

Resolved, That it is the sense of the Congress that the American people support the President in not according diplomatic recognition to the Chinese Communist regime.

Agreed to August 31, 1961.

September 7, 1961
[S. Con. Res. 39]

COMPILATION OF HEARINGS, REPORTS, AND COMMITTEE PRINTS
OF SUBCOMMITTEE ON NATIONAL POLICY MACHINERY

Printing of
copies.

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That there be printed for the use of the Senate Committee on Government Operations three thousand copies each of volumes 1, 2, and 3 of a compilation of the hearings, reports, and committee prints of its Subcommittee on National Policy Machinery issued during the Eighty-sixth and Eighty-seventh Congresses.

Agreed to September 7, 1961.

September 15, 1961
[S. Con. Res. 14]

“UNCLE SAM”

Whereas in a world largely hostile to the idea of freedom we must keep alive the cherished values of our way of life; and

Whereas at a moment in our history when we need all our sense of purpose and capability to match the challenge of disciplined communism some say that our national symbol of “Uncle Sam” is archaic and should be disowned; and

Whereas the symbol of “Uncle Sam” was evoked out of the needs of a young Nation, and is linked to a grassroots character, Samuel Wilson, of Troy, New York, who still represents the strength and idealism that made up the greatest Nation in the world; and

Whereas the years 1766 to 1854, the years in which Samuel Wilson lived, witnessed the birth and glorious progress of the United States, spanning as they did the period before the Declaration of Independence to the emergence of the United States as a world power; and

Whereas no congressional action has ever been taken to make the symbol of that American tradition, the symbol of “Uncle Sam,” official and permanent: Therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That the Congress salutes “Uncle Sam” Wilson, of Troy, New York, as the progenitor of America’s national symbol of “Uncle Sam”.

Agreed to September 15, 1961.

Salute to “Uncle
Sam” Wilson.

September 15, 1961
[H. Con. Res. 12]

PRINTING OF HOUSE DOCUMENT NO. 412

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That there shall be printed for the use of the House of Representatives five hundred thousand additional copies of House Document Numbered 412, Eighty-fifth Congress, second session, with emendations.

Passed September 15, 1961.