

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 63

At the request of Mrs. KASSEBAUM, the names of the Senator from Missouri [Mr. BOND], the Senator from Texas [Mr. GRAMM], the Senator from New Mexico [Mr. DOMENICI], and the Senator from Texas [Mrs. HUTCHISON] were added as cosponsors of Senate Concurrent Resolution 63, a concurrent resolution to express the sense of Congress that the Secretary of Agriculture should dispose of all remaining commodities in the disaster reserve maintained under the Agricultural Act of 1970 to relieve the distress of livestock producers whose ability to maintain livestock is adversely affected by the prolonged drought conditions existing in certain areas of the United States, and for other purposes.

SENATE RESOLUTION 243

At the request of Mr. ROBB, the name of the Senator from Mississippi [Mr. LOTT] was added as a cosponsor of Senate Resolution 243, a resolution to designate the week of May 5, 1996, as "National Correctional Officers and Employees Week."

SENATE RESOLUTION 257—RELATIVE TO THE RACE FOR THE CURE DAY

Mr. FORD (for himself, Mr. BAUCUS, Mr. BIDEN, Mr. BINGAMAN, Mrs. BOXER, Mr. BRADLEY, Mr. BRYAN, Mr. BUMPERS, Mr. COATS, Mr. COHEN, Mr. CRAIG, Mr. DASCHLE, Mr. DEWINE, Mr. DODD, Mr. DOMENICI, Mr. EXON, Mr. FRIST, Mr. GRAMS, Mr. GRASSLEY, Mr. HEFLIN, Mr. HELMS, Mr. HOLLINGS, Mr. INHOFE, Mr. INOUE, Mrs. KASSEBAUM, Mr. KEMPTHORNE, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Mr. LEAHY, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. LUGAR, Mr. MACK, Mr. MCCONNELL, Mr. MURKOWSKI, Mrs. MURRY, Mr. NUNN, Mr. PRESSLER, Mr. PRYOR, Mr. REID, Mr. ROBB, Mr. SARBANES, Mr. SIMON, Mr. SMITH, Mr. SPECTER, Mr. THOMAS, Mr. THURMOND, Mr. WARNER, Mr. WELLSTONE, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. KERRY, Mr. GRAMM, Mrs. HUTCHISON, Ms. SNOWE, Mr. AKAKA, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, and Mr. LIEBERMAN) submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary:

S. RES. 257

Whereas breast cancer strikes an estimated 184,000 women and 1,000 men in the United States annually;

Whereas breast cancer will kill 44,300 women in the United States alone this year;

Whereas breast cancer is the leading cause of death for women between the ages of 35 and 54;

Whereas death rates resulting from breast cancer could be substantially decreased if women were informed about the risks of contracting the cancer and if they received mammograms on a regular basis;

Whereas the Race of the Cure is dedicated to eradicating breast cancer through providing funding for research, education, treatment, and screenings for low-income women;

Whereas throughout the year, almost 340,000 participants in 65 cities across the United States (including the first-time host cities of Los Angeles, Las Vegas, Cheyenne, Sacramento, Battle Creek, Baton Rouge, and Louisville) will join together in Races for

the Cure to demonstrate their commitment to fighting breast cancer;

Whereas the National Race for the Cure in Washington, D.C., is the largest 5 kilometer race in the country, with 35,000 walkers, runners, and in-line skaters expected to participate this year; and

Whereas the Seventh National Race for the Cure is to be held on Saturday, June 15, 1996, in Washington, D.C.: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate designates Saturday, June 15, 1996, as "National Race for the Cure Day". The President is authorized and requested to issue a proclamation calling upon the people of the United States to observe the day with appropriate programs and activities.

NOTICES OF HEARINGS

SUBCOMMITTEE ON INVESTIGATIONS

Mr. STEVENS. Mr. President, I would like to announce for the information of the Senate and the public that the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations of the Committee on Governmental Affairs, will hold hearings regarding security in cyberspace.

This hearing will take place on Wednesday, June 5, 1996, in room 342 of the Dirksen Senate Office Building. For further information, please contact Daniel S. Gelber of the subcommittee staff at 224-9157.

COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES

Mr. MURKOWSKI. Mr. President, I would like to announce that a full committee hearing has been scheduled before the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

The hearing will take place Tuesday, June 11, 1996, at 9:30 a.m. in room SD-366 of the Dirksen Senate Office Building in Washington, DC.

The purpose of this hearing is to receive testimony on S. 1010, a bill to amend the unit of general local government definition for Federal payments in lieu of taxes to include unorganized boroughs in Alaska, and for other purposes, S. 1807, a bill to amend the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act, regarding the Kake Tribal Corp. public interest land exchange, and S. 1187, a bill to convey certain real property located in the Tongass National Forest to Daniel J. Gross, Sr., and Douglas K. Gross, and for other purposes.

Those who wish to testify or to submit written testimony should write to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, U.S. Senate, Washington, DC 20510. Presentation of oral testimony is by committee invitation. For further information, please contact Jo Meuse or Brian Malnak.

AUTHORITY FOR COMMITTEES TO MEET

COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS

Mr. KYL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the full Committee on Environment and Public Works be granted permission to conduct a hearing on Tuesday, June 4, at 9:30 a.m., hearing room (SD-406) on S. 1730, the

Oil Spill Prevention and Response Improvement Act.

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

COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN RELATIONS

Mr. KYL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Foreign Relations be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Tuesday, June 4, 1996, at 10 a.m. to hold a hearing.

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

COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY

Mr. KYL. I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on the Judiciary be authorized to meet for a hearing on S. 1237, the Child Pornography Prevention Act of 1995, during the session of the Senate on Tuesday, June 4, 1996, at 10 a.m.

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

SUBCOMMITTEE ON INTERNATIONAL TRADE

Mr. KYL. Mr. President, the Finance Committee requests unanimous consent for the Subcommittee on International Trade to hold a hearing on the permanent extension of most-favored-nation [MFN] trade status to Romania on Tuesday, June 4, 1996, beginning at 2 p.m. in room SD-215.

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

ADDITIONAL STATEMENTS

A WEEKEND WITHOUT WAR OVER THE ABORTION ISSUE

• Mr. SIMON. Mr. President, the New York Times carried a story the other day about people in Wisconsin from the pro-life and pro-choice side of the abortion issues, to use the names each side uses, meeting together to talk about what can be done in a constructive way on the issue of abortion.

About 100 people met at this meeting. I commend them for doing it.

This is a meeting that I or some other Member of the Senate should have called a long time ago.

I remember when Cardinal Bernardin, the Roman Catholic prelate in the Chicago area, said that people of sincerity on both sides ought to be meeting and trying to work together on a common agenda.

For example, we know that girls and boys who drop out of high school are much more likely to be involved in teenage pregnancies. And a high percentage of those end in abortions.

If we have programs to encourage people to stay in high school, we are going to have fewer abortions.

That may not be as emotionally satisfying as carrying a picket sign or haranguing someone, but it does infinitely more constructive good and it is something that both sides could agree upon.

I applaud the leaders, Mary Jacksteit and Sister Adrienne Kaufmann, for what they are doing.