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THIRD GROUP OF ASTRONAUT APPLICANTS DUE AT JSC

A third group of astronaut applicants is due to arrive at the Johnson Space Center for orientation, medical evaluations, and interviews on Monday, October 23. Each of the expected five groups consists of 20-25 applicants with a chance to be one of 15-20 ultimately selected as astronaut candidates in January.

The third group consists of Jonathan N. Adler, M.D., of Oaklawn, IL; Christen M. Anderson, M.D., Ph.D., of San Diego, CA; USAF Maj. Joseph L. Byerly of Edwards AFB, CA; Edward W. Corcoran, Jr., Ph.D., of Easton, PA; USAF Maj. Michael J. Costigan of Edwards AFB, CA; USAF Maj. David W. Eidsaune of Maxwell AFB, AL; Lorna C. Finman, Ph.D., of Newbury Park, CA; Michael E. Fowler, Jr., Ph.D., of the Johnson Space Center; Scott M. Glenn, Sc.D., of Somerville, MA; USAF Maj. James D. Halsell, Jr., of Edwards AFB, CA; USAF Capt. Scott J. Horowitz of Bitburg AB, West Germany; USN Lt. Cmdr. Frederick G. Johnson of NAS Jacksonville, FL; Gregory C. Johnson of Oak Harbor, WA; USAF Capt. Brian L. Jones of Edwards AFB, CA; Thomas D. Jones, Ph.D., of Fairfax VA; William B. Maze, Ph.D., of Houston, TX; Paul D. Ronney, Sc.D., of Princeton, NJ; Allison C. Sandlin, Ph.D., of Fredericksburg, VA; USAF Maj. Richard A. Searfoss of Edwards AFB, CA; John G. Sotos, M.D., of Baltimore, MD; USMC Capt. Mark P. Stucky of Edwards AFB, CA; and USAF Capt. David E. Walker of Edwards AFB, CA.

Interviewees were chosen from nearly 2500 total applicants who registered prior to the June 30 deadline. Applications received after the deadline are eligible for consideration for the next selection in 1992.

The number of candidates selected every two years will vary based on flight rate, program requirements, and attrition.

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NOTE TO EDITORS: STS-34 POSTFLIGHT CREW PRESS CONFERENCE

The STS-34 astronaut crew will meet with news media here at the Johnson Space Center on Wednesday, Nov. 1, to discuss the recent mission to deploy the Jupiter probe, Galileo. The event will begin at 1 pm, central time, and consist of a slide and video presentation by the astronauts, followed by questions.

News media are invited to participate on location at JSC in Building 2, room 135, or via two-way audio from NASA Headquarters in Washington, D.C., the Kennedy Space Center in Florida, the Marshall Space Flight Center in Huntsville, Alabama, or the Jet Propulsion Laboratory in Pasadena, California.

Live NASA Select television coverage will be carried on Satcom F2R, transponder 13.

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