

S. 1424. A bill to remove the restrictions on commercial air service at Love Field, Texas; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. INHOFE (for himself and Mr. HARKIN):

S. 1425. A bill to give effect to the original agreement entered into by the cities of Dallas, Texas, and Fort Worth, Texas to build a single airport to provide for the commercial air transportation needs of the region, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. OBAMA:

S. 1426. A bill to amend the Safe Drinking Water Act to reauthorize and extend provisions relating to contaminant prevention detection, and response; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

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

By Ms. CANTWELL (for herself and Mr. DURBIN):

S. Res. 201. A resolution designating September 14, 2005, as “National Attention Deficit Disorder Awareness Day”; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. FRIST (for himself, Mrs. DOLE, and Mr. LUGAR):

S. Res. 202. A resolution urging the Government of Sudan and the Sudan People’s Liberation Movement/Army to fully implement the Comprehensive Peace Agreement of January 9, 2005; considered and agreed to.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 58

At the request of Mr. INOUYE, the names of the Senator from Nebraska (Mr. HAGEL) and the Senator from Iowa (Mr. HARKIN) were added as cosponsors of S. 58, a bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to permit former members of the Armed Forces who have a service-connected disability rated as total to travel on military aircraft in the same manner and to the same extent as retired members of the Armed Forces are entitled to travel on such aircraft.

S. 103

At the request of Mrs. FEINSTEIN, the name of the Senator from Illinois (Mr. OBAMA) was added as a cosponsor of S. 103, a bill to respond to the illegal production, distribution, and use of methamphetamine in the United States, and for other purposes.

S. 151

At the request of Mr. COLEMAN, the name of the Senator from South Carolina (Mr. GRAHAM) was added as a cosponsor of S. 151, a bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to require an annual plan on outreach activities of the Department of Veterans Affairs.

S. 313

At the request of Mr. LUGAR, the names of the Senator from California (Mrs. FEINSTEIN), the Senator from New York (Mrs. CLINTON), the Senator from Vermont (Mr. JEFFORDS), and the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. KERRY) were added as cosponsors of S. 313, a bill to improve authorities to ad-

dress urgent nonproliferation crises and United States nonproliferation operations.

S. 333

At the request of Mr. SANTORUM, the name of the Senator from South Carolina (Mr. DEMINT) was added as a cosponsor of S. 333, a bill to hold the current regime in Iran accountable for its threatening behavior and to support a transition to democracy in Iran.

S. 390

At the request of Mr. DODD, the name of the Senator from Indiana (Mr. BAYH) was added as a cosponsor of S. 390, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for coverage of ultrasound screening for abdominal aortic aneurysms under part B of the medicare program.

S. 392

At the request of Mr. LEVIN, the names of the Senator from Hawaii (Mr. INOUYE), the Senator from Alabama (Mr. SESSIONS), the Senator from Washington (Ms. CANTWELL), and the Senator from Missouri (Mr. TALENT) were added as cosponsors of S. 392, a bill to authorize the President to award a gold medal on behalf of Congress, collectively, to the Tuskegee Airmen in recognition of their unique military record, which inspired revolutionary reform in the Armed Forces.

S. 457

At the request of Ms. COLLINS, the name of the Senator from Minnesota (Mr. COLEMAN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 457, a bill to require the Director of the Office of Management and Budget to issue guidance for, and provide oversight of, the management of micropurchases made with Governmentwide commercial purchase cards, and for other purposes.

S. 503

At the request of Mr. BOND, the name of the Senator from New York (Mrs. CLINTON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 503, a bill to expand Parents as Teachers programs and other quality programs of early childhood home visitation, and for other purposes.

S. 662

At the request of Ms. COLLINS, the name of the Senator from Illinois (Mr. DURBIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 662, a bill to reform the postal laws of the United States.

S. 760

At the request of Mr. INOUYE, the name of the Senator from Delaware (Mr. CARPER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 760, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide a means for continued improvement in emergency medical services for children.

S. 792

At the request of Mr. DORGAN, the names of the Senator from Washington (Ms. CANTWELL), the Senator from Iowa (Mr. HARKIN), and the Senator from Illinois (Mr. OBAMA) were added as cosponsors of S. 792, a bill to establish a National sex offender registration database, and for other purposes.

S. 860

At the request of Mr. ALEXANDER, the name of the Senator from Louisiana (Ms. LANDRIEU) was added as a cosponsor of S. 860, a bill to amend the National Assessment of Educational Progress Authorization Act to require State academic assessments of student achievement in United States history and civics, and for other purposes.

S. 930

At the request of Mr. DODD, the name of the Senator from New Mexico (Mr. BINGAMAN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 930, a bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act with respect to drug safety, and for other purposes.

S. 1035

At the request of Mr. INHOFE, the name of the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. KENNEDY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1035, a bill to authorize the presentation of commemorative medals on behalf of Congress to Native Americans who served as Code Talkers during foreign conflicts in which the United States was involved during the 20th century in recognition of the service of those Native Americans to the United States.

S. 1038

At the request of Mr. LUGAR, the name of the Senator from Wisconsin (Mr. KOHL) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1038, a bill to amend the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002 to enhance the ability to produce fruits and vegetables on covered commodity base acres.

S. 1081

At the request of Mr. KYL, the name of the Senator from Montana (Mr. BURNS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1081, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for a minimum update for physicians’ services for 2006 and 2007.

S. 1117

At the request of Mr. ALEXANDER, the name of the Senator from Rhode Island (Mr. CHAFEE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1117, a bill to deepen the peaceful business and cultural engagement of the United States and the People’s Republic of China, and for other purposes.

S. 1129

At the request of Mr. LUGAR, the name of the Senator from Illinois (Mr. OBAMA) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1129, a bill to provide authorizations of appropriations for certain development banks, and for other purposes.

S. 1172

At the request of Mr. SPECTER, the names of the Senator from Indiana (Mr. LUGAR), the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. LAUTENBERG) and the Senator from Washington (Mrs. MURRAY) were added as cosponsors of S. 1172, a bill to provide for programs to increase the awareness and knowledge of women and health care providers with respect to gynecologic cancers.

S. 1197

At the request of Mr. BIDEN, the names of the Senator from Maryland

(Mr. SARBANES), the Senator from Delaware (Mr. CARPER) and the Senator from Rhode Island (Mr. REED) were added as cosponsors of S. 1197, a bill to reauthorize the Violence Against Women Act of 1994.

S. 1209

At the request of Mr. GREGG, the name of the Senator from Alabama (Mr. SESSIONS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1209, a bill to establish and strengthen postsecondary programs and courses in the subjects of traditional American history, free institutions, and Western civilization, available to students preparing to teach these subjects, and to other students.

S. 1215

At the request of Mr. GREGG, the names of the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. KENNEDY) and the Senator from Ohio (Mr. DEWINE) were added as cosponsors of S. 1215, a bill to authorize the acquisition of interests in underdeveloped coastal areas in order better to ensure their protection from development.

S. 1244

At the request of Mr. HAGEL, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 1244, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow individuals a deduction for qualified long-term care insurance premiums, use of such insurance under cafeteria plans and flexible spending arrangements, and a credit for individuals with long-term needs.

S. 1249

At the request of Mr. CORZINE, the name of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. LAUTENBERG) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1249, a bill to require the Secretary of Education to rebate the amount of Federal Pell Grant aid lost as a result of the update to the tables for State and other taxes used in the Federal student aid need analysis for award year 2005–2006.

S. 1263

At the request of Mr. BOND, the name of the Senator from Missouri (Mr. TALENT) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1263, a bill to amend the Small Business Act to establish eligibility requirements for business concerns to receive awards under the Small Business Innovation Research Program.

S. 1325

At the request of Mr. FRIST, the name of the Senator from New York (Mr. SCHUMER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1325, a bill to establish grants to provide health services for improved nutrition, increased physical activity, obesity and eating disorder prevention, and for other purposes.

S. 1358

At the request of Mr. DURBIN, the name of the Senator from California (Mrs. FEINSTEIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1358, a bill to protect scientific integrity in Federal research and policymaking.

S. 1390

At the request of Mr. INOUYE, the name of the Senator from Hawaii (Mr.

AKAKA) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1390, a bill to reauthorize the Coral Reef Conservation Act of 2000, and for other purposes.

S. 1402

At the request of Mr. DEWINE, the name of the Senator from Illinois (Mr. OBAMA) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1402, a bill to amend section 42 of title 18, United States Code, to prohibit the importation and shipment of certain species of carp.

S. 1411

At the request of Ms. STABENOW, her name was added as a cosponsor of S. 1411, a bill to direct the Administrator of the Small Business Administration to establish a pilot program to provide regulatory compliance assistance to small business concerns, and for other purposes.

S. 1417

At the request of Mr. CRAIG, the name of the Senator from Maine (Ms. COLLINS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1417, a bill to impose tariff-rate quotas on certain casein and milk protein concentrates.

S.J. RES. 18

At the request of Ms. STABENOW, her name was added as a cosponsor of S.J. Res. 18, a joint resolution approving the renewal of import restrictions contained in the Burmese Freedom and Democracy Act of 2003.

S. RES. 42

At the request of Mr. LUGAR, the name of the Senator from Minnesota (Mr. DAYTON) was added as a cosponsor of S. Res. 42, a resolution expressing the sense of the Senate on promoting initiatives to develop an HIV vaccine.

AMENDMENT NO. 1238

At the request of Mr. McCONNELL, the name of the Senator from Vermont (Mr. LEAHY) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 1238 proposed to H.R. 3057, a bill making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2006, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 1260

At the request of Mr. SANTORUM, the names of the Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. SPECTER), the Senator from Michigan (Mr. LEVIN), the Senator from Louisiana (Ms. LANDRIEU) and the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. LAUTENBERG) were added as cosponsors of amendment No. 1260 proposed to H.R. 3057, a bill making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2006, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 1261

At the request of Mrs. CLINTON, the names of the Senator from Maryland (Ms. MIKULSKI) and the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. CORZINE) were added as cosponsors of amendment No. 1261 intended to be proposed to H.R. 3057, a bill making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year end-

ing September 30, 2006, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 1262

At the request of Mr. NELSON of Florida, his name was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 1262 proposed to H.R. 3057, a bill making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2006, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 1264

At the request of Mr. McCONNELL, the names of the Senator from New Hampshire (Mr. GREGG) and the Senator from Vermont (Mr. LEAHY) were added as cosponsors of amendment No. 1264 proposed to H.R. 3057, a bill making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2006, and for other purposes.

STATEMENTS ON INTRODUCED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Mr. INHOFE (for himself and Mr. HARKIN):

S. 1425. A bill to give effect to the original agreement entered into by the cities of Dallas, Texas, and Fort Worth, Texas, to build a single airport to provide for the commercial air transportation needs of the region, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

Mr. INHOFE. Mr. President, Senator HARKIN and I are introducing the True Competition Act which will resolve a longstanding debate about the status of Dallas Love Field Airport. This is a critical issue for those of us from States that depend on access to the Nation's air transportation network through hub airports in other States.

In the late 1960s the Federal Government expressed concern that it was funding three airports very closely located to each other in the Dallas/Fort Worth area. It asked the local communities to build a single major airport to serve the entire region. The cities of Dallas and Fort Worth, in consultation with the airlines serving the local airports, agreed to do so only under the condition that all three local airports be permanently closed to all commercial airline traffic. It was this agreement that resulted in the construction of the Dallas/Fort Worth International Airport.

The legislation I propose today would return to the original intent of all the parties involved in the decision to build DFW International by closing Love Field to commercial air traffic. If enacted, competition at DFW will increase significantly. This will be good for consumers and it will be good for communities that used DFW as their access to the world.

The Federal statute that is central to this debate is the so-called Wright amendment. This was a law enacted in 1979 that allowed Love Field to stay