

disabled persons. In doing so, the Act has ensured improved quality of life for people living with disabilities and has promised disabled children hope for a successful future. The contributions of the Americans with Disabilities Act over the past 11 years are an inspiration for what can be done to improve the lives of Americans living with disabilities, and a proponent of more progress in the future.

Once again, it gives me great pleasure to recognize and honor today's celebration on behalf of the millions of disabled Americans throughout this country.

#### THE VERY BAD DEBT BOXSCORE

Mr. HELMS. Madam President, at the close of business yesterday, Wednesday, July 25, 2001, the Federal debt stood at \$5,725,120,881,956.31, five trillion, seven hundred twenty-five billion, one hundred twenty million, eight hundred eighty-one thousand, nine hundred fifty-six dollars and thirty-one cents.

One year ago, July 25, 2000, the Federal debt stood at \$5,670,718,000,000, five trillion, six hundred seventy billion, seven hundred eighteen million.

Five years ago, July 25, 1996, the Federal debt stood at \$5,181,309,000,000, five trillion, one hundred eighty-one billion, three hundred nine million.

Ten years ago, July 25, 1991, the Federal debt stood at \$3,557,315,000,000, three trillion, five hundred fifty-seven billion, three hundred fifteen million.

Fifteen years ago, July 25, 1986, the Federal debt stood at \$2,072,020,000,000, two trillion, seventy-two billion, twenty million, which reflects a debt increase of more than \$3.5 trillion, \$3,653,100,881,956.31, three trillion, six hundred fifty-three billion, one hundred million, eight hundred eighty-one thousand, nine hundred fifty-six dollars and thirty-one cents during the past 15 years.

#### ADDITIONAL STATEMENTS

##### TRIBUTE TO THE 100TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE KUHLMAN CORPORATION

• Mr. DEWINE. Mr. President, I rise today to recognize an outstanding achievement resulting from a century of hard work and perseverance. This spring, the Kuhlman Corporation, a family-owned, Toledo-based company that provides Northwest Ohio and Southeast Michigan with quality concrete and building supplies, celebrated its 100th anniversary. This is quite a milestone—a testament to the Kuhlman Corporation's commitment to its customers.

In 1901, German immigrant and bricklayer, Adam Kuhlman, helped establish the Toledo Builders Supply Company. Mr. Kuhlman put up much of his own money to provide the Toledo Builders Supply Company with new

brick oven equipment. The purchase of this equipment was a risky investment, but Mr. Kuhlman had the foresight to sacrifice his own money for the good of the company. The investment proved to be a good one, and, with his strong work ethic and solid business sense, Mr. Kuhlman turned Toledo Builders Supply into a very successful brick business.

In the mid-1920's, he became the majority stockholder and founded a new company, called Kuhlman Corporation—a fitting tribute to the man who shaped the early success of the company. Since then, the Kuhlman Corporation has remained a family-owned and operated business and maintains the values that made it so successful—hard work and innovation.

In 1928, the Kuhlman Corporation set the precedent for Northwest Ohio building suppliers by becoming the first company in the region to enter the ready-mixed concrete business. With a fleet of advanced mixing trucks, the Kuhlman Corporation traveled all over Northwest Ohio and Southeast Michigan, helping build structures, like Scott and Waite High Schools in Toledo, Anthony Wayne Bridge in Toledo, the Toledo Zoo, and the Medical College of Ohio.

The Kuhlman Corporation has survived two World Wars, a depression, severe inflation, and the constant fluctuation of the construction market to remain a leader in concrete and building supplies, now accumulating annual revenue of \$36 million. The company has helped the people of Ohio and Michigan to build their dreams. At the same time, the Kuhlman Corporation has achieved the American dream.

So today, I salute the Kuhlman Corporation for a century of demanding work, inspiration, and commitment to the Toledo community. I wish them all the best for the next 100 years.●

##### REPORT ON THE PROGRESS OF SPENDING BY THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH DURING THE FIRST TWO QUARTERS OF FISCAL YEAR 2001 IN SUPPORT OF PLAN COLOMBIA—MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT—PM 37

The PRESIDING OFFICER laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying report; which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

*To the Congress of the United States:*

Pursuant to section 3204(e) of Public Law 106-246, I hereby transmit a report detailing the progress of spending by the executive branch during the first two quarters of Fiscal Year 2001 in support of Plan Colombia.

GEORGE W. BUSH.  
THE WHITE HOUSE, July 26, 2001.

#### MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

At 12:38 p.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by

Mr. Hays, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House has passed the following bill, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate.

H.R. 1954. An act to extend the authorities of the Iran and Libya Sanctions Act of 1996 until 2006, and for other purposes.

At 1:09 p.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Ms. Niland, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House has passed the following bill, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H.R. 2590. An act making appropriations for the Treasury Department, the United States Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain Independent Agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, and for other purposes.

#### MEASURES REFERRED

The following bill was read the first and the second times by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

H.R. 2590. An act making appropriations for the Treasury Department, the United States Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain Independent Agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations.

#### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

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

S. 625. A bill to provide Federal assistance to States and local jurisdictions to prosecute hate crimes, and for other purposes.

By Mr. LEAHY, from the Committee on the Judiciary, with amendments:

S. 778. A bill to expand the class of beneficiaries who may apply for adjustment of status under section 245(i) of the Immigration and Nationality Act by extending the deadline for classification petition and labor certification filings.

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

S. 1099. A bill to increase the criminal penalties for assaulting or threatening Federal judges, their family members, and other public servants, and for other purposes.

#### EXECUTIVE REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following executive reports of committees were submitted:

Mr. LEVIN, Committee on the Judiciary:  
James W. Ziglar, of Mississippi, to be Commissioner of Immigration and Naturalization.

Asa Hutchinson, of Arkansas, to be Administrator of Drug Enforcement.

Mr. LEVIN, Committee on Armed Services:  
Air Force nominations beginning with Col. Charles C. Baldwin, and ending Col. Thomas J. Loftus. (See Executive Journal proceedings of March 22, 2001, for complete list.)

Air Force nomination of Maj. Gen. Lance L. Smith.

Air Force nomination of Maj. Gen. Thomas C. Waskow.

Air Force nomination of Maj. Gen. Richard E. Brown III.

Army nominations beginning with Col. Scott C. Black, and ending Col. Daniel V.

Wright. (See Executive Journal proceedings of April 30, 2001, for complete list.)

Army nomination of Maj. Gen. Burwell B. Bell III.

Army nomination of Maj. Gen. John S. Caldwell, Jr.

Army nomination of Maj. Gen. James L. Campbell.

Army nomination of Lt. Gen. Michael L. Dodson.

Army nomination of Maj. Gen. David D. McKiernan.

Army nomination of Col. Marylin J. Muzny.

Army nomination of Brig. Gen. Thomas W. Eres.

Army nomination of Maj. Gen. John B. Sylvester.

Marine Corps nomination of Col. Kevin M. Sandkuhler.

Navy nominations beginning with Capt. Michael S. Baker, and ending Capt. Charles A. Williams. (See Executive Journal proceedings of February 27, 2001, for complete list.)

Navy nominations beginning with Capt. Robert E. Cowley III, and ending Capt. Alan S. Thompson. (See Executive Journal proceedings of February 27, 2001, for complete list.)

Navy nominations beginning with Capt. James E. Beebe, and ending Capt. John M. Stewart, Jr. (See Executive Journal proceedings of February 27, 2001, for complete list.)

Navy nominations beginning with Rear Adm. (lh) Kathleen L. Martin, and ending Rear Adm. (lh) James A. Johnson. (See Executive Journal proceedings of April 23, 2001, for complete list.)

Navy nomination of Rear Adm. (lh) Michael E. Finley.

Navy nomination of Vice Adm. Gordon S. Holder.

Navy nomination of Rear Adm. James C. Dawson, Jr.

Navy nomination of Vice Adm. Walter F. Doran.

Navy nomination of Vice Adm. Timothy J. Keating.

Navy nomination of Vice Adm. Michael G. Mullen.

(Nominations were reported with the recommendation that they be confirmed.)

Mr. LEVIN, Committee on Armed Services, reported favorably sundry nominations in the Army, Marine Corps and Navy which had previously appeared in the Congressional Record and, at the Senator's request and by unanimous consent, it was ordered that they lie at the Secretary's desk for the information of Senators:

Army nominations beginning with HADASSAH E AARONSON, and ending SANG W YUM. (See Executive Journal proceedings of June 21, 2001, for complete list.)

Army nominations beginning with DAVID L ABBOTT, and ending X8012. (See Executive Journal proceedings of June 22, 2001, for complete list.)

Army nominations beginning with CARL R. BAGWELL, and ending ALLEN M. HARRELL. (See Executive Journal proceedings of June 29, 2001, for complete list.)

Army nominations beginning with DENNIS E. PLATT, and ending LAWRENCE C. SELLIN. (See Executive Journal proceedings of July 12, 2001, for complete list.)

Army nominations beginning with GEORGE J. CARLUCCI, and ending CHARLES P. SHEEHAN. (See Executive Journal proceedings of July 12, 2001, for complete list.)

Army nominations beginning with JOSE R. ARROYONIEVES, and ending \* BRIAN T. MYERS. (See Executive Journal proceedings of July 18, 2001, for complete list.)

Army nominations beginning with MARIA L. BRITT, and ending JOHN W. WILKINS II.

(See Executive Journal proceedings of July 18, 2001, for complete list.)

Marine Corps nominations beginning with DONALD L. ALBERT, and ending TIMOTHY W. WALDRON. (See Executive Journal proceedings of July 12, 2001, for complete list.)

Navy nominations beginning with MICHAEL G. AHERN, and ending RICHARD D. ZEIGLER. (See Executive Journal proceedings of April 23, 2001, for complete list.)

Navy nominations beginning with MILTON D. ABNER, and ending MICHAEL A. ZIESER. (See Executive Journal proceedings of April 23, 2001, for complete list.)

Navy nominations beginning with EDWARD P. ABBOTT, and ending ROBERT ZAUPER. (See Executive Journal proceedings of April 26, 2001, for complete list.)

Navy nominations beginning with SCOT K. ABEL, and ending WILLIAM A. ZIRZOW IV. (See Executive Journal proceedings of May 21, 2001, for complete list.)

Navy nominations beginning with CHRISTOPHER E. CONKLE, and ending PHILIP D. ZARUM. (See Executive Journal proceedings of May 21, 2001, for complete list.)

Navy nominations beginning with MARK M. ABRAMS, and ending DAVID P. YOUNG. (See Executive Journal proceedings of June 29, 2001, for complete list.)

Navy nominations beginning with MICHAEL J. NYLIS, and ending RYAN S. YUSKO. (See Executive Journal proceedings of June 29, 2001, for complete list.)

Navy nominations beginning with LEIGH P. ACKART, and ending HUMBERTO ZUNIGA, JR. (See Executive Journal proceedings of July 12, 2001, for complete list.)

Navy nominations beginning with DAVID M. BURCH, and ending MIL A. YI. (See Executive Journal proceedings of July 18, 2001, for complete list.)

#### 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 Mrs. CARNAHAN (for herself, Mr. DEWINE, Mr. LEAHY, Mr. DASCHLE, Mr. JOHNSON, Ms. LANDRIEU, and Ms. SNOWE):

S. 1250. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to improve transitional medical and dental care for members of the Armed Forces released from active duty to which called or ordered, or for which retained, in support of a contingency operation; to the Committee on Armed Services.

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

S. 1251. A bill for the relief of Nancy B. Wilson; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. TORRICELLI:

S. 1252. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to make unlawful the tampering with computers of schools and institutions of higher education, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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

S. 1253. A bill to protect ability of law enforcement to effectively investigate and prosecute illegal gun sales and protect the privacy of the American people; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SARBANES (for himself, Mr. REED, and Mr. ALLARD):

S. 1254. A bill to reauthorize the Multifamily Assisted Housing Reform and Affordability Act of 1997, and for other purposes; to

the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. WYDEN (for himself and Mr. BROWNBACK):

S. 1255. A bill to encourage the use of carbon storage sequestration practices in the United States; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mrs. FEINSTEIN (for herself, Mrs.

HUTCHISON, Mr. BAUCUS, Mr. BAYH, Mr. BENNETT, Mr. BIDEN, Mr. BINGAMAN, Mr. BOND, Mrs. BOXER, Mr. BREAUX, Mr. BROWNBACK, Mr. BUNNING, Mr. BURNS, Mr. CAMPBELL, Ms. CANTWELL, Mrs. CARNAHAN, Mr. CHAFEE, Mr. CLELAND, Mrs. CLINTON, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. CRAIG, Mr. DASCHLE, Mr. DAYTON, Mr. DEWINE, Mr. DODD, Mr. DOMENICI, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. EDWARDS, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. ENZI, Mr. FEINGOLD, Mr. GRASSLEY, Mr. GREGG, Mr. HARKIN, Mr. HATCH, Mr. HELMS, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. INHOFE, Mr. JEFFORDS, Mr. JOHNSON, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. KERRY, Ms. LANDRIEU, Mrs. LINCOLN, Mr. LOTT, Mr. LUGAR, Mr. MCCAIN, Ms. MIKULSKI, Mr. MILLER, Mr. MURKOWSKI, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. NELSON of Florida, Mr. ROBERTS, Mr. REID, Mr. SANTORUM, Mr. SARBANES, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. SHELBY, Mr. SMITH of New Hampshire, Mr. SMITH of Oregon, Ms. SNOWE, Mr. SPECTER, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. THOMAS, Mr. THOMPSON, Mr. THURMOND, Mr. TORRICELLI, Mr. VOINOVICH, Mr. WARNER, Mr. WELLSTONE, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. NELSON of Nebraska, and Mr. CARPER):

S. 1256. A bill to provide for the reauthorization of the breast cancer research special postage stamp, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

#### SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. BIDEN (for himself and Mr. GRASSLEY):

S. Res. 139. A resolution designating September 24, 2001, as "Family Day—A Day to Eat Dinner with Your Children"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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

S. Con. Res. 61. A concurrent resolution to waive the provisions of the Legislative Reorganization Act of 1970 which require the adjournment of the House and Senate by July 31st; considered and agreed to.

#### ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 205

At the request of Mrs. HUTCHISON, the name of the Senator from Mississippi (Mr. COCHRAN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 205, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to waive the income inclusion on a distribution from an individual retirement account to the extent that the distribution is contributed for charitable purposes.

S. 252

At the request of Mr. VOINOVICH, the name of the Senator from Michigan (Ms. STABENOW) was added as a cosponsor of S. 252, a bill to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to authorize appropriations for State water