

Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Final Rule Realigning the Boundry of the Walla Walla Valley Viticultural Area and the Eastern Boundary of the Columbia Valley Viticultural Area" (RIN1512-AA07) received on February 27, 2001; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-877. A communication from the Deputy Executive Secretary to the Department of Health Care Financing Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "State Child Health; Implementing Regulations for the State Children's Health Insurance Program; Delay of Effective Date" (RIN0938-A128) received on February 23, 2001; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-878. A communication from the Chief of the Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Applicable Federal Rates for March 2001" (Rev. Rul. 2001-12) received on February 21, 2001; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-879. A communication from the Deputy Executive Secretary, Health Care Financing Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Medicaid Program: Medicaid Managed Care: Delay of Effective Date" (RIN0938-A170) received on February 23, 2001; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-880. A communication from the Chief of the Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Election for Disaster Losses 2000" (Rev. Rul. 2001-15) received on February 28, 2001; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-881. A communication from the Acting Chief of the Regulations Division, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Delegation of Authority in Part 170" (RIN1512-AC23) received on February 28, 2001; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-882. A communication from the Acting Chief of the Regulations Division, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Delegation of Authority in Part 30" (RIN1512-AC16) received February 28, 2001; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-883. A communication from the Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, a report entitled "Fiscal Year Clean Water Act Section 106 Grant Guidance"; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-884. A communication from the Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, a report entitled "Applicability of RCRA to Drindown and Seepage from Gold Heap Leaches"; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-885. A communication from the Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, a report entitled "Implementation of Vacature of TCLP Use for Evaluating Manufactured Gas Plant (MGP) Wastes in the Battery Recycling Case"; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-886. A communication from the Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, a report entitled "Release of Appraisals for Real Property Acquisitions at Superfund Sites"; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-887. A communication from the Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environ-

mental Protection Agency, transmitting, a report entitled "Distribution of OSWER Soil Screening Guidance for Radionuclides: User's Guide and Technical Background Document"; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-888. A communication from the Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, a report entitled "Additional GPRA Measures"; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-889. A communication from the Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, a report entitled "Interpretive Letter to Greig R. Siedor, Onyx Environmental"; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-890. A communication from the Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, a report entitled "Financial Structure of Cooperative Agreement Funds Under the Brownsfields Cleanup Revolving Loan Fund (BCRLF) Program"; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-891. A communication from the Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, a report entitled "Enhancing State and Tribal Role Directive"; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-892. A communication from the Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, a report entitled "Use of Latest Planning Assumptions in Conformity Determinations"; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-893. A communication from the Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, a report entitled "Guidance on Distributing the 'Notice of SEC Registrants' Duty to Disclose Environmental Legal Proceedings" in EPA Administrative Enforcement Actions"; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-894. A communication from the Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, a report entitled "Support of Regional Efforts to Negotiate Prospective Purchaser Agreements (PPAs) at Superfund Sites and Clarification of PPA Guidance"; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-895. A communication from the Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "New Stationary Sources; Supplemental Delegation of Authority to Knox County, Tennessee" (FRL6941-7) received on February 27, 2001; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-896. A communication from the Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "NESHAP: Group IV Polymers and Resins" (FRL6948) received on February 28, 2001; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-897. A communication from the Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "National Emission Standards For Hazardous Air Pollutant Emissions: Group IV Polymers and Resins" (FRL6768-2) received on February 28, 2001; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-898. A communication from the Director of the Office of Congressional Affairs, Office of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of

a rule entitled "List of Approved Spent Fuel Storage Casks: Fuel Solutions Revision" (RIN3150-AG72) received on February 28, 2001; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

PETITIONS AND MEMORIALS

The following petitions and memorials were laid before the Senate and were referred or ordered to lie on the table as indicated:

POM-1. A resolution adopted by the Ascension Parish Council relative to the Louisiana ammonia industry; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

From the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs, without amendment:

S. Res. 40: An original resolution authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

From the Committee on the Judiciary, without amendment:

S. 420: An original bill to amend title II, United States Code, and for other purposes.

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. GRASSLEY (for himself, Mr. TORRICELLI, Mr. BIDEN, Mr. HATCH, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. CARPER, and Mr. JOHNSON):

S. 420. An original bill to amend title II, United States Code, and for other purposes; from the Committee on the Judiciary; placed on the calendar.

By Mr. GRASSLEY (for himself, Mr. CLELAND, Mr. COCHRAN, Mr. WELLSTONE, Mr. DEWINE, Mr. BAUCUS, Mr. MCCONNELL, Mr. JOHNSON, Mr. BUNNING, and Ms. SNOWE):

S. 421. A bill to give gifted and talented students the opportunity to develop their capabilities; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. WELLSTONE (for himself, Mr. DAYTON, Mr. LEVIN, and Ms. STABENOW):

S. 422. A bill to provide that, for purposes of certain trade remedies, imported semi-finished steel slab shall be treated as like or directly competitive with taconite pellets; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. WYDEN (for himself, Mr. SMITH of Oregon, and Mrs. MURRAY):

S. 423. A bill to amend the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the establishment of Fort Clatsop National Memorial in the State of Oregon, and for other purposes"; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mrs. FEINSTEIN:

S. 424. A bill to provide incentives to encourage private sector efforts to reduce earthquake losses, to establish a national disaster mitigation program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. ALLARD (for himself and Mr. CAMPBELL):

S. 425. A bill to establish the Rocky Flats National Wildlife Refuge in the State of Colorado, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mrs. CLINTON (for herself, Mr. BAUCUS, Mr. CORZINE, Mr. DAYTON,