

This is Lionel Martin in Havana... here is the service message

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Senator George McGovern, the 1972 Democratic party presidential candidate, will fly to Cuba on Monday. ~~He is expected to arrive in Havana on Monday.~~ ~~He is expected to arrive in Havana on Monday.~~ along with twenty five U.S. newsmen. Here is the story....

Senator McGovern will be the third senator to visit Cuba. Last summer, Senators Javitts and Pell ~~also~~ visited Cuba, were shown factories, farms and schools and met with prime minister Fidel Castro. It is likely that Senator McGovern ~~will~~ will also tour the country and have a chance during his four day stay ^{HERE} to ~~see~~ converse with Mr. Castro and other top Cuban government leaders.

The Cubans do not see any one-to-one relation in the visit of Senator McGovern and ~~the new policy of the U.S. government towards Cuba.~~ ^{Change in Policy} a new policy of ~~the~~ U.S. government towards Cuba. Recently prime minister castro ~~said~~ in an interview with Canadian reporters ~~visits~~ ~~are~~ ~~not~~ ~~considered~~ ~~visits~~ ~~by~~ ~~Congressmen~~ ~~and~~ ~~official~~ ~~policy~~ ~~as~~ ~~determined~~ ~~by~~ ~~the~~ ~~U.S.~~ ~~state~~ ~~department.~~ differentiated between visits to Cuba by interested Congressmen and official policy as determined by the U.S. state department. In any case, he said at that time, Cuba considers these visits to be positive in that they contribute to a betterment of relations between the two countries.

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* Headline: Senator George McGovern coming to Cuba with 25 U.S. newsmen

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