

that is exempt from taxation is dyed. The problem for boaters arises because most marinas have only one fuel tank, however, they provide fuel to both commercial and recreational boats. Commercial boat fuel is exempt from any tax and therefore commercial boat operators seek to purchase dyed fuel. Recreational fuel is taxable and recreational boaters want to purchase clear fuel. For those marina operators with only one fuel tank, they must decide if they will offer clear, taxable fuel for the recreational boaters or offer dyed tax-exempt fuel for the commercial boaters. Most marina operators in my State of Louisiana, find that their primary customer base is made up of commercial boaters and they are choosing to sell the dyed fuels. Thus, recreational boaters have no place to purchase the clear fuel.

Mr. President, this is a clear case of unintended consequences. The boaters are willing to pay the tax, they simply cannot find the place to buy the fuel and pay the tax. My bill is very simple. It modifies the collection process for diesel boating fuel. It allows marina operators to purchase dyed, exempt fuel and then collect the tax directly from recreational boaters and remit the tax to the Government directly.

Mr. President, I believe that this is a very simple solution to this very difficult problem. I urge the Senate to act on this important issue as soon as possible.●

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 50

At the request of Mr. LOTT, the name of the Senator from Texas [Mrs. HUTCHISON] was added as a cosponsor of S. 50, a bill to repeal the increase in tax on social security benefits.

S. 262

At the request of Mr. GRASSLEY, the names of the Senator from Delaware [Mr. BIDEN] and the Senator from Missouri [Mr. BOND] were added as cosponsors of S. 262, a bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to increase and make permanent the deduction for health insurance costs of self-employed individuals.

S. 275

At the request of Mr. GRASSLEY, the name of the Senator from Pennsylvania [Mr. SANTORUM] was added as a cosponsor of S. 275, a bill to establish a temporary moratorium on the Interagency Memorandum of Agreement Concerning Wetlands Determinations until enactment of a law that is the successor to the Food, Agriculture, Conservation, and Trade Act of 1990, and for other purposes.

S. 325

At the request of Mr. THOMAS, the name of the Senator from Arizona [Mr. KYL] was added as a cosponsor of S. 325, a bill to make certain technical corrections in laws relating to Native Americans, and for other purposes.

S. 457

At the request of Mr. SIMON, the name of the Senator from Washington

[Mrs. MURRAY] was added as a cosponsor of S. 457, a bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to update references in the classification of children for purposes of U.S. immigration laws.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 3

At the request of Mr. SIMON, the names of the Senator from Delaware [Mr. ROTH] and the Senator from Indiana [Mr. LUGAR] were added as cosponsors of Senate Concurrent Resolution 3, a concurrent resolution relative to Taiwan and the United Nations.

SENATE RESOLUTION 81—COM-MENDING ROBERT D. REISCHAUER FOR SERVICE TO CONGRESS AND THE NATION

Mr. DOMENICI (for himself, Mr. EXON, Mr. DOLE, Mr. DASCHLE, Mr. GRASSLEY, Mr. NICKLES, Mr. GRAMM, Mr. BOND, Mr. LOTT, Mr. BROWN, Mr. GORTON, Mr. GREGG, Ms. SNOWE, Mr. ABRAHAM, Mr. FRIST, Mr. HOLLINGS, Mr. JOHNSTON, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Mr. SIMON, Mr. CONRAD, Mr. DODD, Mr. SARBANES, Mrs. BOXER, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. HATFIELD, and Mr. PACKWOOD) submitted the following resolution, which was considered and agreed to:

S. RES. 81

Whereas Dr. Robert D. Reischauer served as Director of the Congressional Budget Office from March 6, 1989 to February 28, 1995;

Whereas he previously served in that office in its formative years from February 28, 1975 to April 1, 1981 as a Special Assistant, Assistant Director, and Deputy Director;

Whereas he has ably and faithfully performed the difficult duties of the Director's office serving all Members of the Congress with great professional integrity and dedication;

Whereas he has maintained the high tradition of that office by providing critical analysis and review of complex fiscal policy issues pending before the Congress;

Whereas he has provided the Congress and the American public with analysis of these complex fiscal policy issues with candor, objectivity, and clarity;

Whereas he has performed the duties of his office with remarkable diligence, perseverance, and intelligence often at great sacrifice to his personal life; and

Whereas he has earned the respect, affection, and esteem of the United States Senate: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Senate of the United States commends Robert D. Reischauer for his long, faithful, and exemplary service to his country and to the Senate.

NOTICES OF HEARINGS

COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES

Mr. MURKOWSKI. Mr. President, I would like to announce for the information of the Senate and the public that an oversight hearing has been scheduled before the full Committee on Energy and Natural Resources on domestic petroleum production and international supply.

The hearing will take place on Wednesday, March 8 at 9:30 a.m. in room SD-366 of the Dirksen Senate Office Building in Washington, DC.

Those wishing to testify or who wish to submit written statements should write to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, U.S. Senate, Washington, DC 20510. For further information, please call Howard Useem or Judy Brown at (202) 224-6567.

ADDITIONAL STATEMENTS

NOTICE OF DETERMINATION BY THE SELECT COMMITTEE ON ETHICS UNDER RULE 35, PARAGRAPH 4, REGARDING EDUCATIONAL TRAVEL

● Mr. BRYAN. Mr. President, it is required by paragraph 4 of rule 35 that I place in the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD notices of Senate employees who participate in programs, the principal objective of which is educational, sponsored by a foreign government or a foreign educational or charitable organization involving travel to a foreign country paid for by that foreign government or organization.

The select committee received notification under rule 35 for David Podoff to participate in a program in the Netherlands sponsored by the State Department and the Netherlands Government.

The committee determined that no Federal statute or Senate rule would prohibit participation by Mr. Podoff in this program.

The select committee received notification under rule 35 for Senator KAY BAILEY HUTCHISON to participate in a program in Davos, Switzerland, sponsored by the World Economic Forum Foundation from January 27 to 29, 1995.

The committee determined that no Federal statute or Senate rule would prohibit participation by Senator HUTCHISON in this program.

The select committee received notification under rule 35 for Amy Dunathan, a member of the staff of Senator CHAFEE, to participate in a program in Taiwan sponsored by Tamkang University from January 10 to 16, 1995.

The committee determined that no Federal statute or Senate rule would prohibit participation by Ms. Dunathan in this program.

The select committee received notification under rule 35 for Bernadine Abbott Hoduski, a member of the staff of Senator FORD, to participate in a program in Africa, sponsored by the International Federal of Library Associations and Institutions [IFLA], from December 15 to 18, 1994.

The committee determined that no Federal statute or Senate rule would prohibit participation by Ms. Hoduski in this program.

The select committee received notification under rule 35 for Jay C. Ghazal, a member of the staff of Senator PELL, to participate in a program in Korea