



Conservative senators

WASHINGTON — Sen. Jesse Helms, R-North Carolina, left, vice chairman of the Senate Steering Committee, holds a commemorative plaque presented to retired Sen. Carl Curtis, R-Nebraska, center, as Sen. Jim McClure, R-Idaho, right, Steering Committee chairman looks on. Senators

Curtis, McClure and Helms founded the Senate Steering Committee over five years ago. The bronzed plaque presented to Curtis included the first memo by Curtis outlining the goals of the conservative coalition of senators.