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House of Representatives

APPOINTMENT BY THE SPEAKER AFTER SINE DIE ADJOURNMENT

Pursuant to the provisions of section 4021(c) of Public Law 105-33 and section 3 of House Resolution 311, 105th Congress, the Speaker on Monday, December 1, 1997, did appoint the following Members on the part of the House to the National Bipartisan Commission on the Future of Medicare:

Mr. THOMAS of California.

Mr. GANSKE of Iowa.

Mr. BILIRAKIS of Florida.

Mr. Samuel H. Howard of Nashville, TN.

On Friday, December 5, 1997, the Speaker did also appoint the following members on the part of the House:

Mr. DINGELL of Michigan.

Mr. MCDERMOTT of Washington.

APPOINTMENT BY THE SPEAKER AFTER SINE DIE ADJOURNMENT

Pursuant to the provisions of section 8131(a)(2) of Public Law 105-56 and section 3 of House Resolution 311, 105th Congress, the Speaker on Friday, November 21, 1997, did appoint the following members on the part of the House to the Panel To Review Long-Range Air Power:

Mr. Donald B. Rice of California.

Mr. John S. Foster, Jr., of California.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE MI- NORITY LEADER OF THE HOUSE AFTER SINE DIE ADJOURNMENT

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
OFFICE OF THE DEMOCRATIC LEADER,
Washington, DC, December 1, 1997.

Hon. NEWT GINGRICH,
Speaker of the House,

U.S. House of Representatives, Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to section 955(b)(1)(B), Public Law 105-83, I hereby appoint the following Member to the National Council on the Arts: Mrs. Lowey, NY.

Yours very truly,

RICHARD A. GEPHARDT.

RESIGNATION FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AFTER SINE DIE ADJOURNMENT

Mr. FLAKE submitted the following resignation from the House of Representatives:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, November 7, 1997.

Hon. ALEXANDER TREADWELL,
Secretary of State,
Albany, NY.

DEAR SECRETARY TREADWELL: Pursuant to section 31 of the Public Officers law, I hereby inform you that I am resigning from the United States House of Representatives. My resignation will become effective at midnight on November 16, 1997.

As you and the citizens of New York are well aware, I am returning to my pastorate at the Allen A.M.E. church in Jamaica, Queens. Although I have been called back to Allen to devote my energy and full-time attention to its congregation, I am proud of my service in Congress. It has been my distinct privilege to represent the people of the 6th Congressional District of New York, and an honor to serve the people of the United States of America.

With warmest regards, I am
Sincerely,

FLOYD H. FLAKE,
Member of Congress.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK OF THE HOUSE AFTER SINE DIE ADJOURNMENT

OFFICE OF THE CLERK,
U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, November 14, 1997.

Hon. NEWT GINGRICH,
Speaker, U.S. House of Representatives, Wash-
ington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to the permission granted in Clause 5 of Rule III of the Rules of the U.S. House of Representatives, the Clerk received the following message from the Secretary of the Senate on Friday, November 14, 1997 at 1:30 p.m.: that the Senate PASSED without amendment H.J. Res. 106.

With warm regards,

ROBIN H. CARLE, Clerk,
U.S. House of Representatives.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK OF THE HOUSE AFTER SINE DIE ADJOURNMENT

OFFICE OF THE CLERK,
U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, November 14, 1997.

Hon. NEWT GINGRICH,
Speaker, U.S. House of Representatives, Wash-
ington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to the permission granted in Clause 5 of Rule III of the Rules of the U.S. House of Representatives, the Clerk received the following message from the Secretary of the Senate on Friday, November 14, 1997 at 2:15 p.m.:

S. 476—Agreed to House amendment.

S. 738—Agreed to House amendment.

H.R. 1254—PASSED without amendment.

H.R. 1493—PASSED without amendment.

H.R. 1604—Receded from amendment 61.

H.R. 2159—Agreed to Conference Report.

H.R. 2265—PASSED without amendment.

H.R. 2267—Agreed to Conference Report.

H.R. 2476—PASSED without amendment.

H.R. 2607—Agreed to House amendments.

H.R. 2626—PASSED without amendment.

H.R. 2796—PASSED without amendment.

H.R. 2979—PASSED without amendment.

H.R. 3025—PASSED without amendment.

H.R. 3034—PASSED without amendment.

H.J. Res. 95—PASSED without amend-
ment.

H.J. Res. 96—PASSED without amend-
ment.

ROBIN H. CARLE, Clerk,
U.S. House of Representatives.

ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RES- OLUTIONS SIGNED AFTER SINE DIE ADJOURNMENT

Mr. THOMAS, from the Committee on House Oversight subsequent to the sine die adjournment of the 1st session, 105th Congress did on the following dates report that that committee had examined and found truly enrolled bills and joint resolutions of the House of the following titles, which were thereupon signed by the Speaker pro tempore:

On November 13, 1997:

H.J. Res. 106. Joint resolution making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1998, and for other purposes.

□ This symbol represents the time of day during the House proceedings, e.g., □ 1407 is 2:07 p.m.

Matter set in this typeface indicates words inserted or appended, rather than spoken, by a Member of the House on the floor.



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On November 17, 1997:

H.R. 2607. An act making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1998, and for other purposes.

H.R. 867. An act to promote the adoption of children in foster care.

On November 19, 1997:

H.R. 2159. An act making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1998, and for other purposes.

On November 24, 1997:

H.R. 2267. An act making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce, Justice and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1998, and for other purposes.

On November 25, 1997:

H.R. 1254. An act to designate the United States Post Office building located at 1919 West Bennett Street in Springfield, Missouri, as the "John N. Griesemer Post Office Building."

H.R. 1493. An act to require the Attorney General to establish a program in local prisons to identify, prior to arraignment, criminal aliens and aliens who are unlawfully present in the United States, and for other purposes.

H.R. 2626. An act to make clarifications to the Pilot Records Improvement Act of 1996, and for other purposes.

On December 4, 1997:

H.R. 1604. An act to provide for the division, use, and distribution of judgment funds of the Ottawa and Chippewa Indians of Michigan pursuant to dockets numbered 18-E, 58, 364, and 18-R before the Indian Claims Commission.

H.R. 1658. An act to reauthorize and amend the Atlantic Stiped Bass Conservation Act and related laws.

H.R. 2265. An act to amend the provisions of titles 17 and 18, United States Code, to provide greater copyright protection by amending the criminal copyright infringement provisions, and for other purposes.

H.R. 2476. An act to amend title 49, United States Code, to require the National Transportation Safety Board and individual foreign air carriers to address the needs of families of passengers involved in aircraft accidents involving foreign air carriers.

H.R. 2796. An act to authorize the reimbursement of members of the Army deployed to Europe in support of operations in Bosnia for certain out-of-pocket expenses incurred by the members during the period beginning on October 1, 1996, and ending on May 31, 1997.

H.R. 2977. An act to amend the Federal Advisory Committee Act to clarify public disclosure requirements that are applicable to the National Academy of Sciences and the National Academy of Public Administration.

H.R. 2979. An act to authorize acquisition of certain real property for the Library of Congress, and for other purposes.

H.R. 3025. An act to amend the Federal charter for Group Hospitalization and Medical Services, Inc., and for other purposes.

H.R. 3034. An act to amend section 13031 of the Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1985, relating to customs user fees, to allow the use of such fees to provide for customs inspectional personnel in connection with the arrival of passengers in Florida, and for other purposes.

H.J. Res. 95. Joint resolution granting the consent of Congress to the Chickasaw Trail Economic Development Compact.

H.J. Res. 96. Joint resolution granting the consent and approval of Congress for the State of Maryland, the Commonwealth of Virginia, and the District of Columbia to

amend the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Regulation Compact.

SENATE ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED AFTER SINE DIE ADJOURNMENT

The Speaker pro tempore, subsequent to the sine die adjournment of the 1st session, 105th Congress, announced her signature to enrolled bills and a joint resolution of the Senate of the following titles:

On November 17, 1997:

S. 1026. An act to reauthorize the Export-Import Bank of the United States.

S. 1139. An act to reauthorize the programs of the Small Business Administration, and for other purposes.

S. 1228. An act to provide for a 10-year circulating commemorative coin program to commemorate each of the 50 States, and for other purposes.

S. 1354. An act to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to provide for the designation of common carriers not subject to the jurisdiction of a State commission as eligible telecommunications carriers.

S. 1378. An act to extend the authorization of use of official mail in the location and recovery of missing children, and for other purposes.

S. 1417. An act to provide for the design, construction, furnishing and equipping of a Center for Performing Arts within the complex known as the New Mexico Hispanic Cultural Center and for other purposes.

S. 1505. An act to make technical and conforming amendments to the Museum and Library Services Act, and for other purposes.

S. 1507. An act to amend the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1998 to make certain technical corrections.

S. 1519. An act to provide a 6-month extension of highway, highway safety, and transit programs pending enactment of a law reauthorizing the Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act of 1991.

On November 19, 1997:

S. 156. An act to provide certain benefits of the Pick-Sloan Missouri River Basin program to the Lower Brule Sioux Tribe, and for other purposes.

S. 476. An act to provide for the establishment of not less than 2,500 Boys and Girls Clubs of America facilities by the year 2000.

S. 738. An act to reform the statutes relating to Amtrak, to authorize appropriations for Amtrak, and for other purposes.

S. 819. An act to designate the United States courthouse at 200 South Washington Street in Alexandria, Virginia, as the Martin V.B. Bostetter, Jr. United States Courthouse.

S. 830. An act to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act and the Public Health Service Act to improve the regulation of food, drugs, devices, and biological products, and for other purposes.

S. 833. An act to designate the Federal building courthouse at Public Square and Superior Avenue in Cleveland, Ohio, as the Howard M. Metzenbaum United States Courthouse.

S. 1161. An act to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to authorize appropriations for refugee and entrant assistance for fiscal years 1998 and 1999.

S. 1193. An act to amend chapter 443 of title 49, United States Code, to extend the authorization of the aviation insurance program, and for other purposes.

S. 1559. An act to provide for the design, construction, furnishing, and equipping of a Center for Historically Black Heritage within Florida A&M University.

S. 1565. An act to make technical corrections to the Nicaraguan Adjustment and Central American Relief Act.

S.J. Res. 39. A joint resolution to provide for the convening of the second session of the One Hundred Fifth Congress.

BILLS PRESENTED TO THE PRESIDENT AFTER SINE DIE ADJOURNMENT

Mr. THOMAS, from the Committee on House Oversight, subsequent to the sine die adjournment of the 1st session, 105th Congress, did on the following date present to the President for his approval bills and joint resolutions of the House of the following titles:

On November 14, 1997:

H.J. Res. 103. Joint resolution waiving certain enrollment requirements with respect to certain specified bills of the One Hundred Fifth Congress.

H.J. Res. 106. Joint resolution making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1998, and for other purposes.

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