Senator for use in carrying out his or her Senatorial duties during that Senator's term of office.

[S. Res. 469, 93-2, Dec. 19, 1974.]

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79.4 COMMISSION ON ART AND ANTIQUITIES OF THE UNITED STATES SENATE ¹

79.6 STANDARDS OF CONDUCT FOR MEMBERS OF THE SENATE AND OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE SENATE

 $\it Resolved$, It is declared to be the policy of the Senate that—

- (a) The ideal concept of public office, expressed by the words, "A public office is a public trust", signifies that the officer has been entrusted with public power by the people; that the officer holds this power in trust to be used only for their benefit and never for the benefit of himself or of a few; and that the officer must never conduct his own affairs so as to infringe on the public interest. All official conduct of Members of the Senate should be guided by this paramount concept of public office.
- (b) These rules, as the written expression of certain standards of conduct, complement the body of unwritten but generally accepted standards that continue to apply to the Senate.

[S. Jour. 247, 90–2, Mar. 22, 1968.]

79.7 OFFICE OF DEPUTY PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

Resolved, That, effective January 5, 1977, there is hereby established in the United States Senate the Office of Deputy President Pro Tempore.

SEC. 2. Any Member of the Senate who has held the Office of President of the United States or Vice President of the United States shall be a Deputy President pro tempore.

SEC. 3. [Superseded.]

SEC. 4. The Sergeant at Arms and Doorkeeper is authorized (a) to provide, by lease or purchase, and maintain an automobile for each Deputy President pro tempore, and (b) to employ and fix the compensation of a driver-messenger

¹Became Senate Commission on Art, and enacted into permanent law by Pub.L. 100–696, Nov. 18, 1988. See 40 U.S.C. 188(a), (b); Senate Manual sections **522 a. b.**