that the Senate had passed a bill of the following title, in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

S. 2042. An Act to remove the United States arms embargo of the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.

The message also announced that pursuant to sections 1928a-1928d, of title 22, United States Code, the Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, appointed Mr. SPECTER, Mr. GREGG, and Mr. BENNETT, as members of the Senate delegation to the North Atlantic Assembly Spring Meeting during the Second Session of the One Hundred Third Congress, to be held in Oslo, Norway, May 26-31, 1994.

#### ¶50.8 COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK—CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION

The SPEAKER laid before the House a communication, which was read as follows:

> WASHINGTON, DC, May 17, 1994.

Hon. THOMAS S. FOLEY,

The Speaker, House of Representatives, Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: I have the honor to transmit herewith a facsimile copy of the certificate of election from the Secretary of State, State of Oklahoma, indicating that, according to the official returns of the Special Election held on May 10, 1994, the Honorable Frank D. Lucas was elected to the office of Representative in Congress from the Sixth Congressional District, State of Oklahoma.

With great respect, I am Sincerely yours,

DONNALD K. ANDERSON, Clerk, U.S. House of Representatives.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE, STATE OF OKLAHOMA, CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION FOR U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

This is to certify that on May 10, 1994, Frank D. Lucas, was duly chosen by the qualified electors of the State of Oklahoma as United States Representative, District 6, from the State of Oklahoma to represent said State in the United States House of Representatives for the term beginning May 10, 1994 and ending January 2, 1995.

Witness: His excellency our Governor David Walters, and our seal hereto affixed at Oklahoma City, Oklahoma this 16th day of May, 1994. By the Governor:

DAVID WALTERS, Governor. GLO HENLEY Secretary of State.

OFFICIAL RETURNS DISTRICT 6, SPECIAL GENERAL ELECTION-MAY 10, 1994

Dan Webber Jr., Democrat of Okarche,

60,411 votes. Frank D. Lucas, Republican of Cheyenne, 71.354 votes.

The foregoing is a true and correct compilation of the votes cast at the Special General Election, May 10, 1994, for the office of United States Representative, District 6.-Lance Ward, Secretary, State Election

#### ¶50.9 MEMBER-ELECT SWORN IN

Mr. FRANK D. LUCAS of the Sixth District of Oklahoma, presented himself at the bar of the House and took the oath of office prescribed by law.

¶50.10 APPOINTMENT OF ADDITIONAL CONFEREES-H.R. 3355

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. MAZZOLI, by unanimous consent, pur-

suant to clause 6(f) of rule X, announced the Speaker's appointment of the following Members as additional conferees on the part of the House to the conference with the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendments of the House to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 3355) to amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to allow grants to increase police presence, to expand and improve cooperative efforts between law enforcement agencies and members of the community to address crime and disorder problems, and otherwise to enhance public safety:

As additional conferees from the Committee on Agriculture, for consideration of sections 4601-08, 5105, and 5145 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. DE LA GARZA, ROSE, STENHOLM, ROBERTS, and POMBO.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs, for consideration of sections 2201-04, 2301, and 4901-33 of the Senate amendment, and sections 1031(b), 1038, and 1099AA-1099CC of the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. Gon-ZALEZ, NEAL of North Carolina, VENTO, LEACH, and Mrs. ROUKEMA.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Education and Labor, for consideration of sections 631-33, 622(e), 662(f), 811-16, 921-28, 1121-50, 1331, 2801-03, 3261, 3263, 3311, 3341, 3351, 3361, 3381-83, 3501, 3707, 4001-09, 4301-04, 4701-02, 4801-09, 4901-4933, 5120, 5122, 5135, 5140, 5142–43, and 5147 of the Senate amendment, and sections 1010-26, 1030-34, 1038, 1051-52, 1065-71, 1081-96 1099A-1099G, 1099H-1099O, 1099P-1099T, 1606, 1610, 1653-54, 1902(e), 1902(f), 2201-02, 2701-39, 3061-62, 3089-90, of the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. FORD of Michigan, KILDEE, MARTINEZ, GOOD-LING, and BALLENGER.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for consideration of sections 1503-04, 1511-23, 1532, 1534-35, 1537, 1902(e), 3101-03, 3261, and 5166 of the Senate amendment, and sections 1010-26, 1041-44, 1606, 2901-03, and 3086 of the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Mr. DINGEL, Mr. WAXMAN, Mrs. Collins of Illinois, Mr. Moor-HEAD, and Mr. BLILEY.

Provided, Mr. OXLEY is appointed in lieu of Mr. BLILEY solely for the consideration of sections 1334, 1902(e), and 3101-03 of the Senate amendment and sections 2901-03 of the House amendment.

Provided, Mr. STEARNS is appointed in lieu of Mr. BLILEY solely for the consideration of section 3086 of the House amendment.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Government Operations, for consideration of sections 1353-54, 1535, and 5150 of the Senate amendment, and sections 1075-76 of the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. WAXMAN,

LANTOS, TOWNS, CLINGER, and McCAND-LESS.

Provided, Messrs. SPRATT and KYL are appointed in lieu of Messrs. WAX-MAN and CLINGER solely for the consideration of sections 1535 and 5150 of the Senate amendment.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries, for consideration of sections 713-15, 4601-08, 5105, and 5145 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. ORTIZ, STUDDS, HOCHBRUECKNER, FIELDS of Texas, and YOUNG of Alaska.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Natural Resources, for consideration of sections 3232-33, 4601-08, and 5145 of the Senate amendment and sections 1099U-1099Z of the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Mr. MILLER of California, Mr. VENTO, Ms. SHEPHERD, Mr. Young of Alaska, and Mrs. Vucano-VICH.

Provided. Ms. ENGLISH of Arizona is appointed in lieu of Ms. SHEPHERD solely for the consideration of sections 4601-08 of the Senate amendment.

Mr. HINCHEY is appointed in lieu of Ms. Shepherd solely for the consideration of sections 1099U-1099Z of the House amendment.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service, for consideration of sections 1352 and 3371 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. CLAY, McCLOSKEY, Ms. NORTON, Mr. MYERS of Indiana, and Mrs. Morella.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Rules, for consideration of sections 1353-54 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. MOAK-LEY, DERRICK, BEILENSON, SOLOMON. and Goss.

As additional conferees from the Committee on Ways and Means, for consideration of sections 311(b), 1502, 1515-16, 1802, 4702(e)(1), 5102, and 5113 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. ROSTENKOWSKI, GIBBONS, PICKLE, AR-CHER, and CRANE.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the Senate of the foregoing appointments.

#### ¶50.11 TAX SIMPLIFICATION AND TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS

Mr. ROSTENKOWSKI moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 3419) to simplify certain provisions of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, and for other purposes; as amended.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. MAZZOLI, recognized Mr. ROSTEN-KOWSKI and Mr. ARCHER, each for 20 minutes.

After debate, The question being put, viva voce, Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. MAZZOLI, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

So. two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof,

the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

*Ordered,* That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

## ¶50.12 SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION REFORM

Mr. ROSTENKOWSKI moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 4277) to establish the Social Security Administration as an independent agency and to make other improvements in the old-age, survivors, and disability insurance program; as amended.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. MAZZOLI, recognized Mr. ROSTEN-KOWSKI and Mr. ARCHER, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. MAZZOLI, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

Mr. JACOBS objected to the vote on the ground that a quorum was not present and not voting.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. MAZZOLI, pursuant to clause 5, rule I, announced that further proceedings on the motion were postponed.

The point of no quorum was considered as withdrawn.

#### ¶50.13 SUBPOENA

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. MAZZOLI, laid before the House a communication, which was read as follows:

Office of the Director, Non-Leg-ISLATIVE AND FINANCIAL SERV-ICES, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, Washington, DC, May 12, 1994.

Hon. THOMAS S. FOLEY,

Speaker, House of Representatives,

Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: This is to notify you formally pursuant to Rule L (50) of the Rules of the House that the Office of Finance has been served with a subpoena issued by the United States District Court for the District of Columbia.

After consultation with the General Counsel to the House, I have determined that compliance with the subpoena is consistent with the privileges and precedents of the

Sincerely,

RANDALL B. MEDLOCK, *Acting Director.* 

### ¶50.14 SUBPOENA

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. MAZZOLI, laid before the House a communication, which was read as follows:

Office of the Director, Non-Leg-ISLATIVE AND FINANCIAL SERV-ICES, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, Washington, DC, May 16, 1994.

Hon. Thomas S. Foley, Speaker, House of Representatives,

Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: This is to notify you formally pursuant to Rule L (50) of the Rules of the House that the Office of Finance has

been served with a subpoena issued by the United States District Court for the District of Columbia.

After consultation with the General Counsel to the House, I have determined that compliance with the subpoena is consistent with the privileges and precedents of the House.

Sincerely,

RANDALL B. MEDLOCK, *Acting Director.* 

# ¶50.15 COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK—MESSAGES FROM THE

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. MAZZOLI, laid before the House a communication, which was read as follows:

OFFICE OF THE CLERK, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, Washington, DC, May 17, 1994.

Hon. THOMAS S. FOLEY, The Speaker, House of Representatives,

Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to the permission granted in Clause 5 of Rule III of the Rules of the U.S. House of Representatives, I have the honor to transmit two sealed envelopes received from the White House as follows:

- (1) One sealed envelope received at 2:07 p.m. on Monday, May 16, 1994 and said to contain a message from the President wherein he transmits a 6-month periodic report on the National Emergency with respect to Iran.
- (2) One sealed envelope received at 2:07 p.m. on Monday, May 16, 1994 and said to contain a message from the President whereby he transmits a report required under the Nuclear Non-Proliferation Act of 1978.

With great respect, I am

Sincerely yours,

DONNALD K. ANDERSON,

Clerk.

## ¶50.16 NATIONAL EMERGENCY WITH RESPECT TO IRAN

The Clerk then read the first message from the President, as follows:

To the Congress of the United States:

I hereby report to the Congress on developments since the last Presidential report on November 10, 1993, concerning the national emergency with respect to Iran that was declared in Executive Order No. 12170 of November 14, 1979, and matters relating to Executive Order No. 12613 of October 29, 1987. This report is submitted pursuant to section 204(c) of the International Emergency Economic Powers Act, 50 U.S.C. 1703(c), and section 505(c) of the International Security and Development Cooperation Act of 1985, 22 U.S.C. 2349aa-9(c) This report covers events through March 31, 1994. My last report, dated November 10, 1993, covered events through September 30, 1993.

1. There have been no amendments to the Iranian Transactions Regulations, 31 CFR Part 560, or to the Iranian Assets Control Regulations, 31 CFR Part 535, since the last report.

2. The Office of Foreign Assets Control (FAC) of the Department of the Treasury continues to process applications for import licenses under the Iranian Transactions Regulations. However, a substantial majority of such applications are determined to be ineligible for licensing and, consequently, are denied.

During the reporting period, the U.S. Customs Service has continued to effect numerous seizures of Iranian-origin merchandise, primarily carpets, for violation of the import prohibitions of the Iranian Transactions Regulations. The FAC and Customs Service investigations of these violations have resulted in forfeiture actions and the imposition of civil monetary penalties. Additional forfeiture and civil penalty actions are under review.

3. The Iran-United States Claims Tribunal (the "Tribunal"), established at The Hague pursuant to the Algiers Accords, continues to make progress in arbitrating the claims before it. Since my last report, the Tribunal has rendered 4 awards, bringing the total number to 551. Of this total, 371 have been awards in favor of American claimants. Two hundred twenty-three of these were awards on agreed terms, authorizing and approving payment of settlements negotiated by the parties, and 148 were decisions adjudicated on the merits. The Tribunal has issued 37 decisions dismissing claims on the merits and 84 decisions dismissing claims for jurisdictional reasons. Of the 59 remaining awards, 3 approved the withdrawal of cases and 56 were in favor of Iranian claimants. As of March 31, 1994, the Federal Reserve Bank of New York reported the value of awards to successful American claimants from the Security Account held by the NV Settlement Bank stood at \$2,344,330,685.87.

The Security Account has fallen below the required balance of \$500 million almost 50 times. Until October 1992, Iran periodically replenished the account, as required by the Algiers Accords. This was accomplished, first, by transfers from the separate account held by the NV Settlement Bank in which interest on the Security Account is deposited. The aggregate amount transferred from the Interest Account to the Security Account was \$874,472,986.47. Iran then replenished the account with the proceeds from the sale of Iranian-origin oil imported into the United States, pursuant to transactions licensed on a case-by-case basis by FAC. Iran has not, however, replenished the account since the last oil sale deposit on October 8, 1992, although the balance fell below \$500 million on November 5, 1992. As of March 31, 1994, the total amount in the Security Account was \$212,049,484.05, the total amount in the Interest Account was \$15.548.176.62.

The United States continues to pursue Case A/28, filed last year, to require Iran to meet its financial obligations under the Algiers Accords.

4. The Department of State continues to present other United States Government claims against Iran, in coordination with concerned government agencies, and to respond to claims brought against the United States by Iran. In November 1993, the United States filed its Consolidated Final Response in A/15(IV) and A/24, a claim brought by Iran for the alleged failure of the United States to terminate all litigation against Iran as required by the Algiers