

“(B) has been maintained, and will continue to be maintained, using long-term crop rotation practices, as determined by the Secretary.

“(c) CROP INSURANCE.—Notwithstanding any provision of the Federal Crop Insurance Act (7 U.S.C. 1501 et seq.), the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation shall not pay premium subsidies or administrative costs of a reinsured company for insurance regarding a crop insurance policy of a producer under that Act unless the land that is covered by the insurance policy for an agricultural commodity—

“(1) has been planted, considered planted, or devoted to an agricultural commodity during—

“(A) at least 1 of the 5 crop years preceding the 2002 crop year; or

“(B) at least 3 of the 10 crop years preceding the 2002 crop year; or

“(2)(A) has been planted, considered planted, or devoted to an agricultural commodity during at least 1 of the 20 crop years preceding the 2002 crop year; and

“(B) has been maintained, and will continue to be maintained, using long-term crop rotation practices, as determined by the Secretary.

“(d) CONSERVATION RESERVE LAND.—For purposes of this section, land that is enrolled in the conservation reserve program established under subchapter B of chapter 1 of subtitle D of title XII of the Food Security Act of 1985 (16 U.S.C. 3831 et seq.) shall be considered planted to an agricultural commodity.

“(e) LAND UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF AN INDIAN TRIBE.—For purposes of this section, land that is under the jurisdiction of an Indian tribe (as defined in section 4 of the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act (25 U.S.C. 450b)) shall be considered planted to an agricultural commodity if—

“(1) the land is planted to an agricultural commodity after the date of enactment of this subsection as part of an irrigation project that—

“(A) is authorized by the Bureau of Reclamation or the Bureau of Indian Affairs; and

“(B) is under construction prior to the date of enactment of this subsection; or

“(2) the land becomes available for planting because of a settlement or statutory authorization of a water rights claim by an Indian tribe after the date of enactment of this subsection.”.

(b) PARTIAL RESTORATION OF BENEFITS TO LEGAL IMMIGRANTS.—Section 403(c)(2)(L) of the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 (8 U.S.C. 1613(c)(2)(L)) (as amended by section 452(a)(2)(A)) is amended by inserting “provided to individuals under the age of 18” after “benefits”.

(c) FOOD STAMP EXCEPTION FOR CERTAIN QUALIFIED ALIENS.—

(1) IN GENERAL.—Section 402(a)(2) of the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 (8 U.S.C. 1612(a)(2)) (as amended by section 452(c)(2)) is amended by adding at the end the following:

“(M) FOOD STAMP EXCEPTION FOR CERTAIN QUALIFIED ALIENS.—With respect to eligibility for benefits for the specified Federal program described in paragraph (3)(B), paragraph (1) shall not apply to any individual who has continuously resided in the United States as a qualified alien for a period of 5 years or more beginning on the date on which the qualified alien entered the United States.”.

(2) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made by paragraph (1) takes effect on April 1, 2003.

**SA 2822.** Mr. HELMS submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 2471 submitted by Mr. DASCHLE and intended to be proposed to the bill (S. 1731) to strengthen the safety net for agricultural producers, to enhance resource conservation and rural development, to provide for farm credit, agricultural research, nutrition, and related programs, to ensure consumers abundant food and fiber, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

On page 945, strike lines 6 and 7 and insert the following:

**SEC. 1024. DEFINITION OF ANIMAL UNDER THE ANIMAL WELFARE ACT.**

Section 2(g) of the Animal Welfare Act (7 U.S.C. 2132(g)) is amended by striking “excludes horses not used for research purposes and” and inserting the following:

“excludes birds, rats of the genus *Rattus*, and mice of the genus *Mus* bred for use in research, horses not used for research purposes, and”.

**SEC. 1025. PENALTIES AND FOREIGN COMMERCE PROVISIONS OF THE ANIMAL WELFARE ACT.**

**SA 2823.** Mr. REID (for Ms. LANDRIEU) proposed an amendment to the bill H.R. 586, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide that the exclusion from gross income for foster care payments shall also apply to payments by qualified placement agencies, and for other purposes; as follows:

At the appropriate place, insert the following:

**SEC. .ACCELERATION OF EFFECTIVE DATE FOR EXPANSION OF ADOPTION TAX CREDIT AND ADOPTION ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS.**

Subsection (g) of section 202 of the Economic Growth and Tax Relief Reconciliation Act of 2001 is amended to read as follows:

“(g) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by this section shall apply to taxable years beginning after December 31, 2001.”.

**SA 2824.** Mr. REID (for Mr. KENNEDY (for himself and Mr. FRIST)) proposed an amendment to the bill S. 1274, to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide programs for the prevention, treatment, and rehabilitation of stroke; as follows:

On page 12, line 24, strike “paragraph (1)(B)” and insert “paragraph (1)(D)”.

On page 13, line 1, strike “paragraphs” and all that follows through “2823(a)” on line 2, and insert “paragraph (2) of section 2823(b)”.

On page 18, line 14, strike “(b)” and insert “(c)”.

On page 20, line 12, strike “(c)” and insert “(d)”.

**SA 2825.** Mr. INHOFE submitted an amendment intended to be proposed to amendment SA 2471 submitted by Mr. DASCHLE and intended to be proposed to the bill (S. 1731) to strengthen the safety net for agricultural producers, to enhance resource conservation and rural development, to provide for farm credit, agricultural research, nutrition, and related programs, to ensure consumers abundant food and fiber, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

On page 111, lines 14 and 15, strike “2002 through 2006” and insert “2003 through 2007”.

**AUTHORITY FOR COMMITTEES TO MEET**

**COMMITTEE ON BANKING, HOUSING, AND URBAN AFFAIRS**

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Wednesday, February 6, 2002, at 10 a.m., to conduct the second in a series of hearings on “The State of Financial Literacy and Education in America.”

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

**COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES**

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate Committee on Energy and Natural Resources be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Wednesday, February 6 at 9:30 a.m., to conduct a hearing. The hearing will examine the effects of subtitle B of S. 1766, Amendments to the Public Utility Holding Company Act, on energy markets and energy consumers.

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

**COMMITTEE ON FINANCE**

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate Committee on Finance be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Wednesday, February 6, 2002, at 10 a.m., to hear testimony on the “Ongoing U.S. Trade Negotiations.”

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

**COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN RELATIONS**

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Foreign Relations be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Wednesday, February 6, 2002, at 10:15 a.m., to hold a hearing titled, “The New Strategic Framework: Implications for U.S. Security”.

*Agenda*

Witnesses: The Honorable William J. Perry, Former Secretary of Defense, Michael and Barbara Berberian Professor, Stanford University, Stanford, CA, and the Honorable Caspar W. Weinberger, Former Secretary of Defense, Washington, DC.

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

**COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS**

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Foreign Relations be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Wednesday, February 6, 2002, at 2:30 p.m., to hold a hearing title, “Somalia: U.S. Policy Options”.

*Agenda*

*Witnesses*

Panel 1: The Honorable Walter Kansteiner, Assistant Secretary for African Affairs, Department of State, Washington, DC.

Panel 2: Dr. Ken Menkhaus, Associate Professor of Political Science,

Davidson College, Davidson, NC; Dr. David H. Shinn, Former U.S. Ambassador to Ethiopia and Special, Coordinator for Somalia, Washington, DC; and Mr. Robert MacPherson, Emergency Group Assistance Director, CARE, Atlanta, GA.

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

COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY

Mr. REID. I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on the Judiciary be authorized to meet to conduct a hearing on "Accountability Issues: Lessons Learned From Enron's Fall" on Wednesday, February 6, 2002, at 10 a.m., in Dirksen room 226.

Witness List: The Honorable Christine O. Gregoire, Attorney General of Washington State, Olympia, WA; Mr. Bruce Raynor, President, Union of Needletrades, Industrial and Textile Employees (UNITE), New York City, NY; Steven Schatz Esq., Wilson, Sonsini, Goodrich & Rosati Professional Corporation, Palo Alto, CA; Professor Nelson Lund, George Mason University School of Law, Arlington, VA; and Professor Susan P. Koniak, Boston University School of Law, Boston, MA.

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

SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON AGING

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Special Committee on Aging be authorized to meet on Wednesday, February 6, 2002, from 9:30 a.m.–12 p.m., in Dirksen 106 for the purpose of conducting a hearing.

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

SELECT COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Select Committee on Intelligence be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Wednesday, February 6, 2002, at 10 a.m., to hold an open hearing and at 2:30 p.m., to hold a closed hearing on the World Threat.

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

SUBCOMMITTEE ON AGING

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions, Subcommittee on Aging and the Special Committee on Aging be authorized to meet for a joint hearing on Women and Aging: Bearing the Burden of Long-Term Care during the session of the Senate on Wednesday, February 6, 2002, at 9:30 a.m., in SD-106.

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

PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR

Mr. BOND. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the privilege of the floor be granted to Tom Stapleton, a fellow on my staff, for the pendency of this bill.

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

FAIRNESS FOR FOSTER CARE  
FAMILIES ACT OF 2001

Mr. REID. Madam President, I ask unanimous consent the Senate proceed to the consideration of Calendar No. 70, H.R. 586.

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

The legislative clerk read as follows:

A bill (H.R. 586) to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide that the exclusion from gross income for foster care payments shall also apply to payments by qualified placement agencies, and for other purposes.

There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to consider the bill.

Mr. REID. I understand Senator LANDRIEU has an amendment at the desk. I ask for its immediate consideration.

The amendment is as follows:

At the appropriate place, insert the following:

SEC. . ACCELERATION OF EFFECTIVE DATE FOR  
EXPANSION OF ADOPTION TAX  
CREDIT AND ADOPTION ASSISTANCE  
PROGRAMS.

Subsection (g) of section 202 of the Economic Growth and Tax Relief Reconciliation Act of 2001 is amended to read as follows:

"(g) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by this section shall apply to taxable years beginning after December 31, 2001."

Mr. REID. I ask unanimous consent the amendment be agreed to, the motion to reconsider be laid on the table, the bill, as amended, be read the third time, passed, the motion to reconsider be laid on the table without any intervening action or debate, and any statements relating thereto be printed in the RECORD.

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

The amendment (No. 2823) was agreed to.

The bill (H.R. 586), as amended, was read the third time and passed.

STROKE TREATMENT AND  
ONGOING PREVENTION ACT OF 2001

Mr. REID. I ask unanimous consent the Senate proceed to Calendar No. 222, S. 1274.

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

The assistant legislative clerk read as follows:

A bill (S. 1274) to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide programs for the prevention, treatment, and rehabilitation of stroke.

There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to consider the bill.

Mr. REID. Senators KENNEDY and FRIST have a technical amendment at the desk. I ask unanimous consent the amendment be considered and agreed to, and the motion to reconsider be laid upon the table; that the bill, as amended, be read a third time, passed, the motion to reconsider be laid on the table, and any statements relating thereto be printed in the RECORD.

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

The amendment (No. 2824) was agreed to, as follows:

(Purpose: To make certain technical corrections)

On page 12, line 24, strike "paragraph (1)(E)" and insert "paragraph (1)(D)".

On page 13, line 1, strike "paragraphs" and all that follows through "2823(a)" on line 2, and insert "paragraph (2) of section 2823(b)"

On page 18, line 14, strike "(b)" and insert "(c)".

On page 20, line 12, strike "(c)" and insert "(d)".

The bill (S. 1274), as amended, was read the third time and passed, as follows:

S. 1274

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the "Stroke Treatment and Ongoing Prevention Act of 2002".

SEC. 2. FINDINGS AND GOAL.

(a) FINDINGS.—Congress makes the following findings:

(1) Stroke is the third leading cause of death in the United States. Each year over 750,000 Americans suffer a new or recurrent stroke and 160,000 Americans die from stroke.

(2) Stroke costs the United States \$28,000,000,000 in direct costs and \$17,400,000,000 in indirect costs, each year.

(3) Stroke is one of the leading causes of adult disability in the United States. Between 15 percent and 30 percent of stroke survivors are permanently disabled. Presently, there are 4,400,000 stroke survivors living in the United States.

(4) Members of the general public have difficulty recognizing the symptoms of stroke and are unaware that stroke is a medical emergency. Fifty-eight percent of all stroke patients wait 24 hours or more before presenting at the emergency room. Forty-two percent of individuals over the age of 50 do not recognize numbness or paralysis in the face, arm, or leg as a sign of stroke and 17 percent of them cannot name a single stroke symptom.

(5) Recent advances in stroke treatment can significantly improve the outcome for stroke patients, but these therapies must be administered properly and promptly. Only 3 percent of stroke patients who are candidates for acute stroke intravenous thrombolytic drug therapy receive the appropriate medication.

(6) New technologies, therapies, and diagnostic approaches are currently being developed that will extend the therapeutic timeframe and result in greater treatment efficacy for stroke patients.

(7) Few States and communities have developed and implemented stroke awareness programs, prevention programs, or comprehensive stroke care systems.

(8) The degree of disability resulting from stroke can be reduced substantially by educating the general public about stroke and by improving the systems for the provision of stroke care in the United States.

(b) GOAL.—It is the goal of this Act to improve the provision of stroke care in every State and territory and in the District of Columbia, and to increase public awareness about the prevention, detection, and treatment of stroke.

SEC. 3. SYSTEMS FOR STROKE PREVENTION,  
TREATMENT, AND REHABILITATION.

The Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 201 et seq.) is amended by adding at the end the following: