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THE WHITE HOUSE OFFICE OF THE PRESS SECRETARY TO MRS. FORD

Mrs. Ford will participate in the launching of the 9th edition of the Congressional Club Cook Book, Wednesday, March 24 at noon at the Congressional Club, 2001 New Hampshire Avenue, N.W.

Mrs. Ford will be greeted by Mrs. Richardson (Emily) Preyer, President of the Congressional Club, Mrs. John (Bobbie) Byrnes and Mrs. Melvin (Garry) Price. Mrs. Byrnes will escort Mrs. Ford to the Ballroom where she will be presented a copy of the cookbook and sample the Stuffed Duck Bordelaise, the recipe Mrs. Ford submitted for the Cook Book.

The Congressional Club was formed in 1908 and consists of wives of members of Congress, former members of Congress, Cabinet wives, Supreme Court wives and former First Ladies.

Approximately 250 guests are expected for the buffet luncheon, which is "pot luck," with members bringing samples of the recipes they submitted.

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Press Pick-up in West Wing Press Lobby at 11:45 AM