

U.S. objective of fostering greater Middle East regional economic integration in support of the establishment of a just, comprehensive, and lasting peace, while providing greater market access for U.S. goods, services, and investment. I urge the prompt and favorable consideration of this legislation.

WILLIAM J. CLINTON,  
THE WHITE HOUSE, *January 6, 2001.*

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MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

At 12:48 p.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by

Ms. Niland, one of its reading clerks, announced that pursuant to the provisions of Senate Concurrent Resolution 1, 107th Congress, the Speaker appoints as tellers on the part of the House to count the electoral votes: Mr. THOMAS of California and Mr. FATTAH of Pennsylvania.

The message also announced that pursuant to the provisions of Senate Concurrent Resolution 2, 107th Congress, the Chair reappoints as members of the joint committee to make the necessary arrangements for the inauguration of the President-elect and the

Vice President-elect of the United States on the 20th day of January 2001, the following Members of the House: Mr. HASTERT of Illinois, Mr. ARMEY of Texas, and Mr. GEPHARDT of Missouri.

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ADJOURNMENT UNTIL MONDAY,  
JANUARY 8, 2001

At the conclusion of the joint session of the two Houses, and in accordance with the order previously entered, the Senate adjourned until Monday, January 8, 2001, at 12 noon.