

(2) striking paragraph (4) and inserting the following:

“(4) agrees to submit to binding arbitration in any controversy involving—

“(A) its recognition as a national governing body, as provided for in section 220529 of this title, upon demand of the corporation; and

“(B) the opportunity of any amateur athlete, coach, trainer, manager, administrator or official to participate in amateur athletic competition, conducted in accordance with the Commercial Rules of the American Arbitration Association, as modified and provided for in the corporation’s constitution and bylaws, upon demand of the corporation or any aggrieved amateur athlete, coach, trainer, manager, administrator or official,

If the Athletes’ Advisory Council and National Governing Bodies’ Council do not concur on any modifications to such Rules, and if the corporation’s executive committee is not able to facilitate such concurrence, the Commercial Rules of Arbitration shall apply unless at least two-thirds of the corporation’s board of directors approves modifications to such Rules;”;

(3) striking paragraph (10) and inserting the following:

“(10) demonstrates, based on guidelines approved by the corporation, the Athletes’ Advisory Council, and the National Governing Bodies’ Council, that—

“(A) its board of directors and other such governing boards have established criteria and election procedures for and maintain among their voting members individuals who are actively engaged in amateur athletic competition in the sport for which recognition is sought or who have represented the United States in international amateur athletic competition within the preceding 10 years; and

“(B) any exceptions to such guidelines by such organization have been approved by the corporation, and that the voting power held by such individuals is not less than 20 percent of the voting power held in its board of directors and other such governing boards;”;

(4) inserting “or to participation in the Olympic Games, the Paralympic Games, or the Pan-American Games” after “amateur status” in paragraph (14); and

(5) adding at the end thereof the following:

“(b) RECOGNITION OF PARALYMPIC SPORTS ORGANIZATIONS.—For any sport which is included on the program of the Paralympic Games, the corporation is authorized to designate, where feasible and when such designation would serve the best interest of the sport, and with the approval of the affected national governing body, a national governing body recognized under subsection (a) to govern such sport. Where such designation is not feasible or would not serve the best interest of the sport, the corporation is authorized to recognize another amateur sports organization as a paralympic sports organization to govern such sport, except that, notwithstanding the other requirements of this chapter, any such paralympic sports organization—

“(1) shall comply only with those requirements, perform those duties, and have those powers that the corporation, in its sole discretion, determines are appropriate to meet the objects and purposes of this chapter; and

“(2) may, with the approval of the corporation, govern more than one sport included on the program of the Paralympic Games.”.

#### SEC. 14. AUTHORITY OF NATIONAL GOVERNING BODIES.

Section 220523 is amended by—

(1) striking “Games and” in paragraph (6) and inserting “Games, the Paralympic Games, and”; and

(2) striking “Games and” in paragraph (7) and inserting “Games, the Paralympic Games, and”.

#### SEC. 15. DUTIES OF NATIONAL GOVERNING BODIES.

Section 220524 is amended by—

(1) redesignating paragraphs (4) through (8) as paragraphs (5) through (9); and

(2) inserting after paragraph (3) the following:

“(4) disseminate and distribute to amateur athletes, coaches, trainers, managers, administrators, and officials in a timely manner the applicable rules and any changes to such rules of the national governing body, the corporation, the appropriate international sports federation, the International Olympic Committee, the International Paralympic Committee, and the Pan-American Sports Organization;”.

#### SEC. 15. REPLACEMENT OF NATIONAL GOVERNING BODY.

Section 220528 is amended by—

(1) striking “Olympic Games or both” in subsection (c)(1)(A) and inserting “Olympic Games or the Paralympic Games, or in both”;

(2) striking “registered” in subsection (c)(2) and inserting “certified”;

(3) striking “body.” in subsection (c)(2) and inserting “body and with any other organization that has filed an application.”;

(4) inserting “open to the public” in subsection (d) after “formal hearing” in the first sentence;

(5) inserting after the second sentence in subsection (d) the following: “The corporation also shall send written notice, including a copy of the application, at least 30 days prior to the date of the hearing to all amateur sports organizations known to the corporation in that sport.”; and

(6) striking “title.” in subsection (f)(4) and inserting “title and notify such national governing body of such probation and of the actions needed to comply with such requirements.”.

#### SEC. 16. SPECIAL REPORT TO CONGRESS.

Five years from the date of the enactment of this Act, the United States Olympic Committee shall submit a special report to the Congress on the effectiveness of the provisions of chapter 2205 of title 36, United States Code, as amended by this Act, together with any additional proposed changes to that chapter the United States Olympic Committee determines are appropriate.

#### AUTHORITY FOR COMMITTEES TO MEET

##### COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, NUTRITION, AND FORESTRY

Mr. McCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry be allowed to meet during the session of the Senate on Thursday, September 10, 1998. The purpose of this meeting will be to consider the nomination of Michael Reyna to be a member of the Farm Credit Administration Board.

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

##### COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE, SCIENCE, AND TRANSPORTATION

Mr. McCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Communications Subcommittee of the Senate Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation be authorized to meet on Thursday, September 10, 1998, at 9:30 a.m. on international satellite reform.

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

##### COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES

Mr. McCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources be granted permission to conduct a meeting to receive testimony on S. 2385, a bill to establish the San Rafael Swell National Heritage Area and the San Rafael National Conservation Area in the State of Utah during the session of the Senate on Thursday, September 10, 1998, at 2 p.m. in Room SD-366.

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

##### COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

Mr. McCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Finance be permitted to meet Thursday, September 10, 1998 beginning at 10 a.m. in room SD-215, to conduct a markup.

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

##### COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN RELATIONS

Mr. McCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Foreign Relations be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Thursday, September 10, 1998 at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. to hold two hearings.

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

##### COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY

Mr. McCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on the Judiciary, be authorized to hold an executive business meeting during the session of the Senate on Thursday, September 10, 1998, to be immediately following the 12 o'clock vote, off the floor, in room S216, the Presidents room of the United States Capitol Building.

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

##### COMMITTEE ON RULES AND ADMINISTRATION

Mr. McCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Rules and Administration be granted permission to conduct a meeting to mark up S. 2288, the Wendell H. Ford Government Publications Act of 1998 during the session of the Senate on Thursday, September 10, 1998 at 9:30 a.m. in room SR-301.

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

##### SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON AGING

Mr. McCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Special Committee on Aging be permitted to meet on September 10, 1998 at 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in Dirksen 628 for the purpose of conducting a hearing and forum.

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

##### SUBCOMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE OVERSIGHT AND THE COURTS

Mr. McCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Subcommittee on Administrative Oversight and the Courts of the Committee

on the Judiciary, be authorized to hold an executive business meeting during the session of the Senate on Thursday, September 10, 1998, at 2 p.m., in room 226 of the Senate Dirksen Office Building.

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

SUBCOMMITTEE ON INVESTIGATIONS

Mr. MCCONNELL. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent on behalf of the Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations of the Governmental Affairs Committee to meet on Thursday, September 10, 1998, at 9:30 a.m. for a hearing on the topic of "The Safety of Food Imports: Fraud and Deception In the Food Import Process."

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

ADDITIONAL STATEMENTS

TRIBUTE TO HANNIBAL-LAGRANGE COLLEGE

• Mr. BOND. Mr. President, I rise today to pay tribute to Hannibal-LaGrange College in Hannibal, Missouri. On September 15, 1998, the Hannibal-LaGrange College will celebrate its 140th anniversary. This is especially significant considering the college's first seventy years were spent in LaGrange and the second seventy have been spent in Hannibal.

Hannibal-LaGrange College offers an excellent liberal arts education and throughout the years has grown, not only in number, but in opportunities available for students. Today the college offers more than thirty areas of study, night programs for working adults, eight intercollegiate sports teams and four traveling performance groups.

I commend Hannibal-LaGrange College staff and students for their dedication and perseverance throughout the college's many years of existence and hope they continue to enrich the Hannibal community for years to come.●

THE SECOND ANNUAL CHICAGO FOOTBALL CLASSIC

• Ms. MOSELEY-BRAUN. Mr. President, I would like to take a few minutes today to bring to the attention of the Senate an event that will take place this weekend in my hometown of Chicago. That event, the Second Annual Chicago Football Classic, celebrates the rich academic, cultural and athletic tradition of historically Black colleges and universities.

The Chicago Football Classic will take place this year at Chicago's Soldier Field on Saturday, September 12, 1998. This year's competition pits Alcorn State University against Virginia State University in what promises to be an exciting and hard-fought gridiron battle.

Although the football game is the centerpiece of the event, the Chicago

Football Classic is about so much more. Begun last year, the Chicago Football Classic was created by Chicago area businessmen to spread the word within the African-American community about the tremendous opportunities available at historically Black colleges and universities. Aside from the game, the Classic features a spectacular halftime battle of the bands; a luncheon honoring Dr. Clinton Bristow, Jr. and Dr. Eddie N. Moore, presidents of Alcorn State University and Virginia State University, respectively; and a parade in historic Grant Park featuring the Virginia State Marching Marauders and the Alcorn State Sounds of Dynamite.

Mr. President, I am sure that the members of this body are well aware of the proud legacy and stunning achievements of our nation's historically Black colleges. Nonetheless, I would be remiss if in talking about the Chicago Football Classic, I failed to mention that our nation's historically Black colleges and universities have promoted academic excellence for over 130 years. Although they represent only 3 percent of all U.S. institutions of higher learning, historically Black colleges and universities graduate fully 33 percent of all African-Americans with bachelor's degrees and 43 percent of all African-Americans who go on to earn their Ph.D.'s.

As so eloquently stated in Fisk University's original charter, historically Black colleges and universities have measured themselves "by the highest standards, not of Negro education, but of American education at its best."

Throughout their history, historically Black colleges and universities have produced some of our nation's most distinguished leaders, including the late Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., the late Supreme Court Justice Thurgood Marshall, and several current U.S. Representatives. These institutions have distinguished themselves in the field of higher education over the years by maintaining the highest academic standards while increasing educational opportunities for economically and socially disadvantaged Americans, including tens of thousands of African-Americans.

In Virginia State University and Alcorn State University, the Chicago Football has chosen two exceptional universities to participate in this year's festivities. Alcorn State, located in Loman, Mississippi, arose from the ashes of the Civil War in 1871 with eight faculty members and 179 mostly male local students. Today, Alcorn State has grown to a population of 3,000 students from all over the world and 500 faculty and staff members. Virginia State University was founded in 1882 in Petersburg, Virginia with 126 students and seven faculty members. One hundred years later in 1982, the University was fully integrated, with a student body of nearly 5,000 and a full-time faculty of about 250.

Mr. President, both of these schools have a historical connection to the

United States Congress. The first president of Virginia State, John Mercer Langston, was the only African-American ever elected to the United States Congress from Virginia until the election of Congressman Robert Scott in 1992. Former Senator Hiram Revels of Mississippi, the first African-American elected to the United States Senate, resigned his seat in this body to become the first president of Alcorn State.

Certainly, in mentioning these few facts about Alcorn State and Virginia State Universities, I have only scratched the surface of the proud history, academic excellence, and abundant opportunities that historically Black colleges and universities have to offer.

I salute the organizers, participants, and fans of the Chicago Football Classic for coming together to celebrate historically Black colleges and universities. In the words of Tim Rand, the Executive Director of the Chicago Football Classic: "It offers young people an opportunity to witness the rich cultural heritage of Black colleges and universities." I am proud that Chicago has been chosen as the venue for this important and exciting event.

In closing, I would like to welcome the students, athletes, fans and alumni of Virginia State and Alcorn State to Illinois, and wish both teams good luck in Saturday's game. I know my colleagues here in the Senate join me in my praise of the Chicago Football Classic and in my gratitude and respect for our nation's historically Black colleges and universities.●

TRIBUTE TO LEROY "LEE" LOCHMANN

• Mr. LUGAR. Mr. President, I rise today to pay tribute to Leroy "Lee" Lochmann, the recently retired President and CEO of ConAgra's Refrigerated Foods Companies. Over a forty-five-year career in the meat and poultry industry, Lee's leadership skills have made him a pioneer in the food business.

In 1953, Lee joined Swift and Company directly out of high school, working on the line in an East St. Louis meat packing plant. From these early years, Lee moved through numerous management positions, finally ascending to key executive ranks. He ultimately became President of Swift and Company, the first of many—and increasingly large—meat and poultry companies that Lee would eventually run.

In addition, along the way, Lee accumulated two university degrees and served his country in the military for three years.

Lee's hardworking beginnings have given him a unique perspective as a food industry leader and have allowed him to effectively manage his employees, from the most junior line worker to the most senior corporate manager.