

# Bill Will Require Full Disclosure

Fifth District Congressman Steve Neal has cosponsored a bill which would require full disclosure of personal finances by policy making public officials in the federal government.

The bill, introduced by Rep. Alan Steelman of Texas, would apply equally to all elected federal officials, candidates for federal office, generals and admirals in the military, persons in the judicial and legislative branches earning \$32,000 a year, and civil servants of GS-16 grade or higher.

The legislation would require a detailed statement of the total amount of taxes paid, the sources of each item of income, reimbursement or gifts, the value of assets and liabilities, all dealing in securities, commodities, or real estate.

"We now require disclosure of campaign contributions, but do not require personal financial disclosure," Neal said. "We are giving the public only part of the story, when it insists upon knowing the whole truth."

Neal said voluntary disclosure is not a satisfactory resolution of the problem, since there are no uniform standards for the statements and since so few public officials make the disclosures.

"The purpose of this legislation is to require full financial disclosure by all persons in policy positions whose decisions might generate conflicts of interest," Neal explained.

During his own campaign last fall for the U.S. House of Representatives, Neal provided the press a complete financial statement.

"It was not something I really wanted to do, because it made public much information normally considered private," Neal said. "Nevertheless, I supplied the information when asked to do so -- although I had no legal obligation to make the disclosure --and I have never regretted it."

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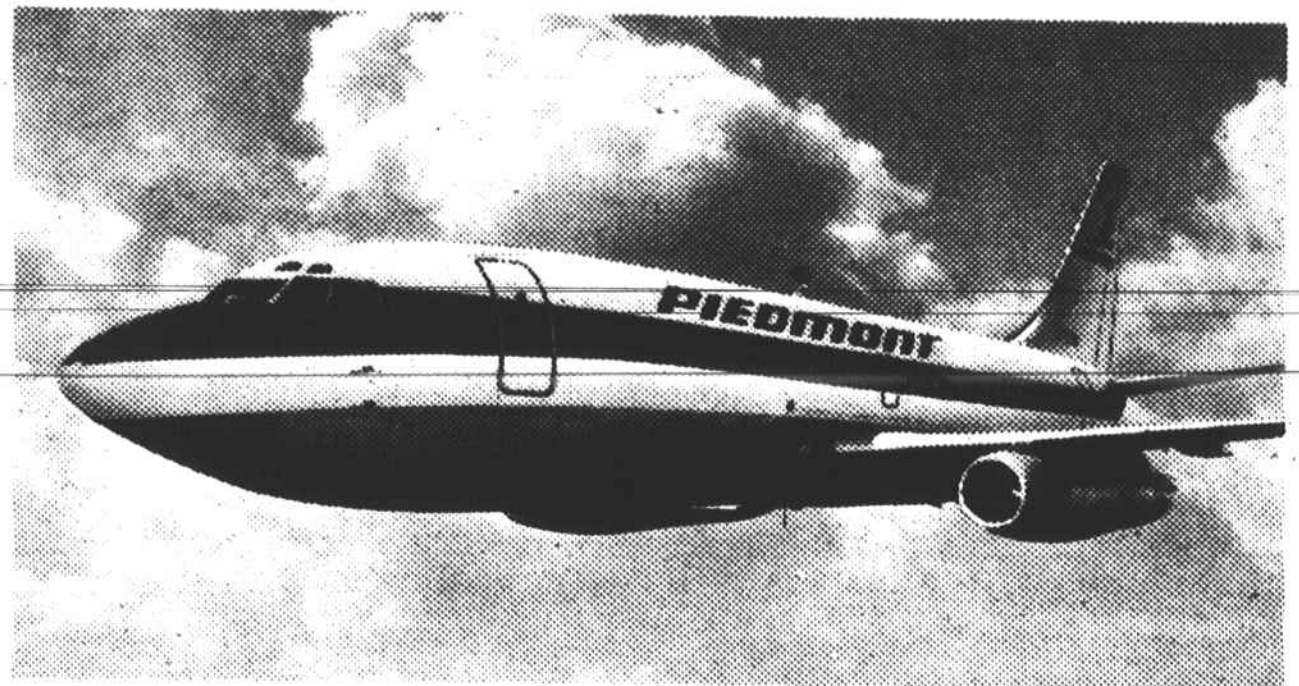
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## Prospects Good For Teachers

The prospects for teaching positions for this year's college graduating classes are good if applicants are majors in industrial arts, chemistry, earth science, reading or are minority applicants.

That was generally the word being put out recently by 50 recruiters from school systems in North Carolina, Massachusetts, and Ohio during a Teacher's Fair at A&T State University.

"We have about 15 applications for each job we might have," said J. M. Turner, director of personnel for the Roanoke (Virginia) County Schools.

The lagging economy has definitely caught up with the hiring of teachers, most of the recruiters admitted.

"We'll hire a few teachers in every field," said Turner, but fewer than in past years. He said the system generally hires around 250 teachers, but only 136 got hired last year.

Robert A. Newton, personnel director for the Greensboro schools, said "it would be very unusual if we don't hire at least a few people."

"We're interested in good

people," he said, "but we are getting something like 3,000 applications. He said the system has 1,500 employees, with just six of them scheduled for mandatory retirement this year.

"Reading was a very good field for teachers in Greensboro last year," said Newton, "because of some new federally funded programs."

## FBI-CIA Files Violate Basic American Rights

by Rick Sluder  
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The CIA and the FBI are indirectly violating Americans' most basic freedoms by keeping files of information on individual citizens, according to an expert on the Constitution and civil liberties at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

Earle Wallace, political science professor and constitutional authority, said the "chilling effect" of knowing that a federal subversive-control agency is collecting

information on an individual will prevent him from participating in activities in which he would normally take part, thereby abridging his rights.

Wallace said an investigation of the agencies will not impair their abilities to function, as some senators have charged. "Even if an investigator should come upon some sensitive information, he presumably is not going to make it public anyway," he said.

## Guys&Dolls Hold Meet

Sixteen families of the Gamma Chapter of Guys and Dolls were greeted in the home of Guy and Doll Charles Blackwell with co-host and hostess Rudolph and Vance Cabiness for the February meeting.

Reports of the activities for the Pixie-Tweetsies, the Tweens, and Torches for February were made and included the Circus, Ice-skating and a Valentine Party.

Plans for Guy and Doll B Warren, Guy and Doll C Matthews, Doll M. Young Doll M. Isom, and Guy and Doll C. Blackwell to attend the executive board meeting in Wilmington, at the Wilmington Hilton for March were made.

Doll Blackwell will appear on the program activities for March include Family Fun night and will be hosted by Guys and Dolls Connors, Douglas, and Farrabee.