Assessment Information Reporting and Health and Safety Data Reporting Rules” (RIN2070-A908)(RIN2070-AB11)(FRL No. 8242-9)) received on April 26, 2007, to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-1705. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Office of the Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Change in Deadline for Rulemaking to Address the Control of Certain New Marine Compres-

SION-Ignition Engines at or Above 30 Liters per Cylinder” (RIN2069-A026)(FRL No. 8306-

7) received on April 26, 2007, to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-1706. A communication from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Office of the Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; Illinois” (FRL No. 8302-5) received on April 26, 2007, to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

EC-1707. A communication from the Coordinator, U.S. Assistance to Europe and Eurasia, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to law, the organization’s annual report relative to U.S. assistance and cooperative activities with Eurasia for fiscal year 2006, to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-1708. A communication from the Director, Administrative Office of the United States Courts, transmitting, pursuant to law, an annual report relative to applica-
tions for court orders made to federal and state courts to permit the interception of wire, oral, or electronic communications during calendar year 2006, to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-1709. A communication from the Acting Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legislative Affairs, Department of Justice, transmitting, pursuant to law, the Office’s Annual Report for fiscal year 2005, to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-1710. A communication from the Acting Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legislative Affairs, Department of Justice, transmitting, the report of draft legislation entit-
led “Denying Firearms and Explosives to Dangerous Terrorists of 2007”; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. ROCKEFELLER, from the Committee on Intelligence:


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. HAGEL:

S. 1225. A bill to establish a process for aliens who meet certain conditions to be granted permanent resident status; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BAYH (for himself, Mr. HATCH, Mrs. LINCOLN, Mr. BINGAMAN, Mr. COLEMAN, and Mr. SALAZAR):

S. 1232. A bill to establish the Second Security Act to establish programs to improve the quality, performance, and deliv-

ery of pediatric care; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. KERRY:

S. 1227. A bill to amend the Clean Air Act to establish and enforce performance standards for new coal-fired electric generating units; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. CARDIN (for himself and Mr. OBAMA):


By Mr. BOXER:

S. 1229. A bill to amend the Agricultural Marketing Act of 1946 to provide for the application of mandatory minimum maturity standards applicable to all domestic and im-
ported Hass avocado in the United States; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. DODD:

S. 1230. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide a refundable credit for contributions to qualified tuition programs; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. REED:

S. 1231. A bill to amend part A of title II of the Higher Education Act of 1965 to enhance teacher training and teacher preparation programs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. AKAKA (for himself and Mr. CRAIG):

S. 1233. A bill to provide and enhance inter-
vention, rehabilitative treatment, and serv-
ices to veterans with traumatic brain injury, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans’ Affairs.

By Mr. LAUTENBERG (for himself and Mrs. CLINTON):

S. 1234. A bill to strengthen the liability of parent companies for violations of sanctions by foreign entities, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. CORNYN:

S. 1235. A bill to impose appropriate pen-
lalties for the assault or murder of a Federal law enforcement officer or Federal judge, for the retaliatory assault or murder of a family member of a Federal law enforcement officer or Federal judge, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. MURKOWSKI (for herself and Mr. STIPANO):

S. 1236. A bill to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 regarding highly qualified teachers, growth models, adequate yearly progress, Native American language programs, and parental involve-
ment, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. LAUTENBERG:

S. 1237. A bill to increase public safety by permitting the Attorney General to deny the transfer of firearms or the issuance of fire-
arms and explosives licenses to known or suspected dangerous terrorists; to the Com-
mittee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. CASEY (for himself and Mr. WEIN:

S. 1238. A bill to repeal certain provisions of the Federal Crop Insurance Act and Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002 to establish a new Federal crop insurance program to make loans and loan guarantees to pro-
ducers of experimental biofuel crops and a program to make loans and loan guarantees to producers of experimental biofuel crops; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. KERRY (for himself, Mr. MENENDEZ, and Mr. DURBIN):

S. 1239. A bill to amend the Federal Credit Union Act of 1956 to establish a credit union program for people living in underserved areas; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. KERRY (for himself, Mr. DODD, Mr. HARKIN, Ms. MIKULSKI, Mr. BINGAMAN, Mr. MURRAY, Mrs. CLINTON, Mr. OBAMA, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. BROWN, Mr. INOUYE, Mr. BIDEN, Mr. ROCKEFELLER, Mrs. BOXER, Mr. FEINGOLD, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. CASEY, and Mrs. McCASKILL):

S. 1240. A bill to amend the Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970 to expand cover-
age under the Act, to increase protections for whistleblowers, to impose civil sanctions on certain violators, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. CARDIN (for himself, Ms. MIKULSKI, and Mr. WARNER):

S. 1245. A bill to reform mutual aid agree-
ments for the National Capitol Region; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. LIEBERMAN (for himself, Mr. BROWNACK, and Mr. AKAKA):

S. 1246. A bill to establish and maintain a wildlife global animal information network for surveillance internationally to combat the growing threat of emerging diseases that involve wild animals, such as bird flu, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. LIEBERMAN:

S. 1247. A bill to amend the Weir Farm Na-
tional Historic Site Establishment Act of 1990 to limit the development of any prop-
erty acquired by the Secretary of the Interi-
or for the development of visitor and ad-
mministrative facilities for the Weir Farm Na-
tional Historic Site, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Re-
sources.