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California congressman to keynote CLE and Ski program Jan. 9-12

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MISSOULA—

Paul N. McCloskey Jr., R-Calif., will be the keynote speaker at the fifth annual law conference and ski program, CLE and Ski, scheduled for Jan. 9-12 at Big Mountain, Whitefish, Mont.

The program is sponsored by CLEM (Continuing Legal Education in Montana), a cooperative venture of the Montana Bar Association and the University of Montana School of Law.

Wilford Lundberg, UM law professor and coordinator of the program, said the four-day conference will examine land use planning problems on the national, state and local levels.

"Land use planning has become a matter of growing concern to the entire nation and this conference is designed to acquaint practicing lawyers with recent developments in this area of the law. The practical implications upon attorneys engaged in land use litigation will be an integral part of the conference," Lundberg said.

Topics to be discussed include: national land use legislation; legal devices for planning and land use control; zoning as a tool in land use planning; local government and its role in effecting and enforcing land use control mechanisms, and a discussion of the problems faced by corporate developers.

Conference sessions will be conducted from 8-10 a.m. and 4:30-6:30 p.m. daily except Saturday, when there will be only a morning session.

The remaining time will be left open for skiing and recreational activities.

The registration deadline is Dec. 15 and should be made through the University of Montana School of Law, Missoula, Mont., 59801. The registration fee of $100 does not include lodging or lift tickets but package plans have been arranged for accommodations. Reservations for lodging must be made through Big Mountain, Whitefish, Mont., 59937 by Dec. 15 also.
In addition to McCloskey, guest speakers will include: Roger P. Hansen, executive director of the Rocky Mountain Center on the Environment, Denver, Colo.; Marvin Durning, Seattle attorney and visiting lecturer on environmental law at the University of Washington School of Law, Seattle; Richard Chapin, Bellevue, Wash., attorney and chairman of the Washington State Land Planning Commission; Richard F. Babcock, Chicago, Ill., attorney; Donald G. Hagman, professor of law at the University of California, Los Angeles; and Charles R. Collins, president of Environmental Systems International, Inc., Los Angeles, Calif.

Lundberg said the conference is open to all practicing attorneys or interested lay persons on a "first registered and paid basis." Anyone desiring additional information should contact the UM law school in Missoula.