

## SUBCOMMITTEE ON NATIONAL PARKS

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Subcommittee on National Parks of the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Tuesday, July 31, at 2:30 p.m., to conduct a hearing. The subcommittee will receive testimony on S. 689, to convey certain Federal properties on Governors Island, NY; S. 1175, to modify the boundary of Vicksburg National Military Park to include the property known as Pemberton's Headquarters, and for other purposes; S. 1227, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a study of the suitability and feasibility of establishing the Niagara Falls National Heritage Area in the State of New York, and for other purposes; and H.R. 601, to redesignate certain lands within the Craters of the Moon National Monument, and for other purposes.

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

## SUBCOMMITTEE ON SEAPOWER

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Subcommittee on Seapower of the Committee on Armed Services be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Tuesday, July 31, 2001, at 2:30 p.m., in open session to receive testimony on Navy shipbuilding programs, in review of the Defense authorization request for fiscal year 2002.

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

## PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR

Mr. WELLSTONE. Madam President, I ask unanimous consent that Stephanie Zawistowski—I cannot believe I am having trouble with this; my mother's name was Mencha Daneshevsky—be granted floor privileges during the rest of the day.

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

Mr. ROBERTS. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that during the remainder of the debate and consideration of the Emergency Agriculture Assistance Act, Matt Howe, a member of my staff, be granted privileges of the floor.

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

Mr. HARKIN. I ask unanimous consent that Sarah Zessar and Jason Klug be allowed floor privileges during debate on S. 1246.

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

MODIFIED ORDERS FOR  
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1, 2001

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the previous convening order for tomorrow be modified and provide for the convening of the Senate at 10 a.m., with the remainder of the orders still in effect, and when the Senate resumes consideration of

the Agriculture supplemental bill, Senator DASCHLE or his designee be recognized, and that at 11:00 a.m. the motion to proceed and the motion to reconsider the failed cloture vote on H.R. 2299 be agreed to, and the Senate vote without any intervening action or debate on cloture on H.R. 2299; and that the time prior to the vote be equally divided between the two leaders or their designees.

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

## APPOINTMENTS

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, and upon the recommendation of the Republican leader, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2761, as amended, appoints the Senator from Mississippi (Mr. COCHRAN) as Vice Chairman of the Senate Delegation to the British-American Interparliamentary Group during the 107th Congress.

The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, in accordance with 22 U.S.C. 1928a–1928d, as amended, appoints the Senator from Oregon (Mr. SMITH) as Vice Chairman of the Senate Delegation to the NATO Parliamentary Assembly during the 107th Congress.

## COMMENDING JAMES W. ZIGLAR

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I further ask unanimous consent that the Senate now proceed to the immediate consideration of S. Res. 144, which is at the desk.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will report the resolution by title.

The legislative clerk read as follows:  
A resolution (S. Res. 144) commending James W. Ziglar for his service to the United States Senate.

There being no objection, the Senate will proceed to the consideration of the resolution.

Mr. REID. I ask unanimous consent that the resolution be agreed to, the preamble be agreed to, and the motion to reconsider be laid upon the table.

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

The resolution (S. Res. 144) was agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.  
(The text of the resolution is printed in today's RECORD under "Statements on Submitted Resolutions.")

LEGISLATIVE BRANCH  
APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 2002

Mr. REID. I ask unanimous consent that with respect to H.R. 2647, the legislative branch appropriations bill, and pursuant to the order of July 19, 2001, the bill, as amended, be read three times, passed, and the motion to reconsider be laid upon the table; that the Senate insist on its amendment, request a conference with the House, and the Chair be authorized to appointment conferees.

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

The bill (H.R. 2647), as amended, was read the third time and passed.

Mr. REID. I further ask consent that the remaining provisions of the order of July 19 remain in effect.

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

The Presiding Officer (Mr. CARPER) appointed Mr. DURBIN, Mr. JOHNSON, Mr. REED, Mr. BYRD, Mr. BENNETT, Mr. STEVENS, and Mr. COCHRAN conferees on the part of the Senate.

## ENFORCEMENT OF HUMANE METHODS OF SLAUGHTER ACT OF 1958

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent the Agriculture Committee be discharged from further consideration of S. Con. Res. 45 and the Senate then proceed to its immediate consideration.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered. The clerk will report the concurrent resolution by title.

The legislative clerk read as follows:  
A concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 45) expressing the sense of the Congress that the Humane Methods of Slaughter Act of 1958 should be fully enforced so as to prevent needless suffering of animals.

There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to consideration of the concurrent resolution.

Mr. REID. I ask unanimous consent the resolution be agreed to, the preamble be agreed to, the motion to reconsider be laid on the table, and any statements relating to this measure be printed in the RECORD.

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

The concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 45) was agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.  
The concurrent resolution, with its preamble, reads as follows:

## S. CON. RES. 45

Whereas public demand for passage of Public Law 85-765 (commonly known as the "Humane Methods of Slaughter Act of 1958") (7 U.S.C. 1901 et seq.) was so great that when President Eisenhower was asked at a press conference if he would sign the bill, he replied, "If I went by mail, I'd think no one was interested in anything but humane slaughter";

Whereas the Act requires that animals be rendered insensible to pain when they are slaughtered;

Whereas on April 10, 2001, a Washington Post front page article reported that enforcement records, interviews, videos, and worker affidavits describe repeated violations of the Act and that the Federal Government took no action against a company that was cited 22 times in 1998 for violations of the Act;

Whereas the article asserted that in 1998, the Secretary of Agriculture stopped tracking the number of humane-slaughter violations;

Whereas the article concluded that scientific evidence shows tangible economic benefits when animals are treated well;

Whereas the United States Animal Health Association passed a resolution at an October 1998 meeting to encourage strong enforcement of the Act and reiterated support for the resolution at a meeting in 2000; and