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TO: Architecture Librarians  
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SUBJECT: ACSA/AASL Annual Convention March 14-17, 1998

As they say in Italy, "Allora!" Here it is! I look forward to meeting you at AASL's Annual Conference. Included in your packet you will find the Registration Form, and the *Preliminary* Schedule of events. Pre-registration is due by March 1, 1998. Please send your Membership Dues and Registration Fees to Kathy Brackney, AASL Treasurer (see registration form).

ACSA has reserved a block of rooms at the conference hotel, Renaissance Cleveland, at a special convention rate of \$119.00 per night (\$129.00 per two beds), plus 14.5% tax. This rate is guaranteed only until February 12, so make your reservations early: Tel: 216-696-5600.

Our location in the heart of the city affords us the option of many walking tours within a comfortable distance of the hotel. Cleveland is an exciting city with many cultural advantages.

We will take the tour bus twice over the Cuyahoga River, to the Flats, for special dining events. A visit to the Cleveland Museum of Art is on our agenda with its special exhibitions. A tour of the Cleveland Public Library, with its \$ 65 million dollar expansion and renovation, is on our agenda. According to Steven Litt, in the September, 1997 issue of ARCHITECTURE, "it is the most exuberant, original, and gutsy new building in a city where cautiousness and conservatism have ruled architectural taste for decades." You will note from our schedule of events that we have some great speakers and presenters. And to Quote Pat Weisenberger, Lets go, AASLers! See you there!