

to the production of hydro power by the Grand Coulee Dam, and for other purposes.

Those wishing additional information may contact the Indian Affairs Committee at 224-2251.

AUTHORITY FOR COMMITTEES TO MEET

COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE, SCIENCE, AND TRANSPORTATION

Mr. MCCAIN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation be authorized to meet on Wednesday, October 1, 2003, at 9:30 a.m. on Climate Change.

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

COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS

Mr. MCCAIN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Environment and Public Works be authorized to meet on Wednesday, October 1 at 9:30 to conduct a business meeting to consider legislation S. 1643, S. 1066, S. 1663, and S. 1669, and the nomination of Michael O. Leavitt, to be Administrator of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

The meeting will take place in SD 406 (hearing room).

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

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

Mr. MCCAIN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Finance be authorized to meet in open Executive Session during the session on Wednesday, October 1, 2003, at 10 a.m., to consider a substitute to S. 1637, the "Jumpstart Our Business Strength (JOBS) Act of 2003."

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

COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN RELATIONS

Mr. MCCAIN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Foreign Relations be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Wednesday, October 1, 2003 at 2:30 p.m. to hold a hearing on Nominations.

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

COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

Mr. MCCAIN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Governmental Affairs be authorized to meet on Wednesday, October 1, 2003, at 9:30 a.m. for a hearing title "Deteriorating Buildings and Wasted Opportunities: The Need for Federal Property Reform."

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

COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY

Mr. MCCAIN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on the Judiciary be authorized to meet to conduct a hearing on Wednesday, October 1, 2003, at 10 a.m. in the Dirksen Senate Office Building room 226 on "The Nomination of Dora

L. Irizarry to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of New York."

Witness List

Panel I: The Honorable Charles E. Schumer, United States Senator, D-NY.

Panel II: Dora L. Irizarry to be United States District Judge, for the Eastern District of New York.

Panel III: Thomas Z. Hayward, Jr., Chair, Standing Committee on the Federal Judiciary, American Bar Association, Pat Hines, Former Chair, Standing Committee on the Federal Judiciary, American Bar Association.

Panel IV: James F. Castro-Blanco, Esq., Immediate Past President, Puerto Rican Bar Association, Shearman & Sterling, New York City, New York, The Honorable Lewis L. Douglass, Justice, New York State Supreme Court, Chair, Franklin H. Williams, Commission on Minorities, The Honorable Michael L. Pesce, Presiding Justice, Appellate Term, New York State Supreme Court.

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

PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR

Mrs. HUTCHISON. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that Kathryn Kolbe, a legislative fellow in my office, be granted the privilege of the floor during the consideration of the Defense supplemental bill.

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

Mr. COCHRAN. I ask unanimous consent that Bob Henke, Menda Fife, B.G. Wright, and Bill Simpson of the Appropriations Committee staff have full floor access during the consideration of S. 1689, making emergency supplemental appropriations for Iraq and Afghanistan security and reconstruction for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004.

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

Mr. STEVENS. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that Kathleen Pierce, a legislative fellow assigned to Senator INOUE's office, be afforded floor privileges during the consideration of S. 1689, the emergency supplemental bill.

ROBERTO CLEMENTE WALKER POST OFFICE BUILDING

Mr. SPECTER. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Governmental Affairs Committee be discharged from further consideration of H.R. 2826 and the Senate proceed to its immediate consideration.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered. The clerk will report the title of the bill.

The assistant legislative clerk read as follows:

A bill (H.R. 2826) to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1000 Avenida Sanchez Osorio in Carolina,

Puerto Rico, as the Roberto Clemente Walker Post Office Building.

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

Mr. SPECTER. I ask unanimous consent that the bill be read a third time and passed, the motion to reconsider be laid upon the table, and that any statements related to the bill be printed in the RECORD.

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

The bill (H.R. 2826) was read the third time and passed.

APPOINTMENT

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Chair announces, on behalf of the Majority Leader, pursuant to provisions of S. Res. 98, agreed to July 25, 1997, the appointment of the Senator from Idaho, Mr. CRAIG, to the Global Climate Change Observer Group.

ORDERS FOR THURSDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2003

Mr. SPECTER. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate completes its business today, it adjourn until 9:30 a.m. tomorrow. I ask further that following the prayer and the pledge, the morning hour be deemed expired and the Journal of proceedings be approved to date, the time for the two leaders be reserved for their use later in the day, and the Senate begin a period for morning business for up to 60 minutes, with the first 30 minutes under the control of Senator HUTCHISON or her designee and the second 30 minutes under the control of the minority leader or his designee; provided that upon the conclusion of morning business, the Senate resume consideration of S. 1689, the Iraq/Afghanistan supplemental appropriations bill, as provided under the previous order.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Is there objection?

Without objection, it is so ordered.

PROGRAM

Mr. SPECTER. For the information of all Senators, tomorrow following morning business the Senate will resume consideration of S. 1689. Under a previous agreement, there will then be 40 minutes for debate as previously stated. The majority leader has asked me to announce that rollcall votes can be expected throughout the day.

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL 9:30 A.M. TOMORROW

Mr. SPECTER. If there is no further business to come before the Senate, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate stand in adjournment under the previous order.

There being no objection, the Senate, at 6:53 p.m., adjourned until Thursday, October 2, 2003, at 9:30 a.m.