

POM-345. A resolution adopted by the Senate of the State of Michigan relative to memorializing the United States Congress to adopt and transmit to the states for ratification an amendment to the U.S. Constitution that would ensure that apportionment is based on citizens and not non-citizens; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 105

Whereas, Reapportionment based on the counting of non-citizens in the federal census is adversely affecting the United States Congress and the American political process. Since 1960, Michigan and other Midwestern states have had to sacrifice congressional representation to the faster-growing states of Florida, California, and Texas. The redistributions of congressional seats in the 1970 and 1980 censuses were almost completely due to internal migration; citizens moving from the Northeastern and Midwestern states to the South and West. However, since 1990, immigration has been driving reapportionment. During that decade the number of non-citizens grew by almost 680,000 annually. By March 2005 there were nearly 22 million non-citizens in this country, comprising 7.4 percent of the total population; and

Whereas, Immigration is having a significant effect on the distribution of congressional seats for several reasons. First, seats are apportioned based on each state's total population relative to the rest of the country, including legal immigrants and illegal non-citizens. Second, Congress permits a significant number of legal immigrants to enter this country and permits hordes of illegals to brazenly flout our immigration laws by crossing our porous borders unchallenged. According to the 2000 census, there were more than 18 million non-citizens in the United States, equaling the population of almost 29 congressional districts. Further, non-citizens are not equally distributed throughout the nation. In 2000, over 9 million non-citizens lived in 3 states and nearly 70 percent resided in 6 states; and

Whereas, The impact of non-citizens on apportionment is tremendous. In 2000, the presence of non-citizens caused Michigan and 8 other states to lose congressional seats. Moreover, Michigan was one of 4 states to lose seats directly to the illegal immigrant havens of California, Texas, New York, and Florida. It is important to realize that Michigan did not lose a congressional seat because its population was in decline. Instead, legal and illegal immigration caused the population of other states to grow at an even faster pace; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate, That we memorialize the United States Congress to adopt and transmit to the states for ratification an amendment to the U.S. Constitution that would ensure that apportionment is based on citizens, and not non-citizens; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be transmitted to the President of the United States Senate, the Speaker of the United States House of Representatives, and the members of the Michigan congressional delegation.

POM-346. A referendum adopted by the Town of Perry, Dane County, Wisconsin relative to immediate troop withdrawal from Iraq; to the Committee on Armed Services,

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. KENNEDY:

S. 3350. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on Naphthol AS-CA; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. KENNEDY:

S. 3351. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on 1-(P-Tolyl)-3-Methyl-5-Pyrazolone; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. KENNEDY:

S. 3352. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on Naphthol AS-KB; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. KENNEDY:

S. 3353. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on Basic Violet 1; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. KENNEDY:

S. 3354. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on Basic Blue 7; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. KENNEDY:

S. 3355. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on Fast Red B Base; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. KENNEDY:

S. 3356. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on 3 Amino-4-Methylbenzamide; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. KENNEDY:

S. 3357. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on Acetoacetyl-2,5-Dimethoxy-4-Chloroanilide; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. KENNEDY (for himself and Mr. KERRY):

S. 3358. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on gemifloxacin, gemifloxacin mesylate, and gemifloxacin mesylate sesquihydrate; to the Committee on Finance.

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

S. 3359. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on diethyl ether; to the Committee on Finance.

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

S. 3360. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on phenyl salicylate (benzoic acid, 2-hydroxy-, phenyl ester); to the Committee on Finance.

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

S. 3361. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on titanium dioxide anatase; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. CHAMBLISS:

S. 3362. A bill to exempt woven fiberglass mesh fabric from certain quotas; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. DEWINE:

S. 3363. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide for accelerated payment of survivors' and dependents' educational assistance for certain programs of education, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. NELSON of Nebraska:

S. 3364. A bill to authorize appropriate action against Japan for failing to resume the importation of United States beef in a timely manner, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. NELSON of Nebraska:

S. 3365. A bill to reduce temporarily the duty on Pinoxaden Technical; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. NELSON of Nebraska:

S. 3366. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on mixtures of tralkoxydim; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. NELSON of Nebraska:

S. 3367. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on formulations of pinoxaden/cloquintocet; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. NELSON of Nebraska:

S. 3368. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on Permethrin; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. NELSON of Nebraska:

S. 3369. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on Metalaxyl-M Technical; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. NELSON of Nebraska:

S. 3370. A bill to reduce temporarily the duty on Fludioxonil Technical; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. NELSON of Nebraska:

S. 3371. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on mixtures of difenoconazole/mefenoxam; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. NELSON of Nebraska:

S. 3372. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on Cyproconazole Technical; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. NELSON of Nebraska:

S. 3373. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on Cloquintocet-mexyl; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. NELSON of Nebraska:

S. 3374. A bill to reduce temporarily the duty on formulations of Clodinafop-propargyl; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. NELSON of Nebraska:

S. 3375. A bill to reduce temporarily the duty on formulations of Azoxystrobin; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. NELSON of Nebraska:

S. 3376. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on Avermectin B, 1,4'-deoxy-4'-methylamino-, (4'R)-, benzoate; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. DEWINE:

S. 3377. A bill to extend temporarily the suspension of duty on 1,3-Bis(4-aminophenoxy)benzene (RODA); to the Committee on Finance.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

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

By Ms. MURKOWSKI (for herself, Mr. JOHNSON, Mr. COLEMAN, Mr. DODD, Mr. DURBIN, Mrs. MURRAY, and Mr. STEVENS):

S. Res. 499. A resolution designating September 9, 2006, as "National Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders Awareness Day"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 98

At the request of Mr. ALLARD, the name of the Senator from Rhode Island (Mr. CHAFEE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 98, a bill to amend the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956 and the Revised Statutes of the United States to prohibit financial holding companies and national banks from engaging, directly or indirectly, in real estate brokerage or real estate management activities, and for other purposes.

S. 185

At the request of Mr. NELSON of Florida, the name of the Senator from Maine (Ms. COLLINS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 185, a bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to repeal the requirement for the reduction of certain Survivor Benefit Plan annuities by the amount of dependency and indemnity compensation and to modify the effective date for paid-up coverage under the Survivor Benefit Plan.

S. 420

At the request of Mr. KYL, the name of the Senator from Tennessee (Mr. ALEXANDER) was added as a cosponsor of

S. 420, a bill to make the repeal of the estate tax permanent.

S. 548

At the request of Mr. CONRAD, the names of the Senator from Maine (Ms. COLLINS) and the Senator from New York (Mr. SCHUMER) were added as cosponsors of S. 548, a bill to amend the Food Security Act of 1985 to encourage owners and operators of privately held farm, ranch, and forest land to voluntarily make their land available for access by the public under programs administered by States and tribal governments.

S. 635

At the request of Mr. SANTORUM, the names of the Senator from Mississippi (Mr. LOTT) and the Senator from South Carolina (Mr. GRAHAM) were added as cosponsors of S. 635, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to improve the benefits under the medicare program for beneficiaries with kidney disease, and for other purposes.

S. 1110

At the request of Mr. ALLEN, the name of the Senator from Ohio (Mr. DEWINE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1110, a bill to amend the Federal Hazardous Substances Act to require engine coolant and antifreeze to contain a bittering agent in order to render the coolant or antifreeze unpalatable.

S. 1272

At the request of Mr. NELSON of Nebraska, the name of the Senator from Colorado (Mr. SALAZAR) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1272, a bill to amend title 46, United States Code, and title II of the Social Security Act to provide benefits to certain individuals who served in the United States merchant marine (including the Army Transport Service and the Naval Transport Service) during World War II.

S. 1522

At the request of Mr. CHAMBLISS, the name of the Senator from Oklahoma (Mr. INHOFE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1522, a bill to recognize the heritage of hunting and provide opportunities for continued hunting on Federal public land.

S. 1537

At the request of Mr. AKAKA, the name of the Senator from New Mexico (Mr. BINGAMAN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1537, a bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide for the establishment of Parkinson's Disease Research Education and Clinical Centers in the Veterans Health Administration of the Department of Veterans Affairs and Multiple Sclerosis Centers of Excellence.

S. 1687

At the request of Ms. MIKULSKI, the name of the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. KENNEDY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1687, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide waivers relating to grants for preventive health measures with respect to breast and cervical cancers.

S. 1722

At the request of Ms. MURKOWSKI, the name of the Senator from California (Mrs. BOXER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1722, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to reauthorize and extend the Fetal Alcohol Syndrome prevention and services program, and for other purposes.

S. 1741

At the request of Mr. VOINOVICH, the names of the Senator from Hawaii (Mr. AKAKA) and the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. MENENDEZ) were added as cosponsors of S. 1741, a bill to amend the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act to authorize the President to carry out a program for the protection of the health and safety of residents, workers, volunteers, and others in a disaster area.

S. 1862

At the request of Mr. SMITH, the name of the Senator from Nebraska (Mr. HAGEL) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1862, a bill to establish a joint energy cooperation program within the Department of Energy to fund eligible ventures between United States and Israeli businesses and academic persons in the national interest, and for other purposes.

S. 1907

At the request of Mr. JOHNSON, the name of the Senator from Hawaii (Mr. AKAKA) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1907, a bill to promote the development of Native American small business concerns, and for other purposes.

S. 1998

At the request of Mr. CONRAD, the name of the Senator from New York (Mrs. CLINTON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1998, a bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to enhance protections relating to the reputation and meaning of the Medal of Honor and other military decorations and awards, and for other purposes.

S. 2178

At the request of Mr. SCHUMER, the name of the Senator from Michigan (Ms. STABENOW) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2178, a bill to make the stealing and selling of telephone records a criminal offense.

S. 2292

At the request of Mr. SPECTER, the names of the Senator from South Dakota (Mr. JOHNSON) and the Senator from Delaware (Mr. CARPER) were added as cosponsors of S. 2292, a bill to provide relief for the Federal judiciary from excessive rent charges.

S. 2321

At the request of Mr. SANTORUM, the names of the Senator from Colorado (Mr. ALLARD), the Senator from Colorado (Mr. SALAZAR) and the Senator from Virginia (Mr. WARNER) were added as cosponsors of S. 2321, a bill to require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint coins in commemoration of Louis Braille.

S. 2393

At the request of Mr. COLEMAN, the name of the Senator from California

(Mrs. BOXER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2393, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to advance medical research and treatments into pediatric cancers, ensure patients and families have access to the current treatments and information regarding pediatric cancers, establish a population-based national childhood cancer database, and promote public awareness of pediatric cancers.

S. 2395

At the request of Mr. GRASSLEY, the names of the Senator from Iowa (Mr. HARKIN) and the Senator from Alaska (Mr. STEVENS) were added as cosponsors of S. 2395, a bill to amend title 39, United States Code, to require that air carriers accept as mail shipments certain live animals.

S. 2444

At the request of Mr. AKAKA, the name of the Senator from Rhode Island (Mr. REED) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2444, a bill to amend the National Dam Safety Program Act to establish a program to provide grant assistance to States for the rehabilitation and repair of deficient dams.

S. 2570

At the request of Mr. DEWINE, the name of the Senator from Delaware (Mr. BIDEN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2570, a bill to authorize funds for the United States Marshals Service's Fugitive Safe Surrender Program.

S. 2599

At the request of Mr. VITTER, the names of the Senator from Montana (Mr. BAUCUS) and the Senator from West Virginia (Mr. BYRD) were added as cosponsors of S. 2599, a bill to amend the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act to prohibit the confiscation of firearms during certain national emergencies.

S. 2614

At the request of Mr. THUNE, the name of the Senator from Alaska (Ms. MURKOWSKI) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2614, a bill to amend the Solid Waste Disposal Act to establish a program to provide reimbursement for the installation of alternative energy refueling systems.

S. 2691

At the request of Mr. CORNYN, the name of the Senator from Texas (Mrs. HUTCHISON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2691, a bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to increase competitiveness in the United States, and for other purposes.

S. 2810

At the request of Mr. GRASSLEY, the names of the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. KERRY) and the Senator from Vermont (Mr. LEAHY) were added as cosponsors of S. 2810, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to eliminate months in 2006 from the calculation of any late enrollment penalty under the Medicare part D prescription drug program and to provide for additional funding for State health insurance counseling program and area

agencies on aging, and for other purposes.

S. 2831

At the request of Mr. SPECTER, the name of the Senator from Delaware (Mr. BIDEN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2831, a bill to guarantee the free flow of information to the public through a free and active press while protecting the right of the public to effective law enforcement and the fair administration of justice.

S. 2916

At the request of Mrs. CLINTON, the name of the Senator from Washington (Mrs. MURRAY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2916, a bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to expand access to contraceptive services for women and men under the Medicaid program, help low income women and couples prevent unintended pregnancies and reduce abortion, and for other purposes.

S. 2970

At the request of Mr. KERRY, the name of the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. LIEBERMAN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2970, a bill to require the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to provide free credit monitoring and credit reports for veterans and others affected by the theft of veterans' personal data, to ensure that such persons are appropriately notified of such thefts, and for other purposes.

S. 2990

At the request of Mr. VITTER, the name of the Senator from Texas (Mr. CORNYN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2990, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to restore financial stability to Medicare anesthesiology teaching programs for resident physicians.

S. 3033

At the request of Mr. DEWINE, the name of the Senator from Ohio (Mr. VOINOVICH) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3033, a bill to suspend temporarily the duty on Methylnone.

S. 3035

At the request of Mr. SMITH, the name of the Senator from Washington (Ms. CANTWELL) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3035, a bill to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a study to determine the feasibility of establishing the Columbia-Pacific National Heritage Area in the States of Washington and Oregon, and for other purposes.

S. 3176

At the request of Mr. ROCKEFELLER, the names of the Senator from Vermont (Mr. LEAHY) and the Senator from Michigan (Ms. STABENOW) were added as cosponsors of S. 3176, a bill to protect the privacy of veterans and spouses of veterans affected by the security breach at the Department of Veterans Affairs on May 3, 2006, and for other purposes.

At the request of Mr. BAUCUS, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 3176, *supra*.

S. 3275

At the request of Mr. ALLEN, the name of the Senator from Montana (Mr. BURNS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 3275, a bill to amend title 18, United States code, to provide a national standard in accordance with which nonresidents of a State may carry concealed firearms in the State.

S.J. RES. 38

At the request of Mr. MCCONNELL, the name of the Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. SPECTER) was added as a cosponsor of S.J. Res. 38, a joint resolution approving the renewal of import restrictions contained in the Burmese Freedom and Democracy Act of 2003, and for other purposes.

S. RES. 470

At the request of Mr. KERRY, the name of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. LAUTENBERG) was added as a cosponsor of S. Res. 470, a resolution promoting a comprehensive political agreement in Iraq.

S. RES. 492

At the request of Mr. BAUCUS, the name of the Senator from Wisconsin (Mr. FEINGOLD) was added as a cosponsor of S. Res. 492, a resolution to amend the Standing Rules of the Senate to prohibit Members from using charitable foundations for personal gain.

S. RES. 493

At the request of Mr. DEWINE, the name of the Senator from New York (Mr. SCHUMER) was added as a cosponsor of S. Res. 493, a resolution calling on the Government of the United Kingdom to establish immediately a full, independent, public judicial inquiry into the murder of Northern Ireland defense attorney Pat Finucane, as recommended by international Judge Peter Cory as part of the Western Park agreement and a way forward for the Northern Ireland Peace Process.

S. RES. 495

At the request of Mr. GRASSLEY, the names of the Senator from Indiana (Mr. LUGAR) and the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. MENENDEZ) were added as cosponsors of S. Res. 495, a resolution designating June 8, 2006, as the day of a National Vigil for Lost Promise.

SUBMITTED RESOLUTIONS

SENATE RESOLUTION 499—DESIGNATING SEPTEMBER 9, 2006, AS “NATIONAL FETAL ALCOHOL SPECTRUM DISORDERS AWARENESS DAY”

Ms. MURKOWSKI (for herself, Mr. JOHNSON, Mr. COLEMAN, Mr. DODD, Mr. DURBIN, Mrs. MURRAY, and Mr. STEVENS) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary:

S. RES. 499

Whereas the term “fetal alcohol spectrum disorders” includes a broader range of conditions and therefore has replaced the term “fetal alcohol syndrome” as the umbrella

term describing the range of effects that can occur in an individual whose mother drank alcohol during pregnancy;

Whereas fetal alcohol spectrum disorders are the leading cause of mental retardation in western civilization, including the United States, and are 100 percent preventable;

Whereas fetal alcohol spectrum disorders are a major cause of numerous social disorders, including learning disabilities, school failure, juvenile delinquency, homelessness, unemployment, mental illness, and crime;

Whereas the incidence rate of fetal alcohol syndrome is estimated at 1 out of 500 live births and the incidence rate of fetal alcohol spectrum disorders is estimated at 1 out of every 100 live births;

Whereas the economic cost of fetal alcohol syndrome alone to the Nation was \$5,400,000,000 in 2003 and it is estimated that each individual with fetal alcohol syndrome will cost taxpayers of the United States between \$1,500,000 and \$3,000,000 in his or her lifetime;

Whereas, in February 1999, a small group of parents of children who suffer from fetal alcohol spectrum disorders came together with the hope that in 1 magic moment the world could be made aware of the devastating consequences of alcohol consumption during pregnancy;

Whereas the first International Fetal Alcohol Syndrome Awareness Day was observed on September 9, 1999;

Whereas Bonnie Buxton of Toronto, Canada, the co-founder of the first International Fetal Alcohol Syndrome Awareness Day, asked “What if . . . a world full of FAS/E [Fetal Alcohol Syndrome/Effect] parents all got together on the ninth hour of the ninth day of the ninth month of the year and asked the world to remember that during the 9 months of pregnancy a woman should not consume alcohol . . . would the rest of the world listen?”; and

Whereas on the ninth day of the ninth month of each year since 1999, communities around the world have observed International Fetal Alcohol Syndrome Awareness Day: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate—

(1) designates September 9, 2006, as “National Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders Awareness Day”; and

(2) calls upon the people of the United States—

(A) to observe National Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders Awareness Day with appropriate ceremonies—

(i) to promote awareness of the effects of prenatal exposure to alcohol;

(ii) to increase compassion for individuals affected by prenatal exposure to alcohol;

(iii) to minimize further effects of prenatal exposure to alcohol; and

(iv) to ensure healthier communities across the United States; and

(B) to observe a moment of reflection on the ninth hour of September 9, 2006, to remember that during the 9 months of pregnancy a woman should not consume alcohol.

PRIVILEGES OF THE FLOOR

Mr. CORNYN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that a law clerk on my staff, Andrea Bouressa, be given floor privileges for the duration of the debate on S.J. Res. 1, the marriage amendment.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.