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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

January 23, 1984

MEETING WITH NATIONAL LEADERS OF PRO-LIFE MOVEMENT

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DATE: January 23, 1984  
LOCATION: Cabinet Room  
TIME: 11:00 a.m.

I. PURPOSE

To reaffirm your support for the right to life.

II. BACKGROUND

It is now eleven years since the pro-abortion Roe v. Wade decision of the United States Supreme Court. All pro-life groups support the annual March for Life on or near the anniversary of the Roe v. Wade decision.

In 1982 you urged pro-life leaders to unite on a legislative strategy, which almost all of them did. You supported the 1982 Helms pro-life amendment to the debt ceiling bill; the Helms proposal was tabled by a margin of one vote. In 1983 you joined most of the pro-life groups in supporting the Hatch pro-life constitutional amendment, which failed by a vote of 49 to 50.

Since it appears this Congress is unlikely to pass any general prohibition of abortion, most legislative attention is on related measures regarding federal funding of abortion and abortion related activities.

There is some concern among pro-life leaders about the supposed retreat on the "baby Doe" regulations of Health and Human Services regarding infanticide, but most of these leaders know that the new regulations give real protections to handicapped infants.

Before you join this Cabinet Room meeting, the group will be addressed by Don Devine of the Office of Personnel Management, and Surgeon General Everett Koop.

III. PARTICIPANTS

(See attached list)

IV. PRESS

White House Photographer

V. SEQUENCE OF EVENTS

- 11:00 a.m. You arrive in Cabinet room and move to your chair. You make brief remarks and conclude by asking to hear from the group.
- 11:10 a.m. You walk over in front of the Coolidge portrait and pose for individual photographs with guests, who will circle around the table.
- 11:15 a.m. You depart.

Attachments: Talking Points  
List of Participants

LEADERS

- Thank you for joining me on the busy day of the March for Life. This annual event keeps national attention focused on the need for us to protect the right to life.
  
- As you know, I support any worthwhile measure to protect unborn children. Last year, I worked for Senator Hatch's proposed constitutional amendment, just as I had supported the Helm's bill the previous year. Unfortunately, we have not yet had success with a general solution to the tragic problem of abortion.
  
- I believe, however, that we must in many ways keep up the pressure, in Congress and elsewhere. I support the Hyde-Jepsen bill for a permanent cut-off of Federal funding of abortion, for instance.
  
- I understand that Dr. Koop has just spoken to you. He and Secretary Heckler have done an outstanding job in drafting final "baby Doe" regulations. Many people do not realize that, in the struggle over these regulations, the American Academy of Pediatricians and the National Association of Children's Hospitals have changed their official positions. Now they explicitly recognize the value of lives of all children, and they repudiate the idea that physical or mental handicaps justify making "value of life" decisions to end the life of a newborn child.

- Even though we are having such difficulty with members of the Congress on this issue, I think we should not be discouraged. One sure way eventually to overturn the Roe v. Wade decision is by improving the United States Supreme Court. I am sure you all have read Justice O'Connor's dissent in the Akron cases. Let's work to make sure the next several new Justices share our views.
- Finally, we should recognize the variety of ways to make progress for the right to life. None should be neglected. They are legislative, administrative, judicial, and, yes, electoral. And there is also the totally private sector dimension by which voluntary action by concerned Americans can help save individual lives and help individual mothers.
- Now, I'd like to hear from you.

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January 23 meeting in Cabinet Room -- Pro-Life Leaders

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~~James P. McFadden -- " " " " "~~

~~The Reverend Olga Fairfax -- Methodist For Life~~

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~~Paige Cunningham -- Ex. Dir., American United For Life Legal~~

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\* *Joseph Stanton M.D. - Value of Life Com*

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05/18/38

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11/02/17

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06/25/24

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05/14/42

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Requested by MORTON C. BLACKWELL

Room No. CABINET ROOM

Room No. 191 Telephone 2657

Time of Meeting 10:30 a.m.

Date of request Jan. 20, 1984

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Mr. William Pierce		06/10/36
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Professor Charles Rice		08/07/31
Mr. Terrence Scanlon		05/01/39
Mr. Joseph M. Schleidler		09/07/29
Dr. Joseph Stanton		08/08/20
Mrs. Darla St. Martin		10/23/36
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8 Charles

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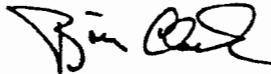
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April 20, 1983

Dear Father Fiore:

Thank you for your letter of April 5 offering the opportunity to address matters dealt with in the text of the third draft of the U.S. Bishops Pastoral letter. While I deeply appreciate your offer of a forum from which to reach Catholics and other Christians on politico-morality issues arising out of nuclear armaments, I feel such issues have been sufficiently addressed by Administration spokesmen. I accordingly decline your generous invitation.

Sincerely,



William P. Clark

Father Charles Fiore, O. P.  
President, IDEA, Inc.  
P.O. Box 119  
Elmwood Park, Illinois 60635

**A NOTE FROM  
PETER B. GEMMA, JR.**

May 6, 1983

Morton...

Some time ago Father Fiore sent the enclosed, by special delivery, to Judge Clark. At the same time he sent a copy to you, but apparently it was misplaced.

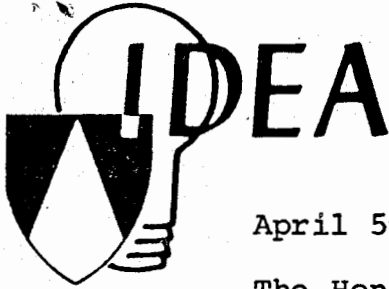
The publication date for IDEA INK has been delayed in order to interview Judge Clark...could you help speed this along?

You can reach Father Fiore at 608-271-2681 or me at our new Nat'l Pro-Life PAC phone number 893-1440 or at the Int'l Policy Forum number, 544-1166.

Thanks, Morton.



sent to           
Sub Lewis  
(H) 6965, room  
365  
5/20



April 5th, 1982

The Honorable William Clark  
National Security Advisor to the President  
The White House  
Washington, D. C. 20500

Dear Judge Clark:

I am the founding editor and publisher of IDEA INK, a quarterly national issues-paper with the third largest Catholic distribution, and almost 300,000 readers, in the country.

Tomorrow the text of the third and final draft of the U. S. Bishops' Pastoral Letter on War and Peace will be released.

I regret that your own efforts to procure a hearing of the Administration's views on defense and disarmament policies with the Bishops were not better received last Fall. It has become more than ever apparent since then that Catholic and secular media coverage of the Bishops' Pastoral vis-a-vis Administration policies has been woefully out-of-balance.

I wish to provide you, as a particularly qualified Administration spokesman, with an opportunity to present a broad spectrum of American Catholic and other Christian readers of IDEA INK with an Administration reaction to the Pastoral and, perhaps, your own views of it as a faithful Catholic.

Our Spring issue, due to go to press on May 4th, will be entirely devoted to the Pastoral, and will include articles by Catholic laity and clergy on the strategic, political and moral aspects of the document.

Can you please allow me and a photographer 45 minutes of your schedule during the week of April 25th, for an interview that would be the centerpiece of our next issue? I can be contacted at the Madison number (below).

With my sincere thanks,

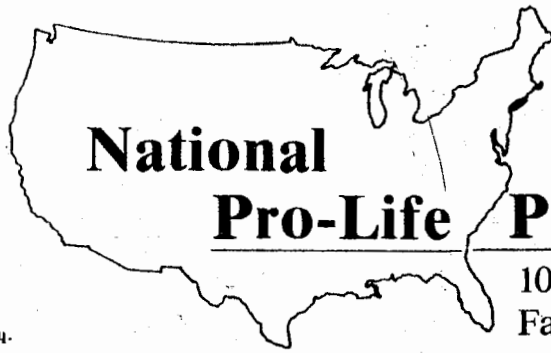
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Cc. Morton Blackwell, Office of Presidential Liaison.

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STATEMENT OF FATHER CHARLES FIORE, O.P., CHAIRMAN

NATIONAL PRO-LIFE POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE June 3, 1980

The National Pro-Life Political Action Committee is the oldest and most successful anti-abortion political organization in the country. In 1978, our first year of activity, National Pro-Life PAC won more than 60% of the races in which we were involved, and only four of the 28 candidates we supported were incumbents. That year we raised and spent approximately \$60,000.

In 1979, we won three out of the four special elections in which we participated and spent approximately \$115,000. In addition, we sponsored a three day training seminar in nuts and bolts political action for over 100 pro-life leaders from around the country. We also spent more than \$10,000 on an in-depth training program for 14 pro-life political activists to prepare them to work in the 1980 elections.

In the 1980 elections National Pro-Life PAC scored its most impressive wins: endorsing and helping Ronald Reagan win his party's nomination and the general election, and supporting 52 candidates, 70% of which won election. Again, a small number, only 25%, were incumbents. Last year we raised and spent more than \$210,000.

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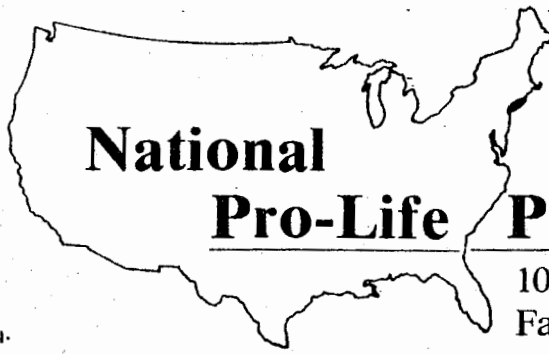
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So far this year we have set a record with our fundraising activities, and we expect to spend approximately \$250,000 preparing for 1982. We have successfully participated in two special elections (Ohio and Michigan), and we intend to hold another training conference for pro-life leaders to gear them up in the latest political tactics for the '82 elections.

Frankly, in 1982 we expect to raise and spend nearly twice our 1980 budget, and to launch several independent expenditure efforts in key contests around the country.

Now I would like to introduce National Pro-Life PAC's Executive Director, Peter Gemma, who will discuss the particular races we are concentrating on at this early date.



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NATIONAL PRO-LIFE POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE, JUNE 3, 1981

Looking ahead to 1982, the National Pro-Life Political Action Committee foresees a number of opportunities for another impressive anti-abortion impact on the elections. As our record indicates, we put our resources into those races that have bellwether implications: primary contests, challenges to long-entrenched incumbents and open seats that could switch party control.

We're out to influence those Congressmen, Senators and candidates -- from both parties -- who are ambivalent or undecided on this matter of life versus death. National Pro-Life PAC, by helping to defeat or elect highly visible leaders on this issue of abortion, frankly makes the lobbying and educational work with the politicians here in Washington a lot easier.

At this early date, considering all the variables, we feel there are nine particular races that could have dramatic and successful results for anti-abortion political activists. Please note, however, that we are not limiting ourselves to these contests, nor are we making any predictions for defeats or victories -- in many cases there are no electable alternatives to the incumbents this early -- we do feel that, at this point in time, there

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are several races that hold positive potential for pro-life political action.

#### U.S. SENATE RACES

Maine -- George Mitchell (D), who was appointed to this seat in 1980, is vulnerable according to respected pollsters Bob Teeter and Lance Tarrance. The two Republican Congressmen from Maine -- Dave Emery (1st District) and Olympia Snowe (2nd District) -- are gearing up for a Senate race. National Pro-Life PAC will be supporting Mr. Emery and welcomes the opportunity to defeat two pro-abortion politicians: Ms. Snowe in the GOP primary, and Mr. Mitchell in the general.

Rhode Island -- John Chafee (R) is in a precarious position -- as is any Republican in this Democratic state. We have urged the 3 term incumbent Democratic Governor, pro-lifer J. Joseph Garrahy, to run against Mr. Chafee next year, as he would be the strongest candidate. If Mr. Garrahy decides not to run for the Senate, there are many other pro-life Democrats who would be formidable challengers to Senator Chafee.

New York -- former Westchester Congressman Bruce Caputo (R) seems, even at this early date, to be the odds-on favorite to capture the Republican, Conservative, and Right to Life Party nominations to oppose pro-abortion incumbent Senator Daniel Patrick Moynihan (D). Pollsters show that Mr. Moynihan is vulnerable even within the Democratic and Liberal parties. National Pro-Life PAC is solidly behind Mr. Caputo and will be encouraging pro-life Democrats to run a primary challenge to Mr. Moynihan as well.

New Jersey -- Harrison Williams is in deep political trouble because of the ABSCAM scandal. There may even be a special election before November of 1982. There are several pro-life Republicans, including the 1978 GOP nominee Jeff Bell, who would be strong contenders. In addition, we feel there would be an excellent chance for a pro-life Democrat to capture his party's nod with or without Mr. Williams as a candidate. We are looking into the possibility of doing some independent expenditures in New Jersey to help create a pro-life political climate.

#### CONGRESSIONAL RACES

Oklahoma 1st -- James Jones (D) has been a leader against President Reagan's budget and tax proposals and may be facing a tough campaign for re-election. The abortion issue may be an additional negative for Mr. Jones.

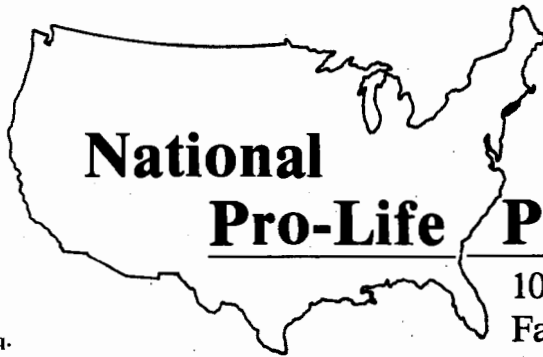
Arizona 2nd -- Morris Udall is increasingly out of step with his constituency -- which is growing more conservative and Republican each year. We feel a strong Republican pro-life candidate could defeat Mr. Udall next year.

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Pennsylvania 24th -- Marc Lincoln Marks (R) won re-election last year by a few hundred votes in his race against pro-life Democrat, State Representative David DiCarlo. We expect Mr. DiCarlo to make another try and, with the early support of National Pro-Life PAC, to be successful.

Illinois 20th -- Paul Findley (R) had tough primary and general election challenges last year, although both were late starters. We feel an early, well-organized pro-life Democrat or even Republican can unseat Mr. Findley.

North Carolina 5th -- Stephan Neal (D) won a narrow victory over pro-life State Senator Anne Bagnal(R) last year. National Pro-Life PAC has every indication that Mrs. Bagnal will run again next year and, with the support of that state's two Republican pro-life Senators -- Helms and East, she will defeat Mr. Neal.



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BIOGRAPHICAL DATA

The National Pro-Life Political Action Committee is the oldest and most successful anti-abortion political organization in the nation, having won more than 60% of the races it entered in the 1978 general election, and more than 70% of those in which it was active in the 1980 general election. Organized early in 1977, National Pro-Life PAC has been credited with a number of innovations in pro-life political action, including sponsoring political training sessions for anti-abortion activists. NP-L PAC's record since 1977 is doubly outstanding when one realizes that most of the candidates it supports, in primaries and general elections, are challengers, not incumbents. NP-L PAC publishes a regular newsletter, The Pro-Life Political Reporter.

Rev. Charles C. Fiore, O.P., of Chicago, Illinois, has been a member of the Dominican Order (Order of Preachers: O.P.) of men religious in the Catholic Church for over 25 years, and was ordained a priest 20 years ago.

He holds degrees in philosophy and theology, and was certified in clinical-pastoral work from Topeka State Hospital and the Menninger Foundation Clinic. He has taught undergraduate and graduate philosophy and theology courses in various colleges and universities in this country, and is Invited Professor at the University of St. Thomas Aquinas (Angelicum), Rome, Italy.

In 1970, he founded I.D.E.A. (Information from the Dominican Educational Association), a pro-life educational clearing-house.

Early in 1977, he founded the National Pro-Life Political Action Committee, the first such PAC involved in federal campaigns.

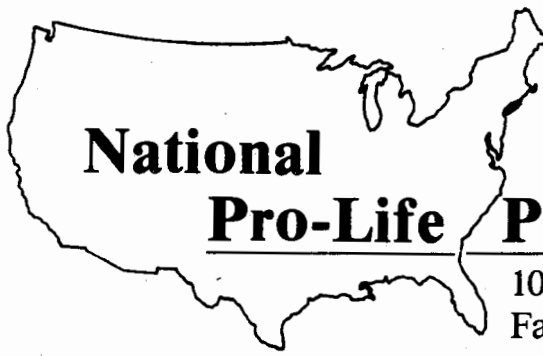
A member of the Advisory Board of Alternatives to Abortion, International, Toledo, which provides help to women in distressed pregnancies, Fr. Fiore is listed in The American Catholic Who's Who (1980-81).

Peter B. Gemma, Jr., of Falls Church, Virginia, has been active in Republican, Conservative and pro-life politics for ten years. He has managed several political campaigns, including the upset victory of Jeffrey Bell over incumbent U.S. Senator Clifford Case in the 1978 New Jersey Republican primary.

He is Executive Director of the National Pro-Life PAC, and President of Associated Direct Marketing Services, a direct-mail fundraising firm.

Richard A. Viguerie, in his book, The New Right: We're Ready to Lead, says of Gemma, "...his broad campaign experience brings a high level of political sophistication to the pro-life movement." Peter Gemma serves on the Advisory Boards of the Religious Roundtable and the California Right to Life Political Action Committee.





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## News Release

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### NINE RACES NAMED "PRO-LIFE OPPORTUNITIES" FOR 1982

Washington, D.C. -- Spokesmen for the National Pro-Life Political Action Committee today named nine incumbent Members of Congress that they hope to defeat in 1982, and said that they will spend up to \$400,000 in these and other races next year.

National Pro-Life PAC Chairman, the Reverend Charles Fiore, O.P. and Executive Director Peter B. Gemma, Jr. designated four pro-abortion Senators and five pro-abortion Congressmen that they feel are "early opportunities for pro-life victories in 1982." Named by the anti-abortion organization were: Senators George Mitchell (D-Maine), John Chafee (R-Rhode Island), Daniel Patrick Moynihan (D-New York), and Harrison Williams (D-New Jersey); and Representatives James Jones (D-Oklahoma, 1st Dist.), Morris Udall (D-Arizona, 2nd Dist.), Marc Lincoln Marks (R-Pennsylvania, 24th Dist.), Paul Findley (R-Illinois, 20th Dist.) and Stephen Neal (D-North Carolina, 5th Dist.).

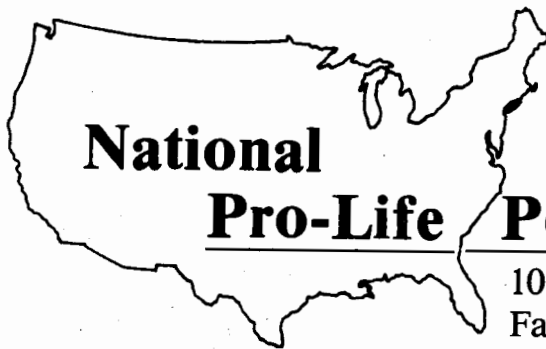
"Considering all the variables, we feel these are nine races that could have dramatic and successful results for anti-abortion political activists," said Executive Director Gemma.

"We are not limiting ourselves to these contests, nor are we making any predictions for defeats or victories. We feel that at this point in time, these nine races are the ones that have the most positive potential for pro-life political action," Gemma continued.

The Chairman of the National Pro-Life PAC, Father Charles Fiore, said his organization plans to spend about \$250,000 preparing for 1982 and expects to launch several independent expenditure campaigns next year. "We hope to nearly double our 1980 budget of \$210,000 in 1982," Fiore said.

"The recent reversal of five Senators on the federal funding for abortion vote on May 21st is highly significant to the pro-life movement," commented Fiore. "When you have people like Senators Lloyd Bentson (D-Texas), Robert Byrd (D-West Virginia), Howard Cannon (D-Nevada), Lawton Chiles (D-Florida), and James Sasser (D-Tennessee) voting for the most severe restrictions on abortion ever proposed, it's easy to see that we're having a major impact nationwide. 1982 should be a bellwether year for the anti-abortion forces in this country, and National Pro-Life PAC intends to play a major role in this effort," Fiore concluded.

The National Pro-Life Political Action Committee is the oldest anti-abortion PAC in the country. Since its formation in 1977, National Pro-Life PAC has spent over \$500,000 to elect both Democratic and Republican pro-life candidates.



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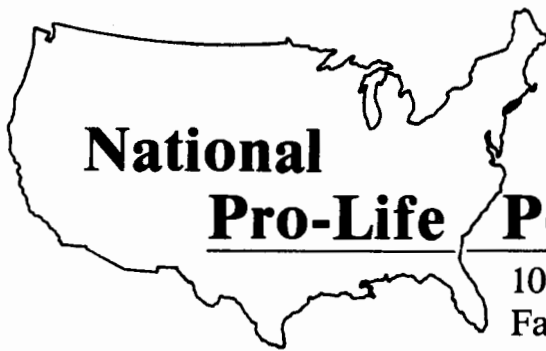
## MEDIA ADVISORY

NATIONAL PRO-LIFE PAC TO ANNOUNCE OPPORTUNITY RACES FOR '82

Washington, D.C. -- The National Pro-Life Political Action Committee will hold a news conference on Wednesday, June 3rd at 9:30 AM in the East Lounge of the National Press Building (13th floor) to discuss anti-abortion opportunity races for the 1982 elections.

Principal speakers will be Father Charles Fiore, Chairman of the National Pro-Life PAC and Peter B. Gemma, Jr., Executive Director.

Coffee and danish will be served.



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### M E D I A   A D V I S O R Y

As a follow-up on National Pro-Life PAC's release of the first nine "pro-life political opportunity races" for 1982, enclosed is a story from the Political Action Report.

The Political Action Report is a computerized newsletter, with 10,000 subscribers nationwide, available by subscription from Source Information Utility in McLean, Virginia. Nathan Muller is the editor.

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REPORT

EDITOR: NATHAN J. MULLER (TCA100)

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### POLITICAL FALLOUT NOT LIKELY TO HAMPER PRO-LIFE EFFORTS

WASHINGTON--DESPITE A WASHINGTON POST-ABC POLL REVEALING THAT A LARGE MAJORITY OF THE PUBLIC TOLERATES ABORTION, A CBS NEWS POLL OF REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE MEMBERS SHOWING A CLEAR MAJORITY IN SUPPORT OF A WOMAN'S RIGHT TO HAVE AN ABORTION, AND THE RESIGNATION OF SEVERAL CONSERVATIVE CONGRESSMEN FROM THE ADVISORY PANEL OF THE NATIONAL PRO-LIFE PAC, THE SEEMINGLY ADVERSE PUBLICITY IS NOT LIKELY TO HAMPER PRO-LIFE EFFORTS IN 1982 CONGRESSIONAL CONTESTS.

NINE "OPPORTUNITY" RACES FOR 1982 WERE ANNOUNCED BY THE NATIONAL PRO-LIFE PAC IN RECENT WEEKS AND A BUDGET OF UP TO \$400,000 IS PLANNED FOR THESE AND OTHER RACES NEXT YEAR.

TARGETED FOR DEFEAT ARE: SENATORS GEORGE MITCHELL (D-ME), JOHN CHAFEE (R-RI), DANIEL PATRICK MOYNIHAN (D-NY), AND HARRISON WILLIAMS (D-NJ); AND REPRESENTATIVES JAMES JONES (D-OK), MORRIS UDALL (D-AZ), MARC LINCOLN MARKS (R-PA), PAUL FINDLEY (R-IL) AND STEPHEN NEAL (D-NC).

"WE ARE NOT LIMITING OURSELVES TO THESE CONTESTS, NOR ARE WE MAKING ANY PREDICTIONS FOR DEFEATS OR VICTORIES," SAID NATIONAL PRO-LIFE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR PETER GEMMA. "WE FEEL THAT AT THIS POINT IN TIME, THESE NINE RACES ARE THE ONES THAT HAVE THE MOST POSITIVE POTENTIAL FOR PRO-LIFE POLITICAL ACTION."

THE CHAIRMAN OF THE NATIONAL PRO-LIFE PAC, FATHER CHARLES FIORE, SAID HIS ORGANIZATION PLANS TO SPEND ABOUT \$250,000 PREPARING FOR 1982 AND EXPECTS TO LAUNCH SEVERAL INDEPENDENT EXPENDITURE CAMPAIGNS NEXT YEAR. NOTING THE REVERSAL OF SENATORS LLOYD BENTSEN (D-TX), ROBERT BYRD (D-WV), HOWARD CANNON (D-NV), LAWTON CHILES (D-FL) AND JAMES SASSER (D-TN) ON THE ABORTION ISSUE-- ALL HAVING VOTED FOR THE MOST SEVERE RESTRICTIONS ON ABORTION EVER PROPOSED--FIORE SAID "IT'S EASY TO SEE THAT WE'RE HAVING A MAJOR IMPACT NATIONWIDE."

THE PRO-LIFE PAC, ACCORDING TO EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR GEMMA, WILL CONCENTRATE ITS EFFORTS ON INFLUENCING CONGRESSMEN AND CANDIDATES OF BOTH PARTIES WHO ARE AMBIVALENT OR UNDECIDED ON THE ABORTION ISSUE.

BUT TARGETING REPUBLICANS AS WELL AS DEMOCRATS HAS ALIENATED GOP MEMBERS OF THE PRO-LIFE PAC'S ADVISORY BOARD, SOME OF WHOM RESIGNED RATHER THAN BE LINKED WITH EFFORTS TO DEFEAT THEIR COLLEAGUES. AMONG THOSE WHO RESIGNED WERE REP. HENRY HYDE (R-IL), ONE OF THE MOST ARTICULATE ANTI-ABORTION SPOKESMEN IN THE HOUSE, AND SEN. JAKE GARN (R-UT), A VOCIFEROUS PRO-LIFER AND PRINCIPLE ADVOCATE OF A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO OUTLAW ABORTIONS.

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REP. MARTY RUSSO (D-IL) RESIGNED FROM THE ADVISORY PANEL BECAUSE "I'M NOT IN ANY WAY GOING TO PARTICIPATE IN ANYTHING THAT IS SET UP TO DEFEAT SITTING MEMBERS." REP. ROBERT A. YOUNG (D-MO) TOLD THE WASHINGTON POST THAT HE DIDN'T WANT TO BE ASSOCIATED WITH ANY "NEGATIVE CAMPAIGNS."

"IN THE AGE OF NCPAC INDEPENDENT EXPENDITURE CAMPAIGNS, THE PRESS HEARD WHAT IT WANTED TO HEAR--THAT WE WERE GOING TO CONDUCT NEGATIVE INDEPENDENT EXPENDITURE CAMPAIGNS," EXPLAINED PETER GEMMA. "HYDE, GARN AND THE OTHERS JUST DON'T LIKE THE FACT THAT WE'RE GOING AFTER PEOPLE OF ALL PARTIES."

GEMMA DENIED THAT HIS ORGANIZATION WILL CONDUCT SO-CALLED "NEGATIVE CAMPAIGNS" AGAINST THE NINE TARGETED INCUMBENTS. HE CHARGED THE WASHINGTON PRESS WITH "SENSATIONALISM" IN REPORTING HIS GROUP'S PLANNED ACTIVITIES.

SEN. ORRIN HATCH (R-UT), ANOTHER MEMBER OF THE PAC ADVISORY PANEL, TOLD GEMMA NOT TO BACK DOWN ON THIS ISSUE AND OFFERED HIS CONTINUED SUPPORT OF THE NATIONAL PRO-LIFE PAC. EVEN REP. HENRY HYDE, WHOM THE WASHINGTON POST DESCRIBED AS "HOPPING MAD" TOLD GEMMA THAT "YOU'RE DOING WHAT YOU'RE SUPPOSED TO BE DOING."

"SOME OF THESE CONGRESSMEN HAVE BEEN ON OUR LETTERHEAD SINCE 1977," GEMMA TOLD POLITICAL ACTION REPORT. "WE NEVER ASKED ANYTHING OF THEM. IT IS UNDERSTOOD WHEN WE ASK THEM TO BE ON THE ADVISORY PANEL THAT IT IS ONLY AS A GENERAL ENDORSEMENT, BUT THAT THEY DON'T HAVE TO TAKE PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY FOR SPECIFIC ACTIONS THAT MAY PUT THEM IN AWKWARD POSITIONS." GEMMA EXPLAINED THAT HIS ORGANIZATION'S LETTERHEAD, WHICH LISTS THE MEMBERS OF THE ADVISORY PANEL ALONG THE LEFT MARGIN, HAS BEEN USED IN OVER 100 CAMPAIGNS. "NOW ALL OF A SUDDEN SOME PEOPLE ARE GETTING SCARED, PROBABLY BECAUSE THE HEAT IS BUILDING."

"I'M PLEASED WITH THE PUBLICITY," SAYS GEMMA. "ON BALANCE I WOULD DO IT ALL OVER AGAIN THE SAME WAY. I'M PLEASED THAT THE ABORTION ISSUE IS SO HOT AND THAT WE'RE STARTING SO EARLY TO PUT THE HEAT ON. I'M JUST DELIGHTED TO SEE THESE GUYS SQUIRM. THIS ISSUE ISN'T GOING TO GO AWAY."

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