

# Daily Digest

## Senate

### Chamber Action

*Routine Proceedings, pages S599–S673*

**Measures Introduced:** Two bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2051–2052. **Page S649**

**SAFE Transportation Equity Act:** Senate continued consideration of S. 1072, to authorize funds for Federal-aid highways, highway safety programs, and transit programs, taking action on the following amendments proposed thereto: **Pages S614–647**

Pending:

Modified committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

Dorgan Amendment No. 2267, to exempt certain agricultural producers from certain hazardous materials transportation requirements. **Page S614**

Gregg Amendment No. 2268 (to Amendment No. 2267), to provide that certain public safety officials have the right to collective bargaining. **Page S614**

Withdrawn:

Shelby Amendment No. 2269, (to the language of the bill proposed to be stricken by the committee amendment), to amend chapter 53 of title 49, United States Code, relating to the authorization of Federal funding for public transportation. **Pages S616–42**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill at 9:30 a.m., on Friday, February 6, 2004 for the purposes of debate only. **Page S672**

**Nominations Received:** Senate received the following nominations:

Mark Falcoff, of California, to be a Member of the National Security Education Board for a term of four years.

- 1 Air Force nomination in the rank of general.
- 2 Coast Guard nominations in the rank of admiral.

Routine lists in the Army, Coast Guard, Foreign Service, Marine Corps. **Pages S672–73**

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**Adjournment:** Senate convened at 9 a.m. and adjourned at 6:15 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Friday, February 6, 2004. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S672.)

### Committee Meetings

*(Committees not listed did not meet)*

#### NOMINATIONS

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine the nominations of William Gerry Myers III, of Idaho, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit, who was introduced by Senators Craig and Crapo, William S. Duffey, Jr., to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Georgia, who was introduced by Senators Miller and Chambliss, and Lawrence F. Stengel, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, who was introduced by Senators Specter and Santorum, after each nominee testified and answered questions in their own behalf.