

EXTENSIONS OF REMARKS

MAYORS AS CITIZEN COSPONSORS
OF THE FISCAL ACCOUNTABILITY
AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL
REFORM ACT OF 1993**HON. WILLIAM F. GOODLING**

OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, June 21, 1993

Mr. GOODLING. Mr. Speaker, on March 10 of this year Congressman MORAN and I introduced the Fiscal Accountability and Intergovernmental Reform [FAIR] Act to help State and local governments alleviate their most crushing financial burden, unfunded Federal mandates.

As you know, this legislation is necessary to safeguard against a tendency within the institution and among Federal agencies to resort to more and more unfunded Federal mandates.

This bill would require that any legislation to be considered by the full House or Senate have an analysis of the costs of compliance to State and local governments and the private sector. This bill seeks to enforce provisions already included in the 1974 Budget Reform Act. Second, this legislation would require all Federal agencies to analyze the economic costs of new regulations before they are adopted.

Support for this legislation has increased both in the Congress and among those who it will help the most, our Nations civic leaders in State and local governments and small businesses.

Congressman MORAN and I have received letters from mayors all over the country expressing their support for the FAIR Act. Clearly, their support of this bill reflects the need for the Congress to reform the way it does business. Their support signals the beginning of a partnership between the Federal Government and State and local governments and small businesses.

In order to give our local government a stronger voice in this issue, we have decided to make these mayors citizen cosponsors of the FAIR Act. Mr. Speaker, I am submitting for the RECORD, the names of 20 mayors who have written to express their strong support for the passage of the FAIR Act.

CITIZEN COSPONSORS OF THE FISCAL ACCOUNTABILITY
AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL REFORM
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Lyle VanHouten, Dearborn Heights, MI.
Gary Bastian, Maplewood, MN.
Kane Ditto, Jackson, MS.
Daniel Kemmis, Missoula, MT.
Don Betz, Wilmington, NC.
James Gerow, Burlington, NC.
Timothy McDonough, Hope, NJ.
Sam Pick, Santa Fe, NM.
Marv Teixeira, Carson City, NV.
Elizabeth Hoffman, N. Tonawanda, NY.
David Lynch, Euclid, OH.
Kenneth Smith, Bethlehem, PA.

Haig Daravonian, Waukegan, RI.
Cheryl Woods-Flowers, Mt. Pleasant, SC.
Victor Ashe, Knoxville, TN.
Alfredo Gutierrez, Jr., Del Rio, TX.
Raul Villaronga, Killeen, TX.
Stella Welsh, Orem, UT.
Bruce Todd, Austin, TX.
Jose Aponte, Carolina, PR.

TRIBUTE TO HYUNDAI MOTOR
AMERICA**HON. WALTER R. TUCKER III**

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, June 21, 1993

Mr. TUCKER. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to recognize and applaud an innovative and successful job training and placement program initiated by Hyundai Motor America [HMA] in southern California to address the social issues urban training. I recently toured the Hyundai Academy and believe it can serve as a model partnership between industry and educational institutions to train men and women in the inner cities for an assured job opportunity upon graduation. The program begins with unemployed and unskilled students who end with employment in skilled professions, and wonderful future opportunities.

HMA devised a program to train master mechanics for placement in its franchise auto repair shops and, at the same time, answered the call for help to rebuild and stabilize my district in Los Angeles' riot-torn South Central area where unemployment is most prevalent. HMA, as the newest entrant in the U.S. auto market—1986—developed the concept of the Hyundai Academy in 1989 because there was no established nationwide labor pool of skilled Hyundai advanced automobile technicians to service the growing number of Hyundai dealerships. The first Hyundai Academy class commenced in July 1992.

Other programs have experienced a high dropout rate for such reasons as lack of public transportation to get to class locations, and lack of assurance of a job as motivation for completion of the program. Hyundai has exemplified its commitment to its students by paying all transportation and education costs, providing a student stipend and uniforms, and assuring all students completing the program that they would have serious employment opportunities with Los Angeles area Hyundai dealerships. Upon graduation, it was discovered that none of the students had driver's licenses; so, Hyundai provided coaches to take the entire class to the department of motor vehicles where they took the driver's test. Arrangements were made with dealers to assist with transportation needs to go to work.

In November 1992, 14 of the original 15 students in the first academy class graduated, of which 12 were immediately placed in jobs. The remaining two were offered jobs, but de-

clined. In the second class, 11 out of 13 completed training in May 1993. Hyundai dealers are now conducting interviews with these graduates.

Congratulations to Hyundai Motors America for the success of their model program and its commitment to students' total well-being. I would like to encourage other companies to follow Hyundai's example of a successful industry-education partnership that really works to provide inner-city job opportunities, as well as needed skilled workers for the industry itself.

TRIBUTE TO ALBERT C.F.
WESTPHAL**HON. LEE H. HAMILTON**

OF INDIANA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, June 21, 1993

Mr. HAMILTON. Mr. Speaker, I rise today to pay tribute to Al Westphal who served the Committee on Foreign Affairs for 23 years from 1951 to 1974 when he retired. Al continued to help many of us on the committee up to his death late last year at the age of 84.

Al Westphal grew up in New Jersey and received his education through to a doctorate in international law at Columbia University where he succeeded Lou Gehrig at first base on the university baseball team. At Columbia he also authored a monograph entitled "the House Committee on Foreign Affairs." He then taught at the City College of New York and served with distinction in the Navy during World War II and retired from the Naval Reserve as captain. After the war, he resumed teaching at the University of New Mexico and then at the National War College. In 1951, he began working at the Library of Congress as head of the Foreign Affairs Division of the Legislative Reference Service. Later that year, he joined the staff of the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

Al was a key member of the staff when I joined the committee in 1965. Over the years, he served me and other members with distinction, becoming a reliable and trusted expert on the foreign assistance and State Department legislation with which we had to grapple each year. From the 82d to the 94th Congress, he served many of the subcommittees of the committee, worked on several parliamentary exchanges and work also with the full committee, becoming a senior staff consultant.

Al Westphal knew this institution well. He had an enormous respect for the House and its processes. He worked a quarter century to try to make it work better. He also knew the budget process and the committee's legislation in considerable detail. I always found Al helpful to the Members and willing and able to explain procedures, legislation, and difficult programs in plain English and in some detail. I benefited time and again from his expertise.

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Al Westphal was also known for his meticulous preparation of materials for the committee and committee reports. We relied on him to get the tough jobs done. And they were almost always done to perfection. But just to demonstrate that even the experts are fallible, I remember the time that Al filed a committee report without having had the Ramseyer legal brief prepared, so the legislation in question could not be brought forward. That is the last time the committee forgot about the Ramseyer, and Al Westphal would never let anyone forget about a mistake for which he took the blame when it was probably not his fault.

I have many fond memories of Al Westphal. This institution works best when there are tireless and efficient and selfless people like Al around. His daughters and his grandchildren can be proud of his many accomplishments and his distinguished service to this institution.

TRIBUTE TO DR. JOAN GRIGGS
BABBOTT

HON. HENRY A. WAXMAN

OF CALIFORNIA

HON. HOWARD L. BERMAN

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, June 21, 1993

Mr. WAXMAN. Mr. Speaker, we ask our colleagues to join us in saluting Dr. Joan Griggs Babbott for her great work as executive director of Planned Parenthood of Los Angeles.

Under Dr. Babbott's directorship, the Los Angeles metropolitan area and the planned parenthood offices that serve it have undergone dramatic and challenging change. The Los Angeles community has experienced a tremendous increase in individuals in need of family planning counseling. Planned parenthood has vastly expanded its budget and services to meet the range of needs it must address.

During her tenure, Dr. Babbott has brought many advancements to Planned Parenthood of Los Angeles. She opened new clinics in previously unserved areas and expanded facilities already in operation. She instituted the mobile health unit, which provides state-of-the-art clinical services to underserved areas of the city. She also introduced the OB/GYN Nurse Practitioner's Program, which provides a curriculum and a training model to help local planned parenthood affiliates compensate for the severe shortage of clinicians. This program has been praised and emulated across the country.

In addition to her dedicated work as a physician and administrator, Dr. Babbott has been a leading advocate of abortion rights.

We thank Dr. Babbott for her devoted service and wish her every possible happiness and success in all future endeavors.

LEO SOLOMON, SUPERINTENDENT
OF WILKES-BARRE AREA SCHOOL
DISTRICT, HONORED

HON. PAUL E. KANJORSKI

OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, June 21, 1993

Mr. KANJORSKI. Mr. Speaker, today I rise to pay tribute to Mr. Leo Solomon, who is retiring as superintendent of the Wilkes-Barre Area School District after 17 years.

Mr. Solomon, a graduate of Wilkes College and the University of Scranton, attended the First Pennsylvania State Executive Academy for School Administrators upon invitation from the Department of Education, and in 1973 he was awarded a superintendent certificate from Lehigh University.

Leo's educational career began in 1957 as an instructor in several local schools. His administrative career began in 1966 when he was appointed principal to a local elementary school. After serving in several subsequent administrative positions, he was appointed superintendent of the Wilkes-Barre Area School District in 1976. In his 17 years as superintendent, Leo has proven to be an exemplary administrator, initiating programs for the betterment of local young people.

An appointee to many State advisory committees, Leo holds permanent teaching, principal, and superintendent certificates for the State of Pennsylvania. He is also a member of several professional organizations such as the Pennsylvania League of Urban Superintendent and the American Association of School Administrators.

An active member of the community, Leo serves on many local community boards and is involved with several local volunteer organizations.

On June 24, Leo Solomon will be honored by his family, friends, and colleagues for his many contributions to the community and the legacy of excellence in education that he is leaving behind him.

It is with pleasure that I honor my good friend here today and join with the community in congratulating Leo on a long and dedicated career in education.

A TRIBUTE TO MARY KILPATRICK

HON. JERRY LEWIS

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, June 21, 1993

Mr. LEWIS of California. Mr. Speaker, I would like to bring to your attention the fine work and outstanding public service of a most remarkable woman, Mary Mae Kilpatrick of Bishop, CA. Later this week, Mary will be recognized for her 37 years of service to the communities of Bishop and Round Valley as an educator and principal of the Round Valley Elementary School. The Bishop Chamber of Commerce will honor Mrs. K with a Lifetime Community Achievement Award at a dinner in her honor.

As a young college graduate in 1957, Mary accepted her first job teaching the fifth grade

at Round Valley. Since that time, she has raised her family and had an enormous influence upon thousands of young men and women. Over the years, she has given her best and expected the best from her students. Beyond serving as an educator, she has been a friend and mentor to many in and out of the classroom. Mrs. K has always challenged her students, and in the process, inspired them to excel. They respected her and she gave them confidence. Many of her students now return to thank her for the role she has played in their lives.

Of course, Mrs. K has been more than a teacher in her 37 years of service. Outside of the classroom, she has taken on additional responsibilities and never hesitated to lend a helping hand. Her support has been felt in many areas. She has coached volleyball, basketball, softball, junior olympics as well as speech and spelling bee contestants. She has also served as the variety show coordinator, yearbook adviser, chorus director, student council adviser and taught physical education.

Mr. Speaker, I ask that you join me, our colleagues, and the many dear friends of Mary Kilpatrick in honoring this remarkable woman. Her love for teaching—and for her students—has made an indelible mark upon us all. The Lifetime Community Achievement Award is appropriate recognition for this woman who has given so much of herself to others. It is fitting that the House of Representatives honor her today.

SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Title IV of Senate Resolution 4, agreed to by the Senate on February 4, 1977, calls for establishment of a system for a computerized schedule of all meetings and hearings of Senate committees, subcommittees, joint committees, and committees of conference. This title requires all such committees to notify the Office of the Senate Daily Digest—designated by the Rules Committee—of the time, place, and purpose of the meetings, when scheduled, and any cancellations or changes in the meetings as they occur.

As an additional procedure along with the computerization of this information, the Office of the Senate Daily Digest will prepare this information for printing in the Extensions of Remarks section of the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD on Monday and Wednesday of each week.

Meetings scheduled for Tuesday, June 22, 1993, may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

MEETINGS SCHEDULED

JUNE 23

9:00 a.m.

Labor and Human Resources
Business meeting, to mark up S. 636, to revise the Public Health Service Act to permit individuals to have freedom of access to certain medical clinics and facilities, and to consider pending nominations.

SD-430

9:30 a.m.

Armed Services

To resume hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 1994 for the Department of Defense and the future years defense program, focusing on the defense conversion and reinvestment program.

SH-216

Environment and Public Works

Clean Water, Fisheries and Wildlife Subcommittee

To resume hearings on S. 1114, authorizing funds for programs of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, focusing on State revolving fund, stormwater, and combined sewer overflow issues.

SD-406

10:00 a.m.

Appropriations

Treasury, Postal Service, General Government Subcommittee

To hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1994 for the Office of National Drug Control Policy and the General Services Administration.

SD-116

Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs

To hold hearings to examine current efforts to improve America's international trade position.

SD-538

Commerce, Science, and Transportation

To hold hearings on the nominations of Albert J. Herberger, of New York, to be Administrator of the Maritime Administration, Department of Transportation, and Everett M. Ehrlich, of Pennsylvania, to be Under Secretary of Commerce for Economic Affairs.

SR-253

Foreign Relations

To hold hearings on the nomination of Penn Kemble, of New York, to be Deputy Director of the United States Information Agency.

SD-419

Veterans' Affairs

To hold hearings on proposed legislation relating to the Veterans Administration's health care programs.

SR-418

2:00 p.m.

Foreign Relations

To hold hearings on the nominations of Robert E. Hunter, of the District of Columbia, to be the United States Permanent Representative on the Council of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, with rank and status of Ambassador, and Raymond Leo Flynn, of Massachusetts, to be Ambassador to the Holy See.

SD-419

2:30 p.m.

Governmental Affairs

To hold hearings on the nomination of Benjamin Leader Erdreich, of Alabama, to be Chairman of the Merit Systems Protection Board.

SD-342

JUNE 24

9:30 a.m.

Appropriations

Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education Subcommittee

To hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1994 for the National Institutes of Health, focusing on alternative medicine.

SD-192

Energy and Natural Resources
Public Lands, National Parks and Forests Subcommittee

To hold hearings on S. 208, to reform the concessions policies of the National Park Service.

SD-366

Rules and Administration

To hold hearings on S. 716, to require that all Federal lithographic printing be performed using ink made from vegetable oil.

SR-301

10:00 a.m.

Foreign Relations

To resume open and closed hearings on the Treaty with the Russian Federation on Further Reduction and Limitation of Strategic Offensive Arms (START II Treaty) (Treaty Doc. 103-1).

S-116, Capitol

Governmental Affairs

Business meeting, to consider pending calendar business.

SD-342

Joint Organization of Congress

To resume hearings to examine congressional reform proposals, focusing on legislative and executive relations.

S-5, Capitol

2:00 p.m.

Commerce, Science, and Transportation

Consumer Subcommittee

To hold hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for the Federal Trade Commission.

SR-253

Foreign Relations

European Affairs Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine U.S. policy on Ukrainian Security.

SD-419

2:30 p.m.

Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry

Agricultural Research, Conservation, Forestry and General Legislation Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine the Administration's below-cost timber sale policy.

SR-332

JUNE 25

9:00 a.m.

Governmental Affairs

Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations

To hold hearings to examine Blue Cross/Blue Shield's Empire Insurance Plan in New York.

SD-342

10:00 a.m.

Labor and Human Resources

To hold hearings on the nomination of Sheldon Hackney, of Pennsylvania, to be Chairperson of the National Endowment for the Humanities.

SD-430

JUNE 29

9:30 a.m.

Energy and Natural Resources

To hold oversight hearings to examine the Administration's program for meeting the stabilization goals for greenhouse gases and the ongoing work on the National Action Plan.

SD-366

10:00 a.m.

Foreign Relations

Business meeting, to consider S. Con. Res. 28, regarding the Taif agreement

and urging Syrian withdrawal from Lebanon, and pending nominations.

SD-410

Joint Organization of Congress

To resume hearings to examine congressional reform proposals. H-5, Capitol

2:00 p.m.

Joint Organization of Congress

To continue hearings to examine congressional reform proposals, focusing on legislative and judicial relations.

H-5, Capitol

2:30 p.m.

Appropriations

Foreign Operations Subcommittee

To hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1994 for foreign assistance, focusing on refugee programs.

Room to be announced

JUNE 30

9:30 a.m.

Energy and Natural Resources

Business meeting, to consider pending calendar business.

SD-366

JULY 1

9:30 a.m.

Energy and Natural Resources

To hold hearings on the nomination of Tara Jeanne O'Toole, of Maryland, to be Assistant Secretary of Energy for Environment, Safety and Health.

SD-366

10:00 a.m.

Commerce, Science, and Transportation

Consumer Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine issues relating to toy safety, and on S. 680, to require warning labels on the packaging of children's toys and games with small parts, balloons, small balls, or marbles, and to require bicycle helmets to meet Consumer Product Safety Commission standards.

SR-253

Veterans' Affairs

Business meeting, to mark up S. 843, to improve reemployment rights and benefits of veterans and other benefits of employment of certain members of the uniformed services, and pending legislation on VA health care programs.

SR-418

Joint Organization of Congress

To resume hearings to examine congressional reform proposals.

S-5, Capitol

11:00 a.m.

Veterans' Affairs

To hold hearings on the nomination of Victor P. Raymond, of the District of Columbia, to be Assistant Secretary of Veterans Affairs (Policy and Planning).

SR-418

CANCELLATIONS

JUNE 23

9:30 a.m.

Energy and Natural Resources

Business meeting, to consider pending calendar business.

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POSTPONEMENTS

2:00 p.m.

Indian Affairs

To hold hearings on S. 1021, to assure religious freedom to Native Americans.

SR-485

JUNE 24

10:00 a.m.

Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs
Securities Subcommittee

To resume hearings on proposals to reform private enforcement of the Federal securities laws.

SD-538

Indian Affairs

To hold hearings on the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 1994 for Indian programs within the Department of Education and the Administration for Native Americans.

SR-485