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Super-delegates

Readers will forgive one more Klaus-Clinton comparison. There are growing suspicions among Obamans that the Clinton team will steal the Democratic nomination at the convention by convincing unpledged "super-delegates" to side with Hillary, even if Barack Obama has the lead in pledged delegates and in the national polls. Critics say that this would be devastating for the Democratic Party and might allow the Republicans to win the general election. In the CR, MP Evžen Snítilý of ČSSD played the role of super-delegate. He cast the deciding vote in Klaus's favor, raising suspicions that his seven children and mortgage were a higher calling than a party pledge. Even MFD, Klaus's unofficial mouthpiece, thought it was a bit too much to swallow. Klaus's head will ache for awhile, Editor-in-chief Robert Čásenský of MFD said. But soon enough, presumably, it will be back to business as usual.



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