

President should use all appropriate powers of his office to secure from Japan a reduction of that nation's tariff on chocolate to level at parity with the United States by April 1987.

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**Interstate Low-Level Radioactive Waste Compact:** Senate resumed consideration of S. 655, to grant consent of Congress to the Central Interstate Low-Level Radioactive Waste Compact, with an amendment proposed thereto, as follows:

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Pending:

Boren Amendment No. 1168, to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, to change certain contribution limits for congressional elections, and to amend the Communications Act of 1934, regarding the broadcasting of certain material regarding candidates for Federal elective office.

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Senate will continue consideration of the bill and amendments proposed thereto on Tuesday, August 12.

**Military Construction Appropriations, 1987:** Senate began consideration of H.R. 5052, making appropriations for military construction for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1987, with committee amendments thereto, agreeing to Title I and taking action on additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) Sasser modified Amendment No. 2691, to prohibit the expenditure of funds for construction projects in Europe and Japan until the Secretary of Defense submits a report containing details of the specific actions proposed to be taken by the Department during fiscal year 1987 to encourage other member nations of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization and Japan to assume a greater share of the common defense burden of such nations and the United States.

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(2) Mattingly Amendment No. 2692, to provide funds for the design of facilities at Fort Benning, Georgia, necessary due to the establishment of the U.S. Army School of the Americas at Fort Benning, funds for providing community impact assistance as necessary in support of the Gulf Coast Strategic Homeporting Initiative, and making funding adjustment to various other projects.

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Pending:

Sasser-Dodd Amendment No. 2700, to strike Titles II and III of the bill, assistance for Nicaragua and for African famine relief.

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Senate will continue consideration of the bill and amendments proposed thereto on Tuesday August 12.

**Department of Defense Reorganization Act:** Senate disagreed to the amendments of the House to the Senate amendments to H.R. 3622, to amend title 10, United States Code, to reorganize and strengthen certain elements of the Department of Defense, to improve the military advice provided the President, the National Security Council, and the Secretary of Defense, to enhance the effectiveness of military operations, to increase attention to the formulation of strategy and to contingency planning, to provide for the more efficient use of resources, and to strengthen civilian authority in the Department of Defense, agreed to a request for a conference thereon, and appointed as conferees Senators Goldwater, Thurmond, Warner, Humphrey, Cohen, Quayle, Wilson, Denton, Gramm, Broyhill, Nunn, Stennis, Hart, Exon, Levin, Kennedy, Bingaman, Dixon, and Glenn.

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**Diplomatic Security and Antiterrorism Act of 1986:** Senate insisted on its amendments to H.R. 4151, to provide enhanced diplomatic security and combat international terrorism, agreed to a request for a conference thereon, and appointed as conferees Senators Lugar, Helms, Mathias, Kassebaum, Pell, Biden, Sarbanes; Senators Grassley, Denton, Specter, DeConcini, and Leahy as additional conferees for consideration of sections 702, 703, 711, 713, and 714 of the Senate-passed measure; Senators Mathias and Eagleton as additional conferees for consideration of section 702 of the Senate-passed measure; and Senators Danforth and Hollings as additional conferees for the consideration of sections 706 and 707 of the Senate-passed measure.

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**Correction of Enrollment:** By unanimous consent, the Secretary of the Senate was authorized to make a correction in the enrollment of S. 1708, for the relief of Fernando Esquivel, Marcos Antonio Esquivel, and Nieves Julio Esquivel.

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**Sanctions Against South Africa—Agreement:** By unanimous consent, the agreement of August 9, relative to S. 2701, Sanctions Against South Africa, was modified by adding 4 additional amendments for consideration.

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**Nomination Received:** Senate received the following nomination:

Diarmuid F. O'Scannlain, of Oregon, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit.

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**Nominations Confirmed:** Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Robert W. Beuley, of Virginia, to be Inspector General, Department of Agriculture.