

Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. SWEENEY, Mr. VITTER, Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. MOLLOHAN, Mr. OLVER, and Mr. OBEY.

The message also announced that the House disagrees to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 3061) making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, and for other purposes, and agrees to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon; and appoints as the managers of the conference on the part of the House: Mr. REGULA, Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. DAN MILLER of Florida, Mr. WICKER, Mrs. NORTHUP, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Ms. GRANGER, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. SHERWOOD, Mr. OBEY, Mr. HOYER, Ms. PELOSI, Mrs. LOWEY, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, and Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island.

The message also announced that the House agrees to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 2620) making appropriations for the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, boards, commissions, corporations, and offices for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, and for other purposes.

EXECUTIVE AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were laid before the Senate, together with accompanying papers, reports, and documents, which were referred as indicated:

EC-4536. A communication from the Chief Counsel, Office of Foreign Assets Control, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Blocked Persons, Specially Designated Nationals, Specially Designated Terrorist, Foreign Terrorist Organizations, and Specially Designated Narcotics Traffickers: Additional Designations of Terrorism-Related Blocked Persons" received on November 6, 2001; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-4537. A communication from the Secretary of Transportation, transmitting, a draft of proposed legislation to authorize appropriations for hazardous material transportation safety, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-4538. A communication from the Principal Deputy General Counsel, Department of Defense, transmitting, a draft of proposed legislation entitled "Personnel Pay and Qualifications Authority for Department of Defense National Capital Region Civilian Law Enforcement and Security Force"; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-4539. A communication from the Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legislative Affairs, Department of Justice, transmitting, a draft of proposed legislation entitled "Money Laundering Act of 2001"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-4540. A communication from the Assistant Secretary of Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to the Arms Export Control Act, the certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more to Japan; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-4541. A communication from the Assistant Secretary of Legislative Affairs, Department of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to the Arms Export Control Act, the certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more to Norway; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-4542. A communication from the Assistant Secretary of Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to the Arms Export Control Act, the certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of \$50,000,000 or more to Canada; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-4543. A communication from the Director of the Office of Management and Budget, Executive Office of the President, transmitting, a draft of proposed legislation entitled "Managerial Flexibility Act of 2001"; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-4544. A communication from the Deputy Associate Administrator of the Office of Acquisition Policy, General Service Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Federal Acquisition Regulation; Federal Acquisition Circular 2001-01" (FAC 2001-01) received on November 6, 2001; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-4545. A communication from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting, a draft of proposed legislation entitled "HHS Bioterrorism Prevention and Emergency Response Act of 2001"; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-4546. A communication from the Administrator of the General Service Administration, transmitting, a report relative to a lease prospectus and a design prospectus; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-4547. A communication from the Deputy Administrator of the General Service Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Report of Building Project Survey for Colorado Springs, CO; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-4548. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 14-155 "Advisory Neighborhood Commissions Annual Contribution Temporary Amendment Act of 2001"; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-4549. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 14-154 "Cooperative Purchasing Agreement Temporary Amendment Act of 2001"; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-4550. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 14-156 "Insurance Economic Development Temporary Amendment Act of 2001"; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-4551. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Colum-

bia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 14-152 "Closing of a Public Alley in Square 2140, S.O. 99-228, Act of 2001"; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-4552. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 14-153 "Closing of a Portion of a Public Alley in Square 209, S.O. 2000-48, Act of 2001"; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-4553. A communication from the Regulations Coordinator, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Medicare Program; Prospective Payment System for Hospital Outpatient Services: Criteria for Establishing Additional Pass-Through Categories for Medical Devices" (RIN0938-AK59) received on November 6, 2001; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-4554. A communication from the Regulations Coordinator, Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Medicare Program; Announcement of the Calendar Year 2002 Conversion Factor for the Hospital Outpatient Prospective Payment System and a Pro Rata Reduction on Transitional Pass-Through Payments" (RIN0938-AK54) received on November 6, 2001; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-4555. A communication from the Regulations Coordinator, Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Medicare Program; Revisions to Payment Policies and Five-Year Review of and Adjustments to the Relative Value Units Under the Physician Fee Schedule for Calendar Year 2002" (RIN0938-AK57) received on November 7, 2001; to the Committee on Finance.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. BYRD, from the Committee on Appropriations:

Special Report entitled "Further Revised Allocation to Subcommittees of Budget Totals for Fiscal Year 2002" (Rept. No. 107-95).

By Mr. LEAHY, from the Committee on the Judiciary:

Report to accompany S. 1319, a bill to authorize appropriations for the Department of Justice for fiscal year 2002, and for other purposes. (Rept. No. 107-96).

By Mr. LEAHY, from the Committee on the Judiciary, without amendment and with a preamble:

S. Res. 23: A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate that the President should award the Presidential Medal of Freedom posthumously to Dr. Benjamin Elijah Mays in honor of his distinguished career as an educator, civil and human rights leader, and public theologian.

By Mr. KENNEDY, from the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute:

S. 1094: A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for research, information, and education with respect to blood cancer.

By Mr. JEFFORDS, from the Committee on Environment and Public Works, without amendment:

S. 1459: A bill to designate the Federal building and United States courthouse located at 550 West Fort Street in Boise, Idaho,