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REMARKS BY SENATOR HUBERT H. HUMPHREY

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THE LABOR UNIONS OF THIS NATION HAVE A PROUD HISTORY. AND I'M PROUD THAT WE'VE FOUGHT TOGETHER FOR THE WORKING FAMILIES OF AMERICA

TOGETHER WE'VE FOUGHT FOR MEDICARE, FOR ADEQUATE

MINIMUM WAGES, FAIR LABOR PRACTICES, FOR JOB SAFETY, FOR Housing

for SOCIAL SECURITY, FOR A FAIR TAX SYSTEM, FOR JOB SECURITY

AND FOR CIVIL RIGHTS, for Education, for the poor & the handicapped

TOGETHER WE BELIEVE IN A HEALTHY, BOOMING

AMERICAN ECONOMY, AND HAVE FOUGHT FOR IT.

we know we can put America back to work - ~~we can~~ ~~return~~

Healthcare
Consumer
Protection

WHENEVER YOU NEEDED HUBERT HUMPHREY, HE WAS THERE.

and I'll be there

TODAY, SENATOR MC GOVERN IS TELLING CALIFORNIA

WORKING FAMILIES THAT HE IS THEIR FRIEND.

~~BUT YOU AND I KNOW WHAT A REAL FRIEND IS.~~

But I ask you, would

~~YOU AND I KNOW~~ A REAL FRIEND OF CALIFORNIA

WORKING FAMILIES ~~WOULD NOT~~ VOTE AGAINST UNEMPLOYMENT

minimum wages,

COMPENSATION, AGAINST ~~CIVIL RIGHTS~~, AGAINST ORGANIZED LABOR

Lock head workers -

AND AGAINST ~~THE~~. THAT'S PART OF SENATOR MC GOVERN'S

in its fight ~~to~~ against ~~the~~ to ~~con~~

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RECORD THAT HE'S NOT TELLING THE PEOPLE OF THIS STATE.

an NO REAL FRIEND OF WORKING FAMILIES WOULD PROPOSE
give away A WELFARE SCHEME THAT WOULD GIVE ~~EVERYBODY~~ *everybody - including*

~~THAT'S WHAT SENATOR MC GOVERN WANTS. THAT MEANS~~

~~THAT GEORGE MC GOVERN WANTS TO GIVE~~ HOWARD HUGHES, THE
PRESIDENT OF I T T AND RONALD REAGAN ~~A \$1,000 HANDOUT~~ *2,100 handouts*

is what Sen Mc Govern proposes to do and SENATOR MC GOVERN REFUSES TO TELL US HOW MUCH

IT WILL COST, BUT I CAN TELL YOU -- IT CAN'T COST LESS

THAN \$51 BILLION.

the working families are
AND YOU'RE GOING TO BE SADDLED WITH A MC GOVERN
this
WELFARE TAX TO PAY FOR ~~HIS~~ \$1,000 GIVEAWAY SCHEME.

PEOPLE DON'T WANT WELFARE -- THEY WANT JOBS. NO

REAL FRIEND OF THE WORKING FAMILY WOULD PROPOSE A TAX REFORM

PROGRAM AND THEN RUN FULL PAGE ADS IN THE WALL STREET JOURNAL

TELLING THE BIG BANKS AND BROKERAGE HOUSES THAT HE REALLY

DIDN'T MEAN IT.

YET, THAT'S WHAT SENATOR MC GOVERN DID.

We need to clean up this welfare mess not make it worse.

yet, that

AND, HE WANTS TO DO SOMETHING ELSE ALSO --

↳ HIS IDEA OF TAX REFORM IS TO TAKE AWAY YOUR
\$750 TAX EXEMPTION FOR MEMBERS OF YOUR FAMILY -- TO TAKE
AWAY YOUR DEDUCTIONS FOR INTEREST PAYMENTS ON YOUR
MORTGAGE, AND YOUR PROPERTY TAX DEDUCTION

THINK OF IT -- TAKING YOUR PERSONAL EXEMPTION
AND YOUR DEDUCTIONS, TO PAY FOR THE MC GOVERN \$1,000
WELFARE GIVEAWAY.

~~I HAVEN'T GIVEN UP ON TAX REFORM. I'VE BEEN~~
~~FIGHTING THE BIG BOYS ALL MY LIFE.~~

↳ I DON'T RUN FULL PAGE ADS IN THE WALL STREET
JOURNAL, APOLOGIZING TO THE BIG BANKS AND THE GIANT
CORPORATIONS.

↳ I WANT A FAIR TAX SYSTEM -- ONE THAT GIVES A
BREAK TO THE WORKING MAN, RATHER THAN *putting more taxes*
on him

NO REAL FRIEND OF THE WORKING FAMILIES WOULD
PROPOSE PROGRAMS WHICH THREATEN THEIR JOBS AND PUT
PEOPLE OUT OF WORK.

YET, THAT'S WHAT SENATOR MC GOVERN'S MEAT-AX
DEFENSE CUTS WOULD ACCOMPLISH.

DID YOU KNOW THAT GEORGE MC GOVERN WANTS TO
CUT THE DEFENSE BUDGET BY 43 PER CENT?

↳ THAT MEANS NO NEW SHIPBUILDING, CLOSING 25
PER CENT OF OUR ARMY BASES, CUTTING THE NUMBER OF BOMBERS
BY 60 PER CENT, CUTTING HALF OF OUR FLEET, AND REDUCING
CIVILIAN AND MILITARY PERSONNEL ~~BY ONE THIRD~~ BY
AS MUCH AS 30 PER CENT.

GEORGE MC GOVERN WOULD CUT THE MUSCLE FROM OUR
SECURITY *— and the jobs from over families.*

↳ AMERICA WILL BECOME A SECOND CLASS POWER, AND,
WITHOUT A JOB YOU WILL BECOME A SECOND CLASS CITIZEN.

↳ SENATOR MC GOVERN ADMITTED THAT CALIFORNIA
WORKERS MAY HAVE TO BE WITHOUT JOBS FOR AS MUCH AS A
YEAR UNDER HIS PROPOSALS. AND THIS WEEK HE APPOINTED
A SPECIAL COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE WHOLE SITUATION AND
FIND OUT EXACTLY HOW MANY PEOPLE WOULD LOSE THEIR JOBS.

I'M HERE TO TELL SENATOR MC GOVERN THAT WE
DON'T NEED ANY MORE ~~MC GOVERN~~ COMMITTEES. WE NEED PEOPLE
ON THE JOB WITH CASH IN THEIR WALLETS.

CALIFORNIANS WANT JOBS, NOT UNEMPLOYMENT
COMPENSATION *not committees*
and I have
~~THAT'S WHY I'VE PROPOSED A~~ COMPREHENSIVE JOB

DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM TO PUT CALIFORNIANS TO WORK.

YOU AND I KNOW THAT NO REAL FRIEND OF THE
WORKING FAMILIES WOULD EVER IGNORE YOUNG WORKERS AND THEIR
PROBLEMS.

BUT SENATOR MC GOVERN DOES.

YOUNG WORKERS ARE ONLY 3 PER CENT OF GEORGE
MC GOVERN'S CALIFORNIA DELEGATION. IN THE HUMPHREY YOUTH
DELEGATION, THEY REPRESENT 30 PER CENT.

GEORGE MC GOVERN SAYS THAT HE REPRESENTS THE
YOUTH OF AMERICA. BUT WHERE IS THE EVIDENCE OF HIS
COMMITMENT TO YOUNG WORKING FAMILIES?

L I'M HERE TO TELL YOU TODAY, THAT IF A YOUNG
HUMPHREY SUPPORTER DOESN'T RING YOUR DOORBELL, IT'S
BECAUSE HE OR SHE IS WORKING.

L HUMPHREY YOUTH WORK FOR A LIVING AND CAN BE
FOUND IN THE FACTORIES, IN THE SHOPS, IN THE STORES OF
CALIFORNIA.

I WON'T FORGET THE ~~WORKING~~ WORKING YOUTH
OF THIS COUNTRY.

I HAVEN'T DONE SO IN A POLITICAL CAMPAIGN, ~~MC~~
~~SENATOR MC GOVERN RECESS~~ AND I WON'T DO IT FROM THE WHITE HOUSE.

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I' M RUNNING HARD IN CALIFORNIA BECAUSE I REFUSE
TO STAND IDLY BY AND LET THE NIXON RESESSION BECOME THE
MC GOVERN RESESSION.



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