

a rule entitled "Regulation E—Electronic Fund Transfers" (Dockets R-1210 and R-1234) received on January 16, 2006; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-5332. A communication from the Secretary of Labor, transmitting, the report of a draft bill which would amend the Mine Safety and Health Administration's ("MSHA") civil money penalty system by permitting MSHA to levy a maximum civil penalty of \$220,000 for certain violations (termed "flagrant" violations) that substantially and proximately caused, or reasonably could have been expected to cause, death or serious bodily injury; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-5333. A communication from the Deputy Executive Director, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Benefits Payable in Terminated Single-Employer Plans; Allocation of Assets in Single-Employer Plans; Interest Assumptions for Valuing and Paying Benefits" (29 CFR Parts 4022 and 4044) received on January 8, 2006; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-5334. A communication from the Deputy Executive Director, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Valuations of Benefits: Mortality Assumptions" (RIN1212-AA55) received on January 8, 2006; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

#### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Under the authority of the order of the Senate of January 18, 2006, the following reports of committees were submitted on January 24, 2006.

By Mr. MCCAIN, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, without amendment.

S. 1219. A bill to authorize certain tribes in the State of Montana to enter into a lease or other temporary conveyance of water rights to meet the water needs of the Dry Prairie Rural Water Association, Inc. (Rept. No. 109-213).

#### EXECUTIVE REPORT OF COMMITTEE RECEIVED DURING ADJOURNMENT

Under the authority of the order of the Senate of January 18, 2006, the following executive report of committee was submitted on January 24, 2006:

By Mr. SPECTER for the Committee on the Judiciary.

Samuel A. Alito, Jr., of New Jersey, to be an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States.

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

#### INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Under authority of the order of the Senate of January 18, 2006, the following bills and joint resolutions were introduced, read the first and second times by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. REID (for himself, Mr. DURBIN, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. AKAKA, Mr. BAUCUS, Mr. BAYH, Mr. BIDEN, Mr. BINGAMAN, Mrs. BOXER,

Mr. CARPER, Mrs. CLINTON, Mr. CONRAD, Mr. DAYTON, Mr. DORGAN, Mr. FEINGOLD, Mr. HARKIN, Mr. JOHNSON, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. KERRY, Mr. KOHL, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Mr. LEAHY, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. LIEBERMAN, Mrs. LINCOLN, Mr. MENENDEZ, Ms. MIKULSKI, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. OBAMA, Mr. REED, Mr. ROCKEFELLER, Mr. SALAZAR, and Mr. WYDEN):

S. 2180. A bill to provide more rigorous requirements with respect to disclosure and enforcement of ethics and lobbying laws and regulations, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. LAUTENBERG (for himself, Ms. SNOWE, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. COLEMAN, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, Mr. PRYOR, Mr. DEWINE, Mrs. BOXER, Mr. MENENDEZ, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. DAYTON, Mr. REED, Mr. JEFFORDS, Mrs. LINCOLN, Mr. LEAHY, Mr. WYDEN, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. JOHNSON, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. DORGAN, Mr. LIEBERMAN, Mrs. CLINTON, Mr. CHAFEE, and Mr. DODD):

S. 2181. A bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to provide for an offset from the Medicaid clawback for State prescription drug expenditures for covered part D drugs for Medicare beneficiaries; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. ISAKSON:

S. 2182. A bill to terminate the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. ROCKEFELLER (for himself, Mr. REID, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. BINGAMAN, Mrs. LINCOLN, Mr. KENNEDY, Mrs. CLINTON, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. KERRY, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. PRYOR, Mr. LEAHY, Mr. DAYTON, Mr. JEFFORDS, Mr. HARKIN, Ms. MIKULSKI, Mr. JOHNSON, Ms. CANTWELL, Mr. AKAKA, Mr. LIEBERMAN, Mr. KOHL, Ms. LANDRIEU, Mr. SARBANES, and Mrs. BOXER):

S. 2183. A bill to provide for necessary beneficiary protections in order to ensure access to coverage under the Medicare part D prescription drug program; to the Committee on Finance.

#### SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

Under authority of the order of the Senate of January 18, 2006, the following concurrent resolutions and Senate resolutions were read, and referred (or acted upon), as indicated:

By Mr. SANTORUM (for himself and Mr. KYL):

S. Res. 349. A resolution condemning the Government of Iran for violating the terms of the 2004 Paris Agreement, and expressing support for efforts to refer Iran to the United Nations Security Council for its noncompliance with International Atomic Energy Agency obligations; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. LEAHY (for himself and Mr. KENNEDY):

S. Res. 350. A resolution expressing the sense of the Senate that Senate Joint Resolution 23 (107th Congress), as adopted by the Senate on September 14, 2001, and subsequently enacted as the Authorization for Use of Military Force does not authorize warrantless domestic surveillance of United States citizens; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BAYH:

S. Res. 351. A resolution responding to the threat posed by Iran's nuclear program; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. COLEMAN (for himself, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. DEWINE, Mr. BROWNBACK, Mr. NELSON of Nebraska, Mr. NELSON of Florida, and Mrs. FEINSTEIN):

S. Con. Res. 76. A concurrent resolution condemning the Government of Iran for its flagrant violations of its obligations under the Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty, and calling for certain actions in response to such violations; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

#### 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. SCHUMER:

S. 2184. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide residents of long-term care facilities with assistance with respect to prescription drug coverage under part D of such title for the resident; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. HAGEL (for himself, Mr. HARKIN, Mr. JEFFORDS, Mr. ROBERTS, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. LIEBERMAN, Mr. WARNER, Mr. DAYTON, Mr. KERRY, Mr. CHAFEE, Mr. KENNEDY, Ms. MIKULSKI, Ms. SNOWE, Mr. DODD, Mr. REED, Ms. COLLINS, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. BINGAMAN, Mr. COLEMAN, and Mr. JOHNSON):

S. 2185. A bill to amend part B of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act to provide full Federal funding of such part; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. COLEMAN (for himself, Mr. NELSON of Nebraska, Mr. ALLARD, Mr. ENZI, Mr. BURNS, Mr. COBURN, and Mr. THOMAS):

S. 2186. A bill to establish a commission to strengthen confidence in Congress; to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

By Mr. ISAKSON:

S. 2187. A bill to amend the International Revenue Code of 1986 to provide economic incentives for the preservation of open space and conservation of natural resources, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. SANTORUM:

S. 2188. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on hydrazine hydrate; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. SANTORUM:

S. 2189. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on certain fungicides containing zinc dimethyldithiocarbamate; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. SANTORUM:

S. 2190. A bill to extend the temporary suspension of duty on 11-aminoundecanoic acid (monomer 11); to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. SANTORUM:

S. 2191. A bill to extend the temporary suspension of duty on thiophanate-methyl; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. SANTORUM:

S. 2192. A bill to extend the temporary suspension of duty on thiophanate-methyl fungicide 70% wettable powder; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mrs. HUTCHISON:

S. 2193. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to establish fairness in the treatment of certain pension plans maintained by churches, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. STEVENS:

S. 2194. A bill for the relief of Nadezda Shestakova; to the Committee on the Judiciary.