

REMARKS OF SENATOR BOB DOLE  
UNIVERSITY OF NEW HAMPSHIRE COMMENCEMENT  
DURHAM, NEW HAMPSHIRE  
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1986

INTRODUCTION

IT'S A PLEASURE TO BE HERE TODAY AT THIS GREAT UNIVERSITY, PARTICIPATING IN THIS MILESTONE EVENT IN YOUR LIVES. I KNOW, LIKE MOST OF US IN WASHINGTON, YOU'VE BEEN FOLLOWING THE IRAN-CONTRA CONTROVERSY. SO I THOUGHT I'D START TODAY BY TOUCHING BRIEFLY ON THAT STILL-UNFOLDING DRAMA.

GET ALL THE FACTS ON THE TABLE

FIRST OF ALL, LET ME SAY THAT THE SOONER WE GET ALL THE FACTS OF THIS SAD EPISODE OUT ON TABLE, THE BETTER. THE PRESIDENT'S CREDIBILITY IS BEING CHALLENGED; HIS ABILITY TO PROVIDE LEADERSHIP QUESTIONED. WE CAN'T STAND BY AND LET THIS AFFAIR, BIT BY BIT, SAP THE PRESIDENT'S AUTHORITY.

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THE PRESIDENT IS DOING HIS PART TO GET THE FACTS OUT. I THINK HE DEMONSTRATED THAT AGAIN LAST WEEKEND, IN HIS RADIO ADDRESS. WHILE ACKNOWLEDGING THAT MISTAKES WERE MADE, HE HAS TAKEN A SERIES OF ACTIONS TO KEEP HIM OUT FRONT ON THIS ISSUE -- CALLING FOR AN INDEPENDENT COUNSEL, APPOINTING THE TOWER COMMISSION AND SELECTING A NEW NATIONAL SECURITY ADVISER.

BUT, IF WE ARE TO GET THIS AFFAIR RESOLVED AND BEHIND US, OTHERS NOW HAVE TO FOLLOW THE PRESIDENT'S LEAD.

THOSE WHO WERE INVOLVED IN QUESTIONABLE ACTIVITIES IN THE FIRST PLACE BEAR A PARTICULAR RESPONSIBILITY TO HELP THE COUNTRY OUT OF ITS PRESENT PREDICAMENT. NONE OF US HAS THE RIGHT TO DEMAND THAT THEY GIVE UP THE LEGAL PROTECTIONS THEY ENJOY AS AMERICANS. BUT WE DO HAVE THE RIGHT TO EXPRESS THE VIEW THAT THE COUNTRY MUST COME FIRST -- THAT IT IS VITAL TO HELP THE PRESIDENT RESTORE THE CREDIBILITY OF HIS ADMINISTRATION.



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THE CONGRESS HAS AN OBLIGATION, TOO, TO ACT AS SWIFTLY AND RESPONSIBLY AS THE PRESIDENT. THREE WEEKS AGO, I SUGGESTED WE CREATE A SPECIAL CONGRESSIONAL INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE, TO AVOID A PROLIFERATION OF ILL-ORGANIZED, PARTISAN WITCH HUNTS. AFTER SOME FALSE STARTS, I THINK WE'RE ALMOST THERE. WHEN THE CONGRESS CONVENES JANUARY 6, IT IS MY HOPE THAT A SENATE SELECT COMMITTEE WILL HIT THE GROUND RUNNING, WITH ALL THE POWERS AND TOOLS IT NEEDS TO GET TO THE BOTTOM OF THIS AFFAIR.

#### POLICY MISTAKES

WE NEEDN'T WAIT UNTIL JANUARY, THOUGH, TO PONDER SOME ASPECTS OF THIS MATTER. SOME FACTS ARE ALREADY ON THE TABLE, FAIR GAME FOR COMMENT AND CRITICISM. THAT'S ESPECIALLY TRUE IN THE POLICY AREA. AND IN THAT AREA, MISTAKES WERE MADE, AS THE PRESIDENT SAID. AND SOME OF THEM WERE DILLIES.

THE GOAL OF THE IRAN INITIATIVE MADE SENSE. THE EXECUTION OF THAT INITIATIVE DIDN'T. YOU CAN DEFEND AN EFFORT TO BUILD BRIDGES TO MODERATES IN IRAN. BUT

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YOU HAVE TO BE MIGHTY SURE THAT THOSE BRIDGES DON'T BECOME ONE-WAY STREETS, PAVED WITH UNILATERAL CONCESSIONS. AND YOU HAVE TO BE EQUALLY SURE THAT WHAT YOU ARE DOING IS NOT MISPERCEIVED FOR WHAT YOU CLEARLY SHOULDN'T BE DOING: TRADING ARMS FOR HOSTAGES.

HELPING THE CONTRAS, IN MY VIEW, ALSO MAKES GREAT SENSE -- BOTH IN DEFENSE OF OUR OWN NATIONAL SECURITY AND IN PURSUIT OF THE GOAL OF DEMOCRACY FOR ALL IN THE HEMISPHERE. IF WE'RE SERIOUS ABOUT DEMOCRACY, WE HAVE TO TAKE SERIOUSLY THE THREAT POSED BY A SECOND TOTALITARIAN MARXIST STATE IN THE REGION.

CERTAINLY THE LEADERS IN MOSCOW AND HAVANA UNDERSTAND THE HIGH STAKES INVOLVED IN NICARAGUA. THAT'S WHY SOVIET AND CUBAN ADVISERS ARE CRAWLING ALL OVER THE COUNTRY. THAT'S WHY THE SOVIETS HAVE SHIPPED HUNDREDS OF TONS OF THEIR MOST MODERN MILITARY EQUIPMENT TO THE SANDINISTAS, INCLUDING -- IN RECENT MONTHS -- A BRAND NEW SURFACE-TO-AIR MISSILE SYSTEM.



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THE UNITED STATES HAS A LEGITIMATE RIGHT TO RESPOND TO THIS THREAT. AND THE 99TH CONGRESS DID VOTE, TWICE, TO APPROVE AN ENTIRELY LEGITIMATE, ABOVE-BOARD PROGRAM OF AID TO THE CONTRAS, AS PART OF THE AMERICAN RESPONSE.

SO THERE IS NOTHING WRONG -- IN FACT, THERE'S EVERYTHING RIGHT -- ABOUT SUPPORTING THE CONTRAS. IT IS ESTABLISHED, OPEN U.S. POLICY.

BUT BREAKING THE LAW OR DEFYING THE WILL OF CONGRESS, EVEN TO HELP THE CONTRAS, WAS JUST PLAIN STUPID. AND MOST REGRETTABLE OF ALL, THE SIDESHOW THAT HAS BEEN CREATED IS BLURRING OUR FOCUS ON THE BRUTAL REALITY OF NICARAGUA -- THE REALITY OF A HEAVILY ARMED, AGGRESSIVE, TOTALITARIAN REGIME, WHOSE GOALS ARE UNDERMINING REGIONAL DEMOCRACY AND SUPPRESSING THEIR OWN PEOPLE.

#### THE TASKS AHEAD

AS WE PONDER THE MISTAKES THAT HAVE BEEN MADE, THOUGH, AND CONDUCT A THOROUGH INVESTIGATION OF THE WHOLE IRAN-CONTRA AFFAIR, LET'S KEEP THINGS IN PERSPECTIVE.

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"THE BUCK STOPS HERE" IS A SLOGAN TO US, BUT IT'S A HARD FACT OF LIFE TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES. HE, ALONE, MAKES THE HARD CALLS -- DAY IN, AND DAY OUT. IN REACTING TO THE ERRORS OF IRAN, LET'S NOT FORGET THE LONG STRING OF RIGHT DECISIONS THIS PRESIDENT HAS MADE -- THE REBUILDING OF AMERICA'S DEFENSES; THE GIANT STEPS FORWARD TOWARD REAL REDUCTIONS IN NUCLEAR ARMS; THE RESCUE OF GRENADA; AND ALL THE REST. THOSE ACTIONS WILL SURVIVE AS THE REAL LEGACY OF THIS ADMINISTRATION.

AND, ABOVE ALL, LET'S NOT GET BOGGED DOWN IN A PARALYZING ORGY OF SELF-RECRIMINATION. THOSE OF US WITH REAL RESPONSIBILITY FOR CONDUCTING THE NATION'S BUSINESS HAVE TO LOOK AHEAD. THE TASKS THERE ARE FORMIDABLE.

#### RESTORE NATIONAL CREDIBILITY

FIRST, WE'VE GOT TO REPAIR THE DAMAGE TO OUR NATIONAL CREDIBILITY. THE FIRST STEP IS REAFFIRMING THAT AMERICAN POLICY REMAINS, CLEARLY AND UNEQUIVOCALLY: NO NEGOTIATIONS WITH, NO CONCESSIONS TO TERRORISTS. PERIOD.



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SECRETARY SHULTZ CARRIED THAT MESSAGE TO OUR NATO ALLIES THIS WEEK, AND HE GOT AN ENCOURAGING RESPONSE. OUR ALLIES, GENERALLY SPEAKING, APPEAR ANXIOUS TO PUT THIS MATTER BEHIND US. THEY KNOW, AS WE DO, THAT THE ALLIANCE FACES AN ENORMOUS THREAT FROM GROWING SOVIET MILITARY MIGHT. AND THEY KNOW, TOO, THAT -- AS A RESULT OF THE DEFENSE AND ARMS CONTROL INITIATIVES WE HAVE ALREADY UNDERTAKEN -- WE MAY HAVE A UNIQUE OPPORTUNITY DURING THE NEXT TWO YEARS FOR A REAL BREAKTHROUGH IN NUCLEAR ARMS REDUCTIONS.

BUT THE ALLIANCE HAS TO BE UNIFIED IN DEALING WITH THESE MATTERS, WITH NO LINGERING DOUBTS AMONG US ABOUT OUR BASIC POLICIES AND RESOLVE. AND, FROM OUR STANDPOINT, IT'S ALSO IMPORTANT THAT WE PAY SPECIAL HEED TO THE SITUATION OF THOSE EUROPEAN LEADERS WHO HAVE STAKED A GREAT DEAL POLITICALLY ON THEIR PAST, STRONG SUPPORT FOR AMERICAN POLICIES. THEY NEED A VISIBLE SIGN THAT WE ARE SENSITIVE TO THEIR POSITION AND TO THE VULNERABILITIES THAT THE IRAN INITIATIVE MAY HAVE GENERATED FOR THEM. WE NEED TO SHOW,

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CLEARLY, THAT WE ARE WORKING CLOSELY WITH THEM, JUST AS IN THE PAST THEY'VE WORKED CLOSELY WITH AND SUPPORTED US.

SO I WOULD URGE THAT THE PRESIDENT, PERSONALLY, ASK THE LEADERS OF OUR MAJOR ALLIES TO COME TO WASHINGTON FOR A SPECIAL SUMMIT, WHERE WE CAN LAY ALL THE CARDS ON THE TABLE ON THE IRAN INITIATIVE. TELL THEM WHAT WE'VE DONE, AND WHY. ADMIT WHERE MISTAKES WERE MADE. AND GIVE THEM MEANINGFUL ASSURANCES THAT THERE WILL BE NO MORE ARMS TO IRAN; NO MORE SECRET MISSIONS TO TEHERAN.

AND, WITH THAT MATTER LAID TO REST, WE CAN ALSO MAKE A FRESH START ON THE BROADER CHALLENGE: HOW WE CAN COORDINATE EFFECTIVELY, AND WORK TOGETHER, TO STAMP OUT TERRORISM AND DEAL WITH THE REAL SECURITY THREATS TO THE WESTERN ALLIANCE.

GETTING OUR NATIONAL SECURITY APPARATUS IN ORDER

AND WE HAVE A SECOND LARGE AND PRESSING TASK: GETTING OUR NATIONAL SECURITY POLICY APPARATUS IN ORDER. THE TOWER COMMISSION WILL BE LOOKING INTO THIS



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AND MAKING RECOMMENDATIONS. BUT, SIMULTANEOUSLY, WE HAVE TO STEP BACK FROM THE IMMEDIATE SITUATION AND ASSESS THE BIGGER PICTURE -- THE WHOLE RANGE OF PRESIDENTIAL-CONGRESSIONAL RELATIONS IN FORMULATING AND IMPLEMENTING NATIONAL SECURITY POLICIES.

ONE FUNDAMENTAL PROBLEM WE HAVE -- AND I THINK IT UNDERLIES THIS WHOLE MESS -- IS THE GROWING GAP BETWEEN THE PRESIDENT'S RESPONSIBILITIES FOR NATIONAL SECURITY AND THE AUTHORITY THAT CONGRESS IS WILLING TO CEDE HIM TO DO THE JOB.

THE CONSTITUTION SAYS WE HAVE ONE PRESIDENT, WHO CONDUCTS OUR NATIONAL SECURITY POLICIES. BUT CONGRESS SOMETIMES ACTS LIKE THERE OUGHT TO BE 535 PEOPLE SITTING IN THE OVAL OFFICE, CALLING THE SHOTS ON EVERYTHING FROM HOW MANY MX MISSILES WE NEED TO WHO COOKS THE MEALS AT OUR EMBASSIES OVERSEAS.

CONGRESS HAS A LEGITIMATE ROLE TO PLAY IN FORMULATING AND OVERSEEING OUR NATIONAL SECURITY POLICIES. BUT IT IS NOT THE ROLE OF CHIEF EXECUTIVE. WE HAVE TO LET THE PRESIDENT BE THE PRESIDENT.

TIME FOR A FRESH START

MUCH OF THAT IS A MATTER OF ATTITUDE AND TRUST. AND MAKE NO MISTAKE ABOUT IT -- TRUST HAS GOT TO BE A TWO-WAY STREET. IF THE PRESIDENT WANTS OUR TRUST -- AND HIS RECORD INDICATES HE SHOULD HAVE IT -- HE HAS TO TRUST US, TOO. THAT MEANS A GENUINE, SINCERE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT THAT THE CONGRESS HAS A KEY ROLE TO PLAY. IT MEANS MORE CONSULTATIONS; MORE TIMELY CONSULTATIONS; NO MORE CURVE BALLS IN POLICY AND PROCEDURES. IF CONGRESS IS GOING TO BE IN ON THE CRASH LANDINGS, WE HAVE TO BE IN ON THE TAKEOFFS.

BUT CONGRESS, TOO, HAS TO CLEAN UP ITS ACT. WE MUST -- MUST -- DO SOMETHING ABOUT LEAKS OF NATIONAL SECURITY INFORMATION. WE'RE WAY PAST THE NUISANCE STAGE; LEAKS ARE NOW A REAL AND PRESENT DANGER TO THE NATIONAL SECURITY OF THE UNITED STATES. WE HAVE TO REDUCE THE NUMBER OF HEARINGS -- ESPECIALLY THE "FISHING EXPEDITION" TYPES OR THOSE ORCHESTRATED PRIMARILY TO EMBARRASS THE ADMINISTRATION.

THE BOTTOM LINE ON BOTH SIDES IS: LESS CONFRONTATION; MORE COOPERATION.



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THE PRESIDENT HAS INDICATED HE WANTS TO COOPERATE WITH CONGRESS. HE HAS A NEW NATIONAL SECURITY ADVISER. AND WE ON CAPITOL HILL ARE ABOUT TO LAUNCH A NEW CONGRESS.

THE TIME MAY BE RIPE FOR BOTH SIDES -- THE PRESIDENT AND THE CONGRESSIONAL LEADERSHIP -- TO SIT DOWN PRIVATELY AND TRY TO FORGE A FRESH START. AS REPUBLICAN LEADER OF THE SENATE, I AM READY TO LEND MY GOOD OFFICES TO A QUIET DIALOGUE BETWEEN THIS REPUBLICAN PRESIDENT AND THE LEADERS OF THIS DEMOCRATICALLY-CONTROLLED CONGRESS -- TO SEE IF WE CAN'T GET BACK ON A COMMON TRACK AIMED AT THE NATIONAL INTEREST.

#### UPDATING NATIONAL SECURITY LAWS

FINALLY, I THINK WE NEED TO RE-EXAMINE AND UPDATE SOME OF THE LAWS WHICH GOVERN EXECUTIVE AND CONGRESSIONAL ROLES IN NATIONAL SECURITY AFFAIRS.

FOR EXAMPLE, THE CONGRESS IN 1973 PASSED THE WAR POWERS RESOLUTION, SETTING LIMITS ON THE PRESIDENT'S AUTHORITY TO USE MILITARY FORCE WITHOUT SPECIFIC

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CONGRESSIONAL AUTHORIZATION. BUT BACK IN 1973, WHEN THE RESOLUTION WAS CRAFTED AND PASSED BY THE CONGRESS, TERRORISM WAS SIMPLY NOT SEEN AS A MAJOR THREAT TO AMERICA AND AMERICANS. IT WAS JUST NOT CONSIDERED, OR DEBATED, AS WE PRODUCED THAT LEGISLATION.

AS A RESULT, THE PROCEDURES OF THE RESOLUTION ARE TOO CUMBERSOME TO GUARANTEE THE PRESIDENT WILL BE ABLE TO ORDER SWIFT, SECURE AMERICAN COUNTER-STRIKES AGAINST TERRORISTS. AS I DID LAST YEAR, I INTEND TO INTRODUCE LEGISLATION IN THE 100TH CONGRESS TO CORRECT THIS PROBLEM -- TO GIVE THE PRESIDENT LIMITED BUT SPECIFIC AUTHORITY TO DEAL WITH THE TERRORIST THREAT.

WE ALSO NEED TO LOOK AT THE CURRENT PROCEDURES FOR NOTIFICATION TO CONGRESS OF ACTIONS TAKEN UNDER THE WAR POWERS RESOLUTION, THE INTELLIGENCE OVERSIGHT ACT AND OTHER NATIONAL SECURITY-RELATED LAWS. CONGRESS DOES HAVE A NEED FOR INFORMATION ON THESE ACTIVITIES. BUT, IN MEETING THIS LEGITIMATE NEED, I AM DEEPLY CONCERNED THAT WE ARE PROVIDING TOO MANY PEOPLE TOO MUCH INFORMATION ABOUT ACTIVITIES THAT TRULY MAY



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REQUIRE STRICT CONFIDENTIALITY. TO UNDERScore THE POINT, THE COMBINED MEMBERSHIP AND STAFF OF THE TWO INTELLIGENCE COMMITTEES IS OVER 100 PEOPLE.

ONE IDEA WOULD BE TO GIVE THE PRESIDENT SPECIFIC AUTHORITY, IN EXTREMELY SENSITIVE CIRCUMSTANCES, TO BYPASS FULL COMMITTEE NOTIFICATION AND INSTEAD INFORM ONLY THE FOUR LEADERS OF THE CONGRESS -- THE MAJORITY AND MINORITY LEADERS OF THE SENATE; THE SPEAKER AND MINORITY LEADER OF THE HOUSE. AS A SAFEGUARD, WE COULD EVEN PERMIT THOSE FOUR BY MAJORITY VOTE TO OVERTURN THE PRESIDENT'S JUDGMENT AND REQUIRE WIDER NOTIFICATION, IF THEY CONCLUDED THE PRESIDENT WAS ACTING UNWISELY OR FOR THE WRONG MOTIVES.

AND LET ME STRESS THIS: THE GOAL OF THESE REFORMS IS NOT TO STRENGTHEN THE PRESIDENT, NOR TO WEAKEN THE CONGRESS. THE GOAL, INSTEAD, IS THAT WE ACT IN ACCORD WITH THIS SIMPLE TRUTH: AMERICA WILL BE STRONG ONLY IF WE HAVE A STRONG PRESIDENT, WORKING WITH A RESPONSIBLE CONGRESS, IN PURSUIT OF THE NATIONAL INTEREST.

## THE PART YOU CAN PLAY

SO THESE ARE SOME OF THE DIFFICULT CHALLENGES THE PRESIDENT AND THE CONGRESS FACE. BUT MEETING THESE CHALLENGES IS NOT JUST THE RESPONSIBILITY OF A FEW OFFICIALS IN WASHINGTON.

IF OUR COUNTRY IS TO ACCOMPLISH THE AMBITIOUS GOALS WE HAVE SET, ALL OF US MUST DO OUR PART. AND THOSE, LIKE YOU, WHO HAVE ENJOYED THE PRIVILEGE OF AN EXCELLENT EDUCATION AND WHO CAN TRULY ASPIRE TO GREAT THINGS -- YOU HAVE THE BIGGEST RESPONSIBILITY OF ALL.

IT IS EASY TODAY -- IN THE MIDST OF ANOTHER GOVERNMENTAL CRISIS -- TO BECOME CYNICAL; TO DECIDE THAT NOTHING HAS CHANGED, AND NOTHING EVER WILL.

AND IF THAT'S THE CONCLUSION THAT PEOPLE LIKE YOU -- THINKING PEOPLE, EDUCATED PEOPLE -- IF THAT'S THE CONCLUSION YOU COME TO, YOU'RE GOING TO BE ABSOLUTELY RIGHT. NOTHING WILL CHANGE.

BUT IF, INSTEAD, YOU LOOK AT THINGS -- IN WASHINGTON OR WHEREVER YOU ARE -- AND SAY: YES, THERE ARE PROBLEMS, BUT I'M GOING TO TRY TO DO SOMETHING ABOUT IT -- THEN THINGS WILL GET BETTER.



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THERE IS A PHILOSOPHY OF GOVERNMENT BASED ON THAT  
KIND OF INDIVIDUAL EFFORT AND DETERMINATION. IT'S  
CALLED DEMOCRACY. IT HAS SERVED US WELL FOR TWO  
CENTURIES. AND, IF WE LET IT, IT CAN SERVE US EVEN  
BETTER IN THE DAYS AND YEARS AHEAD.

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UNIVERSITY OF NEW HAMPSHIRE  
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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

November 14, 1986

*Molly*  
The Honorable Robert J. Dole  
The United States Senate  
141 Hart Senate Office Building  
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Senator Dole:

In reference to recent conversation with your staff, I have the pleasure to extend formally a cordial invitation to you to address the degree candidates in our Winter Commencement Ceremony on Saturday morning, December 13, 1986, at 10:30 a.m., in the Field House at the University of New Hampshire in Durham.

The audience in the ceremony, including the candidates and their guests, trustees, faculty and other special guests, numbers approximately 3,500. The ceremony normally requires one-and-one-half to two hours. A Commencement Address appropriate to the occasion need not be longer than fifteen to twenty-five minutes. New Hampshire is a Land Grant, Sea Grant state university, with an enrollment of 10,500 undergraduate and graduate students, about one third of whom come from out of state.

Following the ceremony, it is customary for us to host a buffet luncheon for our platform party and special guests. Carol and I are pleased to invite you and Mrs. Dole, if she can accompany you, to be our guests at the luncheon in the New England Center Dining Room. We shall be pleased to provide accommodations for you in the New England Center Residential Tower.

General arrangements can be made by your staff through Ms. Phyllis Bennett, Director of University Relations, whose telephone number is (603) 862-1460. I request that your staff provide a copy of your vita and a photo suitable for publicity purposes. My assistant, Mr. Robert Keesey, can be helpful on matters of your accommodations and the commencement ceremony and can be reached at (603) 862-2450.

It is my pleasure and a privilege to extend to you the hospitality of the University, and I look forward to your joining with us in honoring our graduates on this occasion.

Cordially,

*Gordon A. Haaland*  
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President

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## NEW HAMPSHIRE

University of New Hampshire Commencement Ceremony  
University of New Hampshire Fieldhouse

### **BACKGROUND**

There will be 613 Bachelor degrees awarded, 249 Masters degrees, 28 Doctorates, 59 Associate degrees and 6 Certificates. You will be receiving an honorary Doctorate of Law degree. There will be approximately 3,600 total guests. According to University officials, about 85% of the audience should be from New Hampshire, with most of the remainder from New England. Secretary Dole spoke at the University of New Hampshire Commencement Ceremony several years ago. There will be approximately 38-45 guests at the buffet luncheon following the ceremony. You will be introduced by Gordon A. Haaland, President of the University of New Hampshire.

### **MEDIA**

A release was sent out by the University to all New Hampshire media.



## COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM PLATFORM PARTY PROCEDURE

### UNIVERSITY OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

DECEMBER 13, 1986

#### SITE OF EVENT AND PARKING

The Commencement Ceremony will be held in the University Field House. Reserved parking spaces will be provided in Parking Lot A across Main Street from the Field House for those vehicles of members of the Platform Party who have received guest parking permits.

#### ASSEMBLY AND ROBINING

President Haaland and his party of speakers, honored guests, Trustees and University Officers will gather at 10:00 a.m. in the Conference Room of the Field House (off the corridor to the left of the main entrance) to robe. Guests of the President who will not take part in the Academic Processional have been provided tickets for special reserved seating in the Gymnasium. Muriel Knecht and Beverly Cook will assist with robing. At 10:20 a.m., Professor Alexander R. Amell, Chief Faculty Marshal will brief the platform party on processional marching order, route and starting time.

#### PHOTOGRAPHS

The University Photographer along with any news photographers are provided five minutes (10:05-10:10 a.m.) to take pictures of the program participants.

#### ACADEMIC PROCESSION

Professor Amell will form the processional at 10:25 a.m. and lead it into Lundholm Gymnasium on cue from Mr. Keesey.

#### PROCESSIONAL MUSIC

Processional march will be played by the UNH Student Brass Quintet.

#### SEATING

Name cards will be affixed to each seat on the platform. (See attachments for marching order, processional route and seating plan.) As individuals reach their assigned seats, they remain standing until, following the Invocation, Professor Amell will request that all be seated.

#### OPENING OF THE CEREMONY

Professor Amell will open the ceremony with appropriate words and place the University Mace on its stand at the front of the platform. After opening the ceremony, he will signal the UNH Student Brass Quintet to play the National Anthem. Following Professor Amell's example all men remove their caps.

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INVOCATION

On signal from Professor Amell, Dr. Lynes will step to the podium to deliver the Invocation. All remain standing with men's caps removed. Following the Invocation all will be seated and men will replace their caps. A pause in the ceremony at this point will permit late comers to be seated.

PRESIDENT HAALAND

When Dr. Haaland is satisfied that the audience is settled, he will go to the podium at which time he will present his greetings to the candidates and guests. He will then introduce all members of the platform party (except for the speaker and sign language interpreter) starting from stage right. He will ask each to stand and remain standing until all have been introduced. Following his introductions, he will lead the applause.

PLATFORM PARTY, AUDIENCE LEFT

(skip) SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETER

EDWARD J. DURNALL, DIRECTOR, DIVISION OF CONTINUING EDUCATION

LEWIS ROBERTS, JR., DEAN, UNIVERSITY OF NEW HAMPSHIRE-MANCHESTER

ROBERT O. BLANCHARD, ASSOCIATE DEAN, COLLEGE OF LIFE SCIENCES AND AGRICULTURE

STUART PALMER, DEAN, COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS

OTIS J. SPROUL, DEAN, COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING & PHYSICAL SCIENCES

CAROLE A. ALDRICH, DEAN, WHITTEMORE SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS

BASIL J.F. MOTT, DEAN, SCHOOL OF HEALTH STUDIES

RAYMOND L. ERICKSON, DEAN, GRADUATE SCHOOL

JAY M. ABLONDI, STUDENT BODY PRESIDENT

ROBERT E. CRAIG, CHAIRPERSON OF THE FACULTY AND ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF POLITICAL SCIENCE

RICHARD H. HERSH, VICE PRESIDENT FOR ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

(skip) ROBERT J. DOLE, U.S. SENATOR FROM KANSAS AND SENATE MAJORITY LEADER

(skip) GORDON A. HAALAND, PRESIDENT, UNIVERSITY OF NEW HAMPSHIRE



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PLATFORM PARTY, AUDIENCE RIGHT

PAUL J. HOLLOWAY, CHAIRMAN, BOARD OF TRUSTEES

CLAIRE VAN UMMERSEN, CHANCELLOR, UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OF  
NEW HAMPSHIRE

COTTON M. CLEVELAND, VICE CHAIRMAN, BOARD OF TRUSTEES

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JEANNE W. WETHERBY, ASSISTANT CHAPLAIN, CATHOLIC STUDENT  
CENTER AND CHAPLAIN TO THE UNIVERSITY

A. T. HATCH, TRUSTEE

STEPHANIE M. THOMAS, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES  
AND REGISTRAR

JOHN W. LYNES, SENIOR MINISTER, COMMUNITY CHURCH OF DURHAM  
AND CHAPLAIN TO THE STUDENT BODY

CREELEY S. BUCHANAN, TRUSTEE

MARION C. BECKWITH, TRUSTEE AND EMERITUS PROFESSOR OF  
PHYSICAL SCIENCE

VICTOR AZZI, TRUSTEE

J. GREGG SANBORN, DEAN FOR STUDENT AFFAIRS

ALEXANDER R. AMELL, CHIEF FACULTY MARSHAL & PROFESSOR OF  
CHEMISTRY

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COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS

Dr. Haaland will then introduce the speaker: The Honorable Robert J. Dole, United States Senator from Kansas and Senate Majority Leader. Following the commencement address the speaker will be seated.

CONFERRING OF HONORARY DEGREES

When the audience has settled, Dr. Haaland will go to the podium and Mr. Holloway will go to the standing floor microphone on his right. Mr. Holloway will present the honorary degree recipient to Dr. Haaland.

Mr. Holloway: "President Haaland, I have the honor to present to you the recipient of the honorary degree, ROBERT J. DOLE.

Dr. Hersh will escort Senator Dole to the hooding spot while Dr. Fisk retrieves the hood from the rear of the platform. Dr. Fisk moves to Dr. Hersh's left side, hands him the hood, and remains standing to assist in the hooding. Mr. Holloway will read the citation after which President Haaland will speak bestowing the degree on the recipient.

Dr. Haaland: "ROBERT J. DOLE--attorney, state and federal legislator, U.S. Senator from Kansas and Senate Majority Leader -- by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Board of Trustees, I am happy to bestow on you the honorary degree, Doctor of Laws, with all the rights, honors, and privileges accompanying this degree."

As Dr. Haaland speaks, Drs. Hersh and Fisk place the hood on Senator Dole. Dr. Haaland will then hand him the diploma from the table to the right of the podium, and shake his hand. Mr. Holloway then shakes hands with the recipient. Then, all are seated except Dr. Haaland who remains standing at the podium, and Dr. Hersh, who goes to the standing microphone to his right.



CONFERRAL OF DEGREES

With Dr. Haaland at the podium and Dr. Hersh at the standing microphone, Dr. Hersh will call all the degree candidates and the Deans to stand.

Dr. Hersh:

"Will the deans, directors and faculty members please rise and will the candidates rise. President Haaland, I have the honor to present to you the men and women who have been recommended by the several faculties of the schools and colleges to receive the associate, the bachelor, the master, and the doctor degrees, and the Certificate of Advanced Graduate Study."

President Haaland:

"By the virtue of the authority vested in me by the Board of Trustees of the University of New Hampshire, I am pleased to present you the appropriate degree with all the rights, honors and privileges which accompany your degree."

All bachelor candidates then move their tassels from the right to the left side. Dr. Hersh will ask them to be seated.

Dr. Hersh: "Graduates, please be seated. Deans, directors and faculty members please be seated."

Dean Sanborn will then call in order each dean and each degree group to go through the individual bestowal of the diplomas. The faculty marshals will rise to assist the deans, one on the platform and the other at the table next to the platform on which the diplomas have been placed.

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Dean Sanborn will follow his presentation in this order:

Dr. Durnall	Associates, Division of Continuing Education
Dr. Roberts	Associates, University of New Hampshire- Manchester
Dr. Blanchard	Associates, Thompson School of Applied Science
Dr. Blanchard	Bachelors, College of Life Sciences and Agriculture
Dr. Palmer	Bachelors, College of Liberal Arts
Dr. Sproul	Bachelors, College of Engineering and Physical Sciences
Dr. Aldrich	Bachelors, Whittemore School of Business and Economics
Dr. Mott	Bachelors, School of Health Studies
Dr. Erickson	Masters & CAGS, Graduate School



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The deans will in turn stand at the floor microphone and present their graduates:

"President Haaland, I have the honor to present the...

- Dr. Durnall: ... Associates in Arts in the Division of Continuing Education. Associates, please come forward."
- Dr. Roberts: ... Associates in Arts and Associates in Science in the University of New Hampshire-Manchester, please come forward."
- Dr. Blanchard: ... Associates in Applied Science in the Thompson School of Applied Science. Associates, please come forward."
- Dr. Blanchard: ... Bachelors of Science and Bachelors of Arts in the College of Life Sciences and Agriculture. Bachelors, please come forward."
- Dr. Palmer: ... Bachelors of Science, Bachelors of Arts, Bachelors of Fine Arts, and Bachelors of Music in the College of Liberal Arts. Bachelors, please come forward."
- Dr. Sproul: ... Bachelors of Science, Bachelors of Arts, and Bachelors of Engineering Technology in the College of Engineering and Physical Sciences. Bachelors, please come forward."
- Dr. Aldrich ... Bachelors of Science and the Bachelors of Arts in the Whittemore School of of Business and Economics. Bachelors, please come forward."
- Dr. Mott: ... Bachelors of Science in the School of Health Studies. Bachelors, please come forward."
- Dr. Erickson ... recipients of the Certificate for Advanced Graduate Study, and Masters of Science for Teachers, Masters of Arts in Teaching, Masters of Education, Masters of Occupational Education, Masters of Business Administration, Masters of Public Administration, Masters of Arts and Masters of Science. Recipients, please come forward."

The respective class marshals will lead the respective degree group up the ramp on the audience's right side (N.H. flag) of the platform to Dean Sanborn. The class marshals, followed by the other recipients, will present to Dean Sanborn cards bearing their names. Dean Sanborn will read the next name immediately after the preceding recipient has shaken hands with Dr. Haaland.



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When the name has been read the graduate will move from Dean Sanborn to the President, shake hands with the President, move to the Dean of the college, shake hands with him, receive the diploma and then proceed off the platform by the opposite ramp and return to the original seats, but remain standing.

When the last member of a degree group has reached his or her seat, the Dean will ask all to be seated.

Dean: "Graduates, please be seated."

PH.D. HOODING CEREMONY

Following the conferral of the Master degrees, the Reader will present Dean Erickson, the Ph.D. candidates, and their sponsors.

Dr. Sanborn: "Will Dr. Erickson, Dean of the Graduate School, and the candidates for the Degree of Doctor of Philosophy, and the Faculty Sponsors please come forward."

The Graduate Marshal and the Faculty Marshal will move to the Ph.D. candidates and conduct them and their sponsors to the foot of the righthand (N.H. flag side) ramp to the platform, the candidates standing parallel to the ramp and the sponsors standing perpendicular to it.

Dean Erickson will then present the candidates to Dr. Haaland.

Dean Erickson: "President Haaland, I am pleased to present the candidates for the Doctor of Philosophy Degree."

Following this statement, Dr. Hersh will go to the hooding spot and Dean Sanborn will begin the roster of candidates as described below:

THE Ph.D. CANDIDATES AND SPONSORS, DECEMBER 13, 1986

<u>Candidate</u>	<u>Field</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>
Thomas Donald Gauthier	Chemistry	Clarence L. Grant
Christopher Peter Hallen	Chemistry	W. Rudolf Seitz
Demirhan Yenigun	Economics	Evangelos O. Simos
Christine Linton Compston	History	Robert M. Mennel
James Warren Grosch	Psychology	John A. Nevin
Susan Elizabeth Newman	Psychology	William M. Baum
Timothy Andrew Otto	Psychology	William M. Baum
Daniel Michael Rice	Psychology	Earl C. Hagstrom



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As Dean Sanborn calls each candidate's and each sponsor's name, the candidate and sponsor ascend the right ramp. The sponsor approaches Dr. Hersh. The candidate stands between the sponsor and Dr. Hersh and a step ahead of them. All face in such a way as to see President Haaland at the podium and Dean Erickson at the standing floor microphone. Dr. Fisk will bring forward the candidate's hood from the table at the rear of the platform and hand it to Dr. Hersh. Dr. Hersh and the sponsor will then hood the candidate. The candidate receives the diploma from President Haaland, shakes hands with Drs. Haaland, Hersh, Erickson and the sponsor. Then with the sponsor, the candidate crosses the platform to the ramp on the opposite side of the platform and they return to their original standing positions.

Each candidate and respective sponsor go through the hooding ceremony in turn. Then all will be seated except Dr. Haaland when Dean Sanborn says:

"Doctors of Philosophy and Sponsors, please be seated."

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WELCOME TO THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

Dr. Haaland remains at the podium to introduce Joseph F. Phelan, Vice President for Development and Alumni Affairs. Dr. Haaland then asks all the graduates to rise. Mr. Phelan goes to a floor microphone, addresses his remarks to the graduates, and then is seated.

CHARGE TO THE GRADUATES

Dr. Haaland remains at the podium to deliver his charge to the graduates.

ALMA MATER

All rise and remain standing with men's caps removed through the Benediction. The UNH Student Brass Quintet will play the Alma Mater.

BENEDICTION

Ms. Wetherby (without introduction) will go immediately to the podium to deliver the benediction.

CLOSING THE CEREMONY AND RECESSIONAL

With appropriate words closing the ceremony, Professor Amell will retrieve the University Mace and move to Dr. Haaland and Mr. Holloway to form the recessional. Professor Amell will then cue the recessional march and lead the recessional by reversing the processional route to the robing area.

COMMENCEMENT LUNCHEON

Following the ceremony, the President's Buffet Luncheon will be served at 12:30 p.m. in the Mystic Room at the New England Center. All platform party members and their guests have been invited to attend the luncheon. Cocktails will be served in the Center Gallery on the main floor preceding the luncheon.



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PLATFORM PARTY PROCESSIONAL & SEATING ORDER

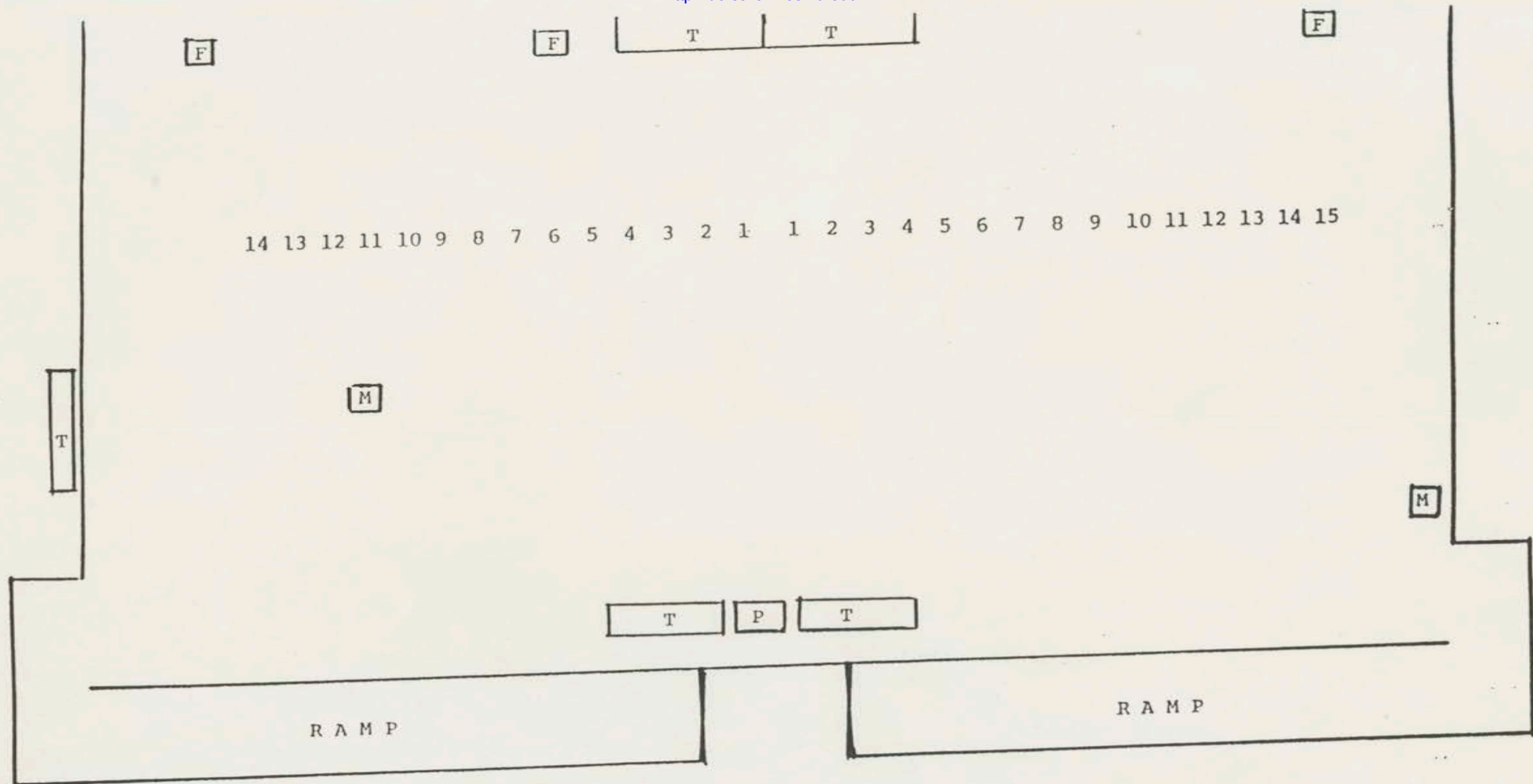
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R9 THOMAS  
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R13 AZZI  
R14 SANBORN  
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COMMENCEMENT PLATFORM SET-UP

F=flag

M=microphone

P=podium

T=table



# the News

## the New Hampshire

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### NEW HAMPSHIRE INSURANCE GROUP

#### FACT SHEET

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\*The New Hampshire is comprised of 6 property/casualty insurance companies: New Hampshire Insurance Company, Granite State Insurance Company, American Fidelity Insurance Company, Illinois National Insurance Company, Alaska Insurance Company, and New Hampshire Indemnity Company, Inc.

\*Another member corporation, AINetwork/Marketspac, provides a variety of services to independent agents, and markets specialized business insurance programs for trade associations.

\*The New Hampshire was founded in Manchester, NH, in 1869.

\*The company has a reputation for sound underwriting, market sensitive product lines and responsive service.

\*The company markets an array of property/casualty products for small to large size commercial accounts, and personal lines insurance products, throughout the United States.

\*All products are marketed through independent agents.

\*The company is headquartered in Manchester, NH, where it employs approximately 1,000 people.

\*The New Hampshire supports its marketing and servicing efforts through a network of field offices across the United States, which employ an additional 1,000 people.

\*Thomas F. McCann, President and Chief Executive Officer, heads up the following senior management team: Robert M. Cockrill, Senior Vice President and Assistant to the President; Joseph M. Cataldo, Senior Vice President/Marketing; Douglas J. Coats, Senior Vice President/Commercial Lines; Herbert C. Sands, III, Senior Vice President/Personal Lines; John G. Dalziel, Senior Vice President/Claims; and James M. Foote, Senior Vice President/Actuarial.

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THOMAS F. McCANN

Thomas F. McCann is President and Chief Executive Officer of the the New Hampshire Insurance Co., N.H. - an AIG company. He was previously Executive Vice President of American Home Assurance Co. and National Union Fire Insurance Company of Pittsburgh, PA, affiliates of AIG.

Prior to his affiliation with American International Group, Inc., Mr. McCann was senior Vice President at the St. Paul Fire & Marine Insurance Company in St. Paul, MN.

He attended William Mitchell College of Law from 1955 to 1959 and earned an LLB. He also attended Loras College and graduated with a BA in History/Economics.

Mr. McCann represents the American International Group at the ISO Board of Directors and the 1986 ISO Executive Committee.



MAURICE R. GREENBERG

President and Chief Executive Officer

American International Group

Maurice Greenberg has been president and chief executive officer of American International Group, Inc., since 1967. Under his direction, AIG has grown into a truly international organization, writing property, casualty, marine, life and financial guarantee insurance in over 130 jurisdictions. With a work force of 24,000, AIG has a larger foreign network than any U.S.-based insurance group.

A graduate of New York Law School, Mr. Greenberg began his insurance career with the Continental Casualty company in 1952. He joined the American International organization in 1960, and was elected president of American Home Assurance Company, an AIG member company, in 1962.

Mr. Greenberg's advice is frequently sought on international trade and economic matters. He served for a number of years as the first service industry member of the President's Advisory Committee on Trade Negotiations. He has been active in various bilateral economic and business councils and has served as vice chairman of the ASEAN-U.S. Business Advisory Council, on the President's Private Sector Survey on Cost Control (Grace Commission), and on the New York State Council on International Business.

Mr. Greenberg also serves on the Board of Overseers of the Hoover Institution on War, Revolution, and Peace, and on the board of the United States Council of the International Chamber of Commerce, Inc. He is a director of Phibro-Salomon, Inc., a member of the New York City Partnership, Inc., a Trustee of New York University and a governor of the Society of the New York Hospital.

Mr. Greenberg was born on May 4, 1925.

EDWARD T. CLOONAN

Edward T. Cloonan is Assistant Vice President and Director of International and Corporate Affairs for American International Group, Inc., a holding company that owns and operates insurance companies in more than 130 countries. He is also Secretary of American International Underwriters, the principal AIG company operating internationally. His responsibilities include U.S. and foreign government relations, trade and market access issue management, business development and special assignments. He is on the Executive Committee of the AIG-Political Action Committee and chaired the AIG Contributions Committee.

Prior to assuming his present responsibilities, Mr. Cloonan managed the Washington office of American International Group, where he was responsible for corporate issues related to Capitol Hill and all government agencies, including developing government procurement business. He managed political risk analysis for worldwide operations and was appointed to the Advisory Board of the Risk Analysis program sponsored by the Fund for Multinational Management Education in New York and is a member of the Association of Political Risk Analysts. Mr. Cloonan has testified on Capitol Hill on numerous occasions, and has been a guest lecturer at Columbia University. More recently he was invited to speak in Canada on U.S.-Canada economic relations and the proposed U.S.-Canada Free Trade Agreement. Mr. Cloonan is also involved in the work being done by the Advisory Committee on Trade Negotiations (ACTN) which is the private sector organization providing advice and assistance on trade negotiations for the Special Trade Representatives office in Washington D.C.

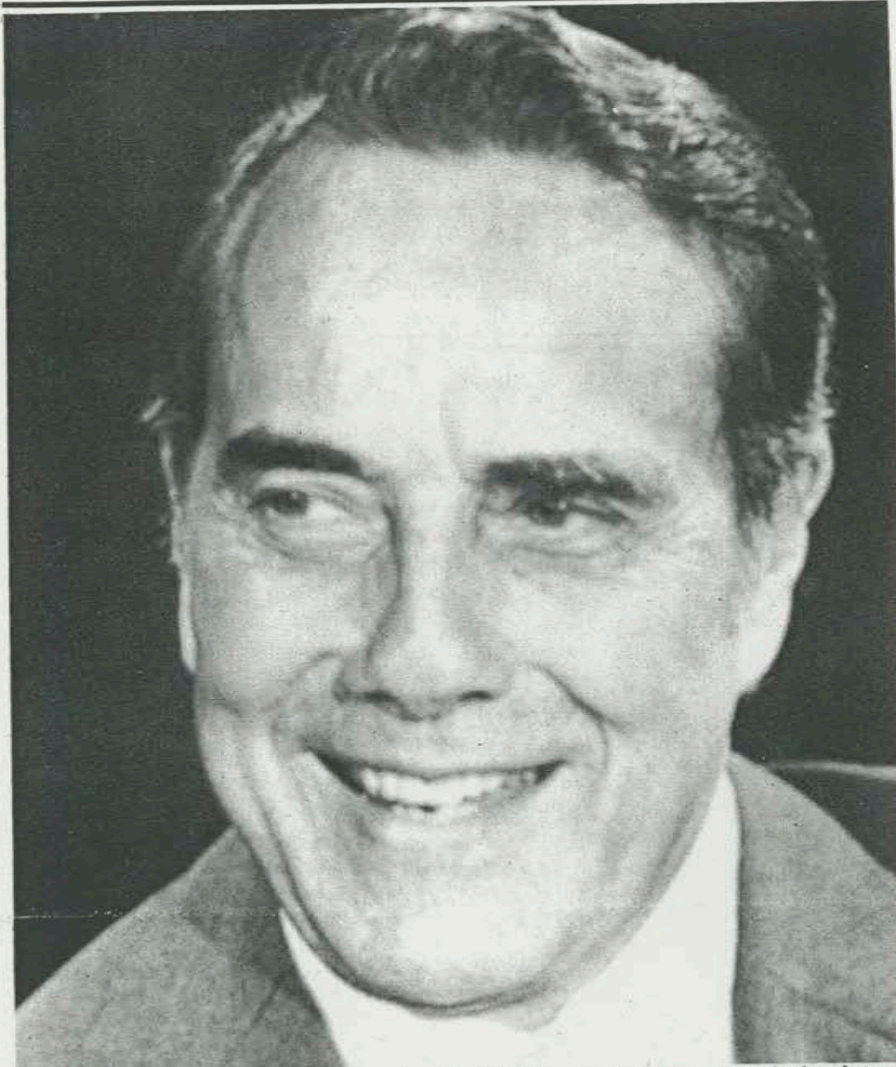
He graduated Phi Beta Kappa from the University of Massachusetts (Amherst) and with honors from the School of International Affairs at Columbia University.



# University of New Hampshire Campus Journal

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Senate Majority Leader Robert Dole is scheduled to speak at the university's winter commencement Saturday, Dec. 13, at 10:30 a.m. in Lundholm Gymnasium at the Field House.

## Commencement

### Senator Robert Dole will Speak Saturday, Dec. 13

Senate Majority Leader Robert Dole will be the featured speaker Saturday, Dec. 13, at the winter commencement ceremony for about 955 university students.

The event is scheduled to begin at 10:30 a.m. at the Lundholm Gymnasium in the Field House. About 3,600 people are expected to attend the ceremony, which will honor candidates for 613 bachelor degrees, 249 master degrees, 28 doctorates, 59 associate degrees and six certificates of advanced graduate study.

The Kansas Republican, named President Reagan's top Congressional supporter by "Congressional Quarterly," has led the fight for key Reagan initiatives including the Balanced Budget Amendment and the Strategic Defense Initiative.

Dole, 63, was first elected to the U.S. Senate in 1968 after serving four consecutive terms in the House of Repre-

sentatives. In 1976 he was Gerald Ford's vice presidential running mate. From 1981 to 1984, he was chair of the Senate Finance Committee.

He is a member of the Senate Agriculture Committee and sponsored legislation to address the economic distress of the American farmer. On behalf of three Presidents, Dole has traveled around the world working on hunger and refugee problems, international trade and military matters.

As a result of a World War II injury, Dole spent more than three years in hospitals and is now a strong advocate for veterans and the disabled.

The former Republican National Chairman, earned a law degree from Washburn Municipal University in Topeka in 1952.

Dole and his wife, Elizabeth Hanford Dole, U.S. Secretary of Transportation, live in Washington D.C.

## Academic Senate

### Sexual Harrassment Policy is Slated for Early January

A new sexual harrassment policy will be announced sometime in early January, according to Jan Harrow, director

## Teaching Evaluation

A report on the status of a revised teaching evaluation policy has been



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### MEMORANDUM FOR SENATOR DOLE

FROM: WILLIAM B. LACY *WBL*  
DATE: NOVEMBER 7, 1986  
SUBJECT: NEW HAMPSHIRE EVENT

As we discussed this morning, we feel strongly that you should consider speaking at the University of New Hampshire Commencement on December 13.

Approximately 2,000 people will be in attendance, about 60-65% from New Hampshire. The remainder will be largely from New England.

This event will generate good media coverage as well as have a positive impact on a significant number of voters.

Unfortunately, due to a brief window of opportunity, I must give them an answer no later than Monday. I would appreciate your reviewing this and letting me know.

APPROVE \_\_\_\_\_

DISAPPROVE \_\_\_\_\_



BOB DOLE  
KANSAS

## United States Senate

OFFICE OF THE MAJORITY LEADER  
WASHINGTON, DC 20510

December 1, 1986



### M E M O R A N D U M

TO: SENATOR DOLE

FROM: RICH BELAS

SUBJECT: NEW HAMPSHIRE INSURANCE MEETINGS

The New Hampshire Insurance Group are affiliated with AIG insurance. I understand from Senator Durkin that they are sensitive about the property and casualty insurance company provisions enacted as part of the Tax Reform Act of 1986. As you recall, the major changes involved the "discounting" of reserves for property and casualty companies. In essence, the new law provides that amounts a company can deduct for claims that will be paid in future years will now have to be reduced to take into account that the company will earn interest on premiums until they are paid out to satisfy claims.

Senator Durkin did not think they were interested in the limitation on the interest paid deduction for loans from corporate-owned life insurance policies.

AIG was one of two companies (the other company is Cigna) who were active involved in your amendment to provide a transition rule for their foreign insurance business. As you know, the amendment was redrafted as part of the concurrent resolution which never was agreed to. However, the revised amendment was not considered controversial, was the same in both House and Senate versions of the resolution, and should be included in the technical corrections bill.

In case you are asked about it, the amendment provides a temporary exception from the rule in the tax reform act that repealed tax deferral on investment earnings on premiums received by a foreign subsidiary of a U. S. insurance company. The rationale for the general rule in the act is that we should not allow tax to be deferred on foreign passive income. AIG believes that the rule is misguided since they believe that the insurance investment income is an intrinsic part of its active insurance business, rather than passive income.

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You may also be asked about tort reform. Since there are likely to be defense lawyers in the audience as well as insurance people, you may want to speak in generalities. One thing that the insurance people are concerned about is the potential for Federal regulation of insurance as part of any effort resolve the insurance availability problem. They may have noted that in Florida the lawyers and insurance industry fought about how to solve the problem and the legislature took suggestions from both sides -- doing some tort reform and rolling back premiums. Both sides were very distraught.

Also, Senators Simon and Metzenbaum have stated an interest in reviewing the McCarran-Ferguson Act. The McCarran-Ferguson Act provides a limited antitrust exemption for insurance companies which allows the industry to participate in ratemaking and forms development in concert

You also may want to know that the Wall Street Journal reported on Monday, December 1, that the property-casualty industry had pre-tax operating profit of \$3.5 billion in the first nine months of this year, reversing a year-earlier operating loss of \$4.07 billion. The Journal also reported that the turnaround is mainly the result of a 24% increase in premiums. The boost in premiums reflects sharply higher rates on commercial liability policies.

Finally, on other issues, you may get questions on acid rain and the Seabrook nuclear plant. Many people in New Hampshire are concerned about the effect of acid rain on the state. Of course, people in Michigan and Ohio worry about whether they will lose jobs as a result of efforts to address the problem. The Seabrook issue has taken a turn recently where the governor of New Hampshire wants the plant and the governor of Massachusetts opposes it. Since there has to be an evacuation plan for a ten mile radius, this effects seven towns in Massachusetts. Governor Dukakis has refused to agree to a plan. Therefore, Governor Sununu is trying to get the radius for the required evacuation plan to be reduced to two miles. Obviously, this is a no-win issue.



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SEABROOK NUCLEAR POWER PLANT  
NEW HAMPSHIRE

- o Seabrook Nuclear Power plant is located on the coast of New Hampshire near the towns of Hampton and Portsmouth. The plant is 2 miles north of the Massachusetts border.
- o Fuel is currently being loaded at the facility. Hearings to license the plant have been scheduled for Spring '87 before the Atomic Safety and Licensing Board. It is anticipated the plant will be licensed the Summer of 1987.
- o Anti-nuclear activists have opposed the opening of the plant from the beginning and have delayed the opening by numerous court actions.
- o Most of the on-site problems raised by anti-nuclear groups have been resolved. But, these groups are still unhappy with the proposed off-site evacuation plans. They say it will take 7-8 hours to evacuate the area and are not pleased with the proposed transportation, communication and notification procedures.
- o Governor Dukakis of Massachusetts has delayed the opening of the plant by refusing to submit his state's emergency preparedness plan. (Since Seabrook is within 2 miles of the Massachusetts border he is required to submit a plan for emergency evacuation.) He says more needs to be known about the Chernobyl accident before Seabrook is opened.
- o In the last election, Democratic candidates were opposed to the opening of the plant. Republican candidates supported the project claiming the power is needed and that not opening the plant would force the power company into bankruptcy - a loss of a \$6 billion investment.
- o After the Chernobyl accident, Governor Sununu had a team of experts inspect the plant. They gave the plant a clean bill of health. Sununu almost lost the election because of his support for the plant. A poll taken before the November elections showed the residents of New Hampshire opposed the plant by a 2 to 1 margin.
- o Seabrook has submitted a request to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission to reduce the area surrounding the plant currently required to be included in the plant's emergency preparedness evacuation plan. Seabrook claims that new technology used to build the plant prevents the likelihood of an accident affecting such a large area. The proposal would eliminate Massachusetts from the evacuation plan area. Governor Dukakis opposes the plan - Governor Sununu supports it. Congressional hearings have been held on the request.

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- o Last week, radioactive water leaked from a fuel storage pool at the Hatch Nuclear Power Plant in Georgia. More than 140,000 gallons of radioactive water leaked from a storage pool. Spent fuel rods, like active fuel rods, must remain covered with cooling water to avoid overheating and potentially catastrophic accidents. NRC says the leak at the Hatch plant poses no hazard to the public even though radioactive concentrations in the water exceeded federal standards. The Seabrook plant is of a different design than the Hatch plant.
- o A steel pipe carrying nearly 500-degree water and steam at Virginia Power's Surry nuclear power station ruptured yesterday. 6 men were severely burned but no radiation was released. As designed, the rupture triggered the shutdown of one of two reactors at the site.



## Iran, Dole, Bush and 1988

By R. W. APPLE Jr.

Special to The New York Times

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9 — Bob Dole of Kansas, the Senate majority leader, will become minority leader next year, has seen his prospects of winning the 1988 Republican Presidential nomination enhanced as a result of the Iran arms controversy, in the judgment of many key party leaders.

Only a month ago, when Republicans lost control of the Senate in the midterm elections, many of Dole's backers and most other politicians thought he would suffer. Although a few argued that as minority leader he would benefit by not having to take potentially divisive positions on President Reagan's policies, most agreed that the loss of opportunities for personal exposure would hurt him.

But the crisis that has engulfed the Reagan Administration has changed that, at least for the moment. Vice President Bush has been hurt along with the President, his principal partner, and he could be hurt further in months ahead if suggestions that he was involved in both the arms sales and the diversion of profits from them to the Nicaraguan rebels prove to be

at the same time, Mr. Dole has emerged as a major spokesman for the Republican Party, urging again and

again that all the evidence be brought out as soon as possible to hold down damage to the party. He has been careful to defend President Reagan, asserting that he "didn't make any mistakes; the people who worked for him made mistakes." Some conservatives believe he has gone too far, but most Republican insiders applaud him as demonstrating leadership.

John D. Deardourff, a leading Republican

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ican campaign consultant, who has made no commitments for 1988, said of Mr. Dole: "He's stepped right up to bat, admitted there was a serious problem, and proposed ways to solve it. That appeals to people with an institutional interest in the party — the people who will play a big role in the nominating process — because it is a sign of a mature, sophisticated politician."

A number of Washington-based Republicans said they now considered Mr. Dole, a 63-year-old Kansan, to be Mr. Bush's chief rival for the nomination.

Mr. Dole has also benefited in Iowa, whose early caucuses will constitute the first test of strength in 1988, and thus will have an impact on the New Hampshire primary. According to a CBS News poll of voters in November, Mr. Dole was even then the second most popular Presidential contender among Republican voters in Iowa, trailing Mr. Bush by 30 percent to 20.

Now, says Sally J. Novetzke, the Iowa party chairman, who is committed to the Vice President, Mr. Dole is "taken seriously by more and more people." She said the Senator was "speaking eloquently for the party and for his own good, and I'm proud of him for doing it."

### A New Model This Time

"If I were in his position, I'd be doing exactly what he's doing," she added. "He's always been a great admirer of the President's, and he still is. But he's putting some distance between himself and this mess, he's trying to put on the pressure for full disclosure, and he's doing it without a lot of double-talk and veiled attacks."

Six years ago, Mr. Dole finished last in the caucuses; in 1988, several Iowa politicians said, he has a chance to finish first.

Mr. Dole was a last-ditch, strident supporter of President Nixon in the Watergate scandals, and it very nearly cost him his Senate seat. He won re-election in 1974 by fewer than 15,000 votes. This time, an associate said, he had in mind the example of Howard H. Baker Jr., then a Senator from Tennessee, who refrained from attacking Mr. Nixon but kept press-

ing for information and emerged with enhanced prestige.

As early as Nov. 7, when the storm was still brewing, Mr. Dole called for a Congressional investigation at "an appropriate time." As the story unfolded, he kept putting forward what he called "the party interest." If Republicans want to have any chance in 1988, he said, "we ought to cut our losses, and do it as quickly as possible."

Supporters of Representative Jack F. Kemp of upstate New York, who had hoped by now to have established himself as the most likely alternative to Mr. Bush, are arguing that Mr. Dole has hurt himself with conservatives by criticizing the Administration's actions.

### Kemp Alde Faults Dole

John Buckley, Mr. Kemp's press secretary and one of his strategists, said Senator Dole was "too far out in front, too eager to make news over the corpse of a popular President." He said that Senator Dole, by pressing for a special session of Congress to look into the matter, a proposal eventually rejected by Mr. Reagan, had "given this the look of Watergate."

Mr. Buckley conceded, however, that Senator Dole had made himself far better known to the public by repeated television appearances in recent weeks. Mr. Kemp had hoped to appear on the CBS News program "Face the Nation" on Sunday, but Mr. Dole got the call instead.

This morning, in another television interview, Mr. Kemp said "enough is enough," when asked about the continuing tumult in Washington. He made it clear that he opposed illegal actions and the sale of arms to Iran, but he has noticeably not joined other leading Republicans in asking for the dismissal of more White House aides.

### Buchanan Doesn't Name Dole

Patrick J. Buchanan, the White House communications director, who is a favorite of conservatives, has been attacking what he calls the Republican Party establishment as deserting Mr. Reagan. But he has named no names, and if he included Senator Dole in his strictures, other leading right-wingers disagree.

Several said they found nothing

wrong with Mr. Dole's actions and statements. In New Hampshire, for example, both Elsie Vartanian, the state Republican chairman, and Carroll Jones, a Bush organizer, said they had detected no signs of a conservative backlash there.

Asked whether the Kansan had hurt himself with conservatives, Howard Phillips, president of the Conservative Caucus, said "I don't believe that."

"I'm closer to Kemp in political philosophy than to Bob Dole," Mr. Phillips said, assessing Mr. Kemp's views on the Nicaraguan guerrillas and other issues in the crisis. "But I must say that when I watched Jack on television today I got the impression that he had nothing to say about this situation, and he took seven minutes to say nothing. What we want is some leadership on the contra question, before the whole idea of American support for these people goes down the drain. So far, Kemp isn't giving us any help."

Mr. Bush gets generally good notices among active Republicans for his speech last week in which he conceded, while staunchly defending Mr. Reagan, that "mistakes were made." But many politicians are worried that each new figure in the controversy is reported to have some link to the Vice President. Most recently it was Ambassador John H. Kelly in Beirut, mentioned in testimony on Monday.

### Doubts Disclosed in Poll

A new New York Times/CBS News poll shows that only a bare plurality of Americans believe the Vice President when he says he knew nothing of the diversion of funds to the Nicaraguan guerrillas. Among the respondents, 40 per cent said they believed him; 38 per cent said they did not. There are also signs that some of those involved in the early stages of the Bush campaign are losing heart.

"It doesn't look very good, does it?" one fund-raiser asked.

And in New Hampshire, the influential and fiercely conservative Manchester Union-Leader played off a blooper headline from the Carter era to express its displeasure with Mr. Bush. An editorial Sunday attacking him for lukewarm support of the President was captioned, "More Mush from the Wimp."



TOM CARTER SAYS: HOT LOCAL ISSUE

Briefing: New drydock facility at Portsmouth Naval Shipyard.

POC: CAPT J. T. Rubeck, NAVSEA C-207

Issues:

1. Multi-million dollar facility
2. Important to future survivability of the shipyard
3. Direct impact upon local employment/economy
4. Shipyard strongly supports construction of a "production line" dry dock

Background:

1. Local announcements prematurely made which alluded to funding of the program
2. SECNAV only agreed to study the feasibility of such a facility
3. NAVSEA engaged in such an effort

Proposed remarks:

"The Naval Sea Systems Command is presently engaged in a comprehensive study to assess the cost effectiveness of the proposed drydock facility."



PEASE AIR FORCE BASE, NEW HAMPSHIRE

LOCATION: Three miles west of Portsmouth, NH

BRIEF MISSION STATEMENT: Strategic Air Command base with air division and bomb wing (FB-111A) and air refueling (KC-135); Air National Guard air refueling (KC-135).

SIZE IN ACRES: 4,257

REAL PROPERTY ACQUISITION COST: \$121.4M

USAF MANPOWER AUTHORIZATIONS:

MILITARY	3,503
CIVILIAN	454
TOTAL	3,957

ANNOUNCED BASE REALIGNMENT ACTIONS UNDER STUDY OR IMPLEMENTATION:  
Contract conversion studies may reduce 10 civilian positions.

MILITARY CONSTRUCTION ITEMS INCLUDED IN CURRENT FISCAL YEAR DEFENSE PROGRAM AS APPROVED/SUBMITTED BY/TO CONGRESS: (\$000)

1986:	
Medical Supply Storage Facility	850
Alter Unaccompanied Enlisted Personnel Housing	5,100
TOTAL	5,950

1987:	
Add/Alter Avionics Maintenance Shop	1,150

SIGNIFICANT INSTALLATION ISSUES/PROBLEMS: None

Prepared by AF/PRPJB  
3 Dec 86

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**Portsmouth Naval Shipyard's mission is the repair and overhaul of nuclear submarines.**

Military: 1650 assigned at PNS (including submarine crews)

Civilian: 7660 (not including tenant commands)

Payroll: \$219,474,582.13 for FY 86 paid

**The Shipyard is the largest employer north of Boston located at one site.** Employees come from adjacent communities in Maine, N.H., and Massachusetts, with Maine and N.H. each accounting for about 49% of the total employment. **The Shipyard spends over a million dollars a day.** This money goes into the local economy in the form of services and supplies purchased and salaries paid.

The additional jobs created by flow of Shipyard payroll and contracts into the local economy create a "multiplier effect." By adding the civilian and military payrolls with the contracts awarded to the New England area and multiplying by the constant 2.5, we get the total economic impact of the shipyard. That impact reached \$724.75 million during 1985.



- 1) Mr. Don Reeves - Rotary Club President.
- 2) Senator Dole
- 3) Norman Stahl - introducing Senator
- 4) Judge William Treat
- 5) Mr. James Barker Smith, Sr.

Other noted guests are:

- 1) Mr. Ray LaBrie - Chief of Police in Portsmouth.
- 2) Mr. Carlton Eldridge - County Attorney for Rockingham Co.
- 3) General John Allan - Air Force General from Pease Air  
Force Base in New Hampshire.

The contact for the event is Mr. James Barker Smith, Sr.  
His phone number is 603/436-8244.

Second Event Briefing

University of New Hampshire Commencement Ceremony on December  
13, 1986, which is a Saturday.

Secretary Elizabeth Dole spoke the UNH Commencement Ceremony  
approximately 2 to 3 years ago.

Time: 10:00AM - The Senator preceeds to the conference room

10:30AM - The Commencement Ceremonies begin and last for  
approxiamately 2 hours.

12:30PM - The Platform party begins which is a buffet

luncheon in the New England Center.

**Attendance:** There will be 613 Bachelor degrees awarded, 249 Masters degrees, 28 Doctorates, 59 Associate degrees and 6 Certificates. There will be approximately 3,600 total guests. At the buffet luncheon after the ceremony, there will be approximately 38 - 45 guests.

**Location:** It is in the University of New Hampshire Field House in the Londhom Gymnasium. The press contact is Phyllis Bennitt, (603/862-1460).

**Press:** A release was sent out by the university to all New Hampshire media. The main contact has been Dr. Kwesey, (603/862-2450), and Gene Savage, (603/868-1800).