

PRESIDENT AZNAR'S ADDRESS TO A JOINT SESSION OF CONGRESS

Members of the Firm assisted the Embassy to maximize attendance at President Aznar's address to a Joint Session of Congress on 2/4/04. Activities included drafting of a letter from Ambassador Rupérez to Members of Congress and fact sheet describing President Aznar's accomplishments during his eight years as president and providing a current press list of journalists likely to cover political events. Members of the Firm also contacted individual Congressional offices to urge attendance at the Joint Session.

CONGRESSIONAL GOLD MEDAL

Members of the Firm assisted with the passage of H.R. 2131, a resolution authorizing the striking of a gold medal for President Aznar. This endeavor entailed contacting House offices to request that members co-sponsor the resolution introduced by Rep. Jim Gibbons (R-NV). On the Senate side, members of the Firm worked with Senator Dodd's, Frist's and Daschle's staff to introduce a similar bill and obtain co-sponsors.

PRESIDENT AZNAR'S ECONOMIC INITIATIVE

At the request of the Embassy, members of the Firm began assessing the Administration's reactions to President Aznar's speech at the U.S. Chamber of Commerce where he proposed a new Initiative calling for the creation of an Economic Commission to reduce trade barriers in certain areas. Members of the Firm contacted Deputy United States Trade Representative Peter Algeier, met with him and reported back to the Embassy his informal reactions.

TOTAL FEES: \$80,213.50

TOTAL EXPENSES: \$ 11,019.67