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By Mr. KOHL, from the Special Committee on Aging, without amendment:

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By Mr. SCHUMER, from the Committee on Rules and Administration, without amendment:

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By Mr. ROCKEFELLER, from the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, without amendment:

S. Res. 47. A resolution authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Mr. LIEBERMAN, from the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute:

S. 160. A bill to provide the District of Columbia a voting seat and the State of Utah an additional seat in the House of Representatives.

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. LEVIN:

S. 419. A bill for the relief of Luay Lufti Hadad; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. LEVIN:

S. 420. A bill for the relief of Josephina Valera Lopez; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SPECTER:

S. 421. A bill to impose a temporary moratorium on the phase out of the Medicare hospice budget neutrality adjustment factor; to the Committee on Finance.

By Ms. STABENOW (for herself, Ms. MURKOWSKI, Mrs. FEINSTEIN, Ms. COLLINS, Mrs. LINCOLN, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Ms. MIKULSKI, Mr. COCHRAN, Ms. LANDRIEU, Mrs. BOXER, Mrs. SHAHEEN, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. KERRY, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Mr. AKAKA, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. INOUE, Mr. BEGICH, Mr. CASEY, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. BAYH, Mr. CARPER, Mr. WYDEN, and Mr. CONRAD):

S. 422. A bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act and the Public Health Service Act to improve the prevention, diagnosis, and treatment of heart disease, stroke, and other cardiovascular

diseases in women; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. AKAKA (for himself, Ms. SNOWE, Mr. JOHNSON, Mr. ROCKEFELLER, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. TESTER, Mr. BEGICH, Mr. BINGAMAN, Mrs. BOXER, Mr. FEINGOLD, Ms. LANDRIEU, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Mr. MENENDEZ, Ms. MURKOWSKI, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. THUNE, Mr. VITTER, Mr. SCHUMER, and Mr. BURR):

S. 423. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to authorize advance appropriations for certain medical care accounts of the Department of Veterans Affairs by providing two-fiscal year budget authority, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. LEAHY (for himself, Mr. FEINGOLD, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. WHITEHOUSE, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. KERRY, Mr. BROWN, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. DODD, Mr. AKAKA, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Mr. INOUE, and Mrs. BOXER):

S. 424. A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to eliminate discrimination in the immigration laws by permitting permanent partners of United States citizens and lawful permanent residents to obtain lawful permanent resident status in the same manner as spouses of citizens and lawful permanent residents and to penalize immigration fraud in connection with permanent partnerships; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BROWN:

S. 425. A bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to provide for the establishment of a traceability system for food, to amend the Federal Meat Inspection Act, the Poultry Products Inspections Act, the Egg Products Inspection Act, and the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to provide for improved public health and food safety through enhanced enforcement, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. BENNETT:

S. 426. A bill to amend title II of the Social Security Act to provide for progressive indexing and longevity indexing of Social Security old-age insurance benefits for newly retired and aged surviving spouses to ensure the future solvency of the Social Security program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mrs. LINCOLN (for herself, Ms. SNOWE, and Mr. JOHNSON):

S. 427. A bill to amend title XVI of the Social Security Act to clarify that the value of certain funeral and burial arrangements are not to be considered available resources under the supplemental security income program; to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. DORGAN (for himself, Mr. ENZI, Mr. LUGAR, and Mr. DODD):

S. 428. A bill to allow travel between the United States and Cuba; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

By Mr. CASEY (for himself and Mr. GRASSLEY):

S. 429. A bill to ensure the safety of imported food products for the citizens of the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry.

By Mr. INHOFE:

S. 430. A bill to amend the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 to reauthorize that Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. WHITEHOUSE:

S. 431. A bill to establish the Temporary Economic Recovery Adjustment Panel to curb excessive executive compensation at firms receiving emergency economic assist-

ance; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. BINGAMAN (for himself and Mr. MCCAIN):

S. 432. A bill to amend the Morris K. Udall Scholarship and Excellence in National Environmental and Native American Public Policy Act of 1992 to honor the legacy of Stewart L. Udall, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mr. UDALL of New Mexico (for himself and Mr. UDALL of Colorado):

S. 433. A bill to amend the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978 to establish a renewable electricity standard, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. INHOFE:

S.J. Res. 10. A joint resolution supporting a base Defense Budget that at the very minimum matches 4 percent of gross domestic product; to the Committee on Armed Services.

SUBMISSION OF CONCURRENT AND SENATE RESOLUTIONS

The following concurrent resolutions and Senate resolutions were read, and referred (or acted upon), as indicated:

By Mr. DURBIN (for himself, Mr. BAYH, Mr. BUNNING, Mr. BURRIS, Mr. LUGAR, and Mr. MCCONNELL):

S. Res. 38. A resolution commemorating the life and legacy of President Abraham Lincoln on the bicentennial of his birth; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. LEAHY:

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By Mr. LAUTENBERG (for himself, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. KAUFMAN, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. MENENDEZ, and Mr. LEVIN):

S. Res. 40. A resolution designating September 2009 as "Campus Fire Safety Month"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. CONRAD:

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