

(1) The term “previously appropriated Iraqi reconstruction funds” means the aggregate amount appropriated or otherwise made available in chapter 2 of title II of Public Law 108-106 under the heading “IRAQ RELIEF AND RECONSTRUCTION FUND” or under title I of Public Law 108-11 under the heading “IRAQ RELIEF AND RECONSTRUCTION FUND”.

(2)(A) The term “Iraq reconstruction programs” means programs to address the infrastructure needs of Iraq, including infrastructure relating to electricity, oil production, public works, water resources, transportation and telecommunications, housing and construction, health care, and private sector development.

(B) The term does not include programs to fund military activities (including the establishment of national security forces or the Commanders’ Emergency Response Programs), public safety (including border enforcement, police, fire, and customs), and justice and civil society development.

SA 446. Mr. CHAMBLISS submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 1268, making emergency supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2005, to establish and rapidly implement regulations for State driver’s license and identification document security standards, to prevent terrorists from abusing the asylum laws of the United States, to unify terrorism-related grounds for inadmissibility and removal, to ensure expeditious construction of the San Diego border fence, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

On page 231, between lines 3 and 4, insert the following:

SEC. 6047. Section 908(b)(1)(A) of the Trade Sanctions Reform and Export Enhancement Act of 2000 (22 U.S.C. 7207(b)(1)(A)) is amended by inserting before the period at the end the following: “, which in this subsection means the payment by the purchaser of an agricultural commodity or product and the receipt of the payment by the seller prior to—

“(i) the transfer of title of the commodity or product to the purchaser; and

“(ii) the release of control of the commodity or product to the purchaser.”.

NOTICES OF HEARINGS/MEETINGS

COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, NUTRITION, AND FORESTRY

Mr. CHAMBLISS. Mr. President, I would like to announce that the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry will hold a hearing to consider the nomination of Thomas Dorr to be Under Secretary of Agriculture for Rural Development and to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Commodity Credit Corporation. The hearing will be held on Wednesday, April 27, 2005, at 10:30 a.m. in SR-328A Russell Senate Office Building. Senator SAXBY CHAMBLISS will preside.

For further information, please contact the Committee at 224-2035.

COMMITTEE ON RULES AND ADMINISTRATION

Mr. LOTT. Mr. President, I wish to announce that the Joint Committee on Printing will meet on Thursday, April 21, 2005, at 2 p.m. to conduct its organization meeting for the 109th Congress.

For further information regarding this hearing, please contact Susan Wells at the Rules and Administration Committee on 224-6352.

AUTHORITY FOR COMMITTEES TO MEET

COMMITTEE ON ARMED SERVICES

Mr. COCHRAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Armed Services be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on April 14, 2005, at 9:30 a.m., in open session to receive testimony on implementation by the Department of Defense of the National Security Personnel System.

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

COMMITTEE ON BANKING, HOUSING, AND URBAN AFFAIRS

Mr. COCHRAN. 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 April 14, 2005, at 10 a.m., to conduct a hearing on “The Terrorism Risk Insurance Program.”

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

COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE, SCIENCE, AND TRANSPORTATION

Mr. COCHRAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation be authorized to meet on pending Committee business, on Thursday, April 14, 2005, at 10 a.m.

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

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

Mr. COCHRAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Finance be authorized to meet during the session on Thursday, April 14, 2005, at 10 a.m., to hear testimony on “The \$350 Billion Question: How To Solve the Tax Gap.”

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

COMMITTEE ON HEALTH, EDUCATION, LABOR, AND PENSIONS

Mr. COCHRAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions be authorized to hold a hearing during the session of the Senate on Thursday, April 14, 2005, at 10 a.m., in SD-430.

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

COMMITTEE ON HOMELAND SECURITY AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

Mr. COCHRAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs be authorized to meet on Thursday, April 14, 2005, at 2 p.m., for a hearing title: “U.S. Postal Service: What Is Needed To Ensure Its Future Viability?”

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

COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY

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

mittee on the Judiciary be authorized to meet to conduct a markup on Thursday, April 14, 2005 at 9:30 a.m. in Senate Dirksen Office Building Room 226.

AGENDA:

I. Nominations: Thomas B. Griffith to be U.S. Circuit Judge for the District of Columbia Circuit; Terrence W. Boyle, II to be U.S. Circuit Judge for the Fourth Circuit; Priscilla R. Owen to be U.S. Circuit Judge for the Fifth Circuit; Janice Rogers Brown to be U.S. Circuit Judge for the District of Columbia Circuit; Robert J. Conrad, Jr. to be U.S. District Judge for the Western District of North Carolina; and James C. Dever, III to be U.S. Circuit Judge for the Eastern District of North Carolina.

II. Bills: S. 378, Reducing Crime and Terrorism at America’s Seaports Act of 2005: BIDEN, SPECTER, FEINSTEIN, KYL, CORNYN; S. 119, Unaccompanied Alien Child Protection Act of 2005: FEINSTEIN, SCHUMER, DURBIN, DEWINE, FEINGOLD, KENNEDY, BROWNBACK, SPECTER, LEAHY; S. 629, Railroad Carriers and Mass Transportation Act of 2005: SESSIONS, KYL; and S. 555, No oil Producing and Exporting Cartels Act of 2005: DEWINE, KOHL, LEAHY, GRASSLEY, FEINGOLD, SCHUMER, DURBIN.

III. Matters: Asbestos

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

SELECT COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE

Mr. COCHRAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Select Committee on Intelligence be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on April 14, 2005, a 10 a.m. to hold a hearing.

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

SELECT COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE

Mr. COCHRAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Select Committee on Intelligence be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on April 14, 2005, at 2 p.m. to hold a closed briefing.

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

SUBCOMMITTEE ON AIRLAND

Mr. COCHRAN, Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the subcommittee on Airland be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on April 14, 2005, at 2:30 p.m., in open session to receive testimony on Air Force Acquisition oversight in review of the defense authorization request for fiscal year 2006.

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

SUBCOMMITTEE ON IMMIGRATION, BORDER SECURITY AND CITIZENSHIP SUBCOMMITTEE ON TERRORISM, TECHNOLOGY AND HOMELAND SECURITY

Mr. COCHRAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on the Judiciary and the Committee Subcommittee on Immigration, Border Security and Citizenship and the Subcommittee on Terrorism, Technology and Homeland Security be authorized to meet to conduct a joint

hearing on "Strengthening Interior Enforcement: Deportation and Related Issues" on Thursday, April 14, 2005 in Dirksen room 226 at 2:30 p.m.

Panel I: Jonathan Cohn, Deputy Assistant Attorney General for the Civil Division, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, DC and Victor Cerda, Acting Director of Detention and Removal, U.S. Department of Homeland Security, Washington, DC.

Panel II: David Venturella, U.S. Investigations Service, Washington, DC and Lee Gelernt, Senior Staff Counsel, Immigrant's Rights Project, American Civil Liberties Union, Washington, DC.

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

SUBCOMMITTEE ON OVERSIGHT OF GOVERNMENT MANAGEMENT, THE FEDERAL WORKFORCE AND THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Mr. COCHRAN. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the subcommittee on Oversight of Government Management, the Federal Workforce, and the District of Columbia be authorized to meet on Thursday, April 14, at 10 a.m. for a hearing entitled, "Passing the Buck: A Review of the Unfunded Mandates Reform Act."

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

PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR

Mr. BROWNBACK. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent Jennifer Pollom, a detailee on the Senate Budget Committee staff, be granted the privilege of the floor during consideration of H.R. 1268.

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

ROBERT T. MATSUI UNITED STATES COURTHOUSE

Mr. FRIST. I ask unanimous consent that the Senate proceed to the immediate consideration of H.R. 787 which was received from the House.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will report the bill by title.

The assistant legislative clerk read as follows:

A bill (H.R. 787) to designate the United States courthouse located at 501 I Street, Sacramento, California, as the "Robert T. Matsui United States Courthouse".

There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to consider the bill.

Mr. FRIST. I ask unanimous consent the bill be read a third time and passed, the motion to reconsider be laid upon the table, and any statements be printed in the RECORD.

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

The bill (H.R. 787) was read the third time and passed.

COMMENDING THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA SOONERS MEN'S GYMNASTICS TEAM

COMMENDING OKLAHOMA STATE UNIVERSITY'S WRESTLING TEAM

Mr. FRIST. Madam President, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate now proceed to the en bloc consideration of S. Res. 109 and S. Res. 110, which were submitted earlier today.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered. The clerk will report the resolutions by title en bloc.

The assistant legislative clerk read as follows:

A resolution (S. Res. 109) commending the University of Oklahoma Sooners men's gymnastics team for winning the National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I Men's Gymnastics Championship.

A resolution (S. Res. 110) commending Oklahoma State University's wrestling team for winning the 2005 National Collegiate Athletic Association Division I Wrestling Championship.

There being no objection, the Senate proceeded to consider the resolutions en bloc.

S. RES. 109

Mr. INHOFE. Madam President, I rise today to recognize the University of Oklahoma Sooners men's gymnastics team for winning the 2005 NCAA Division I men's gymnastics championship on April 8, 2005 at West Point, NY. This historic achievement is an enormous source of pride for the university that they represent as well as for the people of my entire State.

This championship achieved by the Sooners, under the outstanding leadership of NCAA Coach of the Year Mark Williams, is OU's sixth overall national title and their third in the past 4 years. It was undoubtedly an accomplishment that they earned and grittily sweated out.

The Sooners' dramatic victory over second-place Ohio State came down to the wire with the competition narrowly being determined by the final rotation on the vault. Freshman Jonathan Horton delivered a heroic performance, which secured OU's winning score of 225.675 over the Buckeyes' 225.450.

The tremendous success of the 2005 Sooners gives support to the Sports Illustrated cover's designation of Oklahoma as "America's Gymnastics Hotbed" that notably included the International Gymnastics Hall of Fame, the Bart Conner Gymnastics Academy, Nadia Comaneci, Shannon Miller, and the world's largest gymnastics magazine, International Gymnast.

In addition to the national championship, the Sooners boasted six team members who attained a total of 13 All-America honors for OU at the individual event finals. The 13 honors of 2005 added to an already substantial collection of 141 honors garnered by the university over the 39 years of the men's gymnastics program's existence.

Moreover, senior David Henderson's 2005 NCAA title on the still rings, gave OU its 18th all-time individual national champion, capping off a brilliant 4 years for this extraordinary young man.

The Sooners' victory is a product of the heart, determination, and teamwork of these exceptional student athletes, and I extend my heart-felt congratulations to the entire team for a job truly well done and well deserved.

S. RES. 110

Mr. INHOFE. Madam President, I also rise today to extend my congratulations to the Oklahoma State University's wrestling team for winning the 2005 National Collegiate Athletic Association's Division I Wrestling Championship on March 19, 2005, at St. Louis, MO.

The Cowboys' historic victory this year contributes to an already exceptional legacy of achievement that makes the OSU wrestling program a touchstone for all others. In fact, the Collegiate Wrestling Hall of Fame is at OSU.

The 2005 Championship title is the 33rd overall title in the storied history of wrestling at OSU, and also represents the most possessed by any school in the history of Division I wrestling. Moreover, this year's win marks the Cowboys' third consecutive championship under the dynasty of Coach John Smith, an accomplishment that had not occurred at OSU since the 1954 to 1956 seasons.

Indeed, the Cowboys' dominance was in full display not only during the season in which they went undefeated but also in the finals where they continued to remain perfect. The Cowboys swept all five of its matches and clinched the national championship, getting titles from Steve Mocco, Zack Esposito, Johnny Hendricks, Chris Pendleton, and Jake Rosholt and tying the record of five championships set by Iowa in 1997. In all, OSU finished with an all-time high of 153 points and far surpassed second-place Michigan by 70 points, which was the second highest winning margin in NCAA wrestling history.

Much credit for this amazing achievement undoubtedly goes to coach John Smith, who was named Big 12 Wrestling Coach of the Year for the sixth time in his career. Finally I would be remiss, if I did not recognize the extraordinary effort, commitment, and grit of these student athletes. They are a tremendous source of pride for their university and community, and I offer them my sincere congratulations for all that they have achieved.

Mr. FRIST. Madam President, I ask unanimous consent that the resolutions be agreed to, the preambles be agreed to, and the motions to reconsider be laid upon the table, all en bloc.

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

The resolution (S. Res. 109) was agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The resolution, with its preamble, reads as follows: