

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

COMMITTEE ON HEALTH, EDUCATION, LABOR,
AND PENSIONS

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions be authorized to meet for a hearing on The President's Commission on Excellence in Special Education during the session of the Senate on Tuesday, July 9, 2002 at 2:30 p.m. in SD-430.

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

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON AGING

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Special Committee on Aging be authorized to meet on Tuesday, July 9, 2002 from 2:30 p.m.—5 p.m. in Dirksen 562 for the purpose of conducting a hearing.

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

SUBCOMMITTEE ON TECHNOLOGY, TERRORISM,
AND GOVERNMENT INFORMATION

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on the Judiciary Subcommittee on Technology, Terrorism and Government Information be authorized to meet to conduct a hearing on "Identity Theft Penalty Enhancement Act of 2002" on Tuesday, July 9, 2002, at 2:30 p.m. in Room 226 of the Dirksen Senate Office Building.

Agenda

Witnesses Dan Collins, Deputy Associate Attorney General, Department of Justice, Washington, DC; Howard Beales, Director, Bureau of Consumer Protection, Federal Trade Commission, Washington, DC; and Dennis Lormel, Section Chief, Terrorism Financial Review Group, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Washington, DC.

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

PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent floor privileges be extended to Karen Wayland, a legislative fellow in the Office of Senator REID of Nevada.

The ACTING PRESIDENT pro tempore. Without objection, it is so ordered.

UNANIMOUS CONSENT REQUEST—
H.R. 3009

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Chair lay before the Senate a message from the House with respect to H.R. 3009, the Andean Trade Act; that the Senate disagree to the House amendment, agree to the request for a conference with the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses; and that the Chair be authorized to appoint conferees on the part of the Senate, with the ratio being three Democrats, two Republicans.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Is there objection?

Mr. ENZI. I object.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The objection is heard.

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I am very disappointed. This is a matter that the President has talked about needing to move forward. I assume the objection is on the number of Senators in the conference. If this legislation is important, I would hope the President would weigh in and say let's get it done no matter what the ratio.

HONORING TED WILLIAMS

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate proceed to the consideration of S. Res. 302 submitted earlier today by Senators KERRY and KENNEDY.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will report the resolution by title.

The legislative clerk read as follows:

A resolution (S. Res. 302) honoring Ted Williams and extending the condolences of the Senate on his death.

There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to consider the resolution.

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I think all of us my age and a little younger, and, of course, a little older, remember this great baseball player. Think how good he would have been had he not served his country in the U.S. military for 5 years. He did that during the prime of his baseball career. He served valiantly, as reported by John Glenn. I think a lot of us have seen John Glenn talking about the person who flew combat with him in Korea.

I ask unanimous consent that the resolution submitted by Senators KERRY and KENNEDY and the preamble be agreed to en bloc and the motion to reconsider be laid upon the table, without intervening action or debate.

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

The resolution (S. Res. 302) was agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The resolution, with its preamble, reads as follows:

S. RES. 302

Whereas Theodore Samuel Williams served the Nation with honor and distinction as a Naval Aviator during World War II and as a Marine fighter pilot during the Korean War;

Whereas Ted Williams, during his service in the Marines during the Korean War, flew on 39 combat missions and earned an Air Medal and 2 Gold Stars;

Whereas Ted Williams became the greatest hitter in baseball history while playing with the Boston Red Sox from 1939-1960;

Whereas Ted Williams, during his career with the Boston Red Sox, even after losing 5 years to military service, had 2654 total hits, 521 home runs, and a lifetime batting average of .344;

Whereas as a member of the Boston Red Sox, Ted Williams hit for an average of .406 in 1941 and was the last major league baseball player to hit for an average above .400;

Whereas as a member of the Boston Red Sox, Ted Williams led the American League in batting 6 times, in slugging percentage 9 times, in total bases 6 times, and in runs scored 6 times;

Whereas as a member of the Boston Red Sox, Ted Williams won 2 Triple Crowns, was twice named the Most Valuable Player of the American League, and was chosen as an American League All-Star 16 times;

Whereas Ted Williams was elected to the Baseball Hall of Fame in 1966; and

Whereas Ted Williams provided invaluable assistance to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts through his efforts on behalf of and in support for the Jimmy Fund in order to help eradicate cancer in children: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate—

(1) honors the achievements of Ted Williams;

(2) expresses its deepest sympathies and condolences to the family of Ted Williams on his passing; and

(3) directs the Secretary of the Senate to transmit an enrolled copy of this resolution to the family of Ted Williams.

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN
TERCENTENARY COMMISSION

Mr. REID. I ask unanimous consent the Senate proceed to Calendar No. 309, H.R. 2362.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will report the bill by title.

The legislative clerk read as follows:

A bill (H.R. 2362) to establish the Benjamin Franklin Tercentenary Commission.

There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to consider the bill.

Mr. REID. I ask unanimous consent the bill be read three times, passed, the motion to reconsider be laid upon the table, and any statements be printed in the RECORD at the appropriate place, without intervening action or debate.

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

The bill (H.R. 2362) was read for the third time and passed.

ORDERS FOR WEDNESDAY, JULY
10, 2002

Mr. REID. I ask unanimous consent when the Senate completes its business tonight, it adjourn until 9:30 tomorrow morning, Wednesday, July 10; that following the prayer and the pledge, the Journal of proceedings be approved to date, the morning hour be deemed expired, the time for the two leaders be reserved for their use later in the day, and there be a period of morning business until 10:30 a.m., with Senators permitted to speak for up to 10 minutes each, with the first half of the time under the control of the majority leader or his designee, and the second half of the time under the control of the Republican leader or his designee; that at 10:30 a.m. the Senate resume consideration of the accounting reform bill.

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

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL 9:30 A.M.
TOMORROW

Mr. REID. If there is no further business to come before the Senate, I ask unanimous consent the Senate stand in adjournment under the previous order.

There being no objection, the Senate, at 7:38 p.m., adjourned until Wednesday, July 10, 2002, at 9:30 a.m.

NOMINATIONS

Executive nominations received by
the Senate July 9, 2002:

NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE
ADMINISTRATION

FREDERICK W. GREGORY, OF MARYLAND, TO BE DEPUTY ADMINISTRATOR OF THE NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION, VICE JAMES R. THOMPSON, JR., RESIGNED.

MERIT SYSTEMS PROTECTION BOARD

NEIL MCPHIE, OF VIRGINIA, TO BE A MEMBER OF THE MERIT SYSTEMS PROTECTION BOARD FOR THE TERM OF SEVEN YEARS EXPIRING MARCH 1, 2009, VICE BETH SUSAN SLAVET, TERM EXPIRED.

NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD

HARRY R. HOGLANDER, OF MASSACHUSETTS, TO BE A MEMBER OF THE NATIONAL MEDIATION BOARD FOR A TERM EXPIRING JULY 1, 2005, VICE MAGDALENA G. JACOBSEN, TERM EXPIRED.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

QUANAH CROSSLAND STAMPS, OF VIRGINIA, TO BE COMMISSIONER OF THE ADMINISTRATION FOR NATIVE AMERICANS, DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, VICE GARY NILES KIMBLE, RESIGNED.

IN THE ARMY

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES ARMY TO THE GRADE INDICATED WHILE ASSIGNED TO A POSITION OF IMPORTANCE AND RESPONSIBILITY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 601:

To be lieutenant general

LT. GEN. BRYAN D. BROWN, 0000

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES ARMY TO THE GRADE INDICATED WHILE ASSIGNED TO A POSITION OF IMPORTANCE AND RESPONSIBILITY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 601:

To be lieutenant general

MAJ. GEN. PHILIP R. KENSINGER JR., 0000

IN THE MARINE CORPS

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS TO THE GRADE

INDICATED WHILE ASSIGNED TO A POSITION OF IMPORTANCE AND RESPONSIBILITY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 601:

To be lieutenant general

MAJ. GEN. MARTIN R. BERNDT, 0000

IN THE NAVY

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES NAVY TO THE GRADE INDICATED WHILE ASSIGNED TO A POSITION OF IMPORTANCE AND RESPONSIBILITY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 601:

To be vice admiral

REAR ADM. MICHAEL D. MALONE, 0000

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICER FOR APPOINTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES NAVY TO THE GRADE INDICATED WHILE ASSIGNED TO A POSITION OF IMPORTANCE AND RESPONSIBILITY UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTION 601:

To be vice admiral

VICE ADM. JOHN B. NATHMAN, 0000