

and the government of the United States should immediately encourage the United Nations to establish an ad hoc committee for the purpose of studying membership for Taiwan in that organization and its related agencies.

"Section 2. The principal Clerk of the House of Representatives is directed to transmit a copy of this resolution to the President of the United States, the Speaker of the United States House of Representatives, and the United States Senate Majority Leader."

POM-253. A joint resolution adopted by the Legislature of the State of Nevada; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

"JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 30

"Whereas, The residents of the State of Nevada have enjoyed a sister-state relationship with the residents of the Republic of China on Taiwan for the past 10 years; and

"Whereas, the commercial interaction with the Republic of China on Taiwan has grown substantially in recent years to the benefit of the State of Nevada; and

"Whereas, the Republic of China on Taiwan has successfully established a democratic, multiparty political system; and

"Whereas, working in a cooperative atmosphere with the United States, the role of the Republic of China on Taiwan in international developmental programs and humanitarian relief operations has expanded significantly during the past decade; and

"Whereas, seven Central American countries have proposed to the Secretary General of the United Nations that a supplementary item be included in the provisional agenda of the 48th General Assembly session to consider the exceptional situation of the Republic of China on Taiwan in the international community, based on the principle of universality, and in accordance with the established pattern of parallel representation by divided countries in the United Nations: Now, therefore, be it

"Resolved by the Assembly and Senate of the State of Nevada, jointly, That our ongoing commercial relationship with the people of the Republic of China on Taiwan be recognized as serving our mutual interest in an equitable and reciprocal manner; and be it further

"Resolved, That the contributions of the Republic of China on Taiwan in light of her democratic government and humanitarian service abroad, be accorded appropriate recognition by the residents of the State of Nevada; and be it further

"Resolved, That the Congress of the United States is hereby urged to give due consideration to the readiness of the people of the Republic of China on Taiwan for its further contributions to broaden participation in the international community, including the United Nations and such forums as multilateral trade associations and humanitarian relief organizations; and be it further

"Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly prepare and transmit a copy of this resolution to the President of the United States, the Vice President of the United States as presiding officer of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, each member of the Nevada Congressional Delegation and to Director General Jyh-yuan Lo of the Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in San Francisco; and be it further

"Resolved, That this resolution becomes effective upon passage and approval."

POM-254. A joint resolution adopted by the Legislature of the State of Nevada; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

"JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 38

"Whereas, a parent who disagrees with a court's decision relating to the custody of

his child may choose to leave the United States with that child; and

"Whereas, international cases of parental abduction of children have increased dramatically; and

"Whereas, since 1977, the Office of Children's Issues of the United States Department of State has been notified in the cases of approximately 7,000 American children who were abducted from the United States or prevented from returning to the United States by one of their parents; and

"Whereas, the Office of Children's Issues has more than 1,200 unresolved cases of international abduction of children on file; and

"Whereas, the United States Department of State is not authorized to intervene in the private legal matters of parents or to enforce an agreement relating to the custody of a child who is living with a parent outside the United States: Now, therefore, be it

"Resolved by the Assembly and Senate of the State of Nevada, jointly, That the Nevada Legislature hereby urges Congress to enact legislation which would require that any application for a passport for a child under the age of 16 years must be signed by: '1. Both parents, if the parents and the child live together; 2. The parent or parents who has been awarded custody of the child; or 3. The surviving parent, if a parent is deceased; and be it further

"Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly prepare and transmit a copy of this resolution to the Vice President of the United States as presiding officer of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Representatives and each member of the Nevada Congressional Delegation; and be it further

"Resolved, That this resolution becomes effective upon passage and approval."

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. DOMENICI, from the Committee on Appropriations, with amendments:

H.R. 1905. A bill making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1996, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 104-120).

By Mr. SHELBY, from the Committee on Appropriations, with amendments:

H.R. 2020. A bill making appropriations for the Treasury Department, the U.S. Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain Independent Agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1996, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 104-121).

By Mr. HATFIELD, from the Committee on Appropriations:

Special Report entitled "Revised Allocation to Subcommittees of Budget Totals from the Concurrent Resolution for Fiscal Year 1996" (Rept. No. 104-122).

EXECUTIVE REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following executive reports of committee were submitted:

By Mr. THURMOND, from the Committee on Armed Services:

The following-named rear admirals (lower half) of the Reserve of the U.S. Navy for permanent promotion to the grade of rear admiral in the line and staff corps, as indicated, pursuant to the provision of title 10, United States Code, section 5912:

UNRESTRICTED LINE OFFICER

To be rear admiral

Rear Adm. (1h) Kenneth Leroy Fisher, 000-00-0000, U.S. Naval Reserve.

Rear Adm. (1h) John Henry McKinley, Jr., 000-00-0000, U.S. Naval Reserve.

Rear Adm. (1h) John Francis Paddock, Jr., 000-00-0000, U.S. Naval Reserve.

ENGINEERING DUTY OFFICER

To be rear admiral

Rear Adm. (1h) Roger George Gilbertson, 000-00-0000, U.S. Naval Reserve.

DENTAL CORPS OFFICER

To be rear admiral

Rear Adm. (1h) James Conley Yeargin, 000-00-0000, U.S. Naval Reserve.

SUPPLY CORPS OFFICER

To be rear admiral

Rear Adm. (1h) Robert Cameron Crates, 000-00-0000, U.S. Naval Reserve.

The following-named officer for appointment to the grade of lieutenant general while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, United States Code, section 601:

To be lieutenant general

Maj. Gen. George K. Muellner, 000-00-0000, U.S. Air Force.

The following-named officer for appointment to the grade of lieutenant general while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, United States Code, section 601(a):

To be lieutenant general

Maj. Gen. Jared L. Bates, 000-00-0000, U.S. Army.

The following U.S. Army National Guard officers for promotion to the grades indicated in the Reserve of the Army, under the provisions of sections 3385, 3392, and 12203(a), title 10, United States Code:

To be major general

Brig. Gen. James J. Hughes, Jr., 000-00-0000.

Brig. Gen. William D. Jones, 000-00-0000.

Brig. Gen. Melvin C. Thrash, 000-00-0000.

To be brigadier general

Col. John W. Hubbard, 000-00-0000.

Col. John D. Havens, 000-00-0000.

Col. Ronald D. Tincher, 000-00-0000.

Col. Peter B. Injasoulian, 000-00-0000.

Col. Alfred E. Tobin, 000-00-0000.

Col. James W. O'Toole, 000-00-0000.

Col. Francis D. Vavala, 000-00-0000.

Col. Michael H. Harris, 000-00-0000.

Col. Albert A. Mangone, 000-00-0000.

Col. David P. Rataczak, 000-00-0000.

Col. Thomas D. Kinley, 000-00-0000.

Col. Joseph J. Taluto, 000-00-0000.

Col. Norman A. Hoffman, 000-00-0000.

Col. Ewald E. Beth, 000-00-0000.

Col. Gene Sisneros, 000-00-0000.

Col. Gus L. Hargett, Jr., 000-00-0000.

Col. Harold J. Stearns, 000-00-0000.

The following U.S. Army National Guard officers for promotion to the grades indicated in the Reserve of the Army, under the provisions of sections 3385, 3392, and 12203(a), title 10, United States Code:

To be major general

Brig. Gen. Woodrow D. Boyce, 000-00-0000.

Brig. Gen. Robert J. Brandt, 000-00-0000.

Brig. Gen. Joseph H. Langley, 000-00-0000.

Brig. Gen. John B. Ramey, 000-00-0000.

To be brigadier general

Col. John D. Larson, 000-00-0000.

Col. Rosetta Y. Burke, 000-00-0000.

Col. Burney H. Enzor, 000-00-0000.

Col. Frank P. Baran, 000-00-0000.

Col. Robert M. Benson, 000-00-0000.

Col. Edward L. Correa, Jr., 000-00-0000.

Col. William R. Labrie, 000-00-0000.

Col. Namen X. Barnes, 000-00-0000.

Col. Randal M. Robinson, 000-00-0000.

Col. Paul D. Monroe, Jr., 000-00-0000.

Col. Lloyd D. McDaniel, Jr., 000-00-0000.

Col. Stanley R. Thompson, 000-00-0000.
 Col. Holsley A. Moorman, 000-00-0000.
 Col. Bradley D. Gambill, 000-00-0000.
 Col. Harvey M. Haakenson, 000-00-0000.
 Col. David T. Hartley, 000-00-0000.
 Col. Donald F. Hawkins, 000-00-0000.
 Col. Earl L. Doyle, 000-00-0000.
 Col. David M. Wilson, 000-00-0000.
 Col. James T. Carper, 000-00-0000.
 Col. William T. Thielemann, 000-00-0000.
 Col. Frederic J. Raymond, 000-00-0000.

The following U.S. Army Reserve officers for promotion to the grades indicated in the Reserve of the Army of the United States, under the provisions of sections 3371, 3384, and 12203(a), title 10, United States Code:

To be major general

Brig. Gen. William J. Collins, Jr., 000-00-0000.
 Brig. Gen. Joe M. Ernst, 000-00-0000.
 Brig. Gen. Steve L. Repichowski, 000-00-0000.
 Brig. Gen. Joseph A. Scheinkoenig, 000-00-0000.
 Brig. Gen. James W. Warr, 000-00-0000.

To be brigadier general

Col. Stephen D. Livingston, 000-00-0000.
 Col. Joseph L. Thompson III, 000-00-0000.
 Col. Roger L. Brautigan, 000-00-0000.
 Col. John G. Townsend, 000-00-0000.
 Col. Michael L. Bozeman, 000-00-0000.
 Col. William B. Raines, Jr., 000-00-0000.
 Col. Jamie S. Barkin, 000-00-0000.
 Col. John L. Anderson, 000-00-0000.

The following-named officer for appointment to the grade of lieutenant general while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, United States Code, section 601(a):

To be lieutenant general

Maj. Gen. John A. Dubia, 000-00-0000, U.S. Army.

The following-named officer to be placed on the retired list of the U.S. Marine Corps in the grade indicated under section 1370, of title 10, United States Code:

To be lieutenant general

Lt. Gen. Robert B. Johnston, 000-00-0000.

The following-named officer for appointment to the grade of lieutenant general while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, United States Code, section 601:

To be lieutenant general

Maj. Gen. Kenneth A. Minihan, 000-00-0000, U.S. Air Force.

(The above nominees were reported with the recommendation that they be confirmed.)

Mr. THURMOND. Mr. President, for the Committee on Armed Services, I report favorably the attached listing of nominations.

Those identified with a single asterisk (*) are to be placed on the Executive Calendar. Those identified with a double asterisk (**) are to lie on the Secretary's desk for the information of any Senator since these names have already appeared in the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD of June 5, June 13, June 21, June 26, and July 12, 1995, and ask unanimous consent, to save the expense of reprinting on the Executive Calendar, that these nominations lie at the Secretary's desk for the information of Senators.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

(The nominations ordered to lie on the Secretary's desk were printed in the RECORDS of June 5, 13, 21, 26 and

July 12, 1995 at the end of the Senate proceedings.)

*In the Naval Reserve there are 6 promotions to the grade of rear admiral (list begins with Kenneth Leroy Fisher) (Reference No. 163).

*In the Army Reserve there are 20 promotions to the grade of major general and below (list begins with James J. Hughes, Jr.) (Reference No. 339).

*In the Army Reserve there are 26 promotions to the grade of major general and below (list begins with Woodrow D. Boyce) (Reference No. 369).

*In the Army Reserve there are 13 promotions to the grade of major general and below (list begins with William J. Collins, Jr.) (Reference No. 370).

**In the Air Force there are 12 appointments to the grade of second lieutenant (list begins with Ann M. Brosier) (Reference No. 421).

**In the Navy there are 282 appointments to the grade of captain and below (list begins with Mark A. Armstrong) (Reference No. 422).

**In the Navy and Naval Reserve there are 21 appointments to the grade of captain and below (list begins with Lawrence D. Hill, Jr.) (Reference No. 441).

**In the Air Force Reserve there are 22 promotions to the grade of lieutenant colonel (list begins with Gayle W. Botley) (Reference No. 442).

**In the Air Force there are 43 promotions to the grade of lieutenant colonel and below (list begins with Steven J. Austin) (Reference No. 458).

**In the Air Force and Air Force Reserve there are 33 appointments to the grade of colonel and below (list begins with Angelo J. Freda) (Reference No. 459).

**In the Air Force and Air Force Reserve there are 8 appointments to the grade of lieutenant colonel and below (list begins with Vincent F. Carr) (Reference No. 460).

**In the Air Force Reserve there are 26 promotions to the grade of lieutenant colonel (list begins with Richard C. Beaulieu) (Reference No. 461).

**In the Navy there are 2 promotions to the grade of lieutenant commander (list begins with Kenneth V. Kollermeier) (Reference No. 462).

**In the Army there are 185 promotions to the grade of lieutenant colonel (list begins with Denise J. Anderson) (Reference No. 463).

*Maj. Gen. George K. Muellner, USAF to be lieutenant general (Reference No. 469).

*Maj. Gen. Jared L. Bates, USA to be lieutenant general (Reference No. 470).

*Maj. Gen. John A. Dubia, USA to be lieutenant general (Reference No. 471).

*Lt. Gen. Robert B. Johnston, USMC to be placed on the retired list in the grade of lieutenant general (Reference No. 473).

**In the Air Force Reserve there are 69 promotions to the grade of colonel (list begins with James W. Amason) (Reference No. 474).

**In the Army Reserve there are 21 promotions to the grade of colonel and below (list begins with Frank M. Hudgins) (Reference No. 475).

**In the Army Reserve there are 49 promotions to the grade of colonel and below (list begins with Robert D. Allen) (Reference No. 476).

*Maj. Gen. Kenneth A. Minihan, USAF to be lieutenant general (Reference No. 508).

**In the Army there are 222 promotions to the grade of lieutenant colonel (list begins with David C. Anderson) (Reference No. 509).

**In the Navy there are 484 promotions to the grade of commander (list begins with Jose A. Acosta) (Reference No. 510).

Total: 1,549.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills and joint resolutions were introduced, read the first and second time by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. FEINGOLD:

S. 1078. A bill to amend the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act to require the Secretary of Agriculture to make tourist and other recreational businesses located in rural communities eligible for loans under the business and industry loan program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. COATS:

S. 1079. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide a tax credit for charitable contributions to organizations providing poverty assistance, to allow taxpayers who do not itemize to deduct charitable contributions, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. STEVENS (for himself, Mr. PRYOR, and Mr. ROTH):

S. 1080. A bill to amend chapter 84 of title 5, United States Code, to provide additional investment funds for the Thrift Savings Plan; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. SIMPSON (for himself and Mr. BAUCUS):

S. 1081. A bill to terminate the application of title IV of the Trade Act of 1974 to Bulgaria; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. DODD (for himself and Mr. LIEBERMAN):

S. 1082. A bill to require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint coins in commemoration of the bicentennial of the Old State House of Connecticut; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. THOMAS:

S. 1083. A bill to direct the President to withhold extension of the WTO Agreement to any country that is not complying with its obligations under the New York Convention, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. THURMOND (for himself and Mr. HOLLINGS):

S. 1084. A bill to provide for the conveyance of the C.S.S. Hunley to the State of South Carolina, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. DOLE (for himself, Mr. MCCONNELL, Mr. SIMPSON, Mr. KYL, Mr. BROWN, Mr. NICKLES, Mr. GRASSLEY, and Mr. SHELBY):

S. 1085. A bill to prohibit discrimination and preferential treatment on the basis of race, color, national origin, or sex with respect to Federal employment, contracts, and programs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions and Senate resolutions were read, and referred (or acted upon), as indicated:

By Mr. DASCHLE (for himself, Mr. DOLE, Mr. ROCKEFELLER, Mr. FORD, Mr. THURMOND, Mr. LOTT, Mr. INOUE, Mr. ABRAHAM, Mr. AKAKA, Mr. ASHCROFT, Mr. BAUCUS, Mr. BENNETT, Mr. BIDEN, Mr. BINGAMAN, Mr. BOND, Mrs. BOXER, Mr. BRADLEY, Mr. BREAUX, Mr. BROWN, Mr. BRYAN, Mr. BUMPERS, Mr. BURNS, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. CHAFEE, Mr. COATS, Mr. COCHRAN, Mr. COHEN, Mr. CONRAD, Mr. COVERDELL, Mr. CRAIG, Mr. D'AMATO,