Order of retention. 80 Stat. 428. SEC. 3. The second sentence of section 3502(a) of title 5, United States Code, is amended—

(1) by striking out the period at the end of subparagraph (B) and inserting in lieu thereof a semicolon and the word "and"; and

(2) by adding after subparagraph (B) the following new subparagraph:

"(C) who is an employee in or under the Department of Agriculture is entitled to credit for service rendered as an employee of a county committee established pursuant to section 8(b) of the Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act (16 U.S.C. 590h(b)), or of a committee or an association of producers described in section 10(b) of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of May 12, 1933 (48 Stat. 37)."

SEC. 4. Effective as of the beginning of the first applicable pay period which began on or after October 1, 1967, the per annum (gross) rate of compensation of the position of Superintendent of Garages (House Office Buildings) under the Architect of the Capitol is \$12,540. Such position is subject to the provisions, pertaining to the Office of the Architect of the Capitol, in section 212 of the Federal Salary Act of 1967 (81 Stat. 634; Public Law 90–206), relating to the implementa-

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tion of salary comparability policy.

49 Stat. 767; 61 Stat. 709. 7 USC 610. Superintendent of Garages, compensation.

5 USC 5304 note.

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June 29, 1968 [S. J. Res. 180] JOINT RESOLUTION

To provide franked mail privileges for surviving spouses of Members of Congress.

Members of Congress. Surviving spouses, franking privileges. 74 Stat. 660; 79 Stat. 1163; 81 Stat. 622. 39 USC 4151-4170. Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That chapter 57 of title 39, United States Code, is amended—

(1) by adding at the end thereof the following new section:

"§ 4171. Franked mail for surviving spouses of Members of Congress.

"Upon the death of a Member of Congress during his term of office, the surviving spouse of such Member may send, for a period not to exceed one hundred and eighty days after his death, as franked mail, correspondence relating to the death of the Member.";

(2) by inserting after "4161-4167" in the definition "Frank"

in section 4151 the phrase "and 4171";

(3) by inserting before "shall be paid" in section 4167 (a) the phrase "and postage on correspondence sent by the surviving spouse of a Member under section 4171 of this title,"; and

(4) by inserting at the end of the analysis thereof, immediately preceding section 4151 of such title, the following new item:

"4171. Franked mail for surviving spouses of Members of Congress."
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