

to correct his real problem by assisting domestic companies and further discouraging unfair trading practices by foreign traders.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 358

At the request of Mr. DEWINE, the name of the Senator from Washington [Mrs. MURRAY] was added as a cosponsor of S. 358, a bill to provide for compassionate payments with regard to individuals with blood-clotting disorders, such as hemophilia, who contracted human immunodeficiency virus due to contaminated blood products, and for other purposes.

S. 474

At the request of Mr. KYL, the name of the Senator from Georgia [Mr. COVERDELL] was added as a cosponsor of S. 474, a bill to amend sections 1081 and 1084 of title 18, United States Code.

S. 1031

At the request of Mr. GRAMS, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 1031, a bill to protect Federal law enforcement officers who intervene in certain situations to protect life or prevent bodily injury.

S. 1251

At the request of Mr. D'AMATO, the name of the Senator from Virginia [Mr. ROBB] was added as a cosponsor of S. 1251, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to increase the amount of private activity bonds which may be issued in each State, and to index such amount for inflation.

S. 1305

At the request of Mr. GRAMM, the name of the Senator from Colorado [Mr. ALLARD] was added as a cosponsor of S. 1305, a bill to invest in the future of the United States by doubling the amount authorized for basic scientific, medical, and pre-competitive engineering research.

S. 1480

At the request of Ms. SNOWE, the names of the Senator from South Carolina [Mr. HOLLINGS], the Senator from Massachusetts [Mr. KERRY], and the Senator from Alaska [Mr. STEVENS] were added as cosponsors of S. 1480, a bill to authorize appropriations for the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration to conduct research, monitoring, education and management activities for the eradication and control of harmful algal blooms, including blooms of *Pfiesteria piscicida* and other aquatic toxins.

S. 1596

At the request of Mr. COVERDELL, the name of the Senator from Alaska [Mr. MURKOWSKI] was added as a cosponsor of S. 1596, a bill to provide for reading excellence.

S. 1734

At the request of Mrs. HUTCHISON, the name of the Senator from California [Mrs. FEINSTEIN] was added as a cosponsor of S. 1734, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to waive

the income inclusion on a distribution from an individual retirement account to the extent that the distribution is contributed for charitable purposes.

S. 1855

At the request of Mr. WYDEN, the name of the Senator from Wyoming [Mr. ENZI] was added as a cosponsor of S. 1855, a bill to require the Occupational Safety and Health Administration to recognize that electronic forms of providing MSDSs provide the same level of access to information as paper copies.

S. 1862

At the request of Mr. DEWINE, the name of the Senator from Illinois [Mr. DURBIN] was added as a cosponsor of S. 1862, a bill to provide assistance for poison prevention and to stabilize the funding of regional poison control centers.

S. 1879

At the request of Mr. BURNS, the names of the Senator from Utah [Mr. HATCH], the Senator from Washington [Mrs. MURRAY], the Senator from Wyoming [Mr. THOMAS], the Senator from Kansas [Mr. ROBERTS], the Senator from Kentucky [Mr. MCCONNELL], and the Senator from Colorado [Mr. ALLARD] were added as cosponsors of S. 1879, a bill to provide for the permanent extension of income averaging for farmers.

S. 1924

At the request of Mr. MACK, the name of the Senator from Ohio [Mr. GLENN] was added as a cosponsor of S. 1924, a bill to restore the standards used for determining whether technical workers are not employees as in effect before the Tax Reform Act of 1986.

S. 1965

At the request of Ms. MOSELEY-BRAUN, the name of the Senator from Missouri [Mr. ASHCROFT] was added as a cosponsor of S. 1965, a bill to prohibit the publication of identifying information relating to a minor for criminal sexual purposes.

S. 2034

At the request of Mr. DODD, the names of the Senator from Rhode Island [Mr. REED], the Senator from New Jersey [Mr. TORRICELLI], the Senator from New Jersey [Mr. LAUTENBERG], the Senator from Rhode Island [Mr. CHAFEE], and the Senator from Connecticut [Mr. LIEBERMAN] were added as cosponsors of S. 2034, a bill to establish a program to provide for a reduction in the incidence and prevalence of Lyme disease.

S. 2128

At the request of Mr. LOTT, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 2128, a bill to clarify the authority of the Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation regarding the collection of fees to process certain identification records and name checks, and for other purposes.

S. 2162

At the request of Mr. MACK, the name of the Senator from Alabama [Mr. SES-

SIONS] was added as a cosponsor of S. 2162, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to more accurately codify the depreciable life of printed wiring board and printed wiring assembly equipment.

S. 2222

At the request of Mr. GRASSLEY, the name of the Senator from North Dakota [Mr. DORGAN] was added as a cosponsor of S. 2222, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to repeal the financial limitation on rehabilitation services under part B of the Medicare Program.

S. 2223

At the request of Mr. GRAMS, the name of the Senator from Georgia [Mr. COVERDELL] was added as a cosponsor of S. 2223, a bill to provide a moratorium on certain class actions relating to the Real Estate Settlement Procedures Act of 1974.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 107

At the request of Mr. ASHCROFT, his name was added as a cosponsor of Senate Concurrent Resolution 107, a concurrent resolution affirming United States commitments to Taiwan.

At the request of Mr. NICKLES, his name, and the name of the Senator from Oregon [Mr. SMITH] were added as cosponsors of Senate Concurrent Resolution 107, *supra*.

SENATE RESOLUTION 192

At the request of Mr. BIDEN, the name of the Senator from South Dakota [Mr. JOHNSON] was added as a cosponsor of Senate Resolution 192, a resolution expressing the sense of the Senate that institutions of higher education should carry out activities to change the culture of alcohol consumption on college campuses.

AMENDMENTS SUBMITTED

PRODUCT LIABILITY REFORM ACT OF 1998

FEINSTEIN (AND TORRICELLI) AMENDMENT NO. 3106

(Ordered to lie on the table.)

Mrs. FEINSTEIN (for herself and Mr. TORRICELLI) submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by them to the bill (S. 648) to establish legal standards and procedures for product liability litigation, and for other purposes; as follows

In lieu of the matter proposed to be added at the end section 102(a)(2), add the following:

(E) ACTIONS INVOLVING HARM CAUSED BY A FIREARM OR AMMUNITION.—A civil action brought for harm caused by a firearm or ammunition (as that term is defined in section 921(17)(A) of title 18, United States Code) shall not be subject to the provisions of this title governing product liability actions, but shall be subject to any applicable Federal or State law.