

H.R. 748. An act to amend title 18, United States Code, to prevent the transportation of minors in circumvention of certain laws relating to abortion, and for other purposes.

#### MEASURES READ THE FIRST TIME

The following bills were read the first time:

S. 1374. A bill to amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to provide for a border preparedness pilot program on Indian land.

S. 1375. A bill to amend the Indian Arts and Crafts Act of 1990 to modify provisions relating to criminal proceedings and civil actions, and for other purposes.

#### EXECUTIVE AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were laid before the Senate, together with accompanying papers, reports, and documents, and were referred as indicated:

EC-2853. A communication from the Assistant Secretary of Legislative Affairs, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "Fiscal Year 2006 Funding for Department of Homeland Security Counternarcotics Activities"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-2854. A communication from the Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, two semiannual reports which were prepared separately by both the Treasury Department's Office of Inspector General and Inspector General for Tax Administration for the period ended March 31, 2005; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-2855. A communication from the Chairman, Broadcasting Board of Governors, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Semiannual Report of the Office of the Inspector General for the period of October 1, 2004 through March 31, 2005; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-2856. A communication from the Federal Co-Chair, Appalachian Regional Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the semiannual report of the Office of Inspector General for the period September 30, 2004, through March 31, 2005; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-2857. A communication from the Acting Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "Physicians' Comparability Allowance Program Fiscal Year 2005"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-2858. A communication from the Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Farm Credit Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Inspector General's Semiannual Report and the Semiannual Management Report on the Status of Audits for the period of October 1, 2004 through March 31, 2005; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-2859. A communication from the Secretary of the Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Department's Inspector General Report for the period October 1, 2004 through March 31, 2005; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-2860. A communication from the Secretary of the Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Department's Fiscal Year 2006 Annual Performance Plan; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-2861. A communication from the Deputy Director of Communications and Legis-

lative Affairs, Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Commission's Annual Report on the Federal Work Force for Fiscal Year 2004; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2862. A communication from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Fiscal Year 2004 Prescription Drug User Fee Act Financial Report; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2863. A communication from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Dental Devices; Reclassification of Tricalcium Phosphate Granules and Classification of Other Bone Grafting Material for Dental Bone Repair" (Docket No. 2002P-0520) received on June 23, 2005; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2864. A communication from the Regulations Coordinator, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Federal Policy for the Protection of Human Subjects" received on June 22, 2005; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2865. A communication from the Director, Division of Policy, Planning and Program Development, Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs, Department of Labor, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Affirmative Action and Nondiscrimination Obligations of Contractors and Subcontractors; Compliance Evaluations in ALL OFCCP Programs" (RIN 1215-AB28, 1215-AB27, 1215-AB23) received on June 23, 2005; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2866. A communication from the Political Personnel and Advisory Communication Management Specialist, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, reports relative to a vacancy in the position of Assistant Secretary for Public Health and Science, received on June 23, 2005; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2867. A communication from the Political Personnel and Advisory Communication Management Specialist, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, reports relative to a vacancy in the position of Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation, received on June 23, 2005; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2868. A communication from the Political Personnel and Advisory Communication Management Specialist, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to a vacancy in the position of Secretary of Health and Human Services, received on June 23, 2005; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2869. A communication from the Political Personnel and Advisory Communication Management Specialist, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to a vacancy in the position of Commissioner, Food and Drug Administration, received on June 23, 2005; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2870. A communication from the Political Personnel and Advisory Communication Management Specialist, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to a vacancy in the position of Administrator, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, received on June 23, 2005; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2871. A communication from the Political Personnel and Advisory Communication

Management Specialist, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to a vacancy in the position of Deputy Secretary of Health and Human Services, received on June 23, 2005; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2872. A communication from the Political Personnel and Advisory Communication Management Specialist, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to a vacancy in the position of Director, Indian Health Service, received on June 23, 2005; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-2873. A communication from the Assistant Secretary of the Army (Civil Works), Department of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to a study to determine the feasibility of constructing a project for flood damage reduction in Southwest Valley, Bernalillo County, New Mexico; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-2874. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; State of Colorado; State Implementation Plan Correction" (FRL No. 7931-7) received on June 28, 2005; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-2875. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Minnesota" (FRL No. 7931-2) received on June 28, 2005; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-2876. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Spokane PM10 Non-attainment Area Limited Maintenance Plan and Redesignation Request" (FRL No. 7927-2) received on June 28, 2005; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-2877. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Correction to the California State Implementation Plan, South Coast Air Quality Management District" (FRL No. 7932-3) received on June 28, 2005; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-2878. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Deletion of Methyl Ethyl Ketone; Toxic Chemical Release Reporting; Community Right-to-Know" (FRL No. 7532-5) received on June 28, 2005; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-2879. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants: Miscellaneous Organic Chemical Manufacturing" (FRL No. 7932-2) received on June 28, 2005; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-2880. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Office of Policy, Economics, and Innovation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled