential Palace, where the President attended a reception with President Walesa and foreign ministers of Central and Eastern European nations.

In the evening, following a departure ceremony in the Presidential Palace courtyard, the President and Hillary and Chelsea Clinton greeted members of the U.S. Embassy staff at the U.S. Ambassador's residence. They then traveled to Naples, Italy. While en route aboard Air Force One, the President had telephone conversations with Gov. Roy Romer of Colorado and Gov. Zell Miller

of Georgia to express his concern for the loss of life and damage caused by fires and floods.

The President declared a major disaster exists in the State of Georgia following torrential rain, flooding, tornadoes, and high winds and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts.

July 8

In the morning, the President met at the Hotel Vesuvio with Prime Minister Silvio Berlusconi of Italy and then with Prime Minister Tomiichi Murayama of Japan.

In the evening, the President met at the Hotel Vesuvio with Prime Minister Jean Chrétien of Canada. He then attended a working dinner with G-7 leaders at the Castel Dell'Ovo restaurant.

The President declared a major disaster exists in the State of Alabama and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts, following severe storms and flooding caused by Tropical Storm Alberto.

Nominations Submitted to the Senate

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

Submitted July 1¹

Dennis H. Blome,
of Iowa, to be U.S. Marshal for the Northern District of Iowa for the term of 4 years, vice James P. Jonker, term expired.

Stuart L. Brown,
of Maryland, to be an Assistant General Counsel in the Department of the Treasury (Chief Counsel for the Internal Revenue Service), vice Abraham N.M. Shashy, Jr., resigned.

¹ These nominations were not received in time for inclusion in the appropriate issue.

Daniel C. Dotson, of Utah, to be U.S. Marshal for the District of Utah for the term of 4 years, vice Eugene H. Davis, term expired.

Checklist of White House Press Releases

The following list contains releases of the Office of the Press Secretary that are neither printed as items nor covered by entries in the Digest of Other White House Announcements.

***Released July 1*²**

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Dee Dee Myers

Announcement of nomination for Treasury Department Assistant General Counsel

Released July 5

Statement by Press Secretary Dee Dee Myers on the President's meeting with Ambassador-designate to Saudi Arabia Ray Mabus

Statement by Press Secretary Dee Dee Myers on the President's telephone conversations with President Guillermo Endara of Panama, Prime Minister Eugenia Charles of Dominica, and Prime Minister Lester Bird of Antigua and Barbuda

Transcript of a press briefing by Special Adviser to the President William Gray III on Haiti

Released July 6

Statement by Press Secretary Dee Dee Myers on support for cleanup of a nuclear training site in Estonia

Statement by Press Secretary Dee Dee Myers on U.S. dismantlement assistance for the Skrunda radar site

Statement by Press Secretary Dee Dee Myers on the US West-Lithuania telecommunications project

² These releases were not received in time for inclusion in the appropriate issue.

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Statement by Press Secretary Dee Dee Myers on the U.S.-Latvian bilateral trade agreement

Fact sheet on U.S. economic assistance to the Baltic States

Statement by Press Secretary Dee Dee Myers on expanded military and defense cooperation with the Baltic States

Statement by Press Secretary Dee Dee Myers on the U.S. trade and investment mission to the Baltics

Statement by Press Secretary Dee Dee Myers on the Romanian-American Enterprise Fund

Transcript of remarks by President Lech Walesa at a dinner honoring President Clinton

Announcement of nomination for U.S. Marshal for the Northern District of Alabama

Released July 7

Announcement of the entrepreneurial micro-lending program with the Polish Government

Announcement on support for Poland's mass privatization program

Announcement on the formation of the Poland Partners Fund

Announcement on stimulating housing production in Poland

Announcement on social sector restructuring in Poland

Announcement on democracy and law: law enforcement training (Central and Eastern Europe)

Announcement on the Polish reemployment fund

Announcement on support for partnership initiatives in the Partnership For Peace

White House statement on the President's initiatives in Poland

Released July 8

Transcript of a press briefing by Labor Secretary Robert Reich on the economy

Transcript of an exchange with reporters by U.S. Ambassador to Italy Reginald Bartholomew on the economic summit