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The House met at noon and was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. CULBERSON).

### DESIGNATION OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker:

WASHINGTON, DC,  
September 17, 2001.

I hereby appoint the Honorable JOHN ABNEY CULBERSON to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

J. DENNIS HASTERT,  
*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

### PRAYER

The Chaplain, the Reverend Daniel P. Coughlin, offered the following prayer: Blessed be God forever.

Lord God, king of heaven and earth, we praise You and we thank You for gathering the people of this Nation in prayer during these past days. The prayerful Friday of national remembrance, the Sabbath and the celebration of the Lord's day have strengthened us in Your spirit.

We are grateful for those around the world who are one with us, as we humbly pay tribute to the thousands whose lives were shattered by the terrorist attack on America.

We unite ourselves through prayer with all those of the Jewish faith who begin their holy days this evening.

May the events of this past week be seared into our common memory and forged into our hearts, ever deepening our spiritual awakening.

May our actions which flow from prayer today be determined forthright and just.

Be present to us, Lord, as we return to some routine, knowing that the times demand of us all alertness, courage and renewed commitment to the American way of life.

As we thank You for the freedom to worship across this land, we beg of You the grace to seize every opportunity, to strengthen one another in unity and to be of service to our country.

Blessed be God, both now and forever.  
Amen.

### THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair has examined the Journal of the last day's proceedings and announces to the House his approval thereof.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal stands approved.

### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Will the gentleman from California (Mr. ROHRABACHER) come forward and lead the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mr. ROHRABACHER led the Pledge of Allegiance as follows:

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

### ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 4 of rule I, the Speaker signed the following enrolled joint resolution on Friday, September 14, 2001:

S.J. Res. 23, to authorize the use of United States Armed Forces against those responsible for the recent attacks launched against the United States.

### ADJOURNMENT TO WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2001

Mr. ROHRABACHER. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at noon on Wednesday, September 19, 2001.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from California?

There was no objection.

### DISPENSING WITH CALENDAR WEDNESDAY BUSINESS ON WEDNESDAY NEXT

Mr. ROHRABACHER. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that the business in order under the Calendar Wednesday rule be dispensed with on Wednesday next.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from California?

There was no objection.

### CHALLENGE FACING AMERICA

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under the Speaker's announced policy of January 3, 2001, the gentleman from California (Mr. ROHRABACHER) is recognized for 60 minutes as the designee of the majority leader.

Mr. ROHRABACHER. Mr. Speaker, it is in deep sadness that I rise today to speak to my colleagues and to set down a record that is, I believe, necessary to understand the horrible loss that we have suffered.

During these last few days, most of us have experienced a deep and painful sadness. Now that sadness, rightfully, is turning into anger. It is anger, as it should be, at those who perpetrated this monstrous crime against us; and those people who committed this crime will feel the wrath of the American people, a wrath that has not so been unleashed since Pearl Harbor.

We must and we will avenge our countrymen. Anyone with a hand or even a finger in this mass slaughter of innocent Americans will pay the ultimate price. We do this because it is our duty, and nothing will deter us.

One note of warning, Mr. Speaker: we must not permit our rage, and there is rage in my soul and the soul of all of our fellow Americans, but we must not let this rage lead to actions that will

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strengthen the hand of the fanatic terrorists with whom we now do battle. These monsters are counting on us to strike out blindly and to attack people who are our potential allies and friends, thus alienating them and turning them into enemies.

What bin Laden wants is for the United States, us, to turn this into a battle between us, the United States, and every Muslim in the world. He wants to push the world's Muslims, into his camp. We must not do that, and, in order not to, we must have a restraint and fortitude on our part so that we can guard against that outcome as we seek our retribution against the terrorists who have committed such a crime against us.

Thus, as we proceed to do our duty, we must recognize that there are Muslims throughout the world who are on our side. These people, too, have been victimized by these terrorists and gangsters. We need to reach out and enlist freedom-loving Muslim people in the world to join us; and especially we must recognize that the many Muslim-Americans, our fellow citizens, are with us and feel even a greater sorrow for the despicable crime that has been committed against us, because they, too, are us, the United States.

Our greatest strength as a Nation is that America is a land of people of all races and religions and ethnic groups. At the prayer service at our National Cathedral, all faiths, including Islam, were represented; and we can be very proud of that. Now is the time for all of us to stand together.

So how is it that this land of liberty, this free and open society, should become the target of such hatred that it led to the slaughter of thousands of helpless, innocent, kind-hearted, working American people? Those folks were at their desks at work before 9 a.m., so why is it that they and we and America is so hated?

Let us not forget that the Nazis knew that the light of freedom from America was a force which would derail their evil plans. Hitler then declared war on us. Similarly, the Japanese militarists of the 1930s knew full well that the only force in the world that stood in their way of ruling Asia and the Pacific with an iron hand was the United States of America; and they, too, attacked us.

The attack on New York was, of course, worse than Pearl Harbor. Then our Navy, our military personnel and their weapons, were the target. What happened in New York was far more cowardly an attack, a ruthless slaughter of civilians, of unarmed and totally innocent men, women and children. A united America rose up after Pearl Harbor and righteously struck down those evil forces that threatened the world at that time.

During the years after the Second World War, it was America that stood tall and faced down the last great totalitarian evil that threatened this planet, communism. Communism, like

Naziism, was defeated in a Cold War that sometimes was very hot. Victory was assured by our resolve, by our courage, and by tough decisions made by our leaders, America's leaders.

I worked in the White House during the years when Ronald Reagan brought an end to the Cold War, culminating with the dismantling of the communist dictatorship that controlled Russia and its puppet states. Essential to that great victory was President Reagan's support for various people who were fighting to free themselves from communist tyranny.

The bravest and most fierce of these anti-Soviet insurgents were in Afghanistan. The American people can be proud that we provided the Afghan people the weapons they needed to win their own freedom and independence. That Cold War battle was a major factor in breaking the will of the communist bosses in Moscow, thus ending the Cold War, making almost everyone on this planet in these last 10 years, especially in the Western democracies, safer and more prosperous.

This, however, is where we must begin to understand the grotesque crime that has now been committed against us. One of the common errors found in news reports in these last few days has been the suggestion that those holding power in Afghanistan today are the same people who we supported in the war against Soviet occupation in Afghanistan back in the 1980s. This, by and large, is wrong.

Yes, some of those currently in power in Kabul also fought the Russians. But, by and large, we are talking about two different groups, two different sets of people. Those who fought the Soviet occupation were called the Mujahedin. During my time at the White House during the 1980s, I had the opportunity to meet and get to know most of their leaders. The current Taliban leadership does not include any of those wartime leaders.

After I left the White House and was elected to Congress, but before I was sworn into Congress, I knew I had that two months between November and January to do things that I could never do once I was elected to Congress. I chose to hike into Afghanistan as part of a small Mujahedin unit and to engage in a battle against the Russian and communist forces near and around the city of Jalalabad.

The Mujahedin I marched with were incredibly brave, but they were not senseless killers. Their religious faith was devout, but they were not fanatics. They prayed daily, but I did not see them chastising those who were not joining them in prayer. They faced death, but their dreams were of life.

I will never forget one moment as I hiked in from the Khyber Pass and around to the other side of Jalalabad to join this battle. As we marched forth into the night with the Mujahedin unit, the nights were lit up by, and you could hear the thunder, of cannons and see the flash of the can-

nons in the distance. We knew we were hiking into a battle.

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One of the Mujahedin in this unit with which I marched rushed to my side, and he was probably around 16 or 17 years old, with an AK-47 strapped across his back. He talked to me in perfect English saying, I understand that you are in politics in America. I said, yes, I am a political person in America. He said, I need to know, are you a donkey or are you an elephant?

I will never forget that young person. He knew more about our politics, and certainly none of our young people could know that much about what was going on in that part of the world. As he marched into this battle, he told me of his dream to be an architect so that someday he could help rebuild his country, Afghanistan, into a decent place for families and for people to live, and expressed to me how grateful he was to me and to all Americans for the help that we were giving them to throw off the Soviet occupation forces that were so brutal to their countrymen. I do not know if that young man ever survived that war.

It was a year later when the Russians retreated from Afghanistan and the Russians left. The United States, which had been providing \$1 billion a year to finance that war, we simply walked away. We walked away and left Afghanistan to its own fate.

After years of death and destruction, we walked away; we left them with no guidance and no resources to even rebuild. We did not even help them clear the landmines which we had personally given the Mujahedin to help them defeat the Russians, much less clear the Russian landmines that were still there. We left these brave heroes who helped us end the Cold War; we left them to sleep in the rubble. Most importantly, we left them with no leadership, except that of Pakistan and Saudi Arabia, two countries that have played a shameful role in Afghanistan over these last 10 years.

After the collapse of the Communist regime in Afghanistan, the Mujahedin factions who fought the Russians, but with no direction from the United States, began bickering and fighting among themselves. This went on for several years. Then, in 1996, a new force appeared, seemingly out of nowhere: the Taliban. These were fresh, well-equipped forces who had, by and large, sat out the war in Pakistan. They had been in Pakistan in what they called schools. "Taliban," by the way, means student, even though most of these are older men who are totally illiterate. All of the money America provided the Mujahedin during the war had to be sent through; that is, the war against Soviet Union occupation, had to be sent through the equivalent of the Pakistani CIA, which is called the ISI. But apparently, the Pakistanis had siphoned enough off to create a third force, and since the war was over and

the other factions had been bled white, they could use this third force to dominate Afghanistan.

Also behind the Taliban is and was Saudi Arabia. During the war against the Russians, the Saudis provided the Afghan resistance with hundreds of millions of dollars. For that we can be grateful. They are one of the few countries that stepped up to the plate during the Cold War to actually confront the Soviet Union aggression. Unfortunately, however, the Saudis were financing antiwestern as well as AntiCommunist Muslims, and one of those who they financed was bin Laden.

I cannot forget also as I marched with that Mujahedin unit to the battle of Jalalabad and, by the way, that battle was a long-time siege that had been taking place around the city, we at one point in that march came across a camp of tents. They were white tents and you could see them in the distance, and I was told at that point I must not speak English for at least another 3 hours, because the people in those tents were Saudi Arabians under a crazy commander named bin Laden, and that bin Laden was so crazy that he wanted to kill Americans as much as he wanted to kill Russians. Thus, I must keep my mouth shut or we would be attacked by those forces, by those forces under bin Laden.

Later, much later, after I had become a Congressman, I met with the head of Saudi intelligence, the man responsible for providing that money to the Afghans during the war, the \$200 million or so, or whatever it was that the Saudis provided to the Afghans. His name was General Turkey. I suggested to General Turkey that what we needed to do now that the Russians had left Afghanistan was to bring back to Afghanistan the exiled king of Afghanistan. It was King Zahir Shah who was overthrown in 1972. It was that overthrow of this king who had been a very good person and a good man, it was his overthrow that started the bloody cycle of events which eventually led to the Soviet Union invasion of 1979 and the subsequent war against Soviet Union occupation.

I suggested to bring back the king of Afghanistan because he was a wonderful person and beloved by his people. He was a person who was a moderate in his approach and never killed other people. He, in fact, was truly a moderate and, I might say, pro-western or western oriented, although a devout Muslim. But the Saudis wanted nothing to do with bringing back a moderate good-hearted king from exile. They and their Pakistani allies were in the process of creating a secret third force that I did not know anything about: the Taliban. But during my conversation, it was mentioned that a third force was being created, one that could take over Afghanistan and bring stability, but, of course, one that would do the bidding of their Pakistani and Saudi handlers.

One must wonder why the Saudi Arabians and the Pakistanis are even to this day so involved in Afghanistan. This is an important fact of history that we need to understand. Number one, the type of religious fervor they have and the type of Islam they have in Saudi Arabia is very similar to that in Afghanistan. It is unbending and intolerant and they do not permit any other faith in their country. Also, the Pakistanis, a large number of the Pakistanis, especially those who were the Pastuns up near the border of Afghanistan, they too share the same type of extremist and fanatic branch of Islam, even though that has nothing to do, it is an aberration, with the rest of Islam throughout the world. So that is number one. They have that in common.

But the Pakistanis and the Saudis have two other things in common. As long as chaos was able to reign and continues in Afghanistan, there will never be a pipeline built through Afghanistan that permits the oil from central Asia. This vast quantity of oil that we know exists in central Asia, it cannot be brought to market because a pipeline will never be built through Afghanistan while the Taliban is in power and while chaos reigns. What does that mean? That means oil prices have been much higher, maybe \$5 a barrel higher, than they would have been had Afghanistan been under a good king and a stable government and a pipeline built that would have brought that oil out into the world market; and there are vast quantities of oil in central Asia waiting, just waiting to come to market.

The other factor is drugs. Unfortunately, there are many corrupt people and there are corrupt people all over the world, but there are many corrupt people in the Pakistani intelligence system, people who have been involved with drugs right up to their eyeballs. And what has Afghanistan produced in these last 10 years? Sixty percent of the world's heroin. Sixty percent of the world's heroin comes from Afghanistan. That huge amount of money, I knew, would bring down the government of Pakistan, the democracy of Pakistan.

Today, instead of a democracy, Pakistan has a military government because of the instability that is created by a Taliban regime of fanatics right next door. But there were people in Pakistan that profited by that regime.

When the Taliban fist arrived on the scene, people believed that they would be a force for stability. So, by and large, they were welcomed by many Afghan people, except in the northern provinces. And let me note that when the Taliban first arrived on the scene, they were carrying pictures of the old exiled king, Zahir Shah, claiming they were going to bring back the king, as I say, a much beloved figure. Well, the people in the northern provinces were not fooled, and the Taliban, they did not want the Taliban to take over their areas; and the Taliban were blocked by

local commanders unwilling to permit these unfamiliar troops, as I say, many of whom totally sat out the war against the Russians. They were not going to let them just come in and take over their territory. And all too soon, the people of Afghanistan and the rest of the world were to discover that the Pakistanis and the Saudis had created a monster.

The Taliban were and are medieval in their words, in their world view, and their religious view. They are violent, they are intolerant, they are fanatics that are totally out of sync with Muslims throughout the world, even Muslims in their own country, and they are especially out of sync with Muslims living in the western democracies.

The Taliban are best known for their horrific treatment of women, but they are violators of human rights across the board. They have jailed and threatened to execute Christian aid workers. And let us not forget those Christian aid workers who are in Afghanistan being held under arrest as we speak. In fact, they have jailed and threatened to execute these Christian aid workers, people who came there to help their people, for allegedly, allegedly daring to espouse a belief in Jesus Christ. That is enough to get them executed in Afghanistan.

The Taliban have ended all personal freedoms. Freedom of speech and press are not even under consideration. And the Taliban ruled by fear and force and when they were asked, and I challenged them to have an election so the people of Afghanistan could choose their government and if they chose the Taliban, so be it, the Taliban only laughed and stonewalled and refused to even consider permitting the Afghan people to have an election and choose their leaders.

Mr. Speaker, the Taliban are as big an enemy of the United States and, yes, as big an enemy of the Afghan people as they are to the people of the United States. The Taliban believe they have a private line to God, and the rest of us, with our religious restrictions are, according to the Taliban, we are not only wrong, but we are evil. That is why they have been willing to give safe haven to the likes of bin Laden, the Saudi terrorist who has been now in Afghanistan for several years. About 5 years he has been in Afghanistan, we have known he has been there, he has been visible. And while he has been there, he has been clearly training terrorists and planning out his attacks. This is nothing new. We have known about that. And oh, yes, bin Laden has an army of several thousand gunmen who he has brought in from various parts of the world, so they are foreigners to the people of Afghanistan, and this group of gunmen have been running around Afghanistan like a pack of mad dogs killing anyone who is an enemy to Taliban power. These foreign religious fanatics have killed thousands of Afghans, so the Taliban and bin Laden are as despised

in that country as they are in our country today.

For these last few years, the Taliban, with the support of Saudi Arabia and Pakistan, have captured control of all but a small portion of Afghanistan. Only the Panjshir Valley territory in northeastern Afghanistan and the Shamali Plains north of Kabul are under the control and have been under the control of a legendary and dashing leader named Commander Massoud and they remain free of Taliban domination.

The day before the attack on the world trade towers and the Pentagon, there was an attempt to kill Commander Massoud. Many of us thought he was dead, he was reported dead, but he struggled for life for another 5 days and just died 2 days ago.

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However, the attack on Commander Massoud; and I knew him, I had met him in Afghanistan. By the way, I will just say that I have been in and out of Afghanistan several times in these last few years.

The last time I went in was to see Commander Massoud. The attack on the commander told me something terrible was about to happen, something terrible was about to happen, because Massoud was someone that bin Laden understood that if he did something that would make the United States or someone else very angry at him, that Massoud was someone that would be turned to immediately by our side to ally with.

So before the attack on the World Trade Towers and on the Pentagon, bin Laden and his terrorists attacked Commander Massoud and, unfortunately, succeeded in killing him and eliminating Commander Massoud from the equation today.

I was so concerned about this, understanding that this was telling us that something horrible was going to happen, that I made an appointment to see the top officials in the White House in the National Security Council. My appointment with the National Security Council at the White House was to warn them that this attack on Massoud obviously meant something big was about to happen. My appointment was for 2:30 that afternoon. Unfortunately, at 8:45 that morning, the first plane slammed into the World Trade Center.

But the Taliban domination of Afghanistan was something that we could have ended long ago. Commander Massoud and the Northern Alliance were fighting the Taliban unsupported, with no help from the outside for years.

As a Member of Congress, for years I pleaded with the previous administration, I pleaded with them at the highest levels to provide some kind of help for the Northern Alliance, which was then fighting almost without bullets and weapons against the Taliban. They could have done something, and no one in that administration was willing to

do it. So I believe that in many ways the previous administration was responsible for keeping the Taliban in power, even though during this very same time period, this very same time period, bin Laden was openly declaring war in the United States, planning attacks against us and building a terrorist network.

Every time I suggest that the last administration was in some way acquiescing to the Taliban being in power, there are those who just go ballistic because they believe I am being partisan at a moment when national unity is obviously the order of the day.

Let me emphasize that I am not being partisan. As a senior member of the Committee on International Relations, I officially requested State Department documents that would prove or disprove my suspicion that the last administration was secretly supporting the Taliban, and I was stonewalled in that request.

Let me make this clear. I am a senior member of the Committee on International Relations. It is my job to oversee the State Department. Other people have other committees, and they oversee those agencies and departments. As a member of that committee, that is part of my job.

The gentleman from New York (Mr. GILMAN) joined me in a request for these. Madeleine Albright, Secretary of State, promised I would have the documents. I wanted the documents pertaining to the development of our government's policy toward the Taliban. Yet, as an elected official, I had unelected officials, executives at the State Department, refusing to grant me the access to understand what our policy was toward the Taliban. I was instead given meaningless documents.

Members will hear in answer to this charge: "We gave the gentleman from California (Mr. ROHRBACHER) documents," but these were meaningless documents that had nothing to do with the development of the Taliban strategy. I never saw any of the documents about how we should approach the Taliban.

The State Department made a joke out of Congress' right to oversee America's foreign policy, especially towards Afghanistan. I pleaded with my colleagues to back me up in that demand. I will say that several Democrats did back me up in demanding that the previous administration provide me with that documentation.

But why? Why is it that I was stonewalled? Why is it that they never gave me those documents? I have to believe because those documents would show that the previous administration did consciously acquiesce to having the Taliban in power, probably as some kind of agreement with Saudi Arabia and Pakistan that they would be permitted to dominate this country, even though it was clear that a terrorist network was being set up there and that America was the target of that terrorist network. Americans had al-

ready been murdered by that time, in Saudi Arabia, with barracks blown up and such.

By the way, in Afghanistan and in that region, it is commonly believed by the people that the United States created the Taliban and that we support the Taliban. There are reasons that they believe that we supported the Taliban.

In 1996, for example, and this is a very poignant example, and I hope people will look at this example very closely, in 1996, the Taliban overextended their forces and thousands of their best fighters were captured in northern Afghanistan. The Taliban regime was vulnerable as never before and never since. It was a tremendous opportunity. The Northern Alliance could easily have dealt a knock-out punch to the Taliban.

At that time, I was in personal contact with the leader of the Northern Alliance, and I recommended to them a quick attack and that they bring back the old king, Zahir Shah, and he is in exile in Rome, and that they bring him back until some form of democratic process could be established. Thus, they would have a figurehead government with the old king for a period of time, and then they could establish a democratic process.

This was a turning point. That was doable. It could have been easily accomplished. The Taliban were vulnerable. Who saved the Taliban? Again, please, I am not being partisan when I say this, who saved the Taliban when they were vulnerable? It is my belief that President Bill Clinton saved the Taliban when they were the most vulnerable.

I beg Members, do not dismiss what I say as being partisan. I would never sink to that level at a time like this, when American lives have been taken.

What happened was at this moment, when the Taliban could have been eliminated, President Clinton dispatched Assistant Secretary of State Inderfurth and Bill Richardson, our United Nations Ambassador, to convince the leader of the Northern Alliance not to go on the offensive. That was when they were the most vulnerable. Our top leaders, our United Nations Ambassador, was dispatched, along with the top leader in the State Department, to go and tell them not to attack the Taliban.

These two high-level American officials were sent by President Clinton to propose a cease-fire and a supposed arms embargo on all sides. Of course, the minute that the cease-fire went into effect, and of course the Northern Alliance agreed to that, because they thought we were being sincere and they could trust the United States, but the minute that cease-fire went into effect, the Saudis and Pakistanis began a massive rearming and resupply effort to rebuild the Taliban forces in an equivalent to the Berlin airlift, and that was easy to spot.

It was easy to see that tons and tons, airplane after airplane was landing at

Kabul Airport with military supplies from Saudi Arabia and from Pakistan. I knew about it. Our intelligence services had to know about it. But guess what, the Northern Alliance was kept in the dark until the Taliban were totally restored to their strength. When they were, the Taliban went on the offensive. They drove the Northern Alliance, which had had an arms embargo against them during this time period, which we enforced, and we convinced people not to give them weapons, they drove the Taliban, drove them out of the country.

For years, I begged the previous administration, our government, to support those resisting the Taliban regime, to support the former King Zahir Shah, and to let him head an interim government until a more democratic process could be put in place. This was an alternative we had. Instead, the only response that I got from the previous administration was stonewalling, stonewalling that and stonewalling my request to find out what the government's real policies were.

All the while, bin Laden, had killed American military personnel at that time, had declared war on the United States, and was running around Afghanistan openly, using it as a base of operations, a safe haven for terrorists. This man even tried to organize an attack on the Pope in the Philippines. His terrorists are responsible for the kidnapping there in the southern Philippines, and we have given him a safe haven all these years. We did nothing.

We were, in fact, I believe, acquiescing to Taliban control because I believe it was an understanding, as I say, between Saudi Arabia and Pakistan to let them dominate Afghanistan. This understanding was obviously turning into a nightmare. Even if it made sense in the beginning to have such an understanding, we should have seen what was going on, but our leaders lacked the will to change that situation.

Over and over again, I warned that our policy toward the Taliban would come back to hurt us. I was ignored and at times belittled.

Mr. Speaker, I have an example of 7 times, and of the many, by the way, not just 7, not just 14, but many, many more times that I stood either on the House floor or in subcommittee warning that if we did not do something about the Taliban, that it would come back and dramatically hurt the United States of America. These warnings that were ignored over and over again, even while the State Department stonewalled my efforts to get the information.

Mr. Speaker, I include these documents for the RECORD.

The material referred to is as follows:

September 9, 1999—IR Committee Hearing: "I would again alert my fellow members of this committee that what is going on in Afghanistan is as important to America's National security as what is going on in Iran, because we have a terrorist base camp."

August 11, 1998—Letter to Nawaz Sharif, Prime Minister Pakistan: "International

Terrorists like Osama bin Laden will become the deans of terrorism schools in Afghanistan. For example, the recent bombings of U.S. embassies in Africa are tied to Osama bin Laden and his thugs."

May 21, 1998—Letter to Newt Gingrich, Speaker of the House: "As you may know, Afghanistan has become the world's largest source of heroin. It is also one of the key terrorist training and staging areas in the world. Further, instability in Afghanistan limits the economic and democratic development of Central Asian states and negatively impacts U.S. Policy toward Iran. In short events in Afghanistan affect the lives of more than 200 million people in the Central and South Asian region."

August 10, 1998—Letter to Karl Indefurth: "I have been preparing serious alternatives for Afghan policy for the past six years. I have found no willingness on the part of this administration to even try the alternatives that I have suggested. I have come to the conclusion that our goals are different. But for the time being I will give you the benefit of the doubt. The Stakes go far beyond Afghanistan. There will be no peace in central Asia, or on the subcontinent between India and Pakistan until the U.S. decides that there will be no peace on this region or elsewhere with a policy that is not based on the fundamental principles of representative government and opposition to tyranny."

June 29, 2001—IR Committee Hearing: "This regime has permitted terrorists to use Afghanistan as a base of operations from which their country has been used as a springboard for operations that have cost the lives of people throughout the Middle East, as well as targeted Americans. That alone should giveaways a message about the regime and our commitment and what ultimately should have been done."

July 19, 1999—Floor Debate on the American Embassy Security Act of 1999: "As the gentleman from New York (Mr. Gilman) has stated, among the greatest threats to the security of American diplomatic missions and personnel is by Osama bin Laden and his legion of terrorists who train and operate out of Afghanistan. The primary benefactors of bin Laden's terrorists are elements in Pakistan and the extremist Taliban militia, who not only host and protect bin Laden but have imposed a reign of terror on the people of Afghanistan and especially on the women of Afghanistan."

October 30, 2000—Floor Debate on State Department authorization: "This member and anyone who is in the Committee on International Relations will testify, for years I have been warning what results of this administration's policy towards Afghanistan would be. For years, I predicted over and over again that, unless we did something in Afghanistan to change the situation, that we would end up with Afghanistan as the center of terrorism, a base for terrorism not only in Central Asia but for the world."

November 9, 1999—House Floor Debate on Afghanistan: "A terrorist trained in Afghanistan helped blow up a building which housed our military people in Saudi Arabia. There was an assassination attempt on the Pope. They found out that the terrorist who was going to assassinate the Pope was trained in Afghanistan. We can not let this go on, because not only is it immoral to let this go on, but practically speaking, if we do, it will come back and hurt us."

But why were we not warned then? It was clear something was going on in Afghanistan. Why were we not warned by others of the horrific attack that was about to be launched on us, the American people?

There was a headline in The Washington Post on September 14 sug-

gesting that America's intelligence services have been conducting a secret war against bin Laden for several years. If that is true, then we need to fire all of the incompetent leaders of that covert war, because they were responsible for protecting us from this heinous and cowardly gang; and they obviously have dramatically failed.

Instead, there was no warning. Yet, we were told the heads of our intelligence organizations were focused on bin Laden. There is a war being conducted against bin Laden, we were focused on him, and he was able to attack us and slaughter thousands of our people without any warning from these people who were supposedly focused on him?

We spend tens of billions of dollars annually for good intelligence, and we have tens of thousands of people committed to this endeavor. And they totally missed a terrorist operation of this magnitude run by their number one targeted terrorist. This was clearly the worst failure of American intelligence in our history.

I cannot help but remember, in another poignant story, I cannot help but remember a few years ago I was called by a friend who had worked in Afghanistan during the war against the Russians. This man has thousands of friends in Afghanistan because he had been there, and he had helped thousands of Afghans who were his friends and looked at him as a wonderful person. He had kept in touch with them.

He indicated to me that he could pinpoint bin Laden's location. I passed on his phone number to the CIA. After a week, he had yet to be contacted, so I called them again. For another week there was no response. When I gave them this man's credentials, I told them, "This is a man who knows about Afghanistan. He has sources that you do not have." They did not call him for 2 weeks. Another week, no response.

Finally, I contacted the gentleman from Florida (Mr. Goss), the chairman of the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence here in the Congress. He set up a meeting with me and the bin Laden task force. There they were, the CIA, the NSA, the FBI. Guess what? They, too, left my friend waiting by his phone and did not follow up.

After weeks, finally, a second time when the gentleman from Florida (Mr. Goss) had to call them on the carpet, my friend was at last contacted. He described the agents who talked to him as being somewhat disinterested. That may have been because by the time they got to him, over a month had passed and perhaps the tip-off was a little stale. Or perhaps, as we are learning in the paper today, or not today but yesterday, when there were reports in the paper, that our intelligence services knew about the location of bin Laden several times but were not permitted to attack him. So there are people in the intelligence services that wanted to go forward and did not end and could not because of decisions

made by people higher up, or perhaps in their own agencies, people who were incompetent.

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My friends, the slaughter of these thousands of Americans must be avenged, there is no doubt about it; and we must see to it that such a monstrous crime can never happen again. To accomplish this, we must be strong and we must be smart. Now, we do not need our troops, the worst thing we could do is just try to send an army into Afghanistan. If there are two rules of modern warfare it is you do not march on Moscow and you do not invade Afghanistan. That does not mean, however, that we cannot commit military action. I think this calls for military action.

We should already be dispatching special forces teams and rangers to those countries on the northern border of Afghanistan. Those teams and other military units should establish a system of supply and equip those Afghans friendly to the United States so that they can free themselves, with our help, from Taliban rule. We can then join them. Once Taliban rule has been eliminated in Afghanistan, we can join them in hunting down and killing every member of bin Laden's terrorist gang and hanging their bodies from the gate.

But revenge is not an end in itself. We cannot permit ourselves to strike out blindly, to hurt people who have nothing to do with this. Some people have said, oh, let us bomb Kabul. Kabul is filled with people who hate the Taliban. Afghanistan is filled with people who hate the Taliban. We cannot make enemies out of people who will be our allies.

We must be smart and not just strong. Revenge in itself is not the answer, even though revenge is called for. By killing bin Laden and his gang, it is not just revenge; it is an act also of deterrence, of saving lives. We must keep in mind that our motive is to prevent further terrorist attacks slaughtering our own citizens, and especially by making sure we work with other people in the Muslim world and elsewhere who will join us in this effort, and not just the Muslim world and not just others who are on the periphery.

We need to lead this world, as our President, George W. Bush, is doing, to set a new moral standard. We have to keep to that moral standard as we proceed to seek justice and vengeance for the death of our people. That new moral standard has got to be that non-combatants will not be attacked. We will not kill unarmed innocent people in order to achieve a political objective.

Now, when people attack other people's military, as the Japanese did in the beginning of World War II, that was an act of war; it was not an act of terrorism. Yes, people can commit acts of war; but let us set a standard, a moral standard that we will proceed and de-

mand and enforce that no longer will anyone be able to set a bomb off in a pizza place or retaliation will not take place against unarmed civilians, no matter what that crime was. And there are legitimate concerns in the Middle East by all sides that both sides of the Palestinian-Israeli battle have over the time of this conflict attacked unarmed people or retaliated against unarmed people when someone else's unarmed people were attacked.

The new standard should be for this world that we will not tolerate women and children be used as targets or unarmed combatants being used for targets for any reason. First, our dead Americans, yes, they will be avenged; but they will be avenged by establishing this new standard. Hopefully, that will deter at least some of those swine who contemplate such attacks in the future. And by affirming that the targeting of unarmed combatants anywhere in the world for whatever reason will not be tolerated, we have taken a major step forward.

We will be building a better world even if it is being built on the ashes of this tragedy. We will do it by seeing to it that the bin Ladens of this planet are never again, which is a corollary to this, those people who are committing such terrorist attacks against unarmed people, nowhere will they be given safe haven. And any country that provides safe haven for the terrorists who target these innocents, that will not be tolerated; and they will be held responsible for the terrorist acts that are being committed by people who use their country as a staging area. And those countries which harbor the criminals, those countries which help them launder their money, those countries that give them support, they themselves will pay a heavy price for this criminal disregard for the victims of terrorism. There will and must be an accounting across the board.

At home, those top government executives whose policies protected the Taliban must be held accountable. Those people who stonewalled the Congress' efforts to get that information of what our policy was; those officials who in the Taliban were vulnerable convinced their enemies not to attack. The intelligence officers who were supposed to be protecting us, those people in the State Department who should have been adhering to America's moral and ethical and political standards and supporting those opposed to the Taliban rather than acquiescing to leaving the Taliban in power because of the argument of stability, those State Department people, those intelligence officers, these are executives, are not political appointees. These are top-level executives who have been there for years. They need to be cleared out. They need to be held responsible for the slaughter of thousands of Americans without any warning.

We had no warning here in Washington, D.C. at all. They could have destroyed this Capitol building. We had

no warning. With a massive operation like this, and we had no warning. It is incompetence on our side. We have to do that; we have to correct this in order to make sure it does not happen again. All of this pounding of our chests and expressing our moral outrage means nothing unless we are willing to take that type of action. And it is not easy telling someone, I am sorry you're out of your job because you were incompetent.

Those countries, Afghanistan, Pakistan, Saudi Arabia, they have a price to pay. We will figure out what it is. First and foremost they have to do a reversal on what they are doing to protect the Taliban and protect the terrorists right now. And we will figure out what they have to do to make up for what they have done that led to this crime.

And, finally, the murdering terrorists themselves will pay the ultimate price. They will pay this price. We will have victory over those ghouls who murdered our defenseless fellow Americans. We will win, because we are united as never before, and because this generation of Americans, as these terrorists will find out, have the courage, the tenacity, and the ideals that have always been America's greatest source of strength.

It is up to us to do this. Past generations of Americans met the challenge. They saved the world time and again. It is up to us to do it again, and we will. We will do it because it is our duty and nothing will deter us.

#### ON TERRORIST ATTACK OF SEPTEMBER 11, 2001

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. CULBERSON). Under the Speaker's announced policy of January 3, 2001, the gentleman from California (Mr. Dreier) is recognized for 60 minutes.

Mr. DREIER. Mr. Speaker, I would like to take a few minutes to talk about a number of very important issues, building in many ways on the remarks of my friend from Huntington Beach, who, as he said very appropriately, was one of the key leaders in our effort to ensure that the Soviet Union was extricated from Afghanistan during the 1980s. It was a very troubling time; but, Mr. Speaker, as you recall, there was a tremendous victory, a victory because forcing the Soviets from Afghanistan was critically important to the demise of the Berlin Wall and the Soviet Union. So that is why we should celebrate what it is that we were able to do during the 1980s; but at the same time, we need to look at where we are today and what we need to do as a Nation.

It is very true that over the past several years we have seen a crumbling of our relationship with some countries that had been traditional allies of ours during the war between Afghanistan and the Soviet Union, and specifically Pakistan, the country to which my friend, the gentleman from (Mr. ROHR-ABACHER), referred. Today, however, I



believe it is very important for us to recognize that General Pervaiz Musharraf, who in fact took the leadership of that country in a coup, has made a decision. He made a choice. And, obviously, we need to do everything that we can to ensure that he made the right choice and that he stands by that. He made a choice between the Taliban and those who were tolerant of what took place a week ago tomorrow, and not only the United States of America but the civilized world. So I am very pleased that that choice was made.

We also have other so-called moderate Arab countries in the region; and those countries have, I believe, made a correct and appropriate choice. And there are nations with which we have not had any kind of friendly relationship over the past several years that I believe can in fact align with the civilized world in opposition to the heinous acts which took place last week.

Mr. Speaker, today is a very important day in the history of the United States of America. September 17 is always known as Constitution Day; 214 years ago today the Constitution was ratified. I have the privilege later this afternoon of joining Supreme Court Justice Kennedy in a celebration of Constitution Day. He and I are going to be reciting, in unison, all across the country by a hookup, the preamble of our great Constitution. I thought I would take just a moment, since today is Constitution Day, to share that with our colleagues.

The preamble of this inspired document begins: "We the people of the United States, in order to form a more perfect union, establish justice, ensure domestic tranquility, provide for the common defense, promote the general welfare . . . do ordain and establish this Constitution for the United States of America."

Now, Mr. Speaker, as we look at that brilliant preamble, I truly believe that those five words right in the middle of that preamble, and I have stood here many times and recited that as we have talked about our Nation's defense posture, those five words, which are so important, are "provide for the common defense." So as we celebrate Constitution Day across the country, I believe it is important for us to underscore that the most important issue that the Federal Government here in Washington, D.C. deals with is to provide for the common defense and the safety and security of the American people and our interests around the world.

On this important day, I think it is great to note that the heinous acts that were committed last Tuesday were not in vain. We will be a stronger Nation because of this. We will be a stronger Nation having gone through this, the worst week in our Nation's modern history, the largest attack on civilians in the United States in our 214-year history and, as has been pointed out by many, more lives, nearly

twice the number of lives lost than were lost at Pearl Harbor.

As we look at the challenges and as we look at where we go from here, it is important to note that this Nation had some incredible heroes last week.

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This morning I listened to the radio to my friend Hugh Hewitt who has a great morning program. It is based in Los Angeles. It is syndicated across the country. He shared an account which I would like to share with our colleagues, an Associated Press report that was carried yesterday. This has to do with the tragic crash of flight number 93 that took place near Johnstown, Pennsylvania.

I was moved last week when our colleague, the gentleman from Pennsylvania (Mr. MURTHA), when we were in the midst of debating the supplemental appropriation bill, let me say before I read this Associated Press article, Mr. Speaker, that to me it was very, very moving to see the extraordinary level of bipartisanship, not only patriotism across our country, but this extraordinary level of bipartisan that we saw right here in this institution.

People who have been some of the most strident and harshest critics of the man I consider to be our great President, were as enthusiastic in their support of his actions and his demeanor as any of the rest of us who have been longtime friends and supporters of his.

So, Congressman MURTHA told about the accounts that he had received of what took place on flight 93 that was headed to San Francisco and that reportedly the hijackers were going to bring right into this city, possibly into this Capitol dome that is right above where I stand today. This account is a very moving one about one individual.

It begins, quote, "'Are you guys ready? Let's roll.'" It is an expression Todd Beamer used whenever his wife and two young sons were leaving their home for a family outing. It was also the expression the 32-year-old businessman and Sunday school teacher used before he and other passengers apparently took action against hijackers aboard United Airlines Flight 93, his wife was told by an operator who talked to Beamer just before the plane crashed in a western Pennsylvania field on Tuesday.

"The plane, which government officials suspect was headed for a high-profile target in Washington, was the fourth to crash in a coordinated terrorist attack that killed thousands, and the only one that did not take lives on the ground.

Quote, "'He was gentle by nature. He was also very competitive, and he would not stand for anyone being hurt,'" said Lisa Beamer, whose account coincides with other crash victims' relatives who received calls from loved ones aboard the plane." Quote, "'Knowing that he helped save lives by bringing that plane down, it brings joy to a

situation where there is not much to be found.'" "

"Todd Beamer placed a call on one of the Boeing 757's on-board telephones and spoke for 13 minutes with GTE operator, Lisa D. Jefferson, Beamer's wife said. He provided detailed information about the hijacking, and after the operator told him about the morning's World Trade Center and Pentagon attacks, said he and the others on the plane were planning to act against the terrorists aboard, Lisa Beamer said.

"'They may have realized that the hijackers were planning to do the same thing with their plane,' Beamer said Sunday in a telephone interview from her Hightstown, New Jersey home. "'So they chose to do what they could to prevent other people from being hurt.'"

"Before the call ended and with yelling heard in the background, Todd Beamer asked the operator to pray with him. Together they recited the 23rd Psalm which includes the passage, 'The Lord leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.'"

"Then he asked Jefferson to promise she would call his wife of 7 years and their two sons, David and Andrew. She is expecting a third child in January. After finally receiving clearance from investigators, Jefferson kept her promise Friday.

Quote, "'People asked me if I am upset that I did not speak with him. But I am glad he called Jefferson instead,' Lisa Beamer said. 'I would have been helpless and I know what his last words would have been to me anyway. I think that is why he chose the method he did.'"

"Beamer said her husband placed the call at 9:45 a.m. Tuesday and told Jefferson that there were three knife-wielding hijackers on board and one had what appeared to be a bomb tied to his chest with a red belt. Two of the hijackers were in the cockpit with the door locked. The pilot and co-pilot were forced out and the man with the apparent bomb stayed in the rear of the aircraft. The jet was bobbing and changed course several times. The passengers knew that they would never land in San Francisco.

Quote, "'They realized they were going to die. Todd said he and some other passengers were going to jump on the guy with the bomb,' Lisa Beamer said.

"Several other passengers made phone calls from the jet just before it crashed southeast of Pittsburgh. Jeremy Glick, 31; Mark Bingham, 31; and Thomas Burnett, 38, all called loved ones. Glick and Burnett said they were going to do something. Quote, 'Clearly we know the plane that crashed outside Pittsburgh was headed for Washington.'

"Vice President Dick Cheney said on NBC's Meet the Press Sunday, 'Without question, the attack would have been much worse if it had not been for the courageous acts of those individuals on United 93.'

“After the prayer was finished and the promise was made to call his wife, Todd Beamer dropped the phone, leaving the line open. It was then that the operator heard Beamer’s words, ‘Let’s roll.’

“They were the last words she heard. The phone went silent and the plane crashed, killing all 44 people aboard. United issued a statement Sunday saying one of the 37 passengers had purchased two tickets, so the number of people had been incorrectly reported at 45.

“‘Some people live their whole lives, long lives, without having left anything behind,’ Lisa Beamer said. ‘My sons will be told their whole lives that their father was a hero, that he saved lives. It is a great legacy for a father to leave his children.’

“Bobbi Hennessey, a spokeswoman for GTE parent company Verizon Communications, declined to comment Sunday and a telephone number for Jefferson could not be determined. However, a Verizon employee, speaking on condition of anonymity, confirmed that Jefferson is a supervisor for the company.”

This obviously is an example, Mr. Speaker, of the kind of heroism that we saw last Tuesday. When we think of the horrendous loss of life, the suffering that we as a Nation and a civilized world have encountered, it makes it even more important for us as a Nation to unite, which we have clearly done so well.

I was thinking of the names of our two largest airlines, United and American. Clearly America is united, and there are so many things that have played a role in bringing us together, the likes of which I have never seen in my entire life.

But the resilience of the American people is something that is so great and so wonderful. Last night, Andy Rooney on 60 Minutes said Tom Brokaw, who of course authored that wonderful book known as *The Greatest Generation*, may have to rename the book to *One of the Greatest Generations*. We have seen young men and women across this country say they are willing to stand up and fight for the United States of America and everything that we stand for.

But it is not only these young people of this new wonderful generation who for the first time have realized how great and fortunate they are to be Americans, but it is those who have sacrificed before.

About a year ago, I had an opportunity to present a Purple Heart to a very courageous prisoner of war from the Second World War, a man called Dominick Trapoti, who lives in Temple City, California. I found that to be one of the greatest rewards as a Member of Congress to be able to do. Mr. Trapoti shared his story about what he went through as a prisoner of war nearly 60 years ago. Dominick Trapoti came to my office in California last week, and he wanted to reenlist. He very much

wanted to step forward and fight again on behalf of the greatest Nation the world has ever known.

When I think of a man like this, Mr. Speaker, I cannot help but think about those leaders who 214 years ago today, as they ratified the United States Constitution, had so many wonderful, wonderful things that they said.

Again, I truly believe that as our Nation is once again praying, that our Constitution was an inspired document. Thomas Jefferson, while it has never actually been determined whether he actually said this, I know that it has been attributed to him, at least the statement is Jeffersonian, when he said the condition upon which God hath given liberty to man is eternal vigilance.

That statement, I believe, Mr. Speaker, underscores once again the fact that we cannot take for granted the very precious liberty that we enjoy as a Nation; and that is why sacrifice has been made throughout this 214-year history, and obviously sacrifice is being made today.

I mention, Mr. Speaker, that there have been prayers. There have been prayers since last Tuesday. Many of us have lost friends. We have participated in services all across the country. But as we look at the challenge of the weeks and months, and, as the President and Vice President have said, possibly years ahead as we seek to rid the civilized world of terrorism, I was very proud that early in the morning on Saturday just before we adjourned, the gentleman from Michigan (Mr. BONIOR), the minority whip, the gentleman from Virginia (Mr. TOM DAVIS), the majority whip, and others, were able to move through an important resolution.

We know that war is a very difficult time for a country. Virtually every emotion is felt during this time: Pain, suffering, anger, a wide range of emotions are felt.

One of the things that has come forward that is troubling has been the fact that some in this country would choose to generalize and determine that anyone who is Arab American might in some way be tied to or responsible for some of these actions. I was very proud that we were able to, as one of the last acts before we adjourned early Saturday morning, to move unanimously through this institution a resolution which condemned any kind of discrimination or acts which are turned against those who are Muslim.

I was privileged yesterday to be able to, although the long distance, the hook-up never finally worked, but I had my representative there and I got a full report of it, to participate in a service at the Claremont Islamic Center at which there were over 700 people who on basically very short notice, one day’s notice, came to have a multi-denominational service.

I was told by the director of my office in California, my field representative, Mark Harmsen, just before he got

up to talk about the resolution that we had passed through the Congress condemning discrimination, that a young girl stood and talked about the fact that she had had someone tear off her veil.

I think as we look at these challenges, Mr. Speaker, it is important for us to realize that we cannot allow this kind of discrimination and these kinds of acts against people to take place. So I am very proud that the United States House of Representatives stood unanimously in support of our resolution condemning those acts.

Mr. Speaker, there is a lot of talk about the Muslim faith and whether or not there is widespread support for this kind of action. I know from, of course, knowing these people and having worked with leaders in the Muslim world across this continent, across the world, and here in the United States, many people who are of Arab American descent and love the United States of America as much as anyone.

While the backers and supporters and allies of Osama bin Laden and other terrorists have tried to exude the image that their believers have got to recognize that everyone else is evil, that is just a gross mischaracterization of the faith of Islam.

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A friend of mine spoke with Muhammad Ali. He, as we all know, has a difficult time communicating; but he was able to write out, and it was read, what the belief in Islam is. It is one of love, of tolerance, of peace, and of kindness. That is why we have to realize that what we are dealing with here are not religious leaders, are not people of religion. They are fanatic barbarians who want to do everything they can to bring an end to our way of life. That is why I am so gratified, as we complete the last day of the worst week in our Nation’s modern history, that we have a country that is stronger than ever.

We all saw the stock market open this morning. I somewhat tongue-in-cheek never thought that I would be euphoric as I witnessed a 550-point drop in the Dow Jones Industrial Average. The fact is the wonderful people in the New York Stock Exchange, in southern Manhattan, were able to come back to work and to get the greatest Nation the world has ever known back on track.

We are going to be, as I said, stronger because of this. I am convinced, Mr. Speaker, that as the greatest Nation the world has ever known, the United States of America will be able to emerge as an even greater leader for the world than we have been before.

I believe that President Bush was right on target when he, shortly after these tragic acts took place said, ‘Nothing—nothing—will diminish the spirit of our great country.’

Mr. Speaker, I thank you very much for your forbearance. I appreciate the fact that so many of our colleagues have been uniting together for this extraordinarily important cause. I express appreciation to the heroes like



the one whom I mentioned, Mr. Beamer, and the firefighters and law enforcement people here in the Washington, D.C. metropolitan area, in Pennsylvania and, of course, in New York City. I hope very much that we are able in the not too distant future to bring about a successful resolution to this horrendous tragedy.

SENATE ENROLLED JOINT  
RESOLUTION SIGNED

The SPEAKER announced his signature to an enrolled joint resolution of the Senate of the following title:

S.J. Res. 23. A joint resolution to authorize the use of United States Armed Forces against those responsible for the recent attacks launched against the United States.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. DREIER. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 1 o'clock and 19 minutes p.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until Wednesday September 19, 2001, at noon.

EXPENDITURE REPORTS CONCERNING OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL

Reports and amended reports concerning the foreign travel currencies and U.S. dollars utilized for official foreign travel during the fourth quarter of 2000 and the second quarter of 2001, by Committees of the House of Representatives, as well as a consolidated report of foreign currencies and U.S. dollars utilized for Speaker-authorized official travel during the second quarter of 2001, pursuant to Public Law 95-384, are as follows:

AMENDED REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, COMMITTEE ON ARMED SERVICES, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN OCT. 1 AND DEC. 31, 2000

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>
Travel to Israel, delegation expenses	12/4	12/18	Israel				96.00		839.00		935.00
Committee total							96.00		839.00		935.00

<sup>1</sup> Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.  
<sup>2</sup> If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.

BOB STUMP, Chairman, July 31, 2001.

AMENDED REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, COMMITTEE ON FINANCIAL SERVICES, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN MAY 28 AND JUNE 3, 2001

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>
Kevin MacMillan	5/28	6/3	Spain		3 784.00		788.60				1,572.60
Committee total					784.00		788.60				1,572.00

<sup>1</sup> Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.  
<sup>2</sup> If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.  
<sup>3</sup> Amended.

MICHAEL G. OXLEY, Chairman, Sept. 23, 2001.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN APR. 1 AND JUNE 30, 2001

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>
Hon. Larry Combest	5/26	5/29	Italy		1,082.00		(3)				1,082.00
	5/29	6/1	Czech Republic		1,367.00		(3)				1,367.00
	6/1	6/4	Spain		978.00		(3)				978.00
Tom Sell	4/20	4/22	Canada		784.00		(3)				784.00
Lynn Gallagher	4/20	4/22	Canada		784.00		(3)				784.00
Jason VaillanCourt	4/20	4/22	Canada		784.00		(3)				784.00
Andrew Baker	4/20	4/22	Canada		784.00		(3)				784.00
Vernie Hobert	4/20	4/22	Canada		784.00		(3)				784.00
Hon. Adam H. Putnam	4/20	4/22	Canada		784.00		(3)				784.00
Hon. Tim Holden	4/20	4/22	Canada		784.00		(3)				784.00
Hon. Eva Clayton	4/16	4/18	Brazil		538.00		(3)				538.00
Hon. Collin Peterson	4/18	4/20	Argentina		750.00		(3)				750.00
	4/20	4/22	Chili		592.00		(3)				592.00
	4/18	4/20	El Salvador		222.00		(3)				222.00
	5/30	6/2	Colombia		663.00		(3)				663.00
Committee total					13,248.00						13,248.00

<sup>1</sup> Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.  
<sup>2</sup> If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.  
<sup>3</sup> Military air transportation.

LARRY COMBEST, Chairman, July 25, 2001.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN APR. 1 AND JUNE 30, 2001

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>
Hon. Jim Kolbe	4/17	4/18	Italy		395.50		(3)				395.50
	4/18	4/20	Israel		836.00		(3)				836.00
	4/20	4/22	Jordan		441.00		(3)				441.00
	4/22	4/23	Egypt		223.00		(3)				223.00
	4/23	4/24	Ireland		451.50		(3)				451.50

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN APR. 1 AND JUNE 30, 2001—

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Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>
Hon. Nancy Pelosi	4/17	4/18	Italy		455.00		(3)				455.00
	4/18	4/20	Israel		836.00		(3)				836.00
	4/20	4/22	Jordan		472.00		(3)				472.00
	4/22	4/23	Egypt		223.00		(3)				223.00
	4/23	4/24	Ireland		451.50		(3)				451.50
Hon. Roger Wicker	4/17	4/18	Italy		455.00		(3)				455.00
	4/18	4/20	Israel		836.00		(3)				836.00
	4/20	4/22	Jordan		472.00		(3)				472.00
	4/22	4/23	Egypt		223.00		(3)				223.00
	4/23	4/24	Ireland		451.50		(3)				451.50
Mark Murray	4/17	4/18	Italy		395.00		(3)				395.00
	4/18	4/20	Israel		836.00		(3)				836.00
	4/20	4/22	Jordan		441.00		(3)				441.00
	4/22	4/23	Egypt		223.00		(3)				223.00
	4/23	4/24	Ireland		451.50		(3)				451.50
John Blazey	4/17	4/18	Italy		504.00		(3)				504.00
	4/18	4/20	Israel		836.00		(3)				836.00
	4/20	4/22	Jordan		441.00		(3)				441.00
	4/22	4/23	Egypt		223.00		(3)				223.00
	4/23	4/24	Ireland		451.50		(3)				451.50
John Shank	4/17	4/18	Italy		395.00		(3)				395.00
	4/18	4/20	Israel		836.00		(3)				836.00
	4/20	4/22	Jordan		441.00		(3)				441.00
	4/22	4/23	Egypt		223.00		(3)				223.00
	4/23	4/24	Ireland		451.50		(3)				451.50
Alice Grant	4/17	4/18	Italy		395.00		(3)				395.00
	4/18	4/20	Israel		836.00		(3)				836.00
	4/20	4/22	Jordan		441.00		(3)				441.00
	4/22	4/23	Egypt		223.00		(3)				223.00
	4/23	4/24	Ireland		451.50		(3)				451.50
Hon. Nita Lowey	4/17	4/18	Italy		455.00		(3)				455.00
	4/18	4/20	Israel		836.00		(3)				836.00
	4/20	4/22	Jordan		472.00		(3)				472.00
	4/22	4/23	Egypt		223.00		(3)				223.00
	4/23	4/24	Ireland		451.50		(3)				451.50
Thomas Forhan	4/17	4/20	Germany		500.00						500.00
Commercial airfare							2,675.00				2,675.00
Hon. Hal Rogers	4/6	4/9	Italy		767.00		(3)				767.00
	4/9	4/11	Turkey		918.00		(3)				918.00
	4/12	4/13	Italy		171.00		(3)				171.00
	4/13	4/16	France		852.00		(3)				852.00
Hon. Martin O. Sabo	4/6	4/9	Italy		767.00		(3)				767.00
	4/9	4/11	Turkey		918.00		(3)				918.00
	4/12	4/13	Italy		171.00		(3)				171.00
	4/13	4/16	France		852.00		(3)				852.00
Hon. Sonny Callahan	4/6	4/9	Italy		767.00		(3)				767.00
	4/9	4/11	Turkey		918.00		(3)				918.00
	4/12	4/13	Italy		171.00		(3)				171.00
	4/13	4/16	France		852.00		(3)				852.00
Hon. Ed Pastor	4/6	4/9	Italy		767.00		(3)				767.00
	4/9	4/11	Turkey		918.00		(3)				918.00
	4/12	4/13	Italy		171.00		(3)				171.00
	4/13	4/16	France		852.00		(3)				852.00
John T. Blazey II	4/7	4/9	Italy		767.00						767.00
	4/9	4/11	Turkey		918.00						918.00
	4/12	4/13	Italy		171.00						171.00
	4/13	4/13	France		852.00						852.00
Commercial airfare							4,300.96				4,300.96
Richard E. Efford	4/6	4/9	Italy		767.00		(3)				767.00
	4/9	4/11	Turkey		918.00		(3)				918.00
	4/12	4/13	Italy		171.00		(3)				171.00
	4/13	4/16	France		852.00		(3)				852.00
Stephanie Gupta	4/6	4/9	Italy		767.00						767.00
	4/9	4/11	Turkey		918.00						918.00
	4/12	4/13	Italy		171.00						171.00
	4/13	4/16	France		852.00						852.00
Commercial airfare							5,831.67				5,831.67
Cheryle R. Tucker	4/6	4/9	Italy		767.00						767.00
	4/9	4/11	Turkey		918.00						918.00
	4/12	4/13	Italy		171.00						171.00
	4/13	4/16	France		852.00						852.00
Commercial airfare							5,831.67				5,831.67
Hon C.W. Bill Young	4/16	4/20	Italy		737.00		(3)				737.00
	4/20	4/21	Germany		91.00		(3)				91.00
Hon. Ralph Regula	4/16	4/20	Italy		737.00		(3)				737.00
	4/20	4/21	Germany		91.00		(3)				91.00
Douglas Gregory	4/16	4/20	Italy		737.00		(3)				737.00
	4/20	4/21	Germany		91.00		(3)				91.00
Hon. John E. Sweeney	4/8	4/11	Japan		953.00		(3)				953.00
	4/11	4/13	Hong Kong		854.00		(3)				854.00
Hon. David L. Hobson	5/26	5/28	USA		416.39		(3)				416.39
	5/29	5/31	Japan		566.00		(3)				566.00
	5/31	6/04	Republic of Korea		948.00		(3)				948.00
Hon. John Olver	5/26	5/28	USA		416.39		(3)				416.39
	5/29	5/31	Japan		566.00		(3)				566.00
	5/31	6/04	Republic of Korea		948.00		(3)				948.00
Hon. Robert Aderholt	5/26	5/28	USA		416.39		(3)				416.39
	5/29	5/31	Japan		566.00		(3)				566.00
	5/31	6/04	Republic of Korea		948.00		(3)				948.00
Valerie Baldwin	5/26	5/28	USA		416.39		(3)				416.39
	5/29	5/31	Japan		566.00		(3)				566.00
	5/31	6/04	Republic of Korea		948.00		(3)				948.00
Brian Potts	5/26	5/28	USA		416.39		(3)				416.39
	5/29	5/31	Japan		566.00		(3)				566.00
	5/31	6/04	Republic of Korea		948.00		(3)				948.00
Tom Forhan	5/26	5/28	USA		416.39		(3)				416.39
	5/29	5/31	Japan		566.00		(3)				566.00
	5/31	6/04	Republic of Korea		948.00		(3)				948.00
Thersee McAuliffe	5/26	5/28	USA		416.39		(3)				416.39
	5/29	5/31	Japan		566.00		(3)				566.00
	5/31	6/04	Republic of Korea		948.00		(3)				948.00
John Scofield	5/26	5/28	USA		416.39		(3)				416.39
	5/29	5/31	Japan		566.00		(3)				566.00
	5/31	6/04	Republic of Korea		948.00		(3)				948.00

Hon. C.W. Bill Young	6/15	6/17	France	624.40	(3)	624.40
	6/17	6/18	Germany	466.64	(3)	466.64
Hon. George R. Nethercutt, Jr	6/15	6/17	France	624.40	(3)	624.40
	6/17	6/18	Germany	466.64	(3)	466.64
Hon. Randy "Duke" Cunningham	6/15	6/17	France	624.40	(3)	624.40
	6/17	6/18	Germany	466.64	(3)	466.64
Hon. Patrick Kennedy	6/15	6/17	France	624.40	(3)	624.40
Commercial airfare					2,481.64	2,481.64
Douglas Gregory	6/15	6/17	France	624.40	(3)	624.40
	6/17	6/18	Germany	466.64	(3)	466.64
Brian Mabry	6/15	6/17	France	624.40	(3)	624.40
	6/17	6/18	Germany	466.64	(3)	466.64
Hon. Jerry Lewis	5/27	5/29	Italy	1,084.00	(3)	1,084.00
	5/29	6/1	Czech Republic	1,367.00	(3)	1,367.00
	6/1	6/4	Spain	978.00	(3)	978.00
Hon. Kay Granger	5/27	5/29	Italy	995.00	(3)	995.00
	5/29	6/1	Czech Republic	1,367.00	(3)	1,367.00
	6/1	6/4	Spain	978.00	(3)	978.00
Hon. Alan B. Mollohan	5/27	5/29	Italy	1,084.00	(3)	1,084.00
	5/29	6/1	Czech Republic	1,367.00	(3)	1,367.00
	6/1	6/4	Spain	978.00	(3)	978.00
Hon. Norman Dicks	5/27	5/29	Italy	1,084.00	(3)	1,084.00
	5/29	6/1	Czech Republic	1,367.00	(3)	1,367.00
	6/1	6/4	Spain	978.00	(3)	978.00
James W. Dyer	5/27	5/29	Italy	1,084.00	(3)	1,084.00
	5/29	6/1	Czech Republic	1,367.00	(3)	1,367.00
	6/1	6/4	Spain	978.00	(3)	978.00
John T. Blazey II	5/26	5/29	Italy	1,338.00	(3)	1,338.00
	5/29	6/1	Czech Republic	1,367.00	(3)	1,367.00
	6/1	6/4	Spain	978.00	(3)	978.00
Commercial airfare					5,534.00	5,534.00
Frank Cushing	5/27	5/29	Italy	1,084.00	(3)	1,084.00
	5/29	6/1	Czech Republic	1,367.00	(3)	1,367.00
	6/1	6/4	Spain	978.00	(3)	978.00
Elizabeth Dawson	5/26	5/29	Italy	1,338.00	(3)	1,338.00
	5/29	6/1	Czech Republic	1,367.00	(3)	1,367.00
	6/1	6/4	Spain	978.00	(3)	978.00
Commercial airfare					5,534.00	5,534.00
Sherry Young	5/27	5/29	Italy	995.00	(3)	995.00
	5/29	6/1	Czech Republic	1,367.00	(3)	1,367.00
	6/1	6/4	Spain	978.00	(3)	978.00
Hon. Robert E. "Bud" Cramer	5/25	5/27	Finland	552.00	(3)	552.00
	5/27	5/29	Denmark	508.00	(3)	508.00
	5/29	5/31	Germany	584.00	(3)	584.00
	5/31	6/3	France	927.00	(3)	927.00
Hon. Jim Kolbe	5/29	6/2	India	1,200.00		1,200.00
	6/2	6/4	Pakistan	439.00		439.00
Commercial airfare					8,397.00	8,397.00
Charles Flickner	5/29	6/2	India	1,200.00		1,200.00
	6/2	6/4	Pakistan	439.00		439.00
Commercial airfare					6,847.00	6,847.00
Hon. Robert E. "Bud" Cramer	6/15	6/19	France	1,080.00	(3)	1,080.00
Committee total				105,251.72	47,432.94	152,684.66

<sup>1</sup> Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.

<sup>2</sup> If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.

<sup>3</sup> Military air transportation.

C.W. BILL YOUNG, Chairman, July 31, 2001.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN APR. 1 AND JUNE 30, 2001

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>
Lester C. Farrington	4/28	5/1	Germany		467.50		7,358.40		159.94		7,985.84
	5/1	5/2	Luxembourg		222.50						222.50
	5/2	5/5	The Netherlands		441.00						441.00
	5/5	5/9	Norway		787.50						787.50
	5/9	5/12	Italy		585.00						585.00
W.C. Hersman	6/23	6/27	Germany		555.00		5,242.94		20.70		5,818.64
	6/27	6/29	England		428.00						428.00
Robert Makay	4/28	5/1	Germany		418.50		4,612.52		46.42		5,077.44
	5/1	5/5	Belgium		832.00						832.00
Robert H. Pearre, Jr.	4/28	5/1	Germany		467.50		6,151.39		232.74		6,851.63
	5/1	5/2	Luxembourg		222.50						222.50
	5/2	5/5	The Netherlands		441.00						441.00
	5/5	5/9	Norway		787.50						787.50
Frank L. Philippi	4/28	5/1	Germany		418.50		4,612.52		78.09		5,109.11
	5/1	5/5	Belgium		832.00						832.00
John N. Phillips	4/28	5/1	Germany		467.50		7,358.40		197.83		8,023.73
	5/1	5/2	Luxembourg		222.50						222.50
	5/2	5/5	The Netherlands		441.00						441.00
	5/5	5/9	Norway		787.50						787.50
	5/9	5/12	Italy		585.00						585.00
W.D. Thompson	6/23	6/27	Germany		555.00		5,242.94		46.00		5,843.94
	6/27	6/29	England		428.00						428.00
Michael L. Welsh	4/28	5/1	Germany		418.50		4,612.52		59.90		5,090.92
	5/1	5/5	Belgium		832.00						832.00
	6/23	6/27	Germany		555.00		4,760.60		42.14		5,357.74
Committee total					13,198.00		49,952.23		883.76		64,033.99

<sup>1</sup> Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.

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C.W. BILL YOUNG, Chairman.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, COMMITTEE ON ARMED SERVICES, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN APR. 1 AND JUNE 30, 2001

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>
Hon. Vic Snyder	4/6	4/9	Guinea		276.00						276.00
	4/9	4/11	Sierra Leone		116.00						116.00
Commercial airfare								6,666.48			6,666.48
Hon. Ellen O. Tauscher	4/17	4/18	Belgium		265.00						265.00
	4/18	4/19	Germany		184.00						184.00
	4/19	4/19	Bosnia								
	4/19	4/20	Macedonia		249.00						249.00
	4/20	4/20	Kosovo								
	4/20	4/21	Germany		305.00						305.00
Commercial airfare								6,729.82			6,729.82
Debra S. Wada	4/17	4/18	Belgium		265.00						265.00
	4/18	4/19	Germany		184.00						184.00
	4/19	4/19	Bosnia								
	4/19	4/20	Macedonia		249.00						249.00
	4/20	4/20	Kosovo								
	4/20	4/21	Germany		305.00						305.00
Commercial airfare								6,729.82			6,729.82
Hon. Joe Scarborough	4/17	4/18	Peru		254.00						254.00
Commercial airfare								4,354.60			4,354.60
Hon. Ken Calvert	5/26	5/29	Italy		1,356.00						1,356.00
	5/29	6/1	Czech Republic		1,367.00						1,367.00
	6/1	6/4	Spain		945.00						945.00
Thomas E. Hawley	5/28	5/30	Italy		328.00						328.00
	5/30	6/2	Germany		451.00						451.00
Commercial airfare								6,209.49			6,209.49
Dudley L. Tademey	5/28	5/30	Italy		328.00						328.00
	5/30	6/2	Germany		451.00						451.00
Commercial airfare								6,209.49			6,209.49
Hon. Robert A. Underwood	5/27	5/30	Philippines		732.00				160.95		892.95
Commercial airfare								1,161.36			1,161.36
Hon. James H. Maloney	5/29	5/31	Russia		688.00						688.00
Commercial airfare								4,325.60			4,325.60
Hon. Floyd D. Spence	6/15	6/19	France		2,616.00						2,616.00
Hon. Solomon P. Ortiz	6/15	6/19	France		2,616.00						2,616.00
Hon. Howard P. "Buck" McKeon	6/15	6/19	France		2,616.00						2,616.00
Hon. Jim Ryun	6/15	6/19	France		2,616.00						2,616.00
Hon. Silvestre Reyes	6/15	6/19	France		2,616.00						2,616.00
Hon. Robin Hayes	6/15	6/19	France		2,616.00						2,616.00
Mr. Carl D. Commenator	6/15	6/19	France		2,616.00						2,616.00
Mr. Steven A. Thompson	6/15	6/19	France		2,616.00						2,616.00
Hon. Neil Abercrombie	6/15	6/17	France		988.00						988.00
	6/17	6/18	Germany		387.00						387.00
Committee total					31,601.80			42,386.66	160.95		74,149.41

<sup>1</sup> Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.

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BOB STUMP, Chairman, July 31, 2001.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, COMMITTEE ON THE BUDGET, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN APR. 1 AND JUNE 30, 2001

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>

FOR HOUSE COMMITTEES

Please Note: If there were no expenditures during the calendar quarter noted above, please check the box at right to so indicate and return.

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JIM NUSSLE, Chairman, July 20, 2001.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION AND THE WORKFORCE, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN APR. 1 AND JUNE 30, 2001

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>

FOR HOUSE COMMITTEES

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<sup>2</sup> If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.

JOHN BOEHNER, Chairman, July 30, 2001.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND COMMERCE, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN APR. 1 AND JUNE 30, 2001

Name of Member	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>
Hon. Roy Blunt	6/21	6/23	Nicaragua		190.00		1,377.24				1,567.24
Hon. Cliff Stearns	6/15	6/18	France		240.00		( <sup>3</sup> )		( <sup>3</sup> )574.00		814.00
Hon. Ed Whitfield	5/29	5/31	Japan		566.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				566.00
	5/31	6/4	South Korea		948.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				948.00
Hon. Greg Ganske	4/17	4/18	Italy		109.00		( <sup>3</sup> )		346.00		455.00
	4/18	4/20	Israel		456.00		( <sup>3</sup> )		380.00		836.00
	4/20	4/22	Jordan		244.00		( <sup>3</sup> )		228.00		472.00
	4/22	4/23	Egypt		223.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				223.00
	4/23	4/24	Ireland		327.00		( <sup>3</sup> )		124.50		451.50
Hon. Anna Eshoo	4/17	4/18	Italy		218.00		( <sup>3</sup> )		286.00		504.00
	4/18	4/20	Israel		456.00		( <sup>3</sup> )		380.00		836.00

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND COMMERCE, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN APR. 1 AND JUNE 30, 2001—Continued

Name of Member	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>
Hon. Charlie Bass	4/20	4/22	Jordan		244.00		( <sup>3</sup> )		197.00		441.00
	4/22	4/23	Egypt		223.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				223.00
	4/23	4/24	Ireland		327.00		( <sup>3</sup> )		124.50		451.50
	4/7	4/10	England		903.00			736.50	150.00		1,789.50
	4/11	4/12	Austria		308.00		( <sup>3</sup> )		100.00		408.00
Hon. Rick Boucher	4/13	4/14	Turkey		360.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				360.00
	4/8	4/11	Japan		953.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				953.00
	4/11	4/13	Hong Kong		854.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				854.00

<sup>1</sup> Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.  
<sup>2</sup> If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.  
<sup>3</sup> Military air transportation.

BILLY TAUZIN, Chairman, Aug. 3, 2001.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, COMMITTEE ON FINANCIAL SERVICES, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN APR. 1 AND JUNE 30, 2001.

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>
Kevin MacMillan	5/28	6/3	Spain		768.00		788.60				1,556.60
Hon. Ruben Hinojosa	6/15	6/19	France		2,616.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				2,616.00
Committee total					3,384.00		788.60				4,172.60

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<sup>3</sup> Military air transportation.

MICHAEL G. OXLEY, Chairman, July 31, 2001.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT REFORM, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN APR. 1 AND JUNE 30, 2001

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>
Hon. Dennis J. Kucinich	2/18	2/21	Russia		979.50		4,783.04				
	2/21	2/22	Moldova		225.00						
	2/22	2/23	Ukraine		269.00						
Kevin Long	2/23	2/24	Russia		326.50						
	4/12	4/13	Taiwan		289.00		4,783.04				
	4/13	4/17	Korea		1,088.00						
	4/17	4/18	Thailand		546.00						
	4/18	4/19	Thailand		84.00						
Scott Feeney	4/20	4/21	Thailand		182.00						
	4/12	4/13	Taiwan		289.00		4,507.04				
	4/13	4/17	Korea		1,088.00						
	4/17	4/18	Thailand		546.00						
Chris Donesa	4/18	4/19	Thailand		182.00						
	4/12	4/13	Taiwan		289.00		4,507.04				
	4/13	4/17	Korea		1,088.00						
	4/17	4/18	Thailand		546.00						
	4/18	4/19	Thailand		84.00						
Tony Haywood	4/20	4/21	Thailand		182.00						
	4/12	4/13	Taiwan		289.00		5,424.04				
	4/13	4/17	Korea		1,088.00						
	4/17	4/18	Thailand		546.00						
Hon. Henry Waxman	4/18	4/19	Thailand		84.00						
	4/20	4/21	Thailand		187.00						
	4/18	4/20	Israel		456.00		812.50		380.00		
	4/20	4/22	Jordan		244.00		( <sup>3</sup> )		228.00		
	4/22	4/23	Egypt		223						
Kevin Long	4/23	4/24	Ireland		135.00				124.50		
	5/25	5/28	England		1,128.00		6,265.29				
	5/28	5/31	Holland, Netherlands		741.00						
Chris Donesa	5/25	5/28	England		1,128.00		5,544.97				
	5/28	5/31	Holland, Netherlands		741.00						
	5/31	6/2	Switzerland		585.00						
Roland Foster	5/25	5/28	England		1,128.00		5,597.97				
	5/28	5/31	Holland, Netherlands		741.00						
	5/31	6/2	Switzerland		585.00						
Tony Haywood	5/25	5/28	England		1,128.00		5,722.48				
	5/28	5/31	Holland, Netherlands		741.00						
	5/31	6/2	Switzerland		585.00						
Hon. Christopher Shays	4/8	4/11	Japan		953.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				
	4/11	4/13	Hong Kong		854.00						
Gil Macklin	4/11	4/13	Hong Kong		854.00						
	5/28	6/2	Colombia		884.00		2,003.10				
Committee total					23,457.00		49,950.51		732.50		

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<sup>3</sup> Military air transportation.

DAN BURTON, Chairman, July 31, 2001.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, COMMITTEE ON INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN APR. 1 AND JUNE 30, 2001

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>
David Abramowitz	4/9	4/10	Thailand		182.00						182.00
	4/10	4/12	Cambodia		386.00						386.00
	4/12	4/15	Malaysia		369.00						369.00
Commercial airfare	4/8	4/16					5,714.44				5,714.44
Douglas Anderson	4/14	4/17	Republic of Korea		591.00						591.00
	4/17	4/19	Taiwan		516.00						516.00
	4/19	4/22	Hong Kong SAR		1,131.00						1,131.00
Commercial airfare	4/13	4/22					6,588.11				6,588.11
Hon. Cass Ballenger	3/30	3/31	Barbados		503.00						503.00
	3/31	4/1	Dominica		232.00		538.46				770.46
	4/1	4/2	Barbados		338.75						338.75
	5/29	5/30	El Salvador		102.93				1,270.52		1,373.45
	5/30	6/2	Colombia		165.75						165.75
	6/21	6/24	Nicaragua		140.00				3,140.00		3,280.00
Jessica Baumgarten	3/30	3/31	Barbados		503.00						503.00
	3/31	4/1	Dominica		232.00		538.46				770.46
	4/1	4/2	Barbados		324.00						324.00
Ted Brennan	3/30	3/31	Barbados		503.00						503.00
	3/31	4/1	Dominica		232.00		538.46				770.46
	4/1	4/2	Barbados		295.00						295.00
	5/29	5/30	El Salvador		126.00						126.00
	5/30	6/2	Colombia		473.00						473.00
Sally Buikema	4/6	4/7	Senegal		158.00						158.00
	4/7	4/9	Nigeria		737.25						737.25
	4/9	4/10	Ghana		230.00						230.00
	4/10	4/11	Morocco		242.00						242.00
Thomas J. Calahan	4/6	4/7	Netherlands		157.00						157.00
	4/7	4/9	Kenya		202.00						202.00
	4/9	4/10	Tanzania		348.00						348.00
	4/10	4/11	Kenya		137.00		278.00				415.00
	4/11	4/14	Rwanda		456.00						456.00
	4/15	4/16	United Kingdom		301.00						301.00
	4/17	4/19	Sierra Leone		150.00		60.00				210.00
	4/19	4/23	Guinea		542.00						542.00
Commercial airfare	4/5	4/24					11,105.80				11,105.80
Malik Chaka	5/25	5/30	Angola		1,635.00						1,635.00
	5/30	6/1	Republic of Congo		362.00						362.00
	6/1	6/5	Nigeria		959.00						959.00
Commercial airfare	5/24	6/6					6,515.50				6,515.50
Nisha Desai	4/11	4/17	India		1,007.00						1,007.00
	4/17	4/22	Pakistan		782.00						782.00
Commercial airfare	4/10	4/22					7,387.35				7,387.35
	5/26	5/29	Philippines		530.00						530.00
	5/29	6/2	Thailand		568.00						568.00
	6/2	6/4	Cambodia		315.00						315.00
	6/4	6/5	Thailand		182.00						182.00
Commercial airfare	5/25	6/5					4,774.10				4,774.10
Hon. Eni Faleomavaega	5/22	5/25	Cuba		594.00						594.00
Commercial airfare							2,467.10				2,467.10
Adolfo Franco	4/16	4/22	Sri Lanka		1,170.00						1,170.00
Commercial airfare	4/14	4/23					6,588.11				6,588.11
Sharee Freeman	4/6	4/7	Senegal		158.00						158.00
	4/7	4/9	Nigeria		737.25						737.25
	4/9	4/10	Ghana		230.00						230.00
	4/10	4/11	Morocco		242.00						242.00
	5/13	6/3	Bulgaria		806.00						806.00
Kristen Gilley	4/15	4/22	Pakistan		973.00				233.27		1,206.27
Commercial airfare	4/15	4/22					7,057.36				7,057.36
Charisse Glassman	3/30	3/31	Barbados		503.00						503.00
	3/31	4/1	Dominica		232.00		538.46				770.46
	4/1	4/2	Barbados		503.00						503.00
Dennis Halpin	4/14	4/17	Republic of Korea		591.00						591.00
	4/17	4/19	Taiwan		513.47						513.47
	4/19	4/22	Hong Kong SAR		1,131.00						1,131.00
Commercial airfare	4/13	4/22					6,588.11				6,588.11
Hon. Alcee Hastings	4/18	4/21	Denmark		567.00						567.00
Commercial airfare	4/18	4/21					2,138.82				2,138.82
Hon. Earl Hillard	3/30	3/31	Barbados		503.00						503.00
	3/31	4/1	Dominica		232.00		538.46				770.46
	4/1	4/2	Barbados		503.00						503.00
Hon. Henry Hyde	4/16	4/18	Brazil		538.00						538.00
	4/18	4/20	Argentina		750.00				5,660.89		6,410.89
	4/20	4/22	Chile		592.00						592.00
Kay King	4/16	4/18	Brazil		538.00						538.00
	4/18	4/20	Argentina		625.00						625.00
	4/20	4/22	Chile		592.00						592.00
Robert King	4/16	4/18	Brazil		254.00						254.00
	4/18	4/20	Argentina		316.00						316.00
	4/20	4/22	Chile		270.00						270.00
Sheila Klein	4/16	4/18	Brazil		488.00						488.00
	4/18	4/20	Argentina		650.00						650.00
	4/20	4/22	Chile		517.00						517.00
John Mackey	5/29	6/2	Colombia		884.00						884.00
Commercial airfare	5/29	6/1					2,003.10				2,003.10
Pearl Alice Marsh	4/15	4/16	United Kingdom		391.00						391.00
	4/17	4/19	Sierra Leone		187.50		60.00				247.50
	4/19	4/23	Guinea		332.00						332.00
Commercial airfare	4/5	4/24					11,105.80				11,105.80
	5/25	5/30	Angola		1,538.00						1,538.00
	5/30	6/1	Republic of Congo		362.00						362.00
Commercial airfare	5/24	6/1					5,122.57				5,122.57
Caleb McCarray	4/16	4/18	Brazil		538.00						538.00
	4/18	4/20	Argentina		750.00						750.00
	4/20	4/20	Chile		296.00						296.00
Commercial airfare	4/20	4/21					2,729.30				2,729.30
	5/29	5/30	El Salvador		113.00						113.00
	5/30	6/2	Colombia		553.00						553.00
	6/21	6/24	Nicaragua		776.00						776.00
Hon. Cynthia McKinney	4/18	4/22	Pakistan		547.50				401.70		949.20
Commercial airfare	4/16	4/22					7,033.24				7,033.24
Tom Mooney	4/16	4/18	Brazil		538.00						538.00
	4/18	4/20	Argentina		750.00						750.00
	4/20	4/22	Chile		592.00						592.00
Parker Brent Moore	4/16	4/18	Brazil		478.00						478.00
	4/18	4/20	Argentina		700.00						700.00



REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, COMMITTEE ON INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN APR. 1 AND JUNE 30, 2001—Continued

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>
Lester Munson	4/20	4/22	Chile		552.00		(?)				552.00
	4/14	4/17	Republic of Korea		591.00						591.00
	4/17	4/19	Taiwan		542.53						542.53
	4/19	4/22	Hong Kong SAR		1,131.00						1,131.00
Commercial airfare	4/13	4/22					6,588.11				6,588.11
Hon. Grace Napolitano	4/8	4/11	Japan		953.00		(?)				953.00
	4/11	4/13	Hong Kong		854.00		(?)				854.00
Pedro Pablo Kuczynski	4/16	4/18	Brazil		538.00		(?)				538.00
	4/18	4/20	Argentina		750.00		(?)				750.00
	4/20	4/22	Chile		592.00		(?)				592.00
Yleem D.S. Poblete	4/8	4/11	Switzerland		927.00						927.00
Commercial airfare	4/7	4/11					6,595.93				6,595.93
Stephen Rademaker	4/6	4/7	Netherlands		157.00						157.00
	4/7	4/9	Kenya		202.00						202.00
	4/9	4/10	Tanzania		348.00						348.00
	4/10	4/11	Kenya		137.00		278.00				415.00
	4/11	4/14	Rwanda		456.00						456.00
Commercial airfare	4/5	4/15					9,454.08				9,454.08
	5/25	5/26	Croatia		191.00						191.00
	5/26	5/29	Bosnia		760.00						760.00
	5/29	5/30	Former Republic of Yugoslavia		188.00						188.00
	5/30	5/31	Kosovo		162.00						162.00
	5/31	6/1	Macedonia		199.00						199.00
Commercial airfare	5/24	6/1					5,122.57				5,122.57
Frank Record	4/16	4/18	Brazil		438.00		(?)				438.00
	4/18	4/20	Argentina		700.00		(?)				700.00
	4/20	4/22	Chile		442.00		(?)				442.00
Grover Joseph Rees	4/9	4/11	Switzerland		618.00						618.00
Commercial airfare	4/10	4/11					4,220.77				4,220.77
	5/26	5/29	Philippines		508.00						508.00
	5/29	6/2	Thailand		637.00						637.00
	6/2	6/4	Cambodia		350.00						350.00
	6/4	6/5	Thailand		149.00						149.00
Commercial airfare	5/25	6/5					4,656.60				4,656.60
Hon. Ileana Ros-Lehtinen	4/9	4/10	Switzerland		309.00						309.00
Commercial airfare	4/8	4/10					7,277.02				7,277.02
Hon. Christopher Smith	4/9	4/11	Switzerland		618.00						618.00
Commercial airfare	4/8	4/11					4,220.77				4,220.77
Hon. Nick Smith	3/30	3/31	Barbados		503.00		(?)				503.00
	3/31	4/1	Dominica		232.00		538.46				770.46
	4/1	4/2	Barbados		503.00		(?)				503.00
	5/29	5/30	El Salvador		222.00		(?)				222.00
	5/30	6/2	Colombia		663.00		(?)				663.00
Sam Stratman	4/6	4/7	Netherlands		157.00						157.00
	4/7	4/9	Kenya		202.00						202.00
	4/9	4/10	Tanzania		348.00						348.00
	4/10	4/11	Kenya		137.00		278.00				415.00
	4/11	4/14	Rwanda		456.00						456.00
Commercial airfare	4/5	4/15					7,991.08				7,991.08
	5/26	5/29	Philippines		582.00						582.00
	5/29	6/2	Thailand		637.00						637.00
	6/2	6/4	Cambodia		350.00						350.00
	6/4	6/5	Thailand		182.00						182.00
Commercial airfare	5/25	6/5					4,774.10				4,774.10
Mauricio Tamargo	4/8	4/11	Switzerland		927.00						927.00
Commercial airfare	4/7	4/11					6,595.93				6,595.93
Fred Turner	4/19	4/21	Denmark		378.00						378.00
Commercial airfare	4/18	4/21					4,114.11				4,114.11
Hillel Weinberg	6/21	6/23	France		620.00						620.00
Commercial airfare	6/20	6/23					6,035.33				6,035.33
Judy Wolvertson	4/16	4/18	Brazil		538.00		(?)				538.00
	4/18	4/20	Argentina		750.00		(?)				750.00
	4/20	4/22	Chile		592.00		(?)				592.00
Peter Yeo	4/9	4/10	Thailand		182.00						182.00
	4/10	4/12	Cambodia		386.00						386.00
	4/12	4/15	Malaysia		369.00						369.00
Commercial airfare	4/8	4/16					5,717.44				5,717.44
Committee total					68,905.93		182,467.41		10,706.38		262,079.72

<sup>1</sup> Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.

<sup>2</sup> If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.

<sup>3</sup> Military air transportation.

HENRY HYDE, Chairman, July 31, 2001.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, COMMITTEE ON RESOURCES, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN APR. 1 AND JUNE 30, 2001

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>

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Please Note: If there were no expenditures during the calendar quarter noted above, please check the box at right to so indicate and return.

<sup>1</sup> Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.

<sup>2</sup> If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.

JAMES V. HANSEN, Chairman.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, COMMITTEE ON RULES, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN APR. 1 AND JUNE 30, 2001

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>
Hon. David Dreier	4/8	4/11	Japan		953.00		(3)				953.00
	4/11	4/13	Hong Kong		854.00		(3)		3,844.04		4,698.04
Hon. Pete Sessions	4/8	4/11	Japan		953.00		(3)				953.00
	4/11	4/13	Hong Kong		854.00		(3)				854.00
Hon. Doc Hastings	4/8	4/11	Japan		953.00		(3)				953.00
	4/11	4/13	Hong Kong		854.00		(3)				854.00
Matthew Reynolds	4/8	4/11	Japan		953.00		(3)				953.00
	4/11	4/13	Hong Kong		854.00		(3)				854.00
Ed Cassidy	4/8	4/11	Japan		953.00		(3)				953.00
	4/11	4/13	Hong Kong		854.00		(3)				854.00
Elan Liang	4/8	4/11	Japan		953.00		(3)				953.00
	4/11	4/13	Hong Kong		854.00		(3)				854.00
Amanda Barnett	4/8	4/11	Japan		953.00		(3)				953.00
	4/11	4/12	Hong Kong		427.00			2,846.21			3,273.21
Hon. David Dreier	6/20	6/24	Nicaragua		266.00		(3)				266.00
Bradley Smith	6/20	6/24	Nicaragua		266.00		(3)				266.00
Matthew Reynolds	6/20	6/24	Nicaragua		266.00		(3)				266.00
Hon. Lincoln Diaz-Balart	4/8	4/10	Switzerland		309.00			7,277.02			7,596.02
Committee total											27,296.27

<sup>1</sup> Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.

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<sup>3</sup> Military air transportation.

DAVID DREIER, Chairman.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, COMMITTEE ON SCIENCE, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN APR. 1 AND JUNE 30, 2001

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>
Hon. Sherwood Boehlert	6/15	6/19	France		320.00		(3)				320.00
Hon. Gil Gutnecht	6/15	6/19	France		320.00		(3)				320.00
Hon. Dana Rohrabacher	6/15	6/19	France		320.00		(3)				320.00
Hon. Lynn Woolsey	6/15	6/19	France		320.00		(3)				320.00
Hon. Nick Smith	6/15	6/19	France		320.00		(3)				320.00
Hon. Dave Weldon	6/15	6/19	France		320.00		(3)				320.00
Hon. Sheila Jackson-Lee	6/15	6/19	France		320.00		(3)				320.00
Hon. John Larson	6/15	6/19	France		320.00		(3)				320.00
Tim Clancy	6/15	6/19	France		320.00		(3)				320.00
Scott Giles	6/15	6/19	France		320.00		(3)				320.00
Eric Sterner	6/15	6/19	France		320.00		(3)				320.00
Bob Palmer	6/15	6/19	France		320.00		(3)				320.00
Richard Obermann	6/15	6/19	France		320.00		(3)				320.00
Dan Pearson	6/15	6/19	France		320.00		(3)				320.00
Committee total					4,480.00						4,480.00

<sup>1</sup> Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.

<sup>2</sup> If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.

<sup>3</sup> Military air transportation.

SHERWOOD L. BOEHLERT, Chairman, July 30, 2001.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, COMMITTEE ON SMALL BUSINESS, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN APR. 1 AND JUNE 30, 2001

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>
Kevin Opstrup	5/16	5/18	France		303.00		787.00		26.00		1,116.00
Committee total											1,116.00

<sup>1</sup> Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.

<sup>2</sup> If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.

DONALD A. MANZULLO, Chairman, July 17, 2001.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, COMMITTEE ON STANDARDS OF OFFICIAL CONDUCT, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN APR. 1 AND JUNE 30, 2001

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>

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<sup>2</sup> If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.

JOEL HEFLEY, Chairman, July 26, 2001.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN APR. 1 AND JUNE 30, 2001

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>
Hon. Don Young	5/27	5/29	Denmark		508.00		(3)				508.00
	5/29	5/31	Germany		292.00		(3)				292.00
	5/31	6/3	France		927.00		(3)				927.00
Hon. Robert Borski	5/27	5/29	Denmark		508.00		(3)				508.00
	5/29	5/31	Germany		292.00		(3)				292.00
	5/31	6/3	France		927.00		(3)				927.00
Hon. Bud Cramer	5/27	5/29	Denmark		508.00		(3)				508.00
	5/29	5/31	Germany		292.00		(3)				292.00
	5/31	6/3	France		927.00		(3)				927.00
Hon. Bob Filner	5/27	5/29	Denmark		508.00		(3)				508.00
	5/29	5/31	Germany		292.00		(3)				292.00
	5/31	6/3	France		927.00		(3)				927.00
Hon. Tim Holden	5/27	5/29	Denmark		508.00		(3)				508.00
	5/29	5/31	Germany		292.00		(3)				292.00
	5/31	6/3	France		927.00		(3)				927.00
Hon. John Mica	5/27	5/29	Denmark		508.00		(3)				508.00
	5/29	5/31	Germany		292.00		(3)				292.00
	5/31	6/3	France		927.00		(3)				927.00
Hon. Brian Kerns	5/27	5/29	Denmark		508.00		(3)				508.00
	5/29	5/31	Germany		292.00		(3)				292.00
	5/31	6/3	France		927.00		(3)				927.00
Lloyd Jones	5/27	5/29	Denmark		508.00		(3)				508.00
	5/29	5/31	Germany		292.00		(3)				292.00
	5/31	6/3	France		927.00		(3)				927.00
Elizabeth Megginson	5/27	5/29	Denmark		508.00		(3)				508.00
	5/29	5/31	Germany		292.00		(3)				292.00
	5/31	6/3	France		927.00		(3)				927.00
William Sharrow	5/27	5/29	Denmark		508.00		(3)				508.00
	5/29	5/31	Germany		292.00		(3)				292.00
	5/31	6/3	France		927.00		(3)				927.00
Christine Kennedy	5/27	5/29	Denmark		508.00		(3)				508.00
	5/29	5/31	Germany		292.00		(3)				292.00
	5/31	6/3	France		927.00		(3)				927.00
Jimmy Miller	5/27	5/29	Denmark		508.00		(3)				508.00
	5/29	5/31	Germany		292.00		(3)				292.00
	5/31	6/3	France		927.00		(3)				927.00
Levon Boyagian	5/27	5/29	Denmark		508.00		(3)				508.00
	5/29	5/31	Germany		292.00		(3)				292.00
	5/31	6/3	France		927.00		(3)				927.00
Fraser Verrusio	5/27	5/29	Denmark		508.00		(3)				508.00
	5/29	5/31	Germany		292.00		(3)				292.00
	5/31	6/3	France		927.00		(3)				927.00
Clyde Woodle	5/27	5/29	Denmark		508.00		(3)				508.00
	5/29	5/31	Germany		292.00		(3)				292.00
	5/31	6/3	France		927.00		(3)				927.00
Any Denicore	5/27	5/29	Denmark		508.00		(3)				508.00
	5/29	5/31	Germany		292.00		(3)				292.00
	5/31	6/3	France		927.00		(3)				927.00
Ryan Sieger	5/27	5/29	Denmark		508.00		(3)				508.00
	5/29	5/31	Germany		292.00		(3)				292.00
	5/31	6/3	France		927.00		(3)				927.00
Arthur Chan	5/14	5/15	Canada		155.00		32.49				187.49
Hon. John Duncan	4/6	4/9	Italy		327.00				440.0		767.00
	4/9	4/11	Turkey		918.00						918.00
	4/12	4/13	Italy		171.00						171.00
	4/13	4/16	France		852.00						852.00
Hon. John Mica	6/14	6/19	France		1,854.00						1,854.00
Committee total					31,909.00		32.49		440.00		82,381.49

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<sup>3</sup> Military air transportation.

DON YOUNG, Chairman, July 31, 2001.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, PERMANENT SELECT COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN APR. 1 AND JUNE 30, 2001

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>
Hon. Saxby Chambliss	4/8	4/14	Europe		2,023.00		(3)		191.71		2,214.71
Hon. Asa Hutchinson	4/8	4/14	Europe		2,023.00		(3)				2,023.00
Hon. Richard M. Burr	4/8	4/14	Europe		2,023.00		(3)				2,023.00
Hon. Sanford Bishop, Jr	4/9	4/14	Europe		1,672.00						1,672.00
Commercial airfare							2,519.30				2,519.30
Hon. Jane Harman	4/9	4/11	Europe		906.00						906.00
Commercial airfare							5,899.72				5,899.00
Hon. Alcee L. Hastings	4/8	4/18	Europe		3,042.00						3,042.00
Commercial airfare							882.00				882.00
Jay Jakub	4/8	4/14	Europe		2,023.00		(3)				2,023.00
Christine Healey	4/8	4/14	Europe		2,023.00		(3)				2,023.00
Anne Avart	4/8	4/14	Europe		2,023.00		(3)				2,023.00
Patrick Murray	4/7	4/14	Europe		1,687.00						1,687.00
Commercial airfare							3,127.11				3,127.11
Michael Sheehy	4/19	4/20	North America		293.00						293.00
Commercial airfare							1,275.97				1,275.97
Beth Larson	4/17	4/24	Europe/Middle East		1,359.00		(3)				1,359.00
John Stophor	5/18	5/19	Asia		1,494.00						1,494.00
Commercial airfare							3,396.98				3,396.98
Hon. Tim Roemer	5/28	5/31	Caribbean		384.00						384.00
Commercial airfare							1,258.48				1,258.48
Wyndee Parker	5/28	5/31	Caribbean		384.00						384.00
Commercial airfare							1,258.48				1,258.48
Christopher Barton	5/30	6/2	South America		663.00						663.00
Commercial airfare							2,003.10				2,003.10
Patrick Murray	6/4	6/9	Europe		1,776.00						1,776.00
Commercial airfare							5,268.33				5,268.33
Jay Yakub	6/4	6/9	Europe		1,776.00						1,776.00
Commercial airfare							5,268.33				5,268.33

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, PERMANENT SELECT COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN APR. 1 AND JUNE 30, 2001—Continued

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>
Merrell Moorhead	6/4	6/9	Europe		1,776.00						1,776.00
Commercial airfare							5,268.33				5,268.33
Beth Larson	6/4	6/9	Europe		1,776.00						1,776.00
Commercial airfare							5,268.33				5,268.33
Christine Healey	6/4	6/8	Europe		1,425.00						1,425.00
Commercial airfare							5,790.33				5,790.33
Committee total					32,551.00		48,484.79		191.71		81,227.50

<sup>1</sup> Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.  
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<sup>3</sup> Military air transportation.

PORTER J. GOSS, Chairman, July 31, 2001.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, JOINT COMMITTEE ON TAXATION, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN APR. 1 AND JUNE 30, 2001

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>

FOR HOUSE COMMITTEES

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BILL THOMAS, Chairman, Aug. 1, 2001.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, COMMITTEE ON SECURITY AND COOPERATION IN EUROPE, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN APR. 1 AND JUNE 30, 2001

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>

FOR HOUSE COMMITTEES

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CHRIS SMITH, July 20, 2001.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, DELEGATION TO CANADA, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN MAY 17 AND MAY 21, 2001

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>
Hon. Amo Houghton	5/17	5/20	Canada		321.56		( <sup>3</sup> )				321.56
Hon. David Dreier	5/17	5/20	Canada		321.56		( <sup>3</sup> )				321.56
Liberty Dunn	5/17	5/21	Canada		519.17		( <sup>3</sup> )				519.17
Carl Ek	5/17	5/20	Canada		321.56		( <sup>3</sup> )				321.56
Hon. Phil English	5/17	5/20	Canada		321.56		( <sup>3</sup> )				321.56
Hon. Benjamin Gilman	5/17	5/20	Canada		321.56		( <sup>3</sup> )				321.56
Hon. Don Manzullo	5/17	5/21	Canada		525.76		( <sup>3</sup> )				525.76
Hon. Collin Peterson	5/17	5/21	Canada		519.17		( <sup>3</sup> )				519.17
Frank Record	5/17	5/20	Canada		321.56		( <sup>3</sup> )				321.56
Hon. Clay Shaw	5/17	5/21	Canada		525.76		( <sup>3</sup> )				525.76
Hon. Mark Souder	5/17	5/21	Canada		519.17		( <sup>3</sup> )				519.17
Hon. Cliff Stearns	5/17	5/21	Canada		571.79		( <sup>3</sup> )				571.79
Bob Van Wicklin	5/17	5/20	Canada		321.56		( <sup>3</sup> )				321.56
Committee total					5,431.74						5,431.74

<sup>1</sup> Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.  
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<sup>3</sup> Military air transportation.

AMO HOUGHTON, June 20, 2001.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, DELEGATION TO LITHUANIA AND BULGARIA, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN MAY 27 AND JUNE 3, 2001

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>
Hon. Doug Bereuter	5/27	5/31	Lithuania		980.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				
	5/31	6/3	Bulgaria		876.00						1,856.00
Hon. Porter Goss <sup>4</sup>	5/27	5/30	Lithuania		490.00		<sup>5</sup> 1,231.00				
	6/1	6/3	Bulgaria		584.00						2,305.00
Hon. Floyd Spence	5/27	5/31	Lithuania		980.00		<sup>5</sup> 3,110.30				4,090.30
Hon. Roy Blunt	5/27	5/31	Lithuania		980.00		<sup>5</sup> 2,666.30				3,646.30
Hon. Mike Bilirakis	5/27	5/31	Lithuania		980.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				
	5/31	6/3	Bulgaria		876.00						1,856.00
Hon. Joel Hefley	5/27	5/31	Lithuania		980.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				
	5/31	6/3	Bulgaria		876.00						1,856.00
Hon. Nick Lampson	5/27	5/31	Lithuania		980.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				
	5/31	6/3	Bulgaria		876.00						1,856.00
Hon. Tom Reynolds	5/27	5/31	Lithuania		980.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				
	5/31	6/3	Bulgaria		876.00						1,856.00
Hon. John Shimkus	5/27	5/31	Lithuania		980.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				
	5/31	6/3	Bulgaria		876.00						1,856.00
Michael Ennis	5/27	5/31	Lithuania		980.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				
	5/31	6/3	Bulgaria		876.00						1,856.00
Robin Evans	5/27	5/31	Lithuania		980.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				
	5/31	6/3	Bulgaria		876.00						1,856.00
Susan Olson	5/27	5/31	Lithuania		980.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				
	5/31	6/3	Bulgaria		876.00						1,856.00
Keith O'Neil	5/27	5/31	Lithuania		980.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				
	5/31	6/3	Bulgaria		876.00						1,856.00
Carol Lawrence	5/27	5/31	Lithuania		980.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				
	5/31	6/3	Bulgaria		876.00						1,856.00
Jo Weber	5/27	5/31	Lithuania		980.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				
	5/31	6/3	Bulgaria		876.00						1,856.00
Committee total					25,306.00		7,007.60				32,313.60

<sup>1</sup> Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.

<sup>2</sup> If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.

<sup>3</sup> Military air transportation.

<sup>4</sup> Representative Porter Goss departed from the Bereuter CODEL on Wednesday, May 30th, to join Speaker Hastert's CODEL; subsequently, Representative Goss rejoined the Bereuter CODEL on Friday, June 1st.

<sup>5</sup> Commercial airfare and military air transportation.

DOUGLAS BEREUTER, June 26, 2001.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, DELEGATION TO RUSSIA AND CZECH REPUBLIC, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN MAY 28 AND JUNE 3, 2001

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>
Hon. J. Dennis Hastert	5/29	6/1	Russia	17,751	610.00		( <sup>3</sup> )			17,751.00	610.00
Hon. William M. Thomas	5/29	6/1	Russia	17,751	610.00		( <sup>3</sup> )			17,751.00	610.00
Hon. Michael R. McNulty	5/29	6/1	Russia	17,751	610.00		( <sup>3</sup> )			17,751	610.00
Hon. Mac Collins	5/29	6/1	Russia	17,751	610.00		( <sup>3</sup> )			17,751	610.00
Hon. Alcee Hastings	5/29	6/1	Russia	17,751	610.00		( <sup>3</sup> )			17,751	610.00
Hon. Jack Kingston	5/29	6/1	Russia	17,751	610.00		( <sup>3</sup> )			17,751	610.00
Hon. Ray LaHood	5/29	6/1	Russia	17,751	610.00		( <sup>3</sup> )			17,751	610.00
Hon. Adam H. Putnam	5/29	6/1	Russia	17,751	610.00		( <sup>3</sup> )			17,751	610.00
Bill Livingood	5/29	6/1	Russia	17,751	610.00		( <sup>3</sup> )			17,751	610.00
Dr. Eisold	5/29	6/1	Russia	17,751	610.00		( <sup>3</sup> )			17,751	610.00
Scott Palmer	5/29	6/1	Russia	17,751	610.00		( <sup>3</sup> )			17,751	610.00
John Feehery	5/29	6/1	Russia	17,751	610.00		( <sup>3</sup> )			17,751	610.00
Ralph Hellmann	5/29	6/1	Russia	17,751	610.00		( <sup>3</sup> )			17,751	610.00
Sam Lancaster	5/29	6/1	Russia	17,751	610.00		( <sup>3</sup> )			17,751	610.00
Christy Surprenant	5/29	6/1	Russia	17,751	610.00		( <sup>3</sup> )			17,751	610.00
Chris Walker	5/29	6/1	Russia	17,751	610.00		( <sup>3</sup> )			17,751	610.00
Robert King	5/29	6/1	Russia	17,751	610.00		( <sup>3</sup> )			17,751	610.00
Dwight Comedy	5/29	6/1	Russia	17,751	610.00		( <sup>3</sup> )			17,751	610.00
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Hon. J. Dennis Hastert	6/1	6/3	Czech Republic		378.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				378.00
Hon. William M. Thomas	6/1	6/3	Czech Republic		378.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				378.00
Hon. Michael R. McNulty	6/1	6/3	Czech Republic		378.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				378.00
Hon. Mac Collins	6/1	6/3	Czech Republic		378.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				378.00
Hon. Alcee Hastings	6/1	6/3	Czech Republic		378.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				378.00
Hon. Jack Kingston <sup>4</sup>	6/1	6/2	Czech Republic		252.00						1,720.26
Hon. Ray LaHood	6/1	6/3	Czech Republic		378.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				378.00
Hon. Adam H. Putnam	6/1	6/3	Czech Republic		378.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				378.00
Bill Livingood	6/1	6/3	Czech Republic		378.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				378.00
Dr. Eisold	6/1	6/3	Czech Republic		378.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				378.00
Scott Palmer	6/1	6/3	Czech Republic		378.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				378.00
John Feehery	6/1	6/3	Czech Republic		378.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				378.00
Ralph Hellmann	6/1	6/3	Czech Republic		378.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				378.00
Sam Lancaster	6/1	6/3	Czech Republic		378.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				378.00
Christy Surprenant	6/1	6/3	Czech Republic		378.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				378.00
Chris Walker	6/1	6/3	Czech Republic		378.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				378.00
Robert King	6/1	6/3	Czech Republic		378.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				378.00
Dwight Comedy	6/1	6/3	Czech Republic		378.00		( <sup>3</sup> )				378.00
Committee total											

<sup>1</sup> Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.

<sup>2</sup> If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.

<sup>3</sup> Military air transportation.

<sup>4</sup> Representative Kingston departed on June 2, 2001.

J. DENNIS HASTERT, July 23, 2001.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, DELEGATION TO ITALY, BOSNIA, AND HERZEGOVINA, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN MAY 29 AND JUNE 1, 2001

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>
C.W. Bill Young .....	5/29	6/1	Italy .....	1,076,112	477.00		(?)			1,076,000	477.00
	5/31	5/31	Bosnia .....				(?)				
Hon. Carolyn Maloney .....	5/29	6/1	Italy .....	1,076,112	477.00		(?)			1,076,000	477.00
	5/31	5/31	Bosnia .....				(?)				
Douglas Gregory .....	5/29	6/1	Italy .....	1,076,112	477.00		(?)			1,076,000	477.00
	5/31	5/31	Bosnia .....				(?)				
Committee total .....				1,431.00							1,431.00

<sup>1</sup> Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.  
<sup>2</sup> If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.  
<sup>3</sup> Military air transportation.

C.W. BILL YOUNG, June 28, 2001.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, MR. DOUGLAS FARRY, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN APR. 1 AND APR. 13, 2001

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>
Douglas Farry .....	4/8	4/11	Japan .....		953.00						953.00
	4/11	4/13	Hong Kong .....		854.00						854.00
Committee total .....					1,807.00						1,807.00

<sup>1</sup> Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.  
<sup>2</sup> If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.

DOUGLAS FARRY, May 11, 2001.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, MR. SCOTT PALMER, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN JUNE 14 AND JUNE 19, 2001

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem <sup>1</sup>		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency <sup>2</sup>
Scott Palmer .....	6/14	6/19	France .....		320.00		(?)				320.00
Committee total .....					320.00						320.00

<sup>1</sup> Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.  
<sup>2</sup> If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.  
<sup>3</sup> Military air transportation.

J. DENNIS HASTERT, July 23, 2001.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 8 of rule XII, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

3657. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting a request to make available emergency funding to respond to the consequences of the September 11th terrorist attacks on the United States, pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as amended; (H. Doc. No. 107—119); to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

3658. A letter from the Director, Congressional Budget Office, transmitting the CBO's Sequestration Update Report for FY 2002, pursuant to 2 U.S.C. section 904(b); to the Committee on Appropriations.

3659. A letter from the Under Secretary of Defense, Acquisition, Technology and Logistics, Department of Defense, transmitting notification of intent to fund for test projects for inclusion in the Fiscal Year 2002 Foreign Comparative Testing (FCT) Program, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 2350a(g); to the Committee on Armed Services.

3660. A letter from the Deputy Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's report on Portability and Reciprocity of TRICARE Prime Benefits; to the Committee on Armed Services.

3661. A letter from the Acting Chairman, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting the annual report of the Securities Investor Protection Corporation for the year 2000, pursuant to 15 U.S.C. 78ggg(c)(2); to the Committee on Financial Services.

3662. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Florida: Final Authorization of State Hazardous Waste Management Program Revision [FRL-7040-5] received August 17, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3663. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—South Carolina: Final Authorization of State Hazardous Waste Management Program Revision [FRL-7036-9] received August 17, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3664. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; State of Missouri; Correction [MO 0133-1133a; FRL-7041-8] received August 17, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3665. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Maryland Administrative Revisions of General Provisions Related to Definitions of Terms and Ambient Air Quality Standards [MD064/122/123-3069a; FRL-7021-3] received August 14, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3666. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agen-

cy's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Pennsylvania; Nitrogen Oxides Budget Trading Program [PA 169-4134; FRL-7038-3] received August 17, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3667. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Pennsylvania; VOC and NOx RACT Determinations for Eight Individual Sources in the Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley Area; Correction [PA-4127a; FRL-7040-1] received August 17, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3668. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Pennsylvania; VOC and NOx RACT Determinations for Four Individual Sources in the Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley Area; Correction [PA-4130a; FRL-7039-9] received August 17, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3669. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Finding of Attainment for Carbon Monoxide (CO); Spokane CO Non-attainment Area, Washington [Docket No. WA-01-002; FRL-7041-9] received August 17, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3670. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental



Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants for Boat Manufacturing [FRL-7039-4] (RIN: 2060-AG27) received August 17, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3671. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the report required by the United States-Hong Kong Policy Act of 1992 describing the current conditions in Hong Kong of interest to the United States, covering the period since the last report in May 2000; to the Committee on International Relations.

3672. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification that Tajikistan is committed to the courses of action described in 1203 (d) of the Cooperative Threat Reduction Act of 1993, Section 1412 (d) of the Former Soviet Union Demilitarization Act of 1992 and Section 502 of the FREEDOM Support Act; to the Committee on International Relations.

3673. A letter from the Commissioner, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's report entitled, "Desalination and Water Purification Research and Development Program"; to the Committee on Resources.

3674. A letter from the Acting Chairman, National Transportation Safety Board, transmitting the 1998 and 1999 annual report of the Board's activities, pursuant to 49 U.S.C. 1117; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3675. A letter from the Secretaries, Department of Energy and Department of Agriculture, transmitting a report entitled, "Initial Report to Congress Required by the Biomass Research and Development Act of 2000"; jointly to the Committees on Science and Agriculture.

3676. A letter from the Chairman, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting a draft bill entitled, "Atomic Energy Act Amendments of 2001"; jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce, the Judiciary, and Transportation and Infrastructure.

3677. A letter from the Director, Executive Office of the President, transmitting the An-

nual Report to Congress on Combating Terrorism, pursuant to Public Law 105-85 section 1031(b) (111 Stat. 1880); jointly to the Committees on International Relations, Armed Services, and the Judiciary.

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#### PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII,

Mr. SWEENEY introduced A bill (H.R. 2899) to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to issue War Bonds in support of recovery and response efforts relating to the September 11, 2001 hijackings and attacks on the Pentagon and the World Trade Center, and for other purposes; which was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

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#### ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 7 of the rule XII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 1734: Mr. GILLMOR.



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The Senate met at 10 a.m. and was called to order by the Honorable DANIEL K. AKAKA, a Senator from the State of Hawaii.

### APPOINTMENT OF ACTING PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will please read a communication to the Senate from the President pro tempore [Mr. BYRD].

The legislative clerk read the following letter:

U.S. SENATE,

PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE,

Washington, DC, September 17, 2001.

To the Senate:

Under the provisions of rule I, paragraph 3, of the Standing Rules of the Senate, I hereby appoint the Honorable DANIEL K. AKAKA, a Senator from the State of Hawaii, to perform the duties of the Chair.

ROBERT C. BYRD,

President pro tempore.

Mr. AKAKA thereupon assumed the chair as Acting President pro tempore.

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2001, AT 10 A.M.

The ACTING PRESIDENT pro tempore. Under the previous order, the Senate will now stand in adjournment until the hour of 10 a.m., on Wednesday, September 19, 2001.

Thereupon, the Senate, at 10 o'clock and 40 seconds a.m., adjourned until Wednesday, September 19, 2001, at 10 a.m.

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## EXTENSIONS OF REMARKS

A TRIBUTE TO KELLY M. RAMIREZ

**HON. STEVE ISRAEL**

OF NEW YORK

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Monday, September 17, 2001*

Mr. ISRAEL. Mr. Speaker, it is with great pride that I rise today to recognize one of New York's outstanding young students, Kelly M. Ramirez. On September 20, 2001, the women of Girl Scout Troop 801 will recognize Kelly for receiving her gold award.

Since the beginning of the last century, the Girl Scouts of America have provided thousands of young women each year with the opportunity to make friends, explore new ideas, and develop leadership skills while learning self-reliance and teamwork.

These awards are presented only to those who possess the qualities that make our Nation great: commitment to excellence, hard work, and genuine love of community service. The Gold Award represents the highest awards attainable by junior and high school Girl Scouts.

I ask colleagues to join me in congratulating the recipient of this award, as her activity is indeed worthy of praise. Her leadership benefits our community and she serves as a role model for her peers.

Also, we must not forget the unsung heroes, who continue to devote a large part of their lives to make all this possible. Therefore, I salute the families, scout leaders, and countless others who have given generously of their time and energy in support of scouting.

It is with great pride that I recognize the achievements of Kelly, and bring the attention of Congress to this successful young woman on her day of recognition.

IN RECOGNITION OF THE 75TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE GOLF COURSE SUPERINTENDENTS ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA

**HON. DENNIS MOORE**

OF KANSAS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Monday, September 17, 2001*

Mr. MOORE. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to pay tribute to the Golf Course Superintendents Association of America (GCSAA) on the occasion of its 75th anniversary.

The GCSAA is the professional association for the men and women who manage and maintain golf facilities in the United States and worldwide. From its headquarters in Lawrence, Kansas, the association carries out its mission to serve its members, advance their profession and enhance the enjoyment, growth and vitality of the game of golf.

The GCSAA was founded on September 13, 1926, when a group of 60 visionary greenkeepers met at the Sylvania Country Club in Toledo, Ohio, with the purpose of forming an organization that would inform and educate its

membership and strive for a better future for those who manage the playing fields of golf. Originally called the National Association of Greenkeepers, the association has grown to more than 21,000 individual members in the United States and 65 other countries. GCSAA and its members are leaders in the golf community.

As in 1926, the advancement of the superintendent profession, and the game and business of golf, are at the heart of everything the GCSAA does today. GCSAA offers numerous educational and informational programs to serve an ever-growing membership—education that spans the scientific, technical, environmental, professional development and resource management aspects of the profession.

In recent years GCSAA has expanded its role so that it not only serves its members, but also the people, organizations and institutions allied to the game of golf. From funding university turfgrass research, to promoting the participation of youth, minorities and persons with disabilities in the game, to being a major participant in the arena of environmental stewardship, GCSAA continues to take an active approach in making golf better. Today the superintendent is recognized as a key to golfer enjoyment and to the economic vitality of the golf course.

GCSAA has spent the last 75 years advancing the golf course superintendent profession and enhancing the game of golf and will only continue these great achievements in the years to come.

Mr. Speaker, I am delighted to congratulate the Golf Course Superintendents Association of America as they celebrate 75 wonderful years of association history and heritage.

AUTHORIZING USE OF UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES AGAINST THOSE RESPONSIBLE FOR RECENT ATTACKS AGAINST THE UNITED STATES

SPEECH OF

**HON. JAMES H. MALONEY**

OF CONNECTICUT

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Friday, September 14, 2001*

Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut. Mr. Speaker, I come to the floor today to address the necessity, imposed on us by unspeakable acts of terrorism, for the United States to respond to the killing and injuring of thousands of our fellow citizens, almost all innocent civilians.

This Nation has the right and obligation to both respond to and defend itself from the violent enemies of our freedom and liberty. Those persons and/or entities that were either directly involved in or provided any assistance to the acts of September 11 pose a clear and present danger to the lives of our people and to our very national security. We will find those responsible and make certain that they, and anyone who helped them, are fully punished.

This attack on America and its people will not stand.

Moreover, as we cannot rule out future attacks on U.S. soil or to American interests overseas, we must take a comprehensive approach to this challenger. Appropriately, we will utilize the first rate capabilities of our Armed Forces to ensure the personal security of each and every one of us, at home or abroad. To that end, we commit ourselves by the resolution before us, to root out terrorism wherever it is found around the world.

It will not be an easy task to defeat terrorism. It will require considerable resources and patience. There is no quick solution. I am confident, however, that the President and the Congress, working together, will find the means and methods to prevail.

As a member of the Armed Services Committee, I along with my committee colleagues will perform our duty in providing U.S. Armed Forces the necessary resources to deter and defeat the threat of terrorism. I know that our colleagues will support our work.

There is yet considerable work to be done in the days and months ahead. I am confident that our Nation, and our Armed Forces called upon to defend all Americans, will meet the challenges that lie ahead—just as we have from Concord and Lexington through the war in the Persian Gulf.

I strongly urge passage of the Resolution.

A VISION FOR SAGINAW INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT

**HON. JAMES A. BARCIA**

OF MICHIGAN

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Monday, September 17, 2001*

Mr. BARCIA. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to commend Saginaw Intermediate School District Superintendent Richard Lane, Board of Education President Joseph W. Powe, Vice President Ruth A. Coppens and members Leola Wilson, Gerald W. Rustem and Richard F. Burmeister, Jr., upon the occasion of the dedication of the Saginaw Intermediate School District Transitions Center. Their hard work, foresight and initiative in building this center has greatly enhanced the educational potential of the district and will do much to improve the future of all residents.

The Transitions Center, the fifth complex owned and operated by the Saginaw Intermediate School District, will house two school programs, each designed to enable students with various disabilities to learn important and vital life skills. The lessons they learn at the center will provide these students with valuable tools to gain and maintain jobs, live independently and function responsibly long after they leave school. Their efforts also will greatly improve the entire community by unlocking the potential of those whose unique gifts might otherwise have gone untapped.

Throughout the years, the tremendously capable and hard-working leadership and staff of

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the Saginaw Intermediate District have championed cost-effective and efficient communications among local school districts and sought new and better methods to achieve that goal. To that end, they developed the Saginet Fiber Optic Network at the Transitions Center. This telecommunications network connects local districts with the Intermediate District. Establishing such cost-saving measures has freed valuable local school funds for other needs, giving students and teachers the money for assets they desperately needed.

The facility also includes the Instructional Services Department and Teacher Training Center, which together help local school districts and educators retain and improve proficiency in the development and implementation of curriculum and leads the way in many areas of professional training.

Mr. Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in expressing appreciation to Superintendent Lane, Board members and staff of the Saginaw Intermediate School District for their vision and dedication to the educational needs of the entire region. I have faith that their work will serve as a beacon for others and that they will continue to seek, find and implement many more methods for the betterment of schools, teachers and students everywhere.

AUTHORIZING USE OF UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES AGAINST THOSE RESPONSIBLE FOR RECENT ATTACKS AGAINST THE UNITED STATES

SPEECH OF

**HON. HENRY E. BROWN, JR.**

OF SOUTH CAROLINA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Friday, September 14, 2001*

Mr. BROWN of South Carolina. Mr. Speaker, today we have the opportunity to come together, with one voice, to stand up for what this great country means to all Americans. We owe it to the victims of Tuesday's attack; to those who continue to sacrifice in response to that attack; to those in our Armed Forces who we call on to defend us; to all Americans who dearly love their country; and to all future generations of Americans.

I urge my colleagues to make the vote on this resolution a symbol of a unified voice of freedom. May this vote prove to the entire world that the United States of America—as one nation, under God—will continue to be a beacon of freedom, hope, and dreams.

Above all, may all Americans take heart as their federal government moves forward, as a collective body, to protect their precious freedom. The use of force is justified to eliminate this menace of terrorism, and America will prevail.

AUTHORIZING USE OF UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES AGAINST THOSE RESPONSIBLE FOR RECENT ATTACKS AGAINST THE UNITED STATES

SPEECH OF

**HON. RANDY "DUKE" CUNNINGHAM**

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Friday, September 14, 2001*

Mr. CUNNINGHAM. Mr. Speaker, I rise to offer my strong, unconditional support for the congressional authorization that will enable our Nation to act swiftly and firmly against those responsible for unleashing the deadliest attack on our Nation in its history. The terrorists' heinous acts took thousands of innocent lives and caused unprecedented physical destruction. But they have not succeeded in tearing us down or leaving us weak.

Out of sorrow has come a soaring of the American spirit; out of destruction has come a restoration of community and political unity; and yes, out of anger, has come a steely determination to hunt down these terrorists and all their enablers, and to ensure that they pay a heavy price for these acts.

We did not seek conflict; terrorists have declared war upon the United States. But we will respond forcefully when our freedoms are threatened and our way of life is under attack. We must take action against our enemies, on our own terms, at a time of our choosing, with moral clarity and unity of purpose. We must deter future aggressors. This resolution will provide the President with the full authority to do just that, and we should join in unanimous support of it.

This resolution is not just authorization for a near-term strike against the perpetrators of the World Trade Center and Pentagon attacks. It is a declaration of war against all terrorists now threatening our Nation, and those who support them. While Congress will continue to consult with the Administration as we progress with this campaign, and play our rightful role if necessary to expand our operations, make no mistake that we will support the President in his quest to eliminate these threats to our society.

I have fought in a conflict that many in this Nation actively opposed, and know how devastating domestic opposition can be to the conduct of war. That should never happen again. Now more than ever, when we are asking our troops to defend our own soil from further attack, we must have solidarity and the commitment of the American people that we will not only provide critical moral support to our President and our troops, but that we will follow through with the financial resources they need to do the job.

This campaign demands that we relook our federal spending priorities, and our military needs. We must provide our troops with the current generation assets they need to do their job, and jump start maintenance of equipment that has been ignored for so long. But we must also modernize our forces to ensure their superiority in the 21st century. Perhaps we will revise our focus, reshape our priorities for evolving forms of warfare. But we will not ignore the military's needs, and our national security will be restored as the top national priority. We will make assets available to protect our homeland, and we will ensure our

troops are equipped to do their job and prevail in their mission—now and well into the future.

As President Bush has said, this battle will take time and resolve. But with the continued support of all Americans, we will win, no matter how long it takes. I urge all my colleagues to join in unanimous support of this Nation, our President and our military in this war by voting for this resolution authorizing use of force against the perpetrators of terrorism worldwide.

PRESERVING VIABILITY OF UNITED STATES AIR TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM

SPEECH OF

**HON. DONNA M. CHRISTENSEN**

OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Friday, September 14, 2001*

Mrs. CHRISTENSEN. Mr. Speaker, I rise in support of the bill introduced by my colleague Mr. OBERSTAR.

All week, my constituents in the U.S. Virgin Islands have been calling and asking for some kind of a lifeline for our tourism industry.

Not only is the travel and tourism industry the largest or second largest industry worldwide, but also it is responsible for 70 percent of the economy of the Virgin Islands.

Mr. Speaker we have just struggled to bring back our industry after several major hurricanes. We are almost there, and now this!

But this goes beyond just my district, and the people there who depend on tourism, and thus airline travel for their jobs, and to provide for their families. If the airline industry falls, we can see clearly that it would domino all through the national economy.

This bill providing financial support, and a line of credit is critical to this industry, to our economy and to my and many other districts.

We have come through an extraordinary week, and we need to take extraordinary action to secure the future of our nation.

Like many of my other colleagues, I do not support using the social security trust fund, but there is funding in the recently passed tax cut. This is more important and I would respectfully suggest that we use funds set aside for this unnecessary measure to support and sustain our airlines, tourism and the people who depend on them.

A TRIBUTE TO EVAN CHRISTIAN BROWNELL

**HON. STEVE ISRAEL**

OF NEW YORK

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Monday, September 17, 2001*

Mr. ISRAEL. Mr. Speaker, it is with great pride that I rise today to recognize one of New York's outstanding young students, Evan Christian Brownell. On October 7, 2001, the Boy Scouts of Troop 292 in Brentwood will recognize Evan's achievements by giving him the Eagle Scout honor.

Since the beginning of this century, the Boy Scouts of America have provided thousands of boys and young men each year with the opportunity to make friends, explore new ideas, and develop leadership skills while learning self-reliance and teamwork.

The Eagle Scout award is presented only to those who possess the qualities that make our nation great: commitment to excellence, hard work, and genuine love of community service. Becoming an Eagle Scout is an extraordinary award with which only the finest Boy Scouts are honored. To earn the award—the highest advancement rank in Scouting—a Boy Scout must demonstrate proficiency in the rigorous areas of leadership, service, and outdoor

skills; they must earn a minimum of 23 merit badges as well as contribute at least 100 man-hours toward a community oriented service project.

I ask my colleagues to join me in congratulating the recipient of this award, as his activities are indeed worthy of praise. His leadership benefits our community and he serves as role model for his peers.

Also, we must not forget the unsung heroes, who continue to devote a large part of their

lives to make all this possible. Therefore, I salute the families, scout leaders, and countless others who have given generously of their time and energy in support of scouting.

It is with great pride that I recognize the achievements of Evan and bring the attention of Congress to this successful young man on his day of recognition. Congratulations to Evan and his family.

## SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

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As an additional procedure along with the computerization of this information, the Office of the Senate Daily Digest will prepare this information for printing in the Extensions of Remarks section of the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD on Monday and Wednesday of each week.

Meetings scheduled for Tuesday, September 18, 2001 may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

## MEETINGS SCHEDULED

## SEPTEMBER 19

10 a.m.  
Appropriations  
Treasury and General Government Subcommittee  
To hold hearings to examine northern border security status. SD-192

2 p.m.  
Judiciary  
To hold hearings on S. 702, for the relief of Gao Zhan. SD-226

## SEPTEMBER 20

9:30 a.m.  
Commerce, Science, and Transportation  
To hold hearings to examine federal aviation security standards. SR-253

10 a.m.  
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions  
To hold hearings on the nomination of Eugene Scalia, of Virginia, to be Solicitor for the Department of Labor. SD-430

Appropriations  
Transportation Subcommittee  
To hold joint hearings with the House Appropriations' Subcommittee on Transportation to examine aviation security issues. SD-192

Governmental Affairs  
International Security, Proliferation and Federal Services Subcommittee  
To hold hearings to examine the annual report of the Postmaster General. SD-342

Finance  
Business meeting to consider S. 942, to authorize the supplemental grant for population increases in certain states under the temporary assistance to needy families program for fiscal year 2002; to be followed by a hearing on the nomination of JoAnne Barnhart, of Delaware, to be Commissioner of the Social Security Administration. SD-215

Judiciary  
To hold hearings to examine instant messaging, focusing on platforms and communications on the Web. SD-106

Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs  
To hold hearings to examine the condition of the financial markets. SD-538

2 p.m.  
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions  
To hold hearings to examine the effects of the drug OxyContin. SD-430

4 p.m.

Foreign Relations  
To hold a closed briefing to discuss India/Pakistan sanctions. S-407 Capitol

## SEPTEMBER 21

9:30 a.m.  
Governmental Affairs  
To hold hearings to examine the U.S. response to homeland attacks. SD-342

## SEPTEMBER 25

10 a.m.  
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions  
Public Health Subcommittee  
To hold hearings to examine environmental health issues. SD-430

2 p.m.  
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions  
Employment, Safety and Training Subcommittee  
To hold hearings to examine workplace safety for immigrant workers. SD-430

## SEPTEMBER 26

10 a.m.  
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions  
Business meeting to consider pending calendar business. SD-430

## CANCELLATIONS

## SEPTEMBER 19

10 a.m.  
Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions  
Children and Families Subcommittee  
To hold hearings to examine early childhood issues. SD-430



# Daily Digest

## Senate

### *Chamber Action*

*Routine Proceedings, page S9465*

Senate met at 10:00:01 a.m. in pro forma session, and adjourned at 10:00:40 a.m. until 10 a.m., on Wednesday, September 19, 2001.

### *Committee Meetings*

No committee meetings were held.

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## House of Representatives

### *Chamber Action*

**Measures Introduced:** 1 public bill, H.R. 2899, was introduced. **Page H5727**

**Reports Filed:** No Reports were filed today.

**Speaker Pro Tempore:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative Culberson to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H5707**

**Meeting Hour—Sept. 19:** Agreed that when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 12 noon on Wednesday, Sept. 19. **Page H5707**

**Calendar Wednesday:** Agreed to dispense with the Calendar Wednesday business of Wednesday, Sept. 19. **Page H5707**

**Quorum Calls—Votes:** No quorum calls or recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

**Adjournment:** The House met at 12 noon and adjourned at 1:19 p.m.

### *Committee Meetings*

No committee meetings were held.

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### COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 2001

#### Senate

No meetings/hearings scheduled.

#### House

No committee meetings are scheduled.

*Next Meeting of the SENATE*

10 a.m., Wednesday, September 19

*Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES*

12 noon, Wednesday, September 19

## Senate Chamber

**Program for Wednesday:** Senate will begin consideration of H.R. 2590, Treasury, Postal Service, and General Government Appropriations Act.

## House Chamber

**Program for Wednesday:** Pro forma session.

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