105TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

S. RES. 107

To authorize the production of records by Senator Robert C. Byrd and Senator John D. Rockefeller IV.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

July 9, 1997

Mr. Lott (for himself and Mr. Daschle) submitted the following resolution; which was considered and agreed to

RESOLUTION

To authorize the production of records by Senator Robert C. Byrd and Senator John D. Rockefeller IV.

Whereas, a prosecutor for the State of West Virginia has requested that Senator Robert C. Byrd and Senator John D. Rockefeller IV provide him with copies of constituent correspondence relevant to a criminal case, State of West Virginia v. Brenda S. Cook, No. 97–F–20 (Circ. Ct. of Hardy Cnty., W. Va.);

Whereas, by the privileges of the Senate of the United States and Rule XI of the Standing Rules of the Senate, no evidence under the control or in the possession of the Senate can, by administrative or judicial process, be taken from such control or possession but by permission of the Senate; Whereas, when it appears that documents, papers, and records under the control or in the possession of the Senate may promote the administration of justice, the Senate will take such action as will promote the ends of justice consistently with the privileges of the Senate: Now, therefore, be it

- 1 Resolved, That Senator Robert C. Byrd and Senator
- 2 John D. Rockefeller IV are authorized to provide to the
- 3 State of West Virginia copies of correspondence relevant
- 4 to the criminal case, State of West Virginia v. Brenda S.
- 5 Cook.

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