James Zadroga 9/11 Health and Compensation Act—Agreement: Senate began consideration of the motion to proceed to consideration of H.R. 847, to amend the Public Health Service Act to extend and improve protections and services to individuals directly impacted by the terrorist attack in New York City on September 11, 2001. Page S8552

A motion was entered to close further debate on the motion to proceed to consideration of the bill, and, in accordance with the provisions of Rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate, a vote on cloture will occur upon disposition of S. 3992, Development, Relief, and Education for Alien Minors Act. Page S8552

Porteous Impeachment—Agreement: A unanimous-consent-time agreement was reached providing that Senate resume consideration of the articles of impeachment against Judge G. Thomas Porteous, Jr. of the Eastern District of Louisiana, at 10 a.m., on Tuesday, December 7, 2010, for the commencement of arguments by the House Managers and counsel for Judge Porteous on motions filed by Judge Porteous with regard to the impeachment articles and that the Secretary be instructed to so notify the House of Representatives; provided further, that each side be permitted no more than one hour for arguments on all motions, that counsel for Judge Porteous be permitted to open and close the motions argument, and that the parties be permitted to divide their argument on the motions as they wish; provided further, that then, after recessing for the weekly party caucuses, Senate reconvene on the articles of impeachment at 2:30 p.m., on Tuesday, December 7, 2010, for the parties' final arguments on the merits of the articles; and that the parties each have an hour and a half to present argument on all four articles, which under the impeachment rules, will be opened and closed by the House Managers, with no more than

two individuals speaking for each side; provided further, that at the conclusion of the three hours allotted for the final arguments, Senate shall immediately meet in closed session to begin its deliberations on the articles of impeachment and the related motions in accord with impeachment Rule XX.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Daniel M. Ashe, of Maryland, to be Director of the United States Fish and Wildlife Service.

Maurice B. Foley, of Maryland, to be a Judge of the United States Tax Court for a term of fifteen years.

Kelvin K. Droegemeier, of Oklahoma, to be a Member of the National Science Board, National Science Foundation for a term expiring May 10, 2016. Page S8558

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Adjournment: Senate convened at 2 p.m. and adjourned at 5:51 p.m., until 10 a.m. on Tuesday, December 7, 2010. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page \$8558.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

No committee meetings were held.