

S. 1103. A bill to extend the term of the incumbent Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

EXECUTIVE REPORTS OF COMMITTEE

The following executive reports of nominations were submitted:

By Mr. LEAHY for the Committee on the Judiciary.

Marina Garcia Marmolejo, of Texas, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Texas.

Michael Charles Green, of New York, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of New York.

Wilma Antoinette Lewis, of the District of Columbia, to be Judge for the District Court of the Virgin Islands for a term of ten years.

Thomas Gray Walker, of North Carolina, to be United States Attorney for the Eastern District of North Carolina for the term of four years.

Charles F. Salina, of New York, to be United States Marshal for the Western District of New York for the term of four years.

Robert William Mathieson, of Virginia, to be United States Marshal for the Eastern District of Virginia for the term of four years.

Juan Mattos Jr., of New Jersey, to be United States Marshal for the District of New Jersey for the term of four years.

(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 Mrs. HUTCHISON (for herself and Mr. KYL):

S. 1213. A bill to amend title II of the Social Security Act to extend the solvency of the Social Security Trust Funds by increasing the normal and early retirement ages under the Social Security program and modifying the cost-of-living adjustments in benefits; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mrs. GILLIBRAND (for herself, Mrs. BOXER, Mrs. MURRAY, Mrs. SHAHEEN, and Mr. LAUTENBERG):

S. 1214. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, regarding restrictions on the use of Department of Defense funds and facilities for abortions; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. KERRY:

S. 1215. A bill to provide for the exchange of land located in the Lowell National Historical Park, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. CORKER:

S. 1216. A bill to waive the requirement that existing traffic signs meet minimum retroreflectivity standards on or before the compliance dates established by the Federal Highway Administration; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Ms. SNOWE (for herself, Mr. KERRY, Mr. INOUE, Mr. AKAKA, and Mr. BEGICH):

S. 1217. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide coverage for custom fabricated breast prostheses following a mastectomy; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. BURR (for himself and Mrs. HAGAN):

S. 1218. A bill to provide for the recognition of the Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. BARRASSO (for himself, Mr. ISAKSON, and Mr. VITTER):

S. 1219. A bill to require Federal agencies to assess the impact of Federal action on jobs and job opportunities, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. CONRAD:

S. 1220. A bill to lessen the dependence of the United States on foreign energy, to promote clean sources of energy, to strengthen the economy of the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mrs. SHAHEEN (for herself and Ms. COLLINS):

S. 1221. A bill to provide grants to better understand and reduce gestational diabetes, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. WARNER:

S. 1222. A bill to amend title 31, United States Code, to require accountability and transparency in Federal spending, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. FRANKEN (for himself and Mr. BLUMENTHAL):

S. 1223. A bill to address voluntary location tracking of electronic communications devices, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BINGAMAN:

S. 1224. A bill to amend Public Law 106-392 to maintain annual base funding for the Upper Colorado and San Juan fish recovery program through fiscal year 2023; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. BINGAMAN:

S. 1225. A bill to transfer certain facilities, easements, and rights-of-way to Fort Sumner Irrigation District, New Mexico; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Ms. MURKOWSKI (for herself, Mr. BEGICH, Mr. INHOFE, Mr. BARRASSO, Mr. HOEVEN, Mr. CORNYN, Mr. BLUNT, Ms. LANDRIEU, Mrs. HUTCHISON, Mr. COATS, Mr. CORKER, Mr. THUNE, and Mr. LUGAR):

S. 1226. A bill to amend the Clean Air Act to address air pollution from Outer Continental Shelf activities; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. BEGICH:

S. 1227. A bill to improve Arctic health; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. WHITEHOUSE (for himself, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. COONS, and Mr. MCCAIN):

S. 1228. A bill to prohibit trafficking in counterfeit military goods or services; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BEGICH:

S. 1229. A bill to amend the State Department Basic Authorities Act of 1956 to establish a United States Ambassador at Large for Arctic Affairs; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. DURBIN:

S. 1230. A bill to secure public investments in transportation infrastructure; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mrs. HUTCHISON (for herself and Mr. CORNYN):

S. Res. 209. A resolution congratulating the Dallas Mavericks on winning the 2011 National Basketball Association Championship; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. BROWN of Massachusetts (for himself, Mr. KERRY, Ms. SNOWE, Ms. COLLINS, Mrs. SHAHEEN, Ms. AYOTTE, Mr. REED, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, and Mr. LEAHY):

S. Res. 210. A resolution congratulating the Boston Bruins for winning the 2011 Stanley Cup Championship; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. LEVIN (for himself, Mrs. HUTCHISON, Ms. LANDRIEU, Mr. COCHRAN, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. CORNYN, Mr. HARKIN, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Mr. LEAHY, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Mr. BEGICH, Ms. MIKULSKI, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. AKAKA, Ms. STABENOW, and Mr. WICKER):

S. Res. 211. A resolution observing the historical significance of Juneteenth Independence Day; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 52

At the request of Mr. INOUE, the name of the Senator from Alaska (Ms. MURKOWSKI) was added as a cosponsor of S. 52, a bill to establish uniform administrative and enforcement procedures and penalties for the enforcement of the High Seas Driftnet Fishing Moratorium Protection Act and similar statutes, and for other purposes.

S. 119

At the request of Mr. VITTER, the name of the Senator from Georgia (Mr. CHAMBLISS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 119, a bill to preserve open competition and Federal Government neutrality towards the labor relations of Federal Government contractors on Federal and federally funded construction projects.

S. 146

At the request of Mr. BAUCUS, the name of the Senator from Colorado (Mr. BENNET) was added as a cosponsor of S. 146, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend the work opportunity credit to certain recently discharged veterans.

S. 362

At the request of Mr. WHITEHOUSE, the name of the Senator from Wisconsin (Mr. KOHL) was added as a cosponsor of S. 362, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for a Pancreatic Cancer Initiative, and for other purposes.

S. 384

At the request of Mrs. FEINSTEIN, the name of the Senator from Hawaii (Mr. INOUE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 384, a bill to amend title 39, United States Code, to extend the authority of the United States Postal Service to issue a semipostal to raise funds for breast cancer research.

S. 418

At the request of Mr. HARKIN, the name of the Senator from Mississippi (Mr. COCHRAN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 418, a bill to award a Congressional Gold Medal to the World War II members of the Civil Air Patrol.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

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

S. 496

At the request of Mr. MCCAIN, the name of the Senator from Georgia (Mr. ISAKSON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 496, a bill to amend the Food, Conservation, and Energy Act to repeal a duplicative program relating to inspection and grading of catfish.

S. 506

At the request of Mr. CASEY, the name of the Senator from New Mexico (Mr. UDALL) was added as a cosponsor of S. 506, a bill to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to address and take action to prevent bullying and harassment of students.

S. 648

At the request of Mrs. GILLIBRAND, the name of the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. KERRY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 648, a bill to require the Commissioner of Social Security to revise the medical and evaluation criteria for determining disability in a person diagnosed with Huntington's Disease and to waive the 24-month waiting period for Medicare eligibility for individuals disabled by Huntington's Disease.

S. 652

At the request of Mr. KERRY, the name of the Senator from Delaware (Mr. COONS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 652, a bill to facilitate efficient investments and financing of infrastructure projects and new job creation through the establishment of an American Infrastructure Financing Authority, to provide for an extension of the exemption from the alternative minimum tax treatment for certain tax-exempt bonds, and for other purposes.

S. 726

At the request of Mr. RUBIO, the names of the Senator from Missouri (Mr. BLUNT), the Senator from Alabama (Mr. SESSIONS), the Senator from South Dakota (Mr. THUNE) and the Senator from Idaho (Mr. RISCH) were added as cosponsors of S. 726, a bill to rescind \$45 billion of unobligated discretionary appropriations, and for other purposes.

S. 738

At the request of Ms. STABENOW, the name of the Senator from Hawaii (Mr. INOUE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 738, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for Medicare coverage of comprehensive Alzheimer's disease and related dementia diagnosis and services in order to improve care and outcomes for Americans living with Alzheimer's disease and related dementias by improving detection, diagnosis, and care planning.

S. 792

At the request of Mr. PRYOR, the name of the Senator from Louisiana (Mr. VITTER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 792, a bill to authorize the waiver of certain debts relating to assistance provided to individuals and households since 2005.

S. 815

At the request of Ms. SNOWE, the name of the Senator from South Caro-

lina (Mr. GRAHAM) was added as a cosponsor of S. 815, a bill to guarantee that military funerals are conducted with dignity and respect.

S. 906

At the request of Mr. WICKER, the name of the Senator from Texas (Mr. CORNYN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 906, a bill to prohibit taxpayer funded abortions and to provide for conscience protections, and for other purposes.

S. 922

At the request of Mrs. GILLIBRAND, the name of the Senator from Oregon (Mr. MERKLEY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 922, a bill to amend the Workforce Investment Act of 1998 to authorize the Secretary of Labor to provide grants for Urban Jobs Programs, and for other purposes.

S. 949

At the request of Mrs. SHAHEEN, the name of the Senator from Michigan (Ms. STABENOW) was added as a cosponsor of S. 949, a bill to amend the National Oilheat Research Alliance Act of 2000 to reauthorize and improve that Act, and for other purposes.

S. 960

At the request of Mr. KERRY, the name of the Senator from Kansas (Mr. MORAN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 960, a bill to provide for a study on issues relating to access to intravenous immune globulin (IVG) for Medicare beneficiaries in all care settings and a demonstration project to examine the benefits of providing coverage and payment for items and services necessary to administer IVG in the home.

S. 965

At the request of Mrs. GILLIBRAND, the name of the Senator from Hawaii (Mr. INOUE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 965, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide an income tax credit for the costs of certain infertility treatments, and for other purposes.

S. 1009

At the request of Mr. RUBIO, the names of the Senator from Missouri (Mr. BLUNT), the Senator from Georgia (Mr. CHAMBLISS), the Senator from Texas (Mr. CORNYN), the Senator from Utah (Mr. HATCH), the Senator from Nebraska (Mr. JOHANNES), the Senator from Alabama (Mr. SESSIONS), the Senator from South Dakota (Mr. THUNE), the Senator from Kentucky (Mr. MCCONNELL) and the Senator from Arkansas (Mr. BOOZMAN) were added as cosponsors of S. 1009, a bill to rescind certain Federal funds identified by States as unwanted and use the funds to reduce the Federal debt.

S. 1025

At the request of Mr. LEAHY, the names of the Senator from New Hampshire (Mrs. SHAHEEN) and the Senator from Arkansas (Mr. BOOZMAN) were added as cosponsors of S. 1025, a bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to enhance the national defense through empowerment of the National Guard, enhancement of the functions of the

National Guard Bureau, and improvement of Federal-State military coordination in domestic emergency response, and for other purposes.

S. 1039

At the request of Mr. CARDIN, the name of the Senator from Alabama (Mr. SESSIONS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1039, a bill to impose sanctions on persons responsible for the detention, abuse, or death of Sergei Magnitsky, for the conspiracy to defraud the Russian Federation of taxes on corporate profits through fraudulent transactions and lawsuits against Hermitage, and for other gross violations of human rights in the Russian Federation, and for other purposes.

S. 1048

At the request of Mr. MENENDEZ, the name of the Senator from Texas (Mrs. HUTCHISON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1048, a bill to expand sanctions imposed with respect to the Islamic Republic of Iran, North Korea, and Syria, and for other purposes.

S. 1059

At the request of Mr. THUNE, the name of the Senator from Tennessee (Mr. ALEXANDER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1059, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide liability protections for volunteer practitioners at health centers under section 330 of such Act.

S. 1113

At the request of Ms. MURKOWSKI, the name of the Senator from Indiana (Mr. COATS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1113, a bill to facilitate the reestablishment of domestic, critical mineral designation, assessment, production, manufacturing, recycling, analysis, forecasting, workforce, education, research, and international capabilities in the United States, and for other purposes.

S. 1174

At the request of Ms. STABENOW, the name of the Senator from Georgia (Mr. ISAKSON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1174, a bill to provide predictability and certainty in the tax law, create jobs, and encourage investment.

S. 1189

At the request of Mr. PORTMAN, the name of the Senator from Iowa (Mr. GRASSLEY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1189, a bill to amend the Unfunded Mandates Reform Act of 1995 (2 U.S.C. 1501 et seq.) to provide for regulatory impact analyses for certain rules, consideration of the least burdensome regulatory alternative, and for other purposes.

S. 1206

At the request of Mr. ROCKEFELLER, the names of the Senator from Vermont (Mr. SANDERS) and the Senator from Maryland (Ms. MIKULSKI) were added as cosponsors of S. 1206, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to require drug manufacturers to provide drug rebates for drugs dispensed to low-income individuals under the Medicare prescription drug benefit program.

S.J. RES. 17

At the request of Mr. MCCONNELL, the name of the Senator from Illinois (Mr. KIRK) was added as a cosponsor of S.J. Res. 17, a joint resolution approving the renewal of import restrictions contained in the Burmese Freedom and Democracy Act of 2003.

S. RES. 175

At the request of Mrs. SHAHEEN, the name of the Senator from Illinois (Mr. KIRK) was added as a cosponsor of S. Res. 175, a resolution expressing the sense of the Senate with respect to ongoing violations of the territorial integrity and sovereignty of Georgia and the importance of a peaceful and just resolution to the conflict within Georgia's internationally recognized borders.

S. RES. 185

At the request of Mr. CARDIN, the names of the Senator from Delaware (Mr. CARPER) and the Senator from Kentucky (Mr. MCCONNELL) were added as cosponsors of S. Res. 185, a resolution reaffirming the commitment of the United States to a negotiated settlement of the Israeli-Palestinian conflict through direct Israeli-Palestinian negotiations, reaffirming opposition to the inclusion of Hamas in a unity government unless it is willing to accept peace with Israel and renounce violence, and declaring that Palestinian efforts to gain recognition of a state outside direct negotiations demonstrates absence of a good faith commitment to peace negotiations, and will have implications for continued United States aid.

S. RES. 202

At the request of Mr. CONRAD, the name of the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. BROWN) was added as a cosponsor of S. Res. 202, a resolution designating June 27, 2011, as "National Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder Awareness Day".

AMENDMENT NO. 424

At the request of Mr. JOHANNIS, the name of the Senator from Texas (Mrs. HUTCHISON) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 424 intended to be proposed to S. 782, a bill to amend the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 to reauthorize that Act, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 433

At the request of Ms. LANDRIEU, the name of the Senator from Georgia (Mr. CHAMBLISS) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 433 intended to be proposed to S. 782, a bill to amend the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 to reauthorize that Act, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 467

At the request of Ms. AYOTTE, the name of the Senator from Louisiana (Ms. LANDRIEU) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 467 intended to be proposed to S. 782, a bill to amend the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 to reauthorize that Act, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 468

At the request of Mrs. HUTCHISON, the name of the Senator from Oklahoma (Mr. INHOFE) was added as a cosponsor of amendment No. 468 intended to be proposed to S. 782, a bill to amend the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 to reauthorize that Act, and for other purposes.

AMENDMENT NO. 476

At the request of Mrs. FEINSTEIN, the names of the Senator from Virginia (Mr. WEBB), the Senator from Maine (Ms. COLLINS), the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. MENENDEZ), the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. LIEBERMAN) and the Senator from New Hampshire (Mrs. SHAHEEN) were added as cosponsors of amendment No. 476 proposed to S. 782, a bill to amend the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 to reauthorize that Act, and for other purposes.

STATEMENTS ON INTRODUCED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Mrs. HUTCHISON (for herself and Mr. KYL):

S. 1213. A bill to amend title II of the Social Security Act to extend the solvency of the Social Security Trust Funds by increasing the normal and early retirement ages under the Social Security program and modifying the cost-of-living adjustments in benefits; to the Committee on Finance.

Mrs. HUTCHISON. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the text of the bill be printed in the RECORD.

There being no objection, the text of the bill was ordered to be printed in the RECORD, as follows:

S. 1213

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the "Defend and Save Social Security Act".

SEC. 2. ADJUSTMENT TO NORMAL AND EARLY RETIREMENT AGE.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Section 216(l) of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 416(l)) is amended—

(1) in paragraph (1)—

(A) in subparagraph (C), by striking "2017" and inserting "2016"; and

(B) by striking subparagraphs (D) and (E) and inserting the following new subparagraphs:

"(D) with respect to an individual who—

"(i) attains 62 years of age after December 31, 2015, and before January 1, 2024, such individual's early retirement age (as determined under paragraph (2)(A)) plus 48 months; or

"(ii) receives a benefit described in paragraph (2)(B) and attains 60 years of age after December 31, 2015, and before January 1, 2024, 66 years of age plus the number of months in the age increase factor (as determined under paragraph (4)(A)(i));

"(E) with respect to an individual who—

"(i) attains 62 years of age after December 31, 2023, and before January 1, 2027, 68 years of age plus the number of months in the age increase factor (as determined under paragraph (4)(B)(ii)); or

"(ii) receives a benefit described in paragraph (2)(B) and attains 60 years of age after December 31, 2023, and before January 1, 2027,

68 years of age plus the number of months in the age increase factor (as determined under paragraph (4)(B)(i)); and

"(F) with respect to an individual who—

"(i) attains 62 years of age after December 31, 2026, 69 years of age; or

"(ii) receives a benefit described in paragraph (2)(B) and attains 60 years of age after December 31, 2026, 69 years of age.";

(2) by amending paragraph (2) to read as follows:

"(2) The term 'early retirement age' means—

"(A) in the case of an old-age, wife's, or husband's insurance benefit—

"(i) 62 years of age with respect to an individual who attains such age before January 1, 2016;

"(ii) with respect to an individual who attains 62 years of age after December 31, 2015, and before January 1, 2023, 62 years of age plus the number of months in the age increase factor (as determined under paragraph (4)(A)(ii)) for the calendar year in which such individual attains 62 years of age; and

"(iii) with respect to an individual who attains age 62 after December 31, 2022, 64 years of age; or

"(B) in the case of a widow's or widower's insurance benefit, 60 years of age.";

(3) by striking paragraph (3) and inserting the following:

"(3) With respect to an individual who attains early retirement age in the 5-year period consisting of the calendar years 2000 through 2004, the age increase factor shall be equal to two-twelfths of the number of months in the period beginning with January 2000 and ending with December of the year in which the individual attains early retirement age."; and

(4) by adding at the end the following new paragraph:

"(4) The age increase factor shall be equal to three-twelfths of the number of months in the period—

"(A) beginning with January 2016 and ending with December of the year in which—

"(i) for purposes of paragraphs (1)(D)(ii), the individual attains 60 years of age; or

"(ii) for purposes of paragraph (2)(A)(ii), the individual attains 62 years of age; and

"(B) beginning with January 2024 and ending with December of the year in which—

"(i) for purposes of (1)(E)(ii), the individual attains 60 years of age; or

"(ii) for purposes of (1)(E)(i), the individual attains 62 years of age.".

(b) CONFORMING INCREASE IN NUMBER OF ELAPSED YEARS FOR PURPOSES OF DETERMINING PRIMARY INSURANCE AMOUNT.—Section 215(b)(2)(B)(iii) of such Act (42 U.S.C. 415(b)(2)(B)(iii)) is amended by striking "age 62" and inserting "early retirement age (or, in the case of an individual who receives a benefit described in section 216(l)(2)(B), 62 years of age)".

SEC. 3. COST-OF-LIVING ADJUSTMENT.

Section 215(i) of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 415(i)) is amended—

(1) in paragraph (1)(D), by inserting "subject to paragraph (6)," before "the term"; and

(2) by adding at the end the following new paragraph:

"(6)(A) Subject to subparagraph (B), with respect to a base quarter or cost-of-living computation quarter in any calendar year after 2010, the term 'CPI increase percentage' means the percentage determined under paragraph (1)(D) for the quarter reduced (but not below zero) by 1 percentage point.

"(B) The reduction under subparagraph (A) shall apply only for purposes of determining the amount of benefits under this title and not for purposes of determining the amount of, or any increases in, benefits under other