

and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 11, 2004.

PN1349 Air Force nominations (37) beginning NORMA L. ALLGOOD, and ending MATTHEW P. \*WICKLUND, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 11, 2004.

PN1350 Air Force nominations (33) beginning RICHARD C. BATZER, and ending RICHARD I. VANCE, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 11, 2004.

PN1351 Air Force nominations (56) beginning JOHN A. ALEXANDER, and ending JOHN A. WISNIEWSKI, JR., which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 11, 2004.

PN1352 Air Force nomination (119) beginning TODD B. \*ABEL, and ending GIANNA R. ZEH, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 11, 2004.

PN1353 Air Force nominations (17) beginning DOUGLAS P. \*BETHONEY, and ending DOUGLAS E. \*THOMAS, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 11, 2004.

PN1354 Air Force nominations (370) beginning ADAM M. ANDERSON, and ending DAVID J. ZOLLINGER, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 11, 2004.

PN1355 Air Force nominations (43) beginning MARY J. BARNES, and ending KARYN E. YOUNGCARIGNAN, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 11, 2004.

#### IN THE ARMY

PN1282 Army nomination of Edward M. Willis, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of January 28, 2004.

PN1299 Army nominations (34) beginning JAMES R. AGAR, II, and ending NOEL L. WOODWARD, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 2, 2004.

PN1322 Army nominations (56) beginning JEREMY A. BALL, and ending MICHAEL C. \*WONG, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 5, 2004.

PN1356 Army nominations (2) beginning DAVID H. FORDEN, and ending GERALD E. STONE, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 11, 2004.

#### IN THE MARINE CORPS

PN1300 Marine Corps nominations (6) beginning RANDY M. ADAIR, and ending ANDREW N. SULLIVAN, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 2, 2004.

PN1301 Marine Corps nominations (4) beginning JOSE GONZALEZ, and ending JEFFREY G. YOUNG, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 2, 2004.

PN1302 Marine Corps nominations (4) beginning EDWIN N. LLANTOS, and ending MATTHEW E. SUTTON, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 2, 2004.

PN1303 Marine Corps nominations (3) beginning THOMAS E. BLAKE, and ending JAMES A. GRIFFITHS, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 2, 2004.

PN1304 Marine Corps nominations (3) beginning GERALD A. CUMMINGS, and ending JOHN M. MCKEON, which nominations were

received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 2, 2004.

PN1305 Marine Corps nomination of Paul J. Smith, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 2, 2004.

PN1306 Marine Corps nominations (2) beginning RICHARD D. BEDFORD, and ending JAMES D. MCCOY, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 2, 2004.

PN1307 Marine Corps nominations (4) beginning SAMUEL E. DAVIS, and ending DAVID H. STEPHENS, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 2, 2004.

PN1308 Marine Corps nomination of Donald L. Bohannon, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 2, 2004.

PN1309 Marine Corps nominations (7) beginning PETER D. CHARBONEAU, and ending JOHN A. TANINECZ, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 2, 2004.

PN1310 Marine Corps nominations (11) beginning JOHN M. BISHOP, and ending JEFFREY W. SMITH, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 2, 2004.

PN1323 Marine Corps nominations (2) beginning BALWINDAR K. RAWALAYVANDEVOORT, and ending TROY A. TYRE, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 5, 2004.

PN1357 Marine Corps nomination of Steve E. Howell, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 11, 2004.

PN1358 Marine Corps nomination Richard K. Rohr, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 11, 2004.

PN1360 Marine Corps nomination of William E. Hidle, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 11, 2004.

PN1362 Marine Corps nominations (4) beginning RONALD W. COCHRAN, and ending PAUL J. MINER, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 11, 2004.

PN1363 Marine Corps nomination of Todd P. Ohman, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 11, 2004.

PN1364 Marine Corps nominations (3) beginning MICHAEL E. BEAN, and ending WALTON S. PITCHFORD, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of February 11, 2004.

#### LEGISLATIVE SESSION

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. Under the previous order, the Senate will return to legislative session.

#### MEASURE PLACED ON THE CALENDAR—S. 2137

Mr. FRIST. Mr. President, I understand that S. 2137 is at the desk and is due for a second reading.

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. The clerk will read the title of the bill for a second time.

The assistant legislative clerk read as follows:

A bill (S. 2137) to authorize the Secretary of Health and Human Services to promulgate regulations for the reimportation of prescription drugs, and for other purposes.

Mr. FRIST. Mr. President, I object to further proceedings on the measure at this time.

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. Objection is heard. The bill will be placed on the calendar.

#### DISCHARGE AND REFERRAL OF H.R. 2584

Mr. FRIST. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Energy Committee be discharged from further consideration of H.R. 2584, and that the bill then be referred to the Commerce Committee.

The PRESIDENT pro tempore. Is there objection?

Without objection, it is so ordered.

#### THE SENATE THIS WEEK

Mr. FRIST. Mr. President, we will be wrapping up very shortly for the week. Because it has been a very busy week, I would like to run through the progress that has been made. We have proceeded in step-wise fashion and advanced the business of this body in a very thoughtful way. We started the week hoping to consider the OB/GYN medical liability bill, aptly entitled "Healthy Mothers and Healthy Babies Access Care Act." We debated the issue on Monday and Tuesday but, unfortunately, were prevented from formally going to the bill. A cloture motion was filed on the motion to proceed.

I also want to thank our colleagues, Senator ENSIGN and Senator GREGG, for their real leadership on this particular issue. As we closed that debate, it was clear—as both sides stated—that we were going to have to come back and address the liability issues, and we will bring it back before the Senate again.

S. 1805, the gun manufacturers' liability bill, which is more formally called the Protection of Lawful Commerce in Arms Act, was then addressed, continues to be addressed through today. I commend our leader, Senator CRAIG, for his leadership.

We do plan on proceeding and having a final vote on this bill Tuesday. There was an objection to proceeding from the Democratic side of the aisle initially on that bill and thus we had to file, once again, a cloture motion. We prevailed on that cloture motion to proceed by a vote of 75 to 22, and thus we were able to get on the bill and debate the bill.

We were able to lock in the agreement limiting amendments to the gun liability bill, and during Thursday and Friday's session we have considered 16 amendments. We disposed of eight of those amendments, conducted six roll-call votes on Thursday. Under the agreement, we will pass the legislation on Tuesday. The House passed their version of this bill April 19th of last year. I hope we will be able to proceed on a conference on this bipartisan legislation so we can reconcile the differences. Again, I understand there is an objection to proceeding to a conference from the other side of the aisle,