

(2) providing technical assistance in support of regional economic development strategies; and

(3) integrating public and private economic development strategies for those regions.

SEC. 203. DEFINITIONS.

In this title:

(1) **ELIGIBLE REGION.**—The term “eligible region” means a region that has been certified by the Secretary under section 204(a).

(2) **MASS LAYOFF.**—The term “mass layoff” has the meaning given the term in section 2 of the Worker Adjustment and Retraining Notification Act (29 U.S.C. 2101).

(3) **PLANT CLOSING.**—The term “plant closing” has the meaning given the term in section 2 of the Worker Adjustment and Retraining Notification Act (29 U.S.C. 2101).

(4) **RURAL COMMUNITY.**—The term “rural community” means a community that has a rural-urban continuum code of 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, or 9, as defined by the Economic Research Service of the Department of Agriculture.

(5) **SECRETARY.**—The term “Secretary” means the Secretary of Commerce.

(6) **SUDDEN AND SEVERE ECONOMIC DISLOCATION.**—The term “sudden and severe economic dislocation” has the same meaning as used in section 209(a) of the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 (42 U.S.C. 3149).

(7) **URBAN COMMUNITY.**—The term “urban community” means a community that has a rural-urban continuum code of 1, 2, or 3, as defined by the Economic Research Service of the Department of Agriculture.

SEC. 204. NOTIFICATION AND CERTIFICATION.

(a) **CERTIFICATION.**—

(1) **IN GENERAL.**—The Secretary may certify for purposes of this title the region in which the plant closing or mass layoff is located if 1 or more of the conditions described in paragraph (2) apply.

(2) **APPLICABLE CONDITIONS.**—The conditions referred to in paragraph (1) with respect to a region are that—

(A) if the region is comprised of an urban community, not fewer than 500 individuals employed in that community have received written notices under section 3 of the Worker Adjustment and Retraining Notification Act (29 U.S.C. 2102) in the most recent 180-day period for which data are available;

(B) if the region is comprised of a rural community, not fewer than 300 individuals employed in that community have received written notices under section 3 of the Worker Adjustment and Retraining Notification Act (29 U.S.C. 2102) in the most recent 180-day period for which data are available; and

(C) the unemployment rate for the region is not less than 1 percent greater than the national unemployment rate for the most recent 12-month period for which data are available through the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

(b) **NOTIFICATION TO CERTIFIED REGIONS.**—Not later than 15 days after the Secretary certifies a region under subsection (a), the Secretary shall notify the Governor of the State of that region and the officials of that region of—

- (1) the certification;
- (2) the provisions of this title; and

(3) the manner in which to access the central information clearinghouse maintained under section 502(1) of the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 (42 U.S.C. 3192(1)).

SEC. 205. FEDERAL ECONOMIC RECOVERY COORDINATORS.

(a) **ASSIGNMENT.**—

(1) **IN GENERAL.**—Upon the request of an eligible region, the Secretary shall assign a Federal economic recovery coordinator to that region to carry out the duties described in subsection (b).

(2) **ASSIGNMENT OF FEDERAL PERSONNEL.**—The Secretary may assign personnel of the Department of Commerce to serve as Federal economic recovery coordinators in accordance with the applicable provisions of subchapter VI of chapter 33 of title 5, United States Code.

(b) **DUTIES.**—The duties of a Federal economic recovery coordinator assigned under subsection (a) to an eligible region are—

(1) to provide technical assistance to the eligible region and assist in the development of a comprehensive economic development strategy (as that term is used in sections 203 and 302 of the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 (42 U.S.C. 3143 and 3162)) for the region, including applying for applicable grants to develop or implement the plan;

(2) at the local or regional level, to coordinate the response of all Federal agencies offering economic adjustment assistance to the eligible region;

(3) to act as a liaison between the eligible region and all Federal agencies that offer economic adjustment assistance to eligible regions, including—

- (A) the Department of Agriculture;
- (B) the Department of Defense;
- (C) the Department of Education;
- (D) the Department of Labor;
- (E) the Department of Housing and Urban Development;
- (F) the Department of Health and Human Services;
- (G) the Small Business Administration;
- (H) the Department of the Treasury;
- (I) the National Economic Council;
- (J) the Department of Commerce;
- (K) the Environmental Protection Agency;

and

(L) the Department of Transportation;

(4) to report regularly to the Secretary regarding the progress of economic adjustment in the eligible region; and

(5) to perform such other duties as the Secretary considers to be appropriate.

SEC. 206. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.

For each of fiscal years 2011 through 2013, of the amounts made available under section 701 of the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 (42 U.S.C. 3231), there are authorized to be appropriated to carry out this title such sums as are necessary.

SA 458. Mr. LEE submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill S. 782, to amend the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 to reauthorize that Act, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the end, add the following:

SEC. 22. COST-BENEFIT ANALYSIS FOR RULE-MAKING.

Notwithstanding any other provision of law, each rule required to be issued under the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act, or any amendment made by that Act, shall be accompanied by a cost-benefit analysis for that rule.

AUTHORITY FOR COMMITTEES TO MEET

COMMITTEE ON ARMED SERVICES

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Armed Services be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on June 9, 2011, at 9:30 a.m.

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

COMMITTEE ON BANKING, HOUSING, AND URBAN AFFAIRS

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on June 9, 2011, at 10 a.m. to conduct a hearing entitled “Reauthorization of the National Flood Insurance Program.”

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

COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on June 9, 2011, at 9:30 a.m., in room 366 of the Dirksen Senate Office Building.

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

COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Environment and Public Works be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on June 9, 2011.

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

COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN RELATIONS

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Foreign Relations be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on June 9, 2011, at 10 a.m., to hold a briefing entitled, “Intelligence Update on Libya.”

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

COMMITTEE ON HEALTH, EDUCATION, LABOR, AND PENSIONS

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on June 9, 2011, at 10 a.m., in 430 Dirksen Senate Office Building.

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

COMMITTEE ON INDIAN AFFAIRS

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Indian Affairs be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on June 9, 2011, at 2:15 p.m. in room 628 of the Dirksen Senate Office Building to conduct a hearing entitled Setting the Standard: Domestic Policy Implications of the UN Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples.”

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

COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on the Judiciary be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on June 9, 2011, at 10 a.m., in SD-226 of the Dirksen Senate Office Building, to conduct an executive business meeting.

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

AD HOC SUBCOMMITTEE ON DISASTER RECOVERY
AND INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Ad Hoc Subcommittee on Disaster Recovery and Intergovernmental Affairs of the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on June 9, 2011, at 10 a.m. to conduct a hearing entitled, "Border Corruption: Assessing Customs and Border Protection and the Department of Homeland Security Inspector General's Office of Collaboration in the Fight to Prevent Corruption."

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

SELECT COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Select Committee on Intelligence be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on June 9, 2011, at 2:30 p.m.

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

SUBCOMMITTEE ON ENERGY

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Subcommittee on Energy be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on June 9, 2011, at 2:30 p.m., in room 366 of the Dirksen Senate Office Building.

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

SUBCOMMITTEE ON FEDERAL FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT, GOVERNMENT INFORMATION, FEDERAL SERVICES, AND INTERNATIONAL SECURITY

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs' Subcommittee on Federal Financial Management, Government Information, Federal Services, and International Security be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on June 9, 2011, at 2 p.m. to conduct a hearing entitled, "Federal Asset Management: Eliminating Waste by Disposing of Unneeded Federal Real Property."

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

JOINT REFERRAL—EXECUTIVE
NOMINATION

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the nomination of Rebecca R. Wodder, of Colorado, to be Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife, sent to the Senate by the President on June 9, 2011, be jointly referred to the Committee on Environment and Public Works and the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

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

ORDER OF PROCEDURE

Mr. REID. I ask unanimous consent that notwithstanding rule XXII, on Tuesday, June 14, 2011, at 11 a.m., the Senate proceed to executive session to consider the following nominations:

Calendar Nos. 73 and 81; that there be 1 hour for debate equally divided between the two leaders or their designees; that upon the use or yielding back of time, the Senate proceed to vote without intervening action or debate on Calendar Nos. 73 and 81; that the motions to reconsider be made and laid upon the table with no intervening action or debate; that no further motions be in order to any of the nominations; that any statements related to the nominations be printed in the RECORD; that the President be immediately notified of the Senate's action and the Senate then resume legislative session; further, that following disposition of the nominations, the Senate recess until 2:15 p.m. for the weekly party conferences; further, that at 2:15 p.m., the Senate resume consideration of S. 782, the Economic Development Revitalization Act, and the Senate proceed to vote on the motion to invoke cloture on the Coburn amendment No. 436, as modified, and the mandatory quorum under rule XXII be waived.

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

ORDERS FOR MONDAY, JUNE 13,
2011

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate completes its business, it adjourn until 2 p.m. on Monday, June 13; that following the prayer and pledge, the Journal of proceedings be approved to date, the morning hour be deemed expired, the time for the two leaders be reserved for their use later in the day, and that following any leader remarks, the Senate proceed to a period of morning business until 6 p.m., with Senators permitted to speak for up to 10 minutes each.

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

PROGRAM

Mr. REID. Mr. President, as previously announced, there will be no votes on Monday. The first votes of the week will be on Tuesday, June 14. At noon there will be two rollcall votes in relation to the Cecchi and Salas nominations.

Additionally, at 2:15 p.m. on Tuesday, there will be a rollcall vote on the cloture motion Senator COBURN filed.

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL MONDAY,
JUNE 13, 2011, AT 2 P.M.

Mr. REID. If there is no further business to come before the Senate, I ask unanimous consent the Senate stand adjourned under the previous order.

There being no objection, the Senate, at 7:37 p.m., adjourned until Monday, June 13, 2011, at 2 p.m.

NOMINATIONS

Executive nominations received by the Senate:

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

ARNOLD A. CHACON, OF VIRGINIA, A CAREER MEMBER OF THE SENIOR FOREIGN SERVICE, CLASS OF MINISTER-COUNSELOR, TO BE AMBASSADOR EXTRAORDINARY AND PLENIPOTENTIARY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA TO THE REPUBLIC OF GUATEMALA.

EARL ANTHONY WAYNE, OF MARYLAND, A CAREER MEMBER OF THE SENIOR FOREIGN SERVICE, PERSONAL RANK OF CAREER AMBASSADOR, TO BE AMBASSADOR EXTRAORDINARY AND PLENIPOTENTIARY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA TO MEXICO.

NATIONAL FOUNDATION ON THE ARTS AND THE HUMANITIES

CHRISTOPHER MERRILL, OF IOWA, TO BE A MEMBER OF THE NATIONAL COUNCIL ON THE HUMANITIES FOR A TERM EXPIRING JANUARY 26, 2016, VICE IRIS LOVE, TERM EXPIRED.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

REBECCA R. WODDER, OF VIRGINIA, TO BE ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR FISH AND WILDLIFE, VICE THOMAS L. STRICKLAND, RESIGNED.

IN THE ARMY

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICERS FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE GRADE INDICATED IN THE UNITED STATES ARMY MEDICAL CORPS UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTIONS 624 AND 3064:

To be lieutenant colonel

ERIC D. AGUILA
DEVRY C. ANDERSON
JENNIFER M. BAGER
DAVID A. BAKER
TROY R. BAKER
THAD J. BARKDULL
JEREMY T. BEAUCHAMP
KIMBERLY A. BECK
SHERYL A. BEDNO
PHILIP BERRAN
AMIT K. BHAVSAR
PATRICK T. BIRCHFIELD
SCOTT D. BLACKWELL
ROBERT E. BLEASE
ANDREW S. BOSTAPH
ANDREW S. BOTHWELL
JAYSON D. BOWDEN
LYNDEN P. BOWDEN
KARL W. BREWER
THEODORE R. BROWN
JAY R. BUCCI
JESSICA L. BUNIN
JEAN E. BURR
CHRISTIAN L. CARLSON
DANIEL W. CARLSON
DAL W. CHUN
WESLEY A. CLARKSON
CINDY A. CODISPOTI
CHRISTOPHER J. COLOMBO
JONATHAN M. DAVISON
LAURA DAWSON
MICHAEL S. DEMPSEY
SHERI K. DENNISON
CRAIG P. DOBSON
NICOLE R. DOBSON
BRENDAN T. DOHERTY
SEAN N. DOOLEY
ANTHONY L. DRAGOVICH
THOMAS E. ELLWOOD
ELIZABETH Y. FLANIGAN
MELISSA A. FOROUHAR
SEAN J. FORTSON
ROBERT G. FOWERS
TODD R. FOWLER
BRITNEY G. FRAZIER
TRAVIS C. FRAZIER
BRETT A. FREEDMAN
RANDALL FREEMAN
CASEY J. GEANEY
BRANDON J. GORF
SCOTT R. GOLARZ
JAMES W. GRAHAM
WILLIAM J. GRIEF
MATTHEW E. GRIFFITH
MICHAEL T. HAMILTON
BRIAN A. HEMANN
CHAD S. HENDRICKSON
JEFFERY S. HENNING
KIMBERLY W. HICKEY
KEVIN HORDE
MATTHEW T. HUEMAN
RICHARD W. HUSSEY
DEREK F. IPSEN
CHRISTOPHER G. IVANY
DAVID E. JOHNSON
JEREMY D. JOHNSON
PATRICIA A. KEEFE
JASON D. KENDELHARDT
JULIE T. KERR
BRIAN A. KRAKOVER
PAUL O. KWON
JOHN P. LAY, JR.
WALTER S. LEITCH
GEORGE T. LEONARD
STEPHANIE L. LEONG
BILLY W. MAHANEY
CHAD T. MARLEY
JASON D. MARQUART
LAURA N. MARQUART
ERICK MARTELL
SCOTT F. MCCLELLAN
DAVID F. MENDOZA
CHRISTOPHER D. MEYERER
WENDY E. MIKLOS