

CENSUS MONITORING BOARD ACTIVITIES BY CATEGORY

Congress appropriated \$4 million to create the U.S. Census Monitoring Board in 1998, and \$3.5 million for every year thereafter, and charged it with the responsibility of monitoring and reporting on “all aspects of the 2000 decennial census.” The office opened in June 1998 and is scheduled to close, as mandated, September 30, 2001. The following represents our efforts to raise public awareness, to study, and to report about Census 2000. Further information about each of these listings is available on our website, www.cmbp.gov.

HEARINGS

July 8, 1998 – Hearing. Subject: General Status of 2000 Census. Witnesses: James Holmes, Acting Director, Census Bureau. Location: Suitland Federal Center, Suitland, Maryland.

August 5, 1998 – Hearing. Subject: Census 2000 Dress Rehearsal in Columbia, South Carolina. Census Bureau Witnesses: James Holmes, Acting Director; Susan Hardy, Regional Director; Diane Bennett, Community Partnership Coordinator for the Charlotte Region. State and Local Government Witnesses: Richard Semon, Director of Community Development, City of Columbia; Ken Knudsen, Land Development Administrator, Richland County; Bobby Bowers, Director, Office of Research and Statistics, State of South Carolina; Jack Maguire, Geographic Information Specialist, Office of Research and Statistics. Community Witnesses: Anita Floyd, Director, Women’s Shelter in Columbia; Reggie Alexander, Director, Alston Wilkes Society; Karen Rutherford, Complete Count Committee Liaison, Benedict College; Virginia Saunders, Management Analyst, Fort Jackson Military Base. Location: Strom Thurmond Federal Center, Columbia, South Carolina.

November 6, 1998 – Hearing. Subject: Status of 2000 Census. Department of Commerce Witnesses: Jonnie Frazier, Acting Inspector General, Department of Commerce; Dr. Kenneth Prewitt, Director, Census Bureau; James Holmes, Former Acting Director, Census Bureau; John Thompson, Associate Director for the Decennial Census, Census Bureau. County Government Witnesses: Shoreh Elhami, GIS Director for Delaware County, Ohio Auditor’s Office; Jon Peterson, Auditor, Delaware County, Ohio. Location: Rayburn House Office Building, Washington, D.C.

November 23, 1998 – Hearing. Subject: Administrative Records. Census Bureau Witnesses: Dr. Kenneth Prewitt, Director; Cynthia Clark, Associate Director for Standards and Methodology; Howard Hogan, Acting Chief of the Decennial Statistical Studies Division; Paula Schneider, Principal Associate Director for Programs. Independent Expert Witness: Dr. John Czajka, Mathematica Policy Research, Inc. Location: Suitland Federal Center, Suitland, Maryland.

December 16, 1998 – Field Hearing. Subject: Census 2000 Dress Rehearsal in Sacramento, California. Census Bureau Witnesses: James Holmes, Atlanta Regional Director and Special Advisor to the Director; Moises Carrascos, Seattle Regional Director; Ed Salazar, Sacramento Community

Partnership Specialist. Local Government Witnesses: Joe Serna Jr., Mayor of Sacramento; Lauren Hammond, City Councilperson, City of Sacramento; David Martinez, Deputy City Manager, City of Sacramento; Kelly Grieve, Analyst, Sacramento Area Council of Governments. Community Witnesses: Israel Valdez, Member, Census 2000 Complete Count Committee; Tom Buruss, Member, Census 2000 Complete Count Committee; Steve Ybarra, Member, Census 2000 Complete Count Committee. Location: City Hall, Sacramento, California.

March 8, 1999 – Hearing. Subject: Census 2000 Operations Update. Census Bureau Witnesses: Kenneth Prewitt, Director; John Thompson, Associate Director for Decennial Census. Statistician Witnesses: Stephen Fienberg, Carnegie Mellon University; Barbara Bailar, National Opinion Research Center. Community Witnesses: Wade Henderson, Leadership Conference on Civil Rights; Marisa Demeo, Mexican American Legal Defense and Education Fund. Additional Witness: William Hill, Retired Bureau Regional Director. Location: Suitland Federal Center, Suitland, Maryland.

August 3, 1999 – Hearing. Subject: Young and Rubicam Advertising Campaign. Briefed by: John Thompson, Associate Director for the Decennial Census; Terry Dukes, Account Managing Director, Young and Rubicam. Location: Government Printing Office Conference Room, Washington, DC.

November 18, 1999 – Hearing. Subject: Census 2000 field operations update from Regional Directors. Participants: All 12 Regional Directors; Dr. Kenneth Prewitt, Director of Bureau of the Census. Location: Suitland Federal Center, Suitland, Maryland.

June 26, 2000 – Hearing. Subject: Census partnership efforts in Los Angeles. Census Bureau Witness: John Reeder, Los Angeles Regional Director. Local Government Witnesses: John Humphrey, Census 2000 Coordinator, City of Long Beach; Jan Perry, City of Los Angeles Census 2000 Project; Lari Sheehan, Chair, Los Angeles Complete Count Committee; Jessica Heinz, City Attorney's office of Los Angeles; Natalie Profant Komuro, Los Angeles Homeless Services Authority. Community Witnesses: Antonia Hernandez, Mexican American Legal Defense and Education Fund; John Mack, Los Angeles Urban League; Bonnie Tang, Equal Access Unit, Asian Pacific American Legal Center. Location: University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA.

June 27, 2000 – Hearing. Subject: Census partnership efforts in San Diego. Local Government Witnesses: Jeri Gulbransen, Office of the City Manager of Chula Vista; Karen Lamphere, San Diego Association of Governments; Joey Perry, City Planning Department of San Diego. Community Witnesses: Grover Diemert, Bayside Settlement House; Augie Bereno, Chicano Federation Questionnaire Assistance Program; William Rowel, Black Health Network; Tanya Farley, Union of Pan Asian Communities; Peter Martinez, Gang Suppression Unit. Location: San Diego Association of Governments (SANDAG), San Diego, CA.

September 11, 2000 – Hearing. Subject: Census partnership efforts in Atlanta area. Local Government Witnesses: Roy E. Barnes, Governor of Georgia; Cathy Cox, Georgia Secretary of State; Bill Campbell, Mayor of Atlanta; Tracey-Ann Nelson, State of Georgia; Linda Meggers, Georgia Legislative Redistricting Services; John Heath, Atlanta City Planning Department. Community Witnesses: Lani Wong, National Association of Chinese Americans, Stephanie Tan, Georgia Power and Light Company; Jacqueline Thomas-Rosier, Mexican-American Legal Defense and Education Fund; Gloria Carithers, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority; Myrna Ballard, Valdosta Chamber of Commerce; Phyllis Stephens, Dalton Whitfield Chamber of Commerce; Rafael Sanhueza-Bazaes, Centro Latino, Inc.; Luz Rodman, Fulton-Atlanta Community Action Authority; Rev. Timothy McDonald, Concerned

Black Clergy. Census Bureau Participant: Jim Holmes, Atlanta Region Director. Location: Georgia Capitol Education Center, Atlanta Georgia.

RESEARCH REPORTS

December 28, 2000 – Findings Issued. Subject: Demographic Analysis Estimate of U.S. Population.

December 28, 2000 – Findings Issued. Subject: Evaluation of the Census Net and Differential Undercounts. Researched and authored by Dr. Eugene P. Ericksen.

January 18, 2001 – Report. “Implications for Minority Voters in 2001: An Analysis from the 1990 Census.” Researched and authored by Dr. Allan Lichtman.

January 24, 2001 – Report. “An Analysis of the 1990 Infant and Children Undercount: Implications for Census 2000.” Researched and authored by Dr. Beth Osborne Daponte and Amelia Haviland.

February 1, 2001 – Findings Issued. “Will Poor Children Be Left Behind? Research Showing 500,000 to 2,000,000 Poor Children Missed in 1990 Census Demonstrates Need for Accurate Data in 2001.” Researched by Drs. Don Hernandez and Nancy Denton.

February 9, 2001 – Report. “Profiling the Native American Community in Albuquerque: Assessing the Impacts of Census Undercounts and Adjustments.” Researched and authored by Dr. Theodore Jojola.

February 13, 2001 – Report. “Effects of Census Undercoverage on Analyses of School Enrollments: A Case Study of Portland Public Schools.” Researched and authored by Dr. Barry Edmonston.

February 15, 2001 – Report. “Long Beach: A Case Study of the Effects of Uncorrected vs. Corrected Data on Funding and Planning.” Researched and authored by Dr. Chris Williamson

February 20, 2001 – Report. “The Effects of Using Unadjusted Data on Measures of Access to Health Care.” Researched and authored by Dr. Darrell Gaskin.

February 20, 2001 – Report. “Undercounting Commuters.” Researched and authored by Dr. Paul Ong.

February 20, 2001 – Report. “Examining the Effects of Census Adjustments on Estimates of Working-Age Uninsured Minorities in the United States.” Researched and authored by Dr. Lee Cornelius.

March 6, 2001 – Findings Released. Subject: Demographic Analysis should not be used as a reason against adjustment Census 2000. Researched and authored by Dr. Jeffrey S. Passel.

March 9, 2001 – Findings Released. Subject: Errors in Census 2000. Researched and authored by Dr. Eugene P. Ericksen.

March 28, 2001 – Findings Released. Subject: Estimates of State Undercounts in Census 2000. Researched by Dr. Eugene P. Ericksen.

July 2, 2001 – Findings Released. Subject: Census 2000 undercount estimates for the nation’s largest counties. Estimates based on Census Bureau’s state level post-strata by analyzed by Dr. Eugene P. Ericksen.

August 7, 2001 – Findings Released. “Effect of Census 2000 Undercount on Federal Funding to States and Selected Counties, 2002-2012.” Researched and authored by PriceWaterhouseCoopers.

BRIEFINGS

July 21, 1998 – Briefing. Subject: Dress Rehearsals. Conducted by: Christopher Mihm, Acting Associate Director for Federal Management and Workforce Issues, General Accounting Office. Location: General Accounting Office, Washington, D.C.

October 20, 1998 – Briefing. Subject: Methodology behind the Integrated Coverage Measurement (ICM). Conducted by: Howard Hogan, Acting Chief of Decennial Statistical Studies Division, Census Bureau. Location: Suitland Federal Center, Suitland, Maryland.

October 21, 1998 – Briefing. Subject: Local Update of Census Addresses (LUCA) and re-engineering of the Master Address File (MAF). Conducted by: Bob Marx, Geography Division Chief, Census Bureau. Location: Suitland Federal Center, Suitland, Maryland.

October 27, 1998 – Briefing. Subject: Budget for the 2000 Decennial Census. Conducted by: Preston Jay Waite, Assistant Director for the Decennial Census, Census Bureau; Carol Vanhorn, Assistant to the Associate Director for Field Programs, Census Bureau; Mike Perez, Assistant Division Chief, Decennial Census Management Division, Census Bureau. Location: Suitland Federal Center, Suitland, Maryland.

October 28, 1998 – Briefing. Subject: 2000 Census Advertising. Conducted by: Census Bureau; Ken Meyer, Chief of Census 2000 Publicity Office, Census Bureau; Jennifer Marks, Assistant Chief of Census 2000 Publicity Office, Census Bureau. Location: Suitland Federal Center, Suitland, Maryland.

October 28, 1998 – Briefing. Subject: Administrative Records, Plans and Research. Conducted by: Cynthia Clark, Associate Director for Standards and Methodology, Census Bureau; John Thompson, Principal Associate Director for Programs, Census Bureau. Location: Suitland Federal Center, Suitland, Maryland.

January 20, 1999 – Briefing. Subject: Dual Track Preparations. Conducted by: John Thompson, Principal Associate Director for Programs, Census Bureau. Location: Suitland Federal Center, Suitland, Maryland.

February 12, 1999 – U.S. Commission on Civil Rights Briefing. Subject: Evaluation of January 1999 Supreme Court decision on Census 2000. Participants: Lorraine A. Green, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Members; A. Mark Neuman, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Congressional Members; Matt Glavin, President of the Southeastern Legal Foundation; Edward Still, Lawyers’ Committee for Civil Rights Under Law; Wade Henderson, Executive Director, Leadership Conference on Civil Rights; Marisa Demeo, Regional Counsel, Mexican American Legal Defense and Education Fund; Karen Narasaki, Executive Director, National Asian Pacific American Legal Consortium; Charles Schultze, Senior Fellow Emeritus, Brookings Institution; Andrew Pincus, General Counsel U.S. Commerce Department; Jack C. Jackson, Jr., Government Affairs Director, National Congress of American Indians; and Kenneth Darga, Senior Demographer, State of Michigan. Location: Washington, D.C.

July 8, 1999 – Board Briefing. Subject: Young and Rubicam Advertising Campaign. Conducted by:

Terry Dukes, EVP, Account Managing Director, Young and Rubicam; various subcontractors. Location: Young and Rubicam Headquarters, New York City.

August 5, 1999 – Briefing. Subject: Census 2000 in New York City. Conducted by: Sara Vidal, City-wide Census 2000 Coordinator; Dr. Joseph Salvo, New York City Department of Planning; Pat Lally, Legislative Representative, Mayor Rudolph Giuliani. Location: Office of the Mayor of New York City.

June 15, 2000 – Briefing. Subject: Census 2000 in New York City. Conducted by: Sara Vidal, City-wide Census 2000 Coordinator; Dr. Joseph Salvo, New York City Department of Planning; Pat Lally, Legislative Representative, Mayor Rudolph Giuliani. Location: Office of the Mayor of New York City.

June 19, 2000 – Briefing. Subject: Hard To Enumerate Action Plan. Conducted By: Marvin Raines, Associate Director for Field Operations, Rick Blitzer, Field Operations; John Gidneck, Field Operations. Location: Suitland Federal Center, Suitland, Maryland.

February 22-24, 2000 – Regional Census Center Briefing and Two Local Census Office Visits. Subject: Status of Operations in the New York Region. Location: New York City.

February 28-29, 2000 – Regional Census Center Briefing and Two Local Census Office Visits. Subject: Status of Operations in the Dallas Region. Locations: Dallas and El Paso, Texas.

September 14, 2000 – Staff Briefing. Subject: Count Question Resolution program. Conducted by: Susan M. Miskura, Decennial Management Division Chief. Location: Suitland Federal Center, Suitland, Maryland.

December 19, 2000 – Staff Briefing. Subject: Demographic Analysis. Conducted by: John Thompson, Associate Director for Decennial Census; J. Gregory Robinson, Population Analysis and Evaluation Division. Location: Suitland Federal Center, Suitland, Maryland.

January 9, 2001 – Staff Briefing. Subject: Address duplications in the Master Address File. Conducted by: John Thompson, Associate Director for Decennial Census; Howard Hogan, Chief of Decennial Statistical Studies Division; Susan Miskura, Chief of Decennial Management Division. Location: Suitland Federal Center, Suitland, Maryland.

March 21, 2001 – Briefing. Subject: Executive Steering Committee on Accuracy and Coverage Evaluation Policy recommendation not to adjust 2000 Census. Participants: Dr. Everett M. Ehrlich, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Members; J. Kenneth Blackwell, Co-Chair, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Congressional Members; John Thompson, Associate Director for Decennial Census, Howard Hogan, Chief, Decennial Statistical Studies Division, U.S. House of Representatives Census Subcommittee staff; U.S. Census Monitoring Board staff; National Academy of Sciences staff. Location: Suitland Federal Center, Suitland, Maryland.

REPORTS TO CONGRESS

February 1, 1999 – First Report to Congress.

April 1, 1999 – Joint Report to Congress.

June 9, 1999 – Report to Congress.

October 1, 1999 – Joint Report to Congress.

October 26, 1999 – Report to Congress. Researched and authored by Belden, Russenello and Stewart.

March 9, 2000 – Report to Congress. Researched and authored by PricewaterhouseCoopers..

April 1, 2000 – Joint Report to Congress.

October 1, 2000 – Joint Report to Congress.

April 1, 2001 – Report to Congress.

September 1, 2001 – Final Report to Congress.

NEWSLETTERS

May 17, 2000 – “Countdown” Newsletter.

December 31, 2000 – “Countdown” Newsletter.

May 31, 2001 – “Countdown” Newsletter.

OFFICIAL LETTERS

December 20, 2000 – Letter to President-elect George W. Bush regarding media reports that a Bush Administration would block release of statistically corrected census results.

May 31, 2001 – Letter to Commerce Secretary Don Evans expressing shock over a proposed Memorandum of Understanding that plainly violated the U.S. Census Monitoring Board’s enabling legislation, threatened the ability to obtain information from the Census Bureau, and severely impeded statutory reporting requirements.

July 2, 2001 – Letter to U.S. Senators Ernest Hollings, Joseph Lieberman, and Richard Durbin alerting them that the Bureau’s refusal to provide necessary data would limit the scope of a final report to Congress.

FIELD OBSERVATION

(Listing does not include observations at 50 local census offices as reported in our October 2000 Report to Congress. Listing also does not include site visits to all 12 Accuracy and Coverage Evaluation Regional Offices and field observations made during the Summer and Fall of 2000.)

October 23, 1998 – Field Observation. Objective: Assess Operations at the Census Bureau’s Data Capture Center in Jeffersonville, Indiana. Location: Jeffersonville, Indiana.

November 4, 1998 – Field Observation. Objective: Assess Operations at Menominee Dress Rehearsal Site. Board Attendance: Lorraine Green. Location: Menominee, Wisconsin.

COMMUNITY FORUMS

February 24, 1999 – Community Forum. Subject: Census 2000 Participation Promotion. Participants: Tony Coelho, Co-Chair, U.S. Census Monitoring Board; Mario Salas, City Councilman; Ray Lopez, President of the Board of Trustees, North Side Independent School District; Ms. Pilar Oates, Methodist Healthcare Ministries; Dr. William Vega, Metropolitan Research, University of Texas at San Antonio; Aurora Ortega-Geis, Director, San Antonio Partnership Office, Fannie Mae. Location: San Antonio, Texas.

February 25, 1999 – Community Forum. Subject: Census 2000 Participation Promotion. Participants: Gilbert F. Casellas, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Members; Dr. Everett M. Ehrlich, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Members; Annie Neasman, Executive Administrator for the Florida Department of Health, Miami-Dade County, Roger Cuevas, Superintendent, Miami-Dade County Public Schools; Sara Herald, Acting District 11 Administrator for the Department of Children and Families. Location: Miami-Dade Public Library, Miami, Florida.

June 14, 1999 – Community Forum. Subject: Community Participation in the Census. Participants: Gilbert F. Casellas, Co-Chair, U.S. Census Monitoring Board; Dr. Everett M. Ehrlich, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Members; Thomas Scott, County Commissioner; Jan Platt, County Commissioner; Jim Norman, County Commissioner; State Representative Bob Henriquez, Bob Buckhorn, City Councilmember; Gwen Miller, City Councilmember; Jim Hosler, Director of Research and Economic Development; Carmen Ledo, Supervisor, Hillsborough County Health and Social Services Department; Charlie Reese, Chamber of Commerce; Jerry Harvey, African-American Liaison to County Administrator. Location: Hillsborough County Commissioner Board Room, Tampa, Florida.

November 10, 1999 – Community Forum. Subject: Census partnership efforts in New York City. Board Participants: Gilbert F. Casellas, Co-Chair, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Members; Dr. Everett M. Ehrlich, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Member; Ken Blackwell, Co-Chair, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Congressional Members. Census Bureau Witness: Tony Farthing, New York Regional Director. Local Government Witnesses: Roberto Ramirez, State Assembly of New York; Virginia Fields, Manhattan Borough President; Herbert Berman, City Council Member; Helen Marshall, City Council Member. Community Witnesses: Margaret Chin, Asian Americans for Equality; Margie McHugh, New York Immigration Coalition; Fr. Kevin Sullivan, Catholic Charities; John Flateau, Medgar Evers College of CUNY; Michael Amezcua, Northern Manhattan Coalition for Immigrant's Rights. Location: Hispanic Federation, New York City.

April 13, 2000 – Community Forum/Town Hall Meeting. Subject: Census 2000 in Ward 8, Washington, D.C. Participants: Lorraine Green, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Members; A. Mark Neuman, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Congressional Members; U.S. House Representative Eleanor Holmes Norton; Sandra Allen, Member of City Council; Vincent Gray, Covenant House; Reverend Allan Lipscombe, Allen Chapel AME Church; William Lockeridge, School Board Member; Winston Robinson, Jr., 7th District Police Commander. Location: Covenant House, Washington, D.C.

January 28, 2001 – Community Forum. Subject: Effects of census undercounts on children. Participants: U.S. House Representative Charles Gonzalez; Margarita Roque, Executive Director of the U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Members; Rebecca Maria Barrera, President of the National Latino Children’s Institute; Felix Sanchez, President and CEO of TerraCom. Location: San Antonio, Texas.

February 9, 2001 – Community Roundtable. Subject: Effects of Census Undercount on American Indians. Participants: Margarita Roque, Executive Director of the U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Members; Jim Baca, Mayor of the City of Albuquerque; LaDonna Harris, Founder and President of Americans for Indian Opportunity; Theodore Jojola, University of New Mexico; Joyce Knows His Gun, Morning Star Center; Louis Tutt, Navajo Nation. Location: Albuquerque, New Mexico.

February 20, 2001 – Research Summit. Subject: Effects of Census Undercount. Participants: Gilbert F. Casellas, Presidential Co-Chair, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Members; Dr. Everett M. Ehrlich, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Members; Lorraine A. Green, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Members; Dr. Lee Cornelius, University of Maryland; Dr. Beth Osborne Daponte, Carnegie Mellon University; Dr. Darrell Gaskin, Georgetown University Medical Center; Dr. Ted Jojola, University of New Mexico; Dr. Allan Lichtman, American University; Dr. Paul Ong, University of California Los Angeles; Dr. Chris Williamson, University of Southern California. Location: National Press Club, Washington, DC.

February 23, 2001 – Community Forum. Subject: Leave No Child Behind: Census Data & Its Impact on Children. Participants: Mary Rose Wilcox, Maricopa County Board Supervisor; U.S. House Representative Ed Pastor; Gilbert F. Casellas, Co-Chair, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Members; Carol Kamin, Executive Director, Children’s Advocate Alliance; John Lewis, Executive Director, Arizona Intertribal Council; Domingo Rodriguez, Vice President for Health and Human Services, Chicanos Por La Causa. Location: Maricopa County Board of Supervisors Auditorium, Phoenix, Arizona.

March 2, 2001 – Community Forum. Subject: Effects of Census Undercount in Chicago. Participants: U.S. House Representative Danny K. Davis; Gilbert F. Casellas, Co-Chair, U.S. Census Monitoring Board; Al Pritchett, Chair, Cook County Complete Count Committee; Dr. John Lumpkin, Director, Illinois Department of Public Health; Dr. Linda Murray, Co-Chief Medical Director of the Ambulatory and Community Health Network of Cook County; Javette C. Orgain, M.D., Assistant Professor of Clinical Family Medicine, University of Illinois College of Medicine and Past President of the National Medical Association; Joanna Su, Executive Director, Asian Health Coalition of Illinois; Carmen Valezquez, Executive Director, Alivio Medical Center; Dr. Lee Cornelius, University of Maryland. Location: Cook County Board of Supervisors Auditorium, Chicago, Illinois.

June 21, 2001 – Community Forum. Subject: Latinos & the Census Undercount. Participants: Gilbert F. Casellas, Co-Chair, U.S. Census Monitoring Board; John Gutierrez, Center for Latin American, Caribbean, & Latino Studies, City University of New York Graduate Center; Lorraine Cortés-Vázquez, President, Hispanic Federation; Fernando Ferrer, Bronx Borough President; Jeffrey Passel, Urban Institute; Darrell Gaskin, Institute for Health Care Research and Policy at Georgetown University Medical Center; Guillermo Linares, Member of New York City Council; Ken Fisher, Member of New York City Council; Rosa Gil, University Dean for Health Sciences, City University

of New York; Beth Osborne Daponte, Carnegie Mellon University; Nancy Denton, State University of New York at Albany; Gladys Padró-Soler, Executive Director, Casita María. Location: Martin E. Segal Theatre, City University of New York Graduate Center, New York City.

CONFERENCES/MEETINGS/PANEL DISCUSSIONS

June 3, 1998 – Organizing Meeting. Subject: Census Monitoring Board rules and procedures. Location: Suitland Federal Center, Suitland, Maryland.

December 3, 1998 – Workshop. Subject: National League of Cities on Census 2000. Participants: Jeff Wice, consultant to U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Members; J. Kenneth Blackwell, Co-Chair, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Congressional Members; Mike Morrison, Mayor, Waco, Texas. Location: Kansas City, Missouri.

January 27, 1999 – Presentation at U.S. Conference of Mayors Winter Meeting. Subject: Census 2000 Preparations. Participants: Gilbert F. Casellas, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Members; J. Kenneth Blackwell, Co-Chair, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Congressional Members; U.S. Representative Dan Miller, Chairman of Census Subcommittee; U.S. Representative Carolyn Maloney, Ranking Member of Census Subcommittee; Robert Shapiro, Undersecretary for Economic Affairs, U.S. Department of Commerce. Location: Washington, DC.

April 9, 1999 – Presentation at National Conference of State Legislatures Task Force Meetings. Subject: Census 2000 Preparations. Participants: Tony Coelho, Co-Chair of U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Members; J. Kenneth Blackwell, Co-Chair of U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Congressional Members; State Representative Wes Marsh, Arizona. Location: Jacksonville, Florida.

April 24, 1999 – Keynote address at American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees Conference. Subject: Census 2000 Participation and Promotion. Participants: Tony Coelho, Co-Chair, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Members. Location: Las Vegas, Nevada.

May 8, 1999 – Keynote address for National Conference of State Legislatures Assembly on Federal Issues. Subject: Census 2000 Preparations. Participants: Tony Coelho, Co-Chair of U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Members; A. Mark Neuman, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Congressional Members; State Representative Brian Flaherty, Connecticut; State Representative Jim Costa, California. Location: Washington, DC.

May 21, 1999 – Keynote address. Subject: Census 2000 Activities Update for Asian Pacific American Institute for Congressional Studies. Participants: Dr. Everett M. Ehrlich, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Members. Location: J.W. Marriott Hotel, Washington, DC.

June 18, 1999 – Meeting. Subject: Census 2000 and Latinos at National Association of Latino Elected and Appointed Officials (NALEO). Participants: Gilbert F. Casellas, Co-Chair, U.S. Census Monitoring Board; Ray Sanchez, Speaker of the State House, New Mexico; State Representative Rene Olivera, Chair of the House Mexican American Legislative Caucus, Texas; State Senator Efrain Gonzalez, New York; Councilmember Jenny Oropeza, Long Beach City Council; Larry Gonzalez, Director of the NALEO Washinton, DC office. Location: Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

July 30, 1999 – Workshop at Organization of Chinese Americans Annual Conference. Subject: Census 2000 Participation. Participants: Carrie Pugh, U.S. Census Monitoring Board staff. Location: Dallas, Texas.

September 9, 1999 – Meeting. Subject: Update of Census 2000 Activities in Washington, DC. Participants: Lorraine A. Green, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Members; Mayor Anthony Williams, Mayor of Washington, DC; Wanda Alston, City Census 2000 Coordinator. Location: Office of the Mayor, Washington, DC.

November 9, 1999 – Navajo Nation Meeting. Subject: Encourage Participation in Census 2000. Participants: Regena Thomas, consultant to the U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Members; David Murray, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Congressional Members; Dr. Kenneth Prewitt, Director, U.S. Census Bureau; Arbin Mitchell, Navajo Nation Local Census Office Manager; Edward T. Begay, Speaker, Navajo Nation Council; Larry Rodgers, Administrator, Utah Navajo Trust Fund Office; Belva Morrison, Tribal Partnership Team Leader, U.S. Census Bureau, Denver Region; Leila Help-Tulley, Tribal Government Partnership Specialist, U.S. Census Bureau, Denver Region. Location: Gallup, New Mexico.

November 15, 1999 – Presentation. Subject: Texas State Mexican American Legislative Caucus Census 2000 Update. Participants: Gilbert F. Casellas, Co-Chair, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Members; Marisela Lopez, Partnership Staff, U.S. Census Bureau Dallas Regional Census Office; Steve Murdock, Texas State Data Center; Viviana Lopez-Davis, Mexican American Legal Defense and Education Fund; Bill Hobby, former Lt. Governor of Texas. Location: Texas State House, Austin, Texas.

November 30, 1999 – Maryland Statewide Latino Census 2000 Summit. Subject: Latinos and Census 2000 Preparations. Participants: Maryland Lt. Governor Kathleen Kennedy Townsend; Douglas M. Duncan, Montgomery County Executive; Gilbert F. Casellas, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Members; Gilberto de Jesus, Secretary of Juvenile Justice; Council Member Peter Shapiro; U.S. Representative Connie Morella; Fernando Armstrong, U.S. Census Bureau, Philadelphia Regional Director. Location: Long Branch Community Center, Silver Spring, MD.

December 2, 1999 – National Conference of State Legislatures Panel Discussion. Participants: Dr. Everett M. Ehrlich, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Members; David Murray, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Congressional Members; Rudy Garcia, Florida State House of Representatives. Location: Hyatt Regency on Capitol Hill, Washington, DC.

December 3, 1999 – Meeting. Subject: Promote Census 2000 Participation at National Black Caucus of State Legislators. Participants: Lorraine Green, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Members; Gloria Griffin, Baltimore City's Complete Count Committee Coordinator. Location: Baltimore, Maryland.

February 11, 2000 – Empowerment Summit. Subject: Encourage African-American Census Participation in Baltimore, Prince George's County, Maryland and Washington, D.C. Participants: Lorraine A. Green, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Members; Earl Shinhoster, co-host, NAACP Census 2000 Coordinator; Deputy Mayor of Baltimore; Wanda Alston, co-host, Washington, DC Office of Public Advocate; Dorothy Bailey, Chair, Prince George's County Council; Iris T. Metts, Superintendent of Schools for Prince George's County; Jerusa Williams, Baltimore City Complete

Count Committee; Kent Amos, Chair of the District of Columbia Complete Count Committee; Elizabeth Hewlett, Chair of Prince George's County Complete Count Committee; Mondrea Jacobs, Evangelist, Never Say Never Foundation; Robert Hill, Vice Chair of the Census Bureau's Race and Ethnic Advisory Committee; John Tschechtelin, President, Baltimore City Community College
Location: Baltimore City Community College, Baltimore, MD.

July 18, 2000 – Meeting. Subject: Census 2000 Activities in Chicago, Illinois. Participants: Dr. Everett M. Ehrlich, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Members; Don Davis, Director of Special Projects, Office of Budget and Management. Location: Office of the Mayor, Chicago, Illinois.

February 15, 2001 – Press Conference. Subject: Release of report on effects of census undercounts on city services in Long Beach. Participants: Beverly O'Neill, Mayor of City of Long Beach; Jack Humphrey, Advance Planning Officer; Chris Williamson, Research Associate Professor of Geography at the University of Southern California. Location: Long Beach, California.

April 18, 2001 – Press Briefing. Subject: Census Bureau recommendation not to adjust Census 2000 count. Participants: Dr. Everett M. Ehrlich, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Members; David Murray, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Congressional Members; Dr. Jeffrey S. Passel, Urban Institute; Dr. Joseph B. Kadane, Carnegie Mellon University; Dr. Stephen Fienberg, Carnegie Mellon University. Location: National Press Club, Washington, D.C.

June 20, 2001 – Meeting. Subject: Proposed Memorandum of Understanding from Census Bureau. Participants: Gilbert F. Casellas, Co-Chair, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Members; Stan Brand, Counsel to U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Members; William G. Barron, Acting Director, Census Bureau; John Thompson, Principal Associate Director for Programs; Carol Vanhorn, Assistant to the Associate Director for Field Programs. Location: Suitland Federal Center, Suitland, Maryland.

August 8, 2001 – Presentation at Joint Statistical Meetings. Subject: Census 2000-Decision on Release of Statistically Corrected Redistricting Data. Participants: Dr. Everett Ehrlich, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Presidential Members; David Murray, U.S. Census Monitoring Board, Congressional Members; William Barron, Jr., Acting Director, U.S. Bureau of the Census; John Thompson, Principal Associate Director for Programs, U.S. Bureau of the Census; Alan Zaslavsky, Harvard University. Location: Atlanta, Georgia.

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