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SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES  
ONE HUNDRED NINTH CONGRESS

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CALENDAR OF BUSINESS

Wednesday, June 21, 2006

SENATE CONVENES AT 9:30 A.M.



**PENDING BUSINESS**

S. 2766 (ORDER NO. 426)

A bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2007 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe personnel strengths for such fiscal year for the Armed Forces, and for other purposes. (*June 12, 2006.*)

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

By DAVID J. TINSLEY, LEGISLATIVE CLERK

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**PENDING BUSINESS**

S. 1955 (ORDER NO. 417)

A bill to amend title I of the Employee Retirement Security Act of 1974 and the Public Health Service Act to expand health care access and reduce costs through the creation of small business health plans and through modernization of the health insurance marketplace. (*May 10, 2006.*)

**UNANIMOUS CONSENT AGREEMENTS**

S. 2766 (ORDER NO. 426)

1.—*Ordered*, That on Wednesday, June 21, 2006, at 9:30 a.m., the Senate resume consideration of S. 2766, an original bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2007 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe personnel strengths for such fiscal year for the Armed Forces, and for other purposes; provided that there be 1½ hours for debate equally divided between the Senator from Wyoming (Mr. Enzi) and the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. Kennedy), or their designees; further, that upon the use or yielding back of time the Senate proceed to a vote on Amdt. No. 4322 offered by the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. Kennedy), to be followed by a vote on Amdt. No. 4376 offered by the Senator from Wyoming (Mr. Enzi), with no amendments to the amendments in order; provided further, that if either amendment does not get 60 votes in the affirmative, then that amendment be automatically withdrawn.

*Ordered further*, That following the votes, the Senator from Michigan (Mr. Levin) be recognized to offer Amdt. No. 4320 related to Iraq, provided that no amendments to the amendment be in order; further, that there then be 5 hours for debate equally divided in relation to Amdt. No. 4320 and that following that debate, Amdt. No. 4320 be set aside and the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. Kerry) be recognized to offer an amendment related to Iraq. (*June 20, 2006.*)

S. 2611 (ORDER NO. 414)

2.—*Ordered*, That when the Senate agrees to a request for a conference or the Senate requests a conference on S. 2611 or a House bill, as amended with the language of S. 2611, as amended, the Chair be authorized to appoint conferees on the part of the Senate with the ratio of conferees being 14 to 12; provided further, that from that ratio, the first 7 Republican Senators from the Committee on the Judiciary and the first 5 Democratic Senators from the Committee on the Judiciary be conferees; further, that the Majority Leader select the final 7 conferees for the Majority side and the Democratic Leader select the final 7 conferees for the Minority side. (*May 11, 2006.*)

H.R. 22

3.—*Ordered*, That with respect to H.R. 22, an act to reform the postal laws of the United States, provided it shall not be in order for the Senate to consider any conference report or any House amendments to H.R. 22, if it would cause a net increase in on or off budget direct spending in excess of \$5 billion in any of the four 10-year periods beginning in 2016–2055, as estimated by the Congressional Budget Office. (*Feb. 9, 2006.*)

S. 295

4.—*Ordered*, That the Majority Leader, after consultation with the Democratic Leader, shall no later than September 29, 2006, or the last day of the second session of the 109th Congress, whichever is earliest, call up S. 295, a bill to authorize appropriate action if the negotiations with the People's Republic of China regarding China's undervalued currency are not successful; provided that if the bill has not been reported by then by the Committee on Finance it be discharged at that time and the Senate proceed to the consideration thereof; that there be 2 hours for debate equally divided between the Senator from Iowa (Mr. Grassley) and the Democratic Leader, or his designee, that no amendments or motions be in order, including committee amendments, that after the use or yielding back of time, the bill be read a third time and the Senate proceed to a vote on passage of the bill, with no intervening action or debate. (*July 1, 2005, Mar. 29, 2006.*)

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