

EC-7969. A communication from the Director, Regulations Policy, and Management Staff, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Antidiarrheal Drug Products for Over-the-Counter Human Use; Amendment of Final Monograph" (RIN0910-AC82) received on June 9, 2004; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-7970. A communication from the Director, Regulations Policy, and Management Staff, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Prior Notice of Imported Food Under the Public Health Security and Bioterrorism Preparedness and Response Act of 2002; Extension of Comment Period" (Doc. No. 2002N-0278) received on June 9, 2004; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-7971. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Administration and Management, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the Department's competitive sourcing activities; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-7972. A communication from the Director, Corporate Policy and Research Department, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Benefits Payable in Terminated Single-Employer Plans; Allocation of Assets in Single-Employer Plans; Interest Assumptions for Valuing and Paying Benefits" received on June 9, 2004; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-7973. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Administration and Management, Department of Labor, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Department of Labor Acquisition Regulation" (RIN1291-AA34) received on June 9, 2004; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-7974. A communication from the Director, Regulations, Policy, and Management, Staff, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Dental Devices; Reclassification of Root-Form Endosseous Dental Implants and Endosseous Dental Implant Abutments" (Doc. No. 2002N-0114) received on June 9, 2004; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-7975. A communication from the Director, Regulations, Policy, and Management, Staff, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Medical Devices; Immunology and Microbiology Devices; Classification of the Immunomagnetic Circulating Cancer Cell Selection Enumeration System" (Doc. No. 2004P-0126) received on June 9, 2004; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-7976. A communication from the Director, Regulations, Policy, and Management, Staff, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Food and Color Additives and Generally Recognized as Safe Substances; Technical Amendment" (Doc. No. 2004N-0076) received on June 9, 2004; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-7977. A communication from the Regulations Coordinator, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Administrative De-

tention of Food for Human or Animal Consumption Under the Public Health Security and Bioterrorism Preparedness and Response Act of 2002; Final Rule" (RIN0910-AC38) received on June 7, 2004; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-7978. A communication from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Office of Safe and Drug-Free Schools, Department of Education, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Notice of Final Priority and Other Application Requirements under the Emergency Response Crisis Management Grant Program" (RIN1865-ZA01) received on June 7, 2004; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-7979. A communication from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Office of Safe and Drug-Free Schools, Department of Education, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Notice of Final Priority, Selection Criteria, Requirements and Definitions Under the Safe Schools/Health Students Program" (RIN1865-ZA02) received on June 7, 2004; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-7980. A communication from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Office of Safe and Drug-Free Schools, Department of Education, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Notice of Final Priorities, Requirements, and Selection Criteria Under the Mentoring Program" (RIN1865-ZA00) received on June 7, 2004; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EXECUTIVE REPORT OF COMMITTEE

The following executive report of committee was submitted:

By Mr. DOMENICI for the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

*Sudeen G. Kelly, of New Mexico, to be a Member of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission for the term expiring June 30, 2009.

*Nomination was reported with recommendation that it be confirmed subject to the nominee's commitment to respond to requests to appear and testify before any duly constituted committee of the Senate.

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. DASCHLE (for himself and Mr. JOHNSON):

S. 2523. A bill to exempt the Great Plains Region and Rocky Mountain Region of the Bureau of Indian Affairs from trust reform reorganization pending the submission of Agency-specific reorganization plans; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. GRAHAM of Florida:

S. 2524. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve the provision of health care, rehabilitation, and related services to veterans suffering from trauma relating to a blast injury, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. SPECTER (for himself and Mr. SCHUMER):

S. 2525. A bill to establish regional dairy marketing areas to stabilize the price of milk and support the income of dairy producers; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. BOND (for himself, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. DEWINE, and Mrs. MURRAY):

S. 2526. A bill to reauthorize the Children's Hospitals Graduate Medical Education Program; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mrs. FEINSTEIN:

S. 2527. A bill to suspend the duty on certain educational toys and devices; to the Committee on Finance.

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

S. 2528. A bill to restore civil liberties under the First Amendment, the Immigration and Nationality Act, and the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. GRASSLEY (for himself, Mr. BAUCUS, Mr. FRIST, Mr. DASCHLE, Mr. LUGAR, Mr. LIEBERMAN, Mr. SANTORUM, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. MCCAIN, Mr. SUNUNU, Mr. FITZGERALD, Mr. DEWINE, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Ms. CANTWELL, Mr. INHOFE, and Mr. CORZINE):

S. 2529. A bill to extend and modify the trade benefits under the African Growth and Opportunity Act; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. DAYTON:

S. 2530. A bill to amend part D of title XVIII of the Social Security Act to permit medicare beneficiaries to purchase more than one prescription drug discount card and to receive a refund of the enrollment fee if the prices of prescription drugs change or the formulary used by the card sponsor changes during the life of the program; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. WYDEN:

S. 2531. A bill to assist displaced American workers during a jobless recovery, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. ENSIGN (for himself and Mr. REID):

S. 2532. A bill to establish wilderness areas, promote conservation, improve public land, and provide for the high quality development in Lincoln County, Nevada, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Ms. MIKULSKI (for herself, Mr. BOND, Mr. GRAHAM of Florida, Mr. GRASSLEY, Mr. DASCHLE, Mr. WARNER, Mrs. CLINTON, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. ALEXANDER, Mr. BREAUX, Mr. DEWINE, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Mr. ROBERTS, Mr. CORZINE, Mr. TALENT, Mr. SARBANES, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. HAGEL, Mr. KERRY, Mrs. DOLE, Mr. CARPER, Mr. SMITH, Mr. NELSON of Nebraska, Mr. COLEMAN, Mr. EDWARDS, Ms. MURKOWSKI, Mr. DAYTON, Mr. DOMENICI, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. HATCH, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. HOLLINGS, Mr. BAYH, Mr. ROCKEFELLER, Ms. LANDRIEU, Mr. DODD, Mrs. LINCOLN, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. JOHNSON, and Mr. HARKIN):

S. 2533. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to fund breakthroughs in Alzheimer's disease research while providing more help to caregivers and increasing public education about prevention; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. GRAHAM of Florida:

S. 2534. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to extend and enhance benefits under the Montgomery GI Bill, to improve housing benefits for veterans, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

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

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

S. Res. 380. A resolution honoring the Detroit Pistons on winning the National Basketball Association Championship on June 15, 2004; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. NELSON of Florida (for himself, Mr. MILLER, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. GRAHAM of Florida, and Mr. LEVIN):

S. Res. 381. A resolution recognizing the accomplishments and significant contributions of Ray Charles to the world of music; considered and agreed to.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 68

At the request of Mr. INOUE, the name of the Senator from Colorado (Mr. CAMPBELL) was added as a cosponsor of S. 68, a bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve benefits for Filipino veterans of World War II, and for other purposes.

S. 480

At the request of Mr. HARKIN, the name of the Senator from Illinois (Mr. DURBIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 480, a bill to provide competitive grants for training court reporters and closed captioners to meet requirements for realtime writers under the Telecommunications Act of 1996, and for other purposes.

S. 700

At the request of Mr. CAMPBELL, the name of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. CORZINE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 700, a bill to provide for the promotion of democracy, human rights, and rule of law in the Republic of Belarus and for the consolidation and strengthening of Belarus sovereignty and independence.

S. 1129

At the request of Mrs. FEINSTEIN, the name of the Senator from Michigan (Mr. LEVIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1129, a bill to provide for the protection of unaccompanied alien children, and for other purposes.

S. 1172

At the request of Mr. FRIST, the name of the Senator from Alaska (Ms. MURKOWSKI) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1172, a bill to establish grants to provide health services for improved nutrition, increased physical activity, obesity prevention, and for other purposes.

S. 1368

At the request of Mr. LEVIN, the names of the Senator from Minnesota (Mr. DAYTON), the Senator from California (Mrs. BOXER) and the Senator from Florida (Mr. GRAHAM) 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 con-

tributions to the Nation on behalf of the civil rights movement.

S. 1379

At the request of Mr. JOHNSON, the name of the Senator from Missouri (Mr. BOND) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1379, a bill to require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint coins in commemoration of veterans who became disabled for life while serving in the Armed Forces of the United States.

S. 1411

At the request of Ms. STABENOW, her name was added as a cosponsor of S. 1411, a bill to establish a National Housing Trust Fund in the Treasury of the United States to provide for the development of decent, safe, and affordable housing for low-income families, and for other purposes.

S. 1557

At the request of Mr. MCCONNELL, the name of the Senator from Maine (Ms. COLLINS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1557, a bill to authorize the extension of nondiscriminatory treatment (normal trade relations treatment) to the products of Armenia.

S. 1629

At the request of Mr. DEWINE, the name of the Senator from Minnesota (Mr. DAYTON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1629, a bill to improve the palliative and end-of-life care provided to children with life-threatening conditions, and for other purposes.

S. 1900

At the request of Mr. LUGAR, the name of the Senator from Michigan (Mr. LEVIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1900, a bill to amend the African Growth and Opportunity Act to expand certain trade benefits to eligible sub-Saharan African countries, and for other purposes.

S. 1996

At the request of Mr. DASCHLE, the name of the Senator from Hawaii (Mr. INOUE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1996, a bill to enhance and provide to the Oglala Sioux Tribe and Angostura Irrigation Project certain benefits of the Pick-Sloan Missouri River basin program.

S. 2133

At the request of Mrs. CLINTON, the name of the Senator from New York (Mr. SCHUMER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2133, a bill to name the Department of Veterans Affairs medical center in the Bronx, New York, as the James J. Peters Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center.

S. 2174

At the request of Mr. BUNNING, the names of the Senator from California (Mrs. BOXER) and the Senator from Louisiana (Ms. LANDRIEU) were added as cosponsors 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. 2236

At the request of Ms. CANTWELL, the name of the Senator from Maryland

(Mr. SARBANES) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2236, a bill to enhance the reliability of the electric system.

S. 2270

At the request of Mr. DAYTON, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 2270, a bill to amend the Sherman Act to make oil-producing and exporting cartels illegal.

S. 2324

At the request of Mr. CHAMBLISS, the name of the Senator from Tennessee (Mr. ALEXANDER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2324, a bill to extend the deadline on the use of technology standards for the passports of visa waiver participants.

S. 2338

At the request of Mr. BOND, the name of the Senator from Washington (Mrs. MURRAY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2338, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for arthritis research and public health, and for other purposes.

S. 2413

At the request of Mr. BINGAMAN, the name of the Senator from Florida (Mr. GRAHAM) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2413, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for the automatic enrollment of medicaid beneficiaries for prescription drug benefits under part D of such title, and for other purposes.

S. 2419

At the request of Mr. PRYOR, the name of the Senator from West Virginia (Mr. ROCKEFELLER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2419, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide additional relief for members of the Armed Forces and their families.

S. 2435

At the request of Mr. LEAHY, the name of the Senator from Arkansas (Mrs. LINCOLN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2435, a bill to permit Inspectors General to authorize staff to provide assistance to the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children, and for other purposes.

S. 2474

At the request of Mr. ALLARD, the name of the Senator from Wyoming (Mr. THOMAS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2474, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow penalty-free withdrawals from retirement plans during the period that a military reservist or national guardsman is called to active duty for an extended period, and for other purposes.

S. 2508

At the request of Mr. DOMENICI, the name of the Senator from Colorado (Mr. ALLARD) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2508, a bill to redesignate the Ridges Basin Reservoir, Colorado, as Lake Nighthorse.

S. 2522

At the request of Mr. CORZINE, the name of the Senator from Alaska (Ms. MURKOWSKI) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2522, a bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to increase the