

Not only has Terry admirably served in his chosen career, but he has also offered his talents and expertise to a variety of local, state and national organizations. Terry has served as past President and board member of the National Association of Development Organizations, chairman of the Arkansas I-69 Association and vice-president of Arkansas Good Roads, board member of the Council of Peers and Southwest Regional Economic Development Association, chairman of the Association of Delta Development Districts, member of the Arkansas Highway and Transportation Public Participation's Committee, and a member of the Arkansas Association of Development Organizations. Terry's efforts have enhanced the lives of the citizens of our state. I am thankful for his work and his friendship and wish him a productive retirement.

I am proud to represent Terry in the U.S. Senate and pleased to have this opportunity today to publicly thank him for his contributions to the State of Arkansas and the people he touched.●

● Mr. PRYOR. Mr. President, today I pay tribute to the professional career and community achievements of Terry Sherwood of Magnolia, AR.

Terry Sherwood, a graduate of Michigan State University, began working as an employee of Southwest Arkansas Planning and Development District, Inc. in 1969. His hard work and dedication showed as he became the executive director in January 1992. He has provided the people of Arkansas with many accomplishments that are spread throughout the State.

He has served on several boards in several leadership roles such as past president and board member of the National Association of Development Organizations, NADO, vice president and member of the executive board of the I-69 Mid-Continent Highway Coalition, chairman of the Arkansas I-69 Association, vice-president of Arkansas Good Roads, board member of the Council of Peers Southeast Regional Executive Directors Institute, board member of the Southwest Regional Economic Development Association, chair of the Association of Delta Development Districts Delta Regional Authority, member of the Public Participation Committee Arkansas Highway and Transportation Department, and member of Arkansas Association of Development Organizations.

Terry has brought great leadership and outstanding integrity to the south Arkansas community. His leadership is unique and has inspired many other people in the area to get involved in their local neighborhoods and towns.

Mr. President, I ask that my colleagues join me in recognizing the great contributions Terry Sherwood has made to Arkansas and the United States of America.●

MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT

Messages from the President of the United States were communicated to the Senate by Mr. Williams, one of his secretaries.

EXECUTIVE MESSAGES REFERRED

As in executive session the Presiding Officer laid before the Senate messages from the President of the United States submitting sundry nominations which were referred to the appropriate committees.

(The nominations received today are printed at the end of the Senate proceedings.)

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

At 10:03 a.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Ms. Niland, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H.R. 118. An act to authorize the addition of 100 acres to Morristown National Historical Park.

H.R. 1454. An act to provide for the issuance of a Multinational Species Conservation Funds Semipostal Stamp.

H.R. 1672. An act to reauthorize the Northwest Straits Marine Conservation Initiative Act to promote the protection of the resources of the Northwest Straits, and for other purposes.

H.R. 2062. An act to amend the Migratory Bird Treaty Act to provide for penalties and enforcement for intentionally taking protected avian species, and for other purposes.

H.R. 3388. An act to modify the boundary of Petersburg National Battlefield in the Commonwealth of Virginia, and for other purposes.

H.R. 3804. An act to make technical corrections to various Acts affecting the National Park Service, to extend, amend, or establish certain National Park Service authorities, and for other purposes.

H.R. 3940. An act to amend Public Law 96-597 to clarify the authority of the Secretary of the Interior to extend grants and other assistance to facilitate political status public education programs for the peoples of the non-self-governing territories of the United States.

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

At 3:16 p.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Ms. Niland, one of its reading clerks, announced that the Speaker has signed the following enrolled bill:

S. 1422. An act to amend the Family and Medical Leave Act of 1993 to clarify the eligibility requirements with respect to airline flight crews.

At 4:27 p.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Mrs. Cole, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House has passed the following bill, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H.R. 4218. An act to amend titles II and XVI of the Social Security Act to prohibit retroactive payments to individuals during periods for which such individuals are prisoners, fugitive felons, or probation or parole violators.

The message also announced that the House disagrees to the amendment of

the Senate to the bill (H.R. 3288) "making appropriations for the Departments of Transportation, and Housing and Urban Development, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2010, and for other purposes"; it agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon, and appoints Mr. OLVER, Mr. PASTOR, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. BERRY, Ms. KILPATRICK of Michigan, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. OBEY, Mr. LATHAM, Mr. WOLF, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. WAMP, and Mr. LEWIS of California, as managers of the conference on the part of the House.

MEASURES REFERRED

The following bills were read the first and the second times by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

H.R. 118. An act to authorize the addition of 100 acres to Morristown National Historical Park; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

H.R. 1454. An act to provide for the issuance of a Multinational Species Conservation Funds Semipostal Stamp; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

H.R. 2062. An act to amend the Migratory Bird Treaty Act to provide for penalties and enforcement for intentionally taking protected avian species, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

H.R. 3388. An act to modify the boundary of Petersburg National Battlefield in the Commonwealth of Virginia, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

H.R. 3804. An act to make technical corrections to various Acts affecting the National Park Service, to extend, amend, or establish certain National Park Service authorities, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

H.R. 3940. An act to amend Public Law 96-597 to clarify the authority of the Secretary of the Interior to extend grants and other assistance to facilitate political status public education programs for the peoples of the non-self-governing territories of the United States; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

MEASURES PLACED ON THE CALENDAR

The following bill was read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and placed on the calendar:

H.R. 1672. An act to reauthorize the Northwest Straits Marine Conservation Initiative Act to promote the protection of the resources of the Northwest Straits, and for other purposes.

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-3964. A communication from the Commissioner of the Social Security Administration, transmitting, the report of a proposed bill to amend titles II and XVI; to the Committee on Finance.