





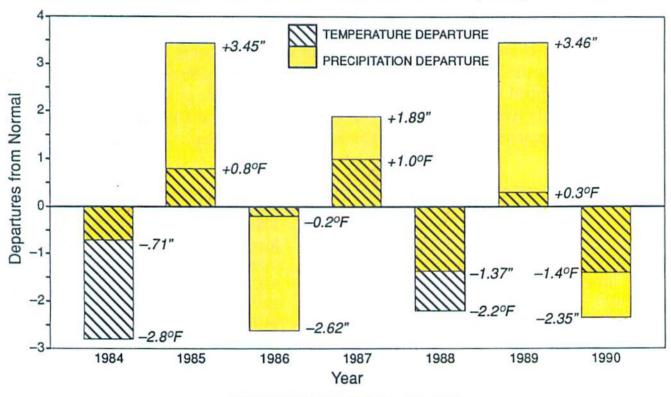
### <u>PRECIPITATION SUMMARY AND TEMPERATURE OBSERVATIONS</u> FOR THE WASHINGTON, DC & BALTIMORE, MD AREA

#### SEPTEMBER 1990

# SEPTEMBER COINCIDENCE CONTINUES...EVEN-NUMBERED YEARS (E.G. 1990) BELOW NORMAL.

Since 1984, DCA has observed DRIER AND COLDER than usual Septembers during EVEN-numbered years and WETTER AND WARMER than normal Septembers during ODD-numbered years

## SEPTEMBER DEPARTURES FROM NORMAL WASHINGTON/NATIONAL AIRPORT (DCA).



#### SEPTEMBER HIGHLIGHTS:

- Least amount of precipitation at DCA in any month since 0.60" fell during September 1986;
- Driest September EVER at Andrews AFB (0.54") since records began in 1943;
- First successive precipitation—free weekends (Sep. 1–2, 8–9) at National since last year (Dec. 16–17, 23–24);
- First time since November-December 1989 that DCA observed consecutive cooler than normal months (August & September 1990).

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