

Hutchison Amendment No. 197, to delay the implementation of the health reform law in the United States until there is final resolution in pending lawsuits. **Page S2111**

Coburn Amendment No. 184, to provide a list of programs administered by every Federal department and agency. **Page S2111**

Pryor Amendment No. 229, to establish the Patriot Express Loan Program under which the Small Business Administration may make loans to members of the military community wanting to start or expand small business concerns. **Page S2111**

Landrieu Amendment No. 244 (to Amendment No. 183), to change the enactment date. **Page S2111**

A unanimous-consent-time agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill at 11 a.m., on Wednesday, April 6, 2011, and that the pending amendments be set aside and Senator Reid, or his designee, be recognized to call up the following amendments: Baucus No. 236; Stabenow No. 277; Rockefeller No. 215; Coburn No. 217; Coburn No. 223; Coburn No. 273; and Inouye No. 286; that the pending Sanders Amendment No. 207 (listed above) be modified; that the Senate then proceed to a period of debate only until 4 p.m. with the time equally divided between the two Leaders, or their designees, prior to votes on or in relation to the following amendments in the order listed below: Baucus No. 236; Stabenow No. 277; Rockefeller No. 215; McConnell No. 183 (listed above); Coburn No. 223; Inouye No. 286; and Coburn No. 273; that there be no amendments in order to the amendments prior to the votes; the amendments not be divisible; there be two minutes equally divided in between the votes; all after the first vote be 10 minutes in duration; and the amendments be subject to a 60 vote threshold for its adoption; further that upon the disposition of Coburn Amendment No. 273, Amendments No. 184 (listed above) and No. 217 offered by Senator Coburn, be agreed to; that no amendments be in order to Coburn Amendments No. 184 and No. 217 prior to their adoption; and all of the above occurring with no intervening action or debate. **Page S2142**

**Morning Business—Agreement:** A unanimous-consent-time agreement was reached providing that on Wednesday, April 6, 2011, Senate proceed to a period of morning business until 11 a.m., with Senators permitted to speak therein for up to 10 minutes each, with the time until 10:40 a.m. equally divided and controlled between the two Leaders, or their designees, with the Majority controlling the first half and the Republicans controlling the final half, and that at 10:40 a.m., Senator Ayotte be recognized to deliver her maiden speech to the Senate. **Page S2144**

**Nomination Discharged:** The following nomination were discharged from further committee consideration and placed on the Executive Calendar:

Jonathan Andrew Hatfield, of Virginia, to be Inspector General, Corporation for National and Community Service, which was sent to the Senate on January 26, 2011, from the Senate Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs. **Page S2144**

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**Record Votes:** Three record votes were taken today. (Total—50) **Pages S2107–08, S2111**

**Recess:** Senate convened at 10 a.m. and recessed at 7:35 p.m., until 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday, April 6, 2011. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S2144.)

## Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

### APPROPRIATIONS: DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Financial Services and General Government concluded a hearing to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2012 and oversight of prior year funding for the Department of the Treasury, after receiving testimony from Timothy Geithner, Secretary of the Treasury.

### DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION REQUEST AND FUTURE YEARS DEFENSE PROGRAM

*Committee on Armed Services:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine U.S. Northern Command and U.S. Southern Command in review of the Defense Authorization Request for fiscal year 2012 and the Future Years Defense Program, after receiving testimony from Admiral James A. Winnefeld, Jr., United States Navy, Commander, United States

Northern Command, and Commander, North American Aerospace Defense Command, and General Douglas M. Fraser, United States Air Force, Commander, United States Southern Command, both of the Department of Defense.

#### DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION REQUEST AND FUTURE YEARS DEFENSE PROGRAM

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Airland concluded a hearing to examine Army modernization in review of the Defense Authorization Request for fiscal year 2012 and the Future Years Defense Program, after receiving testimony from General Peter W. Chiarelli, USA, Vice Chief of Staff of the Army, Lieutenant General Robert P. Lennox, USA, Deputy Chief of Staff of the Army (G-8), and Lieutenant General William N. Phillips, USA, Principal Military Deputy to the Assistant Secretary of the Army for Acquisition, Logistics, and Technology, and Director, Acquisition Career Management, all of the Department of Defense.

#### BUSINESS MEETING

*Committee on the Budget:* Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Heather A. Higginbottom, of the District of Columbia, to be Deputy Director of the Office of Management and Budget, Executive Office of the President.

#### TOURISM IN AMERICA

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:* Subcommittee on Competitiveness, Innovation, and Export Promotion concluded a hearing to examine tourism in America, focusing on removing barriers and promoting growth, after receiving testimony from Nicole Y. Lamb-Hale, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Manufacturing and Services; David T. Donahue, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Visa Services; John Wagner, Executive Director, Admissibility and Passenger Programs, Office of Field Operations, Customs and Border Protection, Department of Homeland Security; Stephen J. Cloobek, Corporation for Travel Promotion, Las Vegas, Nevada; Nancy Johnson, Carlson Hotels, Minnetonka, Minnesota; John Sprouls, Universal Orlando, Orlando, Florida, on behalf of Universal Parks and Resorts; and Roger Dow, U.S. Travel Association, Washington, D.C.

#### CONNECTING NATIVE NATIONS AND COMMUNITIES

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine closing the digital divide, focusing on connecting native nations and communities to the 21st century, after receiving testimony from Geoffrey Blackwell, Chief, Office of Native Affairs and Policy, Federal Communications Commission; Alapaki Nahale-a, Hawaiian Department of Hawaiian Home Lands Chairman, Honolulu; Loris Taylor, Native Public Media, Flagstaff, Arizona, on behalf of the National Congress of American Indians; Myron P. Naneng, Sr., Association of Village Council Presidents, Bethel, Alaska; and John Badal, Sacred Wind Communications, Inc., Albuquerque, New Mexico.

#### BUSINESS MEETING

*Committee on Environment and Public Works:* Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Daniel M. Ashe, of Maryland, to be Director of the United States Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior.

#### NOMINATIONS

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine the nominations of Mara E. Rudman, of Massachusetts, to be an Assistant Administrator of the United States Agency for International Development, who was introduced by Senator Reed, and Robert Patterson, of New York, to be Ambassador to Turkmenistan, Department of State, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

#### NOMINATIONS

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine the nominations of Jonathan Scott Gration, of New Jersey, to be to the Republic of Kenya, and Michelle D. Gavin, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Botswana, both of the Department of State, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

#### INTELLIGENCE

*Select Committee on Intelligence:* Committee held closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Committee recessed subject to the call.