

EC-5921. A communication from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Pacific Cod by Catcher Processors Using Trawl Gear in the Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands, received October 25, 1999; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. JEFFORDS, from the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions, with amendments:

S. 385. A bill to amend the Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970 to further improve the safety and health of working environments, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 106-202).

By Mr. HATCH, from the Committee on the Judiciary, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute:

H.R. 764. A bill to reduce the incidence of child abuse and neglect, and for other purposes.

By Mr. HATCH, from the Committee on the Judiciary, without amendment and with a preamble:

S. Res. 204. A resolution designating the week beginning November 21, 1999, and the week beginning on November 19, 2000, as 'National Family Week,' and for other purposes.

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

S. 1750. A bill to reduce the incidence of child abuse and neglect, and for other purposes.

By Mr. HATCH, from the Committee on the Judiciary, without amendment:

S. 1764. A bill to make technical corrections to various antitrust laws and to references to such laws.

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

S. 1769. A bill to continue reporting requirements of section 2519 of title 18, United States Code, beyond December 21, 1999, and for other purposes.

EXECUTIVE REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following executive reports of committees were submitted:

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

John F. Potter, of Maryland, to be a Member of the Board of Regents of the Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences for a term expiring May 1, 2005.

A.J. Eggenberger, of Montana, to be a Member of the Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board for a term expiring October 18, 2003.

Jessie M. Roberson, of Alabama, to be a Member of the Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board for a term expiring October 18, 2002.

(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.)

The following named officer for appointment as Vice Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of

Staff and appointment to the grade indicated while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, U.S.C., sections 601 and 154:

To be general

Gen. Richard B. Myers, 7092

The following Air National Guard of the United States officers for appointment in the Reserve of the Air Force to the grades indicated under title 10, U.S.C., section 12203:

To be major general

Brig. Gen. Harold A. Cross, 6940

Brig. Gen. Paul J. Sullivan, 5946

To be brigadier general

Col. Dwayne A. Alons, 6536

Col. Richard W. Ash, 2052

Col. George J. Cannelos, 9758

Col. James E. Cunningham, 6429

Col. Myron N. Dobashi, 8614

Col. Juan A. Garcia, 8468

Col. John J. Hartnett, 7206

Col. Steven R. McCamy, 8048

Col. Roger C. Nafziger, 2043

Col. George B. Patrick, III, 8518

Col. Martha T. Rainville, 6388

Col. Samuel M. Shiver, 9331

Col. Robert W. Sullivan, 8075

Col. Gary H. Wilfong, 8548

The following named officer for appointment in the United States Air Force to the grade indicated while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, U.S.C., section 601:

To be lieutenant general

Maj. Gen. Charles H. Coolidge, Jr., 6287

The following named officer for appointment as Surgeon General of the Air Force and appointment to the grade indicated while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, U.S.C., section 601 and 8036:

To be lieutenant general

Maj. Gen. Paul K. Carlton, Jr., 8132

The following named officer for appointment in the United States Air Force to the grade indicated while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, U.S.C., section 601:

To be lieutenant general

Maj. Gen. Charles F. Wald, 1222

The following named officer for appointment in the United States Air Force to the grade indicated while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, U.S.C., section 601:

To be lieutenant general

Lt. Gen. Ronald C. Marcotte, 7848

The following named officer for appointment in the United States Air Force to the grade indicated while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, U.S.C., section 601:

To be lieutenant general

Lt. Gen. Thomas J. Keck, 7294

The following named officer for appointment in the United States Air Force to the grade indicated while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, U.S.C., section 601:

To be lieutenant general

Lt. Gen. Hal M. Hornburg, 6836

The following named officer for appointment in the United States Air Force to the grade indicated while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, U.S.C., section 601:

To be lieutenant general

Lt. Gen. Walter S. Hogle, Jr., 6057

The following Air National Guard of the United States officer for appointment in the Reserve of the Air Force to the grade indicated under title 10, U.S.C., section 12203:

To be brigadier general

Col. Myron G. Ashcraft, 6527

The following named officer for appointment in the United States Air Force to the grade indicated while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, U.S.C., section 601:

To be lieutenant general

Maj. Gen. Norton A. Schwartz, 7542

The following named officer for appointment in the United States Air Force to the grade indicated while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, U.S.C., section 601:

To be general

Gen. Joseph W. Ralston, 9172

The following named officer for appointment in the United States Air Force to the grade indicated while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, U.S.C., section 601:

To be general

Gen. Ralph E. Eberhart, 7375

The following Army National Guard of the United States officer for appointment in the Reserve of the Army to the grade indicated under title 10, U.S.C., section 12203:

To be brigadier general

Col. Daniel B. Wilkins, 1631

The following named officers for appointment in the United States Army to the grade indicated under title 10, U.S.C., section 624:

To be major general

Raymond D. Barrett, Jr., 1758

James J. Grazioplene, 3304

The following named officer for appointment in the United States Army to the grade indicated while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, U.S.C., section 601:

To be general

Gen. Thomas A. Schwartz, 0711

The following named officer for appointment in the United States Army to the grade indicated while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, U.S.C., section 601:

To be general

Lt. Gen. John W. Hendrix, 7900

The following named officer for appointment in the United States Army to the grade indicated while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, U.S.C., section 601:

To be lieutenant general

Maj. Gen. Kevin P. Byrnes, 7639

The following named officer for appointment in the United States Army to the grade indicated while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, U.S.C., section 601:

To be lieutenant general

Maj. Gen. James C. Riley, 6688

The following named officer for appointment in the United States Army to the grade indicated while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, U.S.C., section 601:

To be lieutenant general

Maj. Gen. John A. Van Alstyne, 3328

The following named officer for appointment in the United States Army to the grade indicated under title 10, U.S.C., section 624:

To be major general

Brig. Gen. Anders B. Aadland, 1667

The following named officer for appointment in the United States Army to the grade indicated under title 10, U.S.C., section 624:

To be major general

Brig. Gen. John T.D. Casey, 8752

The following named officer for appointment in the United States Army to the grade indicated under title 10, U.S.C., section 624:

To be major general

Brig. Gen. Hans A. Van Winkle, 8718

The following named officer for appointment in the United States Marine Corps to the grade indicated while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, U.S.C., section 601:

To be lieutenant general

Maj. Gen. Gary S. McKissock, 8973

(The above nominations were reported with the recommendation that they be confirmed.)

Mr. WARNER. Mr. President, for the Committee on Armed Services, I report favorably nomination lists which were printed in the RECORDS of September 23, 1999, September 27, 1999 and October 12, 1999, and ask unanimous consent, to save the expense of reprinting on the Executive Calendar, that these nominations lie at the Secretary's desk for the information of Senators.

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

(The nominations ordered to lie on the Secretary's desk were printed in the RECORDS of September 23, 1999, September 27, 1999 and October 12, 1999, at the end of the Senate proceedings.)

In the Army, two nominations beginning Robert E. Wegmann, and ending Sandra K. James, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 23, 1999.

In the Army, three nominations beginning John H. Belser, Jr., and ending Thomas R. Shepard, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 23, 1999.

In the Army, three nominations beginning *Kathleen David-bajar, and ending Dean C. Pedersen, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 23, 1999.

In the Marine Corps, one nomination of Wendell A. Porth, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 23, 1999.

In the Navy, 292 nominations beginning Robert C. Adams, and ending Daniel L. Zimmer, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of September 27, 1999.

In the Air Force, three nominations beginning Edwin C. Schilling, III, and ending Celinda L. Van Maren, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of October 12, 1999.

In the Air Force, one nomination of Ronald J. Boomer, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of October 12, 1999.

In the Army, seven nominations beginning Gary A. Benford, and ending Kenneth A. Younkin, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of October 12, 1999.

In the Army, seven nominations beginning David A. Couchman, and ending Charles R.

Nessmith, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of October 12, 1999.

In the Army, nine nominations beginning Rex H. Cray, and ending Lawrence A. West, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of October 12, 1999.

In the Army, 1510 nominations beginning *David M. Abbinanti, and ending X379, which nominations were received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of October 12, 1999.

In the Marine Corps, one nomination of Fredric M. Olson, which was received by the Senate and appeared in the Congressional Record of October 12, 1999.

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

John W. Marshall, of Virginia, to be Director of the United States Marshals Service.

(The above nomination was reported with the recommendation that he 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 Mr. HAGEL (for himself, Mr. ABRAHAM, Mr. DEWINE, Mr. GORTON, Mr. KERREY, Ms. LANDRIEU, and Mr. THOMAS):

S. 1816. A bill to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to provide meaningful campaign finance reform through requiring better reporting, decreasing the role of soft money, and increasing individual contribution limits, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

By Mr. GRAMS:

S. 1817. A bill to validate a conveyance of certain lands located in Carlton County, Minnesota, and to provide for the compensation of certain original heirs; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. SCHUMER:

S. 1818. A bill to amend title II of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to provide grants for master teacher programs; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. SCHUMER:

S. 1819. A bill to amend title II of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to provide grants for mentor teacher programs; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. KERRY:

S. 1820. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exclude national service educational awards from the recipient's gross income; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. REED (for himself and Mr. TORRICELLI):

S. 1821. A bill to authorize the United States to recover from a third party the value of any housing, education, or medical care or treatment furnished or paid for by the United States and provided to any victim of lead poisoning; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. MCCAIN (for himself and Ms. SNOWE):

S. 1822. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act, the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, and the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to require that group and individual health insurance coverage and

group health plans provide coverage for treatment of a minor child's congenital or developmental deformity or disorder due to trauma, infection, tumor, or disease; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. DEWINE (for himself, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. ABRAHAM, and Mr. DODD):

S. 1823. A bill to revise and extend the Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act of 1994; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. BREAU (for himself and Mr. GORTON):

S. 1824. A bill to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to enhance the efficient use of spectrum by non-federal government users; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. ROCKEFELLER:

S. 1825. A bill to empower telephone consumers, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. MURKOWSKI:

S. 1826. A bill to provide grants to the State of Alaska for the purpose of assisting that State in fulfilling its responsibilities under sections 803, 804, and 805 of the Alaska National Interest Lands Conservation Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. GRAHAM:

S. 1827. A bill to provide funds to assist high-poverty school districts meet their teaching needs; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. MOYNIHAN (by request):

S. 1828. A bill to protect and provide resources for the Social Security System, to reserve surpluses to protect, strengthen and modernize the Medicare Program, and for other purposes; 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. ROTH (for himself, Mr. LUGAR, Mr. BIDEN, Mr. KYL, Mr. HAGEL, Mr. SMITH of Oregon, Mr. LIEBERMAN, and Mr. HELMS):

S. Res. 208. A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate regarding United States policy toward the North Atlantic Treaty Organization and the European Union, in light of the Alliance's April 1999 Washington Summit and the European Union's June 1999 Cologne Summit; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

STATEMENTS ON INTRODUCED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

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S. 1816. A bill to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to provide meaningful campaign finance reform through requiring better reporting, decreasing the role of soft money, and increasing individual contribution limits, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Rules and Administration.