

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

At 5:45 p.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Mr. Novotny, one of its reading clerks, announced that the Speaker has signed the following enrolled bill:

H.R. 4380. An act to amend the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States to modify temporarily certain rates of duty, and for other purposes.

The enrolled bill was subsequently signed by the President pro tempore (Mr. INOUE).

MEASURES PLACED ON THE CALENDAR

The following bill was read the second time, and placed on the calendar:

S. 3663. A bill to promote clean energy jobs and oil company accountability, and for other purposes.

The following bill was read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and placed on the calendar:

H.R. 5822. An act making appropriations for military construction, the Department of Veterans Affairs, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2011, and for other purposes.

ENROLLED BILLS PRESENTED

The Secretary of the Senate reported that on July 29, 2010, she had presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills:

S. 1749. An act to amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit the possession or use of cell phones and similar wireless devices by Federal prisoners.

S. 1789. An act to restore fairness to Federal cocaine sentencing.

EXECUTIVE AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were laid before the Senate, together with accompanying papers, reports, and documents, and were referred as indicated:

EC-6861. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Mevinphos; Proposed Data Call-in Order for Pesticide Tolerance" (FRL No. 8835-7) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 27, 2010; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-6862. A communication from the Administrator of the Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Kiwifruit Grown in California; Order Amending Marketing Order No. 920" (Docket Nos. AO-FV-08-0174; AMS-FV-08-0085; FV08-920-3) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 28, 2010; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-6863. A communication from the Administrator of the Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Pistachios Grown in California, Arizona, and New Mexico; Modification of the

Aflatoxin Regulations" (Docket Nos. AMS-FV-10-0031; FV10-983-1 IR) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 28, 2010; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-6864. A communication from the Administrator of the Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fresh Prunes Grown in Designated Counties in Washington and in Umatilla County, OR; Suspension of Reporting and Assessment Requirements" (Docket Nos. AMS-FV-10-0054; FV10-924-2 IR) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 28, 2010; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-6865. A communication from the Administrator of the Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Kiwifruit Grown in California; Changes to District Boundaries" (Docket Nos. AMS-FV-08-0085; FV08-920-3 IR) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 28, 2010; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-6866. A communication from the Administrator of the Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Raisins Produced From Grapes Grown in California; Final Free and Reserve Percentages for 2009-10 Crop Natural (Sun-Dried) Seedless Raisins" (Docket Nos. AMS-FV-09-0075; FV10-989-1 FIR) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 28, 2010; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-6867. A communication from the Administrator of the Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "National Organic Program; Amendments to the National List of Allowed and Prohibited Substances (Crops)" ((RIN0581-AC93)(Docket Nos. AMS-NOP-09-0081; TM-09-04 FR)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 28, 2010; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-6868. A communication from the Administrator of the Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Nectarines and Peaches Grown in California; Changes in Handling Requirements for Fresh Nectarines and Peaches" (Docket Nos. AMS-FV-09-0090; FV10-916/917-1 FIR) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 28, 2010; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-6869. A communication from the Administrator of the Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Irish Potatoes Grown in Colorado; Relaxation of Handling Regulation for Area No. 3" (Docket Nos. AMS-FV-08-0115; FV09-948-2 FIR) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 28, 2010; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-6870. A communication from the Administrator of the Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Irish Potatoes Grown in Washington; Temporary Change to the Handling Regulations and Reporting Requirements" (Docket Nos. AMS-FV-10-0052; FV10-946-1 IR) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on

July 28, 2010; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-6871. A communication from the Administrator of the Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "National Sheep Industry Improvement Center" (Docket No. AMS-LS-08-0064) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 28, 2010; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-6872. A communication from the Administrator, Rural Utilities Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Special Evaluation Assistance for Rural Communities and Households Program" ((7 CFR Part 1774)(RIN0572-AC14)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 28, 2010; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-6873. A communication from the Under Secretary of Defense (Personnel and Readiness), transmitting the report of (4) officers authorized to wear the insignia of the grade of major general in accordance with title 10, United States Code, section 777; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-6874. A communication from the Under Secretary of Defense (Acquisition, Technology and Logistics), transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the inventory lists for the Departments of the Army, Navy, and Air Force, as well as U.S. Transportation Command, U.S. Special Operations Command, Washington Headquarters Services, and the other defense agencies; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-6875. A communication from the Secretary of the Army, transmitting, pursuant to law, an annual report relative to recruitment incentives; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-6876. A communication from the Under Secretary of Defense (Personnel and Readiness), transmitting a report on the approved retirement of Vice Admiral Jeffrey A. Wieringa, United States Navy, and his advancement to the grade of vice admiral on the retired list; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-6877. A communication from the Under Secretary of Defense (Personnel and Readiness), transmitting a report on the approved retirement of Vice Admiral Melvin G. Williams, Jr., United States Navy, and his advancement to the grade of vice admiral on the retired list; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-6878. A communication from the Director of Defense Procurement and Acquisition Policy, Department of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement; Inflation Adjustment of Acquisition-Related Thresholds" (DFARS Case 2009-D003) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 29, 2010; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-6879. A communication from the Assistant Secretary of the Navy (Research, Development and Acquisition), transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the determination and findings for authority to award a single source task or delivery order contract; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-6880. A communication from the Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, a six-month periodic report on the national emergency that was declared in Executive Order 12947 with respect to terrorists who threaten to disrupt the Middle East peace process; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-6881. A communication from the Chairman and President of the Export-Import Bank, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to transactions involving U.S.

exports to Ireland; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-6882. A communication from the Assistant Director for Policy, Office of Foreign Assets Control, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Lebanon Sanctions Regulations" (31 CFR Part 549) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 29, 2010; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-6883. A communication from the Regulatory Specialist, Office of the Comptroller of the Currency, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Registration of Mortgage Loan Originators" (RIN1557-AD23) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 28, 2010; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-6884. A communication from the Director of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Containment Isolation Provisions for Fluid Systems" (Regulatory Guide 1.141, Revision 1) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 28, 2010; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-6885. A communication from the Director of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Methods for Measuring Effective Dose Equivalent from External Exposure" (Regulatory Guide 8.40) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 28, 2010; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-6886. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Washington: Final Authorization of State Hazardous Waste Management Program Revisions" (FRL No. 9181-8) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 27, 2010; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-6887. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Revisions to the Arizona State Implementation Plan, Maricopa County Air Quality Department" (FRL No. 9180-1) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 27, 2010; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-6888. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Determination of Attainment for PM-10; Fort Hall PM-10 Nonattainment Area, Idaho" (FRL No. 9180-2) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 27, 2010; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-6889. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Minnesota" (FRL No. 9182-2) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 27, 2010; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-6890. A communication from the Director of Human Resources, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, (3) three reports relative to vacancies in the Environmental Protection Agency, received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 28, 2010; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-6891. A communication from the Chief of the Endangered Species Listing Branch,

Fish and Wildlife Services, Department of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Designation of Critical Habitat for *Limnanthes floccosa* ssp. *grandiflora* (Large-Flowered Woolly Meadowfoam) and *Lomatium cookii* (Cook's Lomatium)" (RIN1018-AW21) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 27, 2010; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-6892. A communication from the Deputy Director of Regulations and Policy Management Staff, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Food Additives Permitted in Feed and Drinking Water of Animals; Ammonium Formate" (Docket No. FDA-2008-F-0151) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 28, 2010; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-6893. A communication from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Food and Drug Administration's report relative to the Backlog of Postmarketing Requirements and Postmarketing Commitments; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-6894. A communication from the Chairman, Merit System Protection Board, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "A Call to Action: Improving First-Level Supervision of Federal Employees"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-6895. A communication from the Acting Director, Office of Communications and Legislative Affairs, Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, an annual report relative to the federal work force for fiscal year 2009; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-6896. A communication from the Policy Analyst, Bureau of Immigration and Customs Enforcement, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Electronic Signature and Storage of Form I-9, Employment Eligibility Verification" (RIN1653-AA47) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on July 28, 2010; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-6897. A communication from the Staff Director, United States Commission on Civil Rights, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the appointment of members to the Florida Advisory Committee; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-6898. A communication from the Staff Director, United States Commission on Civil Rights, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the appointment of members to the Texas Advisory Committee; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-6899. A communication from the Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legislative Affairs, Department of Justice, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the Department's activities regarding civil rights era homicides; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-6900. A communication from the Secretary of Veterans Affairs, transmitting proposed legislation relative to ending homelessness among Veterans and establishment of a nonprofit research and education corporation at the VA's central office; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

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

S. 3676. An original bill making appropriations for the Department of State, foreign operations, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2011, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 111—237).

By Mr. DURBIN, from the Committee on Appropriations, without amendment:

S. 3677. An original bill making appropriations for financial services and general government for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2011, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 111—238).

By Mr. LEAHY, from the Committee on the Judiciary, with amendments:

S. 3397. A bill to amend the Controlled Substances Act to provide for take-back disposal of controlled substances in certain instances, and for other purposes.

EXECUTIVE REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following executive reports of nominations were submitted:

By Mr. LEAHY for the Committee on the Judiciary.

John F. Walsh, of Colorado, to be United States Attorney for the District of Colorado for the term of four years.

William J. Ihlenfeld, II, of West Virginia, to be United States Attorney for the Northern District of West Virginia for the term of four years.

John William Vaudreuil, of Wisconsin, to be United States Attorney for the Western District of Wisconsin for the term of four years.

Mark Lloyd Ericks, of Washington, to be United States Marshal for the Western District of Washington for the term of four years.

Joseph Patrick Faughnan, Sr., of Connecticut, to be United States Marshal for the District of Connecticut for the term of four years.

Harold Michael Oglesby, of Arkansas, to be United States Marshal for the Western District of Arkansas for the term of four years.

Conrad Ernest Candelaria, of New Mexico, to be United States Marshal for the District of New Mexico for the term of four years.

By Mrs. FEINSTEIN for the Select Committee on Intelligence.

*James R. Clapper, of Virginia, to be Director of National Intelligence.

*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.

(Nominations without an asterisk were reported with the recommendation that they be confirmed.)

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. LUGAR (for himself and Mr. KERRY):

S. 3665. A bill to promote the strengthening of the private sector in Pakistan; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. CARDIN (for himself, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, and Mr. LIEBERMAN):

S. 3666. A bill to authorize certain Department of State personnel, who are responsible for examining and processing United States passport applications, to be able to access

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted: