

Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Revisions to the California State Implementation Plan, Monterey Bay Unified Air Pollution Control District" (FRL7158-4) received on April 18, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-6568. A communication from the Vice President for Legal Affairs, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary, Legal Services Corporation, transmitting jointly, pursuant to law, the Corporation's report under the Government in the Sunshine Act for calendar year 2001; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-6569. A communication from the Chairman of the Federal Election Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Commission's Performance Report for Fiscal Years 1999-2001; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-6570. A communication from the Administrator, General Service Administration, transmitting, the Administrations Strategic Plan dated April 3, 2002; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-6571. A communication from the Administrator, General Service Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Annual Performance Report for Fiscal Year 2001; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

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. MURKOWSKI:

S. 2222. A bill to resolve certain conveyances and provide for alternative land selections under the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act related to Cape Fox Corporation and Sealaska Corporation, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. WYDEN (for himself and Mr. SMITH of Oregon):

S. 2223. A bill to provide for the duty-free entry of certain tramway cars for use by the city of Portland, Oregon; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. LEAHY:

S. 2224. A bill to repeal the Antidumping Act of 1916; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. LEVIN (for himself and Mr. MURKOWSKI) (by request):

S. 2225. A bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2003 for military activities of Department of Defense, to prescribe military personnel strengths for fiscal year 2003, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. WELLSTONE:

S. 2226. A bill to require States to permit individuals to register to vote in an election for Federal office on the date of the election; to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

By Mr. ROCKEFELLER:

S. 2227. A bill to clarify the effective date of the modification of treatment for retirement annuity purposes of part-time services before April 7, 1986, of certain Department of Veterans Affairs health-care professionals; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. ROCKEFELLER:

S. 2228. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to authorize the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to operate up to 15 centers for mental illness research, education, and clinical activities; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. ROCKEFELLER (by request):

S. 2229. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to authorize a cost-of-living increase in rates of disability compensation and dependency and indemnity compensation, and to revise the requirement for maintaining levels of extended-care services to veterans; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

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

S. 2230. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to make permanent the authority of the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to guarantee adjustable rate mortgages, to authorize the guarantee of hybrid adjustable rate mortgages, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

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

S. 2231. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide an incremental increase in amounts of educational assistance for survivors and dependents of veterans, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. DAYTON:

S. 2232. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to establish a program to provide for medicare reimbursement for health care services provided to certain medicare-eligible veterans in facilities of the Department of Veterans Affairs; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. THOMAS (for himself, Mr. ROCKEFELLER, Mr. JEFFORDS, Mr. SPECTER, Mrs. CARNAHAN, Ms. SNOWE, and Mr. CLELAND):

S. 2233. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to establish a medicare subvention demonstration project for veterans; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mrs. BOXER:

S. 2234. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for expanding, intensifying, and coordinating activities of the Office on Women's Health in the Department of Health and Human Services with respect to autoimmune disease in women; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

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:

S. Res. 248. A resolution concerning the rise of anti-Semitism in Europe; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. HATCH:

S. Res. 249. A resolution designating April 30, 2002, as "Dia de los Ninos: Celebrating Young Americans", and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Ms. LANDRIEU:

S. Res. 250. A resolution extending sympathy and condolences to the families of the Canadian Soldiers who were killed and the Canadian soldiers who were wounded on April 18, 2002, in Afghanistan, and to all of the Canadian people; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. LOTT:

S. Res. 251. A resolution making Minority party appointments for the Committees on Environment and Public Works and Governmental Affairs for the 107th Congress; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. DODD:

S. Con. Res. 102. A concurrent resolution proclaiming the week of May 14 through May 11, 2002, as "National Safe Kids Week"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 525

At the request of Mrs. FEINSTEIN, her name was added as a cosponsor of S. 525, a bill to expand trade benefits to certain Andean countries, and for other purposes.

S. 659

At the request of Mr. CRAPO, the name of the Senator from Montana (Mr. BURNS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 659, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to adjust the labor costs relating to items and services furnished in a geographically reclassified hospital for which reimbursement under the medicare program is provided on a prospective basis.

S. 812

At the request of Mr. SCHUMER, the names of the Senator from Michigan (Ms. STABENOW), the Senator from Missouri (Mrs. CARNAHAN), and the Senator from Wisconsin (Mr. KOHL) were added as cosponsors of S. 812, a bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to provide greater access to affordable pharmaceuticals.

S. 999

At the request of Mr. BINGAMAN, the names of the Senator from Vermont (Mr. JEFFORDS) and the Senator from Oklahoma (Mr. INHOFE) were added as cosponsors of S. 999, a bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to provide for a Korea Defense Service Medal to be issued to members of the Armed Forces who participated in operations in Korea after the end of the Korean War.

S. 1248

At the request of Mr. KERRY, the name of the Senator from Oregon (Mr. WYDEN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1248, a bill to establish a National Housing Trust Fund in the Treasury of the United States to provide for the development of decent, safe, and affordable, housing for low-income families, and for other purposes.

S. 1339

At the request of Mr. CAMPBELL, the name of the Senator from Utah (Mr. BENNETT) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1339, a bill to amend the Bring Them Home Alive Act of 2000 to provide an asylum program with regard to American Persian Gulf War POW/MIAs, and for other purposes.

S. 1549

At the request of Mr. LIEBERMAN, the name of the Senator from Virginia (Mr. ALLEN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1549, a bill to provide for increasing the technically trained workforce in the United States.

S. 1616

At the request of Mr. TORRICELLI, the name of the Senator from New Mexico (Mr. BINGAMAN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1616, a bill to provide for interest on late payments of health care claims.

S. 1683

At the request of Mr. HARKIN, the name of the Senator from Illinois (Mr.

FITZGERALD) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1683, a bill to amend the Emergency Food Assistance Act of 1983 to permit States to use administrative funds to pay costs relating to the processing, transporting, and distributing to eligible recipient agencies of donated wild game.

S. 1686

At the request of Mr. KENNEDY, the name of the Senator from Minnesota (Mr. DAYTON) 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. 1934

At the request of Ms. MIKULSKI, the name of the Senator from Virginia (Mr. ALLEN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1934, a bill to amend the Law Enforcement Pay Equity Act of 2000 to permit certain annuitants of the retirement programs of the United States Park Police and United States Secret Service Uniformed Division to receive the adjustments in pension benefits to which such annuitants would otherwise be entitled as a result of the conversion of members of the United States Park Police and United States Secret Service Uniformed Division to a new salary schedule under the amendments made by such Act.

S. 1945

At the request of Mr. JOHNSON, the name of the Senator from Minnesota (Mr. DAYTON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1945, a bill to provide for the merger of the bank and savings association deposit insurance funds, to modernize and improve the safety and fairness of the Federal deposit insurance system, and for other purposes.

S. 1992

At the request of Mrs. MURRAY, the name of the Senator from Maine (Ms. SNOWE) was withdrawn as a cosponsor of S. 1992, a bill to amend the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 to improve diversification of plan assets for participants in individual account plans, to improve disclosure, account access, and accountability under individual account plans, and for other purposes.

S. 2026

At the request of Mr. LUGAR, the name of the Senator from Florida (Mr. NELSON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2026, a bill to authorize the use of Cooperative Threat Reduction funds for projects and activities to address proliferation threats outside the states of the former Soviet Union, and for other purposes.

S. 2051

At the request of Mr. REID, the name of the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. KERRY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2051, a bill to remove a condition preventing authority for concurrent receipt of military retired pay and vet-

erans' disability compensation from taking affect, and for other purposes.

S. 2053

At the request of Mr. FRIST, the name of the Senator from Texas (Mrs. HUTCHISON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2053, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to improve immunization rates by increasing the distribution of vaccines and improving and clarifying the vaccine injury compensation program, and for other purposes.

S. 2187

At the request of Mr. ROCKEFELLER, the name of the Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. SPECTER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2187, a bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to authorize the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to furnish health care during a major disaster or medical emergency, and for other purposes.

S. 2189

At the request of Mr. ROCKEFELLER, the name of the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. KERRY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2189, a bill to amend the Trade Act of 1974 to remedy certain effects of injurious steel imports by protecting benefits of steel industry retirees and encouraging the strengthening of the American steel industry.

S. 2194

At the request of Mrs. CARNAHAN, her name was added as a cosponsor of S. 2194, a bill to hold accountable the Palestine Liberation Organization and the Palestinian Authority, and for other purposes.

At the request of Mrs. FEINSTEIN, the names of the Senator from Florida (Mr. NELSON) and the Senator from Alaska (Mr. MURKOWSKI) were added as cosponsors of S. 2194, supra.

S. 2200

At the request of Mr. BAUCUS, the names of the Senator from Arkansas (Mr. HUTCHINSON) and the Senator from Kansas (Mr. BROWNBACK) were added as cosponsors of S. 2200, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to clarify that the parsonage allowance exclusion is limited to the fair rental value of the property.

S. 2201

At the request of Mr. HOLLINGS, the name of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. TORRICELLI) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2201, a bill to protect the online privacy of individuals who use the Internet.

S. 2215

At the request of Mrs. CARNAHAN, her name was added as a cosponsor of S. 2215, a bill to halt Syrian support for terrorism, end its occupation of Lebanon, stop its development of weapons of mass destruction, cease its illegal importation of Iraqi oil, and by so doing hold Syria accountable for its role in the Middle East, and for other purposes.

At the request of Mrs. BOXER, the name of the Senator from Georgia (Mr. CLELAND) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2215, supra.

S. RES. 246

At the request of Mr. CAMPBELL, the names of the Senator from North Carolina (Mr. HELMS) and the Senator from Louisiana (Ms. LANDRIEU) were added as cosponsors of S. Res. 246, a resolution demanding the return of the USS *Pueblo* to the United States Navy.

S. RES. 247

At the request of Ms. STABENOW, her name was added as a cosponsor of S. Res. 247, a resolution expressing solidarity with Israel in its fight against terrorism.

At the request of Mr. EDWARDS, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. Res. 247, supra.

At the request of Mrs. CARNAHAN, her name was added as a cosponsor of S. Res. 247, supra.

At the request of Mr. LIEBERMAN, the names of the Senator from Wisconsin (Mr. FEINGOLD), the Senator from Florida (Mr. GRAHAM), the Senator from Arizona (Mr. KYL), the Senator from Louisiana (Ms. LANDRIEU), the Senator from Michigan (Mr. LEVIN), the Senator from Maryland (Ms. MIKULSKI), and the Senator from Florida (Mr. NELSON) were added as cosponsors of S. Res. 247, supra.

S. CON. RES. 84

At the request of Mr. SCHUMER, the name of the Senator from South Dakota (Mr. DASCHLE) was added as a cosponsor of S. Con. Res. 84, a concurrent resolution providing for a joint session of Congress to be held in New York City, New York.

AMENDMENT NO. 3140

At the request of Mr. NELSON of Nebraska, the name of the Senator from Louisiana (Mr. BREAU) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 3140 intended to be proposed to S. 517, a bill to authorize funding the Department of Energy to enhance its mission areas through technology transfer and partnerships for fiscal years 2002 through 2006, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 3258

At the request of Mr. FITZGERALD, the name of the Senator from Oklahoma (Mr. NICKLES) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 3258 intended to be proposed to S. 517, a bill to authorize funding the Department of Energy to enhance its mission areas through technology transfer and partnerships for fiscal years 2002 through 2006, and for other purposes.

STATEMENTS ON INTRODUCED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Mr. MURKOWSKI:

S. 2222. A bill to resolve certain conveyances and provide for alternative land selections under the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act related to Cape Fox Corporation and Sealaska Corporation, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

Mr. MURKOWSKI. Mr. President, I rise today to introduce legislation that will address an equity issue for one of Alaska's rural village corporations.