

Year 1999 under the Native Hawaiian Curriculum Development, Teacher Training, and Recruitment Program", received April 12, 1999; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2756. A communication from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Office of Postsecondary Education, Department of Education, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Final Regulations—Federal Family Education Loan Program" (RIN1840-AC57), received April 12, 1999; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2757. A communication from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Special Education & Rehabilitative Services, Department of Education, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "National Institute on Disability & Rehabilitative Research" (84.133A & 84.133B), received April 13, 1999; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2758. A communication from the Deputy Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Office of Policy, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Mutual Recognition of Pharmaceutical Good Manufacturing Practice Inspection Reports, Medical Device Quality System Audit Reports, and Certain Medical Device Product Evaluation Reports Between the United States and the European Community: Correction" (RIN0910-ZA11), received April 9, 1999; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2759. A communication from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Medical Devices; Exemptions from Premarket Notification; Class II Devices", received April 6, 1999; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2760. A communication from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Over-the-Counter Drug Products Containing Analgesic/Antipyretic Active Ingredients for Internal Use; Required Alcohol Warning—Final Rule" (Docket No. 77N-094W), received April 12, 1999; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2761. A communication from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Medical Devices; Retention in Class III and Effective Date of Requirement for Premarket Approval for Three Preamendment Class III Devices" (98N-0405), received April 19, 1999; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2762. A communication from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Medical Devices; Effective Date of Requirement for Premarket Approval for Three Class III Preamendments Physical Medicine Devices" (98N-0467), received April 19, 1999; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2763. A communication from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Quality Mammography"

(98N-0728), received April 29, 1999; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2764. A communication from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Over-the-Counter Human Drugs; Labeling Requirements; Corrections" (RIN0910-AA79), received April 19, 1999; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2765. A communication from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Secondary Direct Food Additives Permitted in Food for Human Consumption; Sulphopropyl Cellulose", received April 19, 1999; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2766. A communication from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Indirect Food Additives: Adjuvants, Production Aids and Sanitizers", received April 12, 1999; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2767. A communication from the Under Secretary for Export Administration, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to various export licenses; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-2768. A communication from the Under Secretary for Export Administration, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to various export controls; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-2769. A communication from the Managing Director, Office of General Counsel, Federal Housing Finance Board, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Prohibition on Payment of Fee in Lieu of Mandatory Excess Capital Stock Redemption" (RIN3069-AA83), received April 9, 1999; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-2770. A communication from the Managing Director, Office of General Counsel, Federal Housing Finance Board, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Collateral Eligible to Secure Federal Home Loan Bank Advances" (RIN3069-AA77), received April 13, 1999; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-2771. A communication from the President, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report concerning the national emergency with respect to Angola; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-2772. A communication from the Chairman, National Credit Union Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, the annual report for calendar year 1998; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-2773. A communication from the President and Chairman, Export-Import Bank of the United States, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to exports to Tunisia; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-2774. A communication from the Secretary, Security and Exchange Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of amendments to a rule entitled "Deregistration of Certain Registered Investment Companies" (RIN3235-AG29) and Form N-8F and Rule 8f-1, received April 19, 1999; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-2775. A communication from the Executive Director, Presidential Advisory Com-

mission on Holocaust Assets in the United States, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation relative to the Commission; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-2776. A communication from the Chairman, Federal Financial Institutions Examination Council, transmitting, pursuant to law, the annual report for 1998; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-2777. A communication from the Legislative and Regulatory Activities Division, Comptroller of the Currency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Risk-Based Capital Standards: Market Risk", received April 15, 1999; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. HATCH, from the Committee on the Judiciary, without amendment and with a preamble:

S. Res. 22. A resolution commemorating and acknowledging the dedication and sacrifice made by the men and women who have lost their lives serving as law enforcement officers.

S. Res. 29. A resolution to designate the week of May 2, 1999, as "National Correctional Officers and Employees Week."

S. Res. 33. A resolution designating May 1999 as "National Military Appreciation Month."

S. Res. 72. A resolution designating the month of May in 1999 and 2000 as "National ALS Awareness Month."

By Mr. HATCH, from the Committee on the Judiciary, without amendment:

S. 39. A bill to provide a national medal for public safety officers who act with extraordinary valor above the call of duty, and for other purposes.

S. 322. A bill to amend title 4, United States Code, to add the Martin Luther King Jr. holiday to the list of days on which the flag should especially be displayed.

By Mr. HATCH, from the Committee on the Judiciary, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute:

S. 704. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to combat the overutilization of prison health care services and control rising prisoner health care costs.

By Mr. HATCH, from the Committee on the Judiciary, without amendment:

S.J. Res. 14. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States authorizing Congress to prohibit the physical desecration of the flag of the United States.

EXECUTIVE REPORTS OF A COMMITTEE

The following executive reports of a committee were submitted:

By Mr. WARNER, from the Committee on Armed Services:

Brian E. Sheridan, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense.

Lawrence J. Delaney, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Air Force.

(The above nominations were reported with the recommendation that they be confirmed, subject to the nominees' commitment to respond to requests to appear and testify before any duly constituted committee of the Senate.)

Mr. WARNER. Mr. President, for the Committee on Armed Services, I report favorably nomination lists which were printed in the RECORDS of March 2, 18, 22, April 13, 15, 20 and 21, 1999, and ask unanimous consent, to save the expense of reprinting on the Executive Calendar, that these nominations lie at the Secretary's desk for the information of Senators.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

In the Air Force nominations beginning *Husam S. Nolan, and ending James H. Walker, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of March 18, 1999

In the Army nominations beginning Thomas M. Johnson, and ending *Anthony P. Risi, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of March 18, 1999

In the Army nominations beginning Randall F. Cochran, and ending *Regina K. Draper, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of March 18, 1999

In the Army nominations beginning Alfred C. Faber, Jr., and ending Edward L. Wright, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of March 18, 1999

In the Army nominations beginning Dale F. Becker, and ending John F. Stoley, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of March 18, 1999

In the Marine Corps nomination Harold E. Poole, Sr., which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of March 18, 1999

In the Navy nomination of Leo J. Grassilli, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of March 18, 1999

In the Air Force nominations beginning Robert J. Vaughn, and ending Todd B. Silverman, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of March 22, 1999

In the Air Force nominations beginning Gerald F. Bunting Blake, and ending Jeffery A. Renshaw, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of March 22, 1999

In the Navy nominations beginning Clifford A. Anderson, and ending Stephen G. Young, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of March 22, 1999

In the Marine Corps nomination of Timothy W. Foley, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of April 15, 1999

In the Air Force nomination of Jerry A. Cooper, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of April 20, 1999

In the Air Force nomination of Thomas A. Drohan, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of April 20, 1999

In the Air Force nominations beginning Harvey J. U. Adams, Jr., and ending David J. Zupi, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of April 20, 1999

In the Air Force nominations beginning Ronald G. Adams, and ending Walter H. Zimmer, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of April 20, 1999

In the Army nomination of Stephen K. Siegrist, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of April 20, 1999

In the Army nomination of David A. Mayfield, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of April 20, 1999

In the Army nominations beginning John D. Knox, and ending David M. Shublak, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of April 20, 1999

In the Army nomination of Francisco J. Dominguez, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of April 20, 1999

In the Army nomination of Japhet C. Rivera, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of April 20, 1999

In the Army nomination of Roy T. McCutcheon, III, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of April 20, 1999

In the Army nominations beginning Joseph I. Smith, and ending Sara J. Zimmer, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of April 20, 1999

In the Marine Corps nomination of Kenneth C. Cooper, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of April 20, 1999

In the Marine Corps nominations beginning Francis X. Bergmeister, and ending Kenneth P. Myers, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of April 20, 1999

In the Marine Corps nominations beginning Seth D. Ainspac, and ending James B. Zientek, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of April 20, 1999

In the Marine Corps nominations beginning Robert S. Abbott, and ending Steven M. Zotti, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of April 20, 1999

In the Navy nominations beginning Brian L. Kozkil, and ending Stephen M. Wilson, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of April 20, 1999

In the Navy nomination of Melvin D. Newman, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of April 20, 1999

In the Navy nomination of Scott R. Hendren, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of April 20, 1999

In the Army nominations beginning Paul C. Proffitt, and ending Michael D. Zabrzski, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of April 21, 1999

(The nominations ordered to lie on the Secretary's desk were printed in the RECORDS of the above dates, at the end of the Senate proceedings.)

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills and joint resolutions were introduced, read the first and second time by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. CONRAD (for himself, Mr. NICKLES, Mr. INOUE, Mr. ROCKEFELLER, and Mr. HARKIN):

S. 909. A bill to provide for the review and classification of physician assistant positions in the Federal Government, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. CRAIG:

S. 910. A bill to streamline, modernize, and enhance the authority of the Secretary of

Agriculture relating to plant protection and quarantine, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. GRAMS:

S. 911. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to ensure medicare reimbursement for certain ambulance services, and to improve the efficiency of the emergency medical system, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. KYL (for himself, Mrs. HUTCHISON, Mr. DOMENICI, Mr. MCCAIN, Mr. GRAMM, Mr. BINGAMAN, Mr. HOLLINGS, Mr. ABRAHAM and Mr. KYL):

S. 912. A bill to modify the rate of basic pay and the classification of positions for certain United States Border Patrol agents, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. COLLINS (for herself and Ms. SNOWE):

S. 913. A bill to require the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development to distribute funds available for grants under title IV of the Stewart B. McKinney Homeless Assistance Act to help ensure that each State received not less than 0.5 percent of such funds for certain programs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. SMITH of New Hampshire (for himself, Ms. SNOWE, Mr. WARNER, Mr. VOINOVICH, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. ABRAHAM, Mr. ROBB, Mr. HAGEL, and Mr. LUGAR):

S. 914. A bill to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to require that discharges from combined storm and sanitary sewers conform to the Combined Sewer Overflow Control Policy of the Environmental Protection Agency, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. GRAMM (for himself, Mrs. HUTCHISON, Mr. MACK, and Mr. COVERDELL):

S. 915. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to expand and make permanent the medicare subvention demonstration project for military retirees and dependents; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. GRAMS (for himself, Mr. FEINGOLD, Mr. FITZGERALD, Mr. ABRAHAM, Mr. KOHL, Mr. HAGEL, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. ALLARD, Mr. CRAIG, Mr. CONRAD, and Mr. WELLSTONE):

S. 916. A bill to amend the Agricultural Market Transition Act to repeal the Northeast Interstate Dairy Compact provision; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. GRAMS (for himself and Mr. FEINGOLD):

S. 917. A bill to equalize the minimum adjustments to prices for fluid milk under milk marketing orders; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. KERRY (for himself, Mr. BOND, Mr. BINGAMAN, Ms. LANDRIEU, Mr. HARKIN, Mr. LIEBERMAN, Mr. WELLSTONE, Mr. KOHL, Mr. BURNS, Mr. ROBB, Mr. EDWARDS, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. GRAHAM, Ms. SNOWE, Mr. AKAKA, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. CLELAND, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. JEFFORDS, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. ABRAHAM, Mr. LEAHY, Mr. BAUCUS, Mr. KERREY, Mr. GRASSLEY, Mr. MOYNIHAN, Mrs. LINCOLN, Mr. BAYH, Mr. CHAFEE, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Mr. COCHRAN, and Mr. DASCHLE):

S. 918. A bill to authorize the Small Business Administration to provide financial and business development assistance to military reservists' small business, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Small Business.