MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT
FROM: JIM CANNON
SUBJECT: S.J. Res. 168 - Reappoint James Webb to Board of Regents of Smithsonian Institution

Attached for your consideration is S.J. Res. 168, sponsored by Senator Scott, which would provide for the reappointment of James E. Webb as a member of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution to serve a six-year term.

Additional information is provided in OMB's enrolled bill report at Tab A.

OMB, Max Friedersdorf, Counsel's Office (Lazarus) and I recommend approval of the enrolled bill.

RECOMMENDATION
That you sign S.J. Res. 168 at Tab B.
MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

Subject: Enrolled Resolution S.J. Res. 168 - Reappoint James Webb to Board of Regents of Smithsonian Institution
     Sponsor - Sen. Scott (R) Pennsylvania

Last Day for Action
June 23, 1976 - Wednesday

Purpose
To reappoint James E. Webb as a member of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.

Agency Recommendations
Office of Management and Budget Approval
Smithsonian Institution Approval

Discussion
The Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution is composed of the Vice President, the Chief Justice of the United States, three members of the Senate, three members of the House, and nine other persons. The nine citizen regents are appointed by a joint resolution of the Congress and serve 6-year terms.

At its meeting on January 22, 1976, the Board of Regents voted unanimously to request Congressional members of the Board to introduce legislation to provide for the reappointment of Mr. James E. Webb for the statutory term of six years. Mr. Webb,
whose term expired on May 19, 1976, was chairman of the Executive Committee of the Board and is a former Director of the Bureau of the Budget (1946-49) and Administrator of NASA (1961-69).

The enrolled joint resolution would provide for Mr. Webb's reappointment for a six-year term.

[Signature]

Assistant Director for Legislative Reference

Enclosures
Mr. James M. Frey  
Assistant Director for Legislative Reference  
Office of Management and Budget  
Executive Office Building  
Washington, D.C. 20503

Dear Mr. Frey:

Thank you for referring to the Smithsonian Institution for comment Senate Joint Resolution 168 to provide for the reappointment of James E. Webb as citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.

Regents and the manner of appointment and terms of office of those other than Members of Congress are set forth in 20 U.S.C. 42 and 43. At its meeting on January 22, 1976, the Board of Regents voted unanimously to request Congressional members of the Board to introduce legislation to provide for the reappointment of Mr. Webb whose current term expired on May 18, 1976 for the statutory term of six years. S.J. Res. 168 results from that request.

Mr. Webb is a resident of Washington, D.C., and was initially appointed to the Board of Regents on May 18, 1970. He has served the Institution with distinction and is currently chairman of the Executive Committee of the Board of Regents which is described in 20 U.S.C. 44.

Enactment of S.J. Res. 168 would entail no costs to the Government, and we would respectfully recommend its endorsement by the President.

Sincerely yours,

S. Dillon Ripley
Secretary
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FOR ACTION: Sarah Massengale, Max Friedersdorf, Ken Lazarus

FOR ACTION: 

cc (for information): Jack Marsh, Jim Cavanaugh, Ed Schults

FROM THE STAFF SECRETARY

DUE: Date: June 18 Time: 200 pm

SUBJECT: S.J. Res. 168 - reappoint James Webb to Board of Regents of Smithsonian Institution

ACTION REQUESTED:

___ For Necessary Action

___ For Your Recommendations

___ Prepare Agenda and Brief

___ Draft Reply

X ___ For Your Comments

___ Draft Remarks

REMARKS:

Please return to Judy Johnston, Ground Floor West Wing

PLEASE ATTACH THIS COPY TO MATERIAL SUBMITTED.

If you have any questions or if you anticipate a delay in submitting the required material, please telephone the Staff Secretary immediately.

K. R. COLE, JR.

For the President
THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

ACTION MEMORANDUM

LOG NO.: 

Date: June 17
Time: 4:00 pm

FOR ACTION: Sarah Massengale
Max Friedersdorf
Ken Lazarus
cc (for information): Jack Marsh
Jim Cavanaugh
Ed Schmults

FROM THE STAFF SECRETARY

DUE: Date: June 18
Time: 2:00 pm

SUBJECT:
S.J. Res. 168 - reappoint James Webb to Board of Regents of Smithsonian Institution

ACTION REQUESTED:

For Necessary Action
For Your Recommendations
Prepare Agenda and Brief
Draft Reply
X For Your Comments
Draft Remarks

REMARKS:
Please return to Judy Johnston, Ground Floor West Wing

no objection

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James M. Cannon
For the President
MEMORANDUM FOR: JIM CAVANAUGH
FROM: MAX L. FRIEDERSDORF
SUBJECT: S. J. Res. 168 - reappoint James Webb to Board of Regents of Smithsonian Institution

The Office of Legislative Affairs concurs with the agencies that the subject resolution be approved.

Attachments
THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

ACTION MEMORANDUM

Date: June 17
Time: 400 pm

FOR ACTION: Sarah Massengale
Max Friedersdorf
Ken Lazarus

cc (for information): Jack Marsh
Jim Cavanaugh
Ed Schmults

FROM THE STAFF SECRETARY

DUE: Date: June 18
Time: 200 pm

SUBJECT:
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ACTION REQUESTED:

___ For Necessary Action
___ For Your Recommendations
___ Prepare Agenda and Brief
___ Draft Reply
X ___ For Your Comments
___ Draft Remarks

REMARKS:

Please return to Judy Johnston, Ground Floor West Wing

No objection -- Ken Lazarus 6/18/76

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James M. Cannon
For the President
PROVIDING FOR THE REAPPOINTMENT OF JAMES E. WEBB AS CITIZEN REGENT OF THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION

MARCH 30, 1976.—Ordered to be printed

Mr. CANNON, from the Committee on Rules and Administration, submitted the following

REPORT

[To accompany S.J. Res. 168]

The Committee on Rules and Administration, to which was referred the joint resolution (S.J. Res. 168) to provide for the reappointment of James E. Webb as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution, having considered the same, reports favorably thereon without amendment and recommends that the joint resolution do pass.

Senate Joint Resolution 168 would provide that the vacancy in the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution, of the class other than Members of Congress, which will occur by the expiration of the term of James E. Webb, of Washington, D.C., on May 18, 1976, be filled by the reappointment of the present incumbent for the statutory term of 6 years.

The Board of Regents, pursuant to 20 U.S.C. 42, is composed of the Vice President, the Chief Justice of the United States, three Members of the Senate, three Members of the House of Representatives, and nine other persons, other than Members of Congress. The nine citizen regents, two of whom shall be residents of the District of Columbia and seven of whom shall be inhabitants of some State (but no two of the same State), are appointed by joint resolution of Congress and serve 6-year terms.

A letter in support of Senate Joint Resolution 168 addressed to Senator Howard W. Cannon, chairman of the Senate Committee on Rules and Administration, by S. Dillon Ripley, Secretary of the...
SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION, enclosing a biography of Mr. Webb, is as follows:

SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION

DEAR Mr. CHAIRMAN: I would like to take this opportunity to comment on Senate Joint Resolution 18 to provide for the reappointment of James E. Webb as citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.

Regents and the manner of appointment and terms of office of those other than Members of Congress are set forth in 20 U.S.C. 42 and 43. At its meeting on January 22, 1976, the Board of Regents voted unanimously to request Congressional members of the Board to introduce legislation to provide for the reappointment of Mr. Webb whose current term expires on May 15, 1976, for the statutory term of six years.

Mr. Webb is a resident of Washington, D.C., and was initially appointed to the Board of Regents on May 15, 1970. He has served the Institution with distinction and is currently Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Board of Regents which is described in 20 U.S.C. 44.

A biography of Mr. Webb is enclosed, and I shall, of course, be happy to furnish any additional information you may require.

Sincerely yours,

S. DILLON REEVE, Secretary.

Enclosure.

JAMES EDWIN WEBB

Joint Resolution

To provide for the reappointment of James E. Webb as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the vacancy in the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution, of the class other than Members of Congress, which will occur by the expiration of the term of James E. Webb, of Washington, District of Columbia, on May 18, 1976, be filled by the reappointment of the present incumbent for the statutory term of six years.

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Vice President of the United States and President of the Senate.
June 11, 1976

Dear Mr. Director:

The following bills were received at the White House on June 11th:

- H. J. Res 168
- S. 320
- S. 1466
- S. 2760
- S. 3187

Please let the President have reports and recommendations as to the approval of these bills as soon as possible.

Sincerely,

Robert D. Linder
Chief Executive Clerk

The Honorable James T. Lynn
Director
Office of Management and Budget
Washington, D.C.