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MATCHING FUND CERTIFICATIONS FOR PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES

WASHINGTON - April 14 - The Federal Election Commission today certified $16,100.60 in Federal primary matching funds for 1 Presidential candidate.

This raises to $24,774,329.99 the total amount of primary matching funds certified since January 1, 1976, for 15 Presidential candidates. $3,592,449.21* has also been certified to date in Presidential nominating convention payments to the Democratic and Republican National Committees.

The following is a breakdown by candidate and party for today's certifications, and cumulative totals:

CANDIDATE	CERTIFICATIONS TODAY	CUMULATIVE CERTIFICATIONS (including today's)
B. Bayh	X	$ 545,710.39
L. Bentsen	X	$ 511,022.61
E.G. Brown	$ 16,100.60	$ 598,704.37
J. Carter	X	$3,726,521.69
F. Church	X	$ 640,668.54
G. Ford	X	$4,657,007.82
F. Harris	X	$ 639,012.53
H. Jackson	X	$1,980,554.95
E. McCormack	X	$ 244,125.40
R. Reagan	X	$5,088,910.66
T. Sanford	X	$ 246,388.32
M. Shapp	X	$ 299,066.21
S. Shriver	X	$ 285,069.74
M. Udall	X	$2,020,257.95
G. Wallace	X	$3,291,308.81
DNC	X	$2,010,784.73*
RNC	X	$1,581,664.48*

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* Figure includes a $522,220.58 "payback" to the Presidential Election Campaign Fund (DNC: $170,085.06 and RNC: $382,135.52).