

(6) IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PROTOCOL IN THE FEDERAL SYSTEM OF THE UNITED STATES.—The United States understands that the Protocol shall be implemented by the Federal Government to the extent that it exercises jurisdiction over the matters covered therein, and otherwise by the State and local governments. To the extent that State and local governments exercise jurisdiction over such matters, the Federal Government shall, as necessary, take appropriate measures to ensure the fulfillment of the Protocol.

#### SEC. 4. DECLARATION.

The advice and consent of the Senate under section 1 is subject to the declaration that—

(1)(A) the provisions of the Protocol (other than Article 5) are non-self-executing; and

(B) the United States will implement Article 5 of the Protocol pursuant to chapter 209 of title 18, United States Code; and

(2) except as described in the reservation in section 2—

(A) current United States law, including the laws of the States of the United States, fulfills the obligations of the Protocol for the United States; and

(B) accordingly, the United States does not intend to enact new legislation to fulfill its obligations under the Protocol.

#### SEC. 5. CONDITION.

The advice and consent of the Senate under section 1 is subject to the condition that the Senate reaffirms condition (8) of the resolution of ratification of the Document Agreed Among the States Parties to the Treaty on Conventional Armed Forces in Europe (CFE) of November 19, 1990 (adopted at Vienna on May 31, 1996), approved by the Senate on May 14, 1997 (relating to condition (1) of the resolution of ratification of the INF Treaty, approved by the Senate on May 27, 1988).

Mr. REID. I ask unanimous consent that the motions to reconsider be laid upon the table, that any statements relating to the conventions be printed in the RECORD; that the President be immediately notified of the Senate's action; and the Senate return to legislative session.

The motions to lay on the table were agreed to.

#### LEGISLATIVE SESSION

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Under the previous order, the Senate will now return to legislative session.

#### APPOINTMENTS

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 9355(a), appoints the following Senators to the Board of Visitors of the U.S. Air Force Academy:

The Senator from Colorado (Mr. ALLARD), at large;

The Senator from Georgia (Mr. CLELAND), designated by the chairman of the Committee on Armed Services;

The Senator from Idaho (Mr. CRAIG), from the Committee on Appropriations (reappointment); and

The Senator from South Carolina (Mr. HOLLINGS), from the Committee on Appropriations (reappointment).

The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 6968(a),

appoints the following Senators to the Board of Visitors of the U.S. Naval Academy:

The Senator from Mississippi (Mr. COCHRAN), from the Committee on Appropriations;

The Senator from Arizona (Mr. MCCAIN), designated by the chairman of the Committee on Armed Services;

The Senator from Maryland (Ms. MUKULSKI), from the Committee on Appropriations; and

The Senator from Maryland (Mr. SARBANES), at large.

The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 4355(a), appoints the following Senators to the Board of Visitors of the U.S. Military Academy:

The Senator from Ohio (Mr. DEWINE), from the Committee on Appropriations (reappointment);

The Senator from Louisiana (Ms. LANDRIEU), from the Committee on Appropriations (reappointment);

The Senator from Rhode Island (Mr. REED), designated by the chairman of the Committee on Armed Services; and

The Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. SANTORUM), at large.

#### MEASURES INDEFINITELY POSTPONED—H.R. 2586 and S. 1779

Mr. REID. I ask unanimous consent that the following calendar items be indefinitely postponed: Calendar No. 170, H.R. 2586, and Calendar No. 293, S. 1779.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

#### AMERICAN SOCIETY OF CIVIL ENGINEERS

Mr. REID. I ask unanimous consent the Senate now proceed to the consideration of Calendar No. 417, S. Con. Res. 104.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will report the resolution by title.

The legislative clerk read as follows:

A concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 104) recognizing the American Society of Civil Engineers on the occasion of the 150th anniversary of its founding and for the many vital contributions of civil engineers to the quality of life of the people of the United States, including the research and development projects that have led to the physical infrastructure of modern America.

There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to the immediate consideration of the concurrent resolution.

Mr. REID. Madam President, I ask unanimous consent that the concurrent resolution and preamble be agreed to en bloc, the motion to reconsider be laid upon the table, with no further intervening action or debate, and that any statements related thereto be printed in the RECORD.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

The concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 104) was agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The concurrent resolution, with its preamble, reads as follows:

S. CON. RES. 104

Whereas, founded in 1852, the American Society of Civil Engineers is the oldest national engineering society in the United States;

Whereas civil engineers work to constantly improve buildings, water systems, and other civil engineering works through research, demonstration projects, and the technical codes and standards developed by the American Society of Civil Engineers;

Whereas the American Society of Civil Engineers incorporates educational, scientific, and charitable efforts to advance the science of engineering, improve engineering education, maintain the highest standards of excellence in the practice of civil engineering, and protect the public health, safety, and welfare;

Whereas the American Society of Civil Engineers represents the profession primarily responsible for the design, construction, and maintenance of the roads, bridges, airports, railroads, public buildings, mass transit systems, resource recovery systems, water systems, waste disposal and treatment facilities, dams, ports, waterways, and other public facilities that are the foundation on which the economy of the United States stands and grows; and

Whereas the civil engineers of the United States, through innovation and the highest professional standards in the practice of civil engineering, protect the public health and safety and ensure the high quality of life enjoyed by the people of the United States: Now, therefore, be it

*Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring), That Congress—*

(1) recognizes the American Society of Civil Engineers on the occasion of the 150th anniversary of its founding;

(2) commends the many achievements of the civil engineers of the United States; and

(3) encourages the American Society of Civil Engineers to continue its tradition of excellence in service to the profession of civil engineering and to the public.

#### AMERICAN SOCIETY OF CIVIL ENGINEERS

Mr. REID. Madam President, I ask unanimous consent the Senate proceed to the consideration of Calendar No. 418, H. Con. Res. 387.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will report the resolution by title.

The legislative clerk read as follows:

A House concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 387) recognizing the American Society of Civil Engineers for reaching its 150th anniversary and for the many vital contributions of civil engineers to the quality of life of our Nation's people including the research and development projects that have led to the physical infrastructure of modern America.

There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to consider the House concurrent resolution.

Mr. REID. I ask unanimous consent the concurrent resolution and preamble be agreed to en bloc, and the motion to reconsider be laid on the table with no further intervening action or debate, and any statements be printed in the RECORD.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

The concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 387) was agreed to.