

101 and title V of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. BARTON of Texas, BILIRAKIS, and DINGELL.

From the Committee on the Judiciary, for consideration of section 205 of the House bill, and section 101 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. SEN-SENBRENNER, SMITH of Texas, and CONYERS.

The message further announced that the House has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 1047) to amend the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States to modify temporarily certain rates of duty, to make other technical amendments to the trade laws, and for other purposes.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

The message also announced that Speaker has signed the following enrolled bills:

S. 1791. An act to amend the Lease Lot Conveyance Act of 2002 to provide that the amounts received by the United States under that Act shall be deposited in the reclamation fund, and for other purposes.

S. 2178. An act to make technical corrections to laws relating to certain units of the National Park System and to the National Park programs.

S. 2511. An act to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a feasibility study of a Chimayo water supply system, to provide for the planning, design, and construction of a water supply, reclamation, and filtration facility for Espanola, New Mexico, and for other purposes.

The enrolled bills were signed subsequently by the President pro tempore (Mr. STEVENS).

At 3:14 p.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Ms. Niland, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House has agreed to the following concurrent resolutions, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. Con. Res. 514. Concurrent resolution directing the Clerk of the House of Representatives to make a technical correction in the enrollment of the bill H.R. 4200.

H. Con. Res. 518. Concurrent resolution providing for a conditional adjournment of the House of Representatives and a conditional recess or adjournment of the Senate.

The message also announced that the House has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 4200) to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2005 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe personnel strengths for such fiscal year for the Armed Forces, and for other purposes.

The message further announced that the House has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on

the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 4567) making appropriations, for the Department of Homeland Security for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2005, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that the House has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 4837) making appropriations, family housing, and base realignment and closure for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2005, and for other purposes.

At 3:46 p.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Mr. Hays, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House has agreed to the following concurrent resolution, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. Con. Res. 519. Concurrent resolution correcting the enrollment of H.R. 5107.

MEASURES PLACED ON THE CALENDAR

The following bill was read the second time, and placed on the calendar:

S. 2949. A bill to amend the Low-income Home Energy Assistance Act of 1981 to reauthorize the Act, and for other purposes.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills and joint resolutions were introduced, read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. SCHUMER:

S. 2969. A bill entitled the "Fair Gift Card Act"; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Ms. SNOWE:

S. 2970. A bill to redesignate the project for navigation, Saco River, Maine, as an anchorage area; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Ms. CANTWELL:

S. 2971. A bill to permanently increase the maximum annual contribution allowed to be made to Coverdell education savings accounts; to the Committee on Finance.

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S. 2972. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to permanently increase the maximum annual contribution allowed to be made to Coverdell education savings accounts, and to provide for a deduction for contributions to education savings accounts; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. CORZINE (for himself, Mrs. BOXER, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. LAUTENBERG, and Mr. LEAHY):

S. 2973. A bill to clarify the applicability of State law to national banks, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions and Senate resolutions were read, and referred (or acted upon), as indicated:

By Mr. HARKIN (for himself and Mrs. LINCOLN):

S. Res. 454. A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate that the 108th Congress

should provide the necessary funds to make disaster assistance available for all customarily eligible agricultural producers as emergency spending and not funded by butts to the farm bill; considered and agreed to.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 1700

At the request of Mr. LEAHY, the names of the Senator from Michigan (Mr. LEVIN) and the Senator from Iowa (Mr. HARKIN) were added as cosponsors of S. 1700, a bill to eliminate the substantial backlog of DNA samples collected from crime scenes and convicted offenders, to improve and expand the DNA testing capacity of Federal, State, and local crime laboratories, to increase research and development of new DNA testing technologies, to develop new training programs regarding the collection and use of DNA evidence, to provide post-conviction testing of DNA evidence to exonerate the innocent, to improve the performance of counsel in State capital cases, and for other purposes.

S. 2338

At the request of Mrs. HUTCHISON, her name was added as a cosponsor of S. 2338, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for arthritis research and public health, and for other purposes.

S. 2395

At the request of Mr. CONRAD, the names of the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. DODD) and the Senator from South Dakota (Mr. DASCHLE) were added as cosponsors of S. 2395, a bill to require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint coins in commemoration of the centenary of the bestowal of the Nobel Peace Prize on President Theodore Roosevelt, and for other purposes.

S. 2571

At the request of Mr. JOHNSON, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 2571, a bill to clarify the loan guarantee authority under title VI of the Native American Housing Assistance and Self-Determination Act of 1996.

STATEMENTS ON INTRODUCED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Mr. SCHUMER:

S. 2969. A bill entitled the "Fair Gift Card Act", to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

Mr. SCHUMER. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the text of the bill be printed in the RECORD.

There being no objection, the bill was ordered to be printed in the RECORD, as follows:

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the "Fair Gift Card Act".

SEC. 2. DEFINITIONS.

In this Act:

(1) GIFT CERTIFICATE, STORE GIFT CARD, OTHER PREPAID CARDS.—The terms "gift certificate", "store gift card", and "general-use prepaid card" have the following meanings: