

Senator Bible Opposes Congressional Pay Rise

WASHINGTON -- Senator Alan Bible has sponsored a resolution urging the members of Congress to oppose the current attempts to raise salaries of Congressmen, judges and top-level officials of the Executive Branch of the Federal Government.

"At a time when most Americans are being pushed to the breaking point by inflation," Bible said, "Congress should be seeking ways to reduce spending rather than increasing their own salaries and those of other high paid Federal officials."

The Nevada Democrat pointed out that members of Congress received a substantial pay raise five years ago, and warned that "additional increases at this time would only further undermine the public's confidence in its government."

"Our nation is confronted with a host of serious problems, including inflation and excessive Federal spending," he said. "This is simply not the time to be talking about a pay raise for Federal judges and Congressmen."

Bible said he hopes President Nixon will not recommend salary increases for members of Congress and urged his fellow Senators to support the resolution which expresses the "sense of the Senate" that no raises be given this year.

"The taxpayers aren't going to stand still for this."

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Individuals conversant in Afro-American history can now receive college credit by demonstrating their knowledge on a college-level examination. Afro-American history has been added to the list of subject examinations in the College-Level Examination Program (CLEP), a national program of credit by examination sponsored by the College Board. The test, constructed by test development experts at Educational Testing Service under the direction of a committee of black educators, will be offered for the first time at more than 650 CLEP test centers throughout the country in August.

The Afro-American history examination is designed to measure knowledge and understanding of material usually covered in a one-semester survey course in this field. The test, intended to approach the history of the black experience from a black perspective, covers the period of African history from pre-colonial America through the mid-twentieth century.

The new examination was developed in conjunction with Professor Roland McConnell, Morgan State College, and Professor Arvarh Strickland, University of Missouri, and with the assistance of Professor Donnie Bellamy, Fort Valley State College; Professor Mary Berry, University of Maryland; Professor Jimmie L. Franklin, Eastern Illinois University; Professor Sherman Jackson, Miami University (Ohio); and Professor Robert Moran, Southern University.

The new examination brings the number of subject examinations in the CLEP program to a total of 34. There are also five general examinations offered by the program. All CLEP tests are given at CLEP centers during the third week of each month. The cost to candidates is \$15 for one general examination; \$25 for two or more; and \$15 for each subject examination.

Since the College Board introduced the College-Level Examination Program on a national basis in 1967, more than 70,000 individuals seeking college credit, job advancement, certification, or personal satisfaction have taken CLEP tests. At present approximately 2,000 two- and four-year colleges and universities are participating in the program and will award credit for CLEP scores. Individuals desiring further information should write to CLEP, College Board, Box 592, Princeton, New Jersey 08540 for a free copy of the booklet, "CLEP May Be For You."

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