

DONALD J. PEASE FEDERAL BUILDING

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MAY 23, 2001.—Referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed

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Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, from the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, submitted the following

REPORT

[To accompany H.R. 819]

[Including cost estimate of the Congressional Budget Office]

The Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, to whom was referred the bill (H.R. 819) to designate the Federal building located at 143 West Liberty Street, Medina, Ohio, as the “Donald J. Pease Federal Building”, having considered the same, report favorably thereon without amendment and recommend that the bill do pass.

PURPOSE AND SUMMARY

Don Pease was born in Oberlin, Ohio in 1931. He attended Lincoln Grammar School and Scott High School in Toledo, Ohio. He received his B.S. in 1953 and M.A. in 1955 from the University of Ohio in Athens. Congressman Pease was a Fulbright scholar and continued his studies at Kings College, University of Durham, England. He served in the United States Army from 1955 until 1957 and returned to Ohio to work at the Oberlin News-Tribune. Congressman Pease was first elected to public office in 1962 to the Oberlin City Council. In 1964, he was elected to the Ohio Senate. He served in the Ohio Legislature from 1965 until 1976, at which time he was elected to the 95th Congress.

Congressman Pease was a member of the House International Relations Committee and began his tenure in the House advocating human rights. Five years later he secured a seat on the Ways and Means Committee, and by the 102nd Congress earned one of three seats on the Budget Committee reserved for Ways and Means members. Congressman Pease’s efforts to work with both sides of the aisle include service on the Conference Committee for the Tax Reform bill of 1986, and mediation between congressional leaders and the Administration during the 1990 budget summit.

Since leaving Congress, Congressman Pease serves as Visiting Distinguished Professor in Oberlin College's Department of Politics. This designation is honoring a dedicated public servant.

HEARINGS AND LEGISLATIVE HISTORY

No hearings were held in conjunction with ordering reported H.R. 819.

COMMITTEE CONSIDERATION

On May 16, 2001, the Full Committee met in open session and ordered reported H.R. 819 to designate the Federal building located at 143 West Liberty Street, Medina, Ohio, as the "Donald J. Pease Federal Building". It was approved March 28, 2001, by the Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings and Emergency Management, by voice vote with a quorum present. There were no recorded votes taken during Committee consideration of H.R. 819.

ROLLCALL VOTES

Clause 3(b) of rule XIII of the House of Representatives, requires each committee report to include the total number of votes cast for and against on each record vote on a motion to report and on any amendment offered to the measure or matter, and the names of those members voting for and against. There were no recorded votes taken in connection with ordering H.R. 819 reported. A motion by Mr. LaTourette to order H.R. 819 favorably reported to the House was agreed to by voice vote, a quorum being present.

COMPLIANCE WITH HOUSE RULE XIII

1. With respect to the requirement of clause 3(c)(2) of rule XIII of the Rules of the House of Representatives, and section 308(a) of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974, the Committee references the report of the Congressional Budget Office below.

2. With respect to clause 3(c)(4) of rule XIII of the Rules of the House of Representatives, the Committee advises that the bill contains no measure that authorizes funding, so no statement of general performance and objectives for which any measure authorizes funding is required.

3. With respect to the requirement of clause 3(c)(3) of rule XIII of the Rules of the House of Representatives and section 402 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974, the Committee has received the following cost estimate for H.R. 819 from the Director of the Congressional Budget Office.

U.S. CONGRESS,  
CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET OFFICE,  
*Washington, DC, May 17, 2001.*

Hon. DON YOUNG,  
*Chairman, Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure,  
House of Representatives, Washington, DC.*

DEAR MR. CHAIRMAN: The Congressional Budget Office has reviewed the following bills, which were ordered reported by the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure on May 16, 2001:

- H.R. 495, a bill to designate the Federal building located in Charlotte Amalie, St. Thomas, United States Virgin Islands, as the “Ron de Lugo Federal Building”; and
- H.R. 819, a bill to designate the Federal building located at 143 West Liberty Street, Medina, Ohio, as the “Donald J. Pease Federal Building.”

CBO estimates that their enactment would have no significant impact on the federal budget, and would not affect direct spending or receipts; therefore, pay-as-you-go procedures would not apply. The bills contain no intergovernmental or private-sector mandates as defined in the Unfunded Mandates Reform Act and would impose no costs on state, local, or tribal governments.

If you wish further details on this estimate, we will be pleased to provide them. The CBO staff contact is Lanette J. Walker.

Sincerely,

BARRY B. ANDERSON  
(For Dan L. Crippen, Director).

#### CONSTITUTIONAL AUTHORITY STATEMENT

Pursuant to clause 3(d)(1) of rule XIII of the Rules of the House of Representatives, committee reports on a bill or joint resolution of a public character shall include a statement citing the specific powers granted to the Congress in the Constitution to enact the measure. The Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure finds that Congress has the authority to enact this measure pursuant to its powers granted under Article I, section 8 of the Constitution.

#### FEDERAL MANDATES STATEMENT

The Committee adopts as its own the estimate of Federal mandates prepared by the Director of the Congressional Budget Office pursuant to section 423 of the Unfunded Mandates Reform Act. (Public Law 104–4.)

#### ADVISORY COMMITTEE STATEMENT

No advisory committees within the meaning of section 5(b) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act were created by this legislation.

#### APPLICABILITY TO THE LEGISLATIVE BRANCH

The Committee finds that the legislation does not relate to the terms and conditions of employment or access to public services or accommodations within the meaning of section 102(b)(3) of the Congressional Accountability Act. (Public Law 104–1.)