

Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Bureau of Labor Statistics Price Indexes for Department Stores—October 2001" (Rev. Rul. 2002-4) received on March 1, 2002; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-5706. 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 "Funding Relief Contained in Section 112 of the Victims of Terrorism Tax Relief Act of 2001" (Notice 2002-7) received on March 1, 2002; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-5707. 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 "Time for Performing Certain Acts Postponed by Reason of Service in a Combat Zone or a Presidentially Declared Disaster" (Rev. Rul. 2001-53) received on March 8, 2002; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-5708. 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 "Equity Investment Prior to Section 45D9(f)(2) Allocation" (Notice 2001-75) received on March 4, 2002; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-5709. 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 "Revenue Procedure—Update of Rev. Proc. 2001-11 (Adequate Disclosure)" (Rev. Rul. 2001-52) received on March 8, 2002; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-5710. 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 "Mark-to-Market Election Under TRA '97 for Principal Residences" (Rev. Rul. 2001-57) received on March 8, 2002; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-5711. 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 "Proposed Revenue Procedure Regarding the Cash Method" (Notice 2001-76) received on March 8, 2002; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-5712. 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 "Rev. Proc. 2001-59—2002 Inflation-Adjusted Items" (Rev. Proc. 2001-59) received on March 8, 2002; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-5713. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Withdrawal of the Federal Designated Use for Shields Gulch in Idaho" (FRL7157-1) received on March 8, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5714. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Unregulated Contaminant Monitoring Regulation for Public Water Systems; Establishing of Reporting Date" (FRL7157-3) received on March 8, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5715. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Perfluoroalkyl Sulfonates; Significant New Use Rule" (FRL6823-6) received on March 8, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5716. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants: Solvent Extraction for Vegetable Oil Production" (FRL7155-9) received on March 8, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5717. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants for Source Categories: General Provisions and Requirements for Control Technology Determinations for Major Sources in Accordance with Clean Air Act Sections, Sections 112(g) and 112(j)" (FRL7155-8) received on March 8, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5718. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Hazardous Waste Management Systems; Definition of Solid Waste; Toxicity Characteristic" (FRL7157-2) received on March 8, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5719. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Designation of Areas for Air Quality Planning Purposes; Ohio; Technical Amendment" (FRL7155-2) received on March 8, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5720. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval of the Clean Air Act Section 111 and 112 Delegation of Authority Updates to the Washington State Department of Ecology, Benton Clean Air Authority, Northwest Air Pollution Authority, Puget Sound Clean Air Agency, and Spokane County Air Pollution Control Authority" (FRL7153-2) received on March 8, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5721. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of State Implementation Plans; Indiana" (FRL7155-3) received on March 8, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5722. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Maine; Control of Gasoline Volatility" (FRL7152-1) received on March 8, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-5723. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Acquisition Regulation: Administrative Changes and Technical Amendments" (7155-7) received on March 8, 2002; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EXECUTIVE REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following executive reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. LIEBERMAN for the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

Jeanette J. Clark, of the District of Columbia, to be an Associate Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia for the term of fifteen years.

*Louis Kincannon, of Virginia, to be Director of the Census.

By Mr. KERRY for the Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship.

*Melanie Sabelhaus, of Maryland, to be Deputy Administrator of the Small Business Administration.

*Nomination was reported with recommendation that it be confirmed subject to the nominee's commitment to respond to requests to appear and testify before any duly constituted committee of the Senate.

(Nominations without an asterisk were reported with the recommendation that they be confirmed.)

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. GRAHAM (for himself, Mr. HATCH, Mr. JEFFORDS, Mr. KERRY, and Mr. TORRICELLI):

S. 2006. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to clarify the eligibility of certain expenses for the low-income housing credit; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. INHOFE:

S. 2007. A bill to provide economic relief to general aviation entities that have suffered substantial economic injury as a result of the terrorist attacks perpetuated against the United States on September 11, 2001; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. GREGG:

S. 2008. A bill to prohibit certain abortion-related discrimination in governmental activities; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. DURBIN (for himself, Ms. COLLINS, and Ms. SNOWE):

S. 2009. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide services for the prevention of family violence; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. LEAHY (for himself, Mr. DASCHLE, Mr. DURBIN, and Mr. HARKIN):

S. 2010. A bill to provide for criminal prosecution of persons who alter or destroy evidence in certain Federal investigations or defraud investors of publicly traded securities, to disallow debts incurred in violation of securities fraud laws from being discharged in bankruptcy, to protect whistleblowers against retaliation by their employers, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 532

At the request of Mr. DORGAN, the name of the Senator from Michigan (Mr. LEVIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 532, a bill to amend the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act to permit a State to register a Canadian pesticide for distribution and use within that State.

S. 839

At the request of Mr. CLELAND, his name was added as a cosponsor of S.