

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

At 11:56 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. 1285. An act to extend for 3 years changes to requirements for admission of nonimmigrant nurses in health professional shortage areas made by the Nursing Relief for Disadvantaged Areas Act of 1999.

H.R. 4356. An act to amend title 18, United States Code, with respect to fraud in connection with major disaster or emergency funds.

H.R. 5631. An act making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2007, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that the House has agreed to the following concurrent resolution, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. Con. Res. 367. Concurrent resolution honoring and praising the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution on the 100th anniversary of being granted its Congressional Charter.

MEASURES REFERRED

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

H.R. 1285. An act to amend the Nursing Relief for Disadvantaged Areas Act of 1999 to remove the limitation for nonimmigrant classification for nurses in health professional shortage areas; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

H.R. 4356. An act to amend title 18, United States Code, with respect to fraud in connection with major disaster or emergency funds; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

H.R. 5631. An act making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2007, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations.

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-7238. A communication from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Direct Final Rule Amending Requirements in Parts 50 and 72 Regarding Requirement to Submit Annual Financial Reports" (RIN3150-AH39) received on June 5, 2006; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-7239. A communication from the Acting Assistant Secretary, National Wildlife Refuge System, Fish and Wildlife Service, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Refuge-Specific Public Use Regulations for Kodiak National Wildlife Refuge" (RIN1018-AU08) received on June 5, 2006; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-7240. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Community Right-to-Know; Toxic Chemical Release Reporting Using North Amer-

ican Industry Classification System (NAICS); Final Rule" ((RIN2025-AA10)(FRL No. 8180-2)) received on June, 2006; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-7241. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Protection of Stratospheric Ozone: Record-keeping and Reporting Requirements for the Import of Halon-1301 Aircraft Fire Extinguishing Vessels; Withdrawal of Direct Final Rule" (FRL No. 8181-2) received on June 6, 2006; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-7242. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Revision of December 2000 Clean Air Act Section 112(n) Finding Regarding Electric Utility Steam Generating Units: and Standards of Performance for New and Existing Electric Utility Steam Generating Units: Reconsideration" ((RIN2060-AN50)(FRL No. 8180-6)) received on June 6, 2006; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-7243. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System—Final Regulations to Establish Requirements for Cooling Water Intake Structures at Phase III Facilities" ((RIN2040-AD70)(FRL No. 8181-5)) received on June 6, 2006; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-7244. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; State of Missouri" (FRL No. 8181-8) received on June 6, 2006; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-7245. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendments to the National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Regulations for Storm Water Discharges Associated with Oil and Gas Exploration, Production, Processing, or Treatment Operations or Transmission Facilities" ((RIN2040-AE81)(FRL No. 8183-3)) received on June 12, 2006; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-7246. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Indiana" (FRL No. 8176-4) received on June 12, 2006; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-7247. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Maryland; Ambient Air Quality Standard for Ozone and Fine Particulate Matter" (FRL No. 8183-4) received on June 12, 2006; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-7248. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovation, Envi-

ronmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Maryland; Revised Definition of Interruptible Gas Service" (FRL No. 8183-2) received on June 12, 2006; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-7249. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Certain Polybrominated Diphenylethers; Significant New Use Rule" ((RIN2070)(FRL No. 7743-2)) received on June 12, 2006; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-7250. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Change of Official Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics' Mailing Address; Technical Amendments" (FRL No. 7336-5) received on June 12, 2006; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-7251. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative and Intergovernmental Affairs, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, a U.S. Coast Guard report entitled "Report on Foreign-Flag Vessels 2006"; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7252. A communication from the Secretary of Transportation, transmitting the report of a proposed bill entitled "Pipeline Safety and Reliability Improvement Act of 2006"; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7253. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Standard Instrument Approach Procedures (68); Amdt. No. 3169" ((RIN2120-AA65)(Docket No. 30497)) received on June 6, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7254. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Standard Instrument Approach Procedures (22); Amdt. No. 3168" ((RIN2120-AA65)(Docket No. 30496)) received on June 6, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7255. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Modification and Revocation of Restricted Areas R-3007A, B, C, D, and E; Townsend, GA" ((RIN2120-AA66)(Docket No. 96-ASO-10)) received on June 6, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7256. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Establishment of VOR Federal Airway V-623; NJ and NY" ((RIN2120-AA66)(Docket No. 05-AEA-23)) received on June 6, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-7257. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Revision of Class E Airspace; Atkasuk, AK" ((RIN2120-AA66)(Docket No. 06-AAL-03)) received on June 6, 2006; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.