

EC-3438. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Dithofencarb; Pesticide Tolerances" (FRL No. 9934-05) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on October 29, 2015; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-3439. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Metaflumizone; Pesticide Tolerances" (FRL No. 9934-88) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on October 29, 2015; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-3440. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Nicosulfuron; Pesticide Tolerances" (FRL No. 9912-40) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on October 29, 2015; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-3441. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Rimsulfuron; Pesticide Tolerances" (FRL No. 9912-31) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on October 29, 2015; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-3442. A communication from the Acting Congressional Review Coordinator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "User Fees for Agricultural Quarantine and Inspection Services" ((RIN)0579-AD77) (Docket No. APHIS-2013-0021) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on October 29, 2015; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-3443. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on the continuation of the national emergency with respect to persons who commit, threaten to commit, or support terrorism that was established in Executive Order 13224 on September 23, 2001; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-3444. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Export Administration, Bureau of Industry and Security, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendments to Existing Validated End-User Authorizations in the People's Republic of China" (RIN)0694-AG69 received in the Office of the President of the Senate on October 29, 2015; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-3445. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Air Plan Approval; North Carolina; Conflict of Interest Infrastructure Requirements" (FRL No. 9936-35-Region 4) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on October 29, 2015; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-3446. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Air Plan Approval; WY; Update to Materials Incorporated by Reference" (FRL No. 9932-61-Region 8) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on October 29, 2015; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-3447. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division,

Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Connecticut; Volatile Organic Compound Emissions from Large Aboveground Storage Tanks" (FRL No. 9933-89-Region 1) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on October 29, 2015; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-3448. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Oklahoma" (FRL No. 9936-37-Region 6) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on October 29, 2015; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-3449. A communication from the Director of the Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval of Air Quality State Implementation Plans (SIP); State of Iowa; Infrastructure SIP Requirements for the 2008 Lead National Ambient Air Quality Standard (NAAQS)." (FRL No. 9936-33-Region 7) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on October 29, 2015; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-3450. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Legislation, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to imported foods for fiscal year 2014; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-3451. A communication from the Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks, National Park Service, Department of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Disposition of Unclaimed Human Remains, Funerary Objects, Sacred Objects, or Objects of Cultural Patrimony" (RIN)1024-AE00 received in the Office of the President of the Senate on October 29, 2015; to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

EC-3452. A communication from the Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legislative Affairs, Department of Justice, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "Uniformed Services Employment and Reemployment Rights Act of 1994 (USERRA) Quarterly Report to Congress; Fourth Quarter of Fiscal Year 2015"; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

EC-3453. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Bombardier, Inc. Airplanes" ((RIN)2120-AA64) (Docket No. FAA-2015-0494) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on October 28, 2015; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-3454. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; The Boeing Company Airplanes" ((RIN)2120-AA64) (Docket No. FAA-2014-0929) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on October 28, 2015; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-3455. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; The Boeing Company Airplanes" ((RIN)2120-AA64) (Docket No. FAA-2014-0773) received in the Office of the Presi-

dent of the Senate on October 28, 2015; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-3456. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; PILATUS AIRCRAFT LTD. Airplanes" ((RIN)2120-AA64) (Docket No. FAA-2015-2775) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on October 28, 2015; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-3457. A communication from the Management and Program Specialist, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Airbus Helicopters Deutschland GmbH (formerly Eurocopter Deutschland GmbH) (Airbus Helicopters) Helicopters" ((RIN)2120-AA64) (Docket No. FAA-2014-0034) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on October 28, 2015; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-3458. A communication from the Management and Program Specialist, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; Piaggio Aero Industries S.p.A. Airplanes" ((RIN)2120-AA64) (Docket No. FAA-2015-2466) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on October 28, 2015; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-3459. A communication from the Paralegal Specialist, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Airworthiness Directives; M7 Aerospace LLC Airplanes" ((RIN)2120-AA64) (Docket No. FAA-2015-2207) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on October 28, 2015; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-3460. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendment of Class C Airspace; Portland International Airport, OR" ((RIN)2120-AA66) (Docket No. FAA-2015-2905) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on October 28, 2015; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-3461. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendment of Class E Airspace; Mackall AAF, NC" ((RIN)2120-AA66) (Docket No. FAA-2015-3057) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on October 28, 2015; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-3462. A communication from the Management and Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Amendment of Class E Airspace; Poplarville-Pearl River County Airport, MS" ((RIN)2120-AA66) (Docket No. FAA-2012-1210) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on October 28, 2015; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

#### 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. BLUNT (for himself, Mr. WARNER, Mr. BURR, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. COTTON, Mr. RISCH, Ms. MIKULSKI, Mr. KING, Mr. RUBIO, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. LANKFORD, Mr. HEINRICH, Ms. HIRONO, and Mr. COATS):

S. 2234. A bill to award the Congressional Gold Medal, collectively, to the members of the Office of Strategic Services (OSS) in recognition of their superior service and major contributions during World War II; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. MARKEY (for himself, Mrs. MCCASKILL, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. LEAHY, Ms. WARREN, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. FRANKEN, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, and Ms. BALDWIN):

S. 2235. A bill to repeal debt collection amendments made by the Bipartisan Budget Act of 2015; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. CRAPO:

S. 2236. A bill to provide that silencers be treated the same as long guns; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. SANDERS:

S. 2237. A bill to limit the application of Federal laws to the distribution and consumption of marihuana, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. MERKLEY (for himself, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. SANDERS, Mrs. BOXER, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Mr. LEAHY, and Ms. WARREN):

S. 2238. A bill to prohibit drilling in the outer Continental Shelf, to prohibit coal leases on Federal land, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. UDALL (for himself, Mr. LEE, and Mr. MURPHY):

S. 2239. A bill to restrict funds related to escalating United States military involvement in Syria; to the Select Committee on Intelligence.

By Mr. BARRASSO (for himself, Mr. ENZI, Mr. RISCH, and Mr. CRAPO):

S. 2240. A bill to improve the control and management of invasive species that threaten and harm Federal land under the jurisdiction of the Secretary of Agriculture and the Secretary of the Interior, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mrs. SHAHEEN:

S. 2241. A bill to combat the heroin epidemic and drug sample backlogs; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

#### SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. BLUNT (for himself, Mrs. MCCASKILL, Mr. ROBERTS, and Mr. MORAN):

S. Res. 305. A resolution commending and congratulating the Kansas City Royals on their 2015 World Series victory; considered and agreed to.

By Mrs. MURRAY (for herself, Ms. CANTWELL, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. SCOTT, Mr. BOOKER, Ms. AYOTTE, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. BLUMENTHAL, Mr. BROWN, Mr. COONS, Mr. DONNELLY, Mr. FRANKEN, Mr. KAINE, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Ms. MIKULSKI, Mr. PETERS, Mrs. SHAHEEN, and Mr. REED):

S. Res. 306. A resolution designating the week beginning November 2, 2015, as "National Apprenticeship Week"; considered and agreed to.

#### ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 637

At the request of Mr. CRAPO, the names of the Senator from Maryland (Mr. CARDIN) and the Senator from Virginia (Mr. WARNER) were added as cosponsors of S. 637, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend and modify the railroad track maintenance credit.

S. 681

At the request of Mrs. GILLIBRAND, the name of the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. MARKEY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 681, a bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to clarify presumptions relating to the exposure of certain veterans who served in the vicinity of the Republic of Vietnam, and for other purposes.

S. 885

At the request of Ms. WARREN, the name of the Senator from Michigan (Ms. STABENOW) was added as a cosponsor of S. 885, a bill to direct the Architect of the Capitol to place in the United States Capitol a chair honoring American Prisoners of War/Missing in Action.

S. 1491

At the request of Mr. BROWN, the name of the Senator from Illinois (Mr. DURBIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1491, a bill to provide sensible relief to community financial institutions, to protect consumers, and for other purposes.

S. 1524

At the request of Mr. BLUNT, the name of the Senator from Michigan (Mr. PETERS) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1524, a bill to enable concrete masonry products manufacturers to establish, finance, and carry out a coordinated program of research, education, and promotion to improve, maintain, and develop markets for concrete masonry products.

S. 1562

At the request of Mr. WYDEN, the name of the Senator from New Mexico (Mr. UDALL) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1562, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to reform taxation of alcoholic beverages.

S. 1686

At the request of Ms. BALDWIN, the name of the Senator from Massachusetts (Mr. MARKEY) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1686, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for the proper tax treatment of personal service income earned in pass-thru entities.

S. 1715

At the request of Mr. HOEVEN, the name of the Senator from Mississippi (Mr. WICKER) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1715, a bill to require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint coins in commemoration of the 400th anniversary of the arrival of the Pilgrims.

S. 1719

At the request of Ms. COLLINS, the name of the Senator from Pennsylvania (Mr. TOOMEY) was added as a co-

sponsor of S. 1719, a bill to provide for the establishment and maintenance of a National Family Caregiving Strategy, and for other purposes.

S. 1830

At the request of Mr. BARRASSO, the name of the Senator from Connecticut (Mr. BLUMENTHAL) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1830, a bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for the coverage of marriage and family therapist services and mental health counselor services under part B of the Medicare program, and for other purposes.

S. 1834

At the request of Mr. BLUMENTHAL, the name of the Senator from New Hampshire (Mrs. SHAHEEN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1834, a bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to protect more victims of domestic violence by preventing their abusers from possessing or receiving firearms, and for other purposes.

S. 1856

At the request of Mr. BLUMENTHAL, the name of the Senator from Rhode Island (Mr. WHITEHOUSE) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1856, a bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide for suspension and removal of employees of the Department of Veterans Affairs for performance or misconduct that is a threat to public health or safety and to improve accountability of employees of the Department, and for other purposes.

S. 1890

At the request of Mr. HATCH, the name of the Senator from Illinois (Mr. KIRK) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1890, a bill to amend chapter 90 of title 18, United States Code, to provide Federal jurisdiction for the theft of trade secrets, and for other purposes.

S. 1915

At the request of Ms. AYOTTE, the names of the Senator from Wisconsin (Ms. BALDWIN) and the Senator from Mississippi (Mr. COCHRAN) were added as cosponsors of S. 1915, a bill to direct the Secretary of Homeland Security to make anthrax vaccines and antimicrobials available to emergency response providers, and for other purposes.

S. 1945

At the request of Mr. CASSIDY, the name of the Senator from Massachusetts (Ms. WARREN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1945, a bill to make available needed psychiatric, psychological, and supportive services for individuals with mental illness and families in mental health crisis, and for other purposes.

S. 1975

At the request of Ms. MIKULSKI, the names of the Senator from West Virginia (Mrs. CAPITO) and the Senator from Tennessee (Mr. ALEXANDER) were added as cosponsors of S. 1975, a bill to establish the Sewall-Beimont House National Historic Site as a unit of the National Park System, and for other purposes.