be supplemented by a classified annex, indicating how the United States National Technical Means, including collection, processing and analytic resources, will be marshalled, together with written verification provisions, to ensure effective verification of compliance. Such certification and report shall be submitted to the Committee on Foreign Relations, or to appropriate international fora, including an unclassified summary, explaining why it is in the national security interests of the United States, then the President should consult on the matter with the Senate. Any such agreement or understanding which in any material way modifies, amends, or interprets United States and Russian obligations, or those of any other country, under the Convention, including the time frame for implementation of the Convention, should be submitted to the Senate for its advice and consent to ratification.

(11) Riot Control Agents. - (A) The Senate, recognizing that the Convention's prohibition on the use of riot control agents as a “method of warfare” precludes the use of such agents against combatants, including use for humanitarian purposes where combatants and noncombatants intermingled, urges the President—

(i) to give high priority to continued efforts to develop effective nonchemical, non-lethal alternatives to riot control agents for use in situations where combatants and noncombatants are intermingled; and

(ii) to ensure that the United States actively participates with other parties to the Convention in any reassessment of the appropriateness of the prohibition as it might apply to such situations as the rescue of awned civilians and passengers, and escaping prisoners or in situations in which civilians are being used to mask or screen targets.

(12) For purposes of this paragraph, the term “riot control agents” is used within the meaning of Article I(4) of the Convention.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills and joint resolutions were introduced, read the first and second time by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. AKAKA:
S. 1717. A bill for the relief of Dona H. Shibata; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. SPECTER:
S. 1718. An original bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1997 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the U.S. Government, the Community Management Account, and for the Central Intelligence Agency; for other purposes; from the Select Committee on Intelligence; placed on the calendar.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions and Senate resolutions were read, and referred for action under existing rules, as indicated:

By Mr. D’AMATO (for himself, Mr. DOLE, Mr. MCCONNELL, Mr. NICKLES, Mr. MURKOWSKI, and Mr. HATCH):
S. Res. 253. A resolution urging the detention and extradition to the United States by the appropriate foreign government of Mohammed Abbas for the murder of Leon Klinghoffer; considered and agreed to.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

At the request of Mr. MCCONNELL, the name of the Senator from Indiana [Mr. LUGAR] was added as a cosponsor of S. 386; a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for the tax-free treatment of education savings accounts established through certain 529 programs, and for other purposes.

S. 491.

At the request of Mr. BREAUx, the name of the Senator from Vermont
MR. LEAHY was added as a cosponsor of S. 491, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide coverage of outpatient self-management training services under part B of the medicare program for individuals with diabetes.

S. 1035

At the request of Mr. Daschle, the name of the Senator from Montana [Mr. Baucus] was added as a cosponsor of S. 1035, a bill to permit an individual to be treated by a health care practitioner with any method of medical treatment such individual requests, and for other purposes.

S. 1150

At the request of Mr. Santorum, the name of the Senator from New Mexico [Mr. Bingaman] was added as a cosponsor of S. 1150, a bill to require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint coins in commemoration of the 50th anniversary of the Marshall Plan and George Catlett Marshall.

S. 1183

At the request of Mr. Hatfield, the name of the Senator from Oregon [Mr. Wyden] was added as a cosponsor of S. 1183, a bill to amend the Act of March 3, 1991 (known as the Davis-Bacon Act), to revise the standards for coverage under the Act, and for other purposes.

S. 1271

At the request of Mr. Craig, the name of the Senator from Pennsylvania [Mr. Specter] was added as a cosponsor of S. 1271, a bill to amend the Nuclear Waste Policy Act of 1982.

S. 1397

At the request of Mr. Kyl, the name of the Senator from Indiana [Mr. Lugar] was added as a cosponsor of S. 1397, a bill to provide for State control over fair housing matters, and for other purposes.

S. 1395

At the request of Mr. Lott, the name of the Senator from South Dakota [Mr. Pressler] was added as a cosponsor of S. 1395, a bill to direct the Federal Aviation Administration to consider public safety and the environment associated with pipeline transportation of natural gas and hazardous liquids, and for other purposes.

S. 1630

At the request of Mr. Bond, the name of the Senator from Kansas [Mrs. Kassebaum] was added as a cosponsor of S. 1630, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to clarify the standards used for determining whether individuals are employees.

S. 1632

At the request of Mr. Warner, the names of the Senator from Maryland [Ms. Mikulski] and the Senator from Massachusetts [Mr. Kennedy] were added as cosponsors of S. 1623, a bill to establish a National Tourism Board and a National Tourism Organization, and for other purposes.

S. 1624

At the request of Mr. Hatch, the name of the Senator from Vermont [Mr. Leahy] was added as a cosponsor of S. 1624, a bill to reauthorize the Hate Crime Statistics Act, and for other purposes.

S. 1628

At the request of Mr. Brown, the name of the Senator from Montana [Mr. Buerkle] was added as a cosponsor of S. 1628, a bill to amend title 17, United States Code, relating to the copyright interests of certain musical performances, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 3738

At the request of Mr. Abraham, the name of the Senator from Delaware [Mr. Roth] was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 3738 intended to be proposed to S. 1664, an original bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to increase control over immigration to the United States by increasing border patrol and investigative personnel and detention facilities, improving the system used by employers to verify citizenship or work-authorized alien status, increasing penalties for alien smuggling and document fraud, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 3760

At the request of Mr. Lieberman, his name was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 3760 proposed to S. 1664, an original bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to increase control over immigration to the United States by increasing border patrol and investigative personnel and detention facilities, improving the system used by employers to verify citizenship or work-authorized alien status, increasing penalties for alien smuggling and document fraud, and reforming asylum, exclusion, and deportation law and procedures; to reduce the use of welfare by aliens; and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 3865

At the request of Mr. Reid, the names of the Senator from Illinois [Ms. Moseley-Braun] and the Senator from Illinois [Mr. Simon] were added as cosponsors of amendment No. 3865 proposed to S. 1664, an original bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to increase control over immigration to the United States by increasing border patrol and investigative personnel and detention facilities, improving the system used by employers to verify citizenship or work-authorized alien status, increasing penalties for alien smuggling and document fraud, and reforming asylum, exclusion, and deportation law and procedures; to reduce the use of welfare by aliens; and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 3857

WHEREAS, the Justice Department felt that it did not have the evidence to convict him, and citing the conviction, albeit in absentia by the Italian authorities, canceled the warrant for his arrest in January 1988;

WHEREAS, at an April 1996 meeting of the Palestine National Council in Gaza, Abbas described the killing as a mistake and that Mr. Klinghoffer was killed because he had started to incite the passengers against [the kidnappers];

NOW, Therefore, be it Resolved, That it is the sense of the Senate that the Attorney General should seek, from the appropriate foreign government, the extradition of Mohammed Abbas (also known as Abu Abbas) for the murder of Leon Klinghoffer in October 1985 during the hijacking of the vessel Achille Lauro.

AMENDMENTS SUBMITTED

THE IMMIGRATION CONTROL AND FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY ACT OF 1996

FEINSTEIN AMENDMENT NO. 3867

(Mr. D'Amato for himself, Mr. Dole, Mr. McConnell, Mr. Nickles, Mr. Murkowski, and Mr. Hatch) submitted the following resolution; which was considered and agreed to:

SENATE RESOLUTION 253—RELATIVE TO THE MURDER OF LEON KLINGHOFER

Mr. D'AMATO (for himself, Mr. Dole, Mr. McConnell, Mr. Nickles, Mr. Murkowski, and Mr. Hatch) submitted the following resolution; which was considered and agreed to:

S. RES. 253

WHEREAS, Mohammed Abbas, alias Abu Abbas, was convicted by a Genoan Court in June 1986 and sentenced to life in prison, in absentia for ‘‘kidnapping for terrorist ends that caused the killing of a person’’ for his role in the death of an American citizen, Leon Klinghoffer;

WHEREAS, a report from the Italian magistrate who tried the case against Abbas stated that the evidence was ‘‘multiple, unequivocal, and overwhelming’’ and that his actions in training and financing for this operation, and in choosing the target, as well as in planning the escape, made Abbas guilty of the murder;

WHEREAS, a warrant for Abbas' arrest was unsealed in October 1985 charging him with hijacking, and a bounty of $250,000 was offered for his arrest;

WHEREAS, the Justice Department felt that it did not have the evidence to convict him, and citing the conviction, albeit in absentia by the Italian authorities, canceled the warrant for his arrest in January 1988;

WHEREAS, at an April 1996 meeting of the Palestine National Council in Gaza, Abbas described the killing as ‘‘a mistake’’ and that Mr. Klinghoffer was killed because he ‘‘had started to incite the passengers against [the kidnappers];’’

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