

development of the telephone, and his legacy deserves recognition.

Born in 1808 in Florence, Italy, Antonio Meucci showed academic promise from an early age. After being educated at the Academy of Fine Arts, he rose to the position of assistant to the chief engineer for a leading Florentine theater. In 1835, he was recruited by a famous entrepreneur to work as chief engineer for a new theater in Havana, Cuba. There he began work on many of his inventions, including those relating to telephonic communication.

Meucci left Havana for the United States in 1850 in search of a better environment to develop his ideas relating to the telephone. In 1854, after his wife had fallen ill, Mr. Meucci set up a rudimentary communication link known as a "speaking telegraph" that connected her bedroom to his basement laboratory and the rest of his home.

Mr. Meucci spent the next several years trying to advance his idea, and his efforts culminated in December 1871, when he hired an attorney to secure a patent caveat, a 1-year renewable notice of an impending patent, which reflected the promise of his work on the telephone. Although Mr. Meucci retained the caveat for 3 years, he was unable to produce the necessary \$10 renewal fee after 1874.

Unfortunately, Mr. Meucci died before he was able to complete his efforts. However, his work has not gone completely unnoticed. On the 100th anniversary of the telephone, both the Smithsonian Institution and the International Telecommunication Union honored Mr. Meucci as among the most important pioneers of the telephone.

Given his important contributions, I hope my colleagues will join in honoring both the life and achievements of Antonio Meucci.

AMENDMENTS SUBMITTED AND PROPOSED

SA 1604. Mr. KENNEDY submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 1594 submitted by Mr. REED and intended to be proposed to the amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 1605. Mr. FEINGOLD submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 1606. Mr. FEINGOLD (for himself and Ms. COLLINS) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 1607. Mr. WARNER submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 1608. Mr. FRIST submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill

H.R. 2660, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 1609. Mrs. BOXER (for herself, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Mr. REID, Ms. LANDRIEU, Mr. KERRY, and Mr. CORZINE) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1610. Ms. LANDRIEU (for herself, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. ROCKEFELLER, and Mr. LEVIN) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1611. Mr. DURBIN (for himself, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. DORGAN, and Mr. NELSON, of Nebraska) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1612. Ms. CANTWELL submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1613. Mr. DURBIN (for himself, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. EDWARDS, Mr. BINGAMAN, Mr. LAUTENBERG, and Mr. CORZINE) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1614. Ms. LANDRIEU (for herself, Mr. DASCHLE, Mr. JOHNSON, and Mr. BREAUX) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1615. Mr. BINGAMAN submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra; which was ordered to lie on the table.

SA 1616. Mr. STEVENS (for Ms. COLLINS (for herself and Mr. FEINGOLD)) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1617. Mr. STEVENS (for Mr. INHOFE) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1618. Mr. STEVENS (for Mr. WYDEN) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1619. Mr. STEVENS (for Mr. ENSIGN) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1620. Mr. STEVENS (for Mr. SPECTER) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1621. Mr. ENSIGN (for himself, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. GREGG, and Ms. COLLINS) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1622. Mr. SPECTER (for himself, Mr. HARKIN, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, Ms. COLLINS, Ms. SNOWE, Mr. DORGAN, Mrs. CLINTON, Mr. LIEBERMAN, Ms. MIKULSKI, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Mr. LEAHY, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. CORZINE, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. SARBANES, Mr. SCHUMER, Ms. CANTWELL, Mr. REID, Mr. JOHNSON, Mr. KENNEDY, and Ms. STABENOW) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1623. Mr. DEWINE (for himself, Mr. SANTORUM, and Mr. DURBIN) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1624. Mr. HARKIN (for Mr. BINGAMAN) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1594 submitted by Mr. REED and intended to be proposed to the amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1625. Mr. HARKIN (for Ms. MIKULSKI) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1626. Mr. HARKIN (for Mr. DASCHLE) proposed an amendment to amendment SA

1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1627. Mr. HARKIN (for Mr. DODD (for himself and Mrs. LINCOLN)) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1628. Mr. HARKIN (for Mr. KENNEDY) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1629. Mr. SPECTER (for Mr. MCCAIN (for himself and Mr. BAYH)) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1630. Mr. SPECTER proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1631. Mr. HARKIN (for Mr. SCHUMER) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1632. Mr. SPECTER (for Mr. SESSIONS) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1633. Mr. HARKIN (for Mr. FEINGOLD) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1634. Mr. HARKIN (for Mr. HOLLINGS) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1635. Mr. SPECTER (for Mr. ALEXANDER (for himself, Mr. DODD, Mr. KENNEDY, and Mrs. MURRAY)) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1636. Mr. HARKIN (for Mr. DASCHLE) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1637. Mr. HARKIN (for Mr. KENNEDY) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1638. Mr. SPECTER (for Mr. BOND (for himself, Mrs. CLINTON, Mrs. MURRAY, Ms. CANTWELL, and Mr. SCHUMER)) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1639. Mr. HARKIN (for Mr. FEINGOLD (for himself and Ms. COLLINS)) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1640. Mr. SPECTER submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1641. Mr. SPECTER (for Mr. CHAMBLISS) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1642. Mr. SPECTER (for Mr. ROBERTS (for himself and Mr. CONRAD)) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1643. Mr. SPECTER proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1644. Mr. SPECTER (for himself and Mr. BYRD) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

SA 1645. Mr. HARKIN (for himself and Mr. DASCHLE) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, supra.

TEXT OF AMENDMENTS

SA 1604. Mr. KENNEDY submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 1594 submitted by Mr. REED and intended to be proposed by the amendment SA 1542 proposed by

Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the appropriate place in title II, insert the following:

SEC. ____ (a) AUTOMATIC EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATORS.—There are appropriated, \$10,000,000 to fund programs on community automatic external defibrillators under section 312 of the Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 244).

(b) OFFSET.—Of the funds appropriated under this Act for the National Institutes of Health, \$15,000,000 shall not be available for obligation until September 30, 2004. The amount \$6,895,199,000 in section 305(a)(1) of this Act shall be deemed to be \$6,905,199,000, and the amount \$6,783,301,000 in section 305(a)(2) of this Act shall be deemed to be \$6,773,301,000.

SA 1605. Mr. FEINGOLD submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table as follows:

On page 20, line 19, strike the period at the end and insert “: *Provided further*, That of this amount, sufficient funds shall be available for the Secretary of Labor, not later than 60 days after the last day of the fiscal year, to submit to Congress a report on the amount of acquisitions made by the Department of Labor during such fiscal year of articles, materials, or supplies that were manufactured outside the United States. Such report shall separately indicate the dollar value of any articles, materials, or supplies purchased by the Department of Labor that were manufactured outside the United States, an itemized list of all waivers under the Buy American Act (41 U.S.C. 10a et seq.) that were granted with respect to such articles, materials, or supplies, and a summary of total procurement funds spent on goods manufactured in the United States versus funds spent on goods manufactured outside of the United States. The Secretary of Labor shall make the report publicly available by posting the report on an Internet website.

On page 74, line 4, strike “Washington, D.C.” and insert “Washington, D.C.: *Provided*, That of this amount, sufficient funds shall be available for the Secretary of Education, not later than 60 days after the last day of the fiscal year, to submit to Congress a report on the amount of acquisitions made by the Department of Education during such fiscal year of articles, materials, or supplies that were manufactured outside the United States. Such report shall separately indicate the dollar value of any articles, materials, or supplies purchased by the Department of Education that were manufactured outside the United States, an itemized list of all waivers under the Buy American Act (41 U.S.C. 10a et seq.) that were granted with respect to such articles, materials, or supplies, and a summary of total procurement funds spent on goods manufactured in the United States versus funds spent on goods manufactured outside of the United States. The Secretary of Education shall make the report publicly available by posting the report on an Internet website.”

SA 1606. Mr. FEINGOLD (for himself and Ms. COLLINS) submitted an amend-

ment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

On page 61, between lines 14 and 15 insert the following:

SEC. ____ From the amounts appropriated under the heading OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY, GENERAL DEPARTMENTAL MANAGEMENT there shall be made available an additional \$4,000,000 to the Health Resources and Services Administration for the purchase of automatic external defibrillators and the training of individuals in cardiac life support in rural areas.

SA 1607. Mr. WARNER submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table as follows:

At the end, add the following:

SEC. ____ RECIPIENTS OF FEDERAL PELL GRANTS WHO ARE PURSUING PROGRAMS OF STUDY IN MATHEMATICS OR SCIENCE (INCLUDING COMPUTER SCIENCE OR ENGINEERING).

Section 401(b)(2) of the Higher Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 1070a(b)(2)) is amended by adding at the end the following:

“(C)(i) Notwithstanding subparagraph (A) and subject to clause (ii), in the case of a student who is eligible under this part and who is pursuing a degree with a major or minor in, or a certificate or program of study relating to, mathematics or science (including computer science or engineering), the amount of the Federal Pell Grant shall be 150 percent of the amount specified in clauses (i) through (v) of subparagraph (A), for the academic year involved, less an amount equal to the amount determined to be the expected family contribution with respect to that student for that year.

“(ii) No student who received a Federal Pell Grant for academic year 2003-2004 shall receive a subsequent Federal Pell Grant in an amount that is less than the amount of the student’s Federal Pell Grant for academic year 2003-2004, due to the requirements of clause (i).”

SA 1608. Mr. FRIST submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

At the appropriate place in title II, insert the following:

SEC. ____ (a) AUTOMATIC EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATORS.—There are appropriated, \$10,000,000 to fund programs on community automatic external defibrillators under section 312 of the Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 244).

(b) OFFSET.—The amount made available under each account in this Act for expenses necessary for departmental management and administration shall be reduced on a pro rata

basis, so that the total of such reductions equals \$10,000,000.

SA 1609. Mrs. BOXER (for herself, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Mr. REID, Ms. LANDRIEU, Mr. KERRY, and Mr. CORZINE) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

On page 76, between lines 10 and 11, insert the following:

Sec.—. In addition to any amounts otherwise appropriated under this Act for after-school programs carried out by 21st Century Community Learning Centers under part B of title IV of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 7171 et seq.), there are appropriated an additional \$250,000,000 for such programs: *Provided*, That of the funds appropriated in this Act for the National Institutes of Health, \$44,000,000 shall not be available for obligation until September 30, 2004: *Provided further*, That the amount \$6,895,199,000 in section 305(a)(1) of this Act shall be deemed to be \$7,145,199,000: *Provided further*, That the amount \$6,783,301,000 in section 305(a)(2) of this Act shall be deemed to be \$6,533,301,000.

SA 1610. Ms. LANDRIEU (for herself, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. ROCKEFELLER, and Mr. LEVIN) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

On page 61, between lines 14 and 15, insert the following:

SEC. ____ (a) PROMOTING SAFE AND STABLE FAMILIES PROGRAM.—In addition to amounts otherwise appropriated under this Act for the promoting safe and stable families program of the Administration on Children and Families, there are appropriated an additional \$100,000,000 for the Administration on Children and Families to fund such program.

(b) INDEPENDENT LIVING TRAINING VOUCHERS.—In addition to amounts otherwise appropriated under this Act for independent living training vouchers, there are appropriated an additional \$18,000,000 for such vouchers.

(c) OFFSET.—Of the funds appropriated under this Act for the National Institutes of Health, \$70,000,000 shall not be available for obligation until September 30, 2004. The amount \$6,895,199,000 in section 305(a)(1) of this Act shall be deemed to be \$6,995,199,000, and the amount \$6,783,301,000 in section 305(a)(2) of this Act shall be deemed to be \$6,683,301,000.

SA 1611. Mr. DURBIN (for himself, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. DORGAN, and Mr. NELSON of Nebraska) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

At the end of title III (relating to the Department of Education), insert after the last

section (preceding the short title) the following:

SEC. ____ None of the funds made available in this Act may be used by the Department of Education to enforce any requirement under section 1116 of part A of title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 6316), or to implement any penalty or sanction applicable to a State, a State educational agency, a local educational agency, or a school under such part A, if the amount appropriated in this Act for the purpose of carrying out such part A for fiscal year 2004 is less than \$18,500,000,000, as authorized to be appropriated for such purpose in section 1002(a) of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 6302(a)). Nothing in this section shall be construed to prohibit a State, a State educational agency, a local educational agency, or a school from implementing the requirements of section 1116 of such Act.

SA 1612. Ms. CANTWELL submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

In the matter under the heading "TRAINING AND EMPLOYMENT SERVICES" under the heading "EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING ADMINISTRATION" in title I, add at the end the following:

For necessary expenses of the Workforce Investment Act of 1998, including the purchase and hire of passenger motor vehicles, the construction, alteration, and repair of buildings and other facilities, and the purchase of real property for training centers as authorized by the Workforce Investment Act of 1998, \$10,000,000 to carry out activities described in section 132(a)(2)(B) of that Act (relating to dislocated worker employment and training activities and other activities for dislocated workers). There shall be transferred from the account relating to the Department of Labor's Working Capital Fund, \$7,500,000 to the account relating to carrying out activities described in section 132(a)(2)(B) of the Workforce Investment Act of 1998 (relating to dislocated worker employment and training activities and other activities for dislocated workers). There shall be transferred from the account relating to the Department of Labor's management cross cut activities, \$7,500,000 to the account relating to carrying out activities described in section 132(a)(2)(B) of the Workforce Investment Act of 1998 (relating to dislocated worker employment and training activities and other activities for dislocated workers). There shall be transferred from the Department of Labor's Departmental Management account (except from funds under such account for salaries and to the Bureau of International Labor Affairs), \$5,000,000 to the account relating to carrying out activities described in section 132(a)(2)(B) of the Workforce Investment Act of 1998 (relating to dislocated worker employment and training activities and other activities for dislocated workers). There shall be transferred from the Department of Health and Human Service's General Departmental Management account (except from funds under such account for salaries), \$20,000,000 to the account relating to carrying out activities described in section 132(a)(2)(B) of the Workforce Investment Act of 1998 (relating to dislocated worker employment and training activities and other activities for dislocated workers). There shall be transferred from the Department of Education's Program Admin-

istration account (except from funds under such account for salaries), \$10,000,000 to the account relating to carrying out activities described in section 132(a)(2)(B) of the Workforce Investment Act of 1998 (relating to dislocated worker employment and training activities and other activities for dislocated workers).

On page 74, line 1, strike "\$13,644,000" and insert "\$3,644,000".

SA 1613. Mr. DURBIN (for himself, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. EDWARDS, Mr. BINGAMAN, Mr. LAUTENBERG, and Mr. CORZINE) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

On page 36, line 16, strike the period at the end and insert "": *Provided further*, That of the funds appropriated in this Act for the National Institutes of Health, \$85,000,000 shall not be available for obligation until September 30, 2004: *Provided further*, That in addition to amounts otherwise appropriated under this Act for grants to States under part A of title II of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 6601 et seq.), there are appropriated an additional \$325,000,000 for such grants: *Provided further*, That in addition to amounts otherwise appropriated under this Act for the Preparing Tomorrow's Teachers to Use Technology Program under part B of title II of the Higher Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 1041 et seq.), there are appropriated an additional \$62,094,000 for such program: *Provided further*, That in addition to amounts otherwise appropriated under this Act for the Mathematics and Science Partnerships program under part B of title II of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 6661 et seq.), there are appropriated an additional \$50,000,000 for such program: *Provided further*, That in addition to amounts otherwise appropriated under this Act for the school leadership program under section 2151(b) of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. 6651(b)), there are appropriated an additional \$12,500,000 for such program: *Provided further*, That the amount \$6,895,199,000 in section 305(a)(1) of this Act shall be deemed to be \$7,344,793,000: *Provided further*, That the amount \$6,783,301,000 in section 305(a)(2) of this Act shall be deemed to be \$6,333,707,000."

SA 1614. Ms. LANDRIEU (for herself, Mr. DASCHLE, Mr. JOHNSON, and Mr. BREAUX) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

On page 61, between lines 14 and 15, insert the following:

SEC. ____ (a) IN GENERAL.—In addition to amounts otherwise appropriated under this Act for programs relating to West Nile Virus, there are appropriated an additional \$25,000,000 for the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention to fund such programs, of which \$1,250,000 shall be set aside for Indian tribes and tribal organizations, and there are appropriated an additional \$100,000,000 for the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention to fund programs under the Mosquito

Abatement for Safety and Health Act (Public Law 108-75), of which \$5,000,000 shall be set aside for Indian tribes and tribal organizations.

(b) OFFSET.—Of the funds appropriated under this Act for the National Institutes of Health, \$145,000,000 shall not be available for obligation until September 30, 2004. The amount \$6,895,199,000 in section 305(a)(1) of this Act shall be deemed to be \$7,020,199,000, and the amount \$6,783,301,000 in section 305(a)(2) of this Act shall be deemed to be \$6,658,301,000.

SA 1615. Mr. BINGAMAN submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

On page 80, insert the following before the period: "": *Provided*, That from the total amount available, the Medicare Payment Advisory Commission uses funds to conduct a study on access to health care items and services by individuals who are dually eligible for benefits under the medicare program under title XVIII of such Act (42 U.S.C. 1395 et seq.) and the medicaid program under title XIX of such Act (42 U.S.C. 1396 et seq.)".

SA 1616. Mr. STEVENS (for Ms. COLLINS (for herself and Mr. FEINGOLD)) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

On page 49, line 21, insert before the period the following: "": *Provided further*, That of this amount, \$3,000,000 shall be made available to carry out section 340G of the Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 256g) (in addition to other amounts appropriated under this title for such purpose)".

SA 1617. Mr. STEVENS (for Mr. INHOFE) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

On page 63, line 2, strike "\$1,188,226,000, of which \$1,025,292,000" and insert "\$1,193,226,000, of which \$1,030,292,000".

SA 1618. Mr. STEVENS (for Mr. WYDEN) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

On page 61, between lines 14 and 15, insert the following:

SEC. ____ Not later than 90 days after the date of enactment of this Act, the Director of the National Institutes of Health shall submit to the appropriate committees of Congress a report that shall—

(1) contain the recommendations of the Director concerning the role of the National Institutes of Health in promoting the affordability of inventions and products developed with Federal funds; and

(2) specify whether any circumstances exist to prevent the Director from promoting the affordability of inventions and products developed with Federal funds.

SA 1619. Mr. STEVENS (for Mr. ENSIGN) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

On page 62, line 6, insert "annually" after "obtain".

SA 1620. Mr. STEVENS (for Mr. SPECTER) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

At the end of title V, add the following:

SEC. ____ (a) IN GENERAL.—Amounts made available under this Act for the administrative and related expenses for departmental management for the Department of Labor, the Department of Health and Human Services, and the Department of Education shall be reduced on a pro rata basis by \$14,735,000.

(b) LIMITATION.—The reduction required by subsection (a) shall not apply to the Food and Drug Administration and the Indian Health Service.

SA 1621. Mr. ENSIGN (for himself, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. GREGG, and Ms. COLLINS) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

At the end of title III, insert the following:

SEC. 306. There are appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to carry out section 208 of the Education Sciences Reform Act of 2002, \$80,000,000. All amounts in this Act for management and administration at the Department of Education are reduced on a pro rata basis by an amount required to offset the \$80,000,000 appropriation made by this section.

SA 1622. Mr. SPECTER (for himself, Mr. HARKIN, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, Ms. COLLINS, Ms. SNOWE, Mr. DORGAN, Mrs. CLINTON, Mr. LIEBERMAN, Ms. MIKULSKI, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Mr. LEAHY, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. CORZINE, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. SARBANES, Mr. SCHUMER, Ms. CANTWELL, Mr. REID, Mr. JOHNSON, Mr. KENNEDY, and Ms. STABENOW) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending Sep-

tember 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

On page 61, between lines 14 and 15, insert the following:

SEC. . In addition to any amounts otherwise appropriated under this Act under the heading of NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH—OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR, there are appropriated an additional \$1,500,000,000 for programs and activities under the discretion of the Office of the Director of the National Institutes of Health. Such additional amount shall be designated as emergency spending pursuant to section 502(c) of House Concurrent Resolution 95 (108th Congress).

SA 1623. Mr. DEWINE (for himself, Mr. SANTORUM, and Mr. DURBIN) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

On page 61, between lines 14 and 15, insert the following:

SEC. ____ (a) MOTHER-TO-CHILD HIV TRANSMISSION PREVENTION.—In addition to any amounts otherwise made available under this Act to carry out mother-to-child HIV transmission prevention activities, there shall be made available an additional \$60,000,000 to carry out such activities and \$1,000,000 for non-mother-to-child activities.

(b) REDUCTION IN AMOUNTS.—Amounts made available under this Act for the administrative and related expenses for departmental management for the Department of Labor, the Department of Health and Human Services, the Department of Education, shall be reduced on a pro rata basis by \$61,000,000.

SA 1624. Mr. HARKIN (for Mr. BINGAMAN) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1594 submitted by Mr. REED and intended to be proposed to the amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

At the end of title III, insert the following:

SEC. . For activities authorized by part H of title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act, there are hereby appropriated up to \$5,000,000, which may be used to carry out such activities.

SA 1625. Ms. HARKIN (for Ms. MIKULSKI) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

At the appropriate place in title II, insert the following:

SEC. . STUDIES CONCERNING MAMMOGRAPHY STANDARDS.

(a) STUDY BY GAO.—
(1) IN GENERAL.—The Comptroller General of the United States shall conduct a study of the program established under the Mammography Quality Standards Act of 1992 (section 354 of the Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 263b)) (referred to in this section as the "MQSA") to—

(A) evaluate the demonstration program regarding frequency of inspections authorized under section 354(g) of the Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 263b(g)), including the effect of the program on compliance with the MQSA;

(B) evaluate the factors that contributed to the closing of the approximately 700 mammography facilities nationwide since 2001, whether those closings were due to consolidation or were a true reduction in mammography availability, explore the relationship between certified units and facility capacity, and evaluate capacity issues, and determine the effect these and other closings have had on the accessibility of mammography services, including for underserved populations, since the April 2002 General Accounting Office report on access to mammography; and

(C) evaluate the role of States in acting as accreditation bodies or certification bodies, or both, in addition to inspection agents under the MQSA, and in acting as accreditation bodies for facilities in other States and determine whether and how these roles affect the system of checks and balances within the MQSA.

(2) REPORT.—Not later than 16 months after the date of enactment of this Act, the Comptroller General of the United States shall submit to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions and the Committee on Appropriations of the Senate and the Committee on Energy and Commerce and the Committee on Appropriations of the House of Representatives a report on the study described in paragraph (1).

(b) STUDY BY THE INSTITUTE OF MEDICINE.—

(1) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 30 days after the date of enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Health and Human Services shall enter into an agreement with the Institute of Medicine of the National Academy of Sciences for the conduct of a study and the making of recommendations regarding the following:

(A) Ways to improve physicians' interpretations of mammograms, including approaches that could be taken under the MQSA without

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assessment of mammography quality and access.

(E) Other approaches that would improve the quality of and access to mammography services, including approaches to improving provisions under the MQSA.

(F) Steps that should be taken to help make available safe and effective new screening and diagnostic devices and tests for breast cancer.

(2) REPORT.—Not later than 15 months after the date on which the agreement is entered into under paragraph (1), the Institute of Medicine shall complete the study described under such subsection and submit a report to the Secretary of Health and Human Services, the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions and the Committee on Appropriations of the Senate, and the Committee on Energy and Commerce and the Committee on Appropriations of the House of Representatives.

(3) FUNDING.—Of the amounts appropriated under this title to the Office of the Secretary of Health and Human Services for general departmental management, \$500,000 shall be made available to carry out the study under this subsection.

SA 1626. Mr. HARKIN (for Mr. DASCHLE) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for

the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

At the appropriate place in title II, insert the following:

SEC. ____ (a) FINDINGS.—The Senate finds that—

(1) Native American populations have seen an alarming increase in sexually transmitted disease prevalence in recent years; and

(2) a screening, treatment, and education program, administered by tribal health organizations or local health care providers, on Native American reservations with high rates of sexually transmitted diseases will help prevent a corresponding increase in the prevalence of HIV.

(b) GRANT PROGRAM.—From amounts appropriated under this title for the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, there may be made available up to \$1,000,000 to enable the Director of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention to carry out competitive grant program to strengthen local capacity on Native American reservations to screen for and treat sexually transmitted diseases and to educate local populations about such diseases, the consequences thereof, and how the transmission of such diseases can be prevented.

SA 1627. Mr. HARKIN (for Mr. DODD (for himself and Mrs. LINCOLN)) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

On page 61, between lines 14 and 15, insert the following:

SEC. ____ In addition to any amounts otherwise appropriated under this Act for the support of the improved newborn and child screening for heritable disorders program authorized under section 1109 of the Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 300b-8), there may be appropriated up to an additional \$2,000,000 to carry out such program.

SA 1628. Mr. HARKIN (for Mr. KENNEDY) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

On page 18, line 14: strike "\$440,113,000" and insert "\$445,113,000".

On page 18, line 17, insert before the period the following: ", of which \$5,000,000 may be used to fund the mass layoff statistics program under section 15 of the Wagner-Peyser Act (29 U.S.C. 491-2)".

SA 1629. Mr. SPECTER (for Mr. MCCAIN (for himself and Mr. BAYH)) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

At the appropriate place in title V, insert the following:

SEC. ____ In addition to any amounts otherwise appropriated under this Act for

the Special Volunteers for Homeland Security program, there may be appropriated an additional \$5,000,000 for such program.

SA 1630. Mr. SPECTER proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

On page 57, between lines 14 and 15, insert the following:

"(C) in subsection (b)(1)—

"(i) in subparagraph (A), by striking 'and' at the end;

"(ii) in subparagraph (B), by striking the period and inserting "; and"; and

"(iii) by adding at the end the following:

"(C) one or more categories of aliens who are or were nationals and residents of the Islamic Republic of Iran who, as members of a religious minority in Iran, share common characteristics that identify them as targets of persecution in that state on account of race, religion, nationality, membership in a particular social group, or political opinion."; and".

SA 1631. Mr. HARKIN (for Mr. SCHUMER) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

At the appropriate place, insert the following:

DANIEL PATRICK MOYNIHAN GLOBAL AFFAIRS INSTITUTE

SEC. ____ (a) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

(1) ENDOWMENT FUND.—The term "endowment fund" means a fund established by the Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs of the Syracuse University in Syracuse, New York, for the purpose of generating income for the support of the School and other purposes as described in subsection (d).

(2) SCHOOL.—The term "School" means the Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs of the Syracuse University in Syracuse, New York.

(3) SECRETARY.—The term "Secretary" means the Secretary of Education.

(4) UNIVERSITY.—The term "University" means the Syracuse University in Syracuse, New York.

(b) DANIEL PATRICK MOYNIHAN GLOBAL AFFAIRS INSTITUTE.—

(1) REDESIGNATION.—To be eligible for a grant under subsection (c), the University shall designate the global affairs institute within the Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs of the University as the "Daniel Patrick Moynihan Global Affairs Institute".

(2) REFERENCES.—Any reference in a law, map, regulation, paper, or other record to the global affairs institute within the Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs of the University, shall be deemed to be a reference to the Daniel Patrick Moynihan Global Affairs Institute.

(c) GRANT FOR ENDOWMENT FUND.—From amounts appropriated under subsection (f), the Secretary may award a grant to the University for the establishment of an endowment fund to support the Daniel Patrick Moynihan Global Affairs Institute.

(d) DUTIES.—Amounts received under a grant under subsection (c), shall be used to—

(1) carry on the public and intellectual tradition of Senator Daniel Patrick Moynihan;

(2) sustain all of the core activities of the School;

(3) fund the residencies of visiting scholars and international leaders;

(4) support scholarship, training, and practice in countries that are often the most impoverished economically, institutionally, and civically;

(5) support partnerships with governments and other relevant entities around the world to train government officials both at the School and in their home countries; and

(6) expand the facilities of the School.

(e) MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS RELATING TO THE ENDOWMENT FUND.—

(1) MANAGEMENT.—The endowment fund established under subsection (c) shall be managed in accordance with the standard endowment policies established by the University.

(2) USE OF INTEREST AND INVESTMENT INCOME.—Interest and other investment income earned from the endowment fund may be used to carry out the duties under subsection (d).

(3) DISTRIBUTION OF INTEREST AND INVESTMENT INCOME.—Funds derived from the interest and other investment income earned from the endowment fund shall be available for expenditure by the University for purposes consistent with subsection (d).

(f) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There is authorized to be appropriated to carry out this section, \$10,000,000 to remain available until expended.

SA 1632. Mr. SPECTER (for Mr. SESSIONS) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

On page 61, between lines 14 and 15, insert the following:

SEC. ____ Not later than 120 days after the date of enactment of this Act, the Director of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention shall prepare a plan to comprehensively address blood safety and injection safety in Africa under the Global AIDS Program.

SA 1633. Mr. HARKIN (for Mr. FEINGOLD) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

On page 20, line 19, strike the period at the end and insert ": *Provided further*, That of this amount, sufficient funds shall be available for the Secretary of Labor, not later than 60 days after the last day of the fiscal year, to submit to Congress a report on the amount of acquisitions made by the Department of Labor during such fiscal year of articles, materials, or supplies that were manufactured outside the United States. Such report shall separately indicate the dollar value of any articles, materials, or supplies purchased by the Department of Labor that were manufactured outside the United States, an itemized list of all waivers under the Buy American Act (41 U.S.C. 10a et seq.) that were granted with respect to such articles, materials, or supplies, and a summary of total procurement funds spent on goods manufactured in the United States versus

funds spent on goods manufactured outside of the United States. The Secretary of Labor shall make the report publicly available by posting the report on an Internet website.

On page 49, line 21, strike the period and insert “: *Provided further*, That of this amount, sufficient funds shall be available for the Secretary of Health and Human Services, not later than 60 days after the last day of the fiscal year, to submit to Congress a report on the amount of acquisitions made by the Department of Health and Human Services during such fiscal year of articles, materials, or supplies that were manufactured outside the United States. Such report shall separately indicate the dollar value of any articles, materials, or supplies purchased by the Department of Health and Human Services that were manufactured outside the United States, an itemized list of all waivers under the Buy American Act (41 U.S.C. 10a et seq.) that were granted with respect to such articles, materials, or supplies, and a summary of total procurement funds spent on goods manufactured in the United States versus funds spent on goods manufactured outside of the United States. The Secretary of Health and Human Services shall make the report publicly available by posting the report on an Internet website.”

On page 74, line 4, strike “Washington, D.C.” and insert “Washington, D.C.: *Provided*, That of this amount, sufficient funds shall be available for the Secretary of Education, not later than 60 days after the last day of the fiscal year, to submit to Congress a report on the amount of acquisitions made by the Department of Education during such fiscal year of articles, materials, or supplies that were manufactured outside the United States. Such report shall separately indicate the dollar value of any articles, materials, or supplies purchased by the Department of Education that were manufactured outside the United States, an itemized list of all waivers under the Buy American Act (41 U.S.C. 10a et seq.) that were granted with respect to such articles, materials, or supplies, and a summary of total procurement funds spent on goods manufactured in the United States versus funds spent on goods manufactured outside of the United States. The Secretary of Education shall make the report publicly available by posting the report on an Internet website.”

SA 1634. Mr. HARKIN (for Mr. HOLLINGS) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

On page 41, insert the following before the period on line 9: “: *Provided further*, that to the extent Medicare claims processing unit costs are projected by the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services to exceed \$0.87 for Part A claims and/or \$0.65 for Part B claims, up to an additional \$18,000,000 may be available for obligation for every \$0.04 increase in Medicare claims processing unit costs from the Federal Hospital Insurance and the Federal Supplementary Medical Insurance Trust Funds. The calculation of projected unit costs shall be derived in the same manner in which the estimated unit costs were calculated for the Federal budget estimate for the fiscal year.”

SA 1635. Mr. SPECTER (for Mr. ALEXANDER (for himself, Mr. DODD, Mr. KENNEDY, and Mrs. MURRAY)) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542

proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

On page 61, between lines 14 and 15, insert the following:

SEC. ____ (a) In addition to any amounts otherwise appropriated under this Act to carry out activities under the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act (42 U.S.C. 5101 et seq.), there are appropriated—

(1) up to an additional \$143,000 may be used to carry out activities under title I of such Act (child abuse State grants);

(2) up to an additional \$212,000 may be used to carry out activities under title II of such Act (community-based resource centers); and

(3) up to an additional \$2,100,000 may be used for child abuse discretionary grants under such Act.

SA 1636. Mr. HARKIN (for Mr. DASCHLE) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

At the appropriate place in title II, insert the following:

SEC. ____ (a) FINDINGS.—The Senate finds that—

(1) a recent Aberdeen Area Indian Health Service infant mortality study identified protective and risk factors associated with Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (referred to in this section as “SIDS”);

(2) several conclusions from the study suggest courses of action to reduce the incidence of SIDS among Native American and other high-incidence populations;

(3) the study noted that alcohol consumption by women of childbearing age (especially during pregnancy), maternal and environmental tobacco exposure during pregnancy, and pregnancy by women under the age of 20 increase the risk for SIDS;

(4) in 2000, for infants of African American mothers, the SIDS death rate was 2.4 times that for non-Hispanic white mothers;

(5) nationwide, SIDS rates for infants of Native American mothers were 2.6 times those of non-Hispanic white mothers; and

(6) the Office of Minority Health of the Department of Health and Human Services has the expertise to coordinate SIDS disparity reduction efforts across the Department of Health and Human Services.

(b) INCREASE IN FUNDING.—In addition to any amounts otherwise appropriate in this Act to carry out activities to reduce Sudden Infant Death Syndrome disparity rates, the may be appropriated up to an additional \$2,000,000 to enable the Director of the Office of Minority Health of the Department of Health and Human Services to carry out a demonstration project, in coordination with the Administrator of the Health Resources and Services Administration, the Director of the National Institutes of Health, the Director of the Indian Health Services, the Administrator of the Center for Medicare & Medicaid Services, the Director of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, and the heads of other agencies within the Department of Health and Human Services (as appropriate), to reduce Sudden Infant Death Syndrome disparity rates, and to provide risk reduction education to African American and Native American populations in the

United States, including efforts to reduce alcohol use by pregnant women, support for smoking cessation (maternal and second-hand) programs, and education of teenagers on the risk factors for Sudden Infant Death Syndrome associated with teenage pregnancy within African American and Native American communities.

(c) SENSE OF THE SENATE.—It is the sense of the Senate that in carrying out the demonstration project under subsection (b), the Director of the Office of Minority Health is encouraged to—

(1) expand upon the similar pilot program for Native Americans that was funded by the Office of Minority Health; and

(2) coordinate with the Administrator of the Health Resources and Services Administration, the Director of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the Director of the National Institutes of Health, the Director of the Indian Health Services, the Administrator of the Center for Medicare & Medicaid Services, and the heads of other agencies within the Department of Health and Human Services (as appropriate) to support activities to reduce alcohol use by pregnant women, support smoking cessation (maternal and secondhand), and educate teenagers on the risk factors for SIDS associated with teenage pregnancy within the African American and Native American communities.

SA 1637. Mr. HARKIN (for Mr. KENNEDY) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

At the appropriate place in title II, insert the following:

SEC. ____ (a) AUTOMATIC EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATORS.—There may be appropriated up to, \$2,000,000 to fund programs on community automatic external defibrillators under section 312 of the Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 244).

(b) OFFSET.—Of the funds appropriated under this Act for the National Institutes of Health, \$15,000,000 shall not be available for obligation until September 30, 2004. The amount \$6,895,199,000 in section 305(a)(1) of this Act shall be deemed to be \$6,905,199,000, and the amount \$6,783,301,000 in section 305(a)(2) of this Act shall be deemed to be \$6,773,301,000.

SA 1638. Mr. SPECTER (for Mr. BOND (for himself, Mrs. CLINTON, Mrs. MURRAY, Ms. CANTWELL, and Mr. SCHUMER)) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

At the end of title I, insert the following:

SEC. ____ The Department of Labor may cease the implementation of closing procedures for the Department of Labor Employment and Training administration regional office in New York City, New York, and the Employment and Training Administration affiliate offices in Seattle, Washington, Kansas City, Missouri, and Denver, Colorado until September 30, 2004.

SA 1639. Mr. HARKIN (for Mr. FEINGOLD (for himself and Ms. COLLINS))

proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

On page 61, between lines 14 and 15 insert the following:

SEC. ____ From the amounts appropriated under the heading OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY, GENERAL DEPARTMENTAL MANAGEMENT there may be made available an additional \$2,000,000 to the Health Resources and Services Administration for the purchase of automatic external defibrillators and the training of individuals in cardiac life support in rural areas.

SA 1640. Mr. SPECTER submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

On page 61, between lines 14 and 15, insert the following:

“SEC. ____ Notwithstanding any other provisions of law, funds made available under this heading may be used to continue operating the Council on Graduate Medical Education established by Section 301 of Public Law 102-408.”

SA 1641. Mr. SPECTER (for Mr. CHAMBLISS) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

On page 28, line 6, strike “\$250,000,000” and insert “\$260,000,000” in lieu thereof.

On page 28, line 5, insert after “; and” the following: “purchase.”

SA 1642. Mr. SPECTER (for Mr. ROBERTS (for himself and Mr. CONRAD)) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

On page 27, line 2, insert before the period the following: “: Provided further, That up to \$15,000,000 may be made available to carry out the rural emergency medical service training and equipment assistance program under section 330J of the Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 254c-15)”.

SA 1643. Mr. SPECTER proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

At the appropriate place in Section 515(a): Increase the amount by \$37,455,000.

SA 1644. Mr. SPECTER (for himself and Mr. BYRD) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

On page 23, between lines 15 and 16, insert the following:

SEC. ____ (a) FINDINGS.—Congress finds that—

(1) it is projected that the Department of Labor, in conjunction with labor, industry, and the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, will be undertaking several months of testing on Personal Dust Monitor production prototypes; and

(2) the testing of Personal Dust Monitor prototypes is set to begin (by late May or early June of 2004) following the scheduled delivery of the Personal Dust Monitors in May 2004.

(b) RE-PROPOSAL OF RULE.—Following the successful demonstration of Personal Dust Monitor technology, and if the Secretary of Labor makes a determination that Personal Dust Monitors can be effectively applied in a regulatory scheme, the Secretary of Labor shall re-propose a rule on respirable coal dust which incorporates the use of Personal Dust Monitors, and, if such rule is re-proposed, the Secretary shall comply with the regular procedures applicable to Federal rulemaking.

SA 1645. Mr. HARKIN (for himself and Mr. DASCHLE) proposed an amendment to amendment SA 1542 proposed by Mr. SPECTER to the bill H.R. 2660, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes; as follows:

Add at the appropriate Place:

SECTION 1. DESIGNATION OF SENATOR PAUL D. WELLSTONE NIH MDCRC PROGRAM.

(a) FINDINGS.—Congress finds the following:

(1) On December 18, 2001, Public Law 107-84, otherwise known as the Muscular Dystrophy Community Assistance, Research and Education Amendments of 2001, or the MD CARE Act, was signed into law to provide for research and education with respect to various forms of muscular dystrophy, including Dechenne, Becker, limb girdle, congenital, facio-scapulothoracic, myotonic, oculopharyngeal, distal, and EmeryDreifuss muscular dystrophies.

(2) In response to the MD CARE Act of 2001, in September 2002, NIH announced its intention to direct \$22.5 million over five years to its newly created Muscular Dystrophy Cooperative Research Centers (MDCRC) program.

(3) Senator Paul D. Wellstone was a driving force behind enactment of the MD CARE Act, which led to the establishment of the MDCRC program.

(b) DESIGNATION.—The NIH Muscular Dystrophy Cooperative Research Centers (MDCRC) program shall be known and designated as the “Senator Paul D. Wellstone Muscular Dystrophy Cooperative Research Centers,” in honor of Senator Paul D. Wellstone who was deceased on October 25, 2002.

(c) REFERENCES.—Any reference in a law, regulation, document.

AUTHORITY FOR COMMITTEES TO MEET

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

Mr. GREGG. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Finance be authorized to meet in open Executive Session during the session on Wednesday, September 10, 2003, at 10 a.m., to consider a substitute to H.R. 4, to reauthorize and improve the program of block grants to States for temporary assistance for needy families, improve access to quality child care and for other purposes; and S. 622, the Family Opportunity Act of 2003.

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

SUBCOMMITTEE ON TERRORISM, TECHNOLOGY, AND HOMELAND SECURITY

Mr. GREGG. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on the Judiciary Subcommittee on Terrorism, Technology and Homeland Security be authorized to meet to conduct a hearing on “Terrorism: Two Years After 9/11, Connecting the Dots,” on Wednesday, September 10, 2003, at 10 a.m., in room 226 of the Dirksen Senate Office Building.

Witness List:

Panel I: Mr. Simon Henderson, Founder Saudi Strategies, London, UK; Mr. Matthew Epstein, Attorney, Terrorism Analyst and Assistant Director of Research for the Investigative Project, Washington, DC; Mr. Nihad Awad, Director, Council on American Islamic Relations; or Mr. Omar Ahmed, Chairman of the Board, Council on American Islamic Relations, Washington, DC.

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

SUBCOMMITTEE ON OVERSIGHT OF GOVERNMENT MANAGEMENT, THE FEDERAL WORKFORCE AND THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Mr. GREGG. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Governmental Affairs Subcommittee on Oversight of Government Management, the Federal Workforce and the District of Columbia be authorized to meet on Wednesday, September 10, 2003 at 9 a.m. for a hearing entitled, “The 2003 Blackouts: The Federal Response.”

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

PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR

Ms. LANDRIEU. I ask unanimous consent that Kathleen Stottman be granted the privilege of the floor.

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

AIDS

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Senator from Alabama.

Mr. SESSIONS. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent to speak for 2 minutes.

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