Joint Resolution

Making an urgent supplemental appropriation for the Department of Health and Human Services for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1984.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sum is appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1984, namely:

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION

LOW INCOME HOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE

For an additional amount for "Low income home energy assistance", $200,000,000.

That the following sum is appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1984; namely:

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

PUBLIC LAW 480

EMERGENCY FOOD ASSISTANCE FOR AFRICA

For an additional amount for "Public Law 480", for commodities supplied in connection with dispositions abroad, pursuant to title II of the Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act of 1954, as amended, $90,000,000, of which $90,000,000 is hereby appropriated; and in addition not to exceed $90,000,000 shall be available from Commodity Credit Corporation inventory for sale on a competitive bid basis or barter to the African countries requiring emergency food assistance, or any country for use in assisting in emergency food assistance to Africa, as authorized by section 101(b) of Public Law 98–107. In the event Commodity Credit Corporation stocks are not available, the Corporation may purchase commodities to meet emergency requirements.

Approved March 30, 1984.

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY—H. J. Res. 493:

HOUSE REPORT Nos. 98–605 (Comm. on Appropriations) and No. 98–632 (Comm. of Conference).

Mar. 6, considered and passed House.
Mar. 15, considered and passed Senate, amended.
Mar. 27, House and Senate agreed to conference report.