

April 6

In the early afternoon, the President and Hillary Clinton traveled to Dover Air Force Base, DE, where they met with the families of those who died in the aircraft tragedy in Croatia. In the evening, they returned to Washington, DC.

April 9

In the morning, the President had a telephone conversation with President Boris Yeltsin of Russia.

April 10

In the afternoon, following the funeral of Secretary of Commerce Ronald H. Brown at the National Cathedral, the President and Hillary Clinton attended the burial ceremony at Arlington National Cemetery, VA. They then returned to Washington, DC.

In the evening, the President traveled to Baltimore, MD, where he attended a Democratic National Committee reception at the home of Mayor Kurt Schmoke and a committee dinner at Cave Valley Golf Club. In the late evening, he returned to Washington, DC.

The President announced his intention to appoint Margaret A. Coil and Geri Marullo to the Federal Salary Council.

April 11

The White House announced that the President has directed the Department of Health and Human Services to release \$180 million in emergency Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) funds for States, territories, and Indian tribes to help families affected by unusually cold winter weather.

April 12

In the afternoon, the President participated in a swearing-in ceremony for Michael Kantor as Secretary of Commerce.

The President announced the recess appointment of Elizabeth Julian to serve as Assistant Secretary for Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity at the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

The President announced the recess appointment of Yolanda Townsend Wheat of Missouri to be a member of the National Credit Union Administration Board.

The President announced the appointment of Martin A. Kamarck of New York to serve as President and Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Export-Import Bank of the United States.

The President announced the recess appointment of Robert Clarke Brown of Ohio as a member of the Board of Directors of the Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority.

The President announced the recess appointment of Lowell Junkins of Iowa to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Federal Agricultural Mortgage Corporation.

The President announced the recess appointment of Daniel Guttman of the District of Columbia to

be a member of the Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission.

The President sent to the Congress a request for \$250 million in supplemental appropriations for drug law enforcement, treatment, and prevention.

April 14

In the late evening, the President and Hillary Clinton traveled to Anchorage, AK.

April 15

In the early morning, the President and Hillary Clinton departed from Anchorage, AK, en route to Cheju, South Korea.

The President announced his intention to nominate Victor Ashe to the Board of Directors of the Corporation for National and Community Service.

April 16

In the early morning, the President and Hillary Clinton arrived in Cheju, South Korea.

In the afternoon, following their news conference, the President had a working lunch with President Kim Yong-sam of South Korea.

Later in the afternoon, the President and Hillary Clinton traveled to Tokyo, Japan. In the evening, they attended a dinner with Prime Minister Ryutaro Hashimoto of Japan at the Akasaka Palace.

April 17

In the morning, the President and Hillary Clinton participated in a welcoming ceremony with Emperor Akihito and Empress Michiko at the Akasaka Palace, followed by a state call and discussion with the Emperor and Empress at the Imperial Palace.

In the afternoon, the President and Hillary Clinton traveled from Tokyo to the U.S.S. *Independence* in Yokosuka. Later in the afternoon, they returned to Tokyo.

The President announced the selection of Lori Esposito Murray as Special Adviser to the President and Director on the Chemical Weapons Convention at the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

The President named Ana M. Guzman as Chair of the President's Advisory Commission on Educational Excellence for Hispanic Americans.

The President announced the nomination of John C. Kornblum to be Assistant Secretary of State for European and Canadian Affairs and Barbara Mills Larkin to be Assistant Secretary of State for Legislative Affairs.

The President announced his intention to appoint Glenn Roger Delaney as a Commissioner (Commercial Fishing Interest Representative) of the International Commission for the Conservation of Atlantic Tunas.

The President announced his intention to appoint the following persons as members of the Commission on U.S.-Pacific Trade and Investment Policy:

Morton Bahr;
Jason S. Berman;

Eugene Eidenberg;
James Fallows;
Lawrence M. Johnson;
Kenneth Lewis;
Robert Z. Lawrence;
James C. Morgan;
Harold A. Poling;
Ron Sims;
Bruce Stokes;
Jackson P. Tai;
Yah Lin Trie;
Ko-Yung Tung;
Robert A. Wilson, Jr.; and
Meredith Woo-Cumings.

April 18

In the morning, following his address to the Diet, the President attended a reception with Japanese party leaders in the Speaker's Drawing Room.

In the afternoon, the President and Hillary Clinton paid a farewell call to the Emperor and Empress at the Akasaka Palace. Later, they toured the Chrysler Setagaya Branch automobile showroom, where they greeted Japanese families who had purchased American right-hand drive vehicles.

In the evening, the President traveled to St. Petersburg, Russia, where he toured the Catherine Palace.

April 19

In the morning, the President toured the Russian Museum and the Church of the Spilled Blood.

In the evening, the President traveled to Moscow, where he attended a dinner for the leaders of the P-8 Summit on Nuclear Safety and Security at the Kremlin.

The President announced his intention to nominate Morris N. Hughes as Ambassador to Burundi.

The President announced his intention to nominate Alan G. Lowy to the Board of Directors of the James Madison Memorial Fellowship Foundation.

April 20

In the morning, the President met with the other leaders of the P-8 Summit on Nuclear Safety and Security in St. Catherine Hall at the Kremlin. Later, he attended a working luncheon with the P-8 leaders and President Leonid Kuchma of Ukraine.

In the afternoon, the President met again with P-8 leaders. Later in the afternoon, he met with Prime Minister John Major of the United Kingdom at the Kremlin.

April 21

In the morning, the President met with President Boris Yeltsin of Russia at the Kremlin. In the afternoon, he met with Russian political leaders at Spaso House, and then addressed the American community in Moscow at the U.S. Embassy.

In the evening, the President returned to Washington, DC.

April 22

In the early afternoon, the President traveled to Great Falls, MD, where he assisted volunteers with the cleanup of the C&O Canal, which was damaged by flooding in January 1996. He then returned to Washington, DC.

The White House announced that the President and Chancellor Helmut Kohl of Germany will meet May 23 in Milwaukee, WI.

The President announced his intention to appoint Judith M. Gueron, Kristin Anderson Moore, Joan M. Reeves, and Gary J. Stangler to the Advisory Board on Welfare Indicators.

April 23

The President had a telephone conversation with President Juan Carlos Wasmosy of Paraguay concerning the unrest there.

The President announced reforms of the U.S. intelligence community based on the recommendations of the Commission on the Roles and Capabilities of the U.S. Intelligence Community.

The White House announced that the President will travel to Lyons, France, June 27-29 to participate in the annual summit of industrialized nations.

The President declared a major disaster in Illinois and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by severe storms and tornadoes April 18-19.

The President declared a major disaster in Arkansas and ordered Federal aid to supplement State and local recovery efforts in the area struck by severe storms and tornadoes April 21-22.

April 24

In the afternoon, the President attended a Clinton/Gore '96 luncheon at the Jefferson Hotel.

April 25

The President announced his intention to appoint Harold Wishna to the Commission on Presidential Scholars.

April 26

In the afternoon, the President traveled to Wilmington, DE, where he attended the Senate Democratic Issues Conference at the Hotel DuPont. In the early evening, the President traveled to Philadelphia, PA, where he attended a Democratic dinner at City Hall. In the late evening, he returned to Washington, DC.

The President announced his intention to appoint Daniel Lamaute to the Board of Trustees of the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars.

April 28

In the afternoon in the Map Room, the President provided a videotaped deposition for the ongoing trial of James B. and Susan McDougal and Gov. Jim Guy Tucker of Arkansas in Little Rock.

In the late evening, the President met with Prime Minister Shimon Peres of Israel in the Oval Office.