We, your Memorialists, the Members of the One Hundred and Twentieth Legislature of the State of Maine now assembled in the Second Regular Session, most respectfully present and petition the President of the United States and the Congress of the United States, as follows:

Whereas, Acadia National Park is Maine’s most visited national destination, with approximately 3 million annual visits, and is one of the most heavily used parks in the National Park System; and

Whereas, Acadia National Park is among the most beautiful places in Maine and its Atlantic shore represents 25% of the Maine coastline that is available for public use and enjoyment; and

Whereas, Acadia National Park generates $132,000,000 in direct economic benefits to the Mount Desert Island region and many additional millions of dollars in indirect benefits throughout Maine, making the park’s 4,500 acres of land and easements among the most economically productive natural assets in the State; and

Whereas, Acadia National Park has conducted a rigorous financial analysis leading to a business plan that demonstrates an average operating annual budget that supplies only 47% of what is needed to operate the park in compliance with laws and regulations; and

Whereas, Acadia National Park’s annual operating budget shortfall is the 3rd largest calculated for the 40 national parks that have undertaken business plans; and

Whereas, Acadia National Park’s total annual operating budget need is approximately $14,000,000, and additional millions of dollars are needed for anticipated park operations at Schoodic Point; and

Whereas, Acadia National Park has 121 full-time equivalent employees but needs 230 full-time equivalent employees to execute the park’s mission in accordance with laws and regulations; and

Therefore, we, your Memorialists, respectfully urge the President of the United States and the Congress of the United States to increase the annual budget of Acadia National Park to amounts that will meet the park’s full operational needs, including the needs of Schoodic Point; and be it further

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At the request of Mr. BINGMAN, the name of the Senator from Maryland (Ms. MIKULSKI) was added as a cosponsor of S. 999, a bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to provide for a Korea Defense Service Medal to be issued to members of the Armed Forces who participated in operations in Korea after the end of the Korean War.

At the request of Mr. KENNEDY, the name of the Senator from Louisiana (Ms. LANDREOUX) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1115, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act with respect to making progress toward the goal of eliminating tuberculosis, and for other purposes.

At the request of Mr. JEFFORDS, the name of the Senator from New York (Mrs. CLINTON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1239, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide a tax incentive for land sales for conservation purposes.

At the request of Mr. CAMPBELL, the names of the Senator from Wisconsin (Mr. FEINGOLD) and the Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. SPECTER) were added as cosponsors of S. 1339, a bill to amend the Bring Them Home Alive Act of 2000 to provide an asylum program with regard to American Persian Gulf War POW/MIA's, and for other purposes.

At the request of Mr. LEVIN, the name of the Senator from Wisconsin (Mr. FEINGOLD) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1393, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide that corporate tax benefits from stock option compensation expenses are allowed only to the extent such expenses are included in a corporation's financial statements.

At the request of Mr. ROBERTS, the name of the Senator from New Mexico (Mr. DOMENICI) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1396, a bill to amend the Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act of 1991 to identify a route that passes through the States of Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma, and Kansas as a high priority corridor on the National Highway System.

At the request of Mr. DURBIN, the name of the Senator from Delaware (Mr. BIDEN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2009, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide services for the prevention of family violence.

At the request of Mr. LEAHY, the names of the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. KERRY), the Senator from Georgia (Mr. CLELAND), and the Senator from Arizona (Mr. MCCAIN) were added as cosponsors of S. 2010, a bill to provide for criminal prosecution of persons who alter or destroy evidence in certain Federal investigations or defraud investors of publicly traded securities, to disallow debts incurred in violation of securities fraud laws from being discharged in bankruptcy, to protect whistleblowers against retaliation by their employers, and for other purposes.

At the request of Mr. DURBIN, the name of the Senator from Maine (Ms. COLLINS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2027, a bill to implement effective measures to prevent conflict diamonds, and for other purposes.

At the request of Mr. JEFFORDS, the name of the Senator from Minnesota (Mr. WELLSTONE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2035, a bill to provide for the establishment of health plan purchasing alliances.

At the request of Ms. CANTWELL, the name of the Senator from Virginia (Mr. ALLEN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2055, a bill to make grants to train sexual assault nurse examiners, law enforcement officers, and responders in the handling of sexual assault cases, to establish minimum standards for forensic evidence collection kits, to carry out DNA analyses of samples from crime scenes, and for other purposes.

At the request of Mrs. BOXER, the name of the Senator from Iowa (Mr. HARKIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2215, a bill to halt Syrian support for terrorism, end its occupation of Lebanon, stop its development of weapons of mass destruction, cease its illegal importation of Iraqi oil, and by so doing hold Syria accountable for its role in the Middle East, and for other purposes.

At the request of Mrs. ROSS, the name of the Senator from Wisconsin (Mr. FEINGOLD) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2231, a bill to amend the National Housing Act to simplify the downpayment requirements for FHA mortgage insurance for single family homebuyers.

At the request of Mr. SARBANES, the name of the Senator from Alaska (Mr. STEVENS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2239, a bill to amend the National Housing Act to simplify the downpayment requirements for FHA mortgage insurance for single family homebuyers.

At the request of Mr. DORGAN, the name of the Senator from Wisconsin (Mr. FEINGOLD) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2244, a bill to permit commercial importation of prescription drugs from Canada, and for other purposes.

At the request of Mr. DODD, the names of the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. KENNEDY), the Senator from Georgia (Mr. CLELAND), and the Senator from North Carolina (Mr. EDWARDS) were added as cosponsors of S. 2246, a bill to improve access to printed instructional materials used by blind or other persons with print disabilities in elementary and secondary schools, and for other purposes.

At the request of Mr. BIDEN, the name of the Senator from Indiana (Mr. LUGAR) was added as a cosponsor of S.
At the request of Ms. SNOWE, the names of the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. KERRY) and the Senator from Missouri (Mrs. CARNAHAN) were added as cosponsors of S. Con. Res. 122, a concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress that security, reconciliation, and prosperity for all Cypriots can be best achieved within the context of membership in the European Union which will provide significant rights and obligations for all Cypriots, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENTS SUBMITTED AND PROPOSED
SA 4173. Mr. SARBANES proposed an amendment to the bill S. 2673, to improve quality and transparency in financial reporting and independent audits and accounting services for public companies, to create a Public Company Accounting Oversight Board, to enhance the standard setting process for accounting practices, to strengthen the independence of firms that audit public companies, to increase corporate responsibility and the usefulness of corporate financial disclosure, to protect the objectivity and independence of securities analysts, to improve Securities and Exchange Commission resources and oversight, and for other purposes.

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On page 65, line 11, strike “All” and insert “Subject to the availability in advance in an appropriations Act, and notwithstanding subsection (h), all”.

On page 76, between lines 16 and 17, insert the following:

(d) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—Section 10A(f) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (15 U.S.C. 78w(f)) is amended— 
(1) by striking “DEFINITION” and inserting “DEFINITIONS”; and
(2) by adding at the end the following: “As used in this section, the term ‘issuer’ means— (A) an issuer (as defined in section 3), the securities of which are registered under section 12, or that is required to file reports pursuant to section 15(d), or that will require to file such reports at the end of a fiscal year of the issuer in which a registration statement filed by such issuer has become effective pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933 (15 U.S.C. 77a et seq.), unless its securities are registered under section 12 of this title on or before the end of such fiscal year.’.”

NOTICES OF HEARINGS/MEETINGS
COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES
Mr. BINGAMAN. Mr. President, I would like to announce for the information of the Senate and the public that a hearing has been scheduled before the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

The hearing will take place on Tuesday, July 16, at 9:30 a.m. in room 306 of the Dirksen Senate Office Building in Washington, D.C.

The purpose of the hearing is to receive testimony on the Administration’s plans to request additional funds for wildland firefighting and forest restoration as well as ongoing implementation of the National Fire Plan.

Because of the limited time available for the hearing, witnesses may testify by invitation only. However, those wishing to submit written testimony for the hearing record should send two copies of their testimony to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, United States Senate, 312 Dirksen Senate Office Building, Washington, DC 20510.

For further information, please contact Kira Finkler of the committee staff at 202/224-8164.

PRIVILEGES OF THE FLOOR
Mr. GRAMM. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that Maureen Kelly, from Senator DOMENICI’s staff, have access to the floor during this pending bill.

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. SARBANES. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that Steven Dettelbach, a detailee to the Committee on the Judiciary, and Jack Taylor, a fellow with Senator TIM JOHNSON’s office, be granted the privilege of the floor during the Senate’s consideration of the pending matter, S. 2673.

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. Without objection, it is so ordered.

NATIONAL DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION ACT FOR FISCAL YEAR 2003
On June 27, 2002, the Senate amended and passed S. 2514, as follows:

S. 2514
Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.
This Act may be cited as the “National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2003.”

SEC. 2. ORGANIZATION OF ACT INTO DIVISIONS; TABLE OF CONTENTS.
(a) DIVISIONS.—This Act is organized into three divisions as follows:
(1) Division A—Department of Defense Authorizations.
(2) Division B—Military Construction Authorizations.
(3) Division C—Department of Energy National Security Authorizations and Other Authorizations.
(b) TABLE OF CONTENTS.—The table of contents for this Act is as follows:

Sec. 1. Title.
Sec. 2. Organization of Act into divisions; table of contents.
Sec. 3. Congressional defense committees defined.

DIVISION A—DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE AUTHORIZATIONS

Subtitle A—Authorization of Appropriations

Sec. 101. Army.
Sec. 102. Navy and Marine Corps.
Sec. 103. Air Force.
Sec. 104. Defense-wide activities.
Sec. 106. Chemical agents and munitions destruction, defense.
Sec. 107. Defense health programs.