NOTICE TO THE PRESS

The President has signed S. J. Res. 12, authorizing Secret Service protection for former Government officials who have been protected prior to January 20, 1977, and their immediate families for the period of January 20, 1977, through July 20, 1977. The resolution authorizes protection for the Vice President, the Secretaries of State and Treasury and their families.

The President has sent a letter to the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President of the Senate advising them he is submitting legislation that would transfer the Animal Damage Control Program from the Department of Interior to Agriculture.

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