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WASHINGTON -- THE NATIONAL LEAGUE OF FAMILIES' POW/MIA FLAG WILL BE UNVEILED IN THE UNITED STATES CAPITOL ROTUNDA DURING A SPECIAL CEREMONY HOSTED BY THE JOINT LEADERSHIP OF CONGRESS ON THURSDAY, MARCH 9, AT 3:00 P.M.

THE PROGRAM WILL BEGIN WITH REMARKS FROM SENATOR DOLE.
SENATOR MITCHELL, HOUSE REPUBLICAN LEADER BOB MICHEL, SPEAKER OF
THE HOUSE JIM WRIGHT AND ANN MILLS GRIFFITHS, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
OF THE NATIONAL LEAGUE OF FAMILIES, WILL ALSO SPEAK.
INVITED GUESTS INCLUDE MEMBERS OF CONGRESS, SENIOR ADMINISTRATION
OFFICIALS, REPRESENTATIVES OF THE LEAGUE AND NATIONAL COMMANDERS
OF VETERANS ORGANIZATIONS.

THERE WILL BE AN AREA FOR PRESS DIRECTLY IN FRONT OF THE SPEAKERS' PODIUM AND FLAG. THE ROTUNDA WILL OPEN AT 1:30 P.M. FOR PRESS.