

By Mr. BINGAMAN:

S. 2385. A bill to designate the United States courthouse at South Federal Place in Santa Fe, New Mexico, as the "Santiago E. Campos United States Courthouse"; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. ROBERTS:

S. 2386. An original bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2005 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government, the Intelligence Community Management Account, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System, and for other purposes; from the Select Committee on Intelligence; placed on the calendar.

By Mr. CONRAD (for himself and Mr. DORGAN):

S. 2387. A bill to amend the Water Resources Development Act of 1999 to direct the Secretary of the Army to provide assistance to design and construct a project to provide a continued safe and reliable municipal water supply system for Devils Lake, North Dakota; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. JOHNSON (for himself and Ms. LANDRIEU):

S. 2388. A bill to make technical corrections to the Mosquito Abatement for Safety and Health Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. ENSIGN (for himself, Mr. MILLER, Mr. SMITH, Mr. GRAHAM of South Carolina, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. KYL, Mr. BROWNBACK, Mr. THOMAS, Mr. BURNS, Mr. LOTT, Mr. COLEMAN, Mr. SANTORUM, Mr. CORNYN, Mr. CRAIG, and Mr. ALLARD):

S. 2389. A bill to require the withholding of United States contributions to the United Nations until the President certifies that the United Nations is cooperating in the investigation of the United Nations Oil-for-Food Program; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. CAMPBELL (for himself, Mr. DODD, and Mr. BIDEN):

S. Res. 352. A resolution urging the Government of Ukraine to ensure a democratic, transparent, and fair election process for the presidential election on October 31, 2004; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 53

At the request of Mr. DURBIN, the name of the Senator from South Dakota (Mr. JOHNSON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 53, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow small business employers a credit against income tax for employee health insurance expenses paid or incurred by the employer.

S. 253

At the request of Mr. CAMPBELL, the name of the Senator from Delaware (Mr. CARPER) 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 prohib-

iting the carrying of concealed handguns.

S. 641

At the request of Mrs. MURRAY, her name was added as a cosponsor 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. 955

At the request of Mr. ALLEN, the name of the Senator from Georgia (Mr. CHAMBLISS) was added as a cosponsor of 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.

S. 976

At the request of Mr. WARNER, the names of the Senator from North Carolina (Mr. EDWARDS), the Senator from Mississippi (Mr. COCHRAN) and the Senator from Maine (Ms. SNOWE) were added as cosponsors of S. 976, a bill to provide for the issuance of a coin to commemorate the 400th anniversary of the Jamestown settlement.

S. 1246

At the request of Mr. ROBERTS, the name of the Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. SANTORUM) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1246, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for collegiate housing and infrastructure grants.

S. 1358

At the request of Mr. AKAKA, the name of the Senator from South Dakota (Mr. JOHNSON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1358, a bill to amend chapter 23 of title 5, United States Code, to clarify the disclosure of information protected from prohibited personnel practices, require a statement in non-disclosure policies, forms, and agreements that such policies, forms, and agreements conform with certain disclosure protections, provide certain authority for the Special Counsel, and for other purposes.

S. 1368

At the request of Mr. LEVIN, the names of the Senator from Nebraska (Mr. HAGEL), the Senator from Kansas (Mr. BROWNBACK), the Senator from Ohio (Mr. DEWINE), the Senator from Indiana (Mr. LUGAR) and the Senator from Florida (Mr. NELSON) were added as cosponsors of S. 1368, a bill to authorize the President to award a gold medal on behalf of the Congress to Reverend Doctor Martin Luther King, Jr. (posthumously) and his widow Coretta Scott King in recognition of their contributions to the Nation on behalf of the civil rights movement.

S. 1851

At the request of Ms. MURKOWSKI, the name of the Senator from Vermont (Mr. LEAHY) was added as a cosponsor

of S. 1851, a bill to raise the minimum state allocation under section 217(b)(2) of the Cranston-Gonzalez National Affordable Housing Act.

S. 1909

At the request of Mr. COCHRAN, the names of the Senator from New Mexico (Mr. BINGAMAN) and the Senator from South Dakota (Mr. JOHNSON) were added as cosponsors of S. 1909, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to improve stroke prevention, diagnosis, treatment, and rehabilitation.

S. 2152

At the request of Mr. MILLER, the name of the Senator from Nebraska (Mr. NELSON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2152, a bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to provide eligibility for reduced non-regular service military retired pay before age 60, and for other purposes.

S. 2174

At the request of Mr. BUNNING, the name of the Senator from North Dakota (Mr. CONRAD) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2174, a bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to include podiatrists as physicians for purposes of covering physicians services under the medicaid program.

S. 2179

At the request of Mr. BROWNBACK, the name of the Senator from Michigan (Mr. LEVIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2179, a bill to posthumously award a Congressional Gold Medal to the Reverend Oliver L. Brown.

S. 2180

At the request of Mr. CAMPBELL, the name of the Senator from Colorado (Mr. ALLARD) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2180, a bill to direct the Secretary of Agriculture to exchange certain lands in the Arapaho and Roosevelt National Forests in the State of Colorado.

S. 2190

At the request of Mr. INHOFE, the name of the Senator from Georgia (Mr. MILLER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2190, a bill to implement equal protection under the 14th article of amendment to the Constitution for the right to life of each born and preborn human person.

S. 2261

At the request of Mr. DEWINE, the name of the Senator from South Dakota (Mr. DASCHLE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2261, a bill to expand certain preferential trade treatment for Haiti.

S. 2268

At the request of Mr. BUNNING, the name of the Senator from Oklahoma (Mr. INHOFE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2268, a bill to provide for recruiting, training, and deputizing persons for the Federal flight deck officer program.

S. 2269

At the request of Mr. BOND, the name of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. LAUTENBERG) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2269, a bill to improve environmental enforcement and security.

S. 2292

At the request of Mr. VOINOVICH, the names of the Senator from Illinois (Mr. FITZGERALD) and the Senator from Georgia (Mr. CHAMBLISS) were added as cosponsors of S. 2292, a bill to require a report on acts of anti-Semitism around the world.

S. 2301

At the request of Mr. INOUE, the name of the Senator from South Dakota (Mr. JOHNSON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2301, a bill to improve the management of Indian fish and wildlife and gathering resources, and for other purposes.

S. 2365

At the request of Mr. COLEMAN, the names of the Senator from Missouri (Mr. BOND) and the Senator from Kansas (Mr. ROBERTS) were added as cosponsors of S. 2365, a bill to ensure that the total amount of funds awarded to a State under part A of title I of the Elementary and Secondary Act of 1965 for fiscal year 2004 is not less than the total amount of funds awarded to the State under such part for fiscal year 2003.

S. 2372

At the request of Mr. CORZINE, the name of the Senator from Illinois (Mr. DURBIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2372, a bill to amend the Trade Act of 1974 regarding identifying trade expansion priorities.

S. 2376

At the request of Mr. BUNNING, the name of the Senator from Tennessee (Mr. FRIST) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2376, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the scheduled restrictions in the child tax credit, marriage penalty relief, and 10 percent rate bracket, and for other purposes.

S. 2382

At the request of Mr. INOUE, the name of the Senator from Colorado (Mr. CAMPBELL) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2382, a bill to establish grant programs for the development of telecommunications capacities in Indian country.

S.J. RES. 33

At the request of Mr. BROWNBAC, the name of the Senator from Georgia (Mr. CHAMBLISS) was added as a cosponsor of S.J. Res. 33, a joint resolution expressing support for freedom in Hong Kong.

S.J. RES. 36

At the request of Mrs. FEINSTEIN, the names of the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. LIEBERMAN), the Senator from Nebraska (Mr. NELSON), the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. LAUTENBERG) and the Senator from Maryland (Mr. SARBANES) were added as cosponsors of S.J. Res. 36, a joint resolution approving the renewal of import restrictions contained in Burmese Freedom and Democracy Act of 2003.

S. CON. RES. 90

At the request of Mr. LEVIN, the names of the Senator from New York (Mr. SCHUMER) and the Senator from

California (Mrs. FEINSTEIN) were added as cosponsors of S. Con. Res. 90, a concurrent resolution expressing the Sense of the Congress regarding negotiating, in the United States-Thailand Free Trade Agreement, access to the United States automobile industry.

S. CON. RES. 99

At the request of Mr. BROWNBAC, the names of the Senator from Arizona (Mr. MCCAIN), the Senator from Maine (Ms. COLLINS), the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. LAUTENBERG), the Senator from North Dakota (Mr. DORGAN), the Senator from Ohio (Mr. DEWINE), the Senator from Wisconsin (Mr. KOHL), the Senator from New Mexico (Mr. BINGAMAN), the Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. SANTORUM) and the Senator from Maryland (Ms. MIKULSKI) were added as cosponsors of S. Con. Res. 99, a concurrent resolution condemning the Government of the Republic of the Sudan for its participation and complicity in the attacks against innocent civilians in the impoverished Darfur region of western Sudan.

S. CON. RES. 102

At the request of Mr. BROWNBAC, the names of the Senator from New York (Mr. SCHUMER) and the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. LAUTENBERG) were added as cosponsors of S. Con. Res. 102, a concurrent resolution to express the sense of the Congress regarding the 50th anniversary of the Supreme Court decision in *Brown v. Board of Education of Topeka*.

S. RES. 202

At the request of Mr. CAMPBELL, the name of the Senator from Arizona (Mr. MCCAIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. Res. 202, a resolution expressing the sense of the Senate regarding the genocidal Ukraine Famine of 1932-33.

S. RES. 221

At the request of Mr. SARBANES, the names of the Senator from Delaware (Mr. BIDEN) and the Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. SANTORUM) were added as cosponsors of S. Res. 221, a resolution recognizing National Historically Black Colleges and Universities and the importance and accomplishments of historically Black colleges and universities.

S. RES. 313

At the request of Mr. FEINGOLD, the name of the Senator from Hawaii (Mr. INOUE) was added as a cosponsor of S. Res. 313, a resolution expressing the sense of the Senate encouraging the active engagement of Americans in world affairs and urging the Secretary of State to coordinate with implementing partners in creating an online database of international exchange programs and related opportunities.

S. RES. 322

At the request of Mr. HAGEL, the names of the Senator from Arkansas (Mrs. LINCOLN), the Senator from Rhode Island (Mr. REED) and the Senator from Illinois (Mr. DURBIN) were added as cosponsors of S. Res. 322, a resolution designating August 16, 2004, as "National Airborne Day."

S. RES. 332

At the request of Mr. FEINGOLD, the name of the Senator from Maine (Ms. COLLINS) was added as a cosponsor of S. Res. 332, a resolution observing the tenth anniversary of the Rwandan Genocide of 1994.

S. RES. 348

At the request of Mr. BROWNBAC, the names of the Senator from Alaska (Mr. STEVENS), the Senator from Missouri (Mr. TALENT), the Senator from Minnesota (Mr. COLEMAN) and the Senator from Nebraska (Mr. HAGEL) were added as cosponsors of S. Res. 348, a resolution to protect, promote, and celebrate motherhood.

S. RES. 349

At the request of Mr. KENNEDY, the names of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. LAUTENBERG) and the Senator from New York (Mr. SCHUMER) were added as cosponsors of S. Res. 349, a resolution recognizing and honoring May 17, 2004, as the 50th anniversary of the Supreme Court decision in *Brown v. Board of Education of Topeka*.

STATEMENTS ON INTRODUCED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Mr. COLEMAN (for himself, Mr. LEVIN, Ms. COLLINS, and Mr. REED):

S. 2383. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to require the registration of contractors' taxpayer identification numbers in the Central Contractor Registry database of the Department of Defense, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

Mr. COLEMAN. Mr. President, I rise today to introduce the Central Contractor Registry Act of 2004 whose purpose is to establish a centralized contractor database within the Department of Defense and to require federal contractors who register in that database to provide their taxpayer identification number and their consent to verifying that number with the Internal Revenue Service as a condition that must precede the awarding of a contract by the Department of Defense. This bill will close a \$3 billion tax loophole and will help to recover over \$100 million annually from federal contractors who have not filed federal tax returns or who have not paid the taxes they owe the government. I am joined by Senators CARL LEVIN, SUSAN COLLINS and JACK REED.

In a hearing before the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, the General Accounting Office testified that over 27,000 contractors at the Department of Defense owed over \$3 billion in unpaid Federal taxes. Normally, these taxes could be collected through the Federal Payment Levy Program by levying fifteen percent of the contractors' payments. In fiscal year 2002, the Financial Management Service should have collected over \$100 million from tax delinquent Department of Defense contractors. However, actual collections for the year were less than