

EXCERPT FROM JOURNAL
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8. (Unclassified - PLC) Called Fred ^{Collins} Gowans, GSA, concerning the status of proposed bills to increase the mileage allowance and per diem for domestic travel. According to Cowans, a bill is now being prepared for submission to OMB to raise the mileage allowance ceiling to sixteen cents. A bill is also being prepared to raise the flat rate for per diem from twenty-five to thirty dollars and the maximum for unusual expenses from forty to fifty dollars. In addition, the bill would list specific per diem rates for ten to twelve cities which have a high cost of living. He indicated the mileage bill should move easily but there might be problems with the per diem increases.