

IN RECOGNITION OF LEE BOLLINGER'S SERVICE AS PRESIDENT OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

• Mr. LEVIN: Mr. President, today I would like to pay tribute to a dynamic and visionary leader in my home State of Michigan, Mr. Lee Bollinger.

For nearly 5 years, Lee Bollinger has served as the president of one of the world's premier institutions of higher learning, the University of Michigan. During the Bollinger administration, the University of Michigan has experienced a period of dynamic growth and change.

At a time when it is essential to keep higher education affordable for all Americans, it is imperative that universities do all they can to provide a quality education at an affordable price. Lee Bollinger has worked hard to place the University of Michigan in a healthy financial position so that it can meet its financial obligations. The University has operated its fiscal affairs astutely under Lee's leadership. U of M's endowment is now the fourth largest among public universities.

In recent years, some have suggested that university presidents are chosen more for their ability to raise money than for their academic prowess or vision for the modern research university. Despite his success at managing the University's fiscal affairs, Lee Bollinger was not such a university president. He is truly a Renaissance man whose vision of the University as a tool for academic and social progress permeated all that he did while in Ann Arbor.

Lee Bollinger's vision for the University has reinforced Michigan's role as a leader in the arts and sciences. He was instrumental in the construction of the Walgreen Drama Center, which houses the 450-seat theater named in honor of the most famous living American playwright and an alumnus of the University of Michigan, Arthur Miller. In addition, he made it possible to bring the Royal Shakespeare Company to campus.

The sciences have also flourished under Lee's tenure. He has worked to develop the University's Life Sciences Initiative, which will soon house hundreds of researchers who will probe the human genome and will work to discover new treatments for a variety of diseases. This initiative has the potential to make both the University and the State of Michigan leaders in the emerging field of biotechnology.

My admiration for Lee has also been shaped by his unwavering support of the University's affirmative action policy in admissions. Under his stewardship, the University has made inclusion and diversity its bywords. Lee has steadfastly led the defense of the University's policies in two separate lawsuits that are currently being heard in Federal court, and which may ultimately be heard before the Supreme Court. I thank him for his tremendous commitment to making sure that the

University of Michigan continues to provide a diverse learning environment for all of its students. I know the University will continue to fight for these issues even after Lee moves on to his new position as President of Columbia University.

Just last month, Lee was recognized by the Association of Academic Health Centers with the Herbert W. Nickens Award in honor of his strong advocacy for diversity at the University and in our Nation. It is an award that is well deserved.

As Lee Bollinger leaves Ann Arbor for New York City, I want to take this opportunity to wish him and his wife, Jean, all the best. During his tenure as President, Lee Bollinger enhanced the University of Michigan's stature as one of the premier institutions of learning in the world. I know that my Senate colleagues will join me in congratulating Lee Bollinger on his tenure as President of the University of Michigan. I trust that the Columbia University community will soon come to admire him as much as we have in Michigan. •

MEASURES READ THE FIRST TIME

The following bills were read the first time:

S. 1786. A bill to expand aviation capacity in the Chicago area.

S. 1789. A bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to improve the safety and efficacy of pharmaceuticals for children.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. LIEBERMAN, from the Committee on Governmental Affairs, without amendment:

H.R. 2336: A bill to make permanent the authority to redact financial disclosure statements of judicial employees and judicial officers. (Rept. No. 107-111).

By Mr. JEFFORDS, from the Committee on Environment and Public Works, with amendments:

S. 835: A bill to establish the Detroit River International Wildlife Refuge in the State of Michigan, and for other purposes. (Rept. No. 107-112).

By Mr. JEFFORDS, from the Committee on Environment and Public Works, with an amendment:

H.R. 700: A bill to reauthorize the Asian Elephant Conservation Act of 1997. (Rept. No. 107-113).

By Mr. JEFFORDS, from the Committee on Environment and Public Works, without amendment:

S. 1621: A bill to amend the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act to authorize the President to carry out a program for the protection of the health and safety of community members, volunteers, and workers in a disaster area. (Rept. No. 107-114).

S. 1623: A bill to amend the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act to direct the President to appoint Children's Coordinating Officers for disaster areas in which children have lost 1 or more custodial parents. (Rept. No. 107-115).

By Mr. JEFFORDS, from the Committee on Environment and Public Works, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute:

S. 1624: A bill to establish the Office of World Trade Center Attack Claims to pay claims for injury to businesses and property suffered as a result of the attack on the World Trade Center in New York City that occurred on September 11, 2001, and for other purposes. (Rept. No. 107-116).

By Mr. HARKIN, from the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry:

Report to accompany S. 1731, An original bill to strengthen the safety net for agricultural producers, to enhance resource conservation and rural development, to provide for farm credit, agricultural research, nutrition, and related programs, to ensure consumers abundant food and fiber, and for other purposes. (Rept. No. 107-117).

By Mr. JEFFORDS, from the Committee on Environment and Public Works, without amendment:

S. Con. Res. 80: A concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress regarding the 30th anniversary of the enactment of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act.

NOMINATIONS DISCHARGED

The following nominations were discharged from the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pension pursuant to the order of December 7, 2001:

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Tammy Dee McCutchen, of Illinois, to be Administrator of the Wage and Hour Division, Department of Labor.

PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

Public Health Service nominations beginning Ketty M. Gonzalez and ending Amanda D. Stoddard, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD on September 21, 2001.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. AKAKA (for himself and Mr. INOUE):

S. 1783. A bill expressing the policy of the United States regarding the United States relationship with Native Hawaiians and to provide a process for the recognition by the United States of the Native Hawaiian governing entity, and of other purposes: to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. STEVENS (for himself and Mr. INOUE):

S. 1784. A bill to provide that all American citizens living abroad shall (for purposes of the apportionment of Representatives in Congress among the several States and for other purposes) being included in future decennial census of population, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. CLELAND (for himself, Mr. DEWINE, Mr. BIDEN, Mr. BINGAMAN, Mrs. CARNAHAN, Mrs. CLINTON, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. LIEBERMAN, Mr. MILLER, Ms. MIKULSKI, Mr. HAGEL, and Mr. REID):

S. 1785. A bill to urge the President to establish the White House Commission on National Military Appreciation Month, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. DURBIN (for himself, Mr. GRASSLEY, Mr. HARKIN, Mr. DASCHLE, Mr. INHOFE, Mr. REID, Mr. DORGAN, Mr. REID):

BURNS, Mr. ROCKEFELLER, Mr. BREAUX, Mr. BROWNBACK, Mr. TORRICELLI, and Mr. JOHNSON):

S. 1786. A bill to expand aviation capacity in the Chicago area.

By Mr. DASCHLE (for himself and Mr. JOHNSON):

S. 1787. A bill to promote rural safety and improve rural law enforcement; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SCHUMER (for himself, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. REED, Mr. TORRICELLI, Mr. LEVIN, Mrs. BOXER, and Mr. CORZINE):

S. 1788. A bill to give the Federal Bureau of Investigation access to NICS records in law enforcement investigations, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. DODD (for himself and Mr. DEWINE):

S. 1789. A bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to improve the safety and efficacy of pharmaceuticals for children; read the first time.

By Mr. SPECTER (for himself and Mr. SANTORUM):

S. 1790. A bill to designate the lobby of the James A. Byrne United States Courthouse located at 601 Market Street in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, as the "Edward R. Becker Lobby"; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

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

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

S. Res. 188. A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate that lobbyist should not be granted special access privileges to the Capitol and congressional offices that are not available to other American citizens; to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

By Mr. SCHUMER:

S. Con. Res. 89. A concurrent resolution recognizing and honoring Joseph Henry for his significant and distinguished role in the development and advancement of science and the use of electricity; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 94

At the request of Mr. DORGAN, the name of the Senator from Montana (Mr. BURNS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 94, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide a 5-year extension of the credit for electricity produced from wind.

S. 926

At the request of Mr. HARKIN, the names of the Senator from Montana (Mr. BAUCUS) and the Senator from New Mexico (Mr. BINGAMAN) were added as cosponsors of S. 926, a bill to prohibit the importation of any article that is produced, manufactured, or grown in Burma.

S. 942

At the request of Mr. HUTCHINSON, the name of the Senator from Utah (Mr. BENNETT) was added as a cosponsor of S. 942, a bill to authorize the supplemental grant for population increases in certain states under the

temporary assistance to needy families program for fiscal year 2002.

S. 1214

At the request of Mr. HOLLINGS, the names of the Senator from Georgia (Mr. CLELAND) and the Senator from New York (Mr. SCHUMER) were added as cosponsors of S. 1214, a bill to amend the Merchant Marine Act, 1936, to establish a program to ensure greater security for United States seaports, and for other purposes.

S. 1271

At the request of Mr. VOINOVICH, the names of the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. KERRY) and the Senator from Minnesota (Mr. DAYTON) were added as cosponsors of S. 1271, a bill to amend chapter 35 of title 44, United States Code, for the purpose of facilitating compliance by small business concerns with certain Federal paperwork requirements, to establish a task force to examine the feasibility of streamlining paperwork requirements applicable to small business concerns, and for other purposes.

S. 1324

At the request of Mr. LIEBERMAN, the name of the Senator from Colorado (Mr. ALLARD) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1324, a bill to provide relief from the alternative minimum tax with respect to incentive stock options exercised during 2000.

S. 1478

At the request of Mr. SANTORUM, the name of the Senator from Maryland (Mr. SARBANES) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1478, a bill to amend the Animal Welfare Act to improve the treatment of certain animals, and for other purposes.

S. 1552

At the request of Mr. HARKIN, the name of the Senator from Maryland (Ms. MIKULSKI) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1552, a bill to provide for grants through the Small Business Administration for losses suffered by general aviation small business concerns as a result of the terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001.

S. 1566

At the request of Mr. REID, the name of the Senator from Oregon (Mr. WYDEN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1566, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue code of 1986 to modify and expand the credit for electricity produced from renewable resources and waste products, and for other purposes.

S. 1605

At the request of Mr. CONRAD, the name of the Senator from North Dakota (Mr. DORGAN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1605, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for payment under the Medicare Program for four hemodialysis treatments per week for certain patients, to provide for an increased update in the composite payment rate for dialysis treatments, and for other purposes.

S. 1663

At the request of Mrs. CLINTON, the name of the Senator from North Da-

kota (Mr. DORGAN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1663, a bill to amend title 4, United States Code, to add National Korean War Veterans Armistice Day to the list of days on which the flag should especially be displayed.

S. 1675

At the request of Mr. BROWNBACK, the name of the Senator from Illinois (Mr. FITZGERALD) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1675, a bill to authorize the President to reduce or suspend duties on textiles and textile products made in Pakistan until December 31, 2004.

S. 1686

At the request of Mr. KENNEDY, the name of the Senator from Maryland (Ms. MIKULSKI) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1686, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for patient protection by limiting the number of mandatory overtime hours a nurse may be required to work in certain providers of services to which payments are made under the medicare program.

S. 1707

At the request of Mr. JEFFORDS, the names of the Senator from Oklahoma (Mr. INHOFE), the Senator from Florida (Mr. NELSON), the Senator from Texas (Mrs. HUTCHISON), and the Senator from Montana (Mr. BAUCUS) were added as cosponsors of S. 1707, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to specify the update for payments under the medicare physician fee schedule for 2002 and to direct the Medicare Payment Advisory Commission to conduct a study on replacing the use of the sustainable growth rate as a factor in determining such update in subsequent years.

S. 1745

At the request of Mrs. LINCOLN, the name of the Senator from Oklahoma (Mr. INHOFE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1745, a bill to delay until at least January 1, 2003, any changes in Medicaid regulations that modify the Medicaid upper payment limit for non-State Government-owned or operated hospitals.

S. 1765

At the request of Mr. FRIST, the names of the Senator from California (Mrs. BOXER) and the Senator from Washington (Ms. CANTWELL) were added as cosponsors of S. 1765, a bill to improve the ability of the United States to prepare for and respond to a biological threat or attack.

S. 1782

At the request of Mr. WARNER, the names of the Senator from Louisiana (Ms. LANDRIEU), the Senator from Missouri (Mr. BOND), the Senator from California (Mrs. FEINSTEIN), the Senator from Maine (Ms. COLLINS), and the Senator from New Mexico (Mr. BINGAMAN) were added as cosponsors of S. 1782, a bill to authorize the burial in Arlington National Cemetery of any former Reservist who died in the September 11, 2001, terrorist attacks and would have been eligible for burial in Arlington National Cemetery but for age at time of death.