

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

FRIDAY, JUNE 28, 2013

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Friday, June 28 at 12:15 PM

Tuesday, July 2 at 10:15 AM

Friday, July 5 at 12 Noon.

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SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

THURSDAY, JUNE 27, 2013

The Senate will convene at 9:30 AM on Thursday, June 27, 2013 and will resume consideration of S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). At 11:30 AM, the Senate will proceed to Executive Session and vote on Cal. #179 (Anthony Foxx to be Secretary of Transportation). Following disposition of the nomination, the Senate will resume S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). Sen. Reid will then be recognized to raise a Point of Order on remaining amendments to the substitute amendments, and after the amendments fall, the Senate will proceed to vote on the Committee-Reported amendment, as amended. The Senate will then vote on the Motion to Invoke Cloture on S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). If cloture is invoked, it will be considered as it had been invoked at 7:00 AM on Thursday, June 27th.

The Senate convened and proceeded to a Legislative Session.

S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform).

Sen. Leahy asked Unanimous Consent that the Senate proceed to vote on 32 amendments. Objected to by Sen. Cornyn.

The Senate proceeded to Executive Session.

Cal. #179 (Anthony Foxx to be Secretary of Transportation). Yeas and nays ordered. The nomination was confirmed by a vote of 100-0.

Reid amend #1552 (To change the enactment date). Withdrawn by Sen. Reid.
Reid amend #1553 (Of a perfecting nature). Withdrawn by Sen. Reid.

Reid made a Point of Order that the following pending amendments are no longer in order:
Reed amend #1224 (To clarify the physical present requirements for merit-based immigrant visa applicants).

Cruz amend #1320 (To replace title I of the bill with specific border security requirements, which shall be met before the Secretary of Homeland Security may process applications for registered immigrant status or blue card status and to avoid Department of Homeland Security budget reductions).

Boxer amend #1240 (To require training for National Guard and Coast Guard officers and agents in training programs on border protection, immigration law enforcement, and how to address vulnerable populations, such as children and victims of crime).

The Point of Orders were taken and the amendments fell.

Committee-reported substitute amendment, as amended. Yeas and nays ordered. The amendment, as amended, is agreed to by a vote of 68-32.

S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). Motion to Invoke Cloture on the bill. Yeas and nays ordered. The cloture motion was invoked by a vote of 68-32.

Final Passage of S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform) will occur at 4:00 PM today.

S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform) as amended. Final passage. Yeas and nays ordered. The bill passed by a vote of 68-32.

Reed made a unanimous consent request that the Senate proceed to S. 1238 (Keep Student Loans Affordable Act), that the bill be read three times and passed. McConnell objected.

McConnell made a unanimous consent request that the Senate proceed to the Student Loan Bill introduced earlier today by Manchin, King, Alexander, Coburn, Burr, and Carper, that the bill be read three times and passed. Reed objected.

The Senate proceeded to an Executive Session.

Reid asked unanimous consent, that at a time to be determined by Senate leaders, the Senate proceed to Executive Session to Cal. #97 (Jennifer Dorsey, of Nevada, to be United States District Judge for the District of Nevada), that there be one hour for debate and that the Senate then proceed to vote on the nomination. The unanimous consent request was agreed to.

Reid asked unanimous consent that on Monday, July 8th, 2013, at 5:00 PM, the Senate proceed to an Executive Session to consider Cal. #90 (Gregory Alan Phillips, of Wyoming, to be U.S. Circuit Judge for the Tenth Circuit). The Senate will vote on confirmation of the nomination at 5:30 PM. The unanimous consent request was agreed to.

Reid asked unanimous consent, that at a time to be determined by Senate leaders, the Senate proceed to Executive Session to Cal. #186 (Derek Anthony West, of California, to be Associate Attorney General)), that there be one hour for debate and that the Senate then proceed to vote on the nomination. The unanimous consent request was agreed to.

The following nominations were agreed to en bloc by unanimous consent:

Cal. #146 (146 Sylvia M. Becker, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission of the United States -Reappointment).

Cal. #145 (Sylvia M. Becker, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission of the United States).

Cal. #177 (Brian C. Deese, of Massachusetts, to be Deputy Director of the Office of Management and Budget).

Cal. #181 (Rear Adm. Steven E. Day, USCGR in the Coast Guard).

Cal. #190 (Allison M. Macfarlane, of Maryland, to be a Member of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission).

Cal. #196 (Rear Adm. Philip S. Davidson to be Vice Admiral in the Navy).

Cal. #197 (Maj. Gen. Michael S. Linnington to be Lt. General in the Army).

Cal. #198 (Capt. Stephen M. Pachuta to be Rear Admiral in the Navy).

All nominations on the Secretary's desk in the Air Force, Army, Coast Guard and Navy were confirmed en bloc by unanimous consent

The following Presidential Nominations were confirmed by unanimous consent:

PN #121

PN #500

Cal. #187 (Howard A. Shelanski, of Pennsylvania, to be Administrator of the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget). Agree to by voice vote.

The Senate resumed a Legislative Session.

H.R. 1151 (An act to direct the Secretary of State to develop a strategy to obtain observer status for Taiwan at the triennial civil aviation assembly).

Agreed to by unanimous consent.

H.R. 2383 (Stan Musial Veterans Memorial Bridge). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

H.R. 324 (Congressional Gold Medal ceremony collectively to the first special service force in recognition of its superior service during WWII). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

S. Res. 192 (150th Anniversary of the Battle of Gettysburg).

S. Con. Res. 19 (Conditional Adjournment for the Senate and the House of Representatives).

The following bills were considered read twice and placed on the calendar”

S. 1238

S. 1241

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The Senate will vote on confirmation of the nomination at 5:30 PM.

The Senate adjourned at 7:20 PM.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 26, 2013

The Senate will convene at 9:30 AM and will immediately resume consideration of S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). At 11:30 AM, all post-cloture time on the Leahy amend #1183 (Strengthen border security and enforcement) will expire. The Senate will proceed to a vote on the Leahy Motion to waive all applicable Budget Act Points of Order to the bill. If the vote on the Motion to Waive is successful, the Senate will immediately proceed to vote on Leahy amend #1183 (Strengthen border security and enforcement). Upon disposition of the Leahy amend #1183, the Senate will proceed to a vote on the Motion to Invoke Cloture on the Committee-Reported Substitute amendment to S. 744, as amended.

The Senate convened and proceeded to a Legislative Session.

S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform).

Leahy amend #1183 (Strengthen border security and enforcement)

Under the previous order, all post-cloture time has been expired. Amendment number 1551 is withdrawn.

Motion to Waive the Budget Act with respect to all Points of Order to S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). Yeas and nays ordered. The Motion was agreed to by a vote of **68-30**. All Points of Order fall.

Leahy amend #1183 (Strengthen border security and enforcement) as modified. Yeas and nays ordered. The amendment was agreed to by a vote of **69-29**.

Motion to Invoke Cloture on the Committee-Reported Substitute amendment to S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). Yeas and nays ordered. The Motion to Invoke Cloture was agreed to by a vote of **67-31**.

Sen. Reid asked Unanimous Consent that a Manager's package at the desk be in order and agreed to en bloc, and that the Senate then proceed to consideration and vote on 32 amendments, that the Senate then vote on a Reid Point of Order, and upon disposition of the amendments and Points of Order that the Committee Reported Substitute be agreed to, the Cloture Motion on S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform) be withdrawn, and that the bill as amended be read a third time and passed. Objected to by Sen. Grassley.

The Senate proceeded to a period of Morning Business.

S. Res. 144 (Concerning the ongoing conflict in the Democratic Republic of the Congo). Agreed to by Unanimous Consent.

S. Res. 166 (50th Anniversary of the Organization of African Unity). Agreed to by Unanimous Consent.

S. Res. 187 (Congratulating the Chicago Blackhawks on winning the 2013 Stanley Cup). Agreed to by Unanimous Consent.

S. Res. 188 (Centennial of the Lincoln Highway). Agreed to by Unanimous Consent.

S. Res. 189 (Relative to the death of the Honorable William Dodd Hathaway, former US Senator from Maine). Agreed to by Unanimous Consent.

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The Senate adjourned at 8:35 PM under the provisions of S. Res. 189 as a further mark to the late Sen. Hathaway of Maine.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

TUESDAY, JUNE 25, 2013

The Senate will convene at 10:00 AM and will be in a period of Morning Business for one hour. At 11:00 AM, the Senate will resume consideration of S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). The Senate will recess from 12:30 to 2:15 PM for the weekly party caucus lunches. All time during the adjournment, recess, Morning Business and Executive Session will count post-cloture on the Leahy amend #1183 (Corker-Hoeven amend - To strengthen border security and enforcement), as modified.

The Senate convened and proceeded to a period of Morning Business.

The Senate proceeded to a Legislative Session.

S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform).

Leahy amend #1183 (Corker-Hoeven amend – To strengthen border security and enforcement), as modified.

The Senate recessed from 12:54-2:15 PM for weekly party caucus luncheons.

The Senate convened and proceeded to an Executive Session.

Cal. #180 (Penny Pritzker to be Secretary of Commerce). Yeas and nays ordered. The nomination is confirmed by a vote of 97-1.

The Senate resumed a Legislative Session.

S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform).

Leahy amend #1183 (Corker-Hoeven amend – To strengthen border security and enforcement), as modified.

Vitter Point of Order that S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform) violates Section 201(a) of the Budget Resolution for fiscal year 2008. **Leahy Motion to waive** the applicable sections of the Budget Resolution for the entire bill.

Sen. Leahy received unanimous consent that all post-cloture time on the Leahy amend #1183 to S. 744 (Immigration Reform) will expire on Wednesday, June 26, 2013 at 11:30 AM. Further, that the Senate will proceed to a vote on the Leahy Motion to waive all applicable Budget Act Points of Order to the bill. If the Wednesday vote on the Motion to Waive is successful, the Senate will immediately proceed to vote on Leahy amend #1183 (Strengthen border security and enforcement). Lastly, upon disposition of the Leahy amend #1183, the Senate will proceed to a vote on the Motion to Invoke Cloture on the Committee-Reported Substitute amendment to S. 744, as amended.

S. Res. 186 (Congratulating the Miami Heat for winning the NBA Finals). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

The Senate will convene at 9:30 AM on Wednesday, June 26, 2013 and will immediately resume consideration of S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). At 11:30 AM., all post-cloture time on the Leahy amend #1183 (Strengthen border security and enforcement) will expire. The Senate will proceed to a vote on the Leahy Motion to waive all applicable Budget Act Points of Order to the bill. If the vote on the Motion to Waive is successful, the Senate will immediately proceed to vote on Leahy amend #1183 (Strengthen border security and enforcement). Upon disposition of the Leahy amend #1183, the Senate will proceed to a vote on the Motion to Invoke Cloture on the Committee-Reported Substitute amendment to S. 744, as amended.

The Senate adjourned at 7:04 PM.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

MONDAY, JUNE 24, 2013

The Senate will convene at 12:00 PM and will resume consideration of S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). At 5:30 PM, the Senate will vote on the Motion to Invoke Cloture on the Leahy amend #1183 (Corker-Hoeven amend), as modified.

The Senate convened and proceeded to a Legislative Session.

Reid filed the Motion to Invoke Cloture on the Committee reported substitute amendment to S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform).

Reid filed the Motion to Invoke Cloture on S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform).

S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform).

Motion to Invoke Cloture on Leahy amend #1183 (Corker-Hoeven amend - To strengthen border security and enforcement) as modified. Yeas and nays ordered. The Motion to Invoke Cloture was agreed to by a vote of 67-27.

S. Res. 184 (World Refugee Day). Agreed to by unanimous consent

S. Res. 185 (Authorize Senate legal counsel for representation in R. Wayne Patterson vs. U.S. Senate). Agreed to by unanimous consent

The Senate will convene at 10:00 AM on Tuesday, June 25, 2013 and will be in a period of Morning Business for one hour. At 11:00 AM, the Senate will resume consideration of S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). The Senate will recess from 12:30 to 2:15 PM for the weekly party caucus lunches. All time during the adjournment, recess, Morning Business and Executive Session will count post-cloture on the Leahy amend #1183 (Corker-Hoeven amend - To strengthen border security and enforcement) as modified.

The Senate adjourned at 7:44 PM.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

FRIDAY, JUNE 21, 2013

The Senate will convene at 10:30 AM and will resume consideration of S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). While Votes are possible, none are scheduled.

The Senate convened and proceeded to a Legislative Session.

S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform).

Leahy amend #1183 (Corker-Hoeven amend), as modified.

Reid 2nd degree amend #1551 (Enactment clause) to Leahy amend #1183 (Corker-Hoeven amend).

Reid filed cloture on Leahy amend #1183 (Corker-Hoeven amend), as modified.

Reid amend #1552 (Enactment clause) to the language to be stricken by the reported committee substitute amendment to S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). Yeas and nays ordered.

Reid amend 2nd degree amend #1533 (Making a technical change) to Reid amend #1552 (Enactment clause).

Reid Motion to Recommit the bill to the Judiciary Committee with Instructions to report back forthwith with an amend #1554 (Enactment clause). Yeas and nays ordered.

Reid amend #1555 (Making technical changes) to the Instructions on the Motion to Recommit. Yeas and nays ordered.

Reid 2nd degree amend #1556 (Making technical changes) to Reid amend #1555 (Making technical changes).

The Motion to Invoke Cloture on the Leahy amend #1183 (Corker-Hoeven amend) will occur at 5:30 PM on Monday, June 24.

The Senate proceeded to a period of Morning Business.

S. Res. 181 (Sesquicentennial of West Virginia). Agreed to by Unanimous Consent.

S. Res. 182 (American Dental Hygienists Association). Agreed to by Unanimous Consent.

The Senate will convene at 12:00 PM on Monday, June 24, 2013 and will resume consideration of S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). At 5:30 PM, the Senate will vote on the Motion to Invoke Cloture on the Leahy amend #1183 (Corker-Hoeven amend), as modified.

The Senate adjourned at 2:47 PM.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

THURSDAY, JUNE 20, 2013

The Senate will convene at 9:30 AM and will be in a period of Morning Business. At 11:30 AM, the Senate will resume consideration of S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). Sen. Reid announced he will make a motion to table an amendment to S. 744 at 11:30 AM. Additional votes are expected throughout the day.

The Senate convened and proceeded to a period of Morning Business.

The Senate proceeded to a Legislative Session.

S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform).

Cornyn amend #1251 (Requiring Enforcement, Security and safety while Upgrading Lawful Trade and travel Simultaneously - RESULTS). Reid Motion to Table the amendment. Yeas and nays ordered. The Motion to Table is agreed to by a vote of 54-43.

Vitter amend #1507 (Ensure that aliens convicted of crimes of violence against women and children are ineligible for registered provisional immigrant status.). Reid Point of Order that the amendment is improperly drafted to the Leahy amendment. The Chair ruled that the Point of Order was well taken and the amendment falls.

Sen. Reid announced that the Senate will proceed with a period for debate only until 10:30 PM.

The following resolutions were considered en bloc:

S. Res. 179 (Making Majority Party appointments to committees). Agreed to by voice vote.

S. Res. 180 (Making Minority Party appointments to committees). Agreed to by voice vote.

The Senate will convene at 10:30 AM and will resume consideration of S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). While Votes are possible, they are unscheduled.

The Senate adjourned at 10:37 PM.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19, 2013

The Senate will convene at 9:30 AM and will be in a period of Morning Business for one hour. The Senate will then resume consideration of S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). Votes are expected but none scheduled at this time.

The Senate convened and proceeded with a period of Morning Business.

The Senate proceeded with a Legislative Session.

S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform).

Lee amend #1208 (To require fast-track Congressional approval when the Secretary of Homeland Security notifies Congress of the implementation of the border security strategies and certifies that the strategies are substantially operational). Laid aside.

Boxer amend #1240 (To require training for National Guard and Coast Guard officers and agents in training programs on border protection, immigration law enforcement and how to address vulnerable populations such as children and victims of crime). Laid aside.

Heller amend #1227 (To include a representative from the Southwestern State of Nevada on the Southern Border Security Commission). Laid aside.

Cruz amend #1320 (To replace title I of the bill with specific border security requirements, which shall be met before the Secretary of Homeland Security may process applications for registered immigrant status or blue card status and to avoid Department of Homeland Security budget reductions). Laid aside.

Paul amend #1200 (To provide for enhanced border security, including stronger border security metrics and congressional votes on border security). Laid aside.

Cornyn amend #1251 (Requiring Enforcement, Security and safety while Upgrading Lawful Trade and travel Simultaneously - RESULTS). Laid aside.

Merkley amend #1237 (To increase the employment of Americans by requiring State workforce agencies to certify that employers are actively recruiting Americans and that Americans are not qualified or available to fill the positions that the employer wants to fill with H-2B nonimmigrants). Laid aside.

The following amendments were called up en bloc:

Manchin amend #1268 (To provide for common sense limitations on salaries for contractor executives and employees involved in border security).

Pryor amend #1298 (To promote recruitment of former members of the Armed Forces and members of the reserve components of the Armed Forces to serve in United States Customs and Border Protection and United States Immigration Customs and Enforcement).

Reed (RI) amend #1224 (To clarify the physical present requirements for merit-based immigrant visa applicants).

The amendments were laid aside en bloc.

Reid Motion to Table the Paul amend #1200 (To provide for enhanced border security, including stronger border security metrics and congressional votes on border security). Yeas and nays ordered. The Motion to Table the amendment was agreed to by a vote of 61-37.

Reid unanimous consent request that at a time determined by the leaders, the Senate will proceed to an Executive Session to vote on the following nomination:

Cal. #182 (Michael Froman, of New York, to be United States Trade Representative).

The unanimous consent request was agreed to.

At 4:35 PM, the Senate will proceed to vote on the following amendments:

Manchin amend #1268 (To provide for common sense limitations on salaries for contractor executives and employees involved in border security).

Lee amend #1208 (To require fast-track Congressional approval when the Secretary of Homeland Security notifies Congress of the implementation of the border security strategies and certifies that the strategies are substantially operational).

Pryor amend #1298 (To promote recruitment of former members of the Armed Forces and members of the reserve components of the Armed Forces to serve in United States Customs and Border Protection and United States Immigration Customs and Enforcement).

Heller amend #1227 (To include a representative from the Southwestern State of Nevada on the Southern Border Security Commission).

Merkley amend #1237 (To increase the employment of Americans by requiring State workforce agencies to certify that employers are actively recruiting Americans and that Americans are not qualified or available to fill the positions that the employer wants to fill with H-2B nonimmigrants).

The amendments will all be subject to an affirmative 60-vote threshold.

Manchin amend #1268 (To provide for common sense limitations on salaries for contractor executives and employees involved in border security). The amendment is subject to an affirmative 60-vote threshold. Yeas and nays ordered. The amendment was agreed to by a vote of 72-26.

Lee amend #1208 (To require fast-track Congressional approval when the Secretary of Homeland Security notifies Congress of the implementation of the border security strategies and certifies that the strategies are substantially operational). The amendment is subject to an affirmative 60-vote threshold. Yeas and nays ordered. The amendment was not agreed to by a vote of 39-59.

Pryor amend #1298 (To promote recruitment of former members of the Armed Forces and members of the reserve components of the Armed Forces to serve in United States Customs and

Border Protection and United States Immigration Customs and Enforcement). The amendment was agreed to by **voice vote**.

Heller amend #1227 (To include a representative from the Southwestern State of Nevada on the Southern Border Security Commission). The amendment is subject to an affirmative 60-vote threshold. Yeas and nays ordered. The amendment was agreed to by a vote of **89-9**.

Merkley amend #1237 (To increase the employment of Americans by requiring State workforce agencies to certify that employers are actively recruiting Americans and that Americans are not qualified or available to fill the positions that the employer wants to fill with H-2B nonimmigrants). The amendment was agreed to by **voice vote**.

The Senate proceeded to an Executive Session to vote on the following nomination:
Cal. #182 (Michael Froman, of New York, to be United States Trade Representative). Yeas and nays ordered. The nomination was confirmed by a vote of **93-4** with one Senator voting **present**.

The Senate resumed a Legislative Session.

S. 579 (A bill to collect the Secretary of State to develop a strategy to obtain observer status for Taiwan at the triennial international civil aviation organization assembly). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

The following bills were agreed to en bloc by unanimous consent.

S. 25,
S. 26
S. 112
S. 103
S. 157
S. 244
S. 304
S. 393
S. 459

S. Res. 170 (Commemorating John Lewis). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

S. Res. 175 (Honoring the Day Slavery Came to an End). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

S. Res. 176 (Collector Car Appreciation Day). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

S. Res. 177 (National Small Business Week). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

H.R. 475 (To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to include vaccines against seasonal influenza within the definition of taxable vaccines). Agreed to by voice vote.

The Senate will convene at 9:30 AM on Thursday, June 20, 2013 and will be in a period of Morning Business. At 11:30 AM, the Senate will resume consideration of S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). Sen. Reid announced he will make a motion to table an amendment to S. 744 at 11:30 AM. Additional votes are expected throughout the day.

The Senate adjourned at 8:00 PM.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

TUESDAY, JUNE 18, 2013

The Senate will convene at 10:00 AM and will proceed with one hour of Morning Business. At 11:00 AM, the Senate will resume consideration of S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). At 3:00 PM, the Senate will proceed to votes on **Thune amend #1197** (Require the completion of the 350 miles of reinforced, double-layered fencing described in the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996 before registered provisional immigrant status may be granted and to require the completion of 700 miles of such fencing before the status of registered provisional immigrants may be adjusted to permanent resident status), **Landrieu amend #1222** (Apply the amendments made by the Child Citizenship Act of 2000 retroactively to all individuals adopted by a citizen of the United States in an international adoption and to repeal the pre-adoption parental visitation requirement for automatic citizenship and to amend section 320 of the Immigration and Nationality Act relating to automatic citizenship for children born outside of the United States who have a US citizen parent), **Vitter amend #1228** (Prohibit the temporary grant of legal status to any individual who is unlawfully present in the US until the Sec. of Homeland Security certifies that the US-VISIT System has been fully implemented at every land, sea, and airport of entry and Congress passes a joint resolution stating that such integrated entry and exit data system has been sufficiently implemented) and **Tester amend #1198** (Modify the Border Oversight Task Force to include tribal government officials). All of the previous amendments are subject to a 60 yea vote threshold for adoption. The Senate will recess from 12:30 – 2:15 PM for Party Caucuses.

The Senate convened and proceeded to a period of Morning Business.

The Senate proceeded to a Legislative Session.

S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform).

The Senate recessed at 12:43 PM until 2:15 PM for the weekly party caucus lunches.

The Senate reconvened and proceeded with a Legislative Session.

S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform).

Thune amend #1197 (Require the completion of the 350 miles of reinforced, double-layered fencing described in the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996 before registered provisional immigrant status may be granted and to require the completion of 700 miles of such fencing before the status of registered provisional immigrants may be adjusted to permanent resident status). Yeas and nays ordered. The amendment is subject to a 60-yea vote threshold for adoption. The amendment was not agreed to by a vote of 39-54.

Landrieu amend #1222 (Apply the amendments made by the Child Citizenship Act of 2000 retroactively to all individuals adopted by a citizen of the United States in an international adoption and to repeal the pre-adoption parental visitation requirement for automatic citizenship

and to amend section 320 of the Immigration and Nationality Act relating to automatic citizenship for children born outside of the United States who have a US citizen parent). Yeas and nays ordered. The amendment is agreed to by **Voice Vote**.

Vitter amend #1228 (Prohibit the temporary grant of legal status to any individual who is unlawfully present in the US until the Sec. of Homeland Security certifies that the US-VISIT System has been fully implemented at every land, sea, and airport of entry and Congress passes a joint resolution stating that such integrated entry and exit data system has been sufficiently implemented). Yeas and nays ordered. The amendment is subject to a 60-yea vote threshold for adoption. The amendment was not agreed to by a vote of **36-58**.

Tester amend #1198 (Modify the Border Oversight Task Force to include tribal government officials). Yeas and nays ordered. The amendment is subject to a 60-yea vote threshold for adoption. The amendment was agreed to by a vote of **94-0**.

The following amendments are in order:

Manchin amend #1268 (To provide for common sense limitations on salaries for contractor executives and employees involved in border security).

Pryor amend #1298 (To promote recruitment of former members of the Armed Forces and members of the reserve components of the Armed Forces to serve in US Customs and Border Protection and US Immigration and Customs Enforcement).

Merkley amend #1237 (To increase the employment of Americans by requiring State workforce agencies to certify that employers are actively recruiting Americans and that Americans are not qualified or available to fill the positions that the employer wants to fill with H-2B nonimmigrants), as modified.

Boxer amend #1240 (To require training for National Guard and Coast Guard officers and agents in training programs on border protection, immigration law enforcement and how to address vulnerable populations such as children and victims of crime).

Reed amend #1224 (To clarify the physical present requirements for merit-based immigrant visa applications).

Cornyn amend #1251 (Requiring Enforcement, Security and safety while Upgrading Lawful Trade and travel Simultaneously (RESULTS)).

Lee amend #1208 (To require fast-track Congressional approval when the Secretary of Homeland Security notifies Congress of the implementation of the border security strategies and certifies that the strategies are substantially operational).

Paul amend #1200 (To provide for enhanced border security, including stronger border security metrics and congressional votes on border security), as modified.

Heller amend #1227 (To include a representative from the Southwestern State of Nevada on the Southern Border Security Commission).

Cruz amend #1320 (To replace title I of the bill with specific border security requirements, which shall be met before the Secretary of Homeland Security may process applications for registered immigrant status or blue card status and to avoid Department of Homeland Security budget reductions).

The Senate proceeded to a period of Morning Business.

S. Res. 143 (Recognizing the threats to freedom of the press and expression around the world). Agreed to by Unanimous Consent.

S. Res. 173 (National Child Awareness Month). Agreed to by Unanimous Consent.

S. Res. 174 (American Eagle Day). Agreed to by Unanimous Consent.

The Senate will convene at 9:30 AM on Wednesday, June 19, 2013 and will be in a period of Morning Business for one hour. The Senate will then resume consideration of S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). Votes are expected but none scheduled at this time.

The Senate adjourned at 7:42 PM.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

MONDAY, JUNE 17, 2013

The Senate will convene at 2:00 PM and will be in a period of Morning Business. At 5:00 PM, the Senate will proceed to an Executive Session to consider the following nominations: Cal. #48 (Luis Felipe Restrepo to be U.S. District Judge for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania) and Cal. #62 (Kenneth John Gonzales to U.S. District Judge for the District of New Mexico). At 5:30 PM, the Senate will proceed to two roll call votes on the nominations. Following the votes the Senate will proceed to a Legislative Session and will resume consideration of S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform).

The Senate convened and proceeded with a period of Morning Business.

The Senate proceeded with an Executive Session.

Cal. #48 (Luis Felipe Restrepo to be U.S. District Judge for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania). The nomination was agreed to by unanimous consent.

Cal. #62 (Kenneth John Gonzales to U.S. District Judge for the District of New Mexico). Yeas and nays ordered. The nomination was agreed to by a vote of 89-0.

The Senate proceeded with a Legislative Session.

S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform).

Sen. Reid received unanimous consent that the Senate will proceed with debate on amendments to S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform) from 12:30 until 2:15 PM on Tuesday, June 18, 2013. Additionally, at 3:00 PM, the Senate will proceed to votes on **Thune amend #1197** (Require the completion of the 350 miles of reinforced, double-layered fencing described in the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996 before registered provisional immigrant status may be granted and to require the completion of 700 miles of such fencing before the status of registered provisional immigrants may be adjusted to permanent resident status), **Landrieu amend #1222** (Apply the amendments made by the Child Citizenship Act of 2000 retroactively to all individuals adopted by a citizen of the United States in an international adoption and to repeal the pre-adoption parental visitation requirement for automatic citizenship and to amend section 320 of the Immigration and Nationality Act relating to automatic citizenship for children born outside of the United States who have a US citizen parent), **Vitter amend #1228** (Prohibit the temporary grant of legal status to any individual who is unlawfully present in the US until the Sec. of Homeland Security certifies that the US-VISIT System has been fully implemented at every land, sea, and airport of entry and Congress passes a joint resolution stating that such integrated entry and exit data system has been sufficiently implemented) and **Tester amend #1198** (Modify the Border Oversight Task Force to include tribal government officials). Lastly, all amendments are subject to a 60 yea vote threshold for adoption.

S. 330 (Amend the Public Health Act). The bill was agreed to by unanimous consent, as amended.

The Senate will convene at 10:00 AM on Tuesday, June 18, 2013. The Senate will proceed with one hour of Morning Business. At 11:00 AM, the Senate will resume consideration of S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). At 3:00 PM, the Senate will proceed to votes on **Thune amend #1197** (Require the completion of the 350 miles of reinforced, double-layered fencing described in the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996 before registered provisional immigrant status may be granted and to require the completion of 700 miles of such fencing before the status of registered provisional immigrants may be adjusted to permanent resident status), **Landrieu amend #1222** (Apply the amendments made by the Child Citizenship Act of 2000 retroactively to all individuals adopted by a citizen of the United States in an international adoption and to repeal the pre-adoption parental visitation requirement for automatic citizenship and to amend section 320 of the Immigration and Nationality Act relating to automatic citizenship for children born outside of the United States who have a US citizen parent), **Vitter amend #1228** (Prohibit the temporary grant of legal status to any individual who is unlawfully present in the US until the Sec. of Homeland Security certifies that the US-VISIT System has been fully implemented at every land, sea, and airport of entry and Congress passes a joint resolution stating that such integrated entry and exit data system has been sufficiently implemented) and **Tester amend #1198** (Modify the Border Oversight Task Force to include tribal government officials). All of the previous amendments are subject to a 60 yeas vote threshold for adoption. The Senate will recess from 12:30 – 2:15 PM for Party Caucuses.

The Senate adjourned at 7:15 PM.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

THURSDAY, JUNE 13, 2013

The Senate will convene at 9:30 AM and will resume consideration of S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). No votes are scheduled at this time.

The Senate convened and proceeded with a Legislative Session.

S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform).

Grassley amend #1195 Prohibit the granting of registered provisional immigrant status until the Secretary has maintained effective control of the borders for 6 months). Motion to Table the amendment. Yeas and nays ordered. The Motion to Table was agreed to by a vote of **57-43**.

Thune amend #1197 (Require the completion of the 350 miles of reinforced, double layered fencing before registered provisional immigrant status may be granted and to require the completion of 700 miles of such fencing before the status of registered provisional immigrants may be adjusted to permanent resident status). Laid aside.

Landrieu amend #1222 (Apply the amendments made by the Child Citizenship Act of 2000 retroactively to all individuals adopted by a citizen of the US in an international adoption and to repeal the pre-adoption parental visitation requirement for automatic citizenship and to amend section 320 of the Immigration and Nationality Act relating to automatic citizenship for children born outside of the US who have a US citizen parent). Laid aside.

Vitter amend #1228 (Prohibit the temporary grant of legal status to, or adjustment to citizenship status of, any individual who is unlawfully present in the US until the Sec. of Homeland Security certifies that the US-VISIT System has been fully implemented at every land, sea and airport of entry and Congress passes a joint resolution tating that such integrated entry and exit data system has been sufficiently implemented). Laid aside.

Tester amend #1198 (modify the Border Oversight Task Force to include tribal government officials). Laid aside.

The Senate proceeded with an Executive Session.

Cal. #47, Nitza Quinones Alejando to be US District Judge for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania. The nomination was confirmed by **voice vote**.

Cal. #49, Jeffrey Schmehl to be US District Judge for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania. Yeas and nays ordered. The nomination was confirmed by a vote of **100-0**.

The Senate resumed a Legislative Session.

S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform).

Tester amend #1198 (modify the Border Oversight Task Force to include tribal government officials). Laid aside.

Vitter amend #1228 (Prohibit the temporary grant of legal status to, or adjustment to citizenship status of, any individual who is unlawfully present in the US until the Sec. of Homeland Security certifies that the US-VISIT System has been fully implemented at every land, sea and airport of entry and Congress passes a joint resolution stating that such integrated entry and exit data system has been sufficiently implemented). Laid aside.

The Senate recessed from 2:30 – 3:30 for Senators to attend a closed intelligence briefing from Gen. Keith Alexander.

The Senate reconvened at 3:30 PM.

S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform).

S. Res. 154 (Calling for free elections in Iran). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

S. Res. 171 (World Elder Abuse Awareness Day). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

The Senate will convene at 2:00 PM on Monday, June 17, 2013 and will be in a period of Morning Business. At 5:00 PM, the Senate will proceed to an Executive Session to consider the following nominations: Cal. #48 (Luis Felipe Restrepo to be U.S. District Judge for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania) and Cal. #62 (Kenneth John Gonzales to U.S. District Judge for the District of New Mexico). At 5:30 PM, the Senate will proceed to two roll call votes on the nominations. Following the votes the Senate will proceed to a Legislative Session and will resume consideration of S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform).

The Senate adjourned at 7:03 PM.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12, 2013

The Senate will convene at 9:30 AM and will be in a period of Morning Business for one hour. At 10:30 AM, the Senate will resume consideration of S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). There are no votes scheduled at this time.

The Senate convened and proceeded to a period of Morning Business.

The Senate proceeded to a Legislative Session.

S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform).

Reid unanimous consent that the Senate proceed to votes on five amendments (Grassley amend #1195, Thune amend #1197, Vitter amend #1228, Landrieu amend #1222 and Tester amend #1198) with a 60 yea vote threshold was objected to by Grassley.

Grassley unanimous consent that the Senate proceed to votes on six amendments (Grassley amend #1195, Leahy amend #1183, Thune amend #1197, Vitter amend #1228, Landrieu amend #1222 and Tester amend #1198 with a simple majority vote was objected to by Reid.

S. Res. 168 (designating June, 2013 as "National Aphasia Awareness Month"). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

S. Res. 169 (Designating June, 2013 "Post Traumatic Stress Awareness Month"). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

The Senate will convene at 9:30 AM on Thursday, June 13, 2013. The Senate will resume consideration of S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). No votes are scheduled.

The Senate Adjourned at 7:02 PM.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

TUESDAY, JUNE 11, 2013

The Senate will convene at 10:00 AM and will resume consideration of the Motion to Proceed to S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). The Senate will recess from 12:30-2:15 PM for weekly party caucus luncheons. At 2:15 PM, the Senate will vote on the Motion to Invoke Cloture on the Motion to Proceed to S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). If cloture is invoked, the Senate will vote on the Motion to Proceed to the bill at 4:00 PM.

The Senate convened and proceeded with a period for Leader time.

Motion to Proceed to S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform).

The Senate adjourned from 12:36-2:15 PM for weekly party caucus luncheons.

The Senate convened at 2:15 PM and resumed a Legislative Session.

Motion to Proceed to S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). Motion to Invoke Cloture on the Motion to Proceed. Yeas and nays ordered. The Motion to Invoke Cloture on the Motion to Proceed was agreed to by a vote of **82-15**.

Motion to Proceed to S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). Yeas and nays ordered on the Motion to Proceed to the bill. The Motion to Proceed was agreed to by a vote of **84-15**.

S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform).

Leahy amend #1183 (To encourage and facilitate international participation in the performing arts).

Reed (RI) made a unanimous consent request to proceed to S. 593 (The Student Loan Affordability Act), that the bill be read a third time, and that the Senate proceed to vote on passage of the bill. Coburn objected.

S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform).

Leahy amend #1183 (To encourage and facilitate international participation in the performing arts). Laid aside.

Grassley amend #1195 (To prohibit the granting of registered provisional immigrant status until the Secretary has maintained effective control of the borders for 6 months). Laid aside.

The Senate will convene at 9:30 AM on Wednesday, June 12, 2013 and will be in a period of Morning Business for one hour. At 10:30 AM, the Senate will resume consideration of S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). There are no votes scheduled at this time.

The Senate adjourned at 6:39 PM.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

MONDAY, JUNE 10, 2013

The Senate will convene at 2:00 PM and will resume the Motion to Proceed to S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). At 4:30 PM, the Senate will swear-in Senator-Designate Jeff Chiesa (R-NJ). There will be two roll call votes at 5:30 PM on S. 954 (Farm Bill): The first vote will be on Leahy amend #998 (establish a pilot program for gigabit Internet projects in rural areas), followed by a vote on final passage of S. 954 (Farm Bill).

The Senate convened and proceeded to a Legislative Session.

The following bills were considered en bloc:

S. 1121 (Stops the National Security Agency from spying on citizens of the United States).
H.R. 126 (Directs the Secretary of the Interior to enter in an agreement to provide for management of free roaming wild horses in and around the current Tuck National Wildlife Refuge).

The bills were read for the second time, en bloc. Further consideration of the two bills was objected to.

Motion to Proceed to S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform).

Senator-Designate Jeff Chiesa (R-NJ) was sworn in by Vice President Joe Biden.

S. 954 (Farm Bill).

Leahy amend #998 (Establish a pilot program for gigabit Internet projects in rural areas). Yeas and nays ordered. The amendment was agreed to by a vote of **48-38**.

S. 954 (Farm Bill), as amended. The bill was read for a third time. **Final passage.** Yeas and nays ordered. The bill, as amended, passed by Unanimous Consent by a vote of **66-27**.

The Senate proceeded to a period of Morning Business.

The Senate will convene at 10:00 AM on Tuesday, June 11, 2013 and will resume consideration of the Motion to Proceed to S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). The Senate will recess from 12:30-2:15 PM for weekly party caucus luncheons. At 2:15 PM, the Senate will vote on the Motion to Invoke Cloture on the Motion to Proceed to S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). If cloture is invoked, the Senate will vote on the Motion to Proceed to the bill at 4:00 PM.

The Senate adjourned at 7:44 PM.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

FRIDAY, JUNE 7, 2013

The Senate will convene at 9:30 AM on Friday, June 7, 2013 and will resume consideration of the Motion to Proceed to S.744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). The next roll call vote will be at 5:30 PM on Monday, June 10, 2013 on S. 954 (Farm Bill). There will be two votes, one on the Leahy amendment and then on final passage of the bill as amended. On Tuesday, June 11th, the Senate will vote on the Motion to Proceed to S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform) at 2:15 PM. If cloture is invoked, the Senate will vote to adopt the Motion to Proceed at 4:00 PM on Tuesday.

The Senate convened and proceeded to a Legislative Session.

Motion to Proceed to S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform).

The Senate proceeded to a period of Morning Business.

The following bills were considered en bloc:

S. 1121 (Stops the National Security Agency from spying on citizens of the United States).

H.R. 126 (Directs the Secretary of the Interior to enter in an agreement to provide for management of free roaming wild horses in and around the current Tuck National Wildlife Refuge).

The bills were read for a first time, en bloc. Further readings were objected to and the bills will be read for a second time on the next legislative day.

The Senate will convene at 2:00 PM on Monday, June 10, 2013 and will resume the Motion to Proceed to S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). There will be a roll call vote at 5:30 PM on final passage of S. 954 (Farm Bill). The Senate will swear-in Senator-Designate Jeff Chiesa (R-NJ) during Monday's session.

The Senate adjourned at 1:06 PM.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

THURSDAY, JUNE 6, 2013

The Senate will convene at 9:00 AM and will resume consideration of S. 954 (Farm Bill). At 10:00 AM, the Senate will proceed to three roll call votes on Motion to invoke cloture on S.954 (Farm bill), Motion to invoke cloture on the motion to proceed to S.1003 (Amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to reset interest rates for new student loans), and Motion to invoke cloture on the motion to proceed to S.953 (Student Loan Affordability Act).

The Senate convened and proceeded to a Legislative Session.

Motion to Proceed to S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). Reid filed cloture on the Motion to Proceed to the bill.

S. 954 (Farm Bill). Motion to Invoke Cloture on the bill. Yeas and nays ordered. The Motion to Invoke Cloture was agreed to by a vote of 75-22.

S.1003 (Amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to reset interest rates for new student loans). Motion to Invoke Cloture on the Motion to Proceed to the bill. Yeas and nays ordered. The Motion to Invoke Cloture on the Motion to Proceed to the bill was not agreed to by a vote of 40-57.

S.953 (Student Loan Affordability Act). Motion to Invoke Cloture on the Motion to Proceed to the bill. Yeas and nays ordered. The Motion to Invoke Cloture on the Motion to Proceed to the bill was not agreed to by a vote of 51-46.

The Senate will proceed with Morning Business until 12:30 PM.

The Senate proceeded to an Executive Session.

The following nominations were considered en bloc:

Cal. #141 (Rachel Barkow to be a Member of the US Sentencing Commission).
Cal. #142 (Charles Breyer to be a Member of the US Sentencing Commission).
Cal. #143 (William Pryor Jr. to be a Member of the US Sentencing Commission).
Agreed to, en bloc, by Unanimous Consent.

The following nominations were considered en bloc:

Cal. #147 (Maj. Gen. Douglas Robb to be Lt. General in the Air Force).
Cal. #148 (Lt. Gen. Stephen Hoog to be Lt. General in the Air Force).
Cal. #149 (Lt. Gen. Brooks Bash to be Lt. General in the Air Force).
Cal. #150 (Maj. Gen. Joseph Anderson to be Lt. General in the Army).
Cal. #151 (Maj. Gen. Thomas Spoehr to be Lt. General in the Army).
Cal. #152 (Lt. Gen. John Johnson to be Lt. General in the Army).
Cal. #153 (Col. Ivan Denton to be Brig. General in the Army).
Cal. #154 Capt. Brian Pecha to be Rear Admiral in the Navy).

Cal. #155 (Capt. Victor Hall to be Rear Admiral in the Navy).
Cal. #156 (Capt. Priscilla Coe to be Rear Admiral in the Navy).
Cal. #157 (Capt. Christina Alvarado to be Rear Admiral in the Navy).
Cal. #158 (Capt. James McNeal to be Rear Admiral in the Navy).
Cal. #159 (Capt. Daniel Gard to be Rear Admiral in the Navy).
Cal. #160 (Capt. Mark Fung to be Rear Admiral in the Navy).
Cal. #161 (Capt. Alma Grocki to be Rear Admiral in the Navy).
Cal. #162 (Capt. William Davis to be Rear Admiral in the Navy).
Cal. #163 (Capt. Daniel MacDonnell to be Rear Admiral in the Navy).
Cal. #164 (Capt. William Galinis and Capt. Jon Hill to be Rear Admirals in the Navy).
Cal. #165 (Capt. Christian Becker and Capt. Gordon Peters to be Rear Admirals in the Navy).
Cal. #166 (Capt. John Polowczyk and Capt. Paul Verrastro to be Rear Admirals in the Navy).
Cal. #167 (Rear Adm. Paula Brown to be Rear Admiral in the Navy).
Cal. #168 (Rear Adm. Thomas Beeman to be Rear Admiral in the Navy).
Cal. #169 (3 Rear Adms. to be Rear Admirals in the Navy).
Cal. #170 (Rear Adm. William Brown to be Vice Admiral in the Navy).
Cal. #171 (Rear Adm. Robert Thomas Jr. to be Vice Admiral in the Navy).
Cal. #172 (Rear Adm. Nora Tyson to be Vice Admiral in the Navy).
Cal. #173 (Col. David Bellon and Col. Raymond Descheneaux to be Brig. General in the Marine Corps).
Cal. #174 (10 Colonels to be Brig. Generals in the Marine Corps).
All nominations on the Secretary's Desk in the Air Force, Marine Corps, Army and Navy.
Agreed to, en bloc, by Unanimous Consent.

The Senate resumed a Legislative Session.

The Senate will convene at 9:30 AM on Friday, June 7, 2013 and will resume consideration of the Motion to Proceed to S.744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform). The next roll call vote will be at 5:30 PM on Monday, June 10, 2013 on S. 954 (Farm Bill). There will be two votes, one on the Leahy amendment and then on final passage of the bill as amended. On Tuesday, June 11th, the Senate will vote on the Motion to Proceed to S. 744 (Comprehensive Immigration Reform) at 2:15 PM. If cloture is invoked, the Senate will vote to adopt the Motion to Proceed at 4:00 PM on Tuesday.

The Senate adjourned at 12:42 PM.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

TUESDAY, JUNE 4, 2013

The Senate will convene at 10:00 AM and will be in a period of Morning Business until 11:00 AM. The Senate will then resume consideration of S. 954 (Farm Bill). The Senate will recess from 12:30 PM until 2:15 PM for the weekly party caucus lunches.

The Senate convened and proceeded with a period of Morning Business.

The Senate proceeded with a Legislative Session.

S. 954 (Farm Bill).

S. Con. Res. 18 (Providing for the use of the catafalque situated in the exhibition hall of the Capitol Visitors' Center in connection with memorial services to be conducted in the United States Senate Chamber for the honorable Frank R. Lautenberg, a Senator from the state of New Jersey). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

S. Res. 160 (Relative to the memorial observances of the honorable Frank R. Lautenberg, late, a Senator from the state of New Jersey). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

The Senate recessed at 12:30 PM for the weekly party caucus lunches.

The Senate convened at 2:15 PM and resumed a Legislative Session.

S. 954 (Farm Bill). Reid filed a Motion to Invoke Cloture on the bill.

Motion to Proceed to S. 1003 (Amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to reset interest rates for new student loans). Reid filed a Cloture Motion on the bill.

Motion to proceed to S. 953 (Student Loan Affordability Act). Reid filed a Cloture Motion on the bill.

S. Res. 161 (Relative to the death of the Honorable Frank R. Lautenberg, Senator of New Jersey). Agreed to by unanimous Consent.

S. Res. 162 (Sense of the Senate with respect to Childhood stroke and designating May 2013 as "National Pediatric Stroke Awareness Month"). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

The Senate will convene at 9:00 AM on Thursday, June 6, 2013 and will resume consideration of S. 954 (Farm Bill). At 10:00 AM, the Senate will proceed to three roll call votes on Motion to invoke cloture on S.954 (Farm bill), Motion to invoke cloture on the motion to proceed to S.1003 (Amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to reset interest rates for new student loans), and Motion to invoke cloture on the motion to proceed to S.953 (Student Loan Affordability Act). The Senate will not be in session on Wednesday, June 5, 2013.

The Senate adjourned at 7:14 PM, under the provisions of S. 161 as a further mark of respect for the late Senator Frank R. Lautenberg of New Jersey.

SENATE FLOOR PROCEEDINGS

MONDAY, JUNE 3, 2013

The Senate will then convene at 2:00 PM and will be in a period of Morning Business until 4:00 PM. The Senate will then resume consideration of S. 954 (Farm Bill). At 5:30 PM, the Senate will proceed to vote on the following amendments:

Moran amend #987 (To require the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation to carry out research and development regarding a crop insurance program for alfalfa).

Coons amend #1079 (To modify a provision relating to funding of local and regional food aid procurement projects).

The Senate convened and proceeded to a period of Morning Business.

The Senate observed a moment of silence for Sen. Frank Lautenberg (D-NJ).

The following bills were considered en bloc:

H.R. 3 (Northern Route Approval Act).

H.R. 271 (Resolving Environmental and Grid Reliability Conflicts Act of 2013).

The bills were read for the second time en bloc. Further consideration of the bills were objected to.

The Senate proceeded to a Legislative Session.

S. 954 (Farm Bill).

Moran amend #987 (To require the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation to carry out research and development regarding a crop insurance program for alfalfa). Yeas and nays ordered. The amendment was agreed to by a vote of 72-18.

Coons amend #1079 (To modify a provision relating to funding of local and regional food aid procurement projects). Agreed to by voice vote.

H.R. 588 (Vietnam Veterans Donor Acknowledgment Act of 2013). Agreed to by unanimous consent.

The Senate will convene at 10:00 AM on Tuesday, June 4, 2013 and will be in a period of Morning Business until 11:00 AM. The Senate will then resume consideration of S. 954 (Farm Bill). The Senate will recess from 12:30 PM until 2:15 PM for the weekly party caucus lunches.

The Senate adjourned at 6:54 PM.