

EC-6635. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of D.C. Act 15-384, "Tobacco Product Manufacturer Reserve Fund Complementary Procedures Act of 2004"; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-6636. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of D.C. Act 15-383, "Health Services Planning and Development Amendment Act of 2004"; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-6637. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of D.C. Act 15-370, "Real Property Classification Clarification Act of 2004"; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-6638. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of D.C. Act 15-368, "Metropolitan Police Department Educational Requirement Clarification Temporary Amendment Act of 2004"; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-6639. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a D.C. Act 15-351, "December Use of the Cash Reserve Funds Temporary Act of 2004"; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-6640. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a D.C. Act 15-353, "District of Columbia Emancipation Day Parade and Fund Temporary Act of 2004"; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-6641. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a D.C. Act 15-352, "Real Property Disposition Economic Analysis Temporary Amendment Act of 2004"; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-6642. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a D.C. Act 15-350, "Owner-Occupant Residential Tax Credit and Exemption Act of 2004"; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-6643. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a D.C. Act 15-365, "Dedication and Designation of Streets and an Alley in Square 878, S.O. 95-251, Act of 2004"; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

EC-6644. A communication from the Deputy Director for Management, Office of Management and Budget, Executive Office of the President, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to agency IT security; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES RECEIVED DURING ADJOURNMENT

Under the authority of the order of the Senate on March 4, 2004, the following reports of committees were submitted on March 5, 2004:

By Mr. NICKLES, from the Committee on the Budget, without amendment:

S. Con. Res. 95. An original concurrent resolution setting for the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 2005 and including the appropriate budgetary levels for fiscal years 2006 through 2009.

EXECUTIVE REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following executive reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. LUGAR for the Committee on Foreign Relations.

*Glyn T. Davies, of the District of Columbia, a Career Member of the Senior Foreign Service, Class of Minister-Counselor, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as the Political Director for the United States Presidency of the G-8.

*Richard S. Williamson, of Illinois, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as Representative of the United States of America on the Human Rights Commission of the Economic and Social Council of the United Nations.

*Edward E. Kaufman, of Delaware, to be a Member of the Broadcasting Board of Governors for a term expiring August 13, 2006.

*Steven J. Simmons, of Connecticut, to be a Member of the Broadcasting Board of Governors for a term expiring August 13, 2006.

*Feliciano Foyo, of Florida, to be a Member of the Advisory Board for Cuba Broadcasting for a term expiring August 12, 2004.

*Robert Hurley McKinney, of Indiana, to be a Member of the Advisory Board for Cuba Broadcasting for a term expiring October 27, 2004.

*Sanford Gottesman, of Texas, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Overseas Private Investment Corporation for a term expiring December 17, 2005.

*Diane M. Ruebling, of California, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Overseas Private Investment Corporation for a term expiring December 17, 2005.

*C. William Swank, of Ohio, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Overseas Private Investment Corporation for a term expiring December 17, 2005.

*Nomination was reported with recommendation that it be confirmed subject to the nominee's commitment to respond to requests to appear and testify before any duly constituted committee of the Senate.

By Mr. LUGAR, from the Committee on Foreign Relations:

[Treaty Doc. 108-14 Taxation Convention with Japan (Exec. Rept. No. 108-9)]

Resolved (two-thirds of the Senators present concurring therein), That the Senate advise and consent to the ratification of the Convention between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of Japan for the Avoidance of Double Taxation and the Prevention of Fiscal Evasion with Respect to Taxes on Income, together with a Protocol and an Exchange of Notes, signed at Washington on November 6, 2003 (Treaty Doc. 108-14).

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills and joint resolutions were introduced, read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. CAMPBELL:

S. 2172. A bill to make technical amendments to the provisions of the Indian Self Determination and Education Assistance Act relating to contract support costs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

By Mr. CAMPBELL:

S. 2173. A bill to further the purposes of the Sand Creek Massacre National Historic Site Establishment Act of 2000; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. BUNNING (for himself and Ms. MIKULSKI):

S. 2174. A bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to include podiatrists as physicians for purposes of covering physicians services under the medicaid program; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. DODD (for himself, Mr. DEWINE, Mr. SMITH, and Mr. REID):

S. 2175. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to support the planning, implementation, and evaluation of organized activities involving statewide youth suicide early intervention and prevention strategies, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. BINGAMAN (for himself and Mr. ALEXANDER):

S. 2176. A bill to require the Secretary of Energy to carry out a program of research and development to advance high-end computing; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions and Senate resolutions were read, and referred (or acted upon), as indicated:

By Mr. FEINGOLD (for himself and Mr. KOHL):

S. Con. Res. 96. A concurrent resolution commemorating the 150th anniversary of the first meeting of the Republican Party in Ripon, Wisconsin; considered and agreed to.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 333

At the request of Mr. BREAU, the name of the Senator from Rhode Island (Mr. REED) was added as a cosponsor of S. 333, a bill to promote elder justice, and for other purposes.

S. 349

At the request of Mrs. FEINSTEIN, the name of the Senator from Indiana (Mr. BAYH) was added as a cosponsor of S. 349, a bill to amend title II of the Social Security Act to repeal the Government pension offset and windfall elimination provisions.

S. 427

At the request of Mr. AKAKA, the name of the Senator from New York (Mrs. CLINTON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 427, a bill to amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to assist States and communities in preparing for and responding to threats to the agriculture of the United States.

S. 430

At the request of Mr. AKAKA, the name of the Senator from New York (Mrs. CLINTON) was added as a cosponsor of S. 430, a bill to amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to enhance agricultural biosecurity in the United States through increased prevention, preparation, and response planning.

S. 606

At the request of Mr. GREGG, the names of the Senator from Alaska (Ms. MURKOWSKI) and the Senator from Rhode Island (Mr. REED) were added as cosponsors of S. 606, a bill to provide collective bargaining rights for public safety officers employed by States or their political subdivisions.