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## FEC RELEASES FOURTH REPORT ON FINANCIAL ACTIVITY FOR SELECTED 1980 PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES

WASHINGTON - In its fourth Report on Financial Activity for the 1980 Presidential primary season, the Federal Election Commission today released information on the amounts raised and spent by 14 Presidential contenders from the start of their campaigns through February 29, 1980. The 14 campaigns were originally selected because they had topped the \$100,000 mark in total receipts and expenditures.

The Report shows that, through February 29, 1980:

---Candidates had raised \$74.5 million.

Of that total:

--\$49.5 million (66.5%) was raised from private (individual) contributions;

--\$12.7 million (17.1%) came from federal matching funds;

--\$ .87 million (1.2%) was received from "PAC's";

--Candidates contributed \$ 12 million (.3%) to their own campaigns and made personal loans totalling an additional \$ .2 million (.3%);

---Candidates spent \$70.1 million during the period covered by the Report.

In addition to computerized information, which categorizes summary information from the reports filed by the campaigns, cross tabulations provide an opportunity for analyzing the financial resources of each campaign. This analysis can then be used to relate financial activity to political events.

The financial activity of the 14 campaigns is presented in a series of tables.

Separate charts give a complete breakdown of both receipts and disbursements. Additional tables present various categories of receipts in further detail. Some examples are:

Contributions from individuals arranged in categories by dollar amount. Each category shows the number of contributions, the aggregate value of those contributions, and the percentage of all contributions which they represent.

Itemized individual contributions over \$200 are also arranged on a state-by-state basis to show the number, value and percentage of such contributions which a campaign received from a given state.

"PAC" contributions are presented according to political committee type, (i.e., corporate, labor, etc.) and by the date on which the contribution was received.

Matching Fund activity is listed through April 18, 1980. (January 1, 1980 was the first month candidates could receive federal matching funds.)

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State-by-state spending figures showing what each campaign has spent in each state.

Below is a chart showing selected financial information on each of the 145 Presidential campaigns contained in the FEC Report.

(Figures are in millions of dollars)

	NET RECEIPTS	INDIVIDUAL CONTRIBUTIONS	"PAC" CONTRIBUTIONS	MATCHING FUNDS 2/29/80	NET DISBURSEMENTS	EXP. SUBJ. TO LIMITS	MATCHING FUNDS 4/18/80
BROWN	2.3	1.4	.02	.6	2.0	1.4	.7
CARTER	11.1	8.4	.32	2.3	9.4	6.4	3.1
KENNEDY	7.7	3.8	.08	1.55	7.1	5.3	2.3
LAROUCHE	1.2	.8	---	.35	1.2	1.1	.4
ANDERSON	1.6	1.0	.02	.45	1.5	1.4	2.3
BAKER	6.6	3.2	.08	1.56	6.2	2.9	2.0
BUSH	9.4	7.8	.09	1.3	9.0	6.7	4.4
CONNALLY	11.6	10.7	.20	0	11.5	N/A	0
CRANE	4.5	3.3	.001	1.09	4.5	3.7	1.6
DOLE	1.3	.9	.04	.37	1.3	1.2	.4
FERNANDEZ	.2	.2	.002	0	.2	.2	0
REAGAN	16.4	7.8	.02	3.1	15.7	9.6	3.7
CLARK	.4	.2	0	0	.3	N/A	0
** HUNSCHER	.2	.01	0	0	.2	N/A	0
TOTAL	74.5	49.5	.87	12.7	70.1	39.9	20.9

--- indicates minimal activity

\*\* Information on this campaign is incomplete because the financial reports covering the months of January and February were not received in time for complete processing.

The fourth Report on Financial Activity is available for purchase (\$1.00) from the Public Records Division of the Federal Election Commission, 1325 K Street, NW, Washington, D.C. 20463. The telephone number is (202) 523-4065, or toll free, (800) 424-9530.