

Presently, the National Weather Service plans to close its office in the city of Redding, the largest population center in California north of Sacramento. This decision has been made despite mountains of credible scientific evidence, including findings by the weather service meteorologists in California, that doing so could have a potentially devastating impact on Redding and the communities further north. The mountains to the north of Redding, including the Interstate 5 corridor, which provides the primary transportation route between Oregon and California, are subject to severe storms that have been the source of some of the worst flooding in California history. Last spring, for example, floods ravaged the 10 counties in my district, leaving each a Federal disaster area. During this tragedy, the weather service in Redding provided critical, up-to-the-minute information to local officials, enabling them to react almost instantaneously to individual emergencies.

SPECIAL ORDERS GRANTED

By unanimous consent, permission to address the House, following the legislative program and any special orders heretofore entered, was granted to:

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. PALLONE) to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material:)

- Mr. GIBBONS, for 5 minutes, today.
- Ms. DELAURO, for 5 minutes, today.
- Mr. LEVIN, for 5 minutes, today.
- Mr. PALLONE, for 5 minutes, today.
- Mrs. CLAYTON, for 5 minutes, today.

- Mr. DURBIN, for 5 minutes, today.
- Mr. BROWN of Ohio, for 5 minutes, today.

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. HAYWORTH) to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material:)

- Mr. JONES, for 5 minutes, today.
- Mr. CUNNINGHAM, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. KINGSTON, for 5 minutes, today.
(The following Member (at his own request) to revise and extend his remarks and include extraneous material:)

- Mr. DORNAN, for 5 minutes, today.

EXTENSION OF REMARKS

By unanimous consent, permission to revise and extend remarks was granted to:

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. PALLONE) and to include extraneous matter:)

- Mr. LANTOS.
- Mrs. MALONEY in five instances.
- Mr. HALL of Ohio.
- Mr. GIBBONS.
- Mr. RANGEL.
- Mr. TOWNS.
- Mrs. SCHROEDER.
- Mr. PALLONE.
- Mr. HASTINGS.
- Mrs. THURMAN.
- Mr. FILNER.
- Mr. STOKES.
- Mr. HAMILTON.
- Mr. SCHUMER.
- Ms. WOOLSEY.
- Mrs. MEEK of Florida.

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. HAYWORTH) and to include extraneous matter:)

- Mrs. MORELLA in two instances.
- Mr. GINGRICH.
- Mr. SHADEGG.
- Mrs. VUCANOVICH.
- Mr. GALLEGLY.
- Mr. KING.
- Mr. GREENWOOD.
- Mr. CLINGER.

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania) and to include extraneous matter:)

- Mr. FORBES.
- Mr. GILLMOR in two instances.
- Mr. DOOLEY.
- Mr. OWENS.
- Mr. SOLOMON.
- Mr. OBERSTAR.

SENATE BILL REFERRED

A bill of the Senate of the following title was taken from the Speaker's table and, under the rule, referred as follows:

S. 1267. An act to amend the Congressional Award Act to revise and extend authorities for the Congressional Award Board; to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 9 o'clock and 22 minutes p.m.), the House adjourned until tomorrow, Wednesday, October 18, 1995, at 10 a.m.

EXPENDITURE REPORTS CONCERNING OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL

Reports concerning the foreign currencies and U.S. dollars utilized by a committee of the U.S. House of Representatives during the second quarter of 1995, as well as an amendment to the consolidated Speaker's report for the 2nd quarter of 1995 in connection with official foreign travel, pursuant to Public Law 95-384, are as follows:

AMENDED REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, CONSOLIDATED SPEAKER'S REPORT, U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, MR. DOUGLAS J. LAMUDE, EXPENDED BETWEEN MAY 28 AND JUNE 2, 1995

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem ¹		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²
Douglas J. Lamude	5/28	6/2	Nigeria	227.01	339.00	60.98	3990.15	1.83	35.00	289.82	4364.15
Committee total				566.01			4051.13		36.83		4653.97

¹ Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.
² If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.

DOUGLAS J. LAMUDE, Oct. 2, 1995.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN APRIL 1 AND JUNE 30, 1995.

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency
Hon. Sonny Callahan	4/22	4/25	Belgium		981.00		(3)				981.00
	4/25	4/28	Italy		870.00		(3)				870.00
Hon. Norm Dicks	4/28	4/30	England		592.00		(3)				592.00
Commercial airfare	6/8	6/12	France		1,332.00		(3)				1,332.00
Hon. Steny Hoyer	4/18	4/19	Italy		235.00		657.35				657.35
Hon. Joe Knollenberg	4/22	4/25	Belgium		981.00		(3)				981.00
	4/25	4/28	Italy		870.00		(3)				870.00
	4/28	4/30	England		592.00		(3)				592.00
Hon. Jim Lightfoot	4/22	4/25	Belgium		981.00		(3)				981.00
	4/25	4/28	Italy		870.00		(3)				870.00
	4/28	4/30	England		592.00		(3)				592.00
Hon. John Myers	4/22	4/25	Belgium		981.00		(3)				981.00