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CONSUMER PRICE INDEX - U.S. CITY AVERAGE AND REGIONS Feb 2000

ALL URBAN CONSUMERS (CPI-U)

	U.S. CITY AVERAGE			MIDWEST REGION			WEST REGION		
		Percent change from		Percent				Percent	
					change from			change from	
		1 Year	1 Month		1 Year	1 Month		1 Year	1 Month
		Ago	Ago		Ago	Ago		Ago	Ago
ALL ITEMS (1982-84 = 100)	169.7	3.2	0.6	165.8	3.3	0.6	171.9	3.0	0.5
FOOD AND BEVERAGES	166.8	1.8	0.1	164.2	2.2	0.4	169.4	1.1	0.0
HOUSING	166.9	2.8	0.7	160.4	2.6	0.5	173.6	3.5	0.6
APPAREL	129.2	-0.4	1.9	124.6	-2.0	1.5	120.3	-1.5	2.0
TRANSPORTATION	149.7	7.1	0.9	150.2	8.4	1.3	150.8	6.0	0.9
MEDICAL CARE	257.0	3.8	0.6	250.7	3.2	0.8	255.3	3.9	0.7
RECREATION/1	102.5	0.7	0.2	102.3	0.9	-0.2	100.9	0.0	0.5
EDUCATION AND COMMUNICATION/1	102.2	1.3	-0.5	104.2	2.0	-0.6	101.5	1.1	-0.5
OTHER GOODS AND SERVICES	266.7	4.6	8.0	259.6	3.8	0.3	271.0	3.7	0.8
ALL ITEMS (1967=100)	508.4								

URBAN WAGE EARNERS AND CLERICAL WORKERS (CPI-W)

	U.S. CITY AVERAGE			MIDWEST REGION			WEST REGION		
	Percent			Percent			Percent		
		change from			change from			change from	
		1 Year	1 Month		1 Year	1 Month		1 Year	1 Month
		Ago	Ago		Ago	Ago		Ago	Ago
ALL ITEMS (1982-84=100)	166.4	3.3	0.5	162.1	3.6	0.6	167.4	2.9	0.4
FOOD AND BEVERAGES	166.1	1.9	0.1	164.0	2.2	0.3	168.8	1.1	0.0
HOUSING	162.7	2.7	0.6	155.2	2.5	0.5	169.1	3.3	0.5
APPAREL	127.9	-0.5	1.6	123.5	-2.3	1.6	120.8	-1.7	1.6
TRANSPORTATION	149.1	7.8	0.9	149.9	9.3	1.4	147.9	5.9	0.7
MEDICAL CARE	256.2	3.8	0.7	250.9	3.1	0.8	254.3	4.1	0.8
RECREATION/1	101.6	0.3	0.2	101.6	0.6	-0.2	99.6	-0.6	0.3
EDUCATION AND COMMUNICATION/1	102.5	1.3	-0.5	104.5	2.0	-0.6	102.2	1.4	-0.4
OTHER GOODS AND SERVICES	271.7	5.2	0.9	263.9	4.2	0.4	271.9	4.1	0.9
ALL ITEMS (1967=100)	495.6								

Notes:

(1) December 1997 = 100 base

(-) Data not available

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