

## ENROLLED BILLS PRESENTED

The Secretary of the Senate reported that on July 22, 1999, he had presented to the President of the United States, the following enrolled bills:

S. 361. An act to direct the Secretary of the Interior to transfer to John R. and Margaret J. Lowe of Big Horn County, Wyoming, certain land so as to correct an error in the patent issued to their predecessors in interest.

S. 449. An act to direct the Secretary of the Interior to transfer to the personal representative of the estate of Fred Steffens of Big Horn County, Wyoming, certain land comprising the Steffens family property.

## REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. LUGAR, from the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry, without amendment:

S. Res. 159: An original resolution authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. STEVENS, from the Committee on Appropriations:

Special Report entitled "Further Revised Allocation to Subcommittees of Budget Totals for Fiscal Year 2000" (Rept. No. 106-118).

By Mr. ROTH, from the Committee on Finance:

Report to accompany the bill (S. 1386) to amend the Trade Act of 1974 to extend the authorization for trade adjustment assistance (Rept. No. 106-119).

## EXECUTIVE REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following executive reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. WARNER, for the Committee on Armed Services:

F. Whitten Peters, of the District of Columbia, to be Secretary of the Air Force.

Arthur L. Money, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense.

By Mr. MURKOWSKI, from the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:

Curt Hebert, Jr., of Mississippi, to be a Member of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission for the term expiring June 30, 2004. (Reappointment)

Earl E. Devaney, of Massachusetts, to be Inspector General, Department of the Interior.

(The above nominations were reported with the recommendation that they be confirmed, subject to the nominees' commitment to respond to requests to appear and testify before any duly constituted committee of the Senate.)

By Mr. HATCH, from the Committee on the Judiciary:

Charles R. Wilson, of Florida, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Eleventh Circuit.

Ronnie L. White, of Missouri, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Missouri.

Adalberto Jose Jordan, of Florida, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Florida.

William Haskell Alsup, of California, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of California.

Marsha J. Pechman, of Washington, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Washington.

(The above nominations 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 time by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

By Ms. COLLINS (for herself, Mr. DEWINE, and Mr. SMITH of Oregon):

S. 1412. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to limit the reporting requirements regarding higher education tuition and related expenses, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. DURBIN (for himself and Mr. DORGAN):

S. 1413. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to increase the deduction from the estate tax for family-owned business interest; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. MACK:

S. 1414. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to restore access to home health services covered under the Medicare program, and to protect the Medicare program from financial loss while preserving the due process rights of home health agencies; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. HATCH:

S. 1415. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for S corporation reform, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. FEINGOLD (for himself and Mr. KOHL):

S. 1416. A bill to amend the Agricultural Marketing Agreement of 1937 to allow a modified bloc voting by cooperative associations of milk producers in connection with the scheduled August referendum on Federal Milk Marketing Order reform; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. GRASSLEY (for himself and Mr. BREAUX):

S. 1417. A bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to extend the authority of State Medicaid fraud control units to investigate and prosecute fraud in connection with Federal health care programs and abuse of residents of board and care facilities; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. COCHRAN:

S. 1418. A bill to provide for the holding of court at Natchez, Mississippi in the same manner as court is held at Vicksburg, Mississippi, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. MCCAIN:

S. 1419. A bill to amend title 36, United States Code, to designate May as "National Military Appreciation Month"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. KERRY (for himself, Mr. HOLLINGS, Mr. BREAUX, Mr. INOUE, Mrs. BOXER, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, and Mr. KENNEDY):

S. 1420. A bill to establish a fund for the restoration and protection of ocean and coastal resources, to amend and reauthorize the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. DURBIN:

S. 1421. A bill to impose restrictions on the sale of cigars; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. SCHUMER:

S. 1422. A bill to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to improve the quality of education and raise student achievement by strengthening accountability, raising standards for teachers, rewarding success, and providing better information to parents; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

S. 1423. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exclude from income \$40,000 of the salary of certain teachers who teach high-poverty schools; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. EDWARDS (for himself and Mrs. HUTCHISON):

S. 1424. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide the same tax treatment for special pay as for combat pay; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. SPECTER:

S. 1425. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a 10 percent biotechnology investment tax credit and to reauthorize the Research and Development tax credit for ten years; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. HARKIN (for himself, Mr. DASCHLE, Mr. LEAHY, Mr. KERREY, Mr. CONRAD, and Mr. JOHNSON):

S. 1426. A bill to amend the Food Security Act of 1985 to promote the conservation of soil and related resources, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. THOMPSON:

S. 1427. A bill to authorize the Attorney General to appoint a special counsel to investigate or prosecute a person for a possible violation of criminal law when the Attorney General determines that the appointment of a special counsel is in the public interest; read the first time.

By Mr. HATCH (for himself, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, Mr. DEWINE, Mr. BIDEN, Mr. THURMOND, Mr. BOND, Mr. SMITH of Oregon, Mr. HELMS, Mr. REID, and Mr. BRYAN):

S. 1428. A bill to amend the Controlled Substances Act and the Controlled Substances Import and Export Act relating to the manufacture, traffic, import, and export of amphetamine and methamphetamine, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

## SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. LUGAR:

S. Res. 159. An original resolution authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry; from the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. LOTT:

S. Res. 160. A resolution to restore enforcement of Rule 16.

By Mr. DASCHLE (for himself and Mr. LOTT):

S. Res. 161. A resolution to authorize the printing of "Memorial Tributes to John Fitzgerald Kennedy, Jr.;" considered and agreed to.