

to extend the Generalized System of Preferences, and for other purposes.

Harry Reid, Max Baucus, Robert P. Casey, Jr., Mark Udall, Debbie Stabenow, Jeff Bingaman, Daniel K. Inouye, Maria Cantwell, Patty Murray, Richard Blumenthal, Michael F. Bennet, Patrick J. Leahy, Tom Harkin, Barbara Boxer, Kent Conrad, Sherrod Brown, Carl Levin.

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the mandatory quorum required under rule XXII be waived and at 5:30 p.m., Monday, September 19, the Senate proceed to vote on the motion to invoke cloture on the motion to proceed to H.R. 2832.

The ACTING PRESIDENT pro tempore. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. REID. Mr. President, first of all, I want everyone within the sound of my voice to understand that I do not like the Colombia Free Trade Agreement, the Korea Free Trade Agreement, or the Panama Free Trade Agreement. I will vote against them. But I have been asked on numerous occasions to move these trade matters to the floor.

That is what I have agreed to do, and I am going to do that. But it is very difficult for me to understand, when my Republican colleagues, the Chamber of Commerce, and others support these trade agreements, and they want them done, and now when I want to move to them, I cannot do it. It is hard to comprehend that we have to file cloture on a motion to proceed to an agreement we have. The agreement we have is that we are going to do trade adjustment assistance, and a few other stops in the middle, and then we are going to do the free trade agreements. Again, this is the pattern we have experienced for the last 8 months. It doesn't matter what it is.

This is something they agreed with. We are attempting to move to the free trade agreements and they are stopping us from doing that.

I hope the American people get the picture, and I am confident they are getting the picture more clearly every day. There isn't a thing we can bring up here that they don't stall to the very limit of the procedures here.

Again, we are going to move to the free trade agreements. The first part of the deal is trade adjustment assistance. We have to invoke cloture to do this. I think that is a travesty and it is too bad.

MORNING BUSINESS

BUDGETARY ADJUSTMENTS

Mr. CONRAD. Mr. President, last week, pursuant to section 106 of the Budget Control Act of 2011, I filed new committee allocations, new budgetary and Social Security aggregates, and a revised pay-as-you-go scorecard. Today, I am adjusting some of those levels, specifically the allocation to the Committee on Appropriations for fiscal year 2012 and the budgetary aggregates for fiscal years 2011 and 2012.

First, as specified under section 106(b)(1), I filed new allocations to the Committee on Appropriations. For 2012, that allocation was set consistent with the sum of the two limits on discretionary spending set forth in the Budget Control Act. Section 101 of the Budget Control Act establishes a limit of \$684 billion in new budget authority for the security category and \$359 billion in new budget authority for the nonsecurity category, for a total of \$1,043 billion. To match the divisions provided by the Budget Control Act, I am subdividing the initial allocation of \$1,043 billion in budget authority provided to the Committee on Appropriations into two separate amounts, \$684 billion for security funding and \$359 billion for nonsecurity funding.

Second, section 101 of the Budget Control Act allows for various adjustments to the statutory limits on discretionary spending, while section 106(d) allows the chairman of the Budget Committee to make revisions to allocations, aggregates, and levels consistent with those adjustments. The Committee on Appropriations reported three bills last week that are eligible for adjustments under the Budget Control Act. In total, I am making adjustments to the 2012 allocation to the Committee on Appropriations and the

budgetary aggregates of \$5.769 billion in budget authority and \$1.157 billion in outlays. Those adjustments reflect the sum of \$5.511 billion in budget authority and \$0.958 billion in outlays for funding designated for disaster relief, \$0 in budget authority and -\$0.007 billion in outlays for funding designated as an emergency, and \$0.258 billion in budget authority and \$0.206 billion in outlays for funding designated as being for overseas contingency operations.

Finally, I am making technical adjustments to the 2011 and 2012 budgetary aggregates. These adjustments are being made to remove amounts that the Senate allocates to the Appropriations Committee each year but does not count as part of the spending aggregates. A similar adjustment will be made at the time the Congress clears the relevant appropriations bills, such that the adjustments do not change the total amount of room that is available to the Senate under the aggregates in either year.

I ask unanimous consent that the following tables detailing the changes to the allocation to the Committee on Appropriations and the budgetary aggregates be printed in the RECORD.

There being no objection, the material was ordered to be printed in the RECORD, as follows:

BUDGETARY AGGREGATES.—PURSUANT TO SECTION 106(b)(1)(C) OF THE BUDGET CONTROL ACT OF 2011 AND SECTION 311 OF THE CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET ACT OF 1974

	[In millions of dollars]	
	2011	2012
Current Spending Aggregates:		
Budget Authority	3,076,930	2,854,385
Outlays	3,167,997	2,987,419
Adjustments:		
Budget Authority	- 6,045	- 396
Outlays	- 6,023	- 4,998
Revised Spending Aggregates:		
Budget Authority	3,070,885	2,853,989
Outlays	3,161,974	2,982,421

REVISIONS TO THE BUDGET AUTHORITY AND OUTLAY ALLOCATIONS TO THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS PURSUANT TO SECTION 106 OF THE BUDGET CONTROL ACT OF 2011 AND SECTION 302 OF THE CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET ACT OF 1974

[In millions of dollars]

	Initial allocation/limit	Subdivide 2012 budget authority	Current allocation/limit	Adjustment	Revised allocation/limit
Fiscal Year 2011:					
General Purpose Discretionary Budget Authority	1,211,141	n/a	1,211,141	0	1,211,141
General Purpose Discretionary Outlays	1,391,055	n/a	1,391,055	0	1,391,055
Fiscal Year 2012:					
General Purpose Budget Authority	1,043,000	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Security Discretionary Budget Authority	n/a	684,000	684,000	4,458	688,458
Nonsecurity Discretionary Budget Authority	n/a	359,000	359,000	1,311	360,311
General Purpose Discretionary Outlays	1,262,000	n/a	1,262,000	1,157	1,263,157

DETAILS ON ADJUSTMENTS TO FISCAL YEAR 2012 ALLOCATIONS TO COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS PURSUANT TO SECTION 106 OF THE BUDGET CONTROL ACT OF 2011

[In billions of dollars]

	Disaster relief	Emergency	Overseas contingency operations	Total
Homeland Security:				
Budget Authority	4.200	0.000	0.258	4.458

DETAILS ON ADJUSTMENTS TO FISCAL YEAR 2012 ALLOCATIONS TO COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS PURSUANT TO SECTION 106 OF THE BUDGET CONTROL ACT OF 2011—

Continued
[In billions of dollars]

	Disaster relief	Emergency	Overseas contingency operations	Total
Outlays	0.084	-0.007	0.206	0.283
Agriculture:				
Budget Authority	0.266	0.000	0.000	0.266
Outlays	0.107	0.000	0.000	0.107
Energy and Water:				
Budget Authority	1.045	0.000	0.000	1.045
Outlays	0.767	0.000	0.000	0.767
Total:				
Budget Authority	5.511	0.000	0.258	5.769
Outlays	0.958	-0.007	0.206	1.157
Memorandum:				
Security Budget Authority	4.200	0.000	0.258	4.458
Nonsecurity Budget Authority	1.311	0.000	0.000	1.311
General Purpose Outlays	0.958	-0.007	0.206	1.157

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

At 10:36 a.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Mr. Novotny, one of its reading clerks, announced that the Speaker has signed the following enrolled bill:

H.R. 2887. An act to provide an extension of surface and air transportation programs, and for other purposes.

The enrolled bill was subsequently signed by the President pro tempore (Mr. INOUE).

MEASURES PLACED ON THE CALENDAR

The following bill was read the second time, and placed on the calendar:

H.R. 2587. An act to prohibit the National Labor Relations Board from ordering any employer to close, relocate, or transfer employment under any circumstance.

ADDITIONAL COSPONSORS

S. 1094

At the request of Mr. MENENDEZ, the name of the Senator from New Hampshire (Mrs. SHAHEEN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1094, a bill to reauthorize the Combating Autism Act of 2006 (Public Law 109-416).

S. 1369

At the request of Mr. CRAPO, the name of the Senator from West Vir-

ginia (Mr. MANCHIN) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1369, a bill to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to exempt the conduct of silvicultural activities from national pollutant discharge elimination system permitting requirements.

S. 1507

At the request of Mr. HATCH, the names of the Senator from Arizona (Mr. KYL), the Senator from South Carolina (Mr. DEMINT), the Senator from Alabama (Mr. SESSIONS), the Senator from South Dakota (Mr. THUNE), the Senator from Kentucky (Mr. PAUL), the Senator from Florida (Mr. RUBIO), and the Senator from Wisconsin (Mr. JOHNSON) were added as cosponsors of S. 1507, a bill to provide protections from workers with respect to their right to select or refrain from selecting representation by a labor organization.

S. 1517

At the request of Mr. LAUTENBERG, the name of the Senator from Alaska (Mr. BEGICH) was added as a cosponsor of S. 1517, a bill to provide for the creation of jobs.

ORDERS FOR MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2011

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate completes its business today, it adjourn until 2 p.m. on Monday, Sep-

tember 19; that following the prayer and the pledge, the Journal of proceedings be approved to date, the morning hour be deemed to have expired, and the time for the two leaders be reserved for their use later in the day; that following leader remarks, the Senate be in a period of morning business until 4:30 p.m., with Senators permitted to speak therein for up to 10 minutes; that following morning business, the Senate resume consideration of the motion to proceed to Calendar No. 166, H.R. 2832, the GSP Act, with the time until 5:30 p.m. equally divided and controlled between Senators BAUCUS and HATCH or their designees.

The ACTING PRESIDENT pro tempore. Without objection, it is so ordered.

PROGRAM

Mr. REID. Mr. President, the next rollcall vote will be on Monday at 5:30.

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2011, AT 2 P.M.

Mr. REID. Mr. President, if there is no further business to come before the Senate, I ask unanimous consent that it adjourn under the previous order.

There being no objection, the Senate, at 11:17 a.m., adjourned until Monday, September 19, 2011, at 2 p.m.