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WASHINGTON CHAPTER LUNCHEON MEETING

THURSDAY

FEBRUARY 4, 1993

Touchdown Club 2000 L Street, N.W. (Near Farragut West Metro Stop)

Social:

11:30 (Cash Bar)

Luncheon:

12:00 NOON Beef Pot Roast

Menu: Cost:

\$16.00 (Members)

\$18.00 (Non-Members)

- . Reservations strongly recommended.
- . Call (703) 758-4080 Voice Mail through February 2, 1993
- . Non-Members are welcomed.
- . No-Shows are expected to pay.
- . Walk-ins are welcomed on space available basis.

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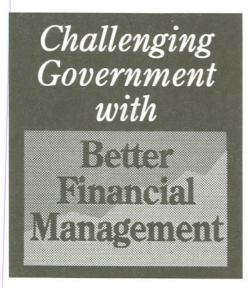


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April 1, 1993

J.W. Marriott Hotel
1331 Pennsylvania Avenue NW
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Keynote Speakers

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Making an Impact with the Audited Financial Statement Process

Accountability Reporting - The Wave of the Future for Program and Financial Managers

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LUNCHEON SPEAKERS

J. BRIAN HYLAND

Mr. Hyland is an investigative consultant specializing in asset protection and forensic auditing. He has provided services to a number of Federal agencies, and was an investigator for President's Commission of Airport Security and Terrorism.

Mr. Hyland retired from the Federal government in 1989 after 31 years of service. At the time of retirement, he was the Inspector General for the Department of Labor, having been nominated to this position in 1983 by President Reagan. Prior to the presidential appointment, he served for four years as the Deputy Inspector General at the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. He has written several articles on such topics as pension fund fraud, professionalism in law enforcement and quality standards for the investigator.

CHARLES L. DEMPSEY

Mr. Dempsey, President of Chuck Dempsey & Associates, is a co-author and co-producer of the RESPONSIBILITY SYSTEMS, a management control and effectiveness technique which has been successfully implemented by a number of Federal agencies. He served as the Inspector General at HUD from 1977 to 1985, and was appointed by President Reagan in 1983 to be the Acting Inspector General at EPA. In 1984, President Reagan named Mr. Dempsey the first Vice Chairman of the President's Council on Integrity and Efficiency.

Mr. Dempsey has received several prestigious awards, and was the only recipient of the HUD Golden Eagle Award for distinguished contributions to the Federal government.

RICHARD P. KUSSEROW

Mr. Kusserow is the Senior Vice President of the Strategic Management Associates, Inc. From 1981 to July 1992, he was the Inspector General in the Department of Health and Human Services. From 1969 to 1981, Mr. Kusserow was a Special Agent and supervisor in the FBI in Chicago, Ill. Mr. Kusserow is a member of numerous prestigious committees and has published many technical articles in audit techniques, security investigative techniques, computer techniques, and evaluation techniques. Mr. Kusserow has received numerous awards and certificates throughout his career, including the Presidential Citation in 1988 and the HUD Secretary's Bronze Medal in 1984.

SUMMARY OF LUNCHEON SPEECH

By Patricia Wensel

Our speaker for the January 7, 1993 luncheon meeting was David M. Nummy, Assistant Secretary (Management) and Chief Financial Officer of the Department of the Treasury. Mr. Nummy reflected on what has happened in financial management during the last four years and what the new year offers.

Mr. Nummy raised four "hard" questions which he believes deserve the attention of those responsible for managing our government's finances: 1) Have better decisions been made? 2) Have taxpayers gotten more for their tax dollars? 3) Are taxpayers better informed? and 4) Are taxpayers being better served?

Mr. Nummy's challenge for financial managers is to make the government's financial statements mean something - to our program people, to our policy and decision makers, to the Congress, and, ultimately, to the American taxpayers. To do this Mr. Nummy believes that Federal government financial statements must be performance based. Developing performance measures is the challenge which is facing financial managers across the Federal government. He believes that they should be the focal point of financial reporting. It may be difficult to determine what to measure and there are often conflicting goals. We must develop performance measures that make sense.

Mr. Nummy spoke of the many things that will change with the new administration - new faces and new policies will be developed. He said that while many things will change, many things will remain the same: budget pressures; taxpayer outcry against waste, fraud, and spending abuse; and the American people's right to know what they are getting for their tax dollars.

Mr. Nummy's final challenge to government financial managers: produce financial statements that

- are real working tools for our programs;
- help our Department's policy makers;
- help Congress understand where the money is going; and
- show taxpayers the services they are getting for their money.

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