

January 28, 1959
[H. Con. Res. 57]

COMMEMORATIVE CEREMONIES FOR ABRAHAM LINCOLN

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That in commemoration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln the two Houses of Congress shall assemble in the Hall of the House of Representatives at 11 o'clock antemeridian, on Thursday, February 12, 1959.

72 Stat. 932.

That the Committee on Arrangements, created pursuant to Public Law 85-775, is empowered to make suitable arrangements for fitting and proper exercises for the joint session of Congress hereby authorized and, in accordance with provisions of Public Law 85-775, to issue appropriate invitations to officials, dignitaries, and other persons to join in this commemoration.

Passed January 28, 1959.

February 5, 1959
[S. Con. Res. 2]

JOINT COMMITTEE ON WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN PROBLEMS

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That the Joint Committee on Washington Metropolitan Problems created by H. Con. Res. 172, agreed to August 29, 1957, is hereby continued through September 30, 1959.

71 Stat. B50.

Post, p. B13.

SEC. 2. The joint committee is hereby authorized to make expenditures from February 1, 1959, through September 30, 1959, which shall not exceed \$30,000, to be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman of the joint committee.

Agreed to February 5, 1959.

February 24, 1959
[S. Con. Res. 5]

"BRIEFING ON THE INVESTMENT ACT"

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That there be printed for the use of the Select Committee on Small Business of the Senate seven thousand additional copies of the committee print entitled "Briefing on the Investment Act".

Printing of additional copies.

Agreed to February 24, 1959.

March 23, 1959
[S. Con. Res. 13]

JOINT ECONOMIC COMMITTEE

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That the Joint Economic Committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, as authorized by the Employment Act of 1946, as amended, is authorized and directed to conduct a full and complete study of and investigation into the problems of providing maximum employment and an adequate rate of economic growth, as well as maintaining price stability and preventing inflation, including, among others, the following subjects:

Study of economic problems.
60 Stat. 23.
15 USC 1021
note.

(1) Historical and comparative rates of unemployment, production, and prices;

(2) Inflation and deflation caused by increases and decreases in the effective supply of money and credit and the effects of these and of interest rates on growth, employment, and economic stability;

(3) The effect of monopolistic and quasi-monopolistic practices upon prices, profits, production, and employment;

(4) The effect of increases in wages, salaries, and the prices of personal services, together with union and professional practices, upon prices, profits, production, and employment;

(5) The effect of governmental expenditures, taxation, and budgetary surpluses and deficits and of monetary and debt management policies upon price levels, production, and employment;

(6) International influences affecting prices, production, trade, and employment; and

(7) Constructive suggestions for reconciling and simultaneously obtaining the three objectives of maximum employment, an adequate rate of growth, and substantial stability of the price level.

SEC. 2. For the purposes of this resolution, the joint committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized through January 31, 1960 (1) to appoint and fix the compensation of such experts, consultants, or organizations thereof, and clerical and stenographic assistants as it deems necessary and advisable; and (2) to hold such hearing, to sit and act at such times and places, to require by subpoena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, to take such testimony, and to make such expenditures, as it deems advisable. Subpoenas shall be issued under the signature of the chairman or vice chairman of the joint committee and shall be served by any person designated by them.

SEC. 3. The joint committee shall from time to time report its findings and recommendations to the Senate and the House of Representatives and shall make its final report at the earliest practicable date but not later than January 31, 1960.

SEC. 4. The expenses of the joint committee under this resolution, which shall not exceed \$200,000, through January 31, 1960, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman of the joint committee.

Agreed to March 23, 1959.

Report to Congress.

Expenses.

"CODE OF ETHICS FOR GOVERNMENT SERVICE"

March 24, 1959
[H. Con. Res. 15]

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That there shall be printed as a House document the "Code of Ethics for Government Service" as adopted by the Congress in H. Con. Res. 175, Eighty-fifth Congress. Such code shall be run in two colors and gold from letterpress plates reproducing engrossed artwork, hand lettered and appropriate for framing and office wall display. Stock for prints shall be one hundred and sixty pound white, size twelve and one-quarter inches by sixteen and one-quarter inches flat. Prints shall be inserted in white envelopes inside mailing brown envelopes of twenty-eight pound brown kraft, flaps sealed or tucked in with one corrugated board protector. In addition to the usual number, there shall be printed a sufficient number of extra copies to provide twenty-five copies for use and distribution by each Senator and each Representative. For the purposes of this resolution, the Delegate from Hawaii and the Resident Commissioner from Puerto Rico shall be considered as Representatives.

Printing as House document.

72 Stat. B12.

Additional copies.

Passed March 24, 1959.

SUPERIOR COURT OF MASSACHUSETTS, ANNIVERSARY

Whereas July 2, 1959, marks the one hundredth anniversary of the existence of the Superior Court of Massachusetts; and
Whereas the open and impartial administration of justice is the firmest bulwark of a free society; and

March 24, 1959
[H. Con. Res. 109]