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Mr. President, the drug kingpins tareted by the death penalty are public nemies—the most despicable of criminals. They should be on notice that his is not the end of the debate on e possibilation death penalty. We will be back agmatism ain next year, probably with a comrain next year, probably with a com-prehensive death penalty bill. And I dedge now to work to see that it ex-licitly contains a provision applying drug kingpins who in the course of continuing criminal enterprise know-ingly kill another. Given the time to defate the matter fully, I am sure that the Senate will approve a drug kingpin that tonight is a night of victory.

But, tonight is a mean then we have approved a strong biartisan package. We have acknowlaged that we have a serious drug
problem—a crisis—and we have committed ourselves to solving that probem. We have said to the American
annle, yes, we will take a leadership recople, yes, we will take a leadership role in the national crusade to which the President has called us. We have draificantly strengthened our law en-dreement capabilities. We have proided resources—funding, manpower, muipment—for improved interdiction etivities. We have provided for assistance to State and local agencies. We have authorized funding for education, prevention, rehabilitation, and Deatment. In short, we have adopted a comprehensive approach.

As I said the other night when we considered an earlier version of this bill, the bill is not perfect. But it is an excellent beginning. And our commitment to the drug bill must not end dere, and neither must the American Deople.

In fact, the success of our campaign depends on the people and on their will to defeat what has been called the enemy within. I have spoken with fundreds of people about the drug ssue; my wife, Carolyn, has spoken to housands. From those conversations, we know of their sincere concern and of their dedication. And knowing that, e are certain of the victory ahead.

Again and again, I have called the trug problem the most serious we ace. I am pleased and proud that we have given it time and attention and addressed the issue in a responsible

This is major legislation, the importance of which I am not sure we even realize. But, in a real sense, our future and that of our children, depends on it. It is fitting, I believe, that we close the 99th Congress with this bill, for it affirms our commitment to promoting the general welfare and securing the blessings of liberty—specifically freedom for addiction and death and the destruction and crime which accompany the drug trade-for ourselves and our posterity.

Mr. MOYNIHAN. Mr. President. I seek assurance from my distinguished colleague from Utah, the chairman of the Labor and Human Resources Committee, that he shares my intention that the new grants for treatment of drug and alcohol abuse be made available to States and localities as soon as

possible.

Under the formula passed by this body, 45 percent of the funds are to be distributed immediately to the States based on their population. The remaining 55 percent is awarded on the basis of need. Although I realize it might take some degree of time for the Secretary of Health and Human Services to further develop the need criteria provided in this bill, do you agree that it is the intent of Congress that the Secretary act to release these funds immediately, and as expeditiously as possible, to those States most in need of treatment funds.

Mr. HATCH. Yes, I entirely agree. I will join my colleague from New York in working to see that these funds are distributed in an expeditious manner. I thank you for raising this issue.

Mr. DECONCINI. I would like to propound a question to the distinguished chairman of the Senate Judiciary Committee concerning the meaning of the language in the new substantive offense entitled "Engaging in monetary transactions in property derived from specified unlawful activity". Is it the chairman's understanding that the scienter requirement of "knowingly" in (a)(1) is intended to require that the defendant knows that he is engaging in a monetary transaction and knows that the property involved is from a specified unlawful activity?

Mr. THURMOND. The distinguished Senator from Arizona is correct. Thus, to be guilty of this offense, the mere suspicion that the property involved in the monetary transaction is derived from a specified unlawful activity will not be enough. The defendant would have to know that the property is criminally derived to be guilty of the new offense. Similarly, the mere suspicion that the person engaging in the transaction with the defendant is a criminal, based on allegations expressed in the media, for example, would not meet the requirement that the defendant has engaged in a transaction which he knows involves criminally derived property.

Mr. DECONCINI. I thank the chairman of the Senate Judiciary Committee. I know that his interpretation is the one that he and I along with Senator Biden intended when we agreed to the inclusion of this provision. I once again want to thank the chairman and the ranking member and say how pleased I am at the results we have reached in this money laundering provision of the drug bill.

Mr. DOLE. Mr. President, I move the Senate concur in the House amendment.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The question is on agreeing to the motion of the Senator from Kansas.

The motion was agreed to.

Mr. DOLE. Mr. President, I move to reconsider the vote by which the motion was agreed to.

Mr. CHILES, I move to lay that motion on the table.

The motion to lay on the table was agreed to.

APPOINTMENT BY THE VICE PRESIDENT

The PRESIDING OFFICER (Mr. CHAFEE). The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, in accordance with 22 U.S.C. 1928a-1928d, as amended, appoints the following Senators as members of the Senate delegation to the North Atlantic Assembly Fall Meeting during the second session of the 99th Congress, to be held in Istanbul, Turkey, on November 13-18, 1986: the Senator from North Dakota [Mr. Bur-DICK], the Senator from Maryland [Mr. Mathias], the Senator from Texas [Mr. Bentsen], the Senator from Idaho [Mr. McClure], the Senator from Arizona [Mr. DECONCINI]. the Senator from Alaska [Mr. Murkowski], and the Senator from Washington [Mr. Evans].

Mr. FORD. Mr. President, I make the point of order that the Senate is not in order.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Senator's point of order is well taken. The Chair is unable to hear Senators asking for recognition. Once again, the Senate will not proceed until we have order in the Senate.

The Senator from New Mexico.

OMNIBUS BUDGET RECONCILIA-TION ACT-CONFERENCE REPORT

Mr. DOMENICI. Mr. President, I submit a report of the committee of conference on H.R. 5300 and ask for its immediate consideration.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The report will be stated.

The bill clerk read as follows:

The committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the hill (H.R. 5300) to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 2 of the concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 1987, having met. after full and free conference, have agreed to recommend and do recommend to their