

the appropriate officials of the World Bank, shall appoint an Administrator who is responsible for managing the day-to-day operations of the Trust Fund.

(d) **TERMINATION OF THE TRUST FUND.**—

(1) **IN GENERAL.**—As part of the negotiations required by section 3003, the Secretary shall negotiate with the World Bank to establish conditions under which the Trust Fund will be terminated.

(2) **REPAYMENT OF CONTRIBUTIONS.**—Upon the termination of the Trust Fund, any amounts contributed to the Fund that have not been expended shall be returned to the countries that contributed funds to the Trust Fund, on a pro rata basis.

SEC. 3005. USE OF FUNDS.

(a) **LOANS AND LOAN GUARANTEES.**—In carrying out the purposes set out in section 3004(a), the Board of Trustees shall use the Trust Fund to provide loans and loan guarantees to eligible entities under terms that will facilitate economic development in Iraq.

(b) **ELIGIBLE ENTITY.**—The Board of Trustees shall determine if an entity is eligible to receive a loan or a loan guarantee from the Trust Fund.

(c) **ACTIVITIES SUPPORTED.**—The funds in the Trust Fund shall be used to provide loans and loan guarantees that carry out the purposes of the Trust Fund, including projects to—

- (1) create or repair infrastructure to—
 - (A) produce and distribute electricity;
 - (B) extract, refine, and distribute oil;
 - (C) provide drinking water;
 - (D) treat and dispose of wastewater;
 - (E) provide transportation; and
 - (F) facilitate communications;
- (2) promote public health;
- (3) provide housing;
- (4) ensure public safety; and
- (5) develop a private sector economy.

SEC. 3006. CONTRIBUTIONS AND ACCOUNTABILITY.

(a) **AUTHORITY TO SOLICIT AND ACCEPT CONTRIBUTIONS.**—The Trust Fund shall be authorized to solicit and accept contributions from governments, the private sector, and nongovernmental entities of all kinds.

(b) **ACCOUNTABILITY OF FUNDS AND CRITERIA FOR PROGRAMS.**—The Secretary shall, consistent with subsection (c)—

(1) take such actions as are necessary to ensure that adequate procedures and standards are in place to account for and monitor the use of funds contributed to the Trust Fund, including the cost of administering the Trust Fund; and

(2) seek agreement with the World Bank on the criteria to be used to determine the programs and activities to be assisted by the Trust Fund.

(c) **SELECTION OF PROJECTS AND RECIPIENTS.**—The Board of Trustees shall establish—

(1) criteria for the selection of projects to receive support from the Trust Fund;

(2) standards and criteria regarding qualifications of recipients of such support;

(3) such rules and procedures as may be necessary for cost-effective management of the Trust Fund; and

(4) such rules and procedures as may be necessary to ensure transparency and accountability in the process of making loans and loan guarantees.

(d) **TRANSPARENCY OF OPERATIONS.**—The Board of Trustees shall ensure full and prompt public disclosure of the proposed objectives, financial organization, and operations of the Trust Fund.

(e) **ACCESS TO RECORDS.**—The Comptroller or any duly authorized representatives of the Comptroller shall have access to any books, documents, papers, and records of the Trust Fund for the purpose of preparing the reports required in section 3008(b).

SEC. 3007. ADVISORY BOARD.

(a) **IN GENERAL.**—The Board of Trustees, in consultation with the appropriate officials of the World Bank, shall appoint an Advisory Board to the Trust Fund.

(b) **APPOINTMENTS.**—The members of the Advisory Board should be drawn from—

(1) a broad range of individuals with experience and leadership in the fields of civil engineering, provision of utilities, oil production, public works, transportation, and communications;

(2) representatives of relevant United Nations agencies and nongovernmental organizations with on-the-ground experience in Iraq or other countries in the Middle East; and

(3) representatives of the Coalition Provisional Authority.

(c) **RESPONSIBILITIES.**—The Advisory Board shall provide advice and guidance to the Board of Trustees on the development and implementation of programs and projects to be assisted by the Trust Fund and on leveraging donations to the Trust Fund.

(d) **PROHIBITION ON PAYMENT OF COMPENSATION.**—

(1) **IN GENERAL.**—Except for travel expenses (including per diem in lieu of subsistence), no member of the Advisory Board shall receive compensation for services performed as a member of the Advisory Board.

(2) **UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE.**—Notwithstanding any other provision of law (including an international agreement), a representative of the United States on the Advisory Board may not accept compensation for services performed as a member of the Advisory Board, except that such representative may accept travel expenses, including per diem in lieu of subsistence, while away from the representative's home or regular place of business in the performance of services for the Advisory Board.

SEC. 3008. REPORTS TO CONGRESS.

(a) **ANNUAL REPORTS BY SECRETARY.**—

(1) **IN GENERAL.**—Not later than 1 year after the date of the enactment of this Act, and annually thereafter for the duration of the Trust Fund, the Secretary shall submit to the appropriate congressional committees a report on the Trust Fund.

(2) **REPORT ELEMENTS.**—Each report required by paragraph (1) shall include a description of—

(A) the goals of the Trust Fund;

(B) the programs, projects, and activities supported by the Trust Fund;

(C) private and governmental contributions to the Trust Fund; and

(D) the criteria that have been established that would be used to determine the programs and activities to be assisted by the Trust Fund.

(b) **GAO REPORT ON TRUST FUND EFFECTIVENESS.**—Not later than 1 year after the date of the enactment of this Act, and annually thereafter for the duration of the Trust Fund, the Comptroller shall submit to the appropriate congressional committees a report evaluating the effectiveness of the Trust Fund, including—

(1) the effectiveness of the programs, projects, and activities described in subsection (a)(2)(B) in the reconstruction in Iraq; and

(2) an assessment of the merits of continued United States financial contributions to the Trust Fund.

SEC. 3009. AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS.

(a) **IN GENERAL.**—In addition to any other funds available for multilateral or bilateral programs related to the purposes of the Trust Fund, of the amounts appropriated in title II under the subheading "IRAQ RELIEF AND RECONSTRUCTION FUND" under the heading "OTHER BILATERAL ECONOMIC AS-

SISTANCE FUNDS APPROPRIATED TO THE PRESIDENT", other than amounts appropriated under such subheading for security and for refugees, human rights, democracy, and civil society, \$10,000,000,000 shall be made available for the fiscal year 2004 for contribution to the Trust Fund.

(b) **MATCHING CONTRIBUTIONS.**—Subject to the maximum amount available for contribution to the Trust Fund under this Act, the United States shall contribute to the Trust Fund out of the additional amount made available under subsection (a), the amount that equals the total amount contributed by foreign countries to the Trust Fund during the 180-day period that begins on the date of the enactment of this Act.

(c) **TRANSFER OF FUNDS.**—On the date that is 180 days after the date of the enactment of this Act, any amount made available for the Trust Fund under subsection (a) that exceeds the amount required to be contributed to the Trust Fund under subsection (b) shall cease to be available for transfer to the Trust Fund and shall be transferred to an account to be available to the Coalition Provisional Authority for use as loans to, or to guarantee loans made by, the Governing Council in Iraq.

SEC. 3010. CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENT.

Not later than 15 days prior to the initial obligation or expenditure of funds appropriated pursuant to section 3009, the Secretary shall certify to the appropriate congressional committees that—

(1) the Trust Fund has been created in accordance with the provisions of this title; and

(2) adequate procedures and standards have been established to ensure accountability for and monitoring of the use of funds contributed to the Trust Fund, including the cost of administering the Trust Fund.

SA 1799. Mr. COLEMAN (for himself, Mr. DAYTON, Mr. STEVENS, Mr. DORGAN, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. JOHNSON, Mr. COLLINS, Mr. GRAHAM of South Carolina, and Mr. ENZI) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 1689, making emergency supplemental appropriations for Iraq and Afghanistan security and reconstruction for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for others purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

On page , between lines and , insert the following:

SEC. . Of the funds in the Iraq Freedom Fund, such funds as necessary shall be available for the reimbursement of the cost of one round trip air fare incurred in fiscal year 2003 or 2004 by members of the United States Armed Forces only in connection with the Department of Defense Rest and Recuperation Leave Program for travel within the United States while on leave from deployment overseas in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom.

NOTICES OF HEARINGS/MEETINGS

COMMITTEE ON INDIAN AFFAIRS

Mr. CAMPBELL. Mr. President, I would like to announce that the Committee on Indian Affairs will meet on Thursday, October 2, 2003, at 2 p.m. in room 485 of the Russell Senate Office Building to conduct a hearing on S. 1438, a bill to provide for equitable compensation of the Spokane Tribe of Indians of the Spokane Reservation in settlement of claims of the Tribe concerning the contribution of the Tribe

to the production of hydro power by the Grand Coulee Dam, and for other purposes.

Those wishing additional information may contact the Indian Affairs Committee at 224-2251.

AUTHORITY FOR COMMITTEES TO MEET

COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE, SCIENCE, AND TRANSPORTATION

Mr. MCCAIN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation be authorized to meet on Wednesday, October 1, 2003, at 9:30 a.m. on Climate Change.

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

COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS

Mr. MCCAIN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Environment and Public Works be authorized to meet on Wednesday, October 1 at 9:30 to conduct a business meeting to consider legislation S. 1643, S. 1066, S. 1663, and S. 1669, and the nomination of Michael O. Leavitt, to be Administrator of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

The meeting will take place in SD 406 (hearing room).

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

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

Mr. MCCAIN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Finance be authorized to meet in open Executive Session during the session on Wednesday, October 1, 2003, at 10 a.m., to consider a substitute to S. 1637, the "Jumpstart Our Business Strength (JOBS) Act of 2003."

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

COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN RELATIONS

Mr. MCCAIN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Foreign Relations be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Wednesday, October 1, 2003 at 2:30 p.m. to hold a hearing on Nominations.

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

COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

Mr. MCCAIN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Governmental Affairs be authorized to meet on Wednesday, October 1, 2003, at 9:30 a.m. for a hearing title "Deteriorating Buildings and Wasted Opportunities: The Need for Federal Property Reform."

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

COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY

Mr. MCCAIN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on the Judiciary be authorized to meet to conduct a hearing on Wednesday, October 1, 2003, at 10 a.m. in the Dirksen Senate Office Building room 226 on "The Nomination of Dora

L. Irizarry to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of New York."

Witness List

Panel I: The Honorable Charles E. Schumer, United States Senator, D-NY.

Panel II: Dora L. Irizarry to be United States District Judge, for the Eastern District of New York.

Panel III: Thomas Z. Hayward, Jr., Chair, Standing Committee on the Federal Judiciary, American Bar Association, Pat Hines, Former Chair, Standing Committee on the Federal Judiciary, American Bar Association.

Panel IV: James F. Castro-Blanco, Esq., Immediate Past President, Puerto Rican Bar Association, Shearman & Sterling, New York City, New York, The Honorable Lewis L. Douglass, Justice, New York State Supreme Court, Chair, Franklin H. Williams, Commission on Minorities, The Honorable Michael L. Pesce, Presiding Justice, Appellate Term, New York State Supreme Court.

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

PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR

Mrs. HUTCHISON. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that Kathryn Kolbe, a legislative fellow in my office, be granted the privilege of the floor during the consideration of the Defense supplemental bill.

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

Mr. COCHRAN. I ask unanimous consent that Bob Henke, Menda Fife, B.G. Wright, and Bill Simpson of the Appropriations Committee staff have full floor access during the consideration of S. 1689, making emergency supplemental appropriations for Iraq and Afghanistan security and reconstruction for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004.

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

Mr. STEVENS. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that Kathleen Pierce, a legislative fellow assigned to Senator INOUE's office, be afforded floor privileges during the consideration of S. 1689, the emergency supplemental bill.

ROBERTO CLEMENTE WALKER POST OFFICE BUILDING

Mr. SPECTER. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Governmental Affairs Committee be discharged from further consideration of H.R. 2826 and the Senate proceed to its immediate consideration.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered. The clerk will report the title of the bill.

The assistant legislative clerk read as follows:

A bill (H.R. 2826) to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1000 Avenida Sanchez Osorio in Carolina,

Puerto Rico, as the Roberto Clemente Walker Post Office Building.

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

Mr. SPECTER. I ask unanimous consent that the bill be read a third time and passed, the motion to reconsider be laid upon the table, and that any statements related to the bill be printed in the RECORD.

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

The bill (H.R. 2826) was read the third time and passed.

APPOINTMENT

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Chair announces, on behalf of the Majority Leader, pursuant to provisions of S. Res. 98, agreed to July 25, 1997, the appointment of the Senator from Idaho, Mr. CRAIG, to the Global Climate Change Observer Group.

ORDERS FOR THURSDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2003

Mr. SPECTER. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate completes its business today, it adjourn until 9:30 a.m. tomorrow. I ask further that following the prayer and the pledge, the morning hour be deemed expired and the Journal of proceedings be approved to date, the time for the two leaders be reserved for their use later in the day, and the Senate begin a period for morning business for up to 60 minutes, with the first 30 minutes under the control of Senator HUTCHISON or her designee and the second 30 minutes under the control of the minority leader or his designee; provided that upon the conclusion of morning business, the Senate resume consideration of S. 1689, the Iraq/Afghanistan supplemental appropriations bill, as provided under the previous order.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Is there objection?

Without objection, it is so ordered.

PROGRAM

Mr. SPECTER. For the information of all Senators, tomorrow following morning business the Senate will resume consideration of S. 1689. Under a previous agreement, there will then be 40 minutes for debate as previously stated. The majority leader has asked me to announce that rollcall votes can be expected throughout the day.

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL 9:30 A.M. TOMORROW

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

There being no objection, the Senate, at 6:53 p.m., adjourned until Thursday, October 2, 2003, at 9:30 a.m.