

make exciting discoveries about the past, and show exemplary commitment to helping students develop their interests in history and recognizing their achievements.

Ms. Shortt is being recognized for her dedication to the National History Day program and her success at improving history education. She has been involved in helping students participate in National History Day for 21 years and has presented at numerous workshops and acted as a mentor for other teachers for much of her career. She continues to have an impact on students even after they have left her classroom.

During my term as Governor of Virginia, we recognized that there are fundamental academic basics that our children must learn if they are to be capable, responsible, and contributing citizens, and able to compete and succeed in the future. To ensure the success of our school children, we implemented high standards and accountability including history standards. We believed that Virginia's students should have the fundamental knowledge and understanding of their cultural and historical heritage that serves as a foundation for preserving a free, prosperous and decent society.

I commend Kathy on her selection for this award and applaud her dedication to her students and the improvement of the educational process. With dedicated teachers like Kathy Shortt, I know the students in Virginia and indeed, across America have a bright future.●

TRIBUTE TO SARA MOSS

● Mr. LIEBERMAN. Mr. President, I rise today to congratulate Sara Moss for being honored by the New York Lawyers' Division of the Anti-Defamation League for her strong commitment to public service and an exemplary dedication to human relations.

The mission of Anti-Defamation League is to expose and combat the purveyors of hatred in our midst, responding to whatever new challenges may arise. The Human Relations Award is presented to an individual who has demonstrated distinguished service, outstanding leadership and a personification of the highest ideals of our democratic society.

Ms. Moss possesses all of these qualities and more. One need only look at the many examples in her life to be convinced. In addition to maintaining a successful career as Senior Vice President and General Counsel of Pitney Bowes, she has continued to demonstrate a strong commitment to public service and pro bono work, especially when involving issues related to women and minorities. In particular, Ms. Moss has used her position with Pitney Bowes to provide legal counsel to a wide variety of service organizations, including a social service agency, a women's learning center, a non-profit day care provider, a sexual as-

sault crisis center, and a substance abuse and rehabilitation center. She has received many awards for her service, including the Minority Corporate Council Diversity Award and the Pro Bono Partnership Outstanding Contribution Award.

Ms. Moss is a fine example of the embodiment of our living democratic ideals, and I congratulate her on receiving this distinguished recognition of her contribution to improving human relations. I wish her continued success in her commitment to public service and hope that her example will demonstrate the importance of active civic involvement on the behalf of our communities.●

2001 NATIONAL MEDAL OF TECHNOLOGY LAUREATES

● Mr. CORZINE. Mr. President, I rise today to honor the 2001 National Medal of Technology Laureates, Dr. Arun N. Netravali of Murray Hill, NJ and Dr. Sidney Pestka of Piscataway, NJ.

Dr. Arun Netravali is a leader in the field of communications systems. As the chief scientist of Lucent Technologies and past president of Bell Labs, he is being cited for his pioneering contributions that transformed television from analog to digital. His innovative algorithms have enabled the switch from analog to digital in numerous services, including broadcast television, CATV, DBS, and HDTV. Furthermore, his work has facilitated an entirely new set of products and services for the multimedia revolution over the Internet. Important communication services such as video conferencing and streaming over the Internet could not be done economically without Dr. Netravali's compression algorithms. He has also been singled out for this prestigious honor for his leadership. During his tenure, Dr. Netravali created, inspired and motivated teams to innovate, keeping Bell Labs at the forefront of revolutionary developments in technology.

I would also like to recognize Dr. Sidney Pestka for his groundbreaking achievements that led to the development of the biotechnology industry. During his career, Dr. Pestka has made a remarkable series of discoveries and developments, often bucking prevailing beliefs and designing innovative solutions to problems along the way to success. His efforts have led to the development of the first recombinant interferons for the treatment of many viral diseases, cancers, and multiple sclerosis. Creating the foundation for more than 100 U.S. and foreign patents, Dr. Pestka's work prepared the pathway for the development of many other biotherapeutic agents now used and stimulated the development of today's extensive biotechnology industry. He has fostered new industries in multiple area, developed new medicines for previously untreatable diseases, and brought new hope to those afflicted. Indeed, his achievements in innovation

and translation provide a role model for this and future generations.

These two New Jerseyans embody the spirit of American innovation and have advanced our nation's global competitiveness and standard of living. Their groundbreaking contributions have commercialized technologies, created jobs, improved productivity and stimulated the nation's growth and development. I commend them for their remarkable achievements and am honored to bring them to your attention.●

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

At 1:44 p.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Ms. Niland, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House has passed the following bill, without amendment.

S. 2431. An act to amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to ensure that chaplains killed in the line of duty receive public safety officer death benefits.

The message further announced that the House has passed the following bills, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H.R. 2054. An act to give the consent of Congress to an agreement or compact between Utah and Nevada regarding a change in the boundaries of those States, and for other purposes.

H.R. 2068. An act to revise, codify, and enact without substantive change certain general and permanent laws, related to public buildings, property, and works, as title 40, United States Code, "Public Buildings, Property, and Works."

H.R. 2621. An act to amend title 18, United States Code, with respect to consumer product protection.

H.R. 2880. An act to amend laws relating to the lands of the enrollees and lineal descendants of enrollees whose names appear on the final Indian rolls of the Muscogee (Creek), Seminole, Cherokee, Chickasaw, and Choctaw Nations (historically referred to as the Five Civilized Tribes), and for other purposes.

H.R. 3738. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1299 North 7th Street in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, as the "Herbert Arlene Post Office Building."

H.R. 3739. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 6150 North Broad Street in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, as the "Rev. Leon Sullivan Post Office Building."

H.R. 3740. An act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 925 Dickinson Street in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, as the "William V. Cibotti Post Office Building."

The message also announced that the House has agreed to the following concurrent resolutions, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. Con. Res. 213. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress regarding North Korean refugees who are detained in China and returned to North Korea where they face torture, imprisonment, and execution.

H. Con. Res. 394. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress concerning the 2002 World Cup and co-hosts Republic of Korea and Japan.