

(Nominations without an asterisk were reported with the recommendation that they be confirmed.)

#### 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. ENZI (for himself, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. DEWINE, and Ms. MIKULSKI):

S. 3570. A bill to amend the Older Americans Act of 1965 to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 2007 through 2011, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. CARPER:

S. 3571. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on certain footwear valued over \$20 a pair with coated or laminated textile fabrics; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. CARPER:

S. 3572. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on certain women's footwear with coated or laminated textile fabrics; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. CARPER:

S. 3573. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on certain men's footwear with coated or laminated textile fabrics; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. CARPER:

S. 3574. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on certain men's footwear valued over \$20 a pair with coated or laminated textile fabrics; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. CARPER:

S. 3575. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on certain women's footwear valued over \$20 a pair with coated or laminated textile fabrics; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. CARPER:

S. 3576. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on certain other footwear valued over \$20 a pair with coated or laminated textile fabrics; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. CARPER:

S. 3577. A bill to reduce temporarily the duty on certain men's footwear covering the ankle with coated or laminated textile fabrics; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. CARPER:

S. 3578. A bill to reduce temporarily the duty on certain footwear not covering the ankle with coated or laminated textile fabrics; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. CARPER:

S. 3579. A bill to reduce temporarily the duty on certain women's footwear covering the ankle with coated or laminated textile fabrics; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. CARPER:

S. 3580. A bill to reduce temporarily the duty on certain women's footwear not covering the ankle with coated or laminated textile fabrics; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. CARPER:

S. 3581. A bill to reduce temporarily the duty on certain other footwear covering the ankle with coated or laminated textile fabrics; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. KOHL (for himself, Mr. LEAHY, Mr. GRASSLEY, and Mr. SCHUMER):

S. 3582. A bill to prohibit brand name drug companies from compensating generic drug companies to delay the entry of a generic drug into the market; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Ms. SNOWE:

S. 3583. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to regulate payroll tax deposit agents; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. AKAKA:

S. 3584. A bill to amend chapter 41 of title 5, United States Code, to provide for the establishment and authorization of funding for certain training programs for supervisors of Federal employees; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. HATCH:

S. 3585. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to improve and expand the availability of health savings accounts, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. HATCH:

S. 3586. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the dollar limitation on contributions to funeral trusts; to the Committee on Finance.

#### SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. SCHUMER (for himself and Mr. MCCAIN):

S. Res. 521. A resolution commending the people of Albania on the 61st anniversary of the liberation of the Jews from the Nazi death camps, for protecting and saving the lives of all Jews who lived in Albania, or sought asylum there during the Holocaust; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. FRIST (for himself, Mr. ALEXANDER, Mr. WARNER, and Mr. ALLEN):

S. Res. 522. A resolution celebrating the 150th anniversary of the Cities of Bristol, Tennessee and Bristol, Virginia; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. WYDEN (for himself and Mr. SMITH):

S. Res. 523. A resolution commending the Oregon State University baseball team for winning the 2006 College World Series; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. JOHNSON (for himself and Mr. ALLEN):

S. Con. Res. 106. A concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress regarding high level visits to the United States by democratically elected officials of Taiwan; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

#### ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 345

At the request of Mr. DURBIN, the name of the Senator from New York (Mr. SCHUMER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 345, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to deliver a meaningful benefit and lower prescription drug prices under the medicare program.

S. 757

At the request of Mr. CHAFEE, the name of the Senator from Arizona (Mr. KYL) was added as a cosponsor of S. 757, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to authorize the Director of the National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences to make grants for the development and operation of research centers regarding environmental factors that may be related to the etiology of breast cancer.

S. 1353

At the request of Mr. REID, the name of the Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. SANTORUM) was added as a cosponsor of

S. 1353, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for the establishment of an Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis Registry.

S. 1512

At the request of Mr. SARBANES, the name of the Senator from Arkansas (Mr. PRYOR) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1512, a bill to grant a Federal charter to Korean War Veterans Association, Incorporated.

S. 1896

At the request of Mr. SANTORUM, the name of the Senator from Tennessee (Mr. ALEXANDER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1896, a bill to permit access to Federal crime information databases by educational agencies for certain purposes.

S. 1911

At the request of Mrs. CLINTON, the names of the Senator from California (Mrs. BOXER) and the Senator from Delaware (Mr. CARPER) were added as cosponsors of S. 1911, a bill to provide for the protection of the flag of the United States, and for other purposes.

S. 2025

At the request of Mr. BAYH, the name of the Senator from Vermont (Mr. LEAHY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2025, a bill to promote the national security and stability of the United States economy by reducing the dependence of the United States on oil through the use of alternative fuels and new technology, and for other purposes.

S. 2140

At the request of Mr. HATCH, the names of the Senator from North Carolina (Mrs. DOLE) and the Senator from Montana (Mr. BAUCUS) were added as cosponsors of S. 2140, a bill to enhance protection of children from sexual exploitation by strengthening section 2257 of title 18, United States Code, requiring producers of sexually explicit material to keep and permit inspection of records regarding the age of performers, and for other purposes.

S. 2157

At the request of Mrs. BOXER, the name of the Senator from Arkansas (Mr. PRYOR) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2157, a bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to provide for the Purple Heart to be awarded to prisoners of war who die in captivity under circumstances not otherwise establishing eligibility for the Purple Heart.

S. 2250

At the request of Mr. GRASSLEY, the name of the Senator from Nevada (Mr. REID) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2250, a bill to award a congressional gold medal to Dr. Norman E. Borlaug.

S. 2354

At the request of Mr. NELSON of Florida, the name of the Senator from New York (Mr. SCHUMER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 2354, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to reduce the coverage gap in prescription drug coverage under part D of such title based on savings to the Medicare