

Mr. FRIST. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the bill be read a third time and passed, the motion to reconsider be laid upon the table, and that any statements relating to the bill be printed in the RECORD.

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

The bill (H.R. 3669) was read the third time, and passed.

Mr. FRIST. Mr. President, this National Flood Insurance Enhanced Borrowing Authority Act of 2005 is another example of the bills we are bringing to the Senate floor and working on in a bipartisan way because we are addressing quickly, responsively, and aggressively the natural disaster hurricane and its aftermath. There have been several of these bills over the last week, and we will continue to address them as they are presented to us and as they come forward—again, working together in a bipartisan way.

APPOINTMENTS

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 276–276g, as amended, appoints the following Senators as members of the Senate Delegation to the Canada-U.S. Interparliamentary Group during the First Session of the 109th Congress: the Honorable CHARLES E. GRASSLEY of Iowa, the Honorable TRENT LOTT of Mississippi, the Honorable GEORGE V. VOINOVICH of Ohio, the Honorable SAXBY CHAMBLISS of Georgia, and the Honorable RICHARD BURR of North Carolina.

The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, pursuant to Public Law 99–498, re-appoints the following individual to a 3-year term, commencing

on October 1, 2005, as a member of the Advisory Committee on Student Financial Assistance: Claude O. Pressnell, Jr., of Tennessee.

ORDERS FOR TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2005

Mr. FRIST. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate completes its business today, it adjourn until 9:45 a.m. on Tuesday, September 13. I further ask unanimous consent that following the prayer and pledge, the morning hour be deemed expired, the Journal of proceedings be approved to date, the time for the two leaders be reserved, and the Senate proceed to a period of morning business for up to 60 minutes with the first 30 minutes under the control of the majority leader or his designee and the final 30 minutes under the control of the minority leader or his designee; provided that following morning business, the Senate proceed to the consideration of H.R. 2862, the Commerce-Justice-Science appropriations bill.

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

Mr. FRIST. Mr. President, I further ask unanimous consent that at 12:10, the Senate resume consideration of S.J. Res. 20; provided further that there then be 20 minutes equally divided for debate between Senators INHOFE and LEAHY or their designees, and that following the debate, the Senate proceed to the vote on adoption of the joint resolution with no intervening action or debate. I further ask unanimous consent that following that vote, the Senate then recess until 2:15 for the weekly policy luncheons.

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

PROGRAM

Mr. FRIST. Mr. President, under the order just entered, our next vote will be at 12:30 tomorrow on the pending disapproval resolution. Prior to that vote, we will resume consideration of the Commerce-Justice-Science appropriations bill. We will be working in the morning with the two managers to begin to see how many amendments remain and which of the pending amendments are ready for votes. Again, I encourage Members to contact the chairman and ranking member and alert them if they intend to offer an amendment from that list.

Tomorrow, we hope to make good progress on the bill as we move toward final passage. We will alert Senators as we stack additional votes throughout the afternoon. I also ask my colleagues for their additional consideration during rollcall votes. We will try to provide some continuity to the committee hearings and nomination hearings over the course of this week. I ask Members to be prompt for rollcall votes so that we can dispose of these amendments in a timely fashion.

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL 9:45 A.M. TOMORROW

Mr. FRIST. Mr. President, if there is no further business to come before the Senate, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate stand in adjournment under the previous order.

There being no objection, the Senate, at 8 p.m., adjourned until Tuesday, September 13, 2005, at 9:45 a.m.