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(5) North Atlantic Treaty. The term "North Atlantic Treaty" means the North Atlantic Treaty, signed at Washington on April 4, 1949 (63 Stat. 2241; TIAS 1964), as amended.

(6) Protocols to the North Atlantic Treaty of 1949 on the Accession of Bulgaria, Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, Romania, Slovakia, and Slovenia. The term "Protocols to the North Atlantic Treaty of 1949 on the Accession of Bulgaria, Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, Romania, Slovakia, and Slovenia" refers to the following protocols transmitted by the President to the Senate on April 10, 2003 (Treaty Document No. 108-4):

(A) The Protocol to the North Atlantic Treaty on the Accession of the Republic of Bulgaria, signed at Brussels on March 26, 2003.

(B) The Protocol to the North Atlantic Treaty on the Accession of the Republic of Estonia, signed at Brussels on March 26, 2003.

(C) The Protocol to the North Atlantic Treaty on the Accession of the Republic of Latvia, signed at Brussels on March 26, 2003.

(D) The Protocol to the North Atlantic Treaty on the Accession of the Republic of Lithuania, signed at Brussels on March 26, 2003.

(E) The Protocol to the North Atlantic Treaty on the Accession of the Republic of Romania, signed at Brussels on March 26, 2003.

(F) The Protocol to the North Atlantic Treaty on the Accession of the Republic of Slovakia, signed at Brussels on March 26, 2003.

(G) The Protocol to the North Atlantic Treaty on the Accession of the Republic of Slovenia, signed at Brussels on March 26, 2003.

(7) United States Instrument of Ratification. The term "United States instrument of ratification" means the instrument of ratification of the United States of the Protocols to the North Atlantic Treaty of 1949 on the Accession of Bulgaria, Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, Romania, Slovakia, and Slovenia.

(8) Washington Treaty. The term "Washington Treaty" means the North Atlantic Treaty, signed at Washington on April 4, 1949 (63 Stat. 2241; TIAS 1964), as amended.

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. DOMENICI:

S. 14. A bill to enhance the energy security of the United States, and for other purposes; read the first time.

By Mr. ENZI (for himself, Mr. DORGAN, Mr. BAUCUS, Mr. DAYTON, Mr. BINGAMAN, Mr. CHAFEE, Mr. CRAIG, Mr. JOHNSON, and Mrs. MURRAY):

S. 950. A bill to allow travel between the United States and Cuba; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. WARNER (for himself, Mr. DAYTON, and Ms. COLLINS):

S. 951. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow medicare beneficiaries a refundable credit against income tax for the purchase of outpatient prescription drugs; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. CORZINE:

S. 952. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to reduce the work hours and increase the supervision of resi-

dent-physicians to ensure the safety of patients and resident-physicians themselves; to the Committee on Finance.

By Ms. LANDRIEU:

S. 953. A bill to amend chapter 53 of title 5, United States Code, to provide special pay for board certified Federal Employees who are employed in health science positions, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. SHELBY (for himself, Mr. MILLER, Mr. LOTT, Ms. LANDRIEU, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. COCHRAN, and Mr. CHAMBLISS):

S. 954. A bill to amend the Federal Power Act to provide for the protection of electric utility customers and enhance the stability of wholesale electric markets through the clarification of State regulatory jurisdiction; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. ALLEN:

S. 955. A bill to provide liability protection to nonprofit volunteer pilot organizations flying for public benefit and to the pilots and staff of such organizations; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. FEINGOLD (for himself, Mr. JEFFORDS, Mr. DAYTON, and Mr. LEAHY):

S. 956. A bill to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to permit States and local educational agencies to decide the frequency of using high quality assessments to measure and increase student academic achievement, to permit States and local educational agencies to obtain a waiver of certain testing requirements, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mrs. BOXER:

S. 957. A bill to amend title 49, United States Code, to improve the training requirements for and require the certification of cabin crew members, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. KOHL (for himself, Mr. REID, Mr. NELSON of Florida, Mr. ROCKEFELLER, Mrs. LINCOLN, Ms. LANDRIEU, Mr. BINGAMAN, Mr. MILLER, and Mr. BREAUX):

S. 958. A bill to amend titles XVIII and XIX of the Social Security Act to prevent abuse of recipients of long-term care services under the Medicare and Medicaid programs; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. INHOFE (for himself, Mr. KYL, Mr. BURNS, Mr. THOMAS, and Mr. GRASSLEY):

S. 959. A bill to limit the age restrictions imposed by the Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration for the issuance or renewal of certain airman certificates, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. AKAKA:

S. 960. A bill to amend the Reclamation Wastewater and Groundwater Study and Facilities Act to authorize certain projects in the State of Hawaii and to amend the Hawaii Water Resources Act of 2000 to modify the water resources study; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Ms. MURKOWSKI:

S. 961. A bill to expand the scope of the HUBZone program to include difficult development areas; to the Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship.

By Mrs. LINCOLN (for herself, Mr. ROCKEFELLER, Mr. BINGAMAN, and Mr. BREAUX):

S. 962. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to accelerate the increase in the child tax credit and to expand refundability of such credit, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Ms. STABENOW (for herself and Mr. LEVIN):

S. 963. A bill to require the Commandant of the Coast Guard to convey the United States Coast Guard Cutter BRAMBLE, upon its decommissioning, to the Port Huron Museum of Arts and History, Port Huron, Michigan, for use for education and historical display, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. LOTT (for himself and Mr. ROCKEFELLER):

S. 964. A bill to reauthorize the essential air service program under chapter 471 of title 49, United States Code, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions and Senate resolutions were read, and referred (or acted upon), as indicated:

By Mr. COLEMAN (for himself and Mr. DAYTON):

S. Res. 126. A resolution commending the University of Minnesota Golden Gophers for winning the 2002-2003 National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I National Collegiate Men's Ice Hockey Championship; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. COLEMAN:

S. Res. 127. A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate that the Secretary of Agriculture should reduce the interest rate on loans to processors of sugar beets and sugarcane by 1 percent to a rate equal to the cost of borrowing to conform to the intent of Congress; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. FRIST (for himself and Mr. DASCHLE):

S. Res. 128. A resolution to commend Sally Goffinet on thirty-one years of service to the United States Senate; considered and agreed to.

By Mrs. MURRAY (for herself and Ms. CANTWELL):

S. Res. 129. A resolution recognizing and commending the members of the Navy and Marine Corps who served in the U.S.S. Abraham Lincoln and welcoming them home from their recent mission abroad; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mrs. CLINTON (for herself and Mr. HAGEL):

S. Con. Res. 40. A concurrent resolution designating August 7, 2003, as "National Purple Heart Recognition Day"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. KENNEDY (for himself, Mr. CORZINE, and Mr. FEINGOLD):

S. Con. Res. 41. A concurrent resolution directing Congress to enact legislation by October 2005 that provides access to comprehensive health care for all Americans; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 56

At the request of Mr. JOHNSON, the name of the Senator from Alabama (Mr. SHELBY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 56, a bill to restore health care coverage to retired members of the uniformed services.

S. 138

At the request of Mr. ROCKEFELLER, the name of the Senator from Arkansas (Mr. PRYOR) was added as a cosponsor of S. 138, a bill to temporarily increase the Federal medical assistance percentage for the medicare program.

S. 196

At the request of Mr. ALLEN, the names of the Senator from Washington (Ms. CANTWELL), the Senator from Delaware (Mr. CARPER) and the Senator from California (Mrs. FEINSTEIN) were added as cosponsors of S. 196, a bill to establish a digital and wireless network technology program, and for other purposes.

S. 196

At the request of Mrs. LINCOLN, her name was added as a cosponsor of S. 196, *supra*.

S. 243

At the request of Mr. ALLEN, the name of the Senator from Idaho (Mr. CRAPO) was added as a cosponsor of S. 243, a bill concerning participation of Taiwan in the World Health Organization.

S. 253

At the request of Mr. CAMPBELL, the name of the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. LIEBERMAN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 253, a bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to exempt qualified current and former law enforcement officers from State laws prohibiting the carrying of concealed handguns.

S. 269

At the request of Mr. INHOFE, the name of the Senator from Vermont (Mr. LEAHY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 269, a bill to amend the Lacey Act Amendments of 1981 to further the conservation of certain wildlife species.

S. 300

At the request of Mr. KERRY, the name of the Senator from Montana (Mr. BURNS) was withdrawn as a cosponsor of S. 300, a bill to award a congressional gold medal to Jackie Robinson (posthumously), in recognition of his many contributions to the Nation, and to express the sense of Congress that there should be a national day in recognition of Jackie Robinson.

S. 300

At the request of Mr. KERRY, the names of the Senator from Mississippi (Mr. LOTT), the Senator from California (Mrs. FEINSTEIN), the Senator from Missouri (Mr. BOND), the Senator from Utah (Mr. HATCH) and the Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. SANTORUM) were added as cosponsors of S. 300, *supra*.

S. 310

At the request of Mr. THOMAS, the names of the Senator from Nebraska (Mr. HAGEL) and the Senator from Maine (Ms. COLLINS) were added as cosponsors of S. 310, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for the coverage of marriage and family therapist services and mental health counselor services under part B of the medicare program, and for other purposes.

S. 363

At the request of Ms. MIKULSKI, the name of the Senator from Rhode Island (Mr. REED) was added as a cosponsor of S. 363, a bill to amend title II of the So-

cial Security Act to provide that the reductions in social security benefits which are required in the case of spouses and surviving spouses who are also receiving certain Government pensions shall be equal to the amount by which two-thirds of the total amount of the combined monthly benefit (before reduction) and monthly pension exceeds \$1,200, adjusted for inflation.

S. 374

At the request of Mr. BAUCUS, the names of the Senator from Idaho (Mr. CRAIG) and the Senator from Nevada (Mr. REID) were added as cosponsors of S. 374, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the occupational taxes relating to distilled spirits, wine, and beer.

S. 395

At the request of Mr. GRASSLEY, the name of the Senator from Florida (Mr. GRAHAM) was added as a cosponsor of S. 395, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide a 3-year extension of the credit for producing electricity from wind.

S. 448

At the request of Mr. DODD, the names of the Senator from Michigan (Mr. LEVIN) and the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. LAUTENBERG) were added as cosponsors of S. 448, a bill to leave no child behind.

S. 459

At the request of Mr. LEAHY, the names of the Senator from Michigan (Ms. STABENOW), the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. KENNEDY) and the Senator from Minnesota (Mr. DAYTON) were added as cosponsors of S. 459, a bill to ensure that a public safety officer who suffers a fatal heart attack or stroke while on duty shall be presumed to have died in the line of duty for purposes of public safety officer survivor benefits.

S. 460

At the request of Mrs. FEINSTEIN, the name of the Senator from Virginia (Mr. ALLEN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 460, a bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 2004 through 2010 to carry out the State Criminal Alien Assistance Program.

S. 466

At the request of Mr. DASCHLE, the name of the Senator from Minnesota (Mr. DAYTON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 466, a bill to provide financial assistance to State and local governments to assist them in preventing and responding to acts of terrorism in order to better protect homeland security.

S. 470

At the request of Mr. SARBANES, the name of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. CORZINE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 470, a bill to extend the authority for the construction of a memorial to Martin Luther King, Jr.

S. 517

At the request of Mrs. MURRAY, the name of the Senator from Washington (Ms. CANTWELL) was added as a cospon-

sor of S. 517, a bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide improved benefits for veterans who are former prisoners of war.

S. 544

At the request of Mr. KENNEDY, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 544, a bill to establish a SAFER Firefighter Grant Program.

S. 560

At the request of Mr. CRAIG, the name of the Senator from North Dakota (Mr. CONRAD) was added as a cosponsor of S. 560, a bill to impose tariff-rate quotas on certain casein and milk protein concentrates.

S. 569

At the request of Mr. ENSIGN, the names of the Senator from Washington (Ms. CANTWELL) and the Senator from Maryland (Ms. MIKULSKI) were added as cosponsors of S. 569, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to repeal the medicare outpatient rehabilitation therapy caps.

S. 596

At the request of Mr. ENSIGN, the name of the Senator from Oregon (Mr. WYDEN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 596, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to encourage the investment of foreign earnings within the United States for productive business investments and job creation.

S. 597

At the request of Mr. GRASSLEY, the name of the Senator from Nebraska (Mr. HAGEL) was added as a cosponsor of S. 597, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide energy tax incentives.

S. 626

At the request of Mr. SANTORUM, the name of the Senator from North Carolina (Mrs. DOLE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 626, a bill to reduce the amount of paperwork for special education teachers, to make mediation mandatory for all legal disputes related to individualized education programs, and for other purposes.

S. 641

At the request of Mrs. LINCOLN, the names of the Senator from Minnesota (Mr. COLEMAN) and the Senator from South Carolina (Mr. GRAHAM) were added as cosponsors of S. 641, a bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to support the Federal Excess Personal Property program of the Forest Service by making it a priority of the Department of Defense to transfer to the Forest Service excess personal property of the Department of Defense that is suitable to be loaned to rural fire departments.

S. 654

At the request of Ms. SNOWE, the name of the Senator from Arkansas (Mrs. LINCOLN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 654, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to enhance the access of medicare beneficiaries who live in medically underserved areas to critical primary and preventive health care benefits, to improve

the Medicare+Choice program, and for other purposes.

S. 665

At the request of Mr. GRASSLEY, the names of the Senator from Oregon (Mr. SMITH), the Senator from Minnesota (Mr. COLEMAN) and the Senator from Mississippi (Mr. COCHRAN) were added as cosponsors of S. 665, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide tax relief for farmers and fisherman, and for other purposes.

S. 686

At the request of Mr. DEWINE, the name of the Senator from Kentucky (Mr. BUNNING) was added as a cosponsor of S. 686, a bill to provide assistance for poison prevention and to stabilize the funding of regional poison control centers.

S. 756

At the request of Mr. THOMAS, the name of the Senator from Idaho (Mr. CRAPO) was added as a cosponsor of S. 756, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to modify the qualified small issue bond provisions.

S. 764

At the request of Mr. LEAHY, the name of the Senator from Michigan (Ms. STABENOW) was added as a cosponsor of S. 764, a bill to extend the authorization of the Bulletproof Vest Partnership Grant Program.

S. 774

At the request of Ms. SNOWE, the name of the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. DODD) was added as a cosponsor of S. 774, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow the use of completed contract method of accounting in the case of certain long-term naval vessel construction contracts.

S. 796

At the request of Ms. COLLINS, the name of the Senator from Hawaii (Mr. AKAKA) was added as a cosponsor of S. 796, a bill to provide for the appointment of a Director of State and Local Government Coordination within the Department of Homeland Security and to transfer the Office for Domestic Preparedness to the Office of the Secretary of Homeland Security.

S. 822

At the request of Mr. KERRY, the name of the Senator from California (Mrs. FEINSTEIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 822, a bill to create a 3-year pilot program that makes small, non-profit child care businesses eligible for SBA 504 loans.

S. 827

At the request of Mr. SARBANES, the name of the Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. SANTORUM) was added as a cosponsor of S. 827, a bill to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to provide assistance for nutrient removal technologies to States in the Chesapeake Bay watershed.

S. 829

At the request of Mr. SARBANES, the name of the Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. SANTORUM) was added as a

cosponsor of S. 829, a bill to reauthorize and improve the Chesapeake Bay Environmental Restoration and Protection Program.

S. 838

At the request of Ms. COLLINS, the names of the Senator from Ohio (Mr. VOINOVICH), the Senator from Vermont (Mr. LEAHY), the Senator from Hawaii (Mr. AKAKA) and the Senator from Arkansas (Mr. PRYOR) were added as cosponsors of S. 838, a bill to waive the limitation on the use of funds appropriated for the Homeland Security Grant Program.

S. 847

At the request of Mr. SMITH, the names of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. LAUTENBERG) and the Senator from California (Mrs. BOXER) were added as cosponsors of S. 847, a bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to permit States the option to provide Medicaid coverage for low income individuals infected with HIV.

S. 862

At the request of Mr. ROCKEFELLER, the name of the Senator from Hawaii (Mr. INOUE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 862, a bill to promote the adoption of children with special needs.

S. 888

At the request of Mr. GREGG, the names of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. LAUTENBERG), the Senator from South Carolina (Mr. GRAHAM), the Senator from Rhode Island (Mr. CHAFEE), the Senator from California (Mrs. FEINSTEIN) and the Senator from West Virginia (Mr. ROCKEFELLER) were added as cosponsors of S. 888, a bill to reauthorize the Museum and Library Services Act, and for other purposes.

S. 890

At the request of Mrs. MURRAY, the name of the Senator from North Dakota (Mr. CONRAD) was added as a cosponsor of S. 890, a bill to amend the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act to provide grants to State educational agencies to establish high cost funds from which local educational agencies are paid a percentage of the costs of providing a free appropriate public education to high need children and other high costs associated with educating children with disabilities, and for other purposes.

S. 896

At the request of Mrs. MURRAY, the name of the Senator from Maine (Ms. SNOWE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 896, a bill to establish a public education and awareness program relating to emergency contraception.

S. 908

At the request of Ms. COLLINS, the name of the Senator from Vermont (Mr. LEAHY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 908, a bill to establish the United States Consensus Council to provide for a consensus building process in addressing national public policy issues, and for other purposes.

S. 939

At the request of Mr. HAGEL, the name of the Senator from Kansas (Mr.

ROBERTS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 939, a bill to amend part B of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act to provide full Federal funding of such part, to provide an exception to the local maintenance of effort requirements, and for other purposes.

S. CON. RES. 14

At the request of Mr. SMITH, the name of the Senator from Maryland (Ms. MIKULSKI) was added as a cosponsor of S. Con. Res. 14, a concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress regarding the education curriculum in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.

S. CON. RES. 26

At the request of Ms. LANDRIEU, the name of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. LAUTENBERG) was added as a cosponsor of S. Con. Res. 26, a concurrent resolution condemning the punishment of execution by stoning as a gross violation of human rights, and for other purposes.

S. RES. 75

At the request of Mr. CAMPBELL, the name of the Senator from New York (Mr. SCHUMER) was added as a cosponsor of S. Res. 75, a resolution commemorating and acknowledging the dedication and sacrifice made by the men and women who have lost their lives while serving as law enforcement officers.

S. RES. 75

At the request of Mr. LEAHY, the name of the Senator from Wisconsin (Mr. KOHL) was added as a cosponsor of S. Res. 75, supra.

S. RES. 125

At the request of Mr. GREGG, the name of the Senator from Tennessee (Mr. FRIST) was added as a cosponsor of S. Res. 125, a resolution designating April 28, 2003, through May 2, 2003, as "National Charter Schools Week", and for other purposes.

STATEMENTS ON INTRODUCED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Mr. DOMENICI:

S. 14. A bill to enhance the energy security of the United States, and for other purposes; read the first time.

Mr. DOMENICI. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the text of the bill be printed in the RECORD.

There being no objection, the bill was ordered to be printed in the RECORD, as follows:

S. 14

Be it enacted by the Senate and the House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as "The Energy Policy Act of 2003".

SEC. 2. TABLE OF CONTENTS.

The table of contents for this Act is as follows:

Sec. 1. Short Title.

Sec. 2. Table of Contents.

TITLE I—OIL AND GAS

Subtitle A—Production Incentives

Sec. 101. Permanent Authority to Operate the Strategic Petroleum Reserve and Other Energy Programs.