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### WHITE HOUSE OFFICIALS AT USD MARCH 10 AND 11

Ambassador Richard M. Fairbanks, III, Special Advisor to the Secretary of State and Special Negotiator in the Middle East peace initiative, and his wife Shannon Fairbanks, Deputy Assistant Director for Economic Development in the White House Office of Policy Development, will be on the campus of the University of San Diego March 10 and 11 as guest speakers with the USD School of Law.

The ambassador will speak at 4 p.m., March 10, in the Grace Courtroom, School of Law, on "Chasing the Chimera: A Status Report on the Search for Peace in the Middle East." The address is open the public without charge.

Mrs. Fairbanks will discuss "Housing: Leading Out for Economic Recovery" at 12 noon, March 11, in the Rose Room of Camino Hall, also on campus. The luncheon and an 11:30 a.m. cocktail reception which precedes it are open to the public. Reservations are \$12 and may be made by contacting the event chairman, Mrs. W. Haley Rogers at 619/299-8800. Checks should be made payable to the University of San Diego and sent to Mrs. Rogers at 3635 7th Avenue, #12-A, San Diego 92103. Seating is limited and early reservations are recommended.

Shannon Fairbanks has held her present post since March, 1982. She has staff responsibility for housing and mortgage

finance issues and is presently coordinating a major deregulatory initiative to stimulate the development of the private secondary market for mortgages. From January 1981 to March 1982, Mrs. Fairbanks was a senior policy advisor in the White House for housing, veterans, and education issues. She was formerly a policy analyst with the Reagan-Bush national campaign and subsequently served during the Reagan transition as deputy on both the HUD and Federal Home Loan Bank Board transition teams. She is a graduate of Columbia University, where she received a double masters degree in public policy and planning for urban and regional markets.

Mr. Fairbanks, a graduate of Yale and Columbia University
Law School and Navy veteran, has been a practicing attorney in
Washington, D.C., special assistant to the administrator of the
Environmental Protection Agency, associate director for Natural
Resources, Energy, and the Environment of the President's
Domestic Council, and from 1974 to 1978 was a member of the
Citizen's Advisory Council on Environmental Quality. In 1981-1982
he was Assistant Secretary of State for Congressional Relations.
His other activities have included: assistant to the chairman,
National Energy Project, American Enterprise Institute; director,
Fairbanks Broadcasting Company, Indianapolis; trustee, Meridian
House International; member of the Council on Natural Resources,
Republican National Committee; and founder, American Refugee
Committee of Washington, D.C.