

Kennedy blasts U.S. support of Chile

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Massachusetts Senator Edward Kennedy attacked the U.S.'s "wide-ranging back door economic and military support to Chile" Thursday on the floor of the U.S. Senate.

Kennedy criticized private U.S. banks which have loaned the Chilean Junta almost one billion dollars since General Augusto Pinochet's coup in 1973, and said that if they do not end aid voluntarily then Congress should stop the banks.

Kennedy also criticized the \$38 million loaned in wheat credit by the Commodity Credit Corporation, a governmental corporation which exports the U.S.'s surplus commodities.

Kennedy called for an end to all aid to

countries which do not abide with official U.S. human rights policy.

Kennedy expressed skepticism about Chile's "token gestures" of liberalization, pointing out that only 224 of the 180,000 political prisoners — 150,000 of whom have disappeared — have been released. He also commented that Pinochet was still ruling under emergency rule and that the Secret Police still remains intact in Chile.

Kennedy presented documented evidence that military aid, in the form of aircraft engines, naval search radars and high powered explosive shells, has been given to Chile under the auspices of U.S. civilian corporations or through another country, which received them first from the U.S. He said his facts were documented through Cynthia Arneson and Michael Klare of the Institute of Pol-

icy Studies.

Kennedy said that such activities could be against the Arms Export Control Act passed by Congress in 1976.

Chile's relationship with the U.S. has grown increasingly strained since ex-premier Orlando Letelier's assassination in Washington in September of 1976.

Kennedy commented on the assassination saying "regardless of who is involved we cannot tolerate political assassinations in Washington or in other parts of the world." Pinochet is thought to have given the order to kill Letelier to the Chilean CIA.

Charles Briody, a representative of the Chile legislative center in Washington, said Kennedy's statement was "right on" and called it a high-water mark in Chilean-U.S. solidarity.

Both Gallup and Harris polls have shown that Chilean-U.S. solidarity is the largest foreign policy issue of consensus in the U.S.

Briody said Pinochet is "panicked and is trying to save his own skin" by making token gestures of releasing prisoners and allowing more freedom within Chile. He said he agreed with Kennedy's impromptu lashing of the U.S. government for embracing every one of Pinochet's moves as if it were a real step forward in progressive human rights.

Briody added that if the U.S. and Pres. Carter would break off all support to Chile, Pinochet's regime would "wouldn't last a day." He said churches, independent Democrats and Chilean trade unions are all in opposition to Pinochet.

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I WANNA DONNA be my friend... One out of fifty! 5:5

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ANCHOR-CLANKER CHARLIE: You've survived initiation this far, only one night to go. We know you can do it. We love you. The DG's 5:5

JIM: Get ready for plenty of Black Velvet, dancing and fun tomorrow night! Stacy 5:5

KYLE MILLER, Famed socialite and playboy turns 20 today. Happy Birth-Day! Tim, Chuck, Mark, Jeff 5:5

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C.A. HOP — Rose is mine Burgundy's thine But let's have some mixer. For our 26-er. The Counsler. 5:5

KEVIN — smoke a little Thai- We'll tell you why. You'll be a Phi High Till you die! Your big sis, Nance. 5:5

ERIC — catch a buzz with us cause - no one does it better than a Phi High does! Your Big Sis, Lauri. 5:5

A-CH-O KAREN: Psy. 215 is dull without you. Please come to class. Admirer. 5:5

JOHN GUSTAFSON — Thanks for taking the 300 mile drive for our H.D. I love you!!! Hoag. 5:5

PAM D. I've heard it said that good things come in small packages. Well, We'll find out Friday. Vinny. 5:5

AROUND THE WORLD contestants, flight leaves Portland International tonight at 8:00. Good Luck. 5:5

THE BEST WEEKENDS BEGIN WITH THE BETAS

Friday at Four (don't settle for less) 5:5

HEY MERTY!

The Emerald has Ugly Facial Hair again. Tuesdays-Thursdays ("Why be plagued"?). The return of a classic! 5:5

ADPHI HOUSE DANCE DATES, bring your boots and hats and get ready for some playin' in the hay. 5:5

LORI S. OF Gamma Phi, I am looking forward to a great weekend at the Pike's Hawaiian Luau and the coast, because you will be with me. Jim Y. 5:5

PHI KAPPA HIGH welcomes initiates, Eric, Kevin, Robert, Pete and Tessie! 5:5

HERE'S TO BROTHER PETE — Soon to be Phi Kappa High member — IZ 5:5

BURNS — Tonight's the night! Welcome to Phi Kappa High — Your Big Sis, Char 5:5

"WE'LL MAKE IT" Phi Kappa High welcomes Tessie... Big Sis, Ruby 5:5

and her eyes... 5:5

S.M. LIGHT-

Saturday's almost here so get some rest! It's your first H.D. and it will be THE BEST! Another weekend of memories for a TriDelt and SigmaNu. I'm ready so you better be too! A.M. FooFoo. 5:5

WILLIAM R. BENSON, Oh you wild and crazy guy! Wednesday night was delightful. I hope you remembered all of your clothes! Sincerely, meat loaf. 5:5

SATURDAY NIGHT FANS, where were you yesterday? No one answered the Classified Folies challenge to imitate Andy Kaufman, so we took the \$5 and spent it on ourselves. We felt so guilty as we sipped our Wild Turkey that we decided to give you another chance. If you come to the Emerald office, 3rd floor EMU, today between 12:20 and 12:30 and imitate Andy Kaufman for us we will give you today's \$5! 5:5