

*To the Congress of the United States:*

As required by section 19(3) of the Public Telecommunications Act of 1992 (Public Law 102-356), I transmit herewith the report of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting for calendar year 2001.

GEORGE W. BUSH.  
THE WHITE HOUSE, June 6, 2002.

#### MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

At 1:40 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. 4664. An act to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 2003, 2004, and 2005 for the National Science Foundation, and for other purposes.

#### ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

The following enrolled bills, previously signed by the Speaker of the House, were signed on today, June 6, 2002, by the President pro tempore (Mr. BYRD).

H.R. 1366. An act to designate the United States Post Office building located at 3101 West Sunflower Avenue in Santa Ana, California, as the "Hector G. Godinez Post Office Building."

H.R. 1374. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 600 Calumet Street in Lake Linden, Michigan, as the "Philip E. Ruppe Post Office Building."

H.R. 3448. An act to improve the ability of the United States to prevent, prepare for, and respond to bioterrorism and other public health emergencies.

H.R. 3789. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 2829 Commercial Way in Rock Springs, Wyoming, as the "Teno Roncalio Post Office Building."

H.R. 3960. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 3719 Highway 4 in Jay, Florida, as the "Joseph W. Westmoreland Post Office Building."

H.R. 4486. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1590 East Joyce Boulevard in Fayetteville, Arkansas, as the "Clarence B. Craft Post Office Building."

#### MEASURES REFERRED

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

H.R. 4664. An act to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 2003, 2004, and 2005 for the National Science Foundation, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

#### MEASURES READ THE FIRST TIME

The following bills were read the first time:

H.R. 4800. An act to repeal the sunset of the Economic Growth and Tax Relief Reconciliation Act of 2001 with respect to the expansion of the adoption credit and adoption assistance programs.

H.R. 4823. An act to repeal the sunset of the Economic Growth and Tax Relief Re-

conciliation Act of 2001 with respect to the exclusion from Federal income tax for restitution received by victims of the Nazi Regime.

#### 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. TORRICELLI (for himself and Mr. CLELAND):

S. 2593. A bill to protect diverse and structurally complex areas of the seabed in the United States exclusive economic zone by establishing a maximum diameter size limit on rockhopper, roller, and all other ground gear used on bottom trawls; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. REID (for himself, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. BENNETT, Mr. ALLARD, and Mr. CRAIG):

S. 2594. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to purchase silver on the open market when the silver stockpile is depleted, to be used to mint coins; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. CAMPBELL:

S. 2595. A bill to authorize the expenditure of funds on private lands and facilities at Mesa Verde National Park, in the State of Colorado, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mrs. BOXER (for herself, Mr. CHAFFEE, Mr. JEFFORDS, Mr. TORRICELLI, Mr. CORZINE, Mr. BIDEN, and Mr. DURBIN):

S. 2596. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend the financing of the Superfund; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. CRAIG (for himself, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. BURNS, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. MURKOWSKI, and Ms. CANTWELL):

S. 2597. A bill to authorize a 3-year demonstration program to recruit and train physicians to serve in a rural setting; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. LEAHY (for himself, Mr. INOUE, Mrs. CLINTON, Mr. BINGAMAN, and Mrs. BOXER):

S. 2598. A bill to enhance the criminal penalties for illegal trafficking of archaeological resources, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. DOMENICI (for himself, Mr. KYL, and Mr. CRAPO):

S. 2599. A bill to establish the Water Supply Technologies Program within the Office of Energy Efficiency and renewable Energy of the Department of Energy, and for other purposes; 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. BURNS (for himself and Mr. INOUE):

S. Con. Res. 119. A concurrent resolution honoring the United States Marines killed in action during World War II while participating in the 1942 raid on Makin Atoll in the Gilbert Islands and expressing the sense of Congress that a site in Arlington National Cemetery, near the Space Shuttle Challenger Memorial at the corner of Memorial and Faragut Drives, should be provided for a suit-

able monument to the Marine Raiders; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

#### ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 860

At the request of Mr. GRASSLEY, the name of the Senator from Georgia (Mr. MILLER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 860, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for the treatment of certain expenses of rural letter carriers.

S. 987

At the request of Mr. TORRICELLI, the name of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. CORZINE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 987, a bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to permit States the option to provide medicaid coverage for low-income individuals infected with HIV.

S. 999

At the request of Mr. BINGAMAN, the name of the Senator from Missouri (Mr. BOND) was added as a cosponsor 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. 1284

At the request of Mr. KENNEDY, the name of the Senator from Maine (Ms. COLLINS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1284, a bill to prohibit employment discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation.

S. 1379

At the request of Mr. KENNEDY, the name of the Senator from South Dakota (Mr. DASCHLE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1379, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to establish an Office of Rare Diseases at the National Institutes of Health, and for other purposes.

S. 1549

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

S. 1818

At the request of Mr. DURBIN, the name of the Senator from Oklahoma (Mr. INHOFE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1818, a bill to ensure that a Federal employee who takes leave without pay in order to perform service as a member of the uniformed services or member of the National Guard shall continue to receive pay and allowances such individual is receiving for such service, will be no less than the basic pay such individual would then be receiving if no interruption in employment had occurred.

S. 1867

At the request of Mrs. CLINTON, her name was added as a cosponsor of S. 1867, a bill to establish the National Commission on Terrorist Attacks Upon the United States, and for other purposes.

S. 1922

At the request of Mr. HUTCHINSON, the name of the Senator from Washington (Mrs. MURRAY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1922, a bill to direct the Secretary of Health and Human Services to expand and intensify programs with respect to research and related activities concerning elder falls.

S. 1992

At the request of Mr. KENNEDY, the name of the Senator from Vermont (Mr. LEAHY) was added 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. 2003

At the request of Mr. NELSON of Nebraska, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 2003, a bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to clarify the applicability of the prohibition on assignment of veterans benefits to agreements regarding future receipt of compensation, pension, or dependency and indemnity compensation, and for other purposes.

S. 2010

At the request of Mr. LEAHY, the names of the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. KENNEDY) and the Senator from Wisconsin (Mr. FEINGOLD) were added as cosponsors of S. 2010, a bill to provide for criminal prosecution of persons who alter or destroy evidence in certain Federal investigations or defraud investors of publicly traded securities, to disallow debts incurred in violation of securities fraud laws from being discharged in bankruptcy, to protect whistleblowers against retaliation by their employers, and for other purposes.

S. 2051

At the request of Mr. REID, the name of the Senator from Ohio (Mr. DEWINE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2051, a bill to remove a condition preventing authority for concurrent receipt of military retired pay and veterans' disability compensation from taking affect, and for other purposes.

S. 2059

At the request of Ms. MIKULSKI, the names of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. TORRICELLI) and the Senator from Georgia (Mr. MILLER) were added as cosponsors of S. 2059, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for Alzheimer's disease research and demonstration grants.

S. 2070

At the request of Mr. BINGAMAN, the names of the Senator from Arkansas (Mrs. LINCOLN), the Senator from Vermont (Mr. JEFFORDS), the Senator from Michigan (Mr. LEVIN), the Senator from South Dakota (Mr. JOHNSON), and the Senator from Washington (Mrs. MURRAY) were added as cosponsors of S. 2070, a bill to amend part A of title IV to exclude child care from the deter-

mination of the 5-year limit on assistance under the temporary assistance to needy families program, and for other purposes.

S. 2116

At the request of Mr. KERRY, the name of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. TORRICELLI) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2116, a bill to reform the program of block grants to States for temporary assistance for needy families to help States address the importance of adequate, affordable housing in promoting family progress towards self-sufficiency, and for other purposes.

S. 2135

At the request of Mr. BAUCUS, the names of the Senator from Mississippi (Mr. COCHRAN) and the Senator from Georgia (Mr. MILLER) were added as cosponsors of S. 2135, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for a 5-year extension of the authorization for appropriations for certain medicare rural grants.

S. 2194

At the request of Mr. MCCONNELL, the name of the Senator from Colorado (Mr. ALLARD) 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.

S. 2211

At the request of Mr. HUTCHINSON, the name of the Senator from Illinois (Mr. DURBIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2211, a bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to apply the additional retired pay percentage for extraordinary heroism to the computation of the retired pay of enlisted members of the Armed Forces who are retired for any reason, and for other purposes.

S. 2218

At the request of Mrs. LINCOLN, the name of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. TORRICELLI) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2218, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide coverage for kidney disease education services under the medicare program, and for other purposes.

S. 2233

At the request of Mr. THOMAS, the names of the Senator from Delaware (Mr. BIDEN) and the Senator from Georgia (Mr. MILLER) were added as cosponsors of S. 2233, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to establish a medicare subvention demonstration project for veterans.

S. 2239

At the request of Mr. SARBANES, the names of the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. DODD), the Senator from Arkansas (Mr. HUTCHINSON), the Senator from Maine (Ms. COLLINS), and the Senator from New Mexico (Mr. BINGAMAN) were added as cosponsors of S. 2239, a bill to amend the National Housing Act to simplify the downpayment requirements for FHA mortgage insurance for single family homebuyers.

S. 2250

At the request of Mr. CORZINE, the names of the Senator from Mississippi

(Mr. COCHRAN) and the Senator from Nebraska (Mr. NELSON) were added as cosponsors of S. 2250, a bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to reduce the age for receipt of military retired pay for nonregular service from 60 to 55.

S. 2455

At the request of Mr. ENSIGN, the name of the Senator from Idaho (Mr. CRAPO) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2455, a bill to amend the Small Business Act to direct the Administrator of the Small Business Administration to establish a pilot program to provide regulatory compliance assistance to small business concerns, and for other purposes.

S. 2536

At the request of Ms. STABENOW, the name of the Senator from Missouri (Mrs. CARNAHAN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2536, a bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to clarify that section 1927 of that Act does not prohibit a State from entering into drug rebate agreements in order to make outpatient prescription drugs accessible and affordable for residents of the State who are not otherwise eligible for medical assistance under the medicaid program.

S. 2548

At the request of Mr. BINGAMAN, the names of the Senator from Washington (Mrs. MURRAY), the Senator from Rhode Island (Mr. REED), and the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. DODD) were added as cosponsors of S. 2548, a bill to amend the temporary assistance to needy families program under part A of title IV of the Social Security Act to improve the provision of education and job training under that program, and for other purposes.

S. 2554

At the request of Mr. SMITH of New Hampshire, the names of the Senator from Arkansas (Mr. HUTCHINSON), the Senator from Idaho (Mr. CRAPO), and the Senator from Colorado (Mr. CAMPBELL) were added as cosponsors of S. 2554, a bill to amend title 49, United States Code, to establish a program for Federal flight deck officers, and for other purposes.

S. 2572

At the request of Mr. KERRY, the name of the Senator from Idaho (Mr. CRAIG) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2572, a bill to amend title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 to establish provisions with respect to religious accommodation in employment, and for other purposes.

S. 2591

At the request of Ms. MIKULSKI, the name of the Senator from Arkansas (Mr. HUTCHINSON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2591, a bill to reauthorize the Mammography Quality Standards Act, and for other purposes.

S. RES. 270

At the request of Mr. CAMPBELL, the name of the Senator from Georgia (Mr. MILLER) was added as a cosponsor of S.

Res. 270, a resolution designating the week of October 13, 2002, through October 19, 2002, as "National Cystic Fibrosis Awareness Week."

S. RES. 281

At the request of Mr. LEVIN, the names of the Senator from Iowa (Mr. GRASSLEY) and the Senator from Virginia (Mr. ALLEN) were added as cosponsors of S. Res. 281, a resolution designating the week beginning August 25, 2002, as "National Fraud Against Senior Citizens Awareness Week."

AMENDMENT NO. 3566

At the request of Mr. BINGAMAN, the names of the Senator from Hawaii (Mr. INOUE) and the Senator from New Mexico (Mr. DOMENICI) were added as cosponsors of amendment No. 3566 intended to be proposed to H.R. 4775, a bill making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 3667

At the request of Mr. STEVENS, the name of the Senator from Colorado (Mr. CAMPBELL) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 3667 proposed to H.R. 4775, a bill making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 3671

At the request of Mr. REID, the name of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. TORRICELLI) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 3671 intended to be proposed to H.R. 4775, a bill making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 3672

At the request of Mr. CLELAND, the name of the Senator from South Carolina (Mr. THURMOND) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 3672 intended to be proposed to H.R. 4775, a bill making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 3700

At the request of Mr. SMITH of Oregon, the name of the Senator from Oregon (Mr. WYDEN) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 3700 intended to be proposed to H.R. 4775, a bill making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 3704

At the request of Mr. MCCAIN, the names of the Senator from Texas (Mr. GRAMM) and the Senator from Oregon (Mr. SMITH) were added as cosponsors of amendment No. 3704 proposed to H.R. 4775, a bill making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 3727

At the request of Mr. KENNEDY, the name of the Senator from South Carolina (Mr. HOLLINGS) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 3727 intended to be proposed to H.R. 4775, a bill making supplemental appropriations

for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 3729

At the request of Mr. DURBIN, the names of the Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. SPECTER), the Senator from California (Mrs. BOXER), the Senator from South Dakota (Mr. DASCHLE), the Senator from Vermont (Mr. LEAHY), the Senator from Ohio (Mr. DEWINE), the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. KERRY), the Senator from Maryland (Mr. SARBANES), the Senator from California (Mrs. FEINSTEIN), the Senator from Maryland (Ms. MIKULSKI), the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. DODD), the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. LIEBERMAN), the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. TORRICELLI), the Senator from Michigan (Mr. LEVIN), the Senator from New York (Mr. SCHUMER), the Senator from Louisiana (Ms. LANDRIEU), the Senator from Delaware (Mr. BIDEN), and the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. CORZINE) were added as cosponsors of amendment No. 3729 proposed to H.R. 4775, a bill making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, and for other purposes.

At the request of Mr. SMITH of Oregon, his name was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 3729 proposed to H.R. 4775, *supra*.

At the request of Mr. KENNEDY, his name was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 3729 proposed to H.R. 4775, *supra*.

At the request of Mrs. CLINTON, her name was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 3729 proposed to H.R. 4775, *supra*.

At the request of Mr. WELLSTONE, his name was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 3729 proposed to H.R. 4775, *supra*.

AMENDMENT NO. 3732

At the request of Mr. DURBIN, the name of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. CORZINE) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 3732 intended to be proposed to H.R. 4775, a bill making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 3755

At the request of Mr. HUTCHINSON, the name of the Senator from Georgia (Mr. CLELAND) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 3755 intended to be proposed to H.R. 4775, a bill making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, and for other purposes.

#### STATEMENTS ON INTRODUCED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Mr. TORRICELLI (for himself and Mr. CLELAND):

S. 2593. A bill to protect diverse and structurally complex areas of the seabed in the United States exclusive economic zone by establishing a maximum diameter size limit on rockhopper, roller, and all other ground gear used on bottom trawls; to the Committee on

Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

Mr. TORRICELLI. Mr. President, our oceans are one of America's most precious and valuable resources. For hundreds of millions of people, our coastal waters are a place of relaxation, recreation, and rejuvenation. The oceans are also a tremendous supply of fish and other seafood, many caught by commercial fishers and others by recreational sportsmen and hobbyists.

There is a growing concern, however, about protecting ocean habitat from the damaging effects of some types of commercial fishing gear. The manner in which these concerns are presently being handled by the National Marine Fishery Service has led to a great deal of confusion and litigation. Therefore, in an effort to protect important ocean substrates that are recognized as critical areas of marine habitat, I, with my colleague, Senator MAX CLELAND of Georgia, am introducing a bill today that takes a much more direct approach.

I have received many letters from constituents in my home State of New Jersey who are concerned about the use of "rock hopper" nets in the New York Bight area and elsewhere. They have chronicled the negative effects of this gear and the damage they see occurring as a result of its use. In response to their concerns I feel compelled to introduce in the Senate companion legislation to Congressman JOEL HEFLEY's Sea Bed Protection Act of 2002, which he introduced recently in the House. This bill will amend the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation Act by reining in the use of this damaging fishing gear.

Rock hopper nets are used in hard-bottom areas where naturally occurring vertical structures prevents the use of more conventional trawl gear. The rock hopper incorporates a series of rollers that act like the drum on the front of a steamroller. While operating, the rollers prevent the net from becoming entangled by guiding it up and over obstructions. While it is effective at catching fish, it is equally effective at damaging the sea floor where it is used.

It has been clearly documented that rock hopper nets kill clinging organisms and living corals, the very things that attracted the fish they were designed to catch in the first place. The heavy rollers and sweeps that guide the nets crush marine life and can even flatten bottom topography.

When a specific piece of equipment is demonstrated to be harmful to marine life or the marine environment, it is common sense to stop using it and find a more ecosystem-friendly method of harvesting fish for the market. It is folly to allow the continued use of fishing gear that has an uncontrollable level of bycatch of that is damaging to the very habitat necessary for the fish it catches to grow and reproduce. Rock hopper nets are clearly a threat to fragile habitats that are particularly important to a healthy marine ecosystem. The Sea Bed Protection Act