

said, "Sometimes, my biggest problem is to develop something in New York that Dick Lee hasn't thought of first."

Conservative icon William F. Buckley Jr. once kidded that Lee, a liberal Democrat, "is excellently equipped to act as a mayor, particularly of impoverished cities which desire to mulct (extract) from the federal government funds to reify (make concrete) Mr. Lee's municipal visions."

A few days after Lee finally let go of City Hall in 1969, the New York Times in an editorial called him "one of the pioneers of urban renewal" and declared, "a significant chapter in American urban history was concluded."

While New Haven won widespread fame as one of the "model cities" of that era, Lee himself rejected that notion.

"I resent the term 'model city,'" he told the New York Post in August 1967, one week after five days of race riots erupted. "I have avoided it. I've hated it. We're not a model city if there is a single man who is unemployed, if there is a single slum home."

He told Time magazine soon afterward: "If New Haven is a model city, then God help urban America."●

MITCHELL AWARD

● Ms. CANTWELL. Mr. President, I come to the floor today to recognize and congratulate one of the eleven winners of the George J. Mitchell Scholarship, Miss Jasmin Weaver. Jasmin is a student at the University of Washington in Seattle and has been awarded this prestigious scholarship based on her academic excellence, leadership, and community service. Jasmin represents the third award winner from the University of Washington in the last three years.

The George J. Mitchell Scholarship, which is administered by the nonprofit U.S.-Ireland Alliance, was created to build bonds between American and Irish leaders and was named in honor of the respected former leader of this body who played an integral part in the peace process of Ireland. This scholarship allows university students the opportunity to do postgraduate study for a year at a university in Ireland. There were a record number of applicants this year, with nearly 300 students applying here in the United States.

This award has been particularly important for my home State, with three recipients of this award from the University of Washington in the last three years. Last year's award recipient was Matt Alexander and the previous year Dawn Hewett. I would like to personally congratulate all three winners of this award from our State and I know Washington students will continue their legacy of excellence through this award in the future.●

MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT

Messages from the President of the United States were communicated to the Senate by Mr. Williams, one of his secretaries.

EXECUTIVE MESSAGES REFERRED

As in executive session the Presiding Officer laid before the Senate messages

from the President of the United States submitting sundry nominations which were referred to the appropriate committees.

(The nominations received today are printed at the end of the Senate proceedings.)

NATIONAL DRUG CONTROL STRATEGY FOR 2003—PM 15

The PRESIDING OFFICER laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying report; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary:

To the Congress of the United States:

I am pleased to transmit the 2003 National Drug Control Strategy, consistent with the Office of National Drug Control Policy Reauthorization Act of 1998 (12 U.S.C. 1705).

A critical component of our Strategy is to teach young people how to avoid illegal drugs because of the damage drugs can do to their health and future. Our children must learn early that they have a lifelong responsibility to reject illegal drug use and to stay sober. Our young people who avoid drugs will grow up best able to participate in the promise of America.

Yet far too many Americans already use illegal drugs, and most of those whose drug use has progressed—more than five million Americans—do not even realize they need help. While those who suffer from addiction must help themselves, family, friends, and people with drug experiences must do their part to help to heal and to make whole men and women who have been broken by addiction.

We know the drug trade is a business. Drug traffickers are in that business to make money, and this Strategy outlines how we intend to deny them revenue. In short, we intend to make the drug trade unprofitable wherever we can.

Our Strategy is performance-based, and its success will be measured by its results. Those results are our moral obligation to our children. I ask for your continued support in this critical endeavor.

GEORGE W. BUSH.

THE WHITE HOUSE, February 12, 2003.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

At 3:26 p.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Mr. Niland, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House has passed the following bill, without amendment:

S. 141. An act to improve the calculation of the Federal subsidy rate with respect to certain small business loans, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that the House has passed the following bills and joint resolution:

H.R. 337. An act to extend certain hydroelectric licenses in the State of Alaska.

H.R. 397. An act to reinstate and extend the deadline for commencement of construc-

tion of a hydroelectric project in the State of Illinois.

H.J. Res. 19. A joint resolution recognizing the 92nd birthday of Ronald Reagan.

The message also announced that the House has agreed to the following concurrent resolutions, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. Con. Res. 22. Concurrent Resolution honoring Czech Republic President Vaclav Havel.

H. Con. Res. 27. Concurrent Resolution condemning the selection of Libya to chair the United Nations Commission on Human Rights, 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. 397. An act to reinstate and extend the deadline for commencement of construction of a hydroelectric project in the State of Illinois; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

The following concurrent resolutions were read, and referred as indicated:

H. Con. Res. 22. Concurrent resolution honoring Czech Republic President Vaclav Havel; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

H. Con. Res. 27. Concurrent resolution condemning the selection of Libya to chair the United Nations Commission on Human Rights, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

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-1129. A communication from the Administrator, Food Safety and Inspection Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Use of Transglutaminase Enzyme and Pork Collagen as Binders in Certain Meat and Poultry Products (01-016DF)" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-1130. A communication from the Administrator, Food Safety and Inspection Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Mandatory Inspection of Rats and Squabs (0583-AC84)" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-1131. A communication from the Administrator, Food Safety and Inspection Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Increases in Fees for Meat, Poultry, and Egg Products Inspection Services—Fiscal Year (FY) 2002 (0583-AC89)" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-1132. A communication from the Acting Principle Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Imazamx; Exemption from the Requirement of a Tolerance (FRL 7291-3)" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-1133. A communication from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Animal and

Plant Health Inspection Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Interstate Movement of Gardenia from Hawaii (Doc. No. 01-042-2)" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-1134. A communication from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Imported Fire Ant; Additions to Quarantined Areas (Doc. No. 02-114-1)" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-1135. A communication from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fruit and Vegetable from Hawaii (Doc. No. 00-052-2)" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-1136. A communication from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Importation of Used Farm Equipment from Regions Affected with Foot and Mouth Disease (Doc. No. 01-037-2)" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-1137. A communication from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Karnal Bunt; Restrictions on the Use of Grain Originating in a Regulated Area (Doc. No. 01-118-2)" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-1138. A communication from the Acting Principle Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; West Virginia; Regulation to Prevent and Control Air Pollution from Combustion of Refuse (FRL7442-1)" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-1139. A communication from the Acting Principle Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Interim Final Determination That State has Corrected Rule Deficiencies and Stay and/or Deferral of Sanctions, San Joaquin Valley Unified Air Pollution Control District (FRL 7451-1)" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-1140. A communication from the Under Secretary of Defense, Comptroller, Department of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a Violation of the Antideficiency Act at the Naval Facilities Engineering Command, Pacific Division, Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, in the amount of \$671,700; to the Committee on Appropriations.

EC-1141. A communication from the Under Secretary of Defense, Comptroller, Department of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a Violation of the Antideficiency Act at the Naval Facilities Engineering Command, Pacific Division, Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, in the amount of \$34,713,000; to the Committee on Appropriations.

EC-1142. A communication from the Under Secretary of Defense, Comptroller, Department of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to

law, the report of a Violation of the Antideficiency Act at Phillips Laboratory, Space and Missile Center, Edwards Air Force Base, California, in the amount of \$214,263.35; to the Committee on Appropriations.

EC-1143. A communication from the Under Secretary of Defense, Comptroller, Department of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a Violation of the Antideficiency Act at Phillips Laboratory, Space and Missile Center, Edwards Air Force Base, California, in the amount of \$666,000; to the Committee on Appropriations.

EC-1144. A communication from the Assistant Secretary of Defense, Health Affairs, Department of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, the TRICARE Program Fiscal Year 2002 Report to Congress; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1145. A communication from the Under Secretary of Defense, Personnel and Readiness, transmitting, the report of a retirement; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1146. A communication from the Chief Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN) Matching Program (Rev. Proc. 2003-9)" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-1147. A communication from the Assistant Legal Adviser for Treaty Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report relative to international agreements other than treaties entered into by the United States under the Case-Zablocki Act with Canada, United Arab Emirates, and Australia; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-1148. A communication from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Revision of the Definition of the Term 'No Residue' in the New Animal Drug Regulations (RIN0910-AC45)" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-1149. A communication from the Chairman, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Semiannual Monetary Policy Report, received on February 1, 2003; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1150. A communication from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Final Flood Elevation Determinations 68 FR 1550 (44 CFR Part 67)" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1151. 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 68 FR 1543 (44 CFR Part 65)" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1152. A communication from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Changes in Flood Determinations 68 FR 1540 (Doc. No. FEMA-D-7533)" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1153. A communication from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Final Flood Elevation Determination 68 FR 1547 (44 CFR Part 67)" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1154. A communication from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Manage-

ment Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Final Flood Elevation Determination 68 FR 1549 (44 CFR Part 67)" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1155. A communication from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Suspension of Community Eligibility 67 FR 79879 (Doc. No. FEMA-7799)" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1156. A communication from the Chairman of the Council, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on D.C. Act 14-614 "Urban Forest Preservation Act of 2002" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1157. A communication from the Chairman of the Council, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on D.C. Act 14-613 "Electronic Recording Procedures Act of 2002" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1158. A communication from the Chairman of the Council, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on D.C. Act 14-625 "Rehabilitation Services Program Establishment Temporary Act of 2003" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1159. A communication from the Chairman of the Council, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on D.C. Act 14-626 "Prevention of Premature Release of Mentally Incompetent Defendants Temporary Amendment Act of 2003" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1160. A communication from the Chairman of the Council, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on D.C. Act 14-617 "Mental Health Civil Commitment Act of 2002" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1161. A communication from the Chairman of the Council, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on D.C. Act 14-616 "Tax Clarity and Recorder of Deeds Act of 2002" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1162. A communication from the Chairman of the Council, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on D.C. Act 14-615 "Procurement Practices Vendor Payment Authorization Amendment Act of 2002" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1163. A communication from the Chairman of the Council, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on D.C. Act 14-624 "Bowling Alley and Billiard Parlor Temporary Act of 2003" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1164. A communication from the Chairman of the Council, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on D.C. Act 14-623 "Tax Increment Financing Reauthorization Temporary Act of 2003" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1165. A communication from the Chairman of the Council, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on D.C. Act 14-622 "Criminal Code and Miscellaneous Technical Amendments Act of 2002" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1166. A communication from the Chairman of the Council, Council of the District of

Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on D.C. Act 14-621 "Removal from the Permanent System of Highways, a portion of 22nd Street, S.E. and the Dedication of Land for Street Purposes (S.O. 00-89) Act of 2002" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1167. A communication from the Chairman of the Council, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on D.C. Act 14-620 "Council Review of the Exclusive Right Agreement for the Redevelopment of the Existing Convention Center Site Amendment Act of 2002" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1168. A communication from the Chairman of the Council, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on D.C. Act 14-619 "District Anti-Deficiency Act of 2002" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1169. A communication from the Chairman of the Council, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on D.C. Act 14-618 "Energy and Operational efficiency Performance Based Contracting Amendment Act of 2002" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1170. A communication from the Chairman of the Council, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on D.C. Act 14-627 "Local, Small and Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Program Temporary Amendment Act of 2003" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1171. A communication from the Chairman of the Council, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on D.C. Act 14-579 "Vacant and Abandoned Properties Community Development and Disposition of Certain Scattered Vacant and Abandoned Properties Act of 2002" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1172. A communication from the Chairman of the Council, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on D.C. Act 14-580 "Establishment of the Capitol Hill Business Improvement District Amendment Act of 2002" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1173. A communication from the Chairman of the Council, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on D.C. Act 14-581 "Closing of a 18.08 Foot Wide Public Alley in Square 4543 S.O. 01-3587 Act of 2002" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1174. A communication from the Chairman of the Council, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on D.C. Act 14-582 "Closing of a Drainage alley and Portions of Burns Place, S.E. and C Street, S.E. and the Dedication of Burns Courty, S.E., Bay Lane, S.E. and Cape Drive, S.E. (S.O. 01-2143) Act of 2002" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1175. A communication from the Chairman of the Council, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on D.C. Act 14-583 "Closing of Portions of Virginia Avenue, S.E., K Street, S.E., L Street S.E. and 7th Street, S.E. and Transfer of Jurisdiction of Reservations 19 and 124, S.O. 02-2677, Act of 2002" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1176. A communication from the Chairman of the Council, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on D.C. Act 14-585 "Closing of a Public

Alley in Square 484, S.O. 02-601, Act of 2002" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1177. A communication from the Chairman of the Council, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on D.C. Act 14-586 "Closing of a Portion of a Public Alley in Square 209, S.O. 02-1019, Act of 2002" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1178. A communication from the Chairman of the Council, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on D.C. Act 14-588 "Eastern Avenue Tour Bus Parking Temporary Amendment Act of 2002" received on February 10, 2003; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1179. A communication from the Chair, Federal Election Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report relative to the Federal Election Commission's internal management control and financial management control systems; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1180. A communication from the Under Secretary and Director, United States Patent and Trademark Office, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Fiscal Year 2002 Management and Inventory Report for the Patent and Trademark Office; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1181. A communication from the Secretary of Veterans Affairs, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Annual Performance and Accountability Report Fiscal Year 2002 for the Department of Veterans Affairs; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. NICKLES, without amendment:
S. Res. 56. An original resolution authorizing expenditures by the Committee on the Budget.

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. CORZINE:
S. 364. A bill to prohibit the use of taxpayer funds to advocate a position that is inconsistent with existing Supreme Court precedent with respect to the Second Amendment; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BINGAMAN (for himself, Mr. CRAIG, Mrs. LINCOLN, and Mr. COCHRAN):

S. 365. A bill to amend title 23, United States Code, to establish a program to make allocations to States for projects to expand 2-lane highways in rural areas to 4-lane highways; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. JEFFORDS (for himself, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. LIEBERMAN, Ms. SNOWE, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. BIDEN, Mrs. BOXER, Mrs. CLINTON, Mr. CORZINE, Mr. DODD, Mr. EDWARDS, Mr. FEINGOLD, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. KERRY, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Mr. LEAHY, Mr. REED, Mr. SARBANES, and Mr. WYDEN):

S. 366. A bill to amend the Clean Air Act to reduce emissions from electric powerplants, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. ROCKEFELLER:
S. 367. A bill to amend part A of title IV of the Social Security Act to reauthorize and

improve the temporary assistance to needy families program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. MCCAIN (for himself and Mr. GRAHAM of South Carolina):

S. 368. A bill to amend title XI of the Social Security Act to include additional information in social security account statements; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. THOMAS:
S. 369. A bill to amend the Endangered Species Act of 1973 to improve the processes for listing, recovery planning, and delisting, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

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

S. 370. A bill to amend the Oil Pollution Act of 1990 to improve provisions concerning the recovery of damages for injuries resulting from oil spills; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. DEWINE (for himself, Mrs. CLINTON, and Mr. REED):

S. 371. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to ensure an adequate supply vaccines; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. THOMAS (for himself and Mr. CRAIG):

S. 372. A bill to amend the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 to require that Federal agencies consult with State agencies and county and local governments on environmental impact statements; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. KENNEDY (for himself, Mr. KERRY, Mr. AKAKA, Mrs. CLINTON, Mr. CORZINE, Mr. DODD, Mr. INOUE, Mr. FEINGOLD, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. LIEBERMAN, Ms. MIKULSKI, Mr. REED, and Mr. SARBANES):

S. 373. 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; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. BAUCUS (for himself, Mr. BUNNING, Mr. ENZI, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. BURNS, Mr. JOHNSON, Mr. BAYH, Mr. COCHRAN, Mr. INHOFE, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. NICKLES, Mr. WARNER, and Mr. MILLER):

S. 374. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the occupational taxes relating to distilled spirits, wine, and beer; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. DOMENICI (for himself, Mrs. LINCOLN, Mr. ROCKEFELLER, and Mr. THOMAS):

S. 375. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to establish a minimum geographic cost-of-practice index value for physicians' services furnished under the medicare program of 1; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. DURBIN:
S. 376. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to promote organ donation and facilitate interstate linkage and 24-hour access to State donor registries, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Ms. LANDRIEU (for herself, Mr. BREAU, Mr. COCHRAN, Mr. JOHNSON, Mr. NELSON of Florida, Mr. SANTORUM, Mr. DUBIN, Mr. CHAFEE, Mr. FEINGOLD, Mr. LIEBERMAN, Ms. STABENOW, and Mr. MILLER):

S. 377. A bill to require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint coins in commemoration of the contributions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., to the United States; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.