

one of the best methods to detect breast cancer in its early stages. Mammograms can reveal the presence of small cancers up to 2 years before regular clinical breast examinations or breast self-examinations [BSE], saving as many as a third more lives of those diagnosed with the disease.

With 50 percent of the breast cancer cases occurring in women over age 65, no women can be considered immune from the disease; in fact, at least 80 percent of the women who get breast cancer have no family history of the disease.

Mr. President, the resolution I am submitting today sets aside 1 day in the midst of National Breast Cancer Awareness Month to encourage women to receive or sign up for a mammogram, as well as to bring about greater awareness and understanding of one of the key components in fighting this disease.

AMENDMENTS SUBMITTED

THE FEDERAL AVIATION REAUTHORIZATION ACT OF 1996

DOMENICI AMENDMENT NO. 5368

Mr. DOMENICI proposed an amendment to the bill (S. 1994) to amend title 49, United States Code, to reauthorize programs of the Federal Aviation Administration, and for other purposes; as follows:

On page 119, line 1, strike all after "activities", through "collections" on line 2.

BRYAN AMENDMENT NO. 5369

Mr. BRYAN proposed an amendment to the bill, S. 1994, supra; as follows:

At the appropriate place, insert the following:

SEC. . SPECIAL FLIGHT RULES IN THE VICINITY OF GRAND CANYON NATIONAL PARK.

The Secretary of Transportation, acting through the Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration, shall take such action as may be necessary to provide 30 additional days for comment by interested persons on the special flight rules in the vicinity of Grand Canyon National Park described in the notice of proposed rulemaking issued on July 31, 1996, at 61 Fed. Reg. 40120 et seq.

ROTH (AND MOYNIHAN) AMENDMENT NO. 5370

Mr. ROTH (for himself and Mr. MOYNIHAN) proposed an amendment to the bill, S. 1994, supra; as follows:

At the appropriate place, insert the following:

TITLE —EXTENSION OF AIRPORT AND AIRWAY TRUST FUND EXPENDITURE AUTHORITY

SEC. . EXPENDITURES FROM AIRPORT AND AIR- WAY TRUST FUND.

Section 9502(d)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (relating to expenditures from Airport and Airway Trust Fund) is amended by—

(1) striking "1996" and inserting "1997"; and

(2) inserting "or the Federal Aviation Reauthorization Act of 1996" after "Administration Authorization Act of 1994".

EXON (AND OTHERS) AMENDMENT NO. 5371

Mr. EXON (for himself, Mr. DASCHLE, Mr. DORGAN, and Mr. PRESSLER) proposed an amendment to the bill, S. 1994, supra; as follows:

On page 95 at the end of line 11 insert the following new sentence: "Services for which costs may be recovered included the costs of air traffic control, navigation, weather services, training and emergency services which are available to facilitate safe transportation over the United States, and other services provided by the Administrator or by programs financed by the Administrator to flights that neither take off nor land in the United States."

DORGAN (AND PRESSLER) AMENDMENT NO. 5372

Mr. DORGAN (for himself and Mr. PRESSLER) proposed an amendment to the bill, S. 1994, supra; as follows:

At the appropriate place, insert the following: "Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the Surface Transportation Board shall not increase fees for services in connection with rail maximum rate complaints pursuant to 49 CFR Part 1002, STB Ex Parte No. 542."

GRAHAM AMENDMENT NO. 5373

Mr. FORD (for Mr. GRAHAM) proposed an amendment to the bill, S. 1994, supra; as follows:

At the appropriate place, insert the following new section:

SEC. . ADVANCE ELECTRONIC TRANSMISSION OF CARGO AND PASSENGER INFOR- MATION.

(a) CARGO INFORMATION.—

(1) IN GENERAL.—Section 431(b) of the Tariff Act of 1930 (19 U.S.C. 1431(b)) is amended—
(A) by striking "Any manifest" and inserting "(1) Any manifest", and

(B) by adding at the end the following new paragraph:

"(2)(A) Every passenger air carrier required to make entry or to obtain clearance under the customs laws of the United States (or the authorized agent of such carrier) shall provide by electronic transmission cargo manifest information described in subparagraph (B) in advance of such entry or clearance in such manner as the Secretary shall prescribe.

"(B) The information described in this subparagraph is as follows:

"(i) The airport of arrival or departure, whichever is appropriate.

"(ii) The airline prefix code.

"(iii) The carrier code.

"(iv) The flight number.

"(v) The date of scheduled arrival or date of departure, whichever is appropriate.

"(vi) The permit to proceed to the destination, if applicable.

"(vii) The master and house air waybill numbers and quantities.

"(viii) The first airport of lading of the cargo.

"(ix) A description and weight of the cargo.

"(x) The shipper's name and address from all air waybills.

"(xi) The consignee name and address from all air waybills.

"(xii) Notice that actual boarded quantities are not equal to air waybill quantities.

"(xiii) Transfer or transit information.

"(xiv) Warehouse or other location of the cargo.

"(xv) Any other data that the Secretary may by regulation prescribe."

(2) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—Subsection (d)(1)(A) of section 431 of such Act is amended by inserting before the semicolon "or subsection (b)(2)".

(b) PASSENGER INFORMATION.—The Part II of title IV of the Tariff Act of 1930 is amended by inserting after section 431 the following new section:

"SEC. 432. PASSENGER MANIFEST INFORMATION REQUIRED FOR AIR CARRIERS.

"(a) IN GENERAL.—Every passenger air carrier required to make entry or obtain clearance under the customs laws of the United States (or the authorized agent of such carrier) shall provide by electronic transmission passenger manifest information described in subsection (b) in advance of such entry or clearance in such manner and form as the Secretary shall prescribe.

"(b) INFORMATION DESCRIBED.—The information described in this subsection is as follows:

"(1) Full name of each passenger.

"(2) Date of birth and citizenship of each passenger.

"(3) Passport number and country of issuance of each passenger.

"(4) Passenger name record.

"(5) Any additional data that the Secretary, by regulation, determines is reasonably necessary to ensure aviation safety pursuant to the Customs laws of the United States."

(c) DEFINITION.—Section 401 of the Tariff Act of 1930 is amended by adding at the end the following new subsection:

"(t) PASSENGER AIR CARRIER.—The term 'passenger air carrier' means an air carrier (as defined in section 40102(a)(2) of title 49, United States Code) or foreign air carrier (as defined in section 40102(a)(21) of such title 49) that provides transportation of passengers to or from any place in the United States."

(d) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by this section shall take effect 45 days after the date of the enactment of this Act.

MCCAIN AMENDMENT NO. 5374

Mr. MCCAIN proposed an amendment to the bill, S. 1994, supra; as follows:

On page 111, beginning with line 16, strike through line 10 on page 115 and insert the following:

(c) CONSIDERATION IN SENATE.—An implementing bill introduced in the Senate shall be referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. The Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation shall report the bill with its recommendations within 60 days following the date of introduction of that bill. Upon the reporting of the bill by the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, the reported bill shall be referred sequentially to the Committee on Finance for a period of 60 legislative days.

On page 116, strike lines 3 through 9.

BROWN AMENDMENT NO. 5375

(Ordered to lie on the table.)

Mr. BROWN submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill, S. 1994, supra; as follows:

At the appropriate place in title VI, insert the following new section:

SEC. 6 . REQUIREMENTS FOR PROCUREMENT CONTRACTS.

(a) GRANTS.—

(1) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding any other provision of law, neither the Secretary

nor the Administrator may award a grant for an airport-related project unless the grant agreement specifies that, subject to paragraph (2)—

(A) competitive procedures shall be used for awarding any contract in an amount greater than or equal to \$5,000,000 that is funded in whole or in part with funds made available by the grant; and

(B) the reporting requirements under subsection (b) shall apply to any contract funded in whole or in part with such funds that is awarded without using competitive procedures.

(2) EXCEPTIONS.—The exclusion of a particular source by a contractor for reasons described in subsection (b) of section 303 of the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act of 1949 (41 U.S.C. 253) and a failure to use competitive procedures for reasons that, under subsection (c) of such section, would justify a failure of the head of an executive agency to use competitive procedures shall not be considered a violation of a clause included in a grant agreement under paragraph (1) and shall not necessitate a report under that paragraph.

(3) APPLICABILITY.—Paragraph (1) shall apply to grants referred to in this paragraph that are awarded on or after the date of enactment of this Act.

(b) CONTENT OF REPORT.—A report submitted under this section shall state—

(1) the number of bids from qualified bidders that were in amounts lower than the amount specified in the bid submitted by the bidder awarded the contract;

(2) for each bid referred to in paragraph (1) (other than the bid submitted by the bidder awarded the contract)—

(A) the amount by which the bid submitted by the bidder awarded the contract exceeded the lower bid;

(B) a description of any qualitative differences between the property or services that were the subject of the lower bid and the property or services that are the subject of the bid submitted by the bidder awarded the contract; and

(C) a justification for rejecting the lower bid, including any exception under applicable law.

(c) DEFINITIONS.—For purposes of this section, the following definitions shall apply:

(1) ADMINISTRATOR.—The term "Administrator" means the Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration.

(2) COMPETITIVE PROCEDURES.—The term "competitive procedures"—

(A) with respect to the awarding of a contract by the Secretary or the Administrator, has the meaning provided that term in section 4(5) of the Office of Federal Procurement Policy Act (41 U.S.C. 403(5)); and

(B) with respect to the awarding of a contract or subcontract by a contractor, contracting procedures that the Secretary or the Administrator (as the case may be) determines are substantially similar to the competitive procedures used by the Secretary for the acquisition of the same or similar property or services.

(3) SECRETARY.—The term "Secretary" means the Secretary of Transportation.

SIMPSON AMENDMENT NO. 5376

(Ordered to lie on the table.)

Mr. SIMPSON submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill, S. 1994, supra; as follows:

At the appropriate place, insert the following new section:

SEC. . PILOT AGE RESTRICTION.

The Secretary of Transportation, acting through the Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration, shall—

(1) determine criteria for granting exemptions to the regulations of the Federal Aviation Administration that restrict commercial pilots who have attained the age of 60; and

(2) revise to the regulations of the Federal Aviation Administration to provide for exemptions referred to in paragraph (1).

HELMS AMENDMENT NO. 5377

Mr. MCCAIN (for Mr. HELMS) proposed an amendment to the bill, S. 1994, supra; as follows:

On page 39, line 20, insert the following:

SEC. 41 . TRANSFER OF AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL TOWER; CLOSING OF FLIGHT SERVICE STATIONS.

(a) HICKORY, NORTH CAROLINA TOWER.—

(1) TRANSFER.—The Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration may transfer any title, right, or interest the United States has in the air traffic control tower located at the Hickory Regional Airport to the City of Hickory, North Carolina, for the purpose of enabling the city to provide air traffic control services to operators of aircraft.

BROWN AMENDMENT NO. 5378

Mr. MCCAIN (for Mr. BROWN) proposed an amendment to the bill, S. 1994, supra; as follows:

At the appropriate place insert the following:

SEC. . REPORTING FOR PROCUREMENT CONTRACTS.

Section 47112 is amended by adding at the end the following new subsection:

"(d) REPORTING FOR PROCUREMENT CONTRACTS.—(1) The Secretary of Transportation shall promulgate regulations to require that each grant agreement that includes the awarding of any contract that includes Federal funds in an amount greater than or equal to \$5,000,000 under this subchapter provides for a report to the Secretary that states—

"(A) the number of bids from qualified, responsive and reasonable bidders that were in amounts lower than the amount specified in the bid submitted by the bidder awarded the contract;

"(B) for each bid referred to in subparagraph A (other than the bid submitted by the bidder awarded the contract) the amount by which the bid submitted by the bidder awarded the contract exceeded the lower bid.

"(2) APPLICABILITY.—This subsection shall apply to grants referred to in this paragraph that are awarded on or after the date of enactment of this Act."

MCCAIN AMENDMENT NO. 5379

Mr. MCCAIN proposed an amendment to the bill, S. 1994, supra; as follows:

On page 2, in the item relating to title III, strike "AIRPORT" and insert "AVIATION".

On page 14, line 11, strike "AIRPORT" and insert "AVIATION".

THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 1997

FAIRCLOTH (AND OTHERS) AMENDMENT NO. 5380

(Ordered to lie on the table.)

Mr. FAIRCLOTH (for himself, Mr. SIMON, Ms. MOSELEY-BRAUN, and Mr. ABRAHAM) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by them to the

bill (H.R. 3814) making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997, and for other purposes; as follows:

At the appropriate place, insert the following new section:

EXTENSION OF AUTHORIZED PERIOD OF STAY FOR CERTAIN NURSES

SEC. . (a) ALIENS WHO PREVIOUSLY ENTERED THE UNITED STATES PURSUANT TO AN H-1A VISA.—

(1) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the authorized period of stay in the United States of any nonimmigrant described in paragraph (2) is hereby extended through September 30, 1997.

(2) A nonimmigrant described in this paragraph is a nonimmigrant—

(A) who entered the United States as a nonimmigrant described in section 101(a)(15)(H)(i)(A);

(B) who was within the United States on or after September 1, 1995, and who is within the United States on the date of the enactment of this Act; and

(C) whose period of authorized stay has expired or would expire before September 30, 1997 but for the provisions of this section.

(3) Nothing in this section may be construed to extend the validity of any visa issued to a nonimmigrant described in section 101(a)(15)(H)(i)(A) of the Immigration and Nationality Act or to authorize the re-entry of any person outside the United States on the date of the enactment of this Act.

(b) CHANGE OF EMPLOYMENT.—A nonimmigrant whose authorized period of stay is extended by operation of this section shall be eligible to change employers in accordance with section 214.2(h)(2)(i)(D) of title 8, Code of Federal Regulations (as in effect on the day before the date of the enactment of this Act).

(c) REGULATIONS.—Not later than 30 days after the date of the enactment of this Act, the Attorney General shall issue regulations to carry out the provisions of this section.

(d) INTERIM TREATMENT.—A nonimmigrant whose authorized period of stay is extended by operation of this section, and the spouse and child of such nonimmigrant, shall be considered as having continued to maintain lawful status as a nonimmigrant through September 30, 1997.

THE SUSTAINABLE FISHERIES ACT FISHERIES STOCK RECOVERY FINANCING ACT

SNOWE (AND COHEN) AMENDMENT NO. 5381

Ms. SNOWE (for herself and Mr. COHEN) proposed an amendment to the bill (S. 39) to amend the Magnuson Fishery Conservation and Management Act to authorize appropriations, to provide for sustainable fisheries, and for other purposes; as follows:

On page 161, line 21, strike "810 and 811," and insert "811 and 812."

On page 163, line 4, strike the closing quotation marks and the second period.

On page 163, between lines 4 and 5, insert the following:

"SEC. 810. TRANSITION TO MANAGEMENT OF AMERICAN LOBSTER FISHERY BY COMMISSION.

"(a) TEMPORARY LIMITS.—Notwithstanding any other provision of this Act or of the Magnuson Fishery Conservation and Management Act (16 U.S.C. 1801 et seq.), if no