

## MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

## ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

At 5:18 p.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by one of its clerks, announced that the Speaker has signed the following enrolled bill:

S. 1002. An act to amend the Older Americans Act of 1965 to reinstate certain provisions relating to the nutrition services incentive program.

## EXECUTIVE AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were laid before the Senate, together with accompanying papers, reports, and documents, and were referred as indicated:

EC-1271. A communication from the Administrator, Fruit and Vegetable Program, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fee for Inspecting Fruits and Vegetables, Processed" (RIN0581-AC56) received on April 4, 2007; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-1272. A communication from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Tomatoes Grown in Florida; Change in Handling Requirements" (Docket No. AMS-FV-06-0208) received on April 4, 2007; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-1273. A communication from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Hazelnuts Grown in Oregon and Washington; Establishment of Final Free and Restricted Percentages for the 2006-2007 Marketing Year" (Docket No. AMS-FV-06-0175) received on April 4, 2007; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-1274. A communication from the Administrator, Risk Management Agency, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Common Crop Insurance Regulations; Almond and Walnut Crop Insurance Provisions" (RIN0563-AC08) received on April 10, 2007; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-1275. A communication from the Chairman, Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board, transmitting, pursuant to law, its annual report relative to the Board's health and safety activities relating to defense nuclear facilities; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1276. A communication from the Director, Defense Procurement and Acquisition Policy, Department of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Electronic Submission and Processing of Payment Requests" (DFARS Case 2005-D009) received on April 10, 2007; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1277. A communication from the Director, Defense Procurement and Acquisition Policy, Department of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Prohibition on Acquisition from Communist Chinese Military Companies" (DFARS Case 2006-D007) received on April 10, 2007; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1278. A communication from the Director, Defense Procurement and Acquisition Policy, Department of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule en-

titled "New Designated Countries" (DFARS Case 2006-D062) received on April 10, 2007; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1279. A communication from the Director, Defense Procurement and Acquisition Policy, Department of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Free Trade Agreements—Guatemala and Bahrain" (DFARS Case 2006-D028) received on April 10, 2007; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1280. A communication from the Director, Pentagon Renovation and Construction Program Office, Department of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, an annual report on the Office's work in progress, completed and planned before March 1, 2007; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1281. A communication from the Deputy Chief of Legislative Affairs, Department of the Navy, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the Department's performance decision to transfer certain functions to contract workers; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1282. A communication from the Principal Deputy, Office of the Under Secretary of Defense (Personnel and Readiness), transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the critical skills retention bonus program; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1283. A communication from the Principal Deputy, Office of the Under Secretary of Defense (Personnel and Readiness), transmitting, the report of (10) officers authorized to wear the insignia of the grade of brigadier general in accordance with title 10, United States Code, section 777; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1284. A communication from the Under Secretary of Defense (Acquisition, Technology and Logistics), transmitting, pursuant to law, the annual Selected Acquisition Reports for the quarter ending December 31, 2006; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1285. A communication from the Deputy Secretary of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the threat posed by improvised explosive devices; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1286. A communication from the Paralegal, Federal Transit Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Clean Fuels Grant Program" (RIN2132-AA91) received on April 3, 2007; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1287. A communication from the Counsel for Legislation and Regulations, Office of the Secretary, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Revisions to the Public Access to HUD Records Under the Freedom of Information Act Regulations" (RIN2501-AD22) received on April 4, 2007; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1288. A communication from the Counsel for Legislation and Regulations, Office of Community Planning and Development, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Timeliness Expenditure Standards for the Insular Areas Program" (RIN2501-AD15) received on April 4, 2007; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1289. A communication from the Assistant to the Board, Federal Reserve System, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Expanded Examination Cycle for Certain Small Insured Depository Institutions and U.S. Branches and Agencies of Foreign Banks" (Docket No. R-1279) received on April 4, 2007; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1290. A communication from the Chairman and President of the Export-Import

Bank of the United States, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to a transaction involving U.S. exports to Singapore; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1291. A communication from the Acting General Counsel, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the designation of an acting officer for the position of General Counsel, received on April 10, 2007; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1292. A communication from the Acting Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legislative Affairs, Department of Justice, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the Department's activities during calendar year 2006 under the Equal Credit Opportunity Act; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1293. A communication from the Chairman, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the Buy American Act; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1294. A communication from the Chairman and President of the Export-Import Bank of the United States, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to transactions involving U.S. exports to the United Arab Emirates; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1295. A communication from the Executive Director, National Credit Union Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on the use of category rating; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1296. A communication from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Regulatory Programs, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Revision of Methods for Renewing and Replacing Permits Issued Under the West Coast Highly Migratory Species Fishery Management Plan" (RIN0648-AU91) received on April 4, 2007; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-1297. A communication from the Attorney Advisor, Office of the Secretary, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a nomination for the position of General Counsel, received on April 4, 2007; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-1298. A communication from the Secretary, Federal Trade Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Commission's annual report relative to the implementation of the Do Not Call Registry; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-1299. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Office of Legislative and Intergovernmental Affairs, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the Critical Skills Retention Bonus program; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-1300. A communication from the Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries off West Coast States; Pacific Coast Groundfish Fishery; Biennial Specification and Management Measures; Correction" (RIN0648-AU57) received on April 10, 2007; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-1301. A communication from the Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Temporary Rule; Inseason Summer Flounder