

EC-464. A communication from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 16-633, "Interest on Rental Security Deposits Amendment Act of 2006" received on January 24, 2007; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-465. A communication from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 16-624, "Public Charter School Assets and Facilities Preservation Amendment Act of 2006" received on January 24, 2007; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-466. A communication from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 16-623, "Rate of Pay for the Position of Inspector General for the Office of the Inspector General Amendment Act of 2006" received on January 24, 2007; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-467. A communication from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 16-620, "Developmental Disabilities Services Management Reform Amendment Act of 2006" received on January 24, 2007; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-468. A communication from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 16-618, "Homeland Security, Risk Reduction, and Preparedness Amendment Act of 2006" received on January 24, 2007; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-469. A communication from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 16-619, "Medical Malpractice Amendment Act of 2006" received on January 24, 2007; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-470. A communication from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 16-638, "Closing of Portions of a Public Alley System on the West Side of Square 701, S.O. 06-3392, Act of 2006" received on January 24, 2007; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-471. A communication from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 16-635, "Workforce Housing Production Program Approval Act of 2006" received on January 24, 2007; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-472. A communication from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 16-621, "Childhood Lead Screening Amendment Act of 2006" received on January 24, 2007; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-473. A communication from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 16-641, "Walter E. Washington Convention Center Designation Act of 2006" received on January 24, 2007; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-474. A communication from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 16-644, "Special Purpose Financial Captive Authorization Amendment Act of 2006" received on January 24, 2007; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-475. A communication from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 16-640, "Closing of a Public Alley in Square 739, the Closure of Streets, the Opening and Widening of Streets, and the Dedication of Land for Street Purposes (S.O. 06-221), Act of 2006" received on January 24, 2007; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-476. A communication from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 16-639, "Closing of Portions of a Public Alley System in Square 700, S.O. 06-3582, Act of 2006" received on January 24, 2007; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-477. A communication from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 16-636, "Department of Motor Vehicles Service and Safety Amendment Act of 2006" received on January 24, 2007; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-478. A communication from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 16-649, "Film DC Economic Incentive Act of 2006" received on January 24, 2007; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-479. A communication from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 16-645, "Captive Insurance Company Amendment Act of 2006" received on January 24, 2007; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-480. A communication from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 16-652, "Anti-Deficiency Act Revision Act of 2006" received on January 24, 2007; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-481. A communication from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 16-651, "Domestic Partnerships Joint Filing Act of 2006" received on January 24, 2007; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-482. A communication from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 16-653, "Second Technical Amendments Act of 2006" received on January 24, 2007; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-483. A communication from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 16-655, "Shelter Monitoring and Emergency Assistance Amendment Act of 2006" received on January 24, 2007; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-484. A communication from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 16-654, "Mayor and Council Compensation Adjustment and Compensation Advisory Commission Establishment Amendment Act of 2006" received on January 24, 2007; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-485. A communication from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 16-646, "National Capital Revitalization Corporation Asset Transfer Clarification Amendment Act of 2006" received on January 24, 2007; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-486. A communication from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia,

transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 16-643, "Rebuttable Presumption to Detain Robbery and Handgun Violation Suspects Act of 2006" received on January 24, 2007; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-487. A communication from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 16-642, "Use of Closed Circuit Television to Combat Crime Amendment Act of 2006" received on January 24, 2007; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-488. A communication from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 16-650, "Closing of a Public Alley in Square 375, S.O. 06-656, Act of 2006" received on January 24, 2007; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-489. A communication from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 16-648, "Closing of a Portion of a Public Alley in Square 85, S.O. 06-8859, Act of 2006" received on January 24, 2007; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-490. A communication from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 16-647, "Community Access to Health Care Amendment Act of 2006" received on January 24, 2007; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

#### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. LEAHY, from the Committee on the Judiciary, without amendment and with a preamble:

S. Res. 21. A resolution recognizing the uncommon valor of Wesley Autrey of New York, New York.

S. Res. 24. A resolution designating January 2007 as "National Stalking Awareness Month".

S. Res. 29. A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate regarding Martin Luther King, Jr. Day and the many lessons still to be learned from Dr. King's example of non-violence, courage, compassion, dignity, and public service.

By Mr. DORGAN, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, without amendment:

S. Res. 40. An original resolution authorizing expenditures by the Senate Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. LEAHY, from the Committee on the Judiciary, without amendment:

S. Res. 42. An original resolution authorizing expenditures by the Committee on the Judiciary.

#### 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. WYDEN:

S. 387. A bill to prohibit the sale by the Department of Defense of parts for F-14 fighter aircraft; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. THUNE (for himself, Mr. NELSON of Nebraska, Mr. SUNUNU, Mr. INHOFE, Mr. COBURN, Mr. BURR, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. BAUCUS,

Mr. CORNYN, Mrs. DOLE, Mr. CRAIG, and Mr. LOTT):

S. 388. 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; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. DOMENICI (for himself, Mr. KYL, Mrs. HUTCHISON, and Mr. CORNYN):

S. 389. A bill to increase the number of Federal judgeships, in accordance with recommendations by the Judicial Conference, in districts that have an extraordinarily high immigration caseload; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BENNETT (for himself and Mr. HATCH):

S. 390. A bill to direct the exchange of certain land in Grand, San Juan, and Uintah Counties, Utah, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. MENENDEZ (for himself and Mr. LAUTENBERG):

S. 391. A bill to amend the Outer Continental Shelf Lands Act to permanently prohibit the conduct of offshore drilling on the outer Continental Shelf in the Mid-Atlantic and North Atlantic planning areas; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. BIDEN:

S. 392. A bill to ensure payment of United States assessments for United Nations peacekeeping operations for the 2005 through 2008 time period; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. HARKIN:

S. 393. A bill to transfer unspent funds for grants by the Office of Community Oriented Policing Services, the Office of Justice Programs, and the Office on Violence Against Women to the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. AKAKA (for himself, Mr. STEVENS, Mr. LEVIN, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Mr. KERRY, Mrs. BOXER, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, and Mr. MENENDEZ):

S. 394. A bill to amend the Humane Methods of Livestock Slaughter Act of 1958 to ensure the humane slaughter of nonambulatory livestock, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. SCHUMER:

S. 395. A bill to require States and Indian tribes to designate specific highway routes over which hazardous materials may be transported; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. DORGAN (for himself, Mr. LEVIN, and Mr. FEINGOLD):

S. 396. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to treat controlled foreign corporations in tax havens as domestic corporations; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. MARTINEZ (for himself, Mr. COBURN, Mr. COLEMAN, Mr. CORNYN, Mr. INHOFE, and Mr. SESSIONS):

S. 397. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow individuals a refundable credit against income tax for the purchase of private health insurance, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. DORGAN (for himself, Mr. MCCAIN, Mr. INOUE, Mr. THOMAS, and Mr. DOMENICI):

S. 398. A bill to amend the Indian Child Protection and Family Violence Prevention Act to identify and remove barriers to reducing child abuse, to provide for examinations of certain children, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. BUNNING (for himself and Ms. MIKULSKI):

S. 399. 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; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. SUNUNU (for himself, Mr. GREGG, and Mrs. CLINTON):

S. 400. A bill to amend the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 and the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to ensure that dependent students who take a medically necessary leave of absence do not lose health insurance coverage, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. ROCKEFELLER (for himself, Ms. SNOWE, Mr. KENNEDY, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. REED, Ms. MIKULSKI, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. OBAMA, Mr. FEINGOLD, Mr. KERRY, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Mr. HARKIN, Mr. CARDIN, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mrs. MCCASKILL, and Mr. KOHL):

S. 401. A bill to amend title XXI of the Social Security Act to eliminate funding shortfalls for the State Children's Health Insurance Program (SCHIP) for fiscal year 2007; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mrs. LINCOLN (for herself, Mr. SMITH, Mr. LOTT, Mr. CORNYN, Mr. PRYOR, Mrs. HUTCHISON, Mrs. MURRAY, Mrs. DOLE, Ms. CANTWELL, Mr. BURR, Mr. SHELBY, Mr. COCHRAN, Mr. VITTER, and Ms. LANDRIEU):

S. 402. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a deduction for qualified timber gains; 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 Mr. DORGAN:

S. Res. 40. An original resolution authorizing expenditures by the Senate Committee on Indian Affairs; from the Committee on Indian Affairs; to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

By Mr. BROWN:

S. Res. 41. A resolution honoring the life and recognizing the accomplishments of Tom Mooney, president of the Ohio Federation of Teachers; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. LEAHY:

S. Res. 42. An original resolution authorizing expenditures by the Committee on the Judiciary; from the Committee on the Judiciary; to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

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

S. Res. 43. A resolution honoring the important contribution to the Nation of the Academy of Music in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, on its 150th Anniversary; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. HAGEL (for himself and Mr. NELSON of Nebraska):

S. Res. 44. A resolution commending the University of Nebraska-Lincoln women's volleyball team for winning the National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I Women's Volleyball Championship; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

#### ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 122

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

sor of S. 122, a bill to amend the Trade Act of 1974 to extend benefits to service sector workers and firms, enhance certain trade adjustment assistance authorities, and for other purposes.

S. 214

At the request of Mrs. FEINSTEIN, the name of the Senator from Minnesota (Ms. KLOBUCHAR) was added as a cosponsor of S. 214, a bill to amend chapter 35 of title 28, United States Code, to preserve the independence of United States attorneys.

S. 259

At the request of Mr. AKAKA, the name of the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. DODD) was added as a cosponsor of S. 259, a bill to authorize the establishment of the Henry Kuualoha Giugni Kupuna Memorial Archives at the University of Hawaii.

S. 343

At the request of Mr. VOINOVICH, the name of the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. LIEBERMAN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 343, a bill to extend the District of Columbia College Access Act of 1999.

S. 358

At the request of Ms. SNOWE, the name of the Senator from Washington (Ms. CANTWELL) was added as a cosponsor of S. 358, a bill to prohibit discrimination on the basis of genetic information with respect to health insurance and employment.

S. 360

At the request of Mr. BINGAMAN, the names of the Senator from Vermont (Mr. SANDERS) and the Senator from Washington (Mrs. MURRAY) were added as cosponsors of S. 360, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to expand expenses which qualify for the Hope Scholarship Credit and to make the Hope Scholarship Credit and the Lifetime Learning Credit refundable.

S. 380

At the request of Mr. WYDEN, the name of the Senator from Alaska (Ms. MURKOWSKI) was added as a cosponsor of S. 380, a bill to reauthorize the Secure Rural Schools and Community Self-Determination Act of 2000, and for other purposes.

S. CON. RES. 2

At the request of Mr. BIDEN, the names of the Senator from Washington (Ms. CANTWELL) and the Senator from Missouri (Mrs. MCCASKILL) were added as cosponsors of S. Con. Res. 2, a concurrent resolution expressing the bipartisan resolution on Iraq.

S. RES. 29

At the request of Mr. KYL, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. Res. 29, a resolution expressing the sense of the Senate regarding Martin Luther King, Jr. Day and the many lessons still to be learned from Dr. King's example of nonviolence, courage, compassion, dignity, and public service.

At the request of Ms. STABENOW, the name of the Senator from Texas (Mr. CORNYN) was added as a cosponsor of S. Res. 29, supra.