

Cal. Captive**PW Request:****\$25 to McG**

HONG KONG — (AP) — Hanoi Radio broadcast a message from an American prisoner of war today asking his wife to pledge \$25 to Sen. George McGovern's presidential campaign. The mother of another POW delivered \$25 for her son to McGovern yesterday.

The recorded message from Capt. Thomas J. Hanton of Sacramento, said he was "happy to hear McGovern nominated."

"Send him a \$25 pledge," he told his wife, Patricia. "You know how apolitical I am, but unless one has sufficient time to think through things, he can make the wrong choice. I feel it is time to end the war, hopefully by Nov. 2, 1972."

Yesterday, Mrs. Marion Kernan, of Washington, D.C., renrolled her son, Lt. (j.g.) Joseph Kernan, who was shot down over North Vietnam May 7, in McGovern's fund-raising effort. She said he had written her:

"What I would ask, Mom is that you take \$25 of my money and join me in

McGovern's Million Member Club."

In Sacramento, however, Hanton's wife said today she did not want to announce whether she will comply with his request. Mrs. Hanton, 23, is expecting a baby Oct. 10, and she said a transcript of the message from her husband was the first word she had heard from him since his F-4 jet was shot down June 27.

She said military authorities were not requesting that she withhold comment.