

EC-5822. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Eurocopter Deutschland GmbH Model EC135 Helicopters" ((Docket No. 2007-SW-76)(RIN2120-AA64)) received on April 10, 2008; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5823. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Empresa Brasileira de Aeronautica S.A. Model EMB-135ER, -135KE, -135KL, and -135LR Airplanes and Model EMB-145, -145ER, -145MR, -145LR, -145XR, -145MP, and -145EP Airplanes" ((Docket No. 2007-NM-127)(RIN2120-AA64)) received on April 10, 2008; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5824. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Cessna Aircraft Company Models 525, 525A, and 525B Airplanes" ((Docket No. 2007-CE-068)(RIN2120-AA64)) received on April 10, 2008; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5825. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 747-100, 747-100B SUD, 747-200B, 747-200C, 747-200F, 747-300, 747-400, 747-400D, 747-400F, 747SR, and 747SP Series Airplanes; and Model 767-200 and -300 Series Airplanes; Equipped with Certain Goodrich Evaluation Systems" ((Docket No. 2005-NM-139)(RIN2120-AA64)) received on April 10, 2008; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5826. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; ATR Model ATR42-500 Airplanes" ((Docket No. 2007-NM-277)(RIN2120-AA64)) received on April 10, 2008; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5827. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Saab Model SAAB 2000 Airplanes" ((Docket No. 2007-NM-239)(RIN2120-AA64)) received on April 10, 2008; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5828. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Viking Air Limited Model DHC-4 and DHC-4A Airplanes" ((Docket No. 2007-NM-338)(RIN2120-AA64)) received on April 10, 2008; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5829. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Viking Air Limited Model DHC-4 and DHC-4A Airplanes; and Boeing Model 747-100, 747-100B, 747-100B SUD, 747-200B, 747-200C, 747-200F, 747-300, 747-400, 747-400D, 747-400F, 747SR, and 747SP Series Airplanes" ((Docket No. 2007-NM-338)(RIN2120-AA64)) received on April 10, 2008; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5830. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administra-

tion, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Airbus Model A300, A310, and A300-600 Series Airplanes" ((Docket No. 2007-NM-143)(RIN2120-AA64)) received on April 10, 2008; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5831. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Rolls-Royce plc RB211 Series Turbofan Engines" ((Docket No. 2003-NE-12)(RIN2120-AA64)) received on April 10, 2008; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5832. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Alpha Aviation Design Limited Model R2160 Airplanes" ((Docket No. 2007-CE-088)(RIN2120-AA64)) received on April 10, 2008; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5833. A communication from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; McDonnell Douglas Model DC-8-11, DC-8-12, DC-8-21, DC-8-31, DC-8-32, DC-8-33, DC-8-41, DC-8-42, and DC-8-43 Airplanes; Model DC-8F-54 and DC-8F-55 Airplanes; Model DC-8-50, -60, -60F, -70, and -70F Series Airplanes; Model DC-9-10, -20, -30, -40, and -50 Series Airplanes; Model DC-9-81, DC-9-82, DC-9-83, and DC-9-87 Airplanes; and Model MD-88 Airplanes" ((Docket No. 2006-NM-243)(RIN2120-AA64)) received on April 10, 2008; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5834. A communication from the Acting Administrator, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the services provided during fiscal year 2007; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-5835. A communication from the Assistant Secretary of the Army (Civil Works), transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to Federal actions during flood control operations at Grand Lake, Oklahoma; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5836. A communication from the Chair, Good Neighbor Environmental Board, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Board's Annual Report; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5837. A communication from the Assistant Secretary of the Army (Civil Works), transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to budgeting for the Park River at Grafton, North Dakota; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5838. A communication from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled, "National Coverage Determinations"; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-5839. A communication from the Acting Chief, Trade and Commercial Regulations Branch, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Entry of Softwood Lumber Products from Canada" (RIN1505-AB73) received on April 15, 2008; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-5840. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Office of Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to law, an annual report relative to U.S. participation in the United Nations during fiscal year 2006; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-5841. A communication from the Deputy Director, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Premium Rates; Payment of Premiums; Variable-Rate Premium; Pension Protection Act of 2006" (RIN1212-AB11) received on April 10, 2008; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-5842. A communication from the Director, Office of Communications and Legislative Affairs, Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Commission's Annual Sunshine Report for 2007; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-5843. A communication from the Deputy Solicitor, Federal Labor Relations Authority, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a vacancy in the position of General Counsel, received on April 10, 2008; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-5844. A communication from the District of Columbia Auditor, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled, "Audit of Child and Family Services Agency's Congregate Care Contract Expenditures"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-5845. A communication from the Chief, Administrative Law Division, Central Intelligence Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of discontinuation of service in an acting role for the position of General Counsel, received on April 10, 2008; to the Select Committee on Intelligence.

EC-5846. A communication from the Director of Legislative Affairs, Office of the Director of National Intelligence, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a nomination for the position of Director of the National Counterterrorism Center, received on April 10, 2008; to the Select Committee on Intelligence.

EC-5847. A communication from the Director, Administrative Office of the United States Courts, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Director's Annual Report for fiscal year 2007; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-5848. A communication from the Director of Regulations Management, Office of Information Protection and Risk Management, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Data Breaches" (RIN2900-AM63) received on April 10, 2008; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

## REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

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

S. 2087. A bill to amend certain laws relating to Native Americans to make technical corrections, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 110-326).

By Mr. KENNEDY, from the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute:

S. 999. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to improve stroke prevention, diagnosis, treatment, and rehabilitation.

## 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. GREGG (for himself, Mr. ALEXANDER, Mr. HATCH, Mrs. DOLE, Mr. CORNYN, and Mr. SUNUNU):

S. 2868. A bill to amend title II of the Immigration and Nationality Act to replace the diversity visa lottery program with a program that issues visas to aliens with an advanced degree; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. VITTER (for himself and Mrs. LINCOLN):

S. 2869. A bill to amend title 18 of the United States Code to clarify the scope of the child pornography laws and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BROWN:

S. 2870. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to require the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to carry out quality assurance activities with respect to the administration of disability compensation, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mrs. LINCOLN (for herself, Mr. LEAHY, Mr. BAYH, Mr. KERRY, Mr. CRAPO, Ms. MIKULSKI, Mr. SALAZAR, Mr. CASEY, Mr. SMITH, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, and Mr. BROWN):

S. 2871. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to recodify as part of that title chapter 1607 of title 10, United States Code, to enhance the program of educational assistance under that chapter, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. BROWN (for himself and Ms. SNOWE):

S. 2872. A bill to amend titles II and XVI of the Social Security Act to provide for treatment of disability rates and certified as total by reason of unemployment by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs as disability for purposes of such titles, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. BARRASSO (for himself and Mr. ENZI):

S. 2873. A bill to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to establish a Corps of Engineers Board of Appeals for permits for certain water storage projects, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mrs. FEINSTEIN (for herself, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. SCHUMER, and Mrs. BOXER):

S. 2874. A bill to amend titles 5, 10, 37, and 38, United States Code, to ensure the fair treatment of a member of the Armed Forces who is discharged from the Armed Forces, at the request of the member, pursuant to the Department of Defense policy permitting the early discharge of a member who is the only surviving child in a family in which the father or mother, or one or more siblings, served in the Armed Forces and, because of hazards incident to such service, was killed, died as a result of wounds, accident, or disease, is in a captured or missing in action status, or is permanently disabled, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. TESTER (for himself and Mr. BARRASSO):

S. 2875. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to provide grants to designated States and tribes to carry out programs to reduce the risk of livestock loss due to predation by gray wolves and other predator species or to compensate landowners for livestock loss due to predation; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. SALAZAR (for himself, Mr. COCHRAN, Mr. DODD, Mr. ALEXANDER, Mr. LEVIN, Mrs. LINCOLN, Mr. BROWN, Ms. LANDRIEU, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. CASEY, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. ROBERTS, and Mr. JOHNSON):

S. Res. 517. A resolution designating the week of April 13–19, 2008, as "Week of the Young Child"; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. DODD:

S. Res. 518. A resolution designating the third week of April 2008 as "National Shaken Baby Syndrome Awareness Week"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

#### ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 38

At the request of Mr. DOMENICI, the name of the Senator from South Dakota (Mr. JOHNSON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 38, a bill to require the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to establish a program for the provision of readjustment and mental health services to veterans who served in Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom, and for other purposes.

S. 358

At the request of Ms. SNOWE, the names of the Senator from Indiana (Mr. BAYH), the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. KERRY) and the Senator from North Dakota (Mr. DORGAN) were added as cosponsors of S. 358, a bill to prohibit discrimination on the basis of genetic information with respect to health insurance and employment.

S. 548

At the request of Mr. LEAHY, the name of the Senator from Louisiana (Ms. LANDRIEU) was added as a cosponsor of S. 548, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide that a deduction equal to fair market value shall be allowed for charitable contributions of literary, musical, artistic, or scholarly compositions created by the donor.

S. 561

At the request of Mr. BUNNING, the name of the Senator from New York (Mr. SCHUMER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 561, a bill to repeal the sunset of the Economic Growth and Tax Relief Reconciliation Act of 2001 with respect to the expansion of the adoption credit and adoption assistance programs.

S. 638

At the request of Mr. ROBERTS, the name of the Senator from New Mexico (Mr. DOMENICI) was added as a cosponsor of S. 638, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for collegiate housing and infrastructure grants.

S. 691

At the request of Mr. CONRAD, the name of the Senator from Colorado (Mr. SALAZAR) was added as a cosponsor of S. 691, 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. 746

At the request of Mr. ALLARD, the name of the Senator from Mississippi

(Mr. WICKER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 746, a bill to establish a competitive grant program to build capacity in veterinary medical education and expand the workforce of veterinarians engaged in public health practice and biomedical research.

S. 1019

At the request of Mr. COBURN, the name of the Senator from Ohio (Mr. VOINOVICH) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1019, a bill to provide comprehensive reform of the health care system of the United States, and for other purposes.

S. 1070

At the request of Mr. HATCH, the names of the Senator from Illinois (Mr. DURBIN) and the Senator from New Mexico (Mr. BINGAMAN) were added as cosponsors of S. 1070, a bill to amend the Social Security Act to enhance the social security of the Nation by ensuring adequate public-private infrastructure and to resolve to prevent, detect, treat, intervene in, and prosecute elder abuse, neglect, and exploitation, and for other purposes.

S. 1117

At the request of Mr. BOND, the names of the Senator from Arkansas (Mrs. LINCOLN) and the Senator from Georgia (Mr. CHAMBLISS) were added as cosponsors of S. 1117, a bill to establish a grant program to provide vision care to children, and for other purposes.

S. 1120

At the request of Mr. HARKIN, the name of the Senator from Georgia (Mr. CHAMBLISS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1120, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide grants for the training of graduate medical residents in preventive medicine and public health.

S. 1313

At the request of Mr. FEINGOLD, the name of the Senator from Florida (Mr. NELSON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1313, a bill to amend the Servicemembers Civil Relief Act to provide relief for servicemembers with respect to contracts for cellular phone service, and for other purposes.

S. 1437

At the request of Ms. STABENOW, the name of the Senator from Rhode Island (Mr. WHITEHOUSE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1437, a bill to require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint coins in commemoration of the semicentennial of the enactment of the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

S. 1588

At the request of Ms. LANDRIEU, the name of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. MENENDEZ) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1588, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act, the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, and the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to require that group and individual health insurance coverage and group health plans provide coverage for treatment of a minor child's congenital or developmental deformity or disorder due to trauma, infection, tumor, or disease.

#### SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

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