

(f) REGULATIONS.—Not later than 90 days after the date of enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Defense, in coordination with the Attorney General, the Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, and the Director of Central Intelligence, shall prescribe regulations to carry out this section.

SA 4845. Mr. SESSIONS submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 4738 proposed by Mr. GRAMM (for himself, Mr. MILLER, Mr. MCCONNELL, Mr. THOMPSON, Mr. STEVENS, Mr. HAGEL, Mr. HUTCHINSON, and Mr. BUNNING) to the amendment SA 4471 proposed by Mr. LIEBERMAN to the bill H.R. 5005, to establish the Department of Homeland Security, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

On page 220 of the amendment, after the item inserted by line 15, insert the following:
SEC. 1124. PILOT PROGRAM.

(a) ESTABLISHMENT OF PILOT PROGRAM.—The Commissioner of Immigration and Naturalization shall establish a pilot program of cooperation between inspectors of the Immigration and Naturalization Service and State and local law enforcement officials that uses video conferencing—

(1) to evaluate the legal status of aliens in the custody of State and local law enforcement; and

(2) to initiate deportation proceedings under the Immigration and Nationality Act where warranted.

(b) IMPLEMENTATION.—The pilot program described in subsection (a) shall include at least ten States. States selected to participate should be those with the largest number of violations of the Immigration and Nationality Act.

(c) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There are authorized to be appropriated such sums as may be necessary for each of the fiscal years 2003 to 2007 to carry out this section.

SA 4846. Mr. SESSIONS submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 4738 proposed by Mr. GRAMM (for himself, Mr. MILLER, Mr. MCCONNELL, Mr. THOMPSON, Mr. STEVENS, Mr. HAGEL, Mr. HUTCHINSON, and Mr. BUNNING) to the amendment SA 4471 proposed by Mr. LIEBERMAN to the bill H.R. 5005, to establish the Department of Homeland Security, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

On page 220 of the amendment, after the item inserted by line 15, insert the following:
SEC. 1124. TAKING CUSTODY OF ILLEGAL ALIENS DETAINED BY STATE OR LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICIALS.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Chapter 4 of title II of the Immigration and Nationality Act (8 U.S.C. 1221 et seq.), as amended by this Act, is further amended by inserting after section 236B the following new section:

“SEC. 236C. TAKING CUSTODY OF ILLEGAL ALIENS DETAINED BY STATE OR LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICIALS.

“(a) IN GENERAL.—Whenever a State or local law enforcement official detains an individual with reasonable belief that the individual is removable from the United States under section 237 and immediately notifies the Service of such detention, the Commissioner shall, within 48 hours of that notification—

“(1) inform the State or local law enforcement official in writing that the individual is not unlawfully present in the United

States and does not pose a danger to the public; or

“(2) take physical custody of the individual from the State or local law enforcement official.

“(b) TRANSPORTATION.—If the Service fails to comply with subsection (a) within 48 hours of notification, the Commissioner shall—

“(1) accept custody of the individual at the nearest regional office of the Service; and

“(2) promptly reimburse the State or local law enforcement official for the cost of transporting the individual to the regional office by public or private means.”.

(b) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—

(1) IN GENERAL.—There is authorized to be appropriated to the Secretary \$1,000,000 for each of the fiscal years 2003 through 2007 to carry out section 236C of the Immigration and Nationality Act, as added by subsection (a).

(2) AVAILABILITY OF APPROPRIATIONS.—Amounts appropriated pursuant to paragraph (1) are authorized to remain available until expended.

(c) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—The table of content for the Immigration and Nationality Act is amended by inserting after the item relating to section 236B the following new item:

“Sec. 236C. Taking custody of aliens detained by State or local law enforcement officials.”.

BUSINESS OF THE SENATE

Mr. REID. Mr. President, we have had another unproductive day. As you know, we are starting the fifth week on homeland security and the Interior appropriations bill. As I said a few weeks ago, it appears the other side does not want us to pass these two bills, and they are accomplishing what they set out to do. We are not doing the work of the country.

As the Presiding Officer knows, we have lost 2 million jobs in the last 18 months. We have had the weakest economic growth in some 50 years. Business investment has been down in each of the last six quarters, the weakest trend in 50 years. There has been a \$4.5 trillion loss in stock market wealth, the sharpest decline since President Hoover—\$440 billion lost in 401(k) and IRA retirement savings this past year—and the median family income was down last year, the first decrease in 12 years. The Nasdaq stock exchange was down to its lowest level in 6 years. Of course, it dropped again today. The Dow Jones dropped again today. The poverty rate is up for the first time in 10 years.

We have a lot of problems with the economy, and we are not addressing them. We are focused on Iraq. I have no problem focusing on Iraq, but we can focus on more than one issue, and we have not done that. I do not think that is good for the people of the State I represent, the people the Presiding Officer represents, or anyplace else in the country.

I hope we can change direction from what we are doing now.

A FOND FAREWELL

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I came to the Congress 10 years ago. One of the

people with whom I came was BOB TORRICELLI. He and I have been friends for 20 years now. I didn't know him before he and I were elected to the House of Representatives. Today, he announced he was not going to continue in his election, and I feel terrible about it. It shows the class he has. I talked to Senator TORRICELLI this afternoon. He recognizes the Senate seat in New Jersey is more important than him. As a result of that, he knows it would be better for the institution, the Senate, that he not continue in his election contest.

For me, the memories of having served with this fine man are very significant. The work he did first as the assistant to Senator BOB KERRY's campaign committee and then as chairman of the campaign committee will be written in the history books. He did the impossible. He did what only he said could be done. Most of us did not believe he could do what he did, and that is elect all the Democrats he was responsible for because he made us competitive. He was a voracious fundraiser.

I extend my best wishes to BOB TORRICELLI. I congratulate him for the 20 years of service to the State of New Jersey and the country as a Member of the U.S. Congress. I do hope his great talents will be used. He is a fine speaker. He has a great mind. His knowledge of foreign affairs is unsurpassed.

He and I served together on that committee in the House of Representatives. I wish I had words to describe the affection I have for Senator TORRICELLI and the expression I would like to make of the courage he showed this afternoon.

REMOVAL OF INJUNCTION OF SECRECY—TREATY DOCUMENT NO. 107-17

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent the injunction of secrecy be removed from the following treaty transmitted to the Senate on September 30, 2002, by the President of the United States:

Partial Revision of Radio Regulations (Treaty Document No. 107-17).

I further ask the treaty be considered as having been read the first time; that it be referred, with accompanying papers, to the Committee on Foreign Relations and ordered to be printed; and that the President's message be printed in the RECORD.

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

The President's message is as follows:

To the Senate of the United States:

With a view to receiving the advice and consent of the Senate to ratification, I transmit herewith the 1992 Partial Revision of the Radio Regulations (Geneva, 1979), with appendices, signed by the United States at Malaga-Torremolinos on March 3, 1992 (the "1992 Partial Revision"), together with declarations and reservations of the