

of noneconomic loss allocated to that defendant in direct proportion to the percentage of responsibility of that defendant (determined in accordance with paragraph (2)) for the harm to the claimant with respect to which that defendant is liable. The court shall render a separate judgment against each defendant in an amount determined pursuant to the preceding sentence.

“(2) PERCENTAGE OF RESPONSIBILITY.—For purposes of determining the amount of noneconomic loss allocated to a defendant who is a teacher under this section, the trier of fact shall determine the percentage of responsibility of that defendant for the claimant’s harm.

“SEC. 2536. DEFINITIONS.

“For purposes of this part:

“(1) ECONOMIC LOSS.—The term ‘economic loss’ means any pecuniary loss resulting from harm (including the loss of earnings or other benefits related to employment, medical expense loss, replacement services loss, loss due to death, burial costs, and loss of business or employment opportunities) to the extent recovery for such loss is allowed under applicable State law.

“(2) HARM.—The term ‘harm’ includes physical, nonphysical, economic, and noneconomic losses.

“(3) NONECONOMIC LOSSES.—The term ‘noneconomic losses’ means losses for physical and emotional pain, suffering, inconvenience, physical impairment, mental anguish, disfigurement, loss of enjoyment of life, loss of society and companionship, loss of consor-

tium (other than loss of domestic service), hedonic damages, injury to reputation and all other nonpecuniary losses of any kind or nature.

“(4) SCHOOL.—The term ‘school’ means a public or private kindergarten, a public or private elementary school or secondary school (as defined in section 3 of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965), or a home school.

“(5) STATE.—The term ‘State’ means each of the several States of the United States, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, the United States Virgin Islands, Guam, American Samoa, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, any other territory or possession of the United States, or any political subdivision of any such State, territory, or possession.

“(6) TEACHER.—The term ‘teacher’ means a teacher, instructor, principal, administrator, or other educational professional, that works in a school.

“SEC. 2537. EFFECTIVE DATE.

“(a) IN GENERAL.—This part shall take effect 90 days after the date of enactment of the Teacher Opportunities Act.

“(b) APPLICATION.—This part applies to any claim for harm caused by an act or omission of a teacher where that claim is filed on or after the effective date of this part, without regard to whether the harm that is the subject of the claim or the conduct that caused the harm occurred before such effective date.”.

NOTICE OF HEARING

COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES

Mr. CRAIG. Mr. President, I would like to announce for the public that a hearing has been scheduled before the Subcommittee on Forests and Public Land Management of the Senate Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

The hearing will take place on Wednesday, June 7, 2000 at 2:30 p.m. in room SD-366 of the Dirksen Senate Office Building in Washington, D.C.

The purpose of this hearing is to receive testimony on S. 2300, a bill to amend the Mineral Leasing Act to increase the maximum acreage of Federal leases for coal that may be held by an entity in any 1 State; S. 2069, a bill to permit the conveyance of certain land in Powell, Wyoming; and S. 1331, a bill to give Lincoln County, Nevada, the right to purchase at fair market value certain public land in the county.

Those who wish to submit written statements should write to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, U.S. Senate, Washington, D.C. 20510. For further information, please call Kathleen Elder or Mike Menge (202) 224-6170.

FOREIGN CURRENCY REPORTS

In accordance with the appropriate provisions of law, the Secretary of the Senate herewith submits the following report(s) of standing committees of the Senate, certain joint committees of the Congress, delegations and groups, and select and special committees of the Senate, relating to expenses incurred in the performance of authorized foreign travel:

AMENDMENT TO 4TH QUARTER 1999 CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF EXPENDITURE OF FOREIGN CURRENCIES AND APPROPRIATED FUNDS FOR FOREIGN TRAVEL BY MEMBERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE U.S. SENATE, UNDER AUTHORITY OF SEC. 22, P.L. 95-384—22 U.S.C. 1754(b), COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN RELATIONS FOR TRAVEL FROM OCT. 1, TO DEC. 31, 1999

Name and country	Name of currency	Per diem		Transportation		Miscellaneous		Total	
		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency
Senator John Kerry:									
Thailand	Dollar				3,420.86				3,420.86
Senator Gordon Smith:									
Austria	Dollar					428.76			428.76
Frank Jannuzi:									
Singapore	Dollar		1,182.75						1,182.75
Indonesia	Dollar		741.00						741.00
Australia	Dollar		636.00						636.00
United States	Dollar				8,466.69				8,466.69
James Jones:									
India	Dollar					276.63			276.63
Roger Noriega:									
Nicaragua	Dollar		262.50						262.50
Mexico	Dollar		1,866.75						1,866.75
United States	Dollar				1,602.27				1,602.27
Nancy Stetson:									
India	Dollar					276.62			276.62
Elizabeth Stewart:									
Austria	Dollar					428.75			428.75
Senator Christopher Dodd:									
Colombia	Dollar		50.00						50.00
Venezuela	Dollar		50.00						50.00
Ecuador	Dollar		225.00						225.00
Senator Russell Feingold:									
South Africa	Dollar		95.00						95.00
Zimbabwe	Dollar		21.00						21.00
Zambia	Dollar		20.00						20.00
Rwanda	Dollar		31.00						31.00
Uganda	Dollar		22.00						22.00
United States	Dollar				1,478.49				1,478.49
Senator John Kerry:									
Burma	Dollar		164.00						164.00
Thailand	Dollar		344.00						344.00
United States	Dollar				5,144.00				5,144.00
Senator Gordon Smith:									
United Kingdom	Dollar		1,524.00						1,524.00
Luxembourg	Dollar		139.00						139.00
Slovenia	Dollar		220.00						220.00
Austria	Dollar		132.00						132.00
United States	Dollar				6,072.29				6,072.29
Stephen Biegun:									
United Kingdom	Dollar		1,524.00						1,524.00
United States	Dollar				4,784.69				4,784.69
Michele DeKonty:									
Switzerland	Dollar		1,060.55						1,060.55