

EC-3889. A communication from the Program Analyst, Office of the Chief Counsel, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Revision of Class E Airspace; Santa Catalina, CA; Direct Final Rule; Request for Comments; Docket No. 99-AWP-6 (6-21/6-21)" (RIN2120-AA66) (1999-0204), received June 21, 1999; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-3890. A communication from the Program Analyst, Office of the Chief Counsel, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendment to Class E Airspace; Emporia, KS; Direct Final Rule; Request for Comments; Docket No. 99-ACE-24 (6-21/6-21)" (RIN2120-AA66) (1999-0205), received June 21, 1999; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-3891. A communication from the Program Analyst, Office of the Chief Counsel, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendment to Class E Airspace; York, NE; Direct Final Rule; Request for Comments; Docket No. 99-ACE-25 (6-21/6-21)" (RIN2120-AA66) (1999-0206), received June 21, 1999; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-3892. A communication from the Program Analyst, Office of the Chief Counsel, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendment to Class E Airspace; Macon, MO; Direct Final Rule; Confirmation of effective date; Docket No. 99-ACE-20 (6-21/6-21)" (RIN2120-AA66) (1999-0207), received June 21, 1999; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-3893. A communication from the Deputy Chief, Information Technology Division, Wireless Telecommunication Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Part 0 of Chapter I of Title 47 of the Code of Federal Regulations; Part 0—Commission Organization; Section 0.453 Public reference rooms and Section 0.455 Other locations at which records may be inspected; Amendment of Part 0 of FCC rules to close the WTB's Gettysburg Reference Facility" (WT Doc. 98-160) (FCC 99-45), received June 21, 1999; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-3894. A communication from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Employment Tax Deposits—De Minimis Rule" (RIN1545-AW28), received June 18, 1999; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-3895. A communication from the Director, Policy Directives and Instructions Branch, Immigration and Naturalization Service, Department of Justice, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Extending the period of duration of status for certain F and J nonimmigrant aliens" (RIN1115-AE47) (INS No. 1992-99), received June 21, 1999; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-3896. A communication from the Acting Administrator, Cooperative State Research, Education and Extension Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Special Research Grants Program: Amended Administrative Provisions" (7 CFR Part 3400), received June 21, 1999; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-3897. A communication from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, Office of Nuclear Regulatory Research, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Instruction Concerning Prenatal Radiation Exposure" (Regulatory Guide 8.13, Revision 3), received June 21, 1999; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-3898. A communication from the President and Chairman, Export-Import Bank of the United States, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to a transaction involving U.S. exports to Japan; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The following petitions and memorials were laid before the Senate and were referred or ordered to lie on the table as indicated:

POM-209. A resolution adopted by the Senate of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, relative to North Korea; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 25

Whereas, There are believed to be at least 11 Americans, some of them possible prisoners of war, living in North Korea; and

Whereas, The Democratic People's Republic of Korea representatives requested prominent American businessman and POW/MIA activist Ross Perot to come to North Korea to discuss the status of the Americans; and

Whereas, United States Intelligence reports include information on sightings of Americans in North Korea and on the existence of American POW/MIAs from the United States of America's involvement in the Korean War, the Vietnam War and Cold War-related activities; and

Whereas, POW/MIAs are believed to be held in the Democratic People's Republic of North Korea, the People's Republic of China, Russia and Vietnam; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania memorialize the President of the United States and the Congress of the United States to take whatever steps necessary to initiate talks with the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, the People's Republic of China, Russia and Vietnam for the purpose of obtaining the release of Americans being held against their will; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be transmitted to the President of the United States and to the presiding officers of each house of Congress.

EXECUTIVE REPORT OF COMMITTEE

The following executive report of committee was submitted:

By Mr. ROTH, for the Committee on Finance:

Lawrence H. Summers, of Maryland, to be Secretary of the Treasury.

(The above nomination was reported with the recommendation that he be confirmed, subject to the nominee's commitment to respond to requests to appear and testify before any duly constituted committee of the Senate.)

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

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

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

S. 1257. A bill to amend statutory damages provisions of title 17, United States Code; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. HATCH (for himself and Mr. LEAHY):

S. 1258. A bill to authorize funds for the payment of salaries and expenses of the Patent and Trademark Office, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

S. 1259. A bill to amend the Trademark Act of 1946 relating to dilution of famous marks, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

S. 1260. A bill to make technical corrections in title 17, United States Code, and other laws; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. DODD:

S. 1261. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Transportation to issue a certificate of documentation with appropriate endorsement for employment in the coastwise trade for the vessel YANKEE; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. REED (for himself, Mr. COCHRAN, Mr. SARBANES, Mr. WELLSTONE, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. DASCHLE, Mr. REID, and Mrs. MURRAY):

S. 1262. A bill to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to provide up-to-date school library medial resources and well-trained, professionally certified school library media specialists for elementary schools and secondary schools, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. JEFFORDS (for himself, Mr. HATCH, and Mr. GORTON):

S. 1263. A bill to amend the Balanced Budget Act of 1997 to limit the reductions in medicare payments under the prospective payment system for hospital outpatient department services; to the Committee on Finance.

By Ms. SNOWE (for herself and Mr. KENNEDY):

S. 1264. A bill to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 and the National Education Statistics Act of 1994 to ensure that elementary and secondary schools prepare girls to compete in the 21st century, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. COVERDELL (for himself, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. JEFFORDS, Mr. MOYNIHAN, Mr. HELMS, Mr. COCHRAN, Mr. BURNS, Mr. CLELAND, Ms. SNOWE, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. SHELBY, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. LEAHY, Mr. BAUCUS, Mr. LIEBERMAN, Mr. KYL, Mr. REID, Mr. SARBANES, Ms. MIKULSKI, and Mr. SANTORUM):

S. 1265. A bill to require the Secretary of Agriculture to implement the Class I milk price structure known as Option 1-A as part of the implementation of the final rule to consolidate Federal milk marketing orders; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. GORTON (for himself, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. GREGG, Mr. COVERDELL, Mr. BROWNBACK, Mr. ASHCROFT, Mr. HELMS, and Mr. VOINOVICH):

S. 1266. A bill to allow a State to combine certain funds to improve the academic