## 106TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

## S. RES. 121

To authorize testimony and legal representation in C. William Kaiser v. Department of Veterans Affairs.

## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

June 14, 1999

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

## **RESOLUTION**

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- Whereas, in the case of C. William Kaiser v. Department of Veterans Affairs, Docket No. BN-0351-99-0110-I-1, pending before the Merit Systems Protection Board, testimony has been requested from Richard Lougee, an employee of Senator Judd Gregg;
- Whereas, pursuant to sections 703(a) and 704(a)(2) of the Ethics in Government Act of 1978, 2 U.S.C. §§ 288b(a) and 288c(a)(2), the Senate may direct its counsel to represent employees of the Senate with respect to any subpoena, order, or request for testimony relating to their official responsibilities;
- Whereas, by the privileges of the Senate of the United States and Rule XI of the Standing Rules of the Senate, no evi-

dence under the control or in the possession of the Senate may, by the judicial process, be taken from such control or possession but by permission of the Senate; and

Whereas, when it appears that evidence 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 Richard Lougee is authorized to tes-
- 2 tify in the case of C. William Kaiser v. Department of
- 3 Veterans Affairs, except concerning matters for which a
- 4 privilege should be asserted.
- 5 Sec. 2. The Senate Legal Counsel is authorized to
- 6 represent Richard Lougee in connection with the testi-
- 7 mony authorized in second one of this resolution.

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