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SEC CHAIRMAN TO DISCUSS CORPORATE ACCOUNTABILITY IN MAJOR ADDRESS IN SAN DIEGO

In what has become something of a tradition, SEC chairman Harold M. Williams will deliver a major address on corporate accountability as keynote speaker at the Annual Securities Regulation Institute to be held in San Diego next week.

His address to the seventh edition of the Institute will mark the third consecutive year that Mr. Williams has served as keynote speaker. He used his two previous speeches as occasions to urge the corporate community to voluntarily institute measures designed to promote the accountability of corporate management. Both speeches attracted nationwide attention and controversy and have sparked a continuing dialogue on the subject among business and government leaders.

Mr. Williams' speech to the Institute, which is sponsored by the University of California at San Diego, is scheduled to be delivered at a luncheon which begins at 12 Noon on Thursday, January 17, at the Hotel del Coronado.

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Before his appointment as Chairman of the SEC in April 1977, Mr. Williams was for seven years Dean and Professor of Management at the Graduate School of Management, University of California at Los Angeles. Prior to that he had been Chairman of the Board of Norton Simon, Inc. and he has served as a director of a number of publicly-held companies and in several civic posts in the Los Angeles area.

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