EDN TRELAND OFFICE 7310/9 + JEZ 11 CY TEL 10 HOU 34 43:48 Duridend Fele British Embassy Washington 18 November 1994 1256 3100 Massachusetts Ave. N.W. Washington D.C. 20008-3600 Telephone: (202) Facsimile: (202) US/NORTHERN IRELAND 1. I attach the latest State Department/NSC draft for the announcement of ex-Senator Mitchell's new job. As you will see, it is entirely satisfactory. But, of course, it is not 2. On timing, the latest word from the White House is that no announcement is likely for another week. Conceivably, the appointment may not happen at all. This is because Mitchell himself is apparently having second thoughts, primarily because he feels that the "hassle" elements (vetting by the Ethics Committee, etc) may not be worth the candle. 3. Knowledge of this appointment continues to be closely guarded at this end: Mitchell's staff on the Hill are not in the loop. It remains important, therefore, that there are no ce PS/S OF S (LTB) We will continue to keep you posted. 15/Sir J wheeler (1+15) BIM ancrany ("LIB) PS/PUS (LTB) Ps/mr fell yours was, in Legge mr Bell m watters no williams Miss Marnson ur Beeton un caine nu archer RID HMA Dublin cc (by fax): R J Sawers Esq, Private Secretary, FCO M Howard Esq, NIO (London) RESTRICTED

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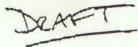
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Supporting the Northern Ireland Peace Process:

special Adviser to the President and the Secretary of State for

The Special Adviser shall be appointed for a seven-month period Economic Initiatives in Ireland by the President and advise him and the Secretary of State on economic initiatives to support the peace process in Northern The duties of this position shall be:

To oversee the organization of the White House Conference on Trade and Investment. The Special Adviser will work with Ireland. the Department of State, the Department of Commerce, the International Fund for Ireland (IFI), the Irish and British governments, private business leaders and U.S. companies, and other relevant individuals and organization.

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The Conference shall promote investment in order to private sector. foster economic development in Northern Ireland and in the bordering counties of the Republic of Ireland.

To establish a dialogue with the European Union, its member states, and other appropriate countries to encourage continued cooperation in the economic development of Northern Ireland and the border countries.

This will be accomplished, in part, through overseas travel as appropriate.

- To consult with the IFI and the Congress, and others as appropriate, to help strengthen and target its programs to provide maximum support to the peace process.
- To coordinate the efforts of all U.S. government agencies that are promoting economic development in Northern Ireland and the border counties, placing priority emphasis on attracting private sector investment.

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