

[Docket No. 96-NM-233-AD; Amdt. 39-9916; AD 97-03-11] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801 (a) (1) (A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1806. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; McDonnell Douglas Model DC-9 and Model DC-9-80 Series Airplanes, Model MD-88 Airplanes, and C-9 (Military) Series Airplanes Equipped with BF Goodrich Evacuation Slides (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 96-NM-124-AD; Amdt. 39-9920; AD 97-03-15] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801 (a) (1) (A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1807. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Jetstream Model 4101 Airplanes (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 96-NM-97-AD; Amdt. 39-9917; AD 96-03-12] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1808. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directive; McDonnell Douglas Model MD-11 and MD-11F Series Airplanes (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 96-NM-218-AD; Amdt. 39-9921; AD 96-03-16] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1809. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 747 Series Airplanes (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 95-NM-226-AD; Amdt. 39-9924; AD 97-03-19] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1810. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directive; Construcciones Aeronauticas S.A. (CASA), Model C-1212 Series Airplanes (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 96-NM-890-AD; Amdt. 39-9918; AD 97-03-13] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1811. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 747 and 757 Series Airplanes (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 96-NM-57-AD; Amdt. 39-9922; AD 97-03-17] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1812. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 737-300 Series Airplanes (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 96-NM-148-AD; Amdt. 39-9919; AD 97-03-14] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1813. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Rolls-Royce plc RB211-535E4 and -535E4-B Series Turbofan Engines (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 96-ANE-09; Amdt. 39-9897; AD 97-02-12] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1814. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Pratt & Whitney JT8D-200 Series Turbofan Engines (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 96-ANE-33; Amdt. 39-9896; AD 97-02-11] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1815. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Pratt & Whitney JFTD12A Series and T73 Series Turbofan Engines (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 94-ANE-49; Amdt. 39-9898; AD 97-02-13] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1816. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Lebanon, NH (Federal Aviation Administration) [Airspace Docket No. 96-ANE-28] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received February 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1817. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment of Class E Airspace; Old Town, ME (Federal Aviation Administration) [Airspace Docket No. 96-ANE-29] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received February 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1818. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; New Haven, CT (Federal Aviation Administration) [Airspace Docket No. 97-ANE-02] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received February 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1819. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—International Data Submissions by Large Air Carriers (Form 41 Schedules T-100, T-100(f), and P-1.2) [Docket No. OST-96-1049; Notice 96-2] (RIN: 2105-AC34) received February 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1820. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Value Engineering (Federal Highway Administration) [FHWA Docket No. 94-12] (RIN: 2125-AD33) received February 13, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1821. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Federal Aid Project Agreement and Contract Procedures (Federal Highway Administration) [FHWA Docket No. 96-3] (RIN: 2125-AD58) received February 13, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1822. A letter from the Commandant, United States Coast Guard, transmitting the Coast Guard's report entitled "International Private-Sector Tug-of-Opportunity System for the Waters of the Olympic Coast National Marine Sanctuary and the Strait of Juan de Fuca," pursuant to Public Law 104-58, section 401(a) (109 Stat. 566); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1823. A letter from the Director of the Office of Regulations Management, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's final rule—VA Homeless Providers Grant and Per Diem Program Clarification of Per Diem Eligibility (RIN: 2900-AH89) received February 10, 1997, pursuant to

5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

1824. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Rulings and Determination Letters [Rev. Proc. 97-17] received February 12, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

1825. A letter from the Chief of Staff, Social Security Administration, transmitting the Administration's "Major" final rule—Supplemental Security Income; Determining Disability for a Child Under Age 18; Interim Final Rules With Request for Comments [Regulations Nos. 4 and 16] (RIN: 0960-AE57) received February 12, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

1826. A letter from the Comptroller, Department of Defense, transmitting a report on the amount of any contribution accepted for relocation of U.S. Armed Forces within that nation and the specific use of those contributions, pursuant to Public Law 104-106, section 1332(a)(1) (110 Stat. 483); jointly, to the Committees on National Security and International Relations.

1827. A letter from the Secretary of Energy, transmitting the semiannual report regarding programs for the protection, control, and accountability of fissile materials in the countries of the former Soviet Union, pursuant to Public Law 104-106, section 3131(b) (110 Stat. 617); jointly, to the Committees on National Security and International Relations.

1828. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Defense, transmitting a notification that the advisory committee appointed to study the appropriate forum for criminal law jurisdiction over civilians accompanying the Armed Forces in the field outside the United States in time of armed conflict has been unable to finish its report prior to the statutory deadline, pursuant to Public Law 104-106, section 1151(d)(2) (110 Stat. 468); jointly, to the Committees on National Security and the Judiciary.

1829. A letter from the Chief of Staff, The White House, transmitting certification that no person or persons with direct or indirect responsibility for administering the Executive Office of the President's Drug Free Workplace Plan are themselves subject to a program of individual random drug testing, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 7301 note; jointly, to the Committees on Government Reform and Oversight and Appropriations.

1830. A letter from the Acting Comptroller General, General Accounting Office, transmitting a report on the two General Accounting Office employees detailed to congressional committees as of January 17, 1997; jointly, to the Committees on Government Reform and Oversight and Appropriations.

1831. A letter from the Assistant Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting a report on the agency's steady progress in meeting the challenge of the new Safe Drinking Water Act Amendments of 1996; jointly, to the Committees on Commerce, Transportation and Infrastructure, and Science.

11.3 U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES PAGE BOARD

The SPEAKER, pursuant to section 127 of Public Law 97-377, appointed to the U. S. House of Representatives Page Board the following Members: Mrs. FOWLER and Mr. KOLBE.

11.4 JOHN F. KENNEDY CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS

The SPEAKER, pursuant to section 2 (a) of the National Cultural Center Act, 20 United States Code 76h(a), appointed

to the Board of Trustees of the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts the following Members, on the part of the House: Messrs. GINGRICH and MCDADE.

Ordered. That the Clerk notify the Senate of the foregoing appointments.

¶11.5 SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION BOARD OF REGENTS

The SPEAKER, pursuant to the provisions of sections 5580 and 5581 of the revised statutes, 20 United States Code 42-43, appointed to the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution the following Members, on the part of the House: Messrs. LIVINGSTON and Sam JOHNSON of Texas.

Ordered. That the Clerk notify the Senate of the foregoing appointments.

¶11.6 U.S. HOLOCAUST MEMORIAL COUNCIL

The SPEAKER, pursuant to the provisions of Public Law 96-388, as amended by Public Law 97-84, 36 United States Code 1402(a), appointed to the United States Holocaust Memorial Council the following Members, on the part of the House: Messrs. GILMAN, REGULA, LATOURETTE and FOX.

Ordered. That the Clerk notify the Senate of the foregoing appointments.

¶11.7 UNITED STATES AIR FORCE ACADEMY BOARD OF VISITORS

The SPEAKER, pursuant to the provisions of section 9355(a) of title 10 United States Code, appointed to the Board of Visitors to the United States Air Force Academy the following Members, on the part of the House: Messrs. HEFLEY and YOUNG of Florida.

Ordered. That the Clerk notify the Senate of the foregoing appointments.

¶11.8 UNITED STATES COAST GUARD ACADEMY BOARD OF VISITORS

The SPEAKER, pursuant to the provisions of section 194(a) of title 14, United States Code, appointed to the Board of Visitors to the United States Coast Guard Academy the following Member, on the part of the House: Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut.

Ordered. That the Clerk notify the Senate of the foregoing appointment.

¶11.9 UNITED STATES MERCHANT MARINE ACADEMY BOARD OF VISITORS

The SPEAKER, pursuant to the provisions of section 1295 b(h) of title 46, United States Code, appointed to the Board of Visitors to the United States Merchant Marine Academy the following Member, on the part of the House: Mr. KING.

Ordered. That the Clerk notify the Senate of the foregoing appointment.

¶11.10 UNITED STATES MILITARY ACADEMY BOARD OF VISITORS

The SPEAKER, pursuant to the provisions of section 4355(a) of title 10, United States Code, appointed to the Board of Visitors to the United States Military Academy the following Members, on the part of the House: Mrs. KELLY and Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina.

Ordered. That the Clerk notify the Senate of the foregoing appointments.

¶11.11 UNITED STATES NAVAL ACADEMY BOARD OF VISITORS

The SPEAKER, pursuant to the provisions of section 6968(a) of title 10, United States Code, appointed to the Board of Visitors to the United States Naval Academy the following Members, on the part of the House: Messrs. GILCHREST and SKEEN.

Ordered. That the Clerk notify the Senate of the foregoing appointments.

¶11.12 INSTITUTE OF AMERICAN INDIAN AND ALASKA NATIVE CULTURE AND ARTS DEVELOPMENT

The SPEAKER, pursuant to the provisions of section 1505 of Public Law 99-498, 20 United States Code 4412, appointed to the Board of Trustees of the Institute of American Indian and Alaska Native Culture and Arts Development the following Member, on the part of the House: Mr. YOUNG of Alaska.

Ordered. That the Clerk notify the Senate of the foregoing appointment.

¶11.13 RESIGNATION AS MEMBER OF HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. KINGSTON, laid before the House the following communication, which was read as follows:

CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES,
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, February 13, 1997.

Hon. NEWT GINGRICH,
Capitol, Washington, DC.

DEAR SPEAKER GINGRICH: I hereby resign my congressional seat effective immediately so that I can assume my post in the President's Cabinet as Ambassador to the United Nations.

It has been an honor to serve in the United States Congress as New Mexico's third district representative for the past 14 years. I have been especially proud to represent the people of New Mexico whose kindnesses towards me and my family have been equalled only by the unmatched beauty of the state itself.

Sincerely,
BILL RICHARDSON,
Member of Congress.

CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES,
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, February 13, 1997.

¶11.14 FOREIGN AID FAMILY PLANNING ASSISTANCE

Mr. LIVINGSTON, pursuant to the provisions of section 518A(e) of the Foreign Operations, Export Financing, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 1997, as contained in section 101(c) of the Omnibus Consolidated Appropriations Act, 1997 (Public Law 104-208), moved that the House resolve itself into the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union for the consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 36) approving the Presidential finding that the limitation on obligations imposed by section 518A(a) of the Foreign Operations, Export Financing, and Related Programs Appropriations Act of 1997, is having a negative impact on the proper functioning of the population planning program.

The question being put, *viva voce*, Will the House agree to said motion?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. KINGSTON, announced that the yeas had it.

So the motion was agreed to.

Accordingly,

The House resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for the consideration of said joint resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. KINGSTON, by unanimous consent, designated Mr. DREIER as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole; and after some time spent therein,

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, assumed the Chair.

When Mr. INGLIS, Acting Chairman, pursuant to the provisions of section 518A(e) of the Foreign Operations, Export Financing, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 1997, as contained in section 101(c) of the Omnibus Consolidated Appropriations Act, 1997 (Public Law 104-208), reported the joint resolution back to the House.

The joint resolution was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, was read a third time by title.

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House pass said joint resolution?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, announced that the yeas had it.

Mr. LIVINGSTON objected to the vote on the ground that a quorum was not present and not voting.

A quorum not being present,

The roll was called under clause 4, rule XV, and the call was taken by electronic device.

When there appeared { Yeas 220
Nays 209

¶11.15 [Roll No. 22]
YEAS—220

Abercrombie	Cummings	Frost
Ackerman	Danner	Furse
Allen	Davis (FL)	Ganske
Andrews	Davis (IL)	Gejdenson
Baesler	Davis (VA)	Gekas
Baldacci	DeFazio	Gephardt
Barrett (WI)	DeGette	Gibbons
Bass	Delahunt	Gilchrest
Becerra	DeLauro	Gilman
Bentsen	Dellums	Gonzalez
Bereuter	Deutsch	Gordon
Berman	Dicks	Green
Berry	Dingell	Greenwood
Bilbray	Dixon	Gutierrez
Bishop	Doggett	Hall (OH)
Blagojevich	Dooley	Hamilton
Blumenauer	Dunn	Harman
Boehlert	Edwards	Hastings (FL)
Bonior	Ehrlich	Hefner
Borski	Engel	Hilliard
Boswell	Eshoo	Hinchey
Boucher	Etheridge	Hinojosa
Boyd	Evans	Hobson
Brown (CA)	Farr	Hooley
Brown (FL)	Fattah	Horn
Brown (OH)	Fawell	Houghton
Campbell	Fazio	Hoyer
Capps	Filner	Jackson (IL)
Cardin	Flake	Jackson-Lee
Castle	Foglietta	(TX)
Clayton	Foley	Jefferson
Clement	Ford	Johnson (CT)
Clyburn	Fowler	Johnson (WI)
Condit	Fox	Johnson, E. B.
Conyers	Frank (MA)	Kanjorski
Coyne	Franks (NJ)	Kaptur
Cramer	Frelinghuysen	Kelly