

EC-723. A communication from the Chief of the Satellite Division, International Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Terrestrial Use of the 2473-2495 MHz Band for Low-Power Mobile Broadband Networks; Amendments to Rules for the Ancillary Terrestrial Component of Mobile Satellite Service Systems" ((IB Docket No. 13-213) (FCC 16-181)) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on February 14, 2017; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-724. A communication from the Assistant Chief Counsel for Regulatory Affairs, Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Pipeline Safety: Operator Qualification, Cost Recovery, Accident and Incident Notification, and Other Pipeline Safety Changes" (RIN2137-AE94) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on February 14, 2017; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. SHELBY, from the Committee on Rules and Administration, without amendment:

S. Res. 62. An original resolution authorizing expenditures by committees of the Senate for the periods March 1, 2017 through September 30, 2017, October 1, 2017 through September 30, 2018, and October 1, 2018 through February 28, 2019.

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. COONS (for himself, Mr. KING, Mr. PORTMAN, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. ISAKSON, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. HOEVEN, Mr. CARPER, Mr. GARDNER, Mr. KAINE, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, Mrs. MURRAY, and Ms. COLLINS):

S. 405. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and the Higher Education Act of 1965 to provide an exclusion from income for student loan forgiveness for students who have died or become disabled; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. WYDEN (for himself, Mr. PAUL, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. DAINES, Mr. TESTER, and Mr. LEE):

S. 406. A bill to repeal certain amendments made to rule 41 of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. CRAPO (for himself, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. INHOFE, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. MORAN, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. WICKER, Mr. CASEY, Mr. ROBERTS, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. ISAKSON, Mr. HELLER, and Mr. THUNE):

S. 407. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to permanently extend the railroad track maintenance credit; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. WYDEN (for himself, Mr. CARDIN, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. BROWN, Mr. CASEY, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. LEAHY, Mrs. MCCASKILL, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Ms. WARREN, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, and Mr. REED):

S. 408. A bill to require the President to disclose income, assets, and liabilities asso-

ciated with countries with which the United States is negotiating a trade or investment agreement, countries subject to presidential determinations in trade enforcement actions, and countries eligible for trade preference programs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. LEE (for himself and Mr. PAUL):

S. 409. A bill to provide that the President must seek congressional approval before engaging members of the United States Armed Forces in military humanitarian operations; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. CRAPO:

S. 410. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to authorize the transfer of unused Post-9/11 Educational Assistance benefits to additional dependents upon the death of the originally designated dependent; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. CARDIN (for himself, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. BOOKER, Mr. BROWN, Ms. CANTWELL, Mr. COONS, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. FRANKEN, Ms. HARRIS, Mr. HEINRICH, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. LEAHY, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. MERKLEY, Mr. MURPHY, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. SANDERS, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. UDALL, Mr. WYDEN, Ms. WARREN, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Mr. KAINE, and Mr. VAN HOLLEN):

S. 411. A bill to eliminate racial, religious, and other discriminatory profiling by law enforcement, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. PETERS (for himself and Mr. PERDUE):

S. 412. A bill to amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to require State and local coordination on cybersecurity with the national cybersecurity and communications integration center, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mrs. CAPITO (for herself, Mr. TESTER, Mr. LANKFORD, Mr. GRASSLEY, Ms. HEITKAMP, Mr. WICKER, Mr. BOOZMAN, and Mr. COTTON):

S. 413. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to prohibit prescription drug plan sponsors and MA-PD organizations under the Medicare program from retroactively reducing payment on clean claims submitted by pharmacies; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. HELLER:

S. 414. A bill to promote conservation, improve public land management, and provide for sensible development in Pershing County, Nevada, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Ms. CORTEZ MASTO (for herself, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. COONS, Ms. HIRONO, Mr. FRANKEN, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. BOOKER, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. LEAHY, Mr. WYDEN, Ms. HARRIS, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. KAINE, Mr. BENNET, Mr. MERKLEY, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Ms. WARREN, Ms. DUCKWORTH, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. MENENDEZ, and Mrs. FEINSTEIN):

S. 415. A bill to nullify the effect of the recent executive order that makes the vast majority of unauthorized individuals priorities for removal and aims to withhold critical Federal funding to sanctuary cities; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. DONNELLY (for himself and Mr. TILLIS):

S. 416. A bill to amend the Small Business Investment Incentive Act of 1980 to require an annual review by the Securities and Exchange Commission of the annual government-business forum on capital formation; to the Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship.

By Mr. RUBIO (for himself, Mr. COTTON, and Mr. CARDIN):

S. 417. A bill to reinstate reporting requirements related to United States-Hong Kong relations; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. YOUNG (for himself, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. RUBIO, and Mr. COONS):

S. 418. A bill to require reporting on the implementation of Government Accountability Office recommendations by the Department of State and the United States Agency for International Development; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. GRASSLEY (for himself, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Mr. HATCH, and Mr. COONS):

S. 419. A bill to require adequate reporting on the Public Safety Officers' Benefits program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. RUBIO (for himself, Mr. CORNYN, Mr. SASSE, and Mr. PERDUE):

S. 420. A bill to require the President to report on the use by the Government of Iran of commercial aircraft and related services for illicit military or other activities, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mrs. FISCHER (for herself and Mr. UDALL):

S. 421. A bill to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to protect low-income Lifeline subscribers by mandating a continuing role for States in designating eligible telecommunications carriers for participation in the Universal Service program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mrs. GILLIBRAND (for herself, Mr. DAINES, Mr. TESTER, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. MARKEY, Ms. MURKOWSKI, Ms. WARREN, Mr. RUBIO, Mr. LEAHY, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Ms. HEITKAMP, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. SCHATZ, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. CASEY, Mr. KAINE, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. WARNER, Mr. PETERS, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. PORTMAN, Mr. BLUNT, and Mr. ROUNDS):

S. 422. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to clarify presumptions relating to the exposure of certain veterans who served in the vicinity of the Republic of Vietnam, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. TESTER (for himself, Ms. BALDWIN, Ms. STABENOW, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Mr. BROWN, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. MANCHIN, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. REED, and Mr. UDALL):

S. 423. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to increase the maximum age for children eligible for medical care under the CHAMPVA program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. BOOKER (for himself and Mr. PORTMAN):

S. 424. A bill to amend title 5, United States Code, to include certain Federal positions within the definition of law enforcement officer for retirement purposes, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. CARDIN (for himself, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. COCHRAN, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Mr. WICKER, and Mr. LEAHY):

S. 425. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to improve the historic rehabilitation tax credit, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. TESTER (for himself, Ms. BALDWIN, and Mr. BROWN):

S. 426. A bill to increase educational assistance provided by the Department of Veterans Affairs for education and training of physician assistants of the Department, to establish pay grades and require competitive

pay for physician assistants of the Department, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. SANDERS (for himself and Mrs. GILLIBRAND):

S. 427. A bill to enhance Social Security benefits and ensure the long-term solvency of the Social Security program; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. GRASSLEY (for himself, Mr. BENNET, Mr. PORTMAN, Ms. HARRIS, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. NELSON, Mr. BROWN, Mr. GARDNER, and Mrs. MURRAY):

S. 428. A bill to amend titles XIX and XXI of the Social Security Act to authorize States to provide coordinated care to children with complex medical conditions through enhanced pediatric health homes, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. MCCONNELL (for himself and Mr. PAUL):

S. 429. A bill to exempt the aging process of distilled spirits from the production period for purposes of capitalization of interest costs; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. COTTON (for himself, Mr. JOHN-SON, and Mr. RUBIO):

S. 430. A bill to provide for compliance enforcement regarding Russian violations of the Intermediate-Range Nuclear Forces (INF) Treaty, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. THUNE (for himself, Mr. SCHATZ, and Mr. WICKER):

S. 431. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to expand the use of telehealth for individuals with stroke; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. HEINRICH (for himself and Mr. UDALL):

S. 432. A bill to designate the Cerro del Yuta and Rio San Antonio Wilderness Areas in the State of New Mexico, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. MENENDEZ:

S. 433. A bill for the relief of Malachy McAllister, Nicola McAllister, and Sean Ryan McAllister; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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

S. 434. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to qualify homeless youth and veterans who are full-time students for purposes of the low income housing tax credit; to the Committee on Finance.

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

S. 435. A bill to establish programs to improve family economic security by breaking the cycle of multigenerational poverty, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. HEINRICH (for himself and Mr. UDALL):

S. 436. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to retire coal preference right lease applications for which the Secretary has made an affirmative commercial quantities determination, to substitute certain land selections of the Navajo Nation, to designate certain wilderness areas, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. SCHATZ (for himself and Ms. HIRONO):

S. 437. A bill to provide for environmental oversight and remediation activities at Red Hill Bulk Fuel Storage Facility; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. CRUZ:

S.J. Res. 23. A joint resolution disapproving the rule submitted by the Department of Labor relating to drug testing of unemployment compensation applicants; to the Committee on Finance.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. SHELBY:

S. Res. 62. An original resolution authorizing expenditures by committees of the Senate for the periods March 1, 2017 through September 30, 2017, October 1, 2017 through September 30, 2018, and October 1, 2018 through February 28, 2019; from the Committee on Rules and Administration; placed on the calendar.

By Mr. CARPER (for himself and Mrs. CAPITO):

S. Res. 63. A resolution expressing support for the designation of the week of October 29 through November 4, 2017, as "National Obesity Care Week"; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 16

At the request of Mr. PAUL, the name of the Senator from Oklahoma (Mr. LANKFORD) was added as a cosponsor of S. 16, 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, and for other purposes.

S. 27

At the request of Mr. CARDIN, the name of the Senator from Colorado (Mr. BENNET) was added as a cosponsor of S. 27, a bill to establish an independent commission to examine and report on the facts regarding the extent of Russian official and unofficial cyber operations and other attempts to interfere in the 2016 United States national election, and for other purposes.

S. 37

At the request of Mrs. ERNST, the name of the Senator from South Dakota (Mr. ROUNDS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 37, a bill to require U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement to take into custody certain aliens who have been charged in the United States with a crime that resulted in the death or serious bodily injury of another person, and for other purposes.

S. 65

At the request of Ms. WARREN, the names of the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. MURPHY) and the Senator from New York (Mr. SCHUMER) were added as cosponsors of S. 65, a bill to address financial conflicts of interest of the President and Vice President.

S. 108

At the request of Mr. HATCH, the name of the Senator from Arkansas (Mr. COTTON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 108, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the excise tax on medical devices.

S. 109

At the request of Mr. GRASSLEY, the name of the Senator from North Dakota (Ms. HEITKAMP) was added as a cosponsor of S. 109, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for coverage under the Medicare program of pharmacist services.

S. 150

At the request of Mr. RUBIO, the name of the Senator from Florida (Mr. NELSON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 150, a bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to provide an additional tool to prevent certain frauds against veterans, and for other purposes.

S. 170

At the request of Mr. RUBIO, the name of the Senator from Kentucky (Mr. MCCONNELL) was added as a cosponsor of S. 170, a bill to provide for nonpreemption of measures by State and local governments to divest from entities that engage in commerce-related or investment-related boycott, divestment, or sanctions activities targeting Israel, and for other purposes.

S. 203

At the request of Mr. BURR, the name of the Senator from West Virginia (Mrs. CAPITO) was added as a cosponsor of S. 203, a bill to reaffirm that the Environmental Protection Agency may not regulate vehicles used solely for competition, and for other purposes.

S. 236

At the request of Mr. WYDEN, the names of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. MENENDEZ) and the Senator from North Carolina (Mr. TILLIS) were added as cosponsors of S. 236, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to reform taxation of alcoholic beverages.

S. 242

At the request of Mr. CASSIDY, the name of the Senator from Kentucky (Mr. PAUL) was added as a cosponsor of S. 242, a bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to permit veterans to grant access to their records in the databases of the Veterans Benefits Administration to certain designated congressional employees, and for other purposes.

S. 251

At the request of Mr. WYDEN, the name of the Senator from Michigan (Mr. PETERS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 251, a bill to repeal the Independent Payment Advisory Board in order to ensure that it cannot be used to undermine the Medicare entitlement for beneficiaries.

S. 294

At the request of Mr. NELSON, the name of the Senator from Georgia (Mr. ISAKSON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 294, 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. 301

At the request of Mr. LANKFORD, the name of the Senator from South Dakota (Mr. ROUNDS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 301, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to prohibit governmental discrimination against providers of health services that are not involved in abortion.