

Hook, Linda Caddy, Amanda Colby, Thomas Cooper, Shawn Everson, Carland Gaustad, Travis Gjering, Bruse Hafften, Lou Ann Hanson, Debra Hecker, Annerre Hegler, Jeffrey Henry, Dennis Hughes, Crystal Ivanish, Paul Jacobs, Daniel Kne, Sheree Koehler, Joanne Leavens, Kimberly MacDonald, Thomas Malerich, Jennifer Mayer, Cheryl McMahan, Lee McNiesh, Daniel Monroe, Benjamin Munsch, Katherine Nagel, James Noll, Kathleen Norquist, Kristin Pariseau, Greg Patchin, Susan Peterson, Arwen Peopard, William Porter, Rosalie Quale, Philip Raaen, Katie Siebert, James Stromber, William Sullivan, Philip Sundblad, Matthew Thelander, Lawrence Underkoffler, Cynthia Walker, Mary Windsor, Heidi Wollschlager.

Forest Lake Area Learning Center—Deborah Anderson, Laura Anton, Ronald Burris, James Caldwell, Eugenia Cerghizan, Shawn Dylla, Richard Elliot, Heidi Errickson-Grahek, Mary Pat Flandrick, Amy France, Theresa Gieschen, Loren Lynch, George Malone, Michael Meier, Brian Roy, Britt Schachtele, Lisa Sodren, Seth Webster, Allison Whittlef.

Columbus Elementary—Christine Brewster, Nancy Bulinski, Steven Carr, Jodie Classen, Kathleen Damon, Sharon Deraad, Terry Burei, James Focht, Kathleen Gross, Danna Grundei, Robert Holewa, Mary Johnson, Alison Linderman, Paulette Miller, Jill Nuebel, Heidi Sapa, Cynthia Solberg, Claudia Stepnick, Frederic Tatting, Kathleen Vail, Mary Vangen, Kimberly Webb, Daniel Winkelman, Barbara Zawadski, and Lois Zemke.

Forest Lake Elementary—Krista Armitage, Donna Benson, Carol Carlson, Daniel Cavanaugh, Christine Davis, Gary Downing, Kelly Duncan, Dianna Heineman, Georgia Heisserer, Mary Holland, Diane Iverson, Michael Jensen, Katherine Jurasin, Clare Kazmierczak, Mary Kryzer, Carol Luschke, Cheri Larson, Julie Larson, Janice Lee, Catherine Massey, Jeanette Maxfield, Jan Mrozinski, Mary Pooch, David Seaburg, Sandra Severson, Joy Sietsema, Nancy Smiley, Mark Smith, Diane Talbot, Michelle Zimmer.

Forest View Elementary—Bruce Abbe, Paul Alexander, Leslie Bergerson, Arlene Bevin, Terry Burk, Margaret Cosary, Laurie Ehlers, Brenda Ely, Linda Foster, Jennifer Franklin, Susan Hansen, Sara Heckel, Kale Henry, Patricia Hoglund, Karl Holle, Amy Huset, Malcom Johnson, Michelle Johnson, Christopher Kotys, Kelly Lessman, Michelle Lewis, Julie Myles, Carol Nygaard, Julie Ohman, Jill Genaw-Olson, Kimberly Rogers, Linda Rygh, Patricia Sargent, David Sauer, Darci Sauvageau, Donna Sobiech, Ryan Soukup, Barbara Teawalt, Cynthia Turry, Amy VanBergen, Marlene Wolinski.

Lino Lakes Elementary—Wendy Amon, Kristin Buckner, Jennifer Currier, Constance Durei, Mary Fortner, Lynn Furnstahl, Diane Giorgi, Amy Greenfield, Katherine Hansen, Mary Beth Higgins, Jeffrey Johnson, Kelly Johnson, Nichole Laven, Renee Loberg, Barbara Lundborg, Brittany Lynch, George Martin, Donna Newell, Bonita Peck, Kristina Quan, Jill Schmidt, Pamela Soukkala, Rosemary Valentine, Barbara Voedisch, Darla Wright.

Linwood Elementary—Christine Amsler, Connie Atchison, Sandra Burton, Mary Seidel-Cox, Cynthia Cunningham, Shelley Guptil, Lisa Guzy, Agnes Hall, Beth Hartway, Diane Hipkins, Christine Hudspeth, Gae Jarvis, Michael Knox, Jami Larson, Judith Marleau, Elizabeth Miller, Susan Montgomery, Susan Mullen, Kimberly Nowicki, Monica O'Rourke, Deanna Pesek, Erin Peterson, Heather Peterson, Janice Schwister, Cynthia Prestegaard, Karen Ralidak, Kathryn Robinson, Kathryn Schwister, Ann Severson, Sandra Ternti, and Scott Urness.

Scandia Elementary—Diane Anderson, Joan Arnholt, Laurie Bauer, Kathleen Beach, Barbara Carlson, Jean Clausen, Holly Engvall, Kathleen Garry, Sandra Holcomb, Jan Hughes, Jenna Joelson, Frances Klausen, Cynthia Kramer, Gregory Krentz, Marilyn Larson, Rebecca Magnuson, Jacqueline McMahon, Molly Nemece, Joyce Partyka, Maureen Schwab, Geraldine Seaburg, John Severson, Ellen St. Sauver, Jeremy Swensen, Sandra Valleen, Marlene Wirth, Carol Young, Emily Ziemer.

Wyoming Elementary—Marsha Baer, Michele Bahnmler, Cheryl Binder, Terri Buerkle, Gail Chalbi, Richard Clayton, Daniel Cremsino, Mary DeFord, Mary Ellen Dellwo, Diane Dummer, Kathleen Edwards, Carol Geiger, Connie Glowacki, Mary Gookins, Joan Harms, Jill Johnson, John Kay Kery Kruger, James Lundborg, Mary Malrick, Lisa Mansell, Kristin Maser, Debra Matheson, Kathleen Mcmorrow, Penny O'Brien, Christine Pietsch, Carrie Pulczynski, Rochelle Quillen, Crystal Rademacher, Diane Reyzlaff, Karen Richards, Cheryl Runquist, Kelly Schuder, Julie Sorensen, Andrew Stoyke, Pamela Thomas, Diana Urness, Jacqueline Wright, Kathleen Wright.

Central Montessori—Laurie Chelgren, Gina Eberspacher, Tara Hahn Christine Hebert, Sandra Learned, Sylvia Nelson, Vicki Peopard, Joyce Reed, Christina Sparby, Mary Tenjack.

Forest Lake School District—Joy Ballou-Jantzen, Joseph Bauer, Elizabeth Benschopf, Lisa Berg, Jame Bona, Kathleen Briguet, Heidi Christian, Lori Dahlquist, Charles Dodson, Tammy Dunrun, Berni Ester, Diane Fairchild, Edward Gibson, Mary Guler, Lisa Houska, Kelli Kaettherhenry, Alexandra Kaslow-Briggs, Loretta Monson, Charles Moses, Heide Muhs, Alissa Nelson, Gayla Peterson, Rachel Peterson, Wendy Pickar, Cynthia Saarela, Priscilla Scherman, Lynn Schwiebert, Nicole Shabelski, Jill Somrock, Donald Spears, Kathryn Stading, Joel-Lynn Tinklenberg, Jennifer Tolzmann, and Callie Tresco.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

At 10:02 a.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Ms. Niland, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House agreed to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 1533) to amend the securities laws to permit church plans to be invested in collective trash trusts.

The message also announced that the House agreed to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 2608) to reauthorize the National Earthquake Hazards Reduction Program, and for other purposes.

The message further announced that the House agreed to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 2714) to reauthorize the State Justice Institute.

The message also announced that the House agreed to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 4175) to increase, effective as of December 1, 2004, the rates of disability compensation for veterans with service-connected disabilities and the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation for survivors of certain-connected disabled veterans, and for other purposes.

The message further announced that the House passed the following bills, without amendment:

S. 524. An act to expand the boundaries of the Fort Donelson National Battlefield to authorize the acquisition and interpretation of lands associated with the campaign that resulted in the capture of the fort in 1862, and for other purposes.

S. 1368. An act to authorize the President to award a gold medal on behalf of the Congress to Reverend Doctor Martin Luther King, Jr. (posthumously) and his widow Coretta Scott King in recognition of their contributions to the Nation on behalf of the civil rights movement.

S. 2195. An act to amend the Controlled Substances Act to clarify the definition of anabolic steroids and to provide for research and education activities relative to steroids and steroid precursors.

S. 2864. An act to extend for eighteen months the period for which chapter 12 of title 11, United States Code, is reenacted.

S. 2883. An act to authorize the Gateway Arch in St. Louis, Missouri, to be illuminated by pink lights in honor of breast cancer awareness month.

S. 2896. An act to modify and extend certain privatization requirements of the Communications Satellite Act of 1962.

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

H.R. 2760. An act to limit United States assistance for Ethiopia and Eritrea if those countries are not in compliance with the terms and conditions of agreements entered into by the two countries to end hostilities and provide for a demarcation of the border between the two countries, and for other purposes.

H.R. 4917. An act to amend title 5, United States Code, to authorize appropriations for the Administrative Conference of the United States for fiscal years 2005, 2006, and 2007, and for other purposes.

H.R. 5245. An act to extend the liability indemnification regime for the commercial space transportation industry.

H.R. 5294. An act to amend the John F. Kennedy Center Act to reauthorize appropriations for the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts, and for other purposes.

H.R. 5295. An act to amend part III of title 5, United States Code, to provide for the establishment of programs under which supplemental dental and vision benefits are made available to Federal employees, retirees, and their dependents, to expand the contracting authority of the Office of Personnel Management, and for other purposes.

The message further announced that the House passed the bill (S. 2292) to require a report on acts of anti-Semitism around the world, with amendments.

The message also announced that the House disagrees to the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 1350) to reauthorize the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, and for other purposes, requests a conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon and appoints the following members as the managers of the conference on the part of the House:

From the Committee on Education and the Workforce, for consideration of the house bill and the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: MESSRS. BOEHNER, CASTLE, EHLERS, KELLER, WILSON of South Carolina, GEORGE MILLER of California, Ms. WOOLSEY, and Mr. OWENS.

From the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for consideration of section

101 and title V of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. BARTON of Texas, BILIRAKIS, and DINGELL.

From the Committee on the Judiciary, for consideration of section 205 of the House bill, and section 101 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. SEN-SENBRENNER, SMITH of Texas, and CONYERS.

The message further announced that the House has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 1047) to amend the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States to modify temporarily certain rates of duty, to make other technical amendments to the trade laws, and for other purposes.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

The message also announced that Speaker has signed the following enrolled bills:

S. 1791. An act to amend the Lease Lot Conveyance Act of 2002 to provide that the amounts received by the United States under that Act shall be deposited in the reclamation fund, and for other purposes.

S. 2178. An act to make technical corrections to laws relating to certain units of the National Park System and to the National Park programs.

S. 2511. An act to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a feasibility study of a Chimayo water supply system, to provide for the planning, design, and construction of a water supply, reclamation, and filtration facility for Espanola, New Mexico, and for other purposes.

The enrolled bills were signed subsequently by the President pro tempore (Mr. STEVENS).

At 3:14 p.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Ms. Niland, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House has agreed to the following concurrent resolutions, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. Con. Res. 514. Concurrent resolution directing the Clerk of the House of Representatives to make a technical correction in the enrollment of the bill H.R. 4200.

H. Con. Res. 518. Concurrent resolution providing for a conditional adjournment of the House of Representatives and a conditional recess or adjournment of the Senate.

The message also announced that the House has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 4200) to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2005 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe personnel strengths for such fiscal year for the Armed Forces, and for other purposes.

The message further announced that the House has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on

the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 4567) making appropriations, for the Department of Homeland Security for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2005, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that the House has agreed to the report of the committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 4837) making appropriations, family housing, and base realignment and closure for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2005, and for other purposes.

At 3:46 p.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Mr. Hays, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House has agreed to the following concurrent resolution, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. Con. Res. 519. Concurrent resolution correcting the enrollment of H.R. 5107.

MEASURES PLACED ON THE CALENDAR

The following bill was read the second time, and placed on the calendar:

S. 2949. A bill to amend the Low-income Home Energy Assistance Act of 1981 to reauthorize the Act, and for other purposes.

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. SCHUMER:

S. 2969. A bill entitled the "Fair Gift Card Act"; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Ms. SNOWE:

S. 2970. A bill to redesignate the project for navigation, Saco River, Maine, as an anchorage area; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Ms. CANTWELL:

S. 2971. A bill to permanently increase the maximum annual contribution allowed to be made to Coverdell education savings accounts; to the Committee on Finance.

By Ms. CANTWELL:

S. 2972. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to permanently increase the maximum annual contribution allowed to be made to Coverdell education savings accounts, and to provide for a deduction for contributions to education savings accounts; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. CORZINE (for himself, Mrs. BOXER, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. LAUTENBERG, and Mr. LEAHY):

S. 2973. A bill to clarify the applicability of State law to national banks, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. HARKIN (for himself and Mrs. LINCOLN):

S. Res. 454. A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate that the 108th Congress

should provide the necessary funds to make disaster assistance available for all customarily eligible agricultural producers as emergency spending and not funded by butts to the farm bill; considered and agreed to.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 1700

At the request of Mr. LEAHY, the names of the Senator from Michigan (Mr. LEVIN) and the Senator from Iowa (Mr. HARKIN) were added as cosponsors of S. 1700, a bill to eliminate the substantial backlog of DNA samples collected from crime scenes and convicted offenders, to improve and expand the DNA testing capacity of Federal, State, and local crime laboratories, to increase research and development of new DNA testing technologies, to develop new training programs regarding the collection and use of DNA evidence, to provide post-conviction testing of DNA evidence to exonerate the innocent, to improve the performance of counsel in State capital cases, and for other purposes.

S. 2338

At the request of Mrs. HUTCHISON, her name was added as a cosponsor of S. 2338, a bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for arthritis research and public health, and for other purposes.

S. 2395

At the request of Mr. CONRAD, the names of the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. DODD) and the Senator from South Dakota (Mr. DASCHLE) were added as cosponsors of S. 2395, a bill to require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint coins in commemoration of the centenary of the bestowal of the Nobel Peace Prize on President Theodore Roosevelt, and for other purposes.

S. 2571

At the request of Mr. JOHNSON, his name was added as a cosponsor of S. 2571, a bill to clarify the loan guarantee authority under title VI of the Native American Housing Assistance and Self-Determination Act of 1996.

STATEMENTS ON INTRODUCED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Mr. SCHUMER:

S. 2969. A bill entitled the "Fair Gift Card Act", to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

Mr. SCHUMER. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the text of the bill be printed in the RECORD.

There being no objection, the bill was ordered to be printed in the RECORD, as follows:

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 "Fair Gift Card Act".

SEC. 2. DEFINITIONS.

In this Act:

(1) GIFT CERTIFICATE, STORE GIFT CARD, OTHER PREPAID CARDS.—The terms "gift certificate", "store gift card", and "general-use prepaid card" have the following meanings: