

hire veterans, to require States to recognize the military experience of veterans when issuing licenses and credentials to veterans, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

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

S. 3556. A bill to provide penalties for email marketing fraud; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. FRANKEN (for himself, Mr. HARKIN, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. BEGICH, Mr. LEAHY, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, and Mr. WHITEHOUSE):

S. 3557. A bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to prohibit institutions of higher education that participate in programs under title IV of such Act from including predispute arbitration agreements in enrollment contracts; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. MANCHIN (for himself and Mr. TOOMEY):

S. 3558. A bill to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to preserve the authority of each State to make determinations relating to the State's water quality standards, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. PRYOR (for himself, Mr. TESTER, Mr. CONRAD, Ms. LANDRIEU, and Mr. INHOFE):

S. 3559. A bill to direct the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to change the Spill Prevention, Control, and Countermeasure rule with respect to certain farms; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. WHITEHOUSE (for himself, Mr. LUGAR, Ms. MIKULSKI, Mr. GRASSLEY, Mr. AKAKA, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. REED, Mr. PRYOR, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. BROWN of Massachusetts, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. RUBIO, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. WICKER, Mr. TESTER, and Mr. WARNER):

S. 3560. A bill to provide for scientific frameworks with respect to recalcitrant cancers; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mrs. HAGAN:

S. 3561. A bill to correct the boundaries of the John H. Chafee Coastal Barrier Resources System Unit L06, Topsail, North Carolina; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. SANDERS (for himself, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. KERRY, Ms. MIKULSKI, Mr. BEGICH, Mr. AKAKA, Mr. DURBIN, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mr. LEAHY, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. FRANKEN, Mrs. BOXER, Mr. JOHNSON of South Dakota, Mr. MERKLEY, and Mr. MENENDEZ):

S. 3562. A bill to reauthorize and improve the Older Americans Act of 1965, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. HOEVEN (for himself and Mr. CONRAD):

S. 3563. A bill to amend the Energy Policy Act of 2005 to modify the Pilot Project offices of the Federal Permit Streamlining Pilot Project; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. LIEBERMAN (for himself and Ms. COLLINS):

S. 3564. A bill to extend the Public Interest Declassification Act of 2000 until 2018 and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. CASEY (for himself, Mrs. SHAHEEN, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Mr. HARKIN, and Ms. MIKULSKI):

S. 3565. A bill to eliminate discrimination and promote women's health and economic

security by ensuring reasonable workplace accommodations for workers whose ability to perform the functions of a job are limited by pregnancy, childbirth, or a related medical condition; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. HARKIN:

S. 3566. An original bill to provide for scientific frameworks with respect to recalcitrant cancers; from the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions; placed on the calendar.

By Ms. COLLINS (for herself, Ms. MIKULSKI, Mrs. HUTCHISON, Mr. LIEBERMAN, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. AKAKA, Mr. MERKLEY, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Ms. STABENOW, Ms. MURKOWSKI, Ms. LANDRIEU, Mrs. SHAHEEN, and Mrs. BOXER):

S. 3567. A bill to establish the Commission to Study the Potential Creation of a National Women's History Museum, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. BAUCUS:

S. 3568. An original bill to create a Citrus Disease Research and Development Trust Fund to support research on diseases impacting the citrus industry, to renew and modify the temporary duty suspensions on certain cotton shirting fabrics, and to modify and extend the Wool Apparel Manufacturers Trust Fund, and for other purposes; from the Committee on Finance; placed on the calendar.

By Ms. KLOBUCHAR (for herself and Mr. HOEVEN):

S. 3569. A bill to improve the enforcement of criminal and civil law with respect to cloud computing, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. RUBIO:

S. 3570. A bill to provide for the establishment of nationally uniform and environmentally sound standards governing discharges incidental to the normal operation of a vessel in the navigable waters of the United States; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. CRAPO (for himself, Mr. SHELBY, Mr. CORKER, and Mr. TOOMEY):

S. 3571. A bill to require the Bureau of Consumer Financial Protection to conduct a small business review panel on the qualified mortgage rule before the Bureau can go forward with a final rule; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Ms. SNOWE:

S. 3572. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, title 5, United States Code, the Small Business Act, and the Small Business Investment Act of 1958 to provide certainty for small business concerns, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. HOEVEN (for himself and Ms. MURKOWSKI):

S. 3573. A bill to recognize the primacy of States, provide for the consideration of the economic impact of additional regulations, and provide for standards and requirements relating to certain guidelines and regulations relating to health and the environment; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. BLUNT (for himself, Mr. BARASSO, Mr. BROWN of Massachusetts, Mr. COBURN, Mr. ENZI, Mr. COCHRAN, Mr. JOHANNIS, Mr. BOOZMAN, and Mr. MORAN):

S. 3574. A bill to amend section 403 of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to improve and clarify certain disclosure requirements for restaurants, similar retail food establishments, and vending machines; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. BENNET:

S. 3575. A bill to amend the Older Americans Act of 1965 to provide equal treatment of LGBT older individuals; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. PAUL:

S. 3576. A bill to provide limitations on United States assistance, and for other purposes; read the first time.

By Mr. LEAHY (for himself and Mr. INHOFE):

S. 3577. A bill to eliminate conditions in foreign prisons and other detention facilities that do not meet primary indicators of health, sanitation, and safety, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

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

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

S. Res. 559. A resolution honoring Rear Admiral Jonathan W. Bailey for his lifetime of selfless commitment and exemplary service to the United States; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. CARDIN (for himself and Ms. MIKULSKI):

S. Res. 560. A resolution commemorating the 150th anniversary of the Maryland Campaign during the Civil War; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. AKAKA (for himself, Mr. BARASSO, Mr. INOUE, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. JOHNSON of South Dakota, Ms. MURKOWSKI, Ms. CANTWELL, Mr. TESTER, Mr. FRANKEN, Mr. UDALL of New Mexico, and Mr. JOHANNIS):

S. Res. 561. A resolution recognizing National Native American Heritage Month and celebrating the heritages and cultures of Native Americans and the contributions of Native Americans to the United States; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Ms. STABENOW (for herself and Ms. SNOWE):

S. Res. 562. A resolution designating the week beginning on September 10, 2012 and ending on September 14, 2012 as "National Health Information Technology Week" to recognize the value of health information technology in improving health quality; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. ISAKSON (for himself and Mr. KERRY):

S. Res. 563. A resolution designating December 3, 2012, as "National Phenylketonuria Awareness Day"; considered and agreed to.

By Mrs. FEINSTEIN (for herself, Mr. GRASSLEY, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. UDALL of New Mexico, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. PORTMAN, Mr. COONS, Mr. ROCKEFELLER, Mr. CORNYN, Mr. MANCHIN, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Mr. DURBIN, and Mr. CASEY):

S. Res. 564. A resolution designating the month of October 2012 as "National Medicine Abuse Awareness Month"; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. CASEY (for himself, Mr. ROBERTS, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, and Mr. AKAKA):

S. Res. 565. A resolution expressing support for the designation of October 20, 2012, as the "National Day on Writing"; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. WHITEHOUSE (for himself, Mr. AKAKA, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mrs. BOXER, Mr. BROWN of Massachusetts, Mr. CARDIN, Ms. COLLINS, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Mr. KERRY,

Ms. LANDRIEU, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Mr. LIEBERMAN, Ms. MIKULSKI, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. REED, Mr. SESSIONS, Mrs. SHAHEEN, Mr. WARNER, Mr. WEBB, Mr. WYDEN, and Mr. MENENDEZ):

S. Res. 566. A resolution designating September 29, 2012, as "National Estuaries Day"; considered and agreed to.

By Ms. CANTWELL (for herself and Mrs. MURRAY):

S. Res. 567. A resolution honoring the life and career of George Hickman; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. MENENDEZ (for himself, Mr. CORNYN, Mr. REID, Mr. BEGICH, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Mr. UDALL of New Mexico, Mrs. HUTCHISON, Mr. HELLER, Mr. ENZI, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. NELSON of Florida, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. BENNET, Ms. MURKOWSKI, Mr. BINGAMAN, Mrs. BOXER, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. RUBIO, Mr. COONS, Mr. LAUTENBERG, and Mrs. FEINSTEIN):

S. Res. 568. A resolution designating the week beginning September 16, 2012, as "National Hispanic-Serving Institutions Week"; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. GRASSLEY (for himself, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. LIEBERMAN, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. ALEXANDER, Mr. ENZI, Mr. COCHRAN, Mr. BLUNT, Ms. LANDRIEU, and Ms. STABENOW):

S. Res. 569. A resolution designating the week beginning October 21, 2012, as "National Character Counts Week"; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. BLUNT (for himself and Mrs. MURRAY):

S. Res. 570. A resolution designating November 8, 2012, as "National Parents as Teachers Day"; considered and agreed to.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 65

At the request of Mr. AKAKA, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 65, a bill to reauthorize the programs of the Department of Housing and Urban Development for housing assistance for Native Hawaiians.

S. 202

At the request of Mr. PAUL, the name of the Senator from Alabama (Mr. SESSIONS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 202, a bill to require a full audit of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System and the Federal Reserve banks by the Comptroller General of the United States before the end of 2012, and for other purposes.

At the request of Mr. BROWN of Massachusetts, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 202, supra.

S. 227

At the request of Ms. COLLINS, the name of the Senator from Ohio (Mr. BROWN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 227, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to ensure more timely access to home health services for Medicare beneficiaries under the Medicare program.

S. 274

At the request of Mrs. HAGAN, the name of the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. BROWN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 274, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to expand access to medication therapy management services under the Medicare prescription drug program.

S. 339

At the request of Mr. BAUCUS, the name of the Senator from California (Mrs. BOXER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 339, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to make permanent the special rule for contributions of qualified conservation contributions.

S. 563

At the request of Mrs. BOXER, the name of the Senator from New York (Mrs. GILLIBRAND) was added as a cosponsor of S. 563, a bill to provide for equal access to COBRA continuation coverage.

S. 751

At the request of Mr. BROWN of Ohio, the name of the Senator from Illinois (Mr. DURBIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 751, a bill to require the Secretary of Commerce to develop a comprehensive national manufacturing strategy, and for other purposes.

S. 810

At the request of Ms. CANTWELL, the name of the Senator from Rhode Island (Mr. REED) was added as a cosponsor of S. 810, a bill to prohibit the conducting of invasive research on great apes, and for other purposes.

S. 811

At the request of Mr. MERKLEY, the name of the Senator from Virginia (Mr. WARNER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 811, a bill to prohibit employment discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation or gender identity.

S. 821

At the request of Mr. LEAHY, the names of the Senator from Rhode Island (Mr. REED) and the Senator from Maine (Ms. COLLINS) were added as cosponsors of S. 821, a bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to eliminate discrimination in the immigration laws by permitting permanent partners of United States citizens and lawful permanent residents to obtain lawful permanent resident status in the same manner as spouses of citizens and lawful permanent residents and to penalize immigration fraud in connection with permanent partnerships.

S. 891

At the request of Mr. GRASSLEY, the name of the Senator from New Mexico (Mr. UDALL) was added as a cosponsor of S. 891, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for the recognition of attending physician assistants as attending physicians to serve hospice patients.

S. 961

At the request of Mr. KERRY, the name of the Senator from New York (Mrs. GILLIBRAND) was added as a cosponsor of S. 961, a bill to create the income security conditions and family supports needed to ensure permanency for the Nation's unaccompanied youth, and for other purposes.

S. 996

At the request of Mr. ROCKEFELLER, the name of the Senator from Maine (Ms. COLLINS) was added as a cosponsor

of S. 996, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend the new markets tax credit through 2016, and for other purposes.

S. 1171

At the request of Mr. SCHUMER, the names of the Senator from Rhode Island (Mr. REED) and the Senator from Delaware (Mr. COONS) were added as cosponsors of S. 1171, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend the exclusion from gross income for employer-provided health coverage for employees' spouses and dependent children to coverage provided to other eligible dependent beneficiaries of employees.

S. 1309

At the request of Mr. SCHUMER, the name of the Senator from Michigan (Ms. STABENOW) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1309, a bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to cover physician services delivered by podiatric physicians to ensure access by Medicaid beneficiaries to appropriate quality foot and ankle care.

S. 1391

At the request of Mr. TESTER, the name of the Senator from Louisiana (Ms. LANDRIEU) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1391, a bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve the disability compensation evaluation procedure of the Secretary of Veterans Affairs for veterans with post-traumatic stress disorder or mental health conditions related to military sexual trauma, and for other purposes.

S. 1450

At the request of Ms. SNOWE, the name of the Senator from Minnesota (Mr. FRANKEN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1450, a bill to amend title 23, United States Code, to provide for the establishment of a commercial truck safety program, and for other purposes.

S. 1454

At the request of Mr. DURBIN, the name of the Senator from Michigan (Ms. STABENOW) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1454, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for extended months of Medicare coverage of immunosuppressive drugs for kidney transplant patients and other renal dialysis provisions.

S. 1461

At the request of Mr. NELSON of Florida, the name of the Senator from Nevada (Mr. HELLER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1461, a bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to clarify the Food and Drug Administration's jurisdiction over certain tobacco products, and to protect jobs and small businesses involved in the sale, manufacturing and distribution of traditional and premium cigars.

S. 1782

At the request of Mr. LAUTENBERG, the name of the Senator from New York (Mrs. GILLIBRAND) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1782, a bill to provide