

3588. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 10-291, "District of Columbia Taxicab Commission Establishment Act of 1985 Amendment Act of 1994," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

3589. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 10-292, "Compensation Merit Personnel Reemployed Annuitant Amendment Act of 1994," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

3590. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 10-293, "National Voter Registration Act Conforming Amendment Act of 1994," pursuant D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

3591. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 10-294, "Policemen and Firemen's Retirement Relief Board Amendment Act of 1994," pursuant D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

3592. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 10-295, "Lie Detector Tests for Pre-Employment Investigations Temporary Amendment Act of 1994," pursuant D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

3593. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 10-296, "Rental Housing Conversion and Sale Act of 1980 Reenactment and Amendment Temporary Act of 1994," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

3594. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 10-301, "District of Columbia Association Attraction and Retention Act of 1994," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

3595. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 10-302, "Technical Amendments Act of 1994," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

3596. A letter from the Assistant Secretary of State for Legislative Affairs, transmitting copies of the original report of political contributions by David George Newton, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Yemen, and members of his family, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 3944(b)(2); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

3597. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a memorandum of Justification for Presidential Determination (94-34) regarding the drawdown of defense articles and services from the stocks of DOD for emergency military assistance to the Dominican Republic, pursuant to Public Law 101-513, section 547(a) (104 Stat. 2019); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

3598. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting a report on Federally funded international exchange programs and training activities of the U.S. Government, pursuant to Public Law 013-236, section 229(a); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

3599. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a report on the transfer of property to the Republic of Panama under the Panama Canal Treaty of 1977 and related agreements, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 3784(b); jointly, to the Committees on Foreign Affairs and Merchant Marine and Fisheries.

3600. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Management and Budget, transmit-

ting a draft of proposed legislation to provide, in accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, for the repeal of advisory committees no longer carrying out the purposes for which they were established; jointly, to the Committees on Government Operations; Agriculture; Natural Resources; Armed Services; Science, Space, and Technology; Energy and Commerce; Education and Labor; the Judiciary; and Public Works and Transportation.

186.3 MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Mr. Hallen, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate had passed with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested, bills of the House of the following titles:

H.R. 4602. An Act making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1995, and for other purposes; and

H.R. 4603. An Act making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1995, and making supplemental appropriations for these departments and agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1994, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that the Senate insisted upon its amendments to the bill (H.R. 4602) "An Act making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1995, and for other purposes," requested a conference with the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon, and appointed Mr. BYRD, Mr. JOHNSTON, Mr. LEAHY, Mr. DECONCINI, Mr. BUMPERS, Mr. HOLLINGS, Mr. REID, Mr. MURRAY, Mr. NICKLES, Mr. STEVENS, Mr. COCHRAN, Mr. DOMENICI, Mr. GORTON, Mr. HATFIELD, and Mr. BURNS to be the conferees on the part of the Senate.

The message also announced that the Senate insisted upon its amendments to the bill (H.R. 4603) "An Act making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1995, and making supplemental appropriations for these departments and agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1994, and for other purposes," requested a conference with the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon, and appointed Mr. HOLLINGS, Mr. BYRD, Mr. INOUE, Mr. BUMPERS, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Mr. SASSER, Mr. KERREY, Mr. DOMENICI, Mr. STEVENS, Mr. HATFIELD, Mr. MCCONNELL, Mr. COCHRAN, and Mr. GRAMM, to be the conferees on the part of the Senate.

186.4 WORDS TAKEN DOWN

Ms. WATERS during one minute speeches addressed the House and, during the course of her remarks,

Mr. SENSENBRENNER demanded that certain words be taken down.

The Clerk read the words taken down as follows:

He had to be gaveled out of order because he badgered a woman who was a witness from the White House, Maggie Williams. I

am pleased I was able to come to her defense. Madam Chairwoman, the day is over when men can badger and intimidate women.

The SPEAKER said:

"While in the opinion of the Chair the word "badgering" is not in itself unparliamentary, the Chair believes that the demeanor of the gentlewoman from California was not in good order in the subsequent period immediately following those words having been uttered.

"Accordingly, the Chair rules that without leave of the House, the gentlewoman from California may not proceed for the rest of today. The Chair would ask whether there is objection to the gentlewoman from California receiving the right to proceed in good order."

By unanimous consent, Ms. WATERS was permitted to proceed in order.

186.5 PROVIDING FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF H. CON. RES. 275

Mr. MOAKLEY, by direction of the Committee on Rules, called up the following resolution (H. Res. 495):

Resolved, That upon the adoption of this resolution it shall be in order to consider in the House a concurrent resolution waiving the requirement in section 132 of the Legislative Reorganization Act of 1946 that the Congress adjourn sine die not later than July 31 of each year. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the concurrent resolution to final adoption without intervening motion.

When said resolution was considered. After debate,

On motion of Mr. MOAKLEY, the previous question was ordered on the resolution to its adoption or rejection and under the operation thereof, the resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said resolution was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

186.6 WAIVING ADJOURNMENT REQUIREMENT

Mr. MOAKLEY, pursuant to House Resolution 495, called up following concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 275):

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring). That, notwithstanding the provisions of section 132(a)(1) of the Legislative Reorganization Act of 1946 (2 U.S.C. 198), the House of Representatives and the Senate shall not adjourn for a period in excess of three days, or adjourn sine die, until both Houses of Congress have adopted a concurrent resolution providing either for an adjournment (in excess of three days) to a day certain or for adjournment sine die.

When said concurrent resolution was considered.

The previous question having been ordered by said resolution.

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House agree to said concurrent resolution?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. FIELDS of Louisiana, announced that the yeas had it.

So the concurrent resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said concurrent resolution