

record, or administrative or judicial review that apply to any function transferred by this Act shall apply to the exercise of such function by the head of the office, and other officers of the office, to which such function is transferred by this Act.

(g) DEPARTMENT OF STATE.—Nothing in this Act shall be construed to preclude or limit in any way the powers, authorities, or duties of special agents of the Department of State and the Foreign Service under section 2709 of title 22, United States Code, or of the Secretary of State under section 4801, et seq. of title 22, United States Code, to investigate illegal passport or visa issuance or use.

SEC. 103. COMMISSIONER COMPENSATION.

Effective as of the day following the date on which the present incumbent in the office of the Commissioner ceases to serve as such, the Commissioner of the Immigration and Naturalization Service shall receive compensation at the rate prescribed for level III of the Federal Executive Salary Schedule (section 5314 of title 5, United States Code).

TITLE II—CONFORMING AMENDMENTS

SEC. 201. CONFORMING AMENDMENTS.

(a) Section 103(e)(2) of the INA, 8 U.S.C. section 1103(e)(2), is amended by striking "district office of the Service" and inserting "designated office of the Immigration and Naturalization Service".

(b) Section 242(b)(3)(A) of the INA, 8 U.S.C. section 1252(b)(3)(A), is amended by striking "Service district" and inserting "designated office of the Immigration and Naturalization Service".

(c) Section 316 of the INA, 8 U.S.C. section 1427, is amended—

(1) in subsection (a) by striking "district of the Service" and inserting "area serviced by the designated office of the Immigration and Naturalization Service"; and

(2) in subsection (f)(1) by striking "district of the Service" and inserting "area serviced by the designated office of the Immigration and Naturalization Service".

(d) Section 319 of the INA, 8 U.S.C. section 1430, is amended—

(1) in subsection (a) by striking "district of the Service" and inserting "area serviced by the designated office of the Immigration and Naturalization Service";

(2) in subsection (b)(3) by striking "district of the Service" and inserting "area serviced by the designated office of the Immigration and Naturalization Service";

(3) in subsection (c)(5) by striking "district of the Service" and inserting "area serviced by the designated office of the Immigration and Naturalization Service"; and

(4) in subsection (d) by striking "district of the Service" and inserting "area serviced by the designated office of the Immigration and Naturalization Service".

(e) Section 324 of the INA, 8 U.S.C. section 1435(a)(1), is amended by striking "district of the Service" and inserting "area serviced by the designated office of the Immigration and Naturalization Service".

(f) Section 328 of the INA, 8 U.S.C. section 1439, is amended—

(1) in subsection (a) by striking "district of the Service" and inserting "area serviced by the designated office of the Immigration and Naturalization Service";

(2) in subsection (b)(1) by striking "district of the Service" and inserting "area serviced by the designated office of the Immigration and Naturalization Service"; and

(3) in subsection (c) by striking "district of the Service" and inserting "area serviced by the designated office of the Immigration and Naturalization Service".

(g) Section 329(b)(2) of the INA, 8 U.S.C. 1440(b)(2), is amended by striking "district of the Service" and inserting "area serviced by the designated office of the Immigration and Naturalization Service".

(h) Section 335(f) of the INA, 8 U.S.C. section 1446(f), is amended by striking "district of the Service" each time the phrase appears and inserting "area serviced by the designated office of the Immigration and Naturalization Service".

(i) Section 338 of the INA, 8 U.S.C. section 1449, is amended by striking "district office of the Service" and inserting "designated office of the Immigration and Naturalization Service".

(j) Section 339(b) of the INA, 8 U.S.C. section 1450(b), is amended by striking "district office of the Service" and inserting "designated office of the Immigration and Naturalization Service".

(k) Section 404 of the INA, 8 U.S.C. section 1101, note, is amended—

(1) in subsection (b)(2)(A)(i) by striking "a district director of the Service" and inserting "a designated Immigration and Naturalization Service officer"; and

(2) in subsection (b)(2)(A)(iii) by striking "in a district" and inserting "in a designated office of the Immigration and Naturalization Service".

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 358

At the request of Mr. DEWINE, the names of the Senator from Maryland (Mr. SARBANES), the Senator from Nebraska (Mr. KERREY), and the Senator from Arizona (Mr. KYL) were added as cosponsors of S. 358, a bill to provide for compassionate payments with regard to individuals with blood-clotting disorders, such as hemophilia, who contracted human immunodeficiency virus due to contaminated blood products, and for other purposes.

S. 466

At the request of Mr. LAUTENBERG, the names of the Senator from Illinois (Ms. MOSELEY-BRAUN) and the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. DODD) were added as cosponsors of S. 466, a bill to reduce gun trafficking by prohibiting bulk purchases of handguns.

S. 852

At the request of Mr. LOTT, the names of the Senator from Georgia (Mr. CLELAND) and the Senator from South Carolina (Mr. HOLLINGS) were added as cosponsors of S. 852, a bill to establish nationally uniform requirements regarding the titling and registration of salvage, nonrepairable, and rebuilt vehicles.

S. 1251

At the request of Mr. D'AMATO, the name of the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. DODD) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1251, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to increase the amount of private activity bonds which may be issued in each State, and to index such amount for inflation.

S. 1734

At the request of Mrs. HUTCHISON, the name of the Senator from Texas (Mr. GRAMM) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1734, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to waive the income inclusion on a distribution from an individual retirement account to the extent that the distribution is contributed for charitable purposes.

S. 1862

At the request of Mr. DEWINE, the name of the Senator from Illinois (Ms.

MOSELEY-BRAUN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1862, a bill to provide assistance for poison prevention and to stabilize the funding of regional poison control centers.

S. 1868

At the request of Mr. NICKLES, the name of the Senator from Missouri (Mr. ASHCROFT) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1868, a bill to express United States foreign policy with respect to, and to strengthen United States advocacy on behalf of, individuals persecuted for their faith worldwide; to authorize United States actions in response to religious persecution worldwide; to establish an Ambassador at Large on International Religious Freedom within the Department of State, a Commission on International Religious Persecution, and a Special Adviser on International Religious Freedom within the National Security Council; and for other purposes.

S. 1924

At the request of Mr. MACK, the names of the Senator from Arkansas (Mr. HUTCHINSON), the Senator from Maine (Ms. COLLINS), and the Senator from North Dakota (Mr. CONRAD) were added as cosponsors of S. 1924, a bill to restore the standards used for determining whether technical workers are not employees as in effect before the Tax Reform Act of 1986.

S. 1993

At the request of Ms. COLLINS, the names of the Senator from North Dakota (Mr. CONRAD), the Senator from North Dakota (Mr. DORGAN), and the Senator from Arkansas (Mr. HUTCHINSON) were added as cosponsors of S. 1993, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to adjust the formula used to determine costs limits for home health agencies under medicare program, and for other purposes.

S. 2152

At the request of Mr. DURBIN, the name of the Senator from Illinois (Ms. MOSELEY-BRAUN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2152, a bill to establish a program to provide credit and other assistance for encouraging microenterprises in developing countries, and for other purposes.

S. 2180

At the request of Mr. LOTT, the names of the Senator from New Jersey (Mr. TORRICELLI), the Senator from Kentucky (Mr. FORD), the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. DODD), and the Senator from Washington (Mr. GORTON) were added as cosponsors of S. 2180, a bill to amend the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 to clarify liability under that Act for certain recycling transactions.

S. 2196

At the request of Mr. GORTON, the name of the Senator from Kentucky (Mr. FORD) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2196, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for establishment at the National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute of a program

regarding lifesaving interventions for individuals who experience cardiac arrest, and for other purposes.

S. 2216

At the request of Ms. COLLINS, the name of the Senator from Kansas (Mr. ROBERTS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2216, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to make certain changes related to payments for graduate medical education under the medicare program.

S. 2259

At the request of Mr. MURKOWSKI, the name of the Senator from Mississippi (Mr. COCHRAN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2259, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to make certain changes related to payments for graduate medical education under the medicare program.

S. 2263

At the request of Mr. GORTON, the name of the Senator from New York (Mr. MOYNIHAN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2263, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for the expansion, intensification, and coordination of the activities of the National Institutes of Health with respect to research on autism.

S. 2296

At the request of Mr. MACK, the name of the Senator from Nevada (Mr. BRYAN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2296, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the limitation on the amount of receipts attributable to military property which may be treated as exempt foreign trade income.

S. 2322

At the request of Mr. BREAU, the name of the Senator from Texas (Mrs. HUTCHISON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2322, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to change the determination of the 50,000-barrel refinery limitation on oil depletion deduction from a daily basis to an annual average daily basis.

S. 2352

At the request of Mr. ASHCROFT, the names of the Senator from Arizona (Mr. KYL), and the Senator from Georgia (Mr. COVERDELL) were added as cosponsors of S. 2352, a bill to protect the privacy rights of patients.

S. 2417

At the request of Mr. SESSIONS, the name of the Senator from Mississippi (Mr. LOTT) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2417, a bill to provide for allowable catch quota for red snapper in the Gulf of Mexico, and for other purposes.

S. 2422

At the request of Mr. MACK, the name of the Senator from Arizona (Mr. MCCAIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2422, a bill to provide incentives for states to establish and administer periodic teacher testing and merit pay programs for elementary school and secondary teachers.

SENATE RESOLUTION 257

At the request of Mr. MURKOWSKI, the names of the Senator from Connecticut

(Mr. DODD) and the Senator from Mississippi (Mr. COCHRAN) were added as cosponsors of Senate Resolution 257, a resolution expressing the sense of the Senate that October 15, 1998, should be designated as "National Inhalant Abuse Awareness Day."

NOTICE OF HEARING

COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND HUMAN RESOURCES

Mr. JEFFORDS. Mr. President, I would like to announce for information of the Senate and the public that a hearing of the Senate Committee on Labor and Human Resources will be held on Wednesday, September 2, 1998, 9:30 a.m., in SD-430 of the Senate Dirksen Building. The subject of the hearing is Dr. Jane Henney to be Commissioner of Food and Drugs, Department of Health and Human Services. For further information, please call the committee, 202/224-5375.

ADDITIONAL STATEMENTS

EAST LANSING PUBLIC LIBRARY CELEBRATES 75TH ANNIVERSARY

• Mr. ABRAHAM. Madam President, I rise today to recognize a very special occasion in the state of Michigan. September 27, 1998 will mark the 75th Anniversary of the East Lansing Public Library in East Lansing, Michigan. This day is not only significant due to this celebration but also because it will mark the completion of a \$2 million addition and renovation project.

The history of the East Lansing Public Library is very interesting. It has grown from just a few shelves of books in a room provided by the People's Church and a fund of \$26 set up by the women of the Child Conservation League in 1923, to a 25,000 square foot building that serves over 125,000 visitors a year. All of the people who have helped this institution grow and prosper over the years should be commended for their efforts and dedication.

I extend my best wishes and congratulations to the East Lansing Public Library on this momentous occasion. The East Lansing community is fortunate to have such a wonderful library. I wish them all of the best in the future.●

EFFECTS OF THE FARM CRISIS ON OUR COMMUNITIES

• Mr. DORGAN. Madam President, I want to make some remarks on the subject of the farm crisis that exists in North Dakota and other parts of the country. North Dakota is faced with a combination of collapsed grain prices and crop disease. This has produced a farm crisis that is very, very serious and to which this Congress must respond.

In my home State of North Dakota, net farm income has dropped 98 percent

in 1 year. That's right; a 98-percent drop in net farm income in 1 year. Ask yourself what would be the result for you, your neighbor, or your community, if you experienced a 98-percent drop in net income?

Many third and fourth generation farmers have been unable to get an operating loan this season due to low grain prices. They have had so many auction sales on North Dakota farms that they have had to call retired auctioneers back from retirement to handle the auction sales. Every one of these auction sales represents a family farmer who has worked hard, and invested everything they have, to run a family farm. And then they discover they can't make it.

I'd like to share it with you a poem written by Luella F. Hermanson of Hampden, North Dakota. She describes what the farm crisis has done to her community and what it will do to ours unless we take decisive action.

WHEN THE FARMERS ALL SHUT DOWN

(By Luella F. Hermanson of Hampden, North Dakota)

They're selling out my neighbor
It's his auction sale today
Life's hard out in the country
We can't farm the good old way
Remember neighbor helping neighbor
It's not like that anymore
We're hanging on by just our boot straps
Wondering what we have in store
What will our city cousins do
When the farm boys move to town
Will there be jobs for all of them
When our farms are all shut down
Who'll buy that big machinery
Standing idle on the lots
And the gas and parts and fuel oil
They might have to close their shops
Who'll buy the fertilizer
and the spray to kill the weeds
They'll probably close the diner
There'll be no one left to feed
There'll be no grain to borrow on
So the bank will close its door
The insurance boys will duck and run
When we can't pay them anymore
Who'll buy the tractors, plows and trucks
Or plant the barley, beans and wheat
Who'll pick the rocks and mow the roads
And smile in dark defeat
Who'll spend forty bucks an hour
To fix a combine in the fall
And his last red cent to save his land
When his back's against the wall
Yes they're selling out my neighbor
Heard he's moving into town
What will happen to this land we love
When farmers all shut down.●

BUDGET SCOREKEEPING REPORT

• Mr. DOMENICI. Madam President, I hereby submit to the Senate the budget scorekeeping report prepared by the Congressional Budget Office under Section 308(b) and in aid of Section 311 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974, as amended. This report meets the requirements for Senate scorekeeping of Section 5 of S. Con. Res. 32, the First Concurrent Resolution on the Budget for 1998.

This report shows the effects of congressional action on the budget