

provided that at least 20 parties have indicated their consent to be bound. The Beijing Amendment provides that no State may become a party unless it previously has become (or simultaneously becomes) a party to the 1997 Montreal Amendment. The Montreal Amendment is currently before the Senate for its advice and consent to ratification (Senate Treaty Doc. No. 106-10).

I recommend that the Senate give early and favorable consideration to the Beijing Amendment and give its advice and consent to ratification, at the same time as it gives its advice and consent to ratification of the Montreal Amendment.

WILLIAM J. CLINTON,
THE WHITE HOUSE, June 22, 2000.

MEASURES PLACED ON THE
CALENDAR—H.R. 4601 AND H.R. 3859

Mr. BOND. Mr. President, I understand there are two bills at the desk due for their second reading.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Senator is correct. The clerk will read the bills by title.

The assistant legislative clerk read as follows:

A bill (H.R. 4601) to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 213(c) of the concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 2001 to reduce public debt and to decrease the statutory limit on the public debt.

A bill (H.R. 3859) to amend the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 to protect Social Security and Medicare surpluses through strengthened budgetary enforcement mechanisms.

Mr. BOND. Mr. President, I object to further proceedings on these bills at this time.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The bills will be placed on the calendar.

ORDERS FOR FRIDAY, JUNE 23, 2000

Mr. BROWNBACK. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate completes its business today, it stand in adjournment until 9:30 a.m. on Friday, June 23. I further ask consent that on Friday, immediately following the prayer, the Journal of proceedings be approved to date, the morning hour be deemed expired, the time for the two leaders be reserved for their use later in the day, and the Senate then resume consideration of H.R. 4577, the Labor-Health and Human Services appropriations bill, with Senator BOND to be recognized to offer his amendment regarding community health centers.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

PROGRAM

Mr. BROWNBACK. Mr. President, for the information of all Senators, when the Senate convenes tomorrow, it will resume the Labor-HHS appropriations bill. Senator BOND will offer his amendment regarding community health centers. Further, amendments are to be expected to be offered and debated throughout tomorrow's session, with any votes ordered to be stacked to occur at a time to be determined next week. Senators should be aware that votes may also occur in relation to the Department of Defense authorization bill early next week. Senators are encouraged to work with the bill managers as early as possible if they intend

to offer amendments to the Labor appropriations bill.

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL 9:30 A.M.
TOMORROW

Mr. BROWNBACK. Mr. President, if there is no further business to come before the Senate, I now ask unanimous consent that the Senate stand in adjournment under the previous order.

There being no objection, the Senate, at 9:49 p.m., adjourned until Friday, June 23, 2000, at 9:30 a.m.

NOMINATIONS

Executive nominations received by the Senate June 22, 2000:

IN THE ARMY

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES ARMY TO THE GRADE INDICATED WHILE ASSIGNED TO A POSITION OF IMPORTANCE AND RESPONSIBILITY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 601:

To be lieutenant general

MAJ. GEN. ROY E. BEAUCHAMP, 0000

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES ARMY TO THE GRADE INDICATED WHILE ASSIGNED TO A POSITION OF IMPORTANCE AND RESPONSIBILITY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 601:

To be lieutenant general

MAJ. GEN. JOSEPH M. COSUMANO, JR., 0000

IN THE NAVY

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICERS FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES NAVY TO THE GRADE INDICATED UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 624:

To be rear admiral (lower half)

CAPT. CLINTON E. ADAMS, 0000
CAPT. STEVEN E. HART, 0000
CAPT. LOUIS V. IASIELLO, 0000
CAPT. STEVEN W. MAAS, 0000
CAPT. WILLIAM J. MAGUIRE, 0000
CAPT. JOHN M. MATECZUN, 0000
CAPT. ROBERT L. PHILLIPS, 0000
CAPT. DAVID D. PRUETT, 0000
CAPT. DENNIS D. WOOPFER, 0000