

tion in this area, the NAFTA obligates Mexico to extend national treatment to U.S. small package and messenger service companies. Mexico must allow U.S. small package delivery services to use the same size trucks that Mexican small package delivery companies are permitted to use.

Mexico, earlier this year, enacted legislation that addresses the small package delivery issue. Amendments to the *Law on Roads, Bridges, and Federal Motor Carriers* authorize parcel delivery and messenger services to operate without restriction so long as they obtain a permit from the Secretariat of Communications and Transportation and direct that such permits be granted in a timely fashion. The law includes no restrictions on the size and weight of parcels nor on the dimensions of the vehicles that small package delivery services will be permitted to use.

At the North American Transportation Summit hosted by the United States on April 29, 1994, Mexico's Secretary of Communications and Transportation Emilio Gamboa reaffirmed his government's commitment to permit unrestricted operations by foreign-owned providers of small package delivery services in Mexico. In return, even though the United States does not have a similar obligation under the NAFTA, Secretary of Transportation Federico Peña stated the United States Government's intention to grant Mexican small package delivery service companies reciprocal operating rights in the United States by modifying the moratorium imposed by the Bus Regulatory Reform Act. Mexico and the United States agreed to establish a joint working group to specify the details of this arrangement by September 1, 1994.

The U.S. small package delivery service industry is supportive of United States Government efforts to eliminate Mexico's restrictions on small package delivery operations. Provided Mexico implements its NAFTA obligation to extend national treatment to U.S. small package delivery companies, the U.S. industry would not object to a modification of the moratorium that would provide Mexican small package delivery companies reciprocal treatment in the United States.

Provided that Mexico meets its NAFTA-imposed national treatment obligation to allow U.S.-owned small package delivery services unrestricted operations, I intend, pursuant to section 6 of the Bus Regulatory Reform Act, to modify the moratorium imposed by that section to permit Mexican small package delivery services to operate in the United States in exactly the same manner and to exactly the same extent that U.S. small package delivery services will be permitted to operate in Mexico. The Bus Regulatory Reform Act requires 60 days' advance notice to the Congress of my intention to modify or remove the moratorium.

With this message, I am providing the advance notice so required.

WILLIAM J. CLINTON.

THE WHITE HOUSE, Oct. 6, 1994.

By unanimous consent, the message, together with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Public Works and Transportation and ordered to be printed (H. Doc. 103-323).

¶121.57 ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mr. ROSE, from the Committee on House Administration, reported that that committee had examined and found truly enrolled bills and joint resolutions of the House of the following titles, which were thereupon signed by the Speaker:

H.R. 1520. An Act to amend the Petroleum Marketing Practices Act.

H.R. 2826. An Act to provide for an investigation of the whereabouts of the United States citizens and others who have been missing from Cyprus since 1974.

H.R. 2902. An Act to amend the District of Columbia Self-Government and Governmental Reorganization Act to reauthorize the annual Federal payment to the District of Columbia for fiscal year 1996, and for other purposes.

H.R. 3485. An Act to authorize appropriations for carrying out the Earthquake Hazards Reduction Act of 1977 for fiscal years 1995 and 1996.

H.R. 4308. An Act to authorize appropriations to assist in carrying out the North American Wetlands Conservation Act for fiscal years 1995 through 1998, and for other purposes.

H.R. 4653. An Act to settle Indian land claims within the State of Connecticut, and for other purposes.

H.J. Res. 401. Joint resolution designating the months of March 1995 and March 1996 as "Irish-American Heritage Month".

H.J. Res. 417. Joint resolution providing for the temporary extension of the application of the final paragraph of section 10 of the Railway Labor Act with respect to the dispute between the Soo Line Railroad Company and certain of its employees.

¶121.58 SENATE ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

The SPEAKER announced his signature to enrolled bills of the Senate of the following titles:

S. 2170. An Act to provide a more effective, efficient, and responsive Government.

S. 2406. An Act to amend title 17, United States Code, relating to the definition of a local service area of a primary transmitter, and for other purposes.

¶121.59 BILL AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS PRESENTED TO THE PRESIDENT

Mr. ROSE, from the Committee on House Administration, reported that that committee did on the following dates present to the President, for his approval, bills and joint resolutions of the House of the following titles:

On October 6, 1994:

H.R. 734. An Act to amend the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the extension of certain Federal benefits, services, and assistance to the Pascua Yaqui Indians of Arizona, and for other purposes."

On October 7, 1994:

H.J. Res. 398. An Act to establish the fourth Sunday of July as "Parents Day".

H.J. Res. 389. An Act to designate the second Sunday in October of 1994 as "National Children's Day".

H.J. Res. 415. An Act designating the week beginning October 16, 1994, as "National Penny Charity Week".

H.R. 810: An Act for the relief of Elizabeth M. Hill.

And then,

¶121.60 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. RICHARDSON, pursuant to the special order heretofore agreed to, at 3 o'clock and 2 minutes a.m. Friday, October 7 (legislative day of Thursday, October 6), 1994, the House adjourned until 12 o'clock noon today.

¶121.61 REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. MILLER of California: Committee on Natural Resources. H.R. 3600. A bill to ensure individual and family security through health care coverage for all Americans in a manner that contains the rate of growth in health care costs and promotes responsible health insurance practices, to promote choice in health care, and to ensure and protect the health care of all Americans; with amendments (Rept. No. 103-601 Pt. 6). Ordered to be printed.

Mr. GIBBONS: Committee of Conference. Conference report on H.R. 4278. A bill to make improvements in the old-age, survivors, and disability insurance program under title II of the Social Security Act (Rept. No. 103-842). Ordered to be printed.

Mr. DINGELL: Committee of Conference. Conference report on S. 1569. An Act to amend the Public Health Service Act to revise and extend programs relating to the health of individuals who are members of minority groups, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 103-843). Ordered to be printed.

Mr. DINGELL: Committee on Energy and Commerce. H.R. 4522. A bill to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to extend the authorization of appropriations of the Federal Communications Commission, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. No. 103-844). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Ms. SLAUGHTER: Committee on Rules, House Resolution 574. Resolution waiving points of order against the conference report to accompany the bill (S. 1569) to amend the Public Health Service Act to establish, reauthorize and revise provisions to improve the health of individuals from disadvantaged backgrounds, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 103-845). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. MOAKLEY: Committee on Rules, House Resolution 575. Resolution providing for the consideration of the Senate amendment to the bill (H.R. 1348) to establish the Quinebaug and Shetucket Rivers Valley National Heritage Corridor in the State of Connecticut, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 103-846). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. BEILINSON: Committee on Rules, House Resolution 576. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 5231) to provide for the management of portions of the Presidio under the jurisdiction of the Secretary of the Interior (Rept. No. 103-847). Referred to the House Calendar.

¶121.62 PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 5 of rule X and clause 4 of rule XXII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred as follows:

By Mr. BROWN of California:

H.R. 5199. A bill to amend the National Institute of Standards and Technology Act to