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Office of the White House Press Secretary

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NOTICE TO THE PRESS

The President's Schedule

The President came to the Oval Office this morning at 7:40 a. m.

He participated in the meeting with Republican Congressional leaders in the Cabinet Room beginning at 8:00 a. m. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss energy legislation, Turkish aid, and the Sinai agreement. (The participants are posted.)

The President is meeting with members of his staff during the morning.

At 11:00 a. m., he will hold a Congressional Hour in which eight members of the Senate and House will meet with the President separately at their request on a variety of subjects. (Participants are posted.)

At 2:00 p. m., the President meets with Somali Ambassador Abdullahi Addou in the Oval Office to discuss issues of interest to both countries. The meeting was requested by Mayor Moon Landrieu of New Orleans, President of the U. S. Conference of Mayors, to discuss financial aid to cities.

At 3:30 p. m., the President meets with members of the Executive Committee of the U. S. Conference of Mayors.

At 5:00 p. m., the President will have remarks in the East Room to Executives of the American Chamber of Commerce. About 160 members, representing chief executives of local chambers of commerce in 50 states, are expected to attend. (PRESS NOTE: There will be open coverage of the remarks in the East Room and a pool, which has been posted, will cover the reception in the State Dining Room which follows. Due to a briefing which begins in the East Room at 3 p. m., all cameras must be in place by 2:30 p. m. for coverage of the remarks.)

Announcements

The President has announced his intention to nominate Thomas Byron Crawford Leddy of Vienna, Virginia to be United States Alternate Executive Director of the International Monetary Fund (release).

The President has announced the appointment of nine persons to be members of the General Advisory Committee to the Energy Research and Development Administration (release).