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April Forecast
For you? Rain with intermittent Misery.

For us? Hot, clear and sunny with daily showers of Corona and Margaritas.

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Morgan and Hill Flee Country, Seeking Suntans and Possibly Asylum

• Colleagues Asked to Delay Filing of Motions Indefinitely. Also to Donate Suntan Lotion. Bar Association to Investigate.

BUCERIAS, MEXICO - Following a lengthy delay in obtaining travel clearance from the Department of Homeland Security, attorneys Clint Morgan and Rob Hill have each been given the green light to leave the country. In separately but suspiciously planned getaways, Morgan will be in Nuevo Vallarta, Mexico from March 28 through April 5 and Hill will be in the neighboring fishing village of Bucerias, Mexico from April 1 through 28. Opposing attorneys are asked to extend the courtesy of awaiting their respective returns to "civilization" prior to scheduling their usual petulant and frivolous motions. In the event that counsel have frivolous motions which cannot await the return of either

Morgan or Hill, associates Tye Menser and Jon Swartz have been instructed to appear to defend such motions but to vandalize the automobiles of the offending attorneys prior to the hearings.

The Washington State Bar Association, in its continuing effort to ensure that its member attorneys make less money and have less fun, has announced its intention to investigate whether the Morgan Hill duo have earned this planned vacation.

"The Bar is convinced," says investigator Buzz Killjoy, "that these two have, in effect, been on vacation for the entire year." Killjoy told the Olympian that an anonymous Morgan Hill staffer has provided information to the Bar suggesting that the duo spend half their time in the recently opened Exit 104 Recording Studio in the back of their office and the other half of their time hosting parties, playing golf, planning shows and concerts, and just sitting around the office like Jerry Seinfeld and George Castanza,



Clint Morgan (3/28 -4/5)

engaged in obscure debates about the merits of bottled water and corn nuts (are they really nuts?), and doing impressions of Carl the Greenskeeper from Caddyshack.

"This may be true," Morgan admits. "But at least I know that on my death bed, I will achieve total consciousness. So I got that going for me," he adds. "Which is nice."

Olympian medical consultants report some concern about the health risks of an extended tropical stay for Mr. Hill, who has not had a decent suntan

since he attended college in Southern California in 1987.

"Judging from his complexion, Hill has been living inside a coffin for twenty years and coming out only at night," observes dermatologist Dr. Sandy Blemish. "His exposure to sunlight presents significant risk of spontaneous combustion." Dr. Blemish likens Hill's emergence from the aircraft in Puerto Vallarta next week to the re-entry of a space craft into the earth's atmosphere. Mexican authorities will have emergency vehicles standing by, and Hill's team of physicians has recommended that he wear an aluminum foil suit during re-entry.

Hill insists, though, that while he is looking forward to the sunshine, that's not the primary reason for his spending a month in the tropics.

"It would be pretty superficial of me if the trip were all about the sun and the sand," Hill opines. "I love the people, the culture and the language. I love to immerse myself in the Latin



Rob Hill (4/1-4/28)

American landscape. And of course in the midst of this rich culture I will be spending quality time with my family."

"Oh," he continues, "and also I plan to be drinking Coronas by nine a.m. every day."

There has been some talk of Clint Morgan possibly applying for political asylum while in Mexico due to his being persecuted here in the the Thurston County judicial system. The Olympian has learned through courthouse sources that Morgan was briefly jailed last month by Superior Court Judge Richard

D. "Cork" Hicks for failing to submit a legal memorandum on blue paper and for having excessively narrow margins in his pleadings.

"He's lucky I didn't send him to Guantanamo for that," Hicks said in a phone interview yesterday. "I don't know why these people find it so difficult to submit pleadings on blue paper with 14-point serif type faces and one-inch margins if you're a moving party, except on a motion to intervene, or on heavyweight pink paper in 13-point sans serif type faces with half-inch margins if you're a responding party, unless it's a dispositive motion."

"It's not every day you see someone seeking asylum to get out of the United States," says Amnesty International spokesman Juan Agetau Tahia. "Pretty much Roman Polanski and Clint Morgan."

"Whether I seek asylum or not," Morgan says, "I will achieve total consciousness on my death bed. So I got that going for me. Which is nice."

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