

(B) MEMBERS OF COMMISSION.—Subparagraph (A) shall not be construed to apply to members of the Commission.

(b) DETAILEES.—Any Federal Government employee may be detailed to the Commission without reimbursement from the Commission, and such detailee shall retain the rights, status, and privileges of his or her regular employment without interruption.

(c) CONSULTANT SERVICES.—The Commission is authorized to procure the services of experts and consultants in accordance with section 3109 of title 5, United States Code, but at rates not to exceed the daily rate paid a person occupying a position at level IV of the Executive Schedule under section 5315 of title 5, United States Code.

SEC. 607. COMPENSATION AND TRAVEL EXPENSES.

(a) COMPENSATION.—Each member of the Commission may be compensated at not to exceed the daily equivalent of the annual rate of basic pay in effect for a position at level IV of the Executive Schedule under section 5315 of title 5, United States Code, for each day during which that member is engaged in the actual performance of the duties of the Commission.

(b) TRAVEL EXPENSES.—While away from their homes or regular places of business in the performance of services for the Commission, members of the Commission shall be allowed travel expenses, including per diem in lieu of subsistence, in the same manner as persons employed intermittently in the Government service are allowed expenses under section 5703(b) of title 5, United States Code.

SEC. 608. SECURITY CLEARANCES FOR COMMISSION MEMBERS AND STAFF.

The appropriate executive departments and agencies shall cooperate with the Commission in expeditiously providing to the Commission members and staff appropriate security clearances in a manner consistent with existing procedures and requirements, except that no person shall be provided with access to classified information under this section who would not otherwise qualify for such security clearance.

SEC. 609. REPORTS OF THE COMMISSION; TERMINATION.

(a) INITIAL REPORT.—Not later than 6 months after the date of the first meeting of the Commission, the Commission shall submit to the President and Congress an initial report containing such findings, conclusions, and recommendations for corrective measures as have been agreed to by a majority of Commission members.

(b) ADDITIONAL REPORTS.—Not later than 1 year after the submission of the initial report of the Commission, the Commission shall submit to the President and Congress a second report containing such findings, conclusions, and recommendations for corrective measures as have been agreed to by a majority of Commission members.

(c) TERMINATION.—

(1) IN GENERAL.—The Commission, and all the authorities of this title, shall terminate 60 days after the date on which the second report is submitted under subsection (b).

(2) ADMINISTRATIVE ACTIVITIES BEFORE TERMINATION.—The Commission may use the 60-day period referred to in paragraph (1) for the purpose of concluding its activities, including providing testimony to committees of Congress concerning its reports and disseminating the second report.

SEC. 610. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.

There are authorized to be appropriated to the Commission to carry out this title \$3,000,000, to remain available until expended.

AUTHORITY FOR COMMITTEES TO MEET

COMMITTEE ON ARMED SERVICES

Mr. LIEBERMAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Armed Services be authorized to meet during the Session of the Senate on Thursday, September 19, 2002, at 2:30 p.m., in both open and closed session to receive testimony on U.S. policy on Iraq.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it so ordered.

COMMITTEE ON BANKING, HOUSING, AND URBAN AFFAIRS

Mr. LIEBERMAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Thursday, September 19, 2002, at 10 a.m., to conduct an oversight hearing on "Financial Privacy and Consumer Protection."

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it so ordered.

COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE, SCIENCE, AND TRANSPORTATION

Mr. LIEBERMAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation be authorized to meet on Thursday, September 19, 2002, at 10 a.m. on pending committee business.

Agenda

1. S. 2949, Aviation Security Improvement Act (Sam Whitehorn/Gael Sullivan, Rob Chamberlin/Michael Reynolds).

2. S. 2946, Federal Trade Commission Reauthorization Act of 2002 (David Strickland/Kim Vandecar, Carlos Fierro/Ken Nahigian).

3. S. 2817, National Science Foundation Doubling Act (Jean Toal Eisen/Chan Lieu, Floyd DesChamps/Ken LaSala).

4. S. 2950, National Transportation Safety Board Reauthorization Act of 2002 (Sam Whitehorn/Gael Sullivan/Carl Bentzel, Rob Chamberlin/Michael Reynolds/Rob Freeman/Mary Phillips).

5. S. 2951, Federal Aviation Administration Research, Engineering, and Development Act of 2002 (Gael Sullivan/Sam Whitehorn, Rob Chamberlin/Michael Reynolds).

6. S. 2550, Professional Boxing Amendments Act of 2002 (David Strickland/Matthew Morrissey, Carlos Fierro/Ken Nahigian).

7. S. 2608, Coastal and Estuarine Land Protection Act (Margaret Spring/Peter Fippinger, Drew Minkiewicz).

8. H.R. 1989, Fisheries Conservation Act of 2002 (Margaret Spring/Cindy Smith, Drew Minkiewicz).

9. H.R. 2486, Inland Flood Forecasting and Warning System Act of 2002 (Margaret Spring/Cindy Smith, Floyd DesChamps/Ken LaSala).

10. S. 2862, Firefighting Research and Coordination Act (Jean Toal Eisen/Chan Lieu, Floyd DesChamps/Ken LaSala).

11. S. 2945, the 21st Century Nanotechnology Research and Develop-

ment Act (Jean Toal Eisen/Chan Lieu, Floyd DesChamps/Ken LaSala).

12. H.R. 2733, Enterprise Integration Act of 2002 (Jean Toal Eisen/Chan Lieu, Floyd DesChamps/Ken LaSala).

13. S.J. Res. 42, a joint resolution commending Sail Boston for the continuing advancement of the maritime heritage of nations, its commemoration of the nautical history of the United States, and its promotion, encouragement, and support of young cadets through training (Carl Bentzel/Marvin Nixon, Rob Freeman).

14. Nomination of David McQueen Laney (PN 1731), of Texas, to be a Member of the Reform Board (Amtrak) (Carl Bentzel/David Matsuda/Vanessa Jones, Rob Freeman/Mary Phillips/Virginia Pounds).

15. Nomination of Rebecca Dye (PN 1870), of North Carolina, to be a Federal Maritime Commissioner (Carl Bentzel/Marvin Nixon/Vanessa Jones, Rob Freeman/Virginia Pounds).

16. Nomination of Roger Nober (PN 1979), of Maryland, to be a Member of the Surface Transportation Board (Carl Bentzel/David Matsuda/Vanessa Jones, Rob Freeman/Mary Phillips/Virginia Pounds).

17. Nominations for Promotion in the United States Coast Guard (PNs 2146, 2160, 2161, 2162) (Vanessa Jones, Virginia Pounds).

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

COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS

Mr. LIEBERMAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Environment and Public Works be authorized to meet on Thursday, September 19, 2002, at 9:30 a.m., to conduct a hearing entitled, "Project Delivery and Environmental Stewardship" to examine progress on environmental streamlining under the Transportation Equity Act for the 21st century, TEA-21. The hearing will be held in SD-406.

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

COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN RELATIONS

Mr. LIEBERMAN. 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 19, 2002, at 11 a.m., to hold a hearing on law enforcement treaties.

Agenda

Treaties

1. Treaty Doc. 107-13; Treaty Between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of Belize on Mutual Legal Assistance in Criminal Matters.

2. Treaty Doc. 107-12; Treaty Between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Kingdom of Sweden on Mutual Legal Assistance in Criminal Matters.

3. Treaty Doc. 107-9; Treaty Between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of Ireland on Mutual Legal Assistance in Criminal Matters.

4. Treaty Doc. 107-3; Treaty Between the Government of the Republic of India on Mutual Legal Assistance in Criminal Matters.

5. Treaty Doc. 107-16; Treaty Between the Government of the United States of America and the Principality of Liechtenstein on Mutual Legal Assistance in Criminal Matters.

6. Treaty Doc. 107-6; Extradition Treaty Between the United States of America and the Republic of Peru.

7. Treaty Doc. 107-4; Extradition Treaty Between the United States of America and the Government of the Republic of Lithuania.

8. Treaty Doc. 107-11; Second Protocol Amending Treaty on Extradition Between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of Canada, as amended.

9. Treaty Doc. 107-15; Treaty Between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Republic of Honduras for the Return of Stolen, Robbed, or Embezzled Vehicles and Aircraft, with Annexes and a related exchange of notes.

Witnesses: Mr. Sam Witten, Deputy Legal Adviser, Department of State, Washington, DC and Mr. Bruce Swartz, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Department of Justice, Washington, DC.

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

COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY

Mr. LIEBERMAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on the Judiciary be authorized to meet to conduct a markup on Thursday, September 19, 2002, at 10 a.m., in Dirksen Room 226.

Tentative Agenda

I. Nominations

Dennis Shedd to be a U.S. Circuit Court Judge for the Fourth Circuit; Ronald H. Clark to be a U.S. District Court Judge for the Eastern District of Texas; Lawrence J. Block to be a Judge for U.S. Court of Federal Claims; and to be a U.S. Marshal: Antonio Candia Amador for the Eastern District of California.

II. Bills

S. 2480, Law Enforcement Officers Safety Act of 2002 [Leahy/Hatch/Feinstein/Thurmond/Cantwell/Grassley/Edwards/Kyl/DeWine/Sessions/McConnell/Brownback].

S. 2798, Employee Abuse Prevention Act of 2002 [Durbins/Leahy/Kennedy].

S. 2820, To increase the priority for employee wages and benefits in bankruptcy [Carnahan/Leahy/Kennedy].

S. 2901, Corporate Accountability in Bankruptcy Act [Grassley/Leahy].

S. 1655, Captive Exotic Animal Protection Act of 2001 [Biden/Feinstein/Durbins/Kohl/Cantwell].

S. 2742, Border Commuter Student Act of 2002 [Hutchison/Schumer/Cantwell].

S. 2934, To Amend the charter of the American Legion [Johnson].

H.R. 3988, To Amend the charter of the American Legion [Gekas].

S. Con. Res. 139, "National Minority Health and Health Disparities Month" [Torricelli].

H. Con. Res. 388, "National Minority Health and Health Disparities Month" [Christensen].

S. Res. 326, "National Mammography Day" October 18, 2002 [Biden/Leahy/Hatch/Kennedy/Thurmond/Grassley/Specter/Durbins/DeWine/Cantwell/Brownback].

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

COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN RELATIONS

Mr. LIEBERMAN. 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 19, 2002, at 2 p.m., to hold a nomination hearing.

Agenda

Nominees

Panel 1: Mr. C. William Swank, of Ohio, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Overseas Private Investment Corporation; Mr. Ned Siegel, of Florida, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Overseas Private Investment Corporation; Mrs. Diane Ruebling, of California, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Overseas Private Investment Corporation; and Mr. Samuel Ebbesen, of the Virgin Islands, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Overseas Private Investment Corporation.

Panel 2: The Honorable Wendy Chamberlin, of Virginia, to be Assistant Administrator of the Agency for International Development for Asia and the Near East and Ms. Nancy Jacklin, of New York, to be United States Executive Director of the International Monetary Fund.

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

SELECT COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE

Mr. LIEBERMAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Select Committee on Intelligence be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Thursday, September 19, 2002, at 10 a.m. and 2:30 p.m., to hold a joint open hearing with the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence regarding the joint inquiry into the events of September 11, 2001.

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

COMMITTEE ON AGING

Mr. LIEBERMAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Special Committee on Aging be authorized to meet Thursday, September 19, 2002, from 9:30 a.m.-12 p.m., in Dirksen 628 for the purpose of conducting a hearing regarding Disease Management.

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

SUBCOMMITTEE ON ANTITRUST, BUSINESS RIGHTS AND COMPETITION

Mr. LIEBERMAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Com-

mittee on the Judiciary Subcommittee on Antitrust, Business Rights and Competition be authorized to meet to conduct a hearing on "Oversight of Enforcement of the Antitrust Laws" on Thursday, September 19, 2002, at 1:30 p.m., in room 226 of the Dirksen Senate Office Building.

Tentative Witness List: The Honorable Charles James, Assistant Attorney General, Antitrust Division, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, DC and the Honorable Timothy J. Muris, Chairman, Federal Trade Commission, Washington, DC.

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

SUBCOMMITTEE ON NATIONAL PARKS

Mr. LIEBERMAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Subcommittee on National Parks of the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources be authorized to hold a hearing during the session of the Senate on Thursday, September 19, 2002, at 2:15 p.m., in SD-366. The purpose of this hearing is to receive testimony on the following bills:

S. 2623, to designate the Cedar Creek Battlefield and Belle Grove Plantation National Historical Park as a unit of the National Park System, and for other purposes;

S. 2640 and H.R. 3421, to provide for adequate school facilities in Yosemite National Park, and for other purposes;

S. 2776, to provide for the protection of archaeological sites in the Galisteo Basin in New Mexico, and for other purposes;

S. 2788, to revise the boundary of the Wind Cave National Park in the State of South Dakota;

S. 2880, to designate Fort Bayard Historic District in the State of New Mexico as a National Historic Landmark, and for other purposes;

H.R. 3786, to revise the boundary of the Glen Canyon National Recreation Area in the States of Utah and Arizona; and

H.R. 3858, to modify the boundaries of the New River Gorge National River, West Virginia.

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

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Senator from Nevada.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

Mr. REID. Madam President, we are going to talk about Monday's schedule, Tuesday's schedule, and then tomorrow's schedule.

ORDERS FOR MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 2002

Mr. REID. Madam President, I ask unanimous consent that at 3:30 p.m., Monday, September 23, the Senate resume consideration of H.R. 5093, the Interior appropriations bill and resume consideration of the Dodd amendment No. 4522; that there be 60 minutes of debate with respect to the Dodd amendment prior to a vote in relation to the