

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE

At 12:25 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 bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H.R. 1070. An act to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to authorize the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to carry out projects and conduct research for remediation of sediment contamination in areas of concern in the Great Lakes, and for other purposes.

H.R. 3287. An act to redesignate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 900 Brentwood Road, NE, in Washington, D.C., as the "Joseph Curseen, Jr. and Thomas Morris, Jr. Processing and Distribution Center".

H.R. 5012. An act to amend the John F. Kennedy Center Act to authorize the Secretary of Transportation to carry out a project for construction of a plaza adjacent to the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts, and for other purposes.

H.R. 5207. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 6101 West Old Shakopee Road in Bloomington, Minnesota, as the "Thomas E. Burnett, Jr. Post Office Building".

H.R. 5308. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 301 South Howes Street in Fort Collins, Colorado, as the "Barney Apodaca Post Office".

The message also announced that the House has agreed to the following concurrent resolution:

H. Con. Res. 183. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress regarding the United States Congressional Philharmonic Society and its mission of promoting musical excellence throughout the educational system and encouraging people of all ages to commit to the love and expression of musical performance.

At 1:36 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. 4727. An act to reauthorize the national dam safety program, 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. 1070. An act to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to authorize the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to carry out projects and conduct research for remediation of sediment contamination in areas of concern in the Great Lakes, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

H.R. 4727. An act to reauthorize the national dam safety program, and for other purposes.

The following concurrent resolution was read, and referred as indicated:

H. Con. Res. 183. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress regarding the United States Congressional Philharmonic Society and its mission of promoting musical excellence throughout the educational system and encouraging people of all ages to

commit to the love and expression of musical performance; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EXECUTIVE AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were laid before the Senate, together with accompanying papers, reports, and documents, which were referred as indicated:

EC-8526. A communication from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Oranges, Grapefruit, Tangerines, and Tangelos Grown in Florida; Removing Dancy and Robinson Tangerine Varieties from the Rules and Regulations" (Doc. No. FV02-905-3 IFR) received on August 12, 2002; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-8527. A communication from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fluid Milk Promotion Order; Final Rule" (Doc. No. DA-02-02) received on August 12, 2002; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-8528. A communication from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Milk in the Mideast Marketing Area—Interim Order—Implements the Amendments to the Mideast Milk Order. Has Received Producer Approval" (Doc. No. DA-01-04; AO-361-A35) received on August 12, 2002; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-8529. A communication from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Raisins Produced from the Grapes Grown in California; Decrease in Desirable Carryout Used to Compute Trade Demand" (Doc. No. FV02-989-6 IFR) received on August 12, 2002; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-8530. A communication from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Papayas Grown in Hawaii; Suspension of Regulations" (Doc. No. FV02-928-3 FR) received on August 12, 2002; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-8531. A communication from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Final Flood Elevation Determination" (44 CFR Part 67) received on August 15, 2002; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-8532. A communication from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Final Flood Elevation Determinations" (44 CFR Part 67) received on August 15, 2002; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-8533. A communication from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Changes in Flood Elevation Determinations" (44 CFR

Part 65) received on August 15, 2002; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-8534. A communication from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Changes in Flood Elevation Determinations" (Doc. No. FEMA-D-7525) received on August 15, 2002; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-8535. A communication from the Assistant to the Federal Reserve Board, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendment to Regulation T ("Credit by Brokers and Dealers"); List of Foreign Margin Stocks" received on August 19, 2002; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-8536. A communication from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Office of the Secretary, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Public Housing Agency Plans: Deconcentration—Amendment to "Establishment Income Range" Definition" (RIN2577-AC31) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-8537. A communication from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Office of the Secretary, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Administrative Wage Garnishment" (RIN2501-AC85) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-8538. A communication from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Office of the Secretary, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) Program; Conforming Changes to Annual Income Requirements for HUD's Public Housing and Section 8 Assistance Programs" (RIN2501-AC77) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-8539. A communication from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Office of the Secretary, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Implementation of the Electronic Freedom of Information Act" (RIN2508-AA12) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-8540. A communication from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Office of the Secretary, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Requirement of HUD Approval Before a Grantee May Undertake CDBG-Assisted Demolition of HUD-Owned Housing Unit" (RIN2506-AC10) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-8541. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Periodic Report on the National Emergency with Respect to Terrorist Who Threaten to Disrupt the Middle East Peace Process that was declared in Executive Order 12947 of January 23, 1996; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-8542. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting, pursuant to law, a notice that the continuation of emergency regarding export control regulations is to continue beyond August 17, 2002; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-8543. A communication from the Vice Chairman of the Export-Import Bank, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to

a transaction involving U.S. exports to the Republic of Korea; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-8544. A communication from the Vice Chairman of the Export-Import Bank, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to a transaction involving U.S. exports to Taiwan; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-8545. A communication from the Vice Chairman of the Export-Import Bank, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to a transaction involving U.S. exports to Mexico; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-8546. A communication from the Vice Chairman of the Export-Import Bank, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to a transaction involving U.S. exports to Thailand; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-8547. A communication from the Deputy Secretary, Division of Corporation Finance, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Certification of Disclosure in Companies' Quarterly and Annual Reports" (RIN3235-AI54) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-8548. A communication from the Deputy Secretary, Division of Market Regulations, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Customer Margin Rules Relating to Security Futures" (RIN3038-AB71) received on August 12, 2002; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-8549. A communication from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska, Closure of Pelagic Shelf Rockfish in the Central Regulatory Area for the Gulf of Alaska" received on August 15, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-8550. A communication from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Atlantic Highly Migratory Species; Pelagic Longline Fishery; Shark Gillnet Fishery; Sea Turtle and Whale Protection Measures. Final Rule" (RIN0648-AP49) received on August 15, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-8551. A communication from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska—Closes Western Regulatory Area, Gulf of Alaska, for 'Other Rockfish'" received on August 15, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-8552. A communication from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries Off West Coast States and in the Western Pacific; Pacific Coast Groundfish Fishery; End of the Primary Season and Resumption of Trip Limits for the Shore-based Fishery for Pacific Whiting" received on August 15, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-8553. A communication from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Clo-

sure of the Sablefish Fishery by Vessels Using Trawl Gear in the Central Regulatory Area of the Gulf of Alaska" received on August 15, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-8554. A communication from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska—Closes Pacific Ocean Perch Fishery in the West Yakutat District, Gulf of Alaska" received on August 15, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-8555. A communication from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska—Closes West Yakutat District of the Gulf of Alaska for Pelagic Shelf Rockfish" received on August 15, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-8556. A communication from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries Off West Coast States and in the Western Pacific; West Coast Salmon Fisheries; Inseason Adjustment 3—Adjustment of the Commercial Fishery from the U.S.-Canada Border to Cape Falcon, OR" received on August 15, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-8557. A communication from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Closure of the Pacific Ocean Perch Fishery in the Western Regulatory Area of the Gulf of Alaska" received on August 15, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-8558. A communication from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries of the Northeastern United States; Northeast Multispecies Fishery; Removal of Commercial Haddock Daily Trip Limit" received on August 15, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-8559. A communication from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries Off West Coast States and in the Western Pacific; West Coast Salmon Fisheries; Inseason Adjustment 2—Closure of the Commercial Fishery from U.S.-Canada Border to Cape Falcon, OR" received on August 15, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-8560. A communication from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska, Closure of the Northern Rockfish in the Central Regulatory Area for the Gulf of Alaska" received on August 15, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-8561. A communication from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska—Closes Northern Rockfish Fishery in the Western Regulatory Area, Gulf of Alaska" received

on August 15, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-8562. A communication from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, United States Coast Guard, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Safety/Security Zone Regulations; USCGC EAGLE Port Visit-Salem Harbor, MA" ((RIN2115-AA97) (2002-0173)) received on August 12, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-8563. A communication from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, United States Coast Guard, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Drawbridge Regulations; (including 2 regulations)" ((RIN2115-AE47) (2002-0079)) received on August 12, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-8564. A communication from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, United States Coast Guard, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Drawbridge Regulations; Oklawaha River, Marion County, FL" ((RIN2115-AE47) (2002-0076)) received on August 12, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-8565. A communication from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, United States Coast Guard, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Safety/Security Zone Regulations; Salem Heritage Days Fireworks, Salem, Mass" ((RIN2115-AA97) (2002-0172)) received on August 12, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-8566. A communication from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, United States Coast Guard, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Drawbridge Regulations; Passaic River, NJ" ((RIN2115-AE47) (2002-0075)) received on August 12, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-8567. A communication from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, United States Coast Guard, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Safety/Security Zone Regulations; (Including 2 Regulations)" ((RIN2115-AA97) (2002-0174)) received on August 12, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-8568. A communication from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, United States Coast Guard, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Safety/Security Zone Regulations; Seabrook Nuclear Power Plant, Seabrook NH" ((RIN2115-AA97) (2002-0175)) received on August 12, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-8569. A communication from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, United States Coast Guard, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Regulated Navigation Area and Safety and Security Zone; New York Marine Inspection Zone and Captain of the Port Zone" ((RIN2115-AE84) (2002-0012)) received on August 12, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-8570. A communication from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, United States Coast Guard, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Regatta Regulations; Atlantic Ocean, Point Pleasant Beach to Bay Head, NJ" ((RIN2115-AE46) (2002-0028)) received on August 12, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-8571. A communication from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, United States Coast Guard, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Safety/Security Zone Regulations; (Including 2 Regulations)" (RIN2115-AA97) (2002-0176) received on August 12, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-8572. A communication from the Attorney, Research and Special Programs Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Pipeline Safety: High Consequence Areas for Gas Transmission Pipelines" (RIN2137-AD64) received on August 12, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-8573. A communication from the Chief Counsel, National Telecommunications and Information Administration, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Mandatory Reimbursement Rules for Frequency Band or Geographic Relocation of Federal Spectrum—Dependent System" (RIN0660-AA14) received on August 15, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-8574. A communication from the Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Bluefish Fishery—Final Rule" (RIN0648-AP59) received on August 15, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-8575. A communication from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Regulatory Programs, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries Off West Coast States and in the Western Pacific; Precious Corals Fisheries; Harvest Quotas, Definitions, Size Limits, Gear Restrictions, and Bed Classification" (RIN0648-AK23) received on August 27, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-8576. A communication from the Regulations Officer, Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Brake Performance Requirements for Commercial Motor Vehicles Inspected by Performance-Based Brake Testers" (RIN2126-AA46) received on August 12, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-8577. A communication from the Assistant Administrator, Office of Oceanic and Atmospheric Research, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Sea Grant National Strategic Investments in Aquatic Nuisance Species, Oyster Disease, and Gulf of Mexico Oyster Industry: Request for Proposals for FY 2003"; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-8578. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Massachusetts; Rate-of-Progress Emission Reduction Plans for the Boston-Lawrence-Worcester Serious Area" (FRL7268-7) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-8579. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans and Operating Permits Program; State of Missouri" (FRL7269-2) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-8580. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; State of Kansas" (FRL7270-4) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-8581. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans Tennessee: Approval of Revisions to Tennessee Implementation Plan" (FRL7270-6) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-8582. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Clean Air Act Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans for the State of Montana; Revisions to the Administrative Rules of Montana" (FRL7261-1) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-8583. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans North Carolina: Approval of Revisions to Open Burning Regulation With the Forsyth County Local Implementation Plan" (FRL7206-9) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-8584. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; Indiana" (FRL7249-4) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-8585. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Delaware: Final Authorization of State Hazardous Waste Management Program Revision" (FRL7256-8) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-8586. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Interim Final Determination that the State of Arizona Has Corrected Deficiencies and Stay of Sanctions, Maricopa County Environmental Services Department" (FRL7253-7) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-8587. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Revision to the Arizona State Implementation Plan, Maricopa County Environmental Services Department" (FRL7253-5) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-8588. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Revisions to the California State Implementation Plan, South Coast Air Quality Management District, Ventura County Air Pollution Control District" (FRL7254-8) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-8589. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Control of Air Pollution from New Motor Vehicles and New Motor Vehicle Engines; Non-Conformance Penalties for 2004 and Later Model Year Emission Standards for Heavy-Duty Diesel Engines and Heavy-Duty Diesel Vehicles" (FRL7256-6) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-8590. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Clean Air Act Redesignation and Reclassification, Searles Valley Nonattainment Area; Designation of Coso Junction, Indian Wells Valley, and Trona Nonattainment Areas; California; Determination of Attainment of the PM-10 Standards for the Coso Junction Area; Particulate Matter of 10 microns or less (PM-10)" (FRL7256-1) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-8591. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Transportation Conformity Rule Amendment: Minor Revision of 18-Month Requirement for Initial SIP Submissions and Addition of Grace Period for Newly Designated Nonattainment Areas" (FRL7256-3) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-8592. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Rhode Island: Authorization of State Hazardous Waste Management Program Revision" (FRL7256-7) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-8593. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Final Effective Date Modification for the Determination of Nonattainment as of November 15, 1999, and Reclassification of the Baton Rouge Ozone Nonattainment Area" (FRL7262-3) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-8594. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Florida: Final Authorization of State Hazardous Waste Management Program Revision" (FRL7262-5) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-8595. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Florida: Final Authorization of State Hazardous Waste Management Program Revision" (FRL7262-6) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-8596. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Nebraska; Final Approval of State Underground Storage Tank Program" (FRL7261-9) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-8597. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the

Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Revisions to the Definitions and the Continuous Emission Monitoring Provisions of the Acid Rain Program and the NOx Budget Trading Program; Correction" (FRL7259-9) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-8598. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans Florida: Approval of Revisions to the Florida State Implementation Plan" (FRL7259-6) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-8599. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans for Kentucky: Regulatory Limit on Potential to Emit" (FRL7259-7) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-8600. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "South Carolina; Final Approval of State Underground Storage Tank Program" (FRL7268-9) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-8601. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, a report entitled "OSWER Common Radionuclides Found at Superfund Sites Booklet for the General Public" received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-8602. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, a report entitled "Regulatory Status of Crude Sulfate Turpentine (CST) under RCRA Regulations" received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-8603. A communication from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "List of Approved Spent Fuel Storage Casks: HI-STORM Revision" (RIN3150-AG97) received on August 15, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-8604. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks, Division of Endangered Species, Department of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Final Designation of Critical Habitat for the Newcomb's Snail" (RIN1018-AH95) received on August 12, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-8605. A communication from the Director of the Endangered Species, Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Tumbling Creek Cave Snail Rule to List as Endangered" (RIN1018-AI19) received on August 12, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-8606. A communication from the Acting Chief, Regulations Branch, Customs Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Administrative Rulings" (RIN1515-AC56) received on August 19, 2002; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-8607. A communication from the Chief of the Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, trans-

mitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Treatment of Subsidiary Income under the 85 Percent Member Income Test of Section 501(c)(12)(A) of the Internal Revenue Code" (Rev. Rul. 2002-55) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-8608. A communication from the Chief of the Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Distribution and Sale of Propane in Tanks by Tax Exempt Electric Cooperatives" (Rev. Rul. 2002-54) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-8609. A communication from the Chief of the Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Revenue Ruling 2002-59" received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-8610. A communication from the Chief of the Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "TD 9012, Clarification of Entity Classification Rules" (RIN1545-AX75) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-8611. A communication from the Chief of the Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Weighted Average Interest Rate Update Notice" (Notice 2002-57) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-8612. A communication from the Chief of the Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Notice 2002-60—Reduced Maximum Exclusion of Gain from Sale or Exchange of Principal Residence for Taxpayers Affected by the September 11, 2001, Terrorist Attacks" (Notice 2002-60) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-8613. A communication from the Chief of the Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Rev. Rul. 2002-52—Bureau of Labor Statistics Price Indexes for Department Stores—June 2002" (Rev. Rul. 2002-52) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-8614. A communication from the Chief of the Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Treaty Guidance Regarding Payment With Respect to Domestic Reverse Hybrid Entities" (RIN1545-AY13) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-8615. A communication from the Chief of the Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Rev. Proc. 2002-54—Application of Rev. Proc. 2002-19" (Rev. Proc. 2002-54) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-8616. A communication from the Chief of the Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Coordinated Issue: Supervisory Goodwill" (UILLN 597.13-00) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-8617. A communication from the Chief of the Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Mark to Market Election under TRA97" (Notice 2002-58) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-8618. A communication from the Chief of the Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue

Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Furnishing Identifying Number of Income Tax Return Preparer" (RIN1545-AX27) received on September 3, 2002; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-8619. A communication from the Regulations Coordinator, Center for Medicare Management, Center for Medicare and Medicaid Service, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Medicare Program; Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility Prospective System for FY 2003" (RIN0938-AL22) received on July 31, 2002; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-8620. A communication from the Regulations Coordinator, Center for Medicare Management, Center for Medicare and Medicaid Service, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Prospective Payment System and Consolidated Billing for Skilled Nursing Facilities—Update for FY2003—Notice" (RIN0938-AL20) received on July 31, 2002; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-8621. A communication from the Regulations Coordinator, Center for Medicare Management, Center for Medicare and Medicaid Service, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Medicare Program; Medicare Endorsed Prescription Drug Card Assistance Initiative CMS-4027-F" (RIN0938-AL25) received on July 31, 2002; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-8622. A communication from the Regulations Coordinator, Center for Medicare Management, Center for Medicare and Medicaid Service, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Medicare Program; Prospective Payment System for Long-Term Care Hospitals—FY 2003" (RIN0938-AK69) received on July 31, 2002; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-8623. A communication from the Regulations Coordinator, Center for Medicare Management, Center for Medicare and Medicaid Service, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Medicare Program; Changes to the Hospital Inpatient Prospective Payment System and FY 2003" (RIN0938-AL23) received on July 31, 2002; to the Committee on Finance.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

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

H.R. 3214: A bill to amend the charter of the AMVETS organization.

H.R. 3838: A bill to amend the charter of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States organization to make members of the armed forces who receive special pay for duty subject to hostile fire or imminent danger eligible for membership in the organization, and for other purposes.

By Mr. LEAHY, from the Committee on the Judiciary, without amendment and with a preamble:

S. RES. 316: A bill designating the year beginning February 1, 2003, as the "Year of the Blues".

By Mr. LEAHY, from the Committee on the Judiciary, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute:

S. 1615: A bill to provide for the sharing of certain foreign intelligence information with local law enforcement personnel, and for other purposes.

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