

Contract Compliance Programs, Department of Labor, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Nondiscrimination and Affirmative Action Obligations of Contractors and Subcontractors Regarding Protected Veterans" (RIN1215-AB65) received on April 8, 2008; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-5767. A communication from the Director, Division for Strategic Human Resources Policy, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Annual Leave for Senior-Level Employees" (RIN3206-AL49) received on April 8, 2008; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-5768. A communication from the Director, Voting Rights Program, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendments to Conform the United States Code of Federal Regulations to the Voting Rights Reauthorization and Amendments Act of 2006" (RIN3206-AL40) received on April 8, 2008; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-5769. A communication from the Deputy Archivist, National Archives and Records Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Locations and Hours; Changes in NARA Research Room Hours" (RIN3095-AB57) received on April 4, 2008; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-5770. A communication from the Secretary of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Semiannual Report of the Inspector General for the period ending September 30, 2007; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-5771. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a Council Resolution entitled, "Sense of the Council in Support of Establishing the United States of America's First National Civilian University in our Nation's Capital Resolution of 2008"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-5772. A communication from the Principal Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legislative Affairs, Department of Justice, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the Attorney General relative to the Administration of the Foreign Agents Registration Act for the six months ending June 30, 2007; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. BINGAMAN, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute and an amendment to the title:

S. 86. A bill to designate segments of Fossil Creek, a tributary to the Verde River in the State of Arizona, as wild and scenic rivers (Rept. No. 110-283).

By Mr. BINGAMAN, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with an amendment:

S. 127. A bill to amend the Great Sand Dunes National Park and Preserve Act of 2000 to explain the purpose and provide for the administration of the Baca National Wildlife Refuge (Rept. No. 110-284).

By Mr. BINGAMAN, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute and an amendment to the title:

S. 128. A bill to amend the Cache La Poudre River Corridor Act to designate a new management entity, make certain technical and conforming amendments, enhance private property protections, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 110-285).

By Mr. BINGAMAN, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, without amendment:

S. 189. A bill to decrease the matching funds requirements and authorize additional appropriations for Keweenaw National Historical Park in the State of Michigan (Rept. No. 110-286).

By Mr. BINGAMAN, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute:

S. 1039. A bill to extend the authorization for the Coastal Heritage Trail in the State of New Jersey (Rept. No. 110-287).

By Mr. BINGAMAN, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute and an amendment to the title:

S. 1143. A bill to designate the Jupiter Inlet Lighthouse and the surrounding Federal land in the State of Florida as an Outstanding Natural Area and as a unit of the National Landscape System, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 110-288).

By Mr. BINGAMAN, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute and an amendment to the title:

S. 1247. A bill to amend the Weir Farm National Historic Site Establishment Act of 1990 to limit the development of any property acquired by the Secretary of the Interior for the development of visitor and administrative facilities for the Weir Farm National Historic Site, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 110-289).

S. 1304. A bill to amend the National Trails System Act to designate the Arizona National Scenic Trail (Rept. No. 110-290).

By Mr. BINGAMAN, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with amendments:

S. 1329. A bill to extend the Acadia National Park Advisory Commission, to provide improved visitor services at the park, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 110-291).

By Mr. BINGAMAN, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute:

S. 1341. A bill to provide for the exchange of certain Bureau of Land Management land in Pima County, Arizona, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 110-292).

S. 1365. A bill to amend the Omnibus Parks and Public Lands Management Act of 1996 to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to enter into cooperative agreements with any of the management partners of the Boston Harbor Islands National Recreation Area, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 110-293).

By Mr. BINGAMAN, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, without amendment:

S. 1377. A bill to direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey to the City of Henderson, Nevada, certain Federal land located in the City, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 110-294).

By Mr. BINGAMAN, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with an amendment:

S. 1433. A bill to amend the Alaska National Interest Lands Conservation Act to provide competitive status to certain Federal employees in the State of Alaska (Rept. No. 110-295).

By Mr. BINGAMAN, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute:

S. 1476. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to conduct special resources study of the Tule Lake Segregation Center in Modoc County, California, to determine suitability and feasibility of establishing a unit of the National Park System (Rept. No. 110-296).

By Mr. BINGAMAN, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with amendments and an amendment to the title:

S. 1522. A bill to amend the Bonneville Power Administration portions of the Fish-

eries Restoration and Irrigation Mitigation Act of 2000 to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 2008 through 2014, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 110-297).

By Mr. BINGAMAN, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, without amendment:

S. 1740. A bill to amend the Act of February 22, 1889, and the Act of July 2, 1862, to provide for the management of public land trust funds in the State of North Dakota (Rept. No. 110-298).

By Mr. BINGAMAN, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute:

S. 1802. A bill to adjust the boundaries of the Frank Church River of No Return Wilderness in the State of Idaho (Rept. No. 110-299).

S. 1921. A bill to amend the American Battlefield Protection Act of 1996 to extend the authorization for that Act, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 110-300).

By Mr. BINGAMAN, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with amendments:

S. 1939. A bill to provide for the conveyance of certain land in the Santa Fe National Forest, New Mexico (Rept. No. 110-301).

By Mr. BINGAMAN, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with an amendment:

S. 1940. A bill to reauthorize the Rio Puerco Watershed Management Program, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 110-302).

By Mr. BINGAMAN, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute and an amendment to the title:

S. 1941. A bill to direct the Secretary of the Interior to study the suitability and feasibility of designating the Wolf House, located in Norfolk, Arkansas, as a unit of the National Park System, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 110-303).

By Mr. BINGAMAN, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with an amendment:

S. 1961. A bill to expand the boundaries of the Little River Canyon National Preserve in the State of Alabama (Rept. No. 110-304).

By Mr. BINGAMAN, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with amendments:

S. 1969. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a special resource study to determine the suitability and feasibility of designating Estate Grange and other sites related to Alexander Hamilton's life on the island of St. Croix in the United States Virgin Islands as a unit of the National Park System, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 110-305).

S. 1991. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a study to determine the suitability and feasibility of extending the Lewis and Clark National Historic Trail to include additional sites associated with the preparation and return phases of the expedition, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 110-306).

By Mr. BINGAMAN, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute and an amendment to the title:

S. 2034. A bill to amend the Oregon Wilderness Act of 1984 to designate the Copper Salmon Wilderness and to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to designate segments of the North and South Forks of the Elk River in the State of Oregon as wild or scenic rivers, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 110-307).

S. 2098. A bill to establish the Northern Plains Heritage Area in the State of North Dakota (Rept. No. 110-308).

S. 2220. A bill to amend the Outdoor Recreation Act of 1963 to authorize certain appropriations (Rept. No. 110-309).

By Mr. BINGAMAN, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, without amendment:

H.R. 30. A bill to amend the Reclamation Wastewater and Groundwater Study and Facilities Act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to participate in the Eastern Municipal Water District Recycled Water System Pressurization and Expansion Project (Rept. No. 110-310).

H.R. 299. A bill to adjust the boundary of Lowell National Historical Park, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 110-311).

H.R. 359. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a special resource study of sites associated with the life of Cesar E. Chavez and the farm labor movement (Rept. No. 110-312).

H.R. 759. A bill to redesignate the Ellis Island Library on the third floor of the Ellis Island Immigration Museum, located on Ellis Island in New York Harbor, as the "Bob Hope Memorial Library" (Rept. No. 110-313).

H.R. 807. A bill to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a special resource study to determine the feasibility and suitability of establishing a memorial to the Space Shuttle Columbia in the State of Texas and for its inclusion as a unit of the National Park System (Rept. No. 110-314).

By Mr. BINGAMAN, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute:

H.R. 815. A bill to provide for the conveyance of certain land in Clark County, Nevada, for use by the Nevada National Guard (Rept. No. 110-315).

By Mr. BINGAMAN, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, without amendment:

H.R. 830. A bill to authorize the exchange of certain interests in land in Denali National Park in the State of Alaska (Rept. No. 110-316).

H.R. 1021. A bill to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a special resources study regarding the suitability and feasibility of designating certain historic buildings and areas in Taunton, Massachusetts, as a unit of the National Park System, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 110-317).

H.R. 1025. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a study to determine the feasibility of implementing a water supply and conservation project to improve water supply reliability, increase the capacity of water storage, and improve water management efficiency in the Republican River Basin between Harlan County Lake in Nebraska and Milford Lake in Kansas (Rept. No. 110-318).

H.R. 1191. A bill to authorize the National Park Service to pay for services rendered by subcontractors under a General Services Administration Indefinite Deliver Indefinite Quantity Contract issued for work to be completed at the Grand Canyon National Park (Rept. No. 110-319).

H.R. 1239. A bill to amend the National Underground Railroad Network to Freedom Act of 1998 to authorize additional funding to carry out the Act, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 110-320).

By Mr. BINGAMAN, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with amendments:

H.R. 1462. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to participate in the implementation of the Platte River Recovery Implementation Program for Endangered Species in the Central and Lower Platte River Basin and to modify the Pathfinder Dam and Reservoir (Rept. No. 110-321).

By Mr. BINGAMAN, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, without amendment:

H.R. 1526. A bill to amend the Reclamation Wastewater and Groundwater Study and Facilities Act to authorize the Bay Area Regional Water Recycling Program, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 110-322).

H.R. 1662. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to seek limited reimbursement for site security activities, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 110-323).

H.R. 3079. To amend the joint resolution that approved the covenant establishing the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 110-324).

By Mr. LIEBERMAN, from the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs, without amendment:

H.R. 3196. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 20 Sussex Street in Port Jervis, New York, as the "E. Arthur Gray Post Office Building".

H.R. 3468. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1704 Weeksville Road in Elizabeth City, North Carolina, as the "Dr. Clifford Bell Jones, Sr. Post Office".

H.R. 3532. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 5815 McLeod Street in Lula, Georgia, as the "Private Johnathon Millican Lula Post Office".

H.R. 3720. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 424 Clay Avenue in Waco, Texas, as the "Army PFC Juan Alonso Covarrubias Post Office Building".

H.R. 3803. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 3100 Cashwell Drive in Goldsboro, North Carolina, as the "John Henry Wooten, Sr. Post Office Building".

H.R. 3936. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 116 Helen Highway in Cleveland, Georgia, as the "Sgt. Jason Harkins Post Office Building".

H.R. 3988. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 3701 Altamesa Boulevard in Fort Worth, Texas, as the "Master Sergeant Kenneth N. Mack Post Office Building".

H.R. 4166. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 701 East Copeland Drive in Lebanon, Missouri, as the "Steve W. Allee Carrier Annex".

H.R. 4203. To designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 3035 Stone Mountain Street in Lithonia, Georgia, as the "Specialist Jamaal RaShard Addison Post Office Building".

H.R. 4211. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 725 Roanoke Avenue in Roanoke Rapids, North Carolina, as the "Judge Richard B. Allsbrook Post Office".

H.R. 4240. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 10799 West Alameda Avenue in Lakewood, Colorado, as the "Felix Sparks Post Office Building".

H.R. 4454. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 3050 Hunsinger Lane in Louisville, Kentucky, as the "Iraq and Afghanistan Fallen Military Heroes of Louisville Memorial Post Office Building", in honor of the servicemen and women from Louisville, Kentucky, who died in service during Operation Enduring Freedom and Operation Iraqi Freedom.

H.R. 5135. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 201 West Greenway Street in Derby, Kansas, as the "Sergeant Jamie O. Maugans Post Office Building".

H.R. 5220. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 3800 SW. 185th Avenue in Beaverton, Oregon,

as the "Major Arthur Chin Post Office Building".

H.R. 5400. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 160 East Washington Street in Chagrin Falls, Ohio, as the "Sgt. Michael M. Kashkoush Post Office Building".

S. 2534. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 2650 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Street, Indianapolis, Indiana, as the "Julia M. Carson Post Office Building".

S. 2626. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 160 East Washington Street in Chagrin Falls, Ohio, as the "Sergeant Michael M. Kashkoush Post Office Building".

S. 2673. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 10799 West Alameda Avenue in Lakewood, Colorado, as the "Felix Sparks Post Office Building".

S. 2675. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 201 West Greenway Street in Derby, Kansas, as the "Sergeant Jamie O. Maugans Post Office Building".

S. 2725. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 6892 Main Street in Gloucester, Virginia, as the "Congresswoman Jo Ann S. Davis Post Office".

EXECUTIVE REPORT OF COMMITTEE

The following executive report of a nomination was submitted:

By Mr. LIEBERMAN for the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

*Harvey E. Johnson, Jr., of Virginia, to be Deputy Administrator, Federal Emergency Management Agency, Department of Homeland Security.

*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. CORNYN (for himself, Mr. GREGG, Mr. LIEBERMAN, and Mr. HAGEL):

S. 2839. A bill to provide emergency relief for United States businesses and industries currently employing temporary foreign workers and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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

S. 2840. A bill to establish a liaison with the Federal Bureau of Investigation in United States Citizenship and Immigration Services to expedite naturalization applications filed by members of the Armed Forces and to establish a deadline for processing such applications; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. FEINSTEIN:

S. 2841. A bill to amend the Oil Pollution Act of 1990 and title 46, United States Code, to establish a marine emergency protocol and requirements for double-hulling of vessel fuel tanks; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.