December 10, 1992 **DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND YOUTH** NEW OLITICAL CONGRESS OF BLACK WON P DR. JULIANNE MALVEAUX:

United Bank of Philadelphia

Chief Executive Officer EMMA

CHAPPELL: National Institutes

of Health Director and former

National Medical Association

President DR. VIVIAN PINN; and

NAACP Legal Defense Fund

Counted among these nomi-

nees are three college presi-

dents: DR. JOHNNETTA B.

attorney ELAINE JONES.

The LAS VEGAS SENTINEL-VOICE

Washington, D.C. - Poised to hold President-Elect Clinton to his campaign promise that his Administration will reflect the diversity of America, the National Political Congress of Black Women's (NPCBW) Commission For Presidential Appointment of African American Women announced its first round of recommendations of qualified African American women for appointment to Cabinet, Sub-Cabinet, Agency Heads, Advisory Commission positions and Ambassadors.

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"We have been assured by President-Elect Clinton that our recommendations will be fully and fairly considered, and that he looks forward to working with our organization," said DR. C. **DELORES TUCKER, NPCBW** Chair and a former Secretary of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

PRESIDENT-ELECT BILL CLINTON agrees that "It is time to make women of color a more integral part of government, and to make government work for women of color of America."

The sixty-eight individuals whose nominations were announced today represent a diverse cross-section of high-caliber, accomplished African American women of vast talent and expertise.

Several nationally recognized political figures are included: 1992 Democratic National Convention Chief Executive Officer ALEXIS HERMAN: District of Columbia Mayor, the Honorable SHARON PRATT KELLY; former Little Rock, Arkansas Mayor, the Honorable LOTTIE SHACKLEFORD; former Congresswoman, the Honorable SHIRLEY CHISHOLM (D-NY); and the Honorable MAX-INE WATERS (D-CA).

Rounding out political figures included in the first round of nominees were D.C. City Council member, the Honorable CHARLENE DREW JARVIS: Maryland State Senator, the Honorable GLORIA LAWLAH; Baltimore City Council Member, the Honorable VERA HALL; and U.S. Ambassador to the Republic of Benine, AMBASSADOR RUTH A. DAVIS.

Many women were nominated for consideration for appointment to various judicial positions. Names submitted for the United States Supreme Court

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include U.S. Civil rights Commissioner DR. MARY BERRY, the Honorable ELEANOR HOLMES NORTON (D-DC), and U.S. Court of Appeals Judge AMALYA LYLE KEARSE.

Nominees for the United States District Court include NAACP Legal Defense Fund's ELAINE JONES; U.S. magistrate DEBRA ROBINSON; former U.S. attorney for the District of Columbia NATALIA COMES GREENE; and associate judge of the Superior Court for the District of Columbia EVELYN CRAWFORD QUEEN.

MARY GOODEN TERRELL. a former assistant U.S. attorney and senior counsel at the Resolution Trust Corporation, has been nominated for the Superior court for the District of Columhia

Other notables on the list include former National Education Association President DR. MARY HATWOOD FUTRELL; National Council of Negro Women President DR. DOROTHY HEIGHT, Children's Defense Fund President MAR-IAN WRIGHT EDELMAN; National Urban Coalition President and Chief Executive Officer DR. RAMONA H. EDELIN: Operation PUSH Vice President REV. WILLIE BARROW, Arkansas Department of Health Director DR. M. JOCELYN ELDERS;



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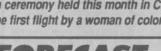
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NIARA SUDARKASA of Lincoln University, and DR. GLORIA A. SCOTT of Bennett College.

The Commission includes a mandate for policies that impact on the welfare of African-American families.

It has also recommended that there be a Department of Children and Youth to address issues that involve and impact on the health, welfare, develop-COLE of Spelman College, DR. ment, socialization of future

generations

"If America is to be a world leader, it must provide its youth with the greatest opportunities to not only survive, but to progress and achieve," said DR. TUCKER, a member of the President-Elect's National Women's Advisory Commission. "The establishment of such a Department, solely dedicated to this mission is imperative."

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An Alpha Kappa Alpha flag was among the articles Astronaut MaE Jemison (R) selected to share her historic flight into space. Dr. Jemison returned the flag, along with a certificate of authenticity, to AKA international president Dr. Mary Shy Scott (c) and first vice president Dr. Eva L. Evans (L) during a ceremony held this month in Chicago. Dr. Jemison's flight aboard Endeavour marked the first flight by a woman of color into space.

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