

Stabenow Modified Amendment No. 1687, to provide funding for interoperable communications equipment grants. **Pages S9962–65**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill at 10:30 a.m., on Wednesday, September 14, 2005; the time be equally divided between Senators Shelby and Mikulski until 11 a.m., and the Senate then vote on the motion to waive the Congressional Budget Act of 1974, relative to Stabenow Amendment No. 1687, as modified. **Page S9995**

During consideration of this measure today, Senate also took the following action:

By 41 yeas to 56 nays (Vote No. 226), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn, not having voted in the affirmative, Senate rejected the motion to waive section 402(b)(5) of H. Con. Res. 95, Congressional Budget Resolution, with respect to the emergency designation provision in Biden Amendment No. 1661, to provide emergency funding for victims of Hurricane Katrina. Subsequently, a point of order that the emergency designation provision would violate section 402 (b)(5) of H. Con. Res. 95 was sustained and the provision was stricken. Also, the Chair sustained a point order that the amendment would exceed the subcommittee's 302(b) allocation and the amendment thus falls. **Page S9971**

**Removal of Injunction of Secrecy:** The injunction of secrecy was removed from the following treaty:

Protocol Amending Extradition Convention with Israel (Treaty Doc. No. 109–3).

The treaty was transmitted to the Senate today, considered as having been read for the first time, and referred, with accompanying papers, to the Committee on Foreign Relations and ordered to be printed. **Page S9995**

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

Shana L. Dale, of Georgia, to be Deputy Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

Donald A. Gambatesa, of Virginia, to be Inspector General, United States Agency for International Development.

Carmen Maria Martinez, of Florida, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Zambia.

Gregory F. Van Tatenhove, of Kentucky, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Kentucky. **Page S9996**

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**Record Votes:** Two record votes were taken today. (Total—226) **Pages S9961, S9971**

**Adjournment:** Senate convened at 9:45 a.m., and adjourned at 7:14 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Wednesday, September 14, 2005. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on pages S9995–96.)

## Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

### CHARITIES

*Committee on Finance:* Subcommittee on Social Security and Family Policy held a hearing to examine how the nonprofit sector meets the needs of American communities relating to charities on the front-line, receiving testimony from Luke L. Hingson, Borther's Brother Foundation, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania; Major George Hood, The Salvation Army, Alexandria, Virginia; Robert E. Reccord, North American Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, Alpharetta, Georgia; and William G. Gale, Brookings Institution, and C. Eugene Steuerle, Urban Institute, both of Washington, D.C.

Hearings recessed subject to the call.

### NOMINATIONS:

*Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine the nominations of John R. Fisher, to be an Associate Judge of the District of Columbia Court of Appeals, Juliet JoAnn McKenna, to be an Associate Judge of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia, who were introduced by Delegate Norton, Colleen Duffy Kiko, of Virginia, to be General Counsel of the Federal Labor Relations Authority, who was introduced by Representative Sensenbrenner, and Mary M. Rose, of North Carolina, to be a Member of the Merit Systems Protection Board, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

### NOMINATION

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Committee continued hearings to examine the nomination of John G. Roberts, Jr., of Maryland, to be Chief Justice of the United States, where the nominee, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

Hearings continue tomorrow.