By Mr. DOMENICI (for himself, Mr. DORGAN, and Mr. TALENT): S. 2049. A bill to improve the security of the United States borders and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. SNOWE (for herself and Ms. CANTWELL):
S. 2050. A bill to establish a commission on inland waters; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. AKAKA (for himself and Mr. INOUYE):
S. 2051. A bill to extend eligibility for certain Federal benefits to citizens of the Freely Associated States; to the Committee on Finance.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions and Senate resolutions were read, referred (or acted upon), as indicated:

By Mr. CHAMBLISS (for himself and Mr. HARKIN):
S. Res. 318. A resolution designating November 27, 2005, as “Drive Safer Sunday”; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. MIKULSKI:
S. Res. 319. A resolution commending relief efforts in response to the earthquake in South Asia and urging a commitment by the United States to international cooperation to help rebuild critical infrastructure in the affected areas; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. BURR (for himself, Mr. OBAMA, Mr. BINGAMAN, Mr. BOND, Mr. KERRY, Mr. SMITH, Mr. SALAZAR, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. DURBin, Ms. COLLINS, and Ms. KAYHAN):
S. Con. Res. 65. A concurrent resolution recognizing the benefits and importance of Federally-qualified health centers and their Medicaid prospective payment system; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. VITTER:
S. Con. Res. 66. A concurrent resolution affirming that the intent of Congress in passing the National Wildlife Refuge System Improvement Act of 1997 was to allow hunting and fishing on Federal land within the National Wildlife Refuge System and declaring that the purpose of reserving certain land as public land is to make the land available to the public for reasonable uses; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 31

At the request of Mr. BIDEN, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 31, a bill to amend the Electronic Fund Transfer Act to extend certain consumer protections to international remittance transfers of funds originating in the United States, and for other purposes.

S. 108

At the request of Mr. McCONNELL, the name of the Senator from South Carolina (Mr. GRAHAM) was added as a cosponsor of S. 108, a bill to allow Congress, State legislatures, and regulatory agencies to determine appropriate laws, rules, and regulations to address the problems of weight gain, obesity, and health conditions associated with weight gain or obesity.

S. 125

At the request of Mr. SCHUMER, the names of the Senators from Mississippi (Mr. COCHRAN) and the Senator from California (Mrs. FEINSTEIN) were added as cosponsors of S. 125, a bill to hold the current regime in Iran accountable for its threatening behavior and to support a transition to democracy in Iran.

S. 380

At the request of Ms. COLLINS, the names of the Senator from Michigan (Ms. STABENOW) and the Senator from South Dakota (Mr. JOHNSON) were added as cosponsors of S. 380, a bill to establish the Public Health Service Act to establish a State family support grant program to end the practice of parents giving legal custody of their seriously emotionally disturbed children to State agencies for the purpose of obtaining mental health services for those children.

S. 441

At the request of Mr. SANTORUM, the name of the Senator from South Carolina (Mr. DE MINT) was added as a cosponsor of S. 441, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to make permanent the classification of a motorsports entertainment complex.

S. 863

At the request of Mr. CONRAD, the names of the Senators from Indiana (Mr. BAYH), the Senator from Delaware (Mr. BIDEN), the Senator from California (Mrs. BOXER), the Senator from Georgia (Mr. CHAMBLISS), the Senator from Minnesota (Mr. COLEMAN), the Senator from Maine (Ms. COLLINS), the Senator from Texas (Mr. CORNYN), the Senator from Minnesota (Mr. DAYTON), the Senator from Wyoming (Mr. ENZI), the Senator from South Carolina (Mr. GRAHAM), the Senator from Iowa (Mr. GRASSLEY), the Senator from New Hampshire (Mr. GREGG), the Senator from Utah (Mr. HATCH), the Senator from Louisiana (Ms. LANDRIEU), the Senator from Indiana (Mr. LUGAR), the Senator from Florida (Mr. MARTINEZ), the Senator from Maryland (Ms. MIKULSKI), the Senator from Washington (Mrs. MURRAY), the Senator from Illinois (Mr. OBAMA), the Senator from Nevada (Mr. REID), the Senator from Wyoming (Mr. THOMSON), the Senator from Oregon (Mr. WYDEN) were added as cosponsors of S. 863, a bill to require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint coins in commemoration of the centenary of the bestowal of the Nobel Peace Prize on President Theodore Roosevelt, and for other purposes.
At the request of Mr. ENZI, the names of the Senator from Maine (Ms. SNOWE), the Senator from Michigan (Ms. STABENOW) and the Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. SANTORUM) were added as cosponsors of S. 1492, a bill to enhance and expand a national, interoperable health information technology system and to improve the quality and reduce the costs of health care in the United States.

At the request of Mr. CRAFO, the name of the Senator from South Dakota (Mr. THUNE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1496, a bill to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a pilot program under which up to 15 States may issue electronic Federal migratory bird hunting stamps.

At the request of Mr. FEINGOLD, the name of the Senator from Rhode Island (Mr. CHAFEE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1508, a bill to require Senate candidates to file designations, statements, and reports in electronic form.

At the request of Ms. MIKULSKI, the names of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. CORZINE), the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. DODD), the Senator from Michigan (Mr. LEVIN) and the Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. SPECTER) were added as cosponsors of S. 1509, a bill to reauthorize the Hope VI program for revitalization of severely distressed public housing, and for other purposes.

At the request of Mr. DORGAN, the names of the Senator from Vermont (Mr. LEAHY) and the Senator from Wisconsin (Mr. KOVNER) were added as cosponsors of S. 1631, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to impose a temporary windfall profit tax on crude oil and to rebate the tax collected back to the American consumer, and for other purposes.

At the request of Mr. INOUYE, the name of the Senator from Texas (Mrs. HUTCHISON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1719, a bill to provide for the preservation of the historic confinement sites where Japanese Americans were detained during World War II, and for other purposes.

At the request of Mr. NELSON of Florida (Mr. DAYTON), the name of the Senator from Minnesota (Mr. DAYTON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1841, a bill to amend the Judiciary Act of 1970 to assist property owners and Federal agencies in resolving disputes relating to private property.

At the request of Mr. COLEMAN, the name of the Senator from Mississippi (Mr. COCHRAN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1922, a bill to provide grants for rural health information technology development activities.

At the request of Mr. KERRY, the names of the Senator from Indiana (Mr. BAYH) and the Senator from Mississippi (Mr. COCHRAN) were added as cosponsors of S. 1999, a bill to direct the Architect of the Capitol to obtain a statue of Ross Parks and to place the statue in the United States Capitol in National Statuary Hall.

At the request of Mr. BIDEN, the name of the Senator from Hawaii (Mr. AKAKA) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1961, a bill to extend and expand the Child Safety Pilot Program.

At the request of Mr. BAUCUS, the names of the Senator from New Mexico (Mr. BINGAMAN) and the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. KERRY) were added as cosponsors of S. 1969, a bill to express the sense of the Senate regarding Medicaid reconciliation legislation to be reported by a conference committee during the 109th Congress.

At the request of Mr. ISAKSON, the name of the Senator from Georgia (Mr. CHAMBLISS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1995, a bill to provide a site for construction of a national health museum, and for other purposes.

At the request of Mr. CRAIG, the names of the Senator from Kentucky (Mr. BUNNING), the Senator from Montana (Mr. BURNS), the Senator from Oklahoma (Mr. COBURN), the Senator from Texas (Mrs. HUTCHISON) and the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. DODD) were added as cosponsors of S. Con. Res. 55, a concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress regarding the conditions for the United States to become a signatory to any multilateral agreement on trade resulting from the World Trade Organization's Doha Development Agenda Round.

At the request of Mr. TALENT, the names of the Senator from Illinois (Mr. DURBIN) and the Senator from Kansas (Mr. ROBERTS) were added as cosponsors of S. Con. Res. 60, a concurrent resolution designating the Negro Leagues Baseball Museum in Kansas City, Missouri, as America's National Negro Leagues Baseball Museum.

At the request of Mr. DORGAN, the name of the Senator from Vermont (Mr. LEAHY) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 2587 proposed to S. 2020, an original bill to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 202(b) of the concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 2006.

Amendment No. 2596

At the request of Mr. DURBIN, the names of the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. KERRY), the Senator from Washington (Mrs. MURRAY) and the Senator from California (Mr. FEINSTEIN) were added as cosponsors of amendment No. 2596 proposed to S. 2020, an original bill to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 202(b) of the concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 2006.

Statements on Introduced Bills and Joint Resolutions

By Mr. BYRD (for himself and Mr. ROCKWELL)

S. 2028. A bill to provide for the reinstatement of a license for a certain Federal Energy Regulatory Commission project; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

Mr. BYRD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the text of my bill to reinstate a hydroelectric license for a Federal Energy Regulatory Commission project in Grafton, WY, be printed in the Record.

There being no objection, the bill was ordered to be printed in the RECORD, as follows:

S. 2028

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

SECTION 1. RESTATEMENT OF LICENSE FOR FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION PROJECT.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding the time period specified in section 13 of the Federal Power Act (16 U.S.C. 806) that would otherwise apply to project number 7307 of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, the Commission shall, on the request of the licensee for the project, in accordance with that section (including the good faith, due diligence, and public interest requirements of subsection (b) of that section), extend the time required for commencement of construction of the project until December 31, 2007.

(b) APPLICABILITY.—Subsection (a) shall apply to the project on the expiration of any extension, issued by the Commission under section 13 of the Federal Power Act (16 U.S.C. 806), of the time required for commencement of construction of the project.

(c) RESTATEMENT OF EXPIRED LICENSE.—If a license of the Commission for the project expires before the date of enactment of this Act, the Commission shall—

(1) reinstate the license effective as of the date of the expiration of the license; and

(2) extend the time required for commencement of construction of the project until December 31, 2007.

By Mr. BIDEN:

S. 2030. A bill to bring the FBI to full strength to carry out its mission; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. BIDEN. Mr. President, I rise today to introduce the Full Strength Bureau Initiative Act of 2005. This is a piece of legislation that I think is critically important to our national security. Over the past four years, we