

EXECUTIVE AND OTHER
COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were laid before the Senate, together with accompanying papers, reports, and documents, which were referred as indicated:

EC-1068. A communication from the Assistant Secretary Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule that amends 42.32(9)(d) of Part 22 of the Code of Federal Regulations concerning certain victims of the September 11, 2001 terrorist attacks to file for classification as special immigrants, received on January 30, 2003; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-1069. A communication from the Director, Regulations and Forms Services, Immigration and Naturalization Service, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Establishment of a \$3 Immigration User Fee for Certain Commercial Vessel Passengers Previously Exempt (RIN1115-AG47) (INS No. 2180-01)" received on January 29, 2003; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-1070. A communication from the Director, Regulations and Forms Services, Immigration and Naturalization Service, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Release of Information Regarding Immigration and Naturalization Service Detainee in Non-Federal Facilities (RIN1115-AG67) (INS No. 2203-02)" received on January 29, 2003; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-1071. A communication from the Deputy White House Liaison, Department of Education, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a nomination for the position of Assistant Secretary, received on January 31, 2003; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-1072. A communication from the Administrator, Energy Information Administration, Department of Energy, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of document entitled "Annual Energy Outlook 2003 with Projections to 2025" received on January 28, 2003; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

EC-1073. A communication from the Secretary of Energy, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report relative to Implementing U.S. Plutonium Disposition At The Savannah River Site; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

EC-1074. A communication from the Acting Chair, Federal Subsistence Board, Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Subsistence Management Regulations for Public Lands in Alaska, Subpart C and D—2003-2004 Subsistence Taking of Fish and Shellfish Regulations (1018-AI09)" received on January 29, 2003; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

EC-1075. A communication from the Deputy General Counsel, Board of Veterans' Appeals, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Appeals Regulations: Title for Members of the Board of Veterans' Appeals (2900-AK62)" received on February 5, 2003; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

EC-1076. A communication from the Deputy General Counsel, Veterans Health Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Payment or Reimbursement for Emergency Treatment Furnished at Non-VA Facilities (2900-AK08)" received on February 4, 2003; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

EC-1077. A communication from the Deputy General Counsel, Office of Acquisitions &

Material Management, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "VA Acquisition Regulations: Simplified Acquisition Procedures for Health-Care resources (2900-AI71)" received on February 4, 2003; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

EC-1078. A communication from the Administrator, Food Safety and Inspection Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Termination of Designation of the State of Maine With Respect to the Inspection of Meat and Meat Food Products and Poultry and Poultry Food Products (Doc. No. 02-028F)" received on February 4, 2003; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-1079. A communication from the Secretary, Office of the General Counsel, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule "Implementation of Standards of Professional Conduct for Attorneys (RIN3235-AI72)" received on January 29, 2003; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1080. A communication from the Director, Financial Crimes Enforcement Network, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendment to the Bank Secrecy Act Regulations—Requirement that Currency Dealers and Exchanges Report Suspicious Transactions (1506-AA34)" received on February 4, 2003; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1081. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Office of the Chief Accountant, Securities & Exchange Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Strengthening the Commission's Requirement Regarding Auditor Independence (RIN3235-AI73)" received on January 29, 2003; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1082. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Export Administration, Bureau of Industry and Security Administration, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Revision of Export Controls for General Purpose Microprocessors (0694-AC66)" received on January 28, 2003; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1083. A communication from the Secretary of Commerce, transmitting, the report relative to the President's Export Council and the current vacancy of two positions on that Council; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-1084. A communication from the Chairman of the Council, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on D.C. Act 14-553 "Public Insurance Adjuster Licensure Act of 2002" received on February 1, 2003; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1085. A communication from the Chairman of the Council, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report on D.C. Act 14-554 "Public Health Laboratory Fee Amendment Act of 2002" received on February 1, 2003; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1086. A communication from the Assistant Administrator, Bureau for Legislative and Public Affairs, U.S. Agency for International Development, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the pre-publication version of Fiscal Year 2002 Performance and Accountability Report (PAR); to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1087. A communication from the Secretary of Energy, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a document entitled "U.S. Department of Energy Performance and Ac-

countability Report Fiscal Year 2002"; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1088. A communication from the Attorney General, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of Fiscal Year 2002 Performance and Accountability Report for the Department of Justice; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1089. A communication from the Executive Director, Federal Mine Safety and Health Review Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the Federal Mine and Health Review Commission's inventory of activities; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1090. A communication from the Colonel, Corps of Engineers Secretary, Mississippi River Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Annual Report for the Mississippi River Commission covering calendar year 2002; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1091. A communication from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Office of Acquisition Policy, General Services Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Federal Acquisition Regulation; Federal Acquisition Circular 2001-11 (FAC2001-11)" received on January 21, 2003; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1092. A communication from the Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Prevailing Rate Systems; Change in Federal Wage System Survey Job (RIN3206-AJ63)" received on January 21, 2003; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1093. A communication from the Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Prevailing Rate Systems; Definitions of Santa Clara, CA, Nonappropriated Fund Wage Area (RIN3206-AJ61)" received on January 28, 2003; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1094. A communication from the Chairman, Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Annual Report on Commercial Activities at the Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1095. A communication from the Secretary of Labor, Chairman of the Board, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Annual Report of the Pensions Benefit Guaranty Corporation; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1096. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the Reorganization Plan Modification for the Department of Homeland Security (DHS); to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1097. A communication from the Administrator, National Aeronautics Space Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Fiscal Year 2002 Performance and Accountability Report; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1098. A communication from the Chair, Railroad Retirement Board, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Railroad Retirement Board's Financial Statements for Fiscal Year 2002; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1099. A communication from the Chairman, Board Governors, United States Postal Service, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Annual Report regarding compliance of the Board of Governors with the Sunshine Act; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1100. A communication from the Director, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Inspector General's and Director's

semiannual reports that respectively address the Agency's audit and audit follow-up activity during the period April 1, 2002 through September 30, 2003; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1101. A communication from the Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Fiscal Year 2002 Annual Report on the Federal Equal Opportunity Recruitment Program (FEORP); to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1102. A communication from the Comptroller General of the United States, General Accounting Office, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report relative to General Accounting Office (GAO) employees who were assigned to congressional committees during fiscal year 2002; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1103. A communication from the Comptroller General of the United States, United States General Accounting Office, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report relative to General Accounting Office (GAO) employees detailed to congressional committees as of January 21, 2003; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1104. A communication from the Comptroller General of the United States, General Accounting Office, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report relative to the requirements of the Competition in Contracting Act of 1984; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1105. A communication from the President, James Madison Memorial Fellowship Foundation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Annual Report in accordance with the Federal Managers Financial Integrity Act of 1982; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-1106. A communication from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Insurance Demutualization ((Rev. Rul. 2003-19)(2003-7))" received on January 29, 2003; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-1107. A communication from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "355 active conduct of a trade of business - auto dealer expansion ((Rev. Rul. 2003-16)(2003-7))" received on January 29, 2003; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-1108. A communication from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Dissolution Clause Requirements for 501(c)(3) Entities Seeking a 115(l) Private Letter Ruling (Rev. Rul. 2003-12)" received on January 29, 2003; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-1109. A communication from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Rev. Proc. 2003-19 (RP-137446-02)" received on January 31, 2003; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-1110. A communication from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Leveraged Partnerships Under Section 45D (Rev. Rul. 2003-20)" received on January 29, 2003; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-1111. A communication from the Acting Director, Statutory Import Programs Staff, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Changes in Insular Possessions Watch, Watch Movement and Jewelry Program (0625-AA57)" received on February 1, 2003; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-1112. A communication from the Deputy Chief, Regulations Division, Bureau of

Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Reorganization of Title 27 Code of Federal Regulations (1512-AD06)" received on January 29, 2003; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-1113. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Import Administration, Alternate Chairman, Foreign-Trade Zones Board, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Annual Report of the Foreign-Trade Zones Board for Fiscal Year 2001, received on January 28, 2003; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-1114. A communication from the Assistant Director for Executive and Political Personnel, Department of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a nomination for the position of Assistant Secretary of Defense, received on January 31, 2003; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1115. A communication from the Supervisor, Headquarters Oklahoma City Air Logistics Center, Department of the Air Force, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report relative to correspondence between The Supervisor and Deputy Chief, Congressional Inquiry Division, Office of Legislative Liaison; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1116. A communication from the Assistant Secretary of Defense, Reserve Affairs, transmitting, pursuant to law, the National Guard Challenge Program Annual Report for Fiscal Year 2002; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-1117. A communication from the Attorney/Advisor, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a nomination for the position of Associate Deputy Secretary of Transportation, received on February 1, 2003; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-1118. A communication from the Administrator, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Capitol Investment Plan (CIP) for Fiscal Years 2004-2008; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-1119. A communication from the Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Final Rule to Implement Amendment 5 to the Fishery Management Plan for the Shrimp Fishery of the South Atlantic (0648-AP41)" received on February 4, 2003; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-1120. A communication from the Under Secretary of Commerce, Oceans and Atmosphere, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Annual Report of Coastal Zone Management Fund for the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration for Fiscal Year 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-1121. A communication from the Administrator, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report relative to NASA's 2003 Strategic Plan, received on February 4, 2003; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-1122. A communication from the Senior Rulemaking Analyst, Office of the Chief Counsel, Transportation Security Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Threat Assessment Regarding Alien Holders of, and Applicants for, for FAA Certificates (2110-AA17)" received on January 29, 2003; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-1123. A communication from the Senior Rulemaking Analyst, Office of the Chief Counsel, Transportation Security Administration, Department of Transportation,

transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Threat Assessments Regarding Citizens of the United States Who Hold or Apply for FAA Certificates (2120-AA14)" received on January 29, 2003; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-1124. A communication from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, United States Coast Guard, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Safety/Security Zone Regulations; Escorted Vessels-Philippine Sea, Guam Apra Harbor, Guam and Tanapag Harbor, Saipan, Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands (CGD14-02-002)(2115-AA97) (2003-0008)" received on January 31, 2003; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-1125. A communication from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, United States Coast Guard, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Drawbridge Regulations; Mississippi River, Dubuque, IA (CGD08-02-042)(2115-AE47)(2003-0005)" received on January 31, 2003; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-1126. A communication from the Attorney/Advisor, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a Nomination for the position of Deputy Administrator, received on January 31, 2003; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-1127. A communication from the Assistant Chief Counsel, Maritime Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Requirements to Document U.S. Flag Fishing Industry Vessels of 100 Feet or Greater in Registered Length and to hold a Preferred Mortgage on Such Vessels (2133-AB46)" received on January 29, 2003; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-1128. A communication from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska—Closes First Seasonal Allowances of Pollock in Area 610, Gulf of Alaska" received on February 4, 2003; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. HATCH, from the Committee on the Judiciary:

Report to accompany S. 151, A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, with respect to the sexual exploitation of children (Rept. No. 108-2).

By Mr. DOMENICI, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute:

S. 111. A bill to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a special resource study to determine the national significance of the Miami Circle site in the State of Florida as well as the suitability and feasibility of its inclusion in the National Park System as part of Biscayne National Park, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 108-4).

By Mr. DOMENICI, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, without amendment:

S. 117. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to sell or exchange certain land in the State of Florida, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 108-5).

By Mr. DOMENICI, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute: