

The Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs held a business meeting at 10 a.m. on Thursday, April 10, 2008, in SD-342.

1. **Nomination of Harvey E. Johnson Jr. to be Deputy Administrator of the Federal Emergency Management Agency, U.S. Department of Homeland Security**

Results: Ordered reported favorably by roll call vote of 9 yeas and 0 nays (no instruction from Obama).

<u>Yeas</u>	<u>Nays</u>	<u>Yeas by Proxy</u>	<u>Nays by Proxy</u>
Lieberman		Pryor	
Levin		Stevens	
Akaka		Voinovich	
Carper		Coleman	
Landrieu		Coburn	
McCaskill		Domenici	
Tester		Warner	
Collins			
Sununu			

2. **H.R. 3247, Hurricanes Katrina and Rita Recovery Facilitation Act of 2007**

Results: Ordered reported favorably by roll call vote of 8 yeas and 2 nays (no instruction from Obama) as amended by the Landrieu Substitute Amendment.

<u>Yeas</u>	<u>Nays</u>	<u>Yeas by Proxy</u>	<u>Nays by Proxy</u>
Lieberman	Voinovich	Pryor	Coburn
Levin	Sununu	Stevens	
Akaka		Coleman	
Carper		Domenici	
Landrieu		Warner	
McCaskill			
Tester		Warner	
Collins			

A. **Landrieu Substitute Amendment to H.R. 3247**

Results: Adopted by roll call vote of 13 yeas and 3 nays (no instruction from Obama).

<u>Yeas</u>	<u>Nays</u>	<u>Yeas by Proxy</u>	<u>Nays by Proxy</u>
Lieberman	Voinovich	Pryor	Coburn
Levin	Sununu	Stevens	
Akaka		Coleman	
Carper		Domenici	
Landrieu		Warner	
McCaskill			

Tester
Collins

3. **H.R. 3179, Local Preparedness Acquisition Act**

Results: Ordered reported favorably en bloc by voice vote without amendment.

Senators present: Lieberman, Levin, Akaka, Carper, Landrieu, McCaskill, Tester, Collins, Voinovich, and Sununu.

4. **S. 2606, U.S. Fire Administration Reauthorization Act of 2008**

Results: Ordered reported favorably by voice vote as amended by the Collins-Lieberman Substitute Amendment.

Senators present: Lieberman, Levin, Akaka, Carper, Landrieu, McCaskill, Tester, Collins, and Sununu.

A. **Collins-Lieberman Substitute Amendment to S. 2606**

Results: Adopted by voice vote.

Senators present: Lieberman, Levin, Akaka, Carper, Landrieu, McCaskill, Tester, Collins, and Sununu.

5. **S. 789, Government Credit Card Abuse Prevention Act of 2007**

Results: Ordered reported favorably en bloc by voice vote as amended by the Lieberman-Collins Substitute Amendment.

Senators present: Lieberman, Levin, Akaka, Carper, Landrieu, McCaskill, Tester, Collins, Voinovich, and Sununu.

A. **Lieberman-Collins Substitute Amendment to S. 789**

Results: Adopted by voice vote.

Senators present: Lieberman, Levin, Akaka, Carper, Landrieu, McCaskill, Tester, Collins, Voinovich, and Sununu.

6. **S. 2420, Federal Food Donation Act of 2007**

Results: Ordered reported favorably en bloc by voice vote as amended by the Lieberman-Collins Substitute Amendment.

Senators present: Lieberman, Levin, Akaka, Carper, Landrieu, McCaskill, Tester, Collins, Voinovich, and Sununu.

A. **Lieberman-Collins Substitute Amendment to S. 2420**

Results: Adopted by voice vote.

Senators present: Lieberman, Levin, Akaka, Carper, Landrieu, McCaskill, Tester, Collins, Voinovich, and Sununu.

7. **S. 2291, Plain Language in Government Communications Act of 2007**

Results: Ordered reported favorably en bloc by voice vote without amendment.

Senators present: Lieberman, Levin, Akaka, Carper, Landrieu, McCaskill, Tester, Collins, Voinovich, and Sununu.

8. **H.R. 5551, a bill to amend title 11, District of Columbia Official Code, to implement the increase provided under the District of Columbia Appropriations Act, 2008, in the amount of funds made available for the compensation of attorneys representing indigent defendants in the District of Columbia courts, and for other purposes**

Results: Ordered reported favorably en bloc by voice vote without amendment.

Senators present: Lieberman, Levin, Akaka, Carper, Landrieu, McCaskill, Tester, Collins, Voinovich, and Sununu.

9. **H. Con. Res. 307, expressing the sense of Congress that Members' Congressional papers should be properly maintained and encouraging Members to take all necessary measures to manage and preserve those papers**

Results: Ordered reported favorably en bloc by voice vote.

Senators present: Lieberman, Levin, Akaka, Carper, Landrieu, McCaskill, Tester, Collins, Voinovich, and Sununu.

10. **S. Res. 497, expressing the sense of the Senate that public servants should be commended for their dedication and continued service to the Nation during Public Service Recognition Week, May 5 through 11, 2008**

Results: Ordered reported favorably en bloc by voice vote.

Senators present: Lieberman, Levin, Akaka, Carper, Landrieu, McCaskill, Tester, Collins, Voinovich, and Sununu.

11. **Post Office Naming Bills (first 17 of 21)**

Results: Ordered reported favorably en bloc by voice vote.

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- A. S. 2534, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 2650 Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Street, Indianapolis, Indiana, as the “Julia M. Carson Post Office Building;”
- B. H.R. 3720, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 424 Clay Avenue in Waco, Texas, as the “Army PFC Juan Alonso Covarrubias Post Office Building;”
- C. H.R. 3988, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 3701 Altamesa Boulevard in Fort Worth, Texas, as the “Master Sergeant Kenneth N. Mack Post Office Building;”
- D. H.R. 4211, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 725 Roanoke Avenue in Roanoke Rapids, North Carolina, as the “Judge Richard B. Allsbrook Post Office;”
- E. H.R. 4240/S. 2673, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 10799 West Alameda Avenue in Lakewood, Colorado, as the “Felix Sparks Post Office Building;”
- F. H.R. 5400/S. 2626, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 160 East Washington Street in Chagrin Falls, Ohio, as the “Sergeant Michael M. Kashkoush Post Office Building;”
- G. H.R. 3468, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1704 Weeksville Road in Elizabeth City, North Carolina, as the “Dr. Clifford Bell Jones, Sr. Post Office;”
- H. H.R. 3532, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 5815 McLeod Street in Lula, Georgia, as the “Private Johnathon Millican Lula Post Office;”
- I. H.R. 4203, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 3035 Stone Mountain Street in Lithonia, Georgia, as the “Specialist Jamaal RaShard Addison Post Office Building;”
- J. H.R. 5135/S. 2675, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 201 West Greenway Street in Derby, Kansas, as the “Sergeant Jamie O. Maugans Post Office Building;”
- K. H.R. 3803, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 3100 Cashwell Drive in Goldsboro, North Carolina, as the “John Henry Wooten, Sr. Post Office Building;”

- L. H.R. 3936, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 116 Helen Highway in Cleveland, Georgia, as the “Sgt. Jason Harkins Post Office Building;”
- M. H.R. 4454, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 3050 Hunsinger Lane in Louisville, Kentucky, as the “Iraq and Afghanistan Fallen Military Heroes of Louisville Memorial Post Office Building;”
- N. H.R. 5220, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 3800 S.W. 185th Avenue in Beaverton, Oregon, as the “Major Arthur Chin Post Office Building;”
- O. H.R. 3196, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 20 Sussex Street in Port Jervis, New York, as the “E. Arthur Gray Post Office Building;”
- P. H.R. 4166, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 701 East Copeland Drive in Lebanon, Missouri, as the “Steve W. Allee Carrier Annex.”

12. **Post Office Naming Bills (last four of 21)**

Results: Postponed.

- Q. S. 2725, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 6892 Main Street in Gloucester, Virginia, as the “Congresswoman Jo Ann S. Davis Post Office;”
- R. H.R. 4210, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 401 Washington Avenue in Weldon, North Carolina, as the “Dock M. Brown Post Office Building;”
- S. H.R. 4342, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 824 Manatee Avenue West in Bradenton, Florida, as the “Dan Miller Post Office Building;”
- T. S. 2622, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 11001 Dunklin Road in St. Louis, Missouri, as the “William ‘Bill’ Clay Post Office.”