

H.R. 1431. An act to reauthorize and amend the Coastal Barrier Resources Act; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

H.R. 2079. An act to provide for the conveyance of certain National Forest System lands in the State of South Dakota; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

H.R. 2116. An act to amend title 38, United States Code, to establish a program of extended care services for veterans and to make other improvements in health care programs of the Department of Veterans Affairs; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

H.J. Res. 54. Joint resolution granting the consent of Congress to the Missouri-Nebraska Boundary Compact; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

H.J. Res. 62. Joint resolution to grant the consent of Congress to the boundary change between Georgia and South Carolina; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

MEASURE PLACED ON THE CALENDAR

The following bill was read the second time and placed on the calendar:

S. 1606. A bill to reenact chapter 12 of title 11, United States Code, and for other purposes.

ENROLLED BILL PRESENTED

The Secretary of the Senate reported that on September 22, 1999, he had presented to the President of the United States, the following enrolled bill:

S. 380. An act to reauthorize the Congressional Award Act.

EXECUTIVE AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were laid before the Senate, together with accompanying papers, reports, and documents, which were referred as indicated:

EC-5268. A communication from the Chief, Programs and Legislation Division, Office of Legislative Liaison, Department of the Air Force, transmitting a report relative to a cost comparison of Multiple Support Functions at Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-5269. A communication from the Chief, Programs and Legislation Division, Office of Legislative Liaison, Department of the Air Force, transmitting a report relative to a cost comparison of Multiple Support Functions at Keesler Air Force Base, Mississippi; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-5270. A communication from the Under Secretary of Defense, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "Plan to Ensure Visibility of In-Transit End Items and Secondary Items"; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-5271. A communication from the Assistant Legal Adviser for Treaty Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the texts and background statements of international agreements, other than treaties; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-5272. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "Saddam Hussein's Iraq"; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-5273. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to

law, a report relative to counternarcotics assistance for Columbia, Peru, Ecuador, and Panama; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-5274. A communication from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "October 1999 Applicable Rates" (Revenue Ruling 99-41), received September 21, 1999; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-5275. A communication from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Rev. Rul. 99-40, Interest on Underpayments of Tax" (Rev. Rul. 99-40), received September 16, 1999; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-5276. A communication from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Notice 99-46, 1999 Marginal Production Rates", received September 10, 1999; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-5277. A communication from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, Marketing and Regulatory Programs, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Sweet Cherries Grown in Designated Counties in Washington; Change in Pack Requirements" (Docket No. FV99-923-1 FIR), received September 16, 1999; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-5278. A communication from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, Marketing and Regulatory Programs, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Irish Potatoes Grown in Modoc and Siskiyou Counties, California and all Counties in Oregon, except Malheur County: Temporary Suspension of Handling Regulations and Establishment of Reporting Requirements" (Docket No. FV99-947-1 FIR), received September 16, 1999; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-5279. A communication from the Manager, Federal Crop Insurance Corporation, Department of Agriculture, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "General Administrative Regulations; Submission of Policies and Provisions of Policies, and Rates of Premium" (RIN0563-AB15), received September 21, 1999; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-5280. A communication from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Office of Policy, Planning and Evaluation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "2,6-Diisopropyl-naphthalene; Temporary Exemption from the Requirement of a Tolerance" (FRL #6381-7), received September 17; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-5281. A communication from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Office of Policy, Planning and Evaluation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Spinosaad; Pesticide Tolerance" (FRL #6381-9), received September 17; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-5282. A communication from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Office of Policy, Planning and Evaluation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Sulfentrazone; Pesticide Tolerances for Emergency Exemptions" (FRL #6097-8), received September 17; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-5283. A communication from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and

Information, Office of Policy, Planning and Evaluation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Tebucanazole; Extension of Tolerances for Emergency Exemptions" (FRL #6381-6), received September 17; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-5284. A communication from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Office of Policy, Planning and Evaluation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Tebufenozide; Benzoic Acid, 3,5-dimethyl-1-(1,1-dimethylethyl)-2-(4-ethylbenzoyl)hydrazide; Pesticide Tolerances" (FRL #6380-1), received September 17; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

EC-5285. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks, Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Migratory Bird Hunting: Final Frameworks for Late Season Migratory Bird Hunting Regulations" (RIN1018-AF24), received September 21, 1999; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5286. A communication from the Administrator, General Services Administration, transmitting a report relative to the Fiscal Year 2000 Capital Investment and Leasing Program; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5287. A communication from the Secretary of Labor, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to employment and training programs for veterans during program year 1997 and fiscal year 1998; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

EC-5288. A communication from the Director, Office of Surface Mining, Department of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Arkansas Abandoned Mine Land Reclamation Plan" (SPATS # AR-029-FOR), received September 17, 1999; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

EC-5289. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Policy, Management and Budget, Department of the Interior, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "Report of Royalty Management and Delinquent Account Collection Activities" for fiscal year 1998; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

EC-5290. A communication from the Acting Assistant Attorney General, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "Attacking Financial Institution Fraud: Fiscal Year 1997 (First Quarterly Report)"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-5291. A communication from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Secondary Direct Food Additives Permitted in Food for Human Consumption" (Docket No. 99F-0299), received September 16, 1999; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-5292. A communication from the Director, National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, transmitting, pursuant to law, a letter relative to the triennial report on alcohol and health; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-5293. A communication from the Federal Register Liaison Officer, Regulations and Legislation Division, Office of Thrift Supervision, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Management Official Interlocks" (RIN1550-AB07), received September