

computers at home, the programming provided by Arkansas PBS became their classroom.

I am proud of the partnership between Arkansas PBS and the Arkansas Department of Education, which offered students a way to keep learning when they couldn't be at school. This effort was possible because of a long-standing relationship between the broadcast network and education officials who have worked together for many years. With a strong foundation in place, they were quickly and creatively able to pivot and provide classroom learning on a network of stations that reached 76 percent of the State with a simple over-the-air signal. The programming was also available on cable and satellite, live-streaming, on-demand, and various apps that families could access on mobile devices.

I am proud of these devoted Arkansans who rose to meet an incredible challenge, and I am grateful for the work they do every day to make education in our State a priority. This recognition from the NETA is a testament to its commitment to offering quality educational, informative, and entertaining content that benefits the people of Arkansas. We appreciate the hard-working staff of Arkansas PBS and celebrate their accomplishments which reflect so well on the organization and its service to our State.●

RECOGNIZING 70 YEARS OF KRVN

● Mrs. FISCHER. Mr. President, I would like to take a moment to recognize the 70th anniversary of KRVN, a longtime Nebraska radio station.

KRVN was founded in 1951 to bring the news to Nebraska's rural communities, and they have remained committed to that mission throughout their existence.

From the very beginning, Nebraska's farmers and ranchers have depended on their straightforward approach to the stories that matter most, and their outstanding reporting continues to be a crucial part of our agriculture industry's success.

As everyone who has listened to KRVN knows, they have achieved 70 years of success because they put their audience first. That is no accident—KRVN is one of the only radio stations in the country that is owned by a cooperative of farmers and ranchers.

As a cattle rancher myself, my family, friends, and neighbors have listened to their daily livestock reports for decades, and I always enjoy stopping by their studios when I am in Lexington, NE.

As a lifelong Nebraskan, I am immensely proud of all they have done for our State.

I congratulate them on reaching this historic milestone. Here is to 70 more years.●

REMEMBERING PAUL CHARLES WESCH

● Mr. SHELBY. Mr. President, I rise today to honor the life of Paul Charles

Wesch of Mobile, AL, who passed away on December 27, 2020. He will be long remembered for his vast knowledge of finance, law, and business, and for his commitment to his community.

Paul was born in Seattle, WA, on November 20, 1954. He grew up in Hunstville, AL, where he graduated from Butler High School in 1973. He went on to earn two undergraduate degrees, a law degree, and later a LL.M degree in taxation from the University of Alabama. Upon graduation from law school in 1980, he accepted a position with Stanard and Mills law firm in Mobile. In 1984, Paul joined The Mitchell Company as a real estate developer, where he worked for nearly 30 years. During his tenure at The Mitchell Company, he served as executive vice president, general counsel, and director. Paul was later appointed in 2013 by Mobile Mayor Sandy Stimpson to be the city's executive finance director. A few years later, in 2016, he became Mayor Stimpson's chief of staff while continuing to serve as finance director.

In addition to his professional achievements, Paul previously served as chairman of the Mobile County Republican Party and managed several political campaigns. He served on the board of directors for National Security Group, Inc., as well as the USS Alabama Battleship Commission. Paul was also involved with Camp Rap-A-Hope, St. Mary's Home for Children, and the University of Alabama President's Cabinet for several years. He was a respected member of the Athelstan Club, the Mobile Bar Association, and the Alabama Bar Association.

I offer my deepest condolences to Paul's wife, Linda; his children, Paul, Caroline, and Colden; his sister, Sharon; his brother-in-law, Stephen; and his nieces and nephews. I join all of their loved ones as they mourn his loss and celebrate his many life accomplishments.●

MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT

Messages from the President of the United States were communicated to the Senate by Mr. Pate, one of his secretaries.

EXECUTIVE MESSAGES REFERRED

As in executive session the Presiding Officer laid before the Senate messages from the President of the United States submitting sundry nominations which were referred to the appropriate committees.

(The messages received today are printed at the end of the Senate proceedings.)

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

At 6:04 p.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by Mrs. Cole, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House has agreed to

the following concurrent resolution, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H. Con. Res. 11. Concurrent resolution establishing the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 2021 and setting forth the appropriate budgetary levels for fiscal years 2022 through 2030.

MEASURES PLACED ON THE CALENDAR

The following concurrent resolution was read, and placed on the calendar:

H. Con. Res. 11. Concurrent resolution establishing the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 2021 and setting forth the appropriate budgetary levels for fiscal years 2022 through 2030.

EXECUTIVE AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were laid before the Senate, together with accompanying papers, reports, and documents, and were referred as indicated:

EC-221. A communication from the Assistant Secretary of the Navy Performing the Duties of the Under Secretary of Defense (Comptroller/Chief Financial Officer), transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to Antideficiency Act (ADA) Violations; to the Committee on Armed Services.

EC-222. A communication from the Director of Legislative Affairs, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Standardized Approach for Calculating the Exposure Amount of Derivative Contracts; Correction" (RIN3064-AF52) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on February 2, 2021; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-223. A communication from the Director of Legislative Affairs, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Regulatory Capital Rule: Changes to Applicability Thresholds for Regulatory Capital and Liquidity Requirements; Correction" (RIN3064-AF66) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on February 2, 2021; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-224. A communication from the Director of Legislative Affairs, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Regulatory Capital Treatment for Investments in Certain Unsecured Debt Instruments of Global Systemically Important U.S. Bank Holding Companies, Certain Intermediate Holding Companies, and Global Systemically Important Foreign Banking Organizations; Total Loss-Absorbing Capacity Requirements" (RIN3064-AE79) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on February 2, 2021; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-225. A communication from the Sanctions Regulations Advisor, Office of Foreign Assets Control, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Final Rule to Implement the Hong Kong-Related Sanctions Regulations as a New Part 585 in 31 CFR Chapter V" (31 CFR Part 585) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on February 2, 2021; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-226. A communication from the Deputy Assistant Director for Regulatory Affairs, Office of Foreign Assets Control, Department

of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Final Rule Amending the OFC AC Narcotics Trafficking Sanctions Regulations, 31 CFR Part 536, and the Foreign Narcotics Kingpin Sanctions Regulations, 31 CFR Part 598” (31 CFR Part 536 and 598) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on February 2, 2021; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs.

EC-227. A communication from the Chief of the Disclosure Support Branch, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Treasury Decision (TD): Grandfathered Group Health Plans and Grandfathered Group Health Insurance Coverage” (RIN1545-BP67) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on February 1, 2021; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-228. A communication from the Chief of the Disclosure Support Branch, Internal Revenue Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Qualified Transportation Fringe, Transportation and Commuting Expenses Under Section 274” (RIN1545-BP49) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on February 2, 2021; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-229. A communication from the Regulations Coordinator, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Medicare and Medicaid Programs; Contract Year 2022 Policy and Technical Changes to the Medicare Advantage Program, Medicare Prescription Drug Benefit Program, Medicaid Program, Medicare Cost Plan Program, and Programs of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly” (RIN0938-AT97) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on February 2, 2021; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-230. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Legislation, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled “FY 2019 Report to Congress: Review of Medicare’s Program for Oversight of Accrediting Organizations and the Clinical Laboratory Improvement Validation Program”; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-231. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Legislation, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the annual report on the Child Support Program for fiscal year 2018; to the Committee on Finance.

EC-232. A communication from the Legal Counsel, Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Update of the Commission’s Conciliation Procedures” (RIN3046-AB19) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on February 2, 2021; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-233. A communication from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulatory Affairs, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Allocation of Assets in Single-Employer Plans; Valuation of Benefits and Assets” (29 CFR Part 4044) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on February 2, 2021; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-234. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Legislation, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled “Report to Congress on Transformed Medicaid Statistical Information System (T-MSIS) Substance Use Disorder (SUD) Data Book, Treatment of SUD in Medicaid in 2018”; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-235. A communication from the Regulations Coordinator, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Rotational Program for Directors of Centers and Other Components of HHS” (21 CFR Part 5) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on February 2, 2021; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

EC-236. A communication from the Senior Counsel, Executive Office for United States Trustees, Department of Justice, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Procedures for Completing Uniform Periodic Reports in Non-Small Business Cases Filed Under Chapter 11 of Title 11” (RIN1105-AB30) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on February 2, 2021; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-237. A communication from the Chief of the Regulatory Coordination Division, Citizenship and Immigration Services, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled “Security Bars and Processing; Delay of Effective Date” (RIN1615-AC57) received in the Office of the President of the Senate on February 2, 2021; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

EC-238. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-503, “Racial Equity Achieves Results (REACH) Amendment Act of 2020”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-239. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-504, “Certificate of Stillbirth Amendment Act of 2020”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-240. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-505, “Dr. Montague Cobb Way Designation Act of 2020”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-241. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-506, “Opioid Labeling Amendment Act of 2020”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-242. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-507, “Closing of a Public Alley in Square 2892, S.O. 19-47478, Act of 2020”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-243. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-508, “Gail Cobb Way Designation Act of 2020”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-244. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-509, “Cecelia’s Way Designation Act of 2020”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-245. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-510, “District of Champions Extension of Hours Amendment Act of 2020”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-246. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Colum-

bia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-511, “Expanding Equitable Access to Schools Amendment Act of 2020”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-247. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-512, “Nurse Staffing Agency Amendment Act of 2020”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-248. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-513, “Earl Wright, Jr. Way Designation Act of 2020”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-249. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-525, “Dementia Training for Direct Care Workers Support Amendment Act of 2020”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-250. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-526, “Students’ Rights to Home or Hospital Instruction Act of 2020”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-251. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-527, “Unemployment Compensation Employer Classification Amendment Act of 2020”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-252. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-528, “Closing a Portion of Chesapeake Street, S.W., Magazine Road, S.W., and Keel Avenue, S.W., and the Transfer of Jurisdiction Back to the Secretary of the Navy, S.O. 14-21786, Act of 2020”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-253. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-493, “Community Harassment Prevention Temporary Amendment Act of 2020”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-254. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-611, “Advisory Neighborhood Commissions Participation in Planning and Development Amendment Act of 2020”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-255. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-540, “Medical Marijuana Program Patient Employment Protection Amendment Act of 2020”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-256. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-484, “Restore the Vote Amendment Act of 2020”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-257. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-610, “Police Reform Commission Extension Temporary Amendment Act of 2020”; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-258. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-595, "FOIA Tolling Temporary Amendment Act of 2020"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-259. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-594, "Reverse Mortgage Insurance and Tax Payment Program Extension Temporary Amendment Act of 2020"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-260. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-593, "Public Space Maintenance and Arts Clarification Temporary Amendment Act of 2020"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-261. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-501, "Common Interest Community Virtual Meeting Temporary Amendment Act of 2020"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-262. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-535, "Fiscal Year 2021 Budget Support Additional Clarification Temporary Amendment Act of 2020"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-263. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-534, "Capital Gains Deduction Clarification Temporary Amendment Act of 2020"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-264. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-500, "CleanEnergy DC Omnibus Technical Amendment Temporary Amendment Act of 2020"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-265. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-502, "Unemployment Benefits Extension Temporary Amendment Act of 2020"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-266. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-533, "Metropolitan Police Department Overtime Spending Accountability Temporary Amendment Act of 2020"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-267. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-499, "Fairness in Renting Temporary Amendment Act of 2020"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-268. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-498, "Emergency Rental Assistance Reform Temporary Amendment Act of 2020"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-269. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-496, "Revised Game of Skill Machines Consumer Protections Temporary

Amendment Act of 2020"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-270. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-495, "Revised Streatery and Pop Up Locations Programs Clarification Temporary Amendment Act of 2020"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-271. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-494, "Medical Marijuana Plant Count Elimination Temporary Amendment Act of 2020"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-272. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-590, "Fiscal Year 2021 Budget Support Clarification Amendment Act of 2020"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-273. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-573, "Sanctuary Values Amendment Act of 2020"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-274. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-571, "Intrafamily Offenses and Anti-Stalking Orders Amendment Act of 2020"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-275. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-591, "Displaced Workers Right to Reinstatement and Retention Amendment Act of 2020"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-276. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-589, "Helping Children Impacted by Parental Incarceration Amendment Act of 2020"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EC-277. A communication from the Chairman of the Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on D.C. Act 23-568, "Omnibus Public Safety and Justice Amendment Act of 2020"; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

EXECUTIVE REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following executive reports of nominations were submitted:

By Mr. WICKER for the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

*Gina Marie Raimondo, of Rhode Island, to be Secretary of Commerce.

By Ms. MURKOWSKI for the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

*Jennifer Mulhern Granholm, of Michigan, to be Secretary of Energy.

*Nomination was reported with recommendation that it be confirmed subject to the nominee's commitment to respond to requests to appear and testify before any duly constituted committee of the Senate.

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 Ms. WARREN:

S. 187. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to establish an Emergency Office of Manufacturing for Public Health, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Ms. WARREN (for herself, Ms. SMITH, Mr. MERKLEY, and Mr. MARKEY):

S. 188. A bill to create a Coronavirus Containment Corps; to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions.

By Mr. THUNE (for himself and Mr. SCHATZ):

S. 189. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide for annual cost-of-living adjustments to be made automatically by law each year in the rates of disability compensation for veterans with service-connected disabilities and the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation for survivors of certain service-connected disabled veterans, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. BLUMENTHAL (for himself, Mr. MURPHY, Mr. MARKEY, and Mr. CASEY):

S. 190. A bill to amend chapter 44 of title 18, United States Code, to require the safe storage of firearms, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. ERNST:

S. 191. A bill to require the removal of Federal employees who engage in certain actions; to the Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. WYDEN (for himself and Mr. MERKLEY):

S. 192. A bill to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to designate certain river segments in the State of Oregon as components of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. THUNE (for himself, Ms. KLOBUCHAR, Mr. DURBIN, Ms. ERNST, Mr. GRASSLEY, Mr. ROUNDS, and Ms. BALDWIN):

S. 193. A bill to require the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to update the modeling used for lifecycle greenhouse gas assessments for corn-based ethanol and biodiesel, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Environment and Public Works.

By Mrs. SHAHEEN (for herself, Mr. TILLIS, Mrs. CAPITO, and Ms. HIRONO):

S. 194. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to provide treatment for eating disorders for dependents of members of the uniformed services; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Ms. KLOBUCHAR (for herself and Mr. BLUMENTHAL):

S. 195. A bill to amend title 23, United States Code, to require the Secretary of Transportation to provide States applying for distracted driving grants an explanation of the eligibility decision with respect to the State, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Ms. KLOBUCHAR (for herself and Mr. HOEVEN):

S. 196. A bill to require the Secretary of Energy to establish an energy efficiency materials pilot program; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources.

By Mr. CRUZ:

S. 197. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to permanently allow a tax deduction at the time an investment in qualified property is made, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Finance.

By Ms. ROSEN (for herself, Mrs. FISCHER, Mr. YOUNG, and Mr. SCHATZ):