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**C-SPAN TAKES A CLOSER LOOK AT SENATE RACES IN ILLINOIS**  
**- A Look At The Effects Of Reapportionment And Redistricting In Illinois -**

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PROJECT FACT SHEET

SPONSOR/PROGRAM TITLE:

Election '92

A Look at House and Senate races in Illinois

TOPICS: Effects of reapportionment and redistricting on Illinois (the state is losing two seats in the House of Representatives), the Lipinski-Russo primary race, Rostenkowski's primary challenge, and Senator Alan Dixon's reelection bid (see below, under "concept").

AIR DATES: 8:00 pm eastern time Monday, March 16

SHOOT/TAPE DATE: TBA

LOCATION: taping in Washington and Chicago area

ADDRESS FOR INFO: C-SPAN

PRODUCER/EXTENSION: Susan Bundock, ext 4850

INTERVIEWS/GUESTS: Leading off at 8:00 pm with a live roundtable discussion with Susan Glasser of Roll Call, Richard Cohen of the National Journal, and Tom Hardy of the Chicago Tribune (Glasser and Cohen will be live from our studio; Hardy will be live from Chicago). All have been covering the races in Illinois. The discussion will provide an overview of the key campaigns in the state; we will also look at political ads currently running.

CONCEPT: This is the first of a series of programs on House, Senate and Gubernatorial campaigns happening this year throughout the country. This program on Illinois airs on the eve of the Illinois primary (the primary is Tuesday, March 17). Illinois is losing two seats in the U.S. House of Representatives, and redistricting has created some unusual situations for House members in the Chicago area. We will be looking at a primary campaign in the newly drawn 3rd district of Illinois between two Democratic incumbents, Rep. Marty Russo and Rep. William Lipinski; also a primary race of Rep. Dan Rostenkowski, who's being challenged by former Chicago Alderman Dick Simpson in the new 5th district; and challenges facing Senator Alan Dixon (D-Illinois), who is up for reelection this year.

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