

MEMORANDUM

May 1, 2002

TO: Governor

FROM: John

RE: World Trade Center press conference

You will begin the press conference with your remarks (attached). At the end of your remarks, you will turn the podium over to Liles Williams, President of the Mississippi World Trade Center Board of Directors. He will speak for a few minutes, introducing the other members of the WTC board, and then introducing Herbert Ouida (oh-WEE-da) of the World Trade Center Association.

After Mr. Ouida speaks, he will present the WTC charter to you and Mr. Williams. You will accept the charter from him, then open the floor to questions. Barbara Travis, Executive Director of the WTC, will be there to help answer questions as well.

When the questions have been answered, Mr. Williams will move back to the podium and announce tours of the facility.