CONGRESSIONAL RECORD—HOUSE

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Upper Housatonic Valley National Heritage Area in Connecticut and Massachusetts.

S. 298A An act to designate a fellowship program of the Peace Corps promoting the work of volunteer Peace Corps volunteers in underserved American communities as the "Paul D. Coverdell Fellows Program";

S. J. Res. 48 Joint resolution calling upon the President to issue a proposal recognizing the 25th anniversary of the Helsinki Final Act.

S. Con. Res. 53 Concurrent resolution condemning all prejudice against individuals of Asian and Pacific Island ancestry in the United States.

S. Con. Res. 133 Concurrent resolution to correct the enrollment of S. 1800.

The message also announced that pursuant to Public Law 105-134, the Chair, on behalf of the Republican Leader, announces the appointment made during the adjournment, of Nancy Rutlege Connery, of Maine, to serve as a member of the Amtrak Re-


The message also announced that pursuant to Public Law 99-498, the Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, reappoints Charles Terrell, of Massachusetts, to the Advisory Committee on Student Financial Assistance for a three-year term beginning October 1, 2000, made during the adjournment, effective July 28, 2000.

The message also announced that pursuant to Public Law 106-173, the Chair, on behalf of the Majority Leader, announces the appointment of Frank J. Williams, of Rhode Island, to the Abraham Lincoln Bicentennial Commission, made during the adjournment, effective August 24, 2000.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK OF THE HOUSE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Clerk of the House of Representatives:

OFFICE OF THE CLERK,
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

Hon. J. DENNIS HASTERT,
The Speaker, House of Representatives,
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Pursuant to the permission granted to Clause 2(h) of Rule II of the Rules of the U.S. House of Representatives, the Clerk received the following message from the Secretary of the Senate on July 28, 2000 at 9:35 a.m.

That the Senate passed without amendment H.R. 1749, that the Senate passed without amendment H.R. 3290; that the Senate agreed to House amendments to Senate amendments for H.R. 4040.

With best wishes, I am

Sincerely,
JEFF TRANDAHL,
Clerk of the House.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair desires to announce that pursuant to clause 4 of Rule I, Speaker pro tempore MORELLA signed the following enrolled bills on Saturday, July 29, 2000.

H.R. 1749, to designate Wilson Creek in Avery and Caldwell Counties, North Carolina, as a component of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System;

H.R. 1922, to name the Department of Veterans Affairs Outpatient clinic in Rome, New York, as the "Donald J. Mitchell Department of Veterans Affairs Outpatient Clinic";

H.R. 3290, to provide for the settlement of the water rights claims of the Shiwits Band of the Paiute Indian Tribe of Utah, and for other purposes;

S. 2869, an act to protect religious liberty, and for other purposes;

The following enrolled bills on Monday, August 7, 2000:

H.R. 1167, to amend the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act to provide for further self-governance by Indian tribes, and for our purposes;

H.R. 3519, to provide for negotiations for the creation of a trust fund to be administered by the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development or the International Development Association to combat the AIDS epidemic;

The following enrolled bill on Friday, August 18, 2000:

H.R. 4040, to amend Title 5, United States Code, to provide for the establishment of a program under which long-term care insurance is made available to Federal employees, members of the Armed Forces, and civilian and military retirees, provide for the correction of retirement coverage errors under chapters 83 and 84 of such title, and for other purposes;

And Speaker pro tempore GILCHREST signed the following enrolled bill on Wednesday, August 23, 2000:

H.R. 8, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to phase out the estate and gift taxes over a 10-year period.

APPOINTMENT AS MEMBERS TO PARENTS ADVISORY COUNCIL ON DRUG ABUSE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to sections 710(a)(2) of the Office of National Drug Control Policy Reauthorization Act of 1998 (21 U.S.C. 1709) and the order of the House of Thursday, July 27, 2000, the Speaker, on Tuesday, August 15, 2000, appointed the following members from the private sector to the Parents Advisory Council on Youth Drug Abuse on the part of the House:

Ms. Judy Kreamer, Naperville, Illinois, to a three-year term;

Ms. Modesta Martinez, Bensenville, Illinois, to a two-year term;

And Mr. Richard F. James, Columbus, Ohio, to a one-year term.

COMMUNICATION FROM CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Chairman of the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure; which was read and, without objection, referred to the Committee on Appropriations:

COMMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES


Hon. J. DENNIS HASTERT,
Speaker of the House,
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Speaker: Enclosed are copies of resolutions adopted on July 26, 2000 by the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. Copies of the resolutions are being transmitted to the Department of the Army. With kind regards, I am

Sincerely,
BUD SHUSTER,
Chairman.