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Addressing the Commission's goal that African American women will no longer be barred from access to opportunities because "no qualified African American could be found," Commission Chair DR. RAMONA EDELIN made this observation:

"If President-Elect Bill Clinton intends to authentically address the problems and potentials of America's vastly underutilized populations of color, he will need the help of those strong, highly accomplished and committed African American women who have, for generations, served this nation as unshining heroines."

"It will not be possible to rebuild our great cities; to develop our families and neighborhoods as diverse, whole environments for human capital enhancement; or to educate and train our young people for the global marketplace of this century and the next without including this extraordinary reservoir of talented, experienced and resourceful women." The Commission will continue to make recommendations to the Clinton-Gore Transition Team

throughout the transition period. Serving in Commission leadership roles in addition to DR. EDELIN are its co-chairs, National Coalition of 100 Black Women National Chair JEWELL JACKSON McCABE and FAN-

NIE MAE Board Member DR. GLORIA E.A. TOOTE. Commission members represent nearly 40 Black women's social and organizations nationwide.

The NATIONAL POLITICAL CONGRESS OF BLACK

WOMEN is a non-partisan, non-profit organization founded in 1984 to fulfil the mission of empowering African-American women politically, socially, and economically. Its founding members include NPCBW Chair

Emeritus, the Honorable SHIRLEY CHISHOLM, MRS. CORETTA SCOTT KING, DR. DOROTHY HEIGHT, the Honorable ELEANOR HOLMES NORTON, and the Honorable MAXINE WATERS.

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UNEMPLOYMENT RATE

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sonal; business; medical and health; legal, engineering, accounting and management) gained 1,500 jobs

- Retail and wholesale (general merchandise and apparel; food stores; auto dealers and service station; and eating/drinking establishments) gained 1,700 jobs.

- Finance, insurance and real estate gained 800 jobs.

- Mining gained 300 jobs.

- Federal, state and local government (including teachers) gained 2,700 jobs.

While NESD analysts are cautious, they believe Nevada's current economic trend will not alter over the next several months.

They predict unemployment rates will remain close to the current level through the end of the year, while job growth will continue to inch ahead.

TRAVEL WITH BATES

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1. Valid U.S. passport

2. State issued birth certificate with raised seal

Water: All drinking water is purified and filtered by the most modern methods.

Shopping: Known for its crafts markets, wood, straw, beads, embroidery, gold, silver, china, and electronic equipment, Jamaican rum, liqueur, perfumes, blue mountain coffee and duty free shopping.

Climate: 80 to 86 degrees at sea level year

round. Monthly temperatures range is less than 6 degrees. Nights and mountains are always cooler.

Currency Exchange: The rate of exchange at present is \$1.00 (U.S.) equals \$8.00 (Jamaican). Under Jamaican law, it is illegal to take Jamaican currency into or out of the island, or to make any payment except in Jamaican dollars.

Religion: African Jamaica religious practices include Gere, Pocomainia and Rasta. Most religions practiced in Continental U.S.A. are also available.

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us what ordinary people can accomplish through intelligence and sincere commitment to the cause of justice and freedom. There is no need to look for messiahs to save the poor. Human beings can and must do it themselves." We agree with Cone, leadership is important and crucial in the liberation struggle, but there can be no substitute for mass participation in the struggle.

In other words, everyone has a role to play, energy to expend, and a gift of life to share to say "no" to racism and injustice and to say "yes" to freedom and justice.

We get inspiration from leaders like Malcolm and Martin. Going to the movies can be

educational; but there is also no substitute for consistent study, reflection and then action. In addition to reading the actual writings of Malcolm and Martin, we highly recommend this unique gift in the form of a book that Jim Cone has given to humanity.

BANK OF AMERICA

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cer with Bank of America, added that the bank, which recently merged with Security Pacific Bank and Valley Bank, is truly making a concerted effort to increase its lending under the federal Community Reinvestment Act.

In conjunction with the building of the new West Las Vegas branch, Bank of America Nevada will donate \$500 to the Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., Scholarship Fund to launch a promotion benefiting the fund. Once the West Las Vegas branch is operating, the bank will continue to donate \$10 to the scholarship fund for every new account opened during its grand opening.

"The Dr. Martin Luther King King Scholarship Fund provides us with an opportunity to make a real difference among the young people of West Las Vegas," added Etter.

To get a head start in staffing the new West Las Vegas facility, (See Bank of America Page 24)

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