

projects on such terms and conditions as the Secretary may prescribe.

“(m) REPORT TO CONGRESS.—Not later than June 1 of each year, the Secretary shall submit to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs of the Senate and the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs of the House of Representatives, a report describing the status of multifamily housing projects owned by or subject to mortgages held by the Secretary, which report shall include—

“(1) the name, address, and size of each project;

“(2) the nature and date of assignment;

“(3) the status of the mortgage;

“(4) the physical condition of the project;

“(5) an occupancy profile of the project, including the income, family size, and race of current residents as well as the rents paid by such residents;

“(6) the proportion of units in a project that are vacant;

“(7) the date on which the Secretary became mortgagee in possession;

“(8) the date and conditions of any foreclosure sale;

“(9) the date of acquisition by the Secretary;

“(10) the date and conditions of any property disposition sale;

“(11) a description of actions undertaken pursuant to this section, including—

“(A) a comparison of results between actions taken after enactment of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1993 and actions taken in years prior to such enactment;

“(B) a description of any impediments to the disposition or management of multifamily housing projects, together with a recommendation of proposed legislative or regulatory changes designed to ameliorate such impediments;

“(C) a description of actions taken to restructure or commence foreclosure on delinquent multifamily mortgages held by the Department; and

“(D) a description of actions taken to monitor and prevent the default of multifamily housing mortgages held by the Federal Housing Administration;

“(12) a description of any of the functions performed in connection with this section that are contracted out to public or private entities or to States, including—

“(A) the costs associated with such delegation;

“(B) the implications of contracting out or delegating such functions for current Department field or regional personnel, including anticipated personnel or work load reductions;

“(C) necessary oversight required by Department personnel, including anticipated personnel hours devoted to such oversight;

“(D) a description of any authority granted to such public or private entities or States in conjunction with the functions that have been delegated or contracted out or that are not otherwise available for use by Department personnel; and

“(E) the extent to which such public or private entities or States include tenants of multifamily housing projects in the disposition planning for such projects;

“(13) a description of the activities carried out under subsection (j) during the preceding year; and

“(14) a description and assessment of the rules, guidelines, and practices governing the Department’s management of multifamily housing projects that are owned by the Secretary (or for which the Secretary is mortgagee in possession) as well as the steps that the Secretary has taken or plans to take to improve the management performance of the Department.”.

(c) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The Secretary of Housing and Urban Development shall, by notice published in the Federal Register, which shall take effect upon publication, establish such requirements as may be necessary to implement the amendments made by this section. The notice shall invite public comments, and the Secretary shall issue final regulations based on the initial notice, taking into account any public comments received.

S. 974

At the request of Mr. GRASSLEY, the name of the Senator from Wyoming [Mr. SIMPSON] was added as a cosponsor of S. 974, a bill to prohibit certain acts involving the use of computers in the furtherance of crimes, and for other purposes.

S. 1136

At the request of Mr. HATCH, the name of the Senator from Alabama [Mr. HEFLIN] was added as a cosponsor of S. 1136, a bill to control and prevent commercial counterfeiting, and for other purposes.

S. 1160

At the request of Mr. ROCKEFELLER, the name of the Senator from Illinois [Ms. MOSELEY-BRAUN] was added as a cosponsor of S. 1160, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide that the depreciation rules which apply for regular tax purposes also shall apply for alternative minimum tax purposes.

S. 1219

At the request of Mr. FEINGOLD, the name of the Senator from Florida [Mr. GRAHAM] was added as a cosponsor of S. 1219, a bill to reform the financing of Federal elections, and for other purposes.

S. 1289

At the request of Mr. KYL, the name of the Senator from Mississippi [Mr. LOTT] was added as a cosponsor of S. 1289, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to clarify the use of private contracts, and for other purposes.

SENATE RESOLUTION 177

At the request of Mr. BIDEN, the names of the Senator from Michigan [Mr. ABRAHAM], the Senator from Rhode Island [Mr. CHAFEE], the Senator from Mississippi [Mr. COCHRAN], the Senator from New Mexico [Mr. DOMENICI], the Senator from Hawaii [Mr. AKAKA], the Senator from California [Mrs. BOXER], the Senator from New Jersey [Mr. BRADLEY], the Senator from Kansas [Mr. DOLE], the Senator from New York [Mr. D’AMATO], the Senator from Louisiana [Mr. BREAUX], the Senator from Nevada [Mr. BRYAN], the Senator from Tennessee [Mr. FRIST], the Senator from South Dakota [Mr. DASCHLE], the Senator from Connecticut [Mr. DODD], the Senator from Iowa [Mr. GRASSLEY], the Senator from New Hampshire [Mr. GREGG], the Senator from Utah [Mr. HATCH], the Senator from North Dakota [Mr. DORGAN], the Senator from Texas [Mrs. HUTCHISON], the Senator from Wisconsin [Mr. FEINGOLD], the Senator from California [Mrs. FEINSTEIN], the Senator from Ohio [Mr. GLENN], the Senator from Kentucky [Mr. FORD], the Senator from Florida [Mr. MACK], the Senator from Alaska [Mr. MURKOWSKI], the Senator from Delaware [Mr. ROTH], the Senator from Vermont [Mr. LEAHY], the Senator from New Hampshire [Mr. SMITH], the Senator from Maine [Ms. SNOWE], the Senator from

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 96

At the request of Mr. HATCH, the name of the Senator from Iowa [Mr. GRASSLEY] was added as a cosponsor of S. 96, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for the conduct of expanded studies and the establishment of innovative programs with respect to traumatic brain injury, and for other purposes.

S. 643

At the request of Mrs. MURRAY, the name of the Senator from California [Mrs. BOXER] was added as a cosponsor of S. 643, a bill to assist in implementing the plan of action adopted by the World Summit for Children.

S. 832

At the request of Mr. LAUTENBERG, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 832, a bill to require the Prospective Payment Assessment Commission to develop separate applicable percentage increases to ensure that medicare beneficiaries who receive services from medicare dependent hospitals receive the same quality of care and access to services as medicare beneficiaries in other hospitals, and for other purposes.

S. 863

At the request of Mr. GRASSLEY, the name of the Senator from Vermont [Mr. JEFFORDS] was added as a cosponsor of S. 863, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for increased medicare reimbursement for physician assistants, to increase the delivery of health services in health professional shortage areas, and for other purposes.

S. 864

At the request of Mr. GRASSLEY, the name of the Senator from Vermont [Mr. JEFFORDS] was added as a cosponsor of S. 864, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for increased medicare reimbursement for nurse practitioners and clinical nurse specialists to increase the delivery of health services in health professional shortage areas, and for other purposes.

S. 955

At the request of Mr. HATCH, the name of the Senator from Arkansas [Mr. PRYOR] was added as a cosponsor of S. 955, a bill to clarify the scope of coverage and amount of payment under the medicare program of items and services associated with the use in the furnishing of inpatient hospital services of certain medical devices approved for investigational use.

Pennsylvania [Mr. SPECTER], the Senator from Massachusetts [Mr. KENNEDY], the Senator from Michigan [Mr. LEVIN], the Senator from Alaska [Mr. STEVENS], the Senator from Connecticut [Mr. LIEBERMAN], the Senator from Maryland [Ms. MIKULSKI], the Senator from New York [Mr. MOYNIHAN], the Senator from Washington [Mrs. MURRAY], the Senator from Rhode Island [Mr. PELL], the Senator from South Carolina [Mr. THURMOND], the Senator from Nevada [Mr. REID], the Senator from West Virginia [Mr. ROCKEFELLER], the Senator from Maryland [Mr. SARBANES], the Senator from Illinois [Mr. SIMON], the Senator from Minnesota [Mr. WELLSTONE], the Senator from New Jersey [Mr. LAUTENBERG], the Senator from Arizona [Mr. MCCAIN], the Senator from Massachusetts [Mr. KERRY], the Senator from Kansas [Mrs. KASSEBAUM], the Senator from Wyoming [Mr. THOMAS], the Senator from Illinois [Ms. MOSELEY-BRAUN], the Senator from New Mexico [Mr. BINGAMAN], the Senator from Hawaii [Mr. INOUYE], and the Senator from Ohio [Mr. DEWINE] were added as cosponsors of Senate Resolution 177, a resolution to designate October 19, 1995, as "National Mammography Day."

AMENDMENTS SUBMITTED

THE CUBAN LIBERTY AND DEMOCRATIC SOLIDARITY [LIBERTAD] ACT OF 1995

KEMPTHORNE (AND CRAIG) AMENDMENTS NOS. 2928-2929

(Ordered to lie on the table.)

Mr. KEMPTHORNE (for himself and Mr. CRAIG) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by them to amendment No. 2898 proposed by Mr. DOLE to the bill (H.R. 927) to seek international sanctions against the Castro government in Cuba, to plan for support of a transition government leading to a democratically elected government in Cuba, and for other purposes; as follows:

AMENDMENT NO. 2928

At the end, insert the following:

() Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act, but for purposes of Title III, any person or entity, including any agency or instrumentality of a foreign state, shall be deemed to have received the notices described in subsections (B)(i) and (B)(ii) with respect to any claim certified prior to the effective date hereof by the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission.

() Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act, but for purposes of Title III, an action may be brought under Title III by a United States national only where the amount in controversy exceeds \$50,000, exclusive of costs, attorneys' fees, and exclusive interest under sections 302(a)(i)(I), (II), and (III), and exclusive of any additional sums under section 302(a)(3)(B).

() Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act, but for purposes of Title III, a United States national who was eligible to file the underlying claim in the action with

the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission under Title V of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949 but did not so file the claim may not bring an action under this Title.

() Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Act, but for purposes of Title III, in the event some or all actions or claims filed under this section are consolidated by judicial or other action in such manner as to create a pool of assets available to satisfy such claims, including a pool of assets in a proceeding in bankruptcy, every certified claimant who filed such an action or claim which is consolidated in such manner with other claims shall be entitled to payment in full of its claim from the assets in such pool prior to any payment from the assets in such pool with respect to any claim not certified by the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission.

() Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act, but for purposes of Title III, in the case of any action brought under this Title by a United States national whose underlying claim in the action was timely filed with the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission under Title V of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949 but was denied by the Commission, the court shall accept the findings of the Commission on the claim as conclusive in the action under this Title.

AMENDMENT NO. 2929

At the end, insert the following:

() Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act, but for purposes of Title III, any person or entity, including any agency or instrumentality of a foreign state, shall be deemed to have received the notices described in subsections (B)(i) and (B)(ii) with respect to any claim certified prior to the effective date hereof by the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission.

() Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act, but for purposes of Title III, an action may be brought under Title III by a United States national only where the amount in controversy exceeds \$50,000, exclusive of costs, attorneys' fees, and exclusive interest under sections 302(a)(i)(I), (II), and (III), and exclusive of any additional sums under section 302(a)(3)(B).

() Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act, but for purposes of Title III, a United States national who was eligible to file the underlying claim in the action with the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission under Title V of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949 but did not so file the claim may not bring an action under this Title.

() Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act, but for purposes of Title III, in the event some or all actions or claims filed under this section are consolidated by judicial or other action in such manner as to create a pool of assets available to satisfy such claims, including a pool of assets in a proceeding in bankruptcy, every certified claimant who filed such an action or claim which is consolidated in such manner with other claims shall be entitled to payment in full of its claim from the assets in such pool prior to any payment from the assets in such pool with respect to any claim not certified by the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission.

() Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act, but for purposes of Title III, in the case of any action brought under this Title by a United States national whose underlying claim in the action was timely filed with the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission under Title V of the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949 but was denied by the Commission, the court shall accept the findings of the Commission on the claim as conclusive in the action under this Title.

() Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act, any provisions in this Act related to the import of sugar or sugar products shall be deemed "sense of the Congress" language.

BRADLEY AMENDMENTS NOS. 2930-2931

(Ordered to lie on the table.)

Mr. BRADLEY submitted two amendments intended to be proposed by him to amendment No. 2898 proposed by Mr. DOLE to the bill H.R. 927, *supra*; as follows:

AMENDMENT NO. 2930

On page 14, strike line 1 and all that follows through line 14 on page 16 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"(5) except for assistance under the secondary school exchange program administered by the United States Information Agency, for the government of any independent state effective 30 days after the President has determined and certified to the appropriate congressional committees (and Congress has not enacted legislation disapproving the determination without the 30-day period) that such government is providing assistance for, or engaging in nonmarket based trade (as defined in section 498B(k)(3)) with, the Government of Cuba; or".

(2) Subsection (k) of section 498B of that Act (22 U.S.C. 2298b(k)), is amended by adding at the end the following:

"(3) NONMARKET BASED TRADE.—As used in section 498A(b)(5), the term 'nonmarket based trade' includes exports, imports, exchanges, or other arrangements that are provided for goods and services (including oil and other petroleum products) on terms more favorable than those generally available in applicable markets or for comparable commodities, including—

"(A) exports to the Government of Cuba on terms that involve a grant, concessional price, guarantee, insurance, or subsidy;

"(B) imports from the Government of Cuba at preferential tariff rates;

"(C) exchange arrangements that include advance delivery of commodities, arrangements in which the Government of Cuba is not held accountable for unfulfilled exchange contracts, and arrangements under which Cuba does not pay appropriate transportation, insurance, or finance costs; and

"(D) the exchange, reduction, or forgiveness of Cuban government debt in return for a grant by the Cuban government of an equity interest in a property, investment, or operation of the Government of Cuba or of a Cuban national.".

"(4) CUBAN GOVERNMENT.—(A) The term Cuban government includes the government of any political subdivision of Cuba, and any agency or instrumentality of the Government of Cuba.

"(B) For purposes of subparagraph (A), the term 'agency or instrumentality' is used within the meaning of section 1603(b) of title 28, United States Code."

(d) FACILITIES AT LOURDES, CUBA.—(1) The Congress express its strong disapproval of the extension by Russia of credits equivalent to \$200,000,000 in support of the intelligence facility at Lourdes, Cuba, announced in November 1994.

(2) Section 498A of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 (22 U.S.C. 2295a) is amended by adding at the end the following new subsection:

"(d) REDUCTION IN ASSISTANCE FOR SUPPORT OF INTELLIGENCE FACILITIES IN CUBA.—(1) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the President shall withhold from assistance provided, on or after the date of enactment