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## NOTICE TO THE PRESS

The President has signed H.R. 1556 -- for the relief of Hendrika Koenders Lyne -- which will grant her permanent residence as of the date of enactment.

The President has signed H.R. 2109 -- for the relief of Captain George Moore, Jr., United States Air Force -- which authorizes payment to Captain George Moore, Jr., United States Air Force, for 90 days of leave he was unable to use due to his extensive hospitalization and convalescent leave resulting from severe injuries sustained in a plane crash while on duty in Vietnam on March 8, 1970.

The President has signed H.R. 3382 -- for the relief of Raymond Monroe -- which authorizes the U.S. Postal Service to relieve Raymond Monroe of all or part of his liability for the loss to the United States of \$5,445 resulting from his erroneous setting of a postage meter.

The President has signed H.R. 1388 -- for the relief of Guadalupe Villeagas-Cantu -- which grants permanent resident status to the beneficiary effective November 26, 1948.

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The President has signed H.R. 5217 -- Coast Guard Authorization -which authorizes appropriations for the Coast Guard of \$141 million for fiscal year 1976 and the transition quarter for Coast Guard procurement and construction, and of \$8.65 million for bridge alterations, and to authorize levels of active-duty and student personnel.

The bill will authorize appropriations of \$30.4 million for the procurement of aircraft to be used in carrying out the functions of the Coast Guard.

The bill will also authorize appropriations of \$62.9 million for the construction of shore and offshore facilities. This construction authorization will include new stations, expansion and upgrading of existing stations, relocation of stations, and housing.

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