

To the Congress of the United States:

I hereby report that I have exercised my statutory authority under section 3147 of title 40, United States Code, to suspend the provisions of 40 U.S.C. 3141–3148 in the event of a national emergency. I have found that the conditions caused by Hurricane Katrina constitute a “national emergency” within the meaning of section 3147. I have, therefore, suspended the provisions of 40 U.S.C. 3141–3148 in designated areas in the States of Alabama, Florida, Louisiana, and Mississippi.

This action is more fully set out in the enclosed proclamation that I have issued today.

GEORGE W. BUSH.

THE WHITE HOUSE, September 8, 2005.

REPORT ON THE CONTINUATION OF THE NATIONAL EMERGENCY WITH RESPECT TO CERTAIN TERRORIST ATTACKS—PM 21

The PRESIDING OFFICER laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying report; which was referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:

To the Congress of the United States:

Section 202(d) of the National Emergencies Act, 50 U.S.C. 1622(d), provides for the automatic termination of a national emergency unless, prior to the anniversary date of its declaration, the President publishes in the *Federal Register* and transmits to the Congress a notice stating that the emergency is to continue in effect beyond the anniversary date. Consistent with this provision, I have sent to the *Federal Register* the enclosed notice, stating that the emergency declared with respect to the terrorist attacks on the United States of September 11, 2001, is to continue in effect for an additional year.

The terrorist threat that led to the declaration on September 14, 2001, of a national emergency continues. For this reason, I have determined that it is necessary to continue in effect after September 14, 2005, the national emergency with respect to the terrorist threat.

GEORGE W. BUSH.

THE WHITE HOUSE, September 8, 2005.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. LOTT, from the Committee on Rules and Administration:

Special Report entitled “Review of Legislative Activity During the 108th Congress” (Rept. No. 109–135).

The following reports are for nominees discharged from the Committee on Foreign Relations and confirmed on Friday, July 29, 2005:

William Robert Timken, Jr., of Ohio, to be Ambassador to the Federal Republic of Germany.

Nominee: William R. Timken, Jr.
Post: Ambassador to Germany.

The following is a list of all members of my immediate family and their spouses. I have asked each of these persons to inform me of the pertinent contributions made by them. To the best of my knowledge, the information contained in this report is complete and accurate.

Contributor: Self (William R. Timken, Jr.)—

Contributions to non-federal “exempt from limits” committees: Amount, date, donee: \$900, 1/24/01, RNC—Republican Nat. State Elections Committee; \$4,122, 1/24/01, RNC—Republican Nat. State Elections Committee; \$30,000, 4/26/01, RNC—Republican Nat. State Elections Committee; \$40,000, 10/10/02, RNC—Republican Nat. State Elections Committee; \$5,000, 4/25/01, Nat. Republican Congressional Comm.—Non-Fed. #2.

Contributions to Federal political committees: Amount, date, donee: \$1,000, 11/6/01, Elizabeth Dole Committee, Inc.; \$1,000, 10/11/02, Elizabeth Dole Committee, Inc.; \$2,499, 6/30/01, Timken Company Good Government Fund; \$3,745, Year 2002, Timken Company Good Government Fund; \$5,000, 4/10/01, Ohio’s 17 Star PAC; \$5,000, 4/22/02, Ohio’s 17 Star PAC; \$5,000, 8/18/03, Ohio’s 17 Star PAC; \$1,000, 3/11/03, Mike DeWine for U.S. Senate; \$1,000, 3/4/04, Mike DeWine for U.S. Senate; \$2,000, 3/4/04, Mike DeWine for U.S. Senate; \$1,000, 8/16/01, Voinovich for Senate Committee; \$1,000, 8/16/01, Voinovich for Senate Committee; \$1,000, 6/21/03, Voinovich for Senate Committee; \$1,000, 6/21/03, Voinovich for Senate Committee; \$1,000, 11/9/01, Collins for Senate; \$1,000, 9/6/02, Turner for Congress; \$8,500, 6/9/03, National Republican Senatorial Committee; \$8,500, 6/20/03, National Republican Congressional Committee; \$1,000, 8/27/03, Bill McCollum for U.S. Senate; \$2,000, 6/2/03, Bush-Cheney ’04 (primary); \$5,000, 12/31/03, Care Political Action Committee; \$1,500, 1/25/01, Stark County Republican Party; \$1,500, 2/21/02, Stark County Republican Party; \$2,000, 2/20/03, Stark County Republican Party; \$1,500, 10/24/03, Stark County Republican Party; \$20,000, 12/19/01, Republican National Committee; \$20,000, 12/22/03, Republican National Committee; \$1,000, 2/22/02, Rely on Your Belief Fund; \$1,000, 6/12/02, Ohio’s Republican Salute.

Contributor: Spouse (Sue S. Timken)—

Contributions to Federal political committees: Amount, date, donee: \$1,000, 12/28/01, Elizabeth Dole Committee; \$1,000, 12/27/01, Voinovich for Senate Committee; \$1,000, 12/27/01, Voinovich for Senate Committee; \$1,000, 6/21/03, Voinovich for Senate Committee; \$1,000, 6/21/03, Voinovich for Senate Committee; \$2,000, 6/2/03, Bush-Cheney ’04 (primary); \$5,000, 12/31/03, Care Political Action Committee; \$1500, 1/26/01, Stark County Republican Party; \$20,000, 12/22/03, Republican National Committee; \$1,000, 3/11/03, Mike DeWine for U.S. Senate; \$1,000, 3/4/04, Mike DeWine for U.S. Senate; \$25,000, 7/26/04, Northern Ohio Victory Committee; \$30,000, 7/28/04, 2004 Joint Candidate Committee; \$7,000, 7/28/04, 2004 Joint State Victory Committee; \$2,000, 9/17/04, Bush-Cheney ’04 Compliance Committee.

Children and Spouses: Kristen C. Timken—none.

Contributor: H.H. Timken, II (son)—

Contributions to Federal political committees: Amount, date, donee: \$1,000, 11/1/01, Elizabeth Dole Committee; \$5,000, 3/18/04, Care Political Action Committee; \$2,000, 6/30/03, Bush-Cheney ’04 (primary).

Contributor: William R. Timken, III (son)—

Contributions to Federal political committees: Amount, date, donee: \$500, 8/16/04, Republican National Committee; \$2,000, 9/30/04, Voinovich for Senate Committee.

Contributor: Mark P. Timken (son)—

Contributions to Federal political committees: Amount, date, donee: \$500, 6/30/04, John Kerry for President.

Spouses: Lydia Timken—none; Heather Timken—none.

Contributor: Brice W. Karsh (stepson)—

Contributions to Federal political committees: Amount, date, donee: \$2,000, 6/23/03, Bush-Cheney ’04 (primary).

Contributor: Frances M. Karsh (stepdaughter)—

Contributions to Federal political committees: Amount, date, donee: \$2,000, 10/29/03, Bush-Cheney ’04 (primary).

Contributor: Catherine Boisvert (stepdaughter-in-law)—

Contributions to Federal political committees: Amount, date, donee: \$2,000, 5/12/04, Bush-Cheney ’04 (primary).

Parents: William R. Timken—deceased 1995—none.

Contributor: Mary J. Timken (mother)—deceased 2004—

Contributions to non-Federal “exempt from limits” committees: Amount, date, donee: \$10,000, 4/25/01, Nat. Republican Congressional Comm.—Non-Fed. #2; \$20,000, 12/19/01, RNC—Republican Nat. State Elections Committee; \$40,000, 10/10/02, RNC—Republican Nat. State Elections Committee.

Contributions to Federal political committees: Amount, date, donee: \$1000, 11/6/01, Elizabeth Bole Committee; \$1000, 10/11/02, Elizabeth Dole Committee; \$2000, 3/4/04, Mike DeWine for U.S. Senate; \$2000, 3/4/04, Mike DeWine for U.S. Senate; \$1000, 11/9/01, Collins for Senate; \$1000, 8/16/01, Voinovich for Senate Committee; \$1000, 8/16/01, Voinovich for Senate Committee; \$1000, 6/21/03, Voinovich for Senate Committee; \$2000, 6/2/03, Bush-Cheney ’04 (primary); \$9000, 6/9/03, National Republican Senatorial Committee; \$9000, 6/20/03, National Republican Congressional Committee; \$5000, 9/30/03, Care Political Action Committee; \$5000, 4/30/04, Care Political Action Committee; \$2000, 1/25/01, Stark County Republican Party; \$2000, 2/21/02, Stark County Republican Party; \$2000, 2/20/03, Stark County Republican Party; \$1500, 10/24/03, Stark County Republican Party; \$20,000, 4/27/01, Republican National Committee; \$10,000, 12/22/03, Republican National Committee; \$10,000, 9/24/03, Ohio State Central & Executive Committee.

Grandparents: H.H. Timken—(deceased 1940)—none; Edith K. Timken—(deceased 1948)—none; Ward B. Jackson—(deceased 1930)—none; Maude B. Jackson—(deceased 1943)—none.

Contributor: Ward J. Timken (brother)—

Contributions to Federal political committees: Amount, date, donee: \$5,000, 12/31/03, Care Political Action Committee; \$1,000, 10/22/01, Elizabeth Dole Committee; \$1,000, 10/11/02, Elizabeth Dole Committee; \$2,000, 2/19/04, Mike DeWine for U.S. Senate; \$1,000, 8/16/01, Voinovich for Senate Committee; \$1,000, 6/25/03, Voinovich for Senate Committee; \$1,000, 6/25/03, Voinovich for Senate Committee; \$250, 12/10/02, Regula for Congress; \$1,000, 11/9/01, Collins for Senator; \$2,000, 6/6/03, Bush-Cheney ’04 (primary); \$1,500, 3/9/01, Stark County Republican Party; \$1,000, 9/17/03, Stark County Republican Party; \$1,500, 10/24/03, Stark County Republican Party; \$1,800, 6/30/01, Timken Company Good Government Fund; \$2,700, Year 2002, Timken Company Good Government Fund; \$1,800, 12/31/03, Timken Company Good Government Fund; \$25,000, 7/26/04, Northern Ohio Victory Committee; \$23,000, 8/2/04, 2004 Joint State Victory Committee; \$24,000, 8/2/04, 2004 Joint State Candidate Committee.

Contributor: Joy A. Timken (sister-in-law)—

Contributions to Federal political committees: Amount, date, donee: \$1,000, 12/28/01,