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SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES  
ONE HUNDRED ELEVENTH CONGRESS

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FIRST SESSION { CONVENED JANUARY 6, 2009 } DAYS OF SESSION 41  
SECOND SESSION { }

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CALENDAR OF BUSINESS

Tuesday, March 10, 2009

SENATE CONVENES AT 10:00 A.M.



**PENDING BUSINESS**

H.R. 1105 (ORDER NO. 26)

An act making omnibus appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2009, and for other purposes. (*Mar. 2, 2009.*)

(UNANIMOUS CONSENT AGREEMENT ON P. 2)

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PREPARED UNDER THE DIRECTION OF NANCY ERICKSON,  
SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

By KATHLEEN ALVAREZ TRITAK, LEGISLATIVE CLERK

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## UNANIMOUS CONSENT AGREEMENT

H.R. 1105 (ORDER NO. 26)

*Ordered*, That at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, March 10, 2009, the Senate resume consideration of H.R. 1105, an act making omnibus appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2009, and for other purposes; provided, that the following be the only first degree amendments remaining in order to the bill; further, that no amendment be in order to the listed amendments prior to a vote in relation thereto; further, that the amendments must be offered and debated Friday, March 6, 2009, Monday, March 9, 2009, or Tuesday, March 10, 2009:

- Amdt. No. 615, offered by the Senator from Nevada (Mr. Ensign),
- Amdt. No. 621, offered by the Senator from Louisiana (Mr. Vitter),
- Amdt. No. 604, offered by the Senator from Alabama (Mr. Sessions),
- Amdt. No. 593, offered by the Senator from Arizona (Mr. McCain),
- Amdt. No. 662, offered by the Senator from South Dakota (Mr. Thune),
- Amdt. No. 637, offered by the Senator from Wyoming (Mr. Barrasso),
- Amdt. No. 668, offered by the Senator from Wyoming (Mr. Enzi),
- Amdt. Nos. 629, 630, 631, offered by the Senator from Arizona (Mr. Kyl),
- An amendment on dues notification offered by the Senator from Arizona (Mr. Kyl) or his designee, with a copy of the proposal at desk,
- Amdt. No. 673, offered by the Senator from Texas (Mr. Cornyn), and
- Amdt. No. 665, offered by the Senator from Kentucky (Mr. Bunning).

*Ordered further*, That on Tuesday, the remaining amendments be considered and debated and that after all debate has been concluded on the remaining amendments, the Senate proceed to vote in relation to the amendments in a sequence established under a subsequent order, with two minutes of debate, equally divided and controlled in the usual form, prior to a vote in relation to each; provided, that after the first vote in the sequence, the remaining votes be limited to 10 minutes each.

*Ordered further*, That upon disposition of all remaining amendments, there then be 30 minutes of debate, equally divided and controlled between the Leaders or their designees, prior to a vote on the motion to invoke cloture on H.R. 1105.

*Ordered further*, That upon disposition of the amendments and the Senate having voted on the motion to invoke cloture on H.R. 1105 and cloture having been invoked, all post-cloture time be considered yielded back, the bill be read a third time, and the Senate proceed to vote on passage of the bill.

*Ordered further*, That with respect to the motion to invoke cloture on H.R. 1105, the mandatory quorum required under Rule XXII be waived. (*Mar. 6, 9, 2009.*)

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## Senate Membership, One Hundred Eleventh Congress, First Session

Class		Class	
1	AKAKA, DANIEL K ..... HI	2	KAUFMAN, EDWARD E <sup>3</sup> ..... DE
2	<i>Alexander, Lamar</i> ..... TN	1	KENNEDY, EDWARD M ..... MA
1	<i>Barrasso, John</i> <sup>1</sup> ..... WY	2	KERRY, JOHN F ..... MA
2	BAUCUS, MAX ..... MT	1	KLOBUCHAR, AMY ..... MN
3	BAYH, EVAN ..... IN	1	KOHL, HERB ..... WI
2	BEGICH, MARK ..... AK	1	<i>Kyl, Jon</i> ..... AZ
3	BENNET, MICHAEL F <sup>4</sup> ..... CO	2	LANDRIEU, MARY L ..... LA
3	<i>Bennett, Robert F</i> ..... UT	2	LAUTENBERG, FRANK R ..... NJ
1	BINGAMAN, JEFF ..... NM	3	LEAHY, PATRICK J ..... VT
3	<i>Bond, Christopher S</i> ..... MO	2	LEVIN, CARL ..... MI
3	BOXER, BARBARA ..... CA	1	<i>LIEBERMAN, JOSEPH I</i> ** ..... CT
1	BROWN, SHERROD ..... OH	3	LINCOLN, BLANCHE L ..... AR
3	<i>Brownback, Sam</i> ..... KS	1	<i>Lugar, Richard G</i> ..... IN
3	<i>Bunning, Jim</i> ..... KY	3	<i>Martinez, Mel</i> ..... FL
3	<i>Burr, Richard</i> ..... NC	3	<i>McCain, John</i> ..... AZ
3	BURRIS, ROLAND W <sup>2</sup> ..... IL	1	MCCASKILL, CLAIRE ..... MO
1	BYRD, ROBERT C ..... WV	2	<i>McConnell, Mitch</i> ..... KY
1	CANTWELL, MARIA ..... WA	1	MENENDEZ, ROBERT ..... NJ
1	CARDIN, BENJAMIN L ..... MD	2	MERKLEY, JEFF ..... OR
1	CARPER, THOMAS R ..... DE	3	MIKULSKI, BARBARA A ..... MD
1	CASEY, ROBERT P., JR. .... PA	3	<i>Murkowski, Lisa</i> ..... AK
2	<i>Chambliss, Saxby</i> ..... GA	3	MURRAY, PATTY ..... WA
3	<i>Coburn, Tom</i> ..... OK	1	NELSON, BEN ..... NE
2	<i>Cochran, Thad</i> ..... MS	1	NELSON, BILL ..... FL
2	<i>Collins, Susan M</i> ..... ME	2	PRYOR, MARK L ..... AR
1	CONRAD, KENT ..... ND	2	REED, JACK ..... RI
1	<i>Corker, Bob</i> ..... TN	3	REID, HARRY ..... NV
2	<i>Cornyn, John</i> ..... TX	2	<i>Risch, James E</i> ..... ID
3	<i>Crapo, Mike</i> ..... ID	2	<i>Roberts, Pat</i> ..... KS
3	<i>DeMint, Jim</i> ..... SC	2	ROCKEFELLER, JOHN D., IV ..... WV
3	DODD, CHRISTOPHER J ..... CT	1	<i>SANDERS, BERNARD</i> * ..... VT
3	DORGAN, BYRON L ..... ND	3	SCHUMER, CHARLES E ..... NY
2	DURBIN, RICHARD J ..... IL	2	<i>Sessions, Jeff</i> ..... AL
1	<i>Ensign, John</i> ..... NV	2	SHAHEEN, JEANNE ..... NH
2	<i>Enzi, Michael B</i> ..... WY	3	<i>Shelby, Richard C</i> ..... AL
3	FEINGOLD, RUSSELL D ..... WI	1	<i>Snowe, Olympia J</i> ..... ME
1	FEINSTEIN, DIANNE ..... CA	3	<i>Specter, Arlen</i> ..... PA
1	GILLIBRAND, KIRSTEN E <sup>4</sup> ..... NY	1	STABENOW, DEBBIE ..... MI
2	<i>Graham, Lindsey</i> ..... SC	1	TESTER, JON ..... MT
3	<i>Grassley, Chuck</i> ..... IA	3	<i>Thune, John</i> ..... SD
3	<i>Gregg, Judd</i> ..... NH	2	UDALL, MARK ..... CO
2	HAGAN, KAY R ..... NC	2	UDALL, TOM ..... NM
2	HARKIN, TOM ..... IA	3	<i>Vitter, David</i> ..... LA
1	<i>Hatch, Orrin G</i> ..... UT	3	<i>Voinovich, George V</i> ..... OH
1	<i>Hutchison, Kay Bailey</i> ..... TX	2	WARNER, MARK R ..... VA
2	<i>Inhofe, James M</i> ..... OK	1	WEBB, JIM ..... VA
3	INOUE, DANIEL K ..... HI	1	WHITEHOUSE, SHELDON ..... RI
3	<i>Isakson, Johnny</i> ..... GA	1	<i>Wicker, Roger F</i> <sup>1</sup> ..... MS
2	<i>Johanns, Mike</i> ..... NE	3	WYDEN, RON ..... OR
2	JOHNSON, TIM ..... SD		

Class 1=Senators whose terms expire in 2013 (Dem. 22	Ind. Dem. 1	Ind. 1	Rep. 9)	33
Class 2=Senators whose terms expire in 2015 (Dem. 19	Rep. 13)			32
Class 3=Senators whose terms expire in 2011 (Dem. 15	Rep. 19)			34

Totals (Dem. 56 Ind. Dem. 1 Ind. 1 Rep. 41) ..... 99

[Democrats in roman] [Independent Democrat\*\*] [Independent\*] [Republicans in *italic*]

<sup>1</sup> Elected to fill an unexpired term until January 3, 2013.

<sup>2</sup> Appointed to fill an unexpired term until January 3, 2011.

<sup>3</sup> Appointed until election day 2010 to fill an unexpired term.

<sup>4</sup> Appointed to fill an unexpired term until vacancy is filled as provided by law.

# COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

## STANDING COMMITTEES

### AGRICULTURE, NUTRITION, AND FORESTRY

Room SR-328A. Russell Office Building. Meetings, first and third Wednesdays at 10 a.m.

Tom Harkin, of Iowa, *Chairman*  
Patrick J. Leahy, of Vermont  
Kent Conrad, of North Dakota  
Max Baucus, of Montana  
Blanche L. Lincoln, of Arkansas  
Debbie Stabenow, of Michigan  
Ben Nelson, of Nebraska  
Sherrod Brown, of Ohio  
Robert P. Casey, Jr., of Pennsylvania  
Amy Klobuchar, of Minnesota  
Michael F. Bennet, of Colorado  
Kirsten E. Gillibrand, of New York

Saxby Chambliss, of Georgia  
Richard G. Lugar, of Indiana  
Thad Cochran, of Mississippi  
Mitch McConnell, of Kentucky  
Pat Roberts, of Kansas  
Mike Johanns, of Nebraska  
Chuck Grassley, of Iowa  
John Thune, of South Dakota

### APPROPRIATIONS

Room S-128. The Capitol. Meetings at the call of the Chairman.

Daniel K. Inouye, of Hawaii, *Chairman*  
Robert C. Byrd, of West Virginia  
Patrick J. Leahy, of Vermont  
Tom Harkin, of Iowa  
Barbara A. Mikulski, of Maryland  
Herb Kohl, of Wisconsin  
Patty Murray, of Washington  
Byron L. Dorgan, of North Dakota  
Dianne Feinstein, of California  
Richard J. Durbin, of Illinois  
Tim Johnson, of South Dakota  
Mary L. Landrieu, of Louisiana  
Jack Reed, of Rhode Island  
Frank R. Lautenberg, of New Jersey  
Ben Nelson, of Nebraska  
Mark L. Pryor, of Arkansas  
Jon Tester, of Montana

Thad Cochran, of Mississippi  
Arlen Specter, of Pennsylvania  
Christopher S. Bond, of Missouri  
Mitch McConnell, of Kentucky  
Richard C. Shelby, of Alabama  
Judd Gregg, of New Hampshire  
Robert F. Bennett, of Utah  
Kay Bailey Hutchison, of Texas  
Sam Brownback, of Kansas  
Lamar Alexander, of Tennessee  
Susan M. Collins, of Maine  
George V. Voinovich, of Ohio  
Lisa Murkowski, of Alaska

### ARMED SERVICES

Room SR-228. Russell Office Building. Meetings, Thursdays at 10 a.m.

Carl Levin, of Michigan, *Chairman*  
Edward M. Kennedy, of Massachusetts  
Robert C. Byrd, of West Virginia  
Joseph I. Lieberman, of Connecticut  
Jack Reed, of Rhode Island  
Daniel K. Akaka, of Hawaii  
Bill Nelson, of Florida  
Ben Nelson, of Nebraska  
Evan Bayh, of Indiana  
Jim Webb, of Virginia  
Claire McCaskill, of Missouri  
Mark Udall, of Colorado  
Kay R. Hagan, of North Carolina  
Mark Begich, of Alaska  
Roland W. Burris, of Illinois

John McCain, of Arizona  
James M. Inhofe, of Oklahoma  
Jeff Sessions, of Alabama  
Saxby Chambliss, of Georgia  
Lindsey Graham, of South Carolina  
John Thune, of South Dakota  
Mel Martinez, of Florida  
Roger F. Wicker, of Mississippi  
Richard Burr, of North Carolina  
David Vitter, of Louisiana  
Susan M. Collins, of Maine

### BANKING, HOUSING, AND URBAN AFFAIRS

Room SD-534. Dirksen Office Building. Meetings, last Tuesday of each month at 10:30 a.m.

Christopher J. Dodd, of Connecticut, *Chairman*  
Tim Johnson, of South Dakota  
Jack Reed, of Rhode Island  
Charles E. Schumer, of New York  
Evan Bayh, of Indiana  
Robert Menendez, of New Jersey  
Daniel K. Akaka, of Hawaii  
Sherrod Brown, of Ohio  
Jon Tester, of Montana  
Herb Kohl, of Wisconsin  
Mark R. Warner, of Virginia  
Jeff Merkley, of Oregon  
Michael F. Bennet, of Colorado

Richard C. Shelby, of Alabama  
Robert F. Bennett, of Utah  
Jim Bunning, of Kentucky  
Mike Crapo, of Idaho  
Mel Martinez, of Florida  
Bob Corker, of Tennessee  
Jim DeMint, of South Carolina  
David Vitter, of Louisiana  
Mike Johanns, of Nebraska  
Kay Bailey Hutchison, of Texas

### BUDGET

Room SD-624. Dirksen Office Building. Meetings at the call of the Chairman.

Kent Conrad, of North Dakota, *Chairman*  
Patty Murray, of Washington  
Ron Wyden, of Oregon  
Russell D. Feingold, of Wisconsin  
Robert C. Byrd, of West Virginia  
Bill Nelson, of Florida  
Debbie Stabenow, of Michigan  
Robert Menendez, of New Jersey  
Benjamin L. Cardin, of Maryland  
Bernard Sanders, of Vermont  
Sheldon Whitehouse, of Rhode Island  
Mark R. Warner, of Virginia  
Jeff Merkley, of Oregon

Judd Gregg, of New Hampshire  
Chuck Grassley, of Iowa  
Michael B. Enzi, of Wyoming  
Jeff Sessions, of Alabama  
Jim Bunning, of Kentucky  
Mike Crapo, of Idaho  
John Ensign, of Nevada  
John Cornyn, of Texas  
Lindsey Graham, of South Carolina  
Lamar Alexander, of Tennessee

### COMMERCE, SCIENCE, AND TRANSPORTATION

Room SD-508. Dirksen Office Building. Meetings, first and third Tuesdays at 10 a.m.

John D. Rockefeller IV, of West Virginia, *Chairman*  
Daniel K. Inouye, of Hawaii  
John F. Kerry, of Massachusetts  
Byron L. Dorgan, of North Dakota  
Barbara Boxer, of California  
Bill Nelson, of Florida  
Maria Cantwell, of Washington  
Frank R. Lautenberg, of New Jersey  
Mark L. Pryor, of Arkansas  
Claire McCaskill, of Missouri  
Amy Klobuchar, of Minnesota  
Tom Udall, of New Mexico  
Mark R. Warner, of Virginia  
Mark Begich, of Alaska

Kay Bailey Hutchison, of Texas  
Olympia J. Snowe, of Maine  
John Ensign, of Nevada  
Jim DeMint, of South Carolina  
John Thune, of South Dakota  
Roger F. Wicker, of Mississippi  
Johnny Isakson, of Georgia  
David Vitter, of Louisiana  
Sam Brownback, of Kansas  
Mel Martinez, of Florida  
Mike Johanns, of Nebraska

## STANDING COMMITTEES—Continued

## ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES

Room SD–366. Dirksen Office Building. Meetings, third Wednesday of each month.

Jeff Bingaman, of New Mexico, *Chairman*  
 Byron L. Dorgan, of North Dakota  
 Ron Wyden, of Oregon  
 Tim Johnson, of South Dakota  
 Mary L. Landrieu, of Louisiana  
 Maria Cantwell, of Washington  
 Robert Menendez, of New Jersey  
 Blanche L. Lincoln, of Arkansas  
 Bernard Sanders, of Vermont  
 Evan Bayh, of Indiana  
 Debbie Stabenow, of Michigan  
 Mark Udall, of Colorado  
 Jeanne Shaheen, of New Hampshire

Lisa Murkowski, of Alaska  
 Richard Burr, of North Carolina  
 John Barrasso, of Wyoming  
 Sam Brownback, of Kansas  
 James E. Risch, of Idaho  
 John McCain, of Arizona  
 Robert F. Bennett, of Utah  
 Jim Bunning, of Kentucky  
 Jeff Sessions, of Alabama  
 Bob Corker, of Tennessee

## ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS

Room SD–458. Dirksen Office Building. Meetings, first and third Thursdays at 10 a.m.

Barbara Boxer, of California, *Chairman*  
 Max Baucus, of Montana  
 Thomas R. Carper, of Delaware  
 Frank R. Lautenberg, of New Jersey  
 Benjamin L. Cardin, of Maryland  
 Bernard Sanders, of Vermont  
 Amy Klobuchar, of Minnesota  
 Sheldon Whitehouse, of Rhode Island  
 Tom Udall, of New Mexico  
 Jeff Merkley, of Oregon  
 Kirsten E. Gillibrand, of New York

James M. Inhofe, of Oklahoma  
 George V. Voinovich, of Ohio  
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 Orrin G. Hatch, of Utah  
 Olympia J. Snowe, of Maine  
 Jon Kyl, of Arizona  
 Jim Bunning, of Kentucky  
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 Johnny Isakson, of Georgia  
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 Robert P. Casey, Jr., of Pennsylvania  
 Kay R. Hagan, of North Carolina  
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 Lamar Alexander, of Tennessee  
 Richard Burr, of North Carolina  
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 John McCain, of Arizona  
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 Patty Murray, of Washington  
 Mark L. Pryor, of Arkansas  
 Tom Udall, of New Mexico  
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# GENERAL ORDERS

## UNDER RULE VIII

ORDER No.	MEASURE NUMBER AND AUTHOR	TITLE	REPORTED OR PLACED ON THE CALENDAR
1	S. 1 Mr. Reid and others	A bill to create jobs, restore economic growth, and strengthen America's middle class through measures that modernize the nation's infrastructure, enhance America's energy independence, expand educational opportunities, preserve and improve affordable health care, provide tax relief, and protect those in greatest need, and for other purposes.	Jan. 7, 2009.—Read the second time and placed on the calendar.
2	S. 2 Mr. Reid and others	A bill to improve the lives of middle class families and provide them with greater opportunity to achieve the American dream.	Jan. 7, 2009.—Read the second time and placed on the calendar.
3	S. 3 Mr. Reid and others	A bill protect homeowners and consumers by reducing foreclosures, ensuring the availability of credit for homeowners, businesses, and consumers, and reforming the financial regulatory system, and for other purposes.	Jan. 7, 2009.—Read the second time and placed on the calendar.
4	S. 4 Mr. Reid and others	A bill to guarantee affordable, quality health coverage for all Americans, and for other purposes.	Jan. 7, 2009.—Read the second time and placed on the calendar.
5	S. 5 Mr. Reid and others	A bill to improve the economy and security of the United States by reducing the dependence of the United States on foreign and unsustainable energy sources and the risks of global warming, and for other purposes.	Jan. 7, 2009.—Read the second time and placed on the calendar.

ORDER NO.	MEASURE NUMBER AND AUTHOR	TITLE	REPORTED OR PLACED ON THE CALENDAR
6	S. 6 Mr. Reid and others	A bill to restore and enhance the national security of the United States.	Jan. 7, 2009.—Read the second time and placed on the calendar.
7	S. 7 Mr. Reid and others	A bill to expand educational opportunities for all Americans by increasing access to high-quality early childhood education and after school programs, advancing reform in elementary and secondary education, strengthening mathematics and science instruction, and ensuring that higher education is more affordable, and for other purposes.	Jan. 7, 2009.—Read the second time and placed on the calendar.
8	S. 8 Mr. Reid and others	A bill to return the Government to the people by reviewing controversial “midnight regulations” issued in the waning days of the Bush Administration.	Jan. 7, 2009.—Read the second time and placed on the calendar.
9	S. 9 Mr. Reid and others	A bill to strengthen the United States economy, provide for more effective border and employment enforcement, and for other purposes.	Jan. 7, 2009.—Read the second time and placed on the calendar.
10	S. 10 Mr. Reid and others	A bill to restore fiscal discipline and begin to address the long-term fiscal challenges facing the United States, and for other purposes.	Jan. 7, 2009.—Read the second time and placed on the calendar.
11	S. 33 Mr. Ensign	A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 with respect to the proper tax treatment of certain indebtedness discharged in 2009 or 2010, and for other purposes.	Jan. 7, 2009.—Read the second time and placed on the calendar.
12	S. 34 Mr. DeMint and others	A bill to prevent the Federal Communications Commission from repromulgating the fairness doctrine.	Jan. 7, 2009.—Read the second time and placed on the calendar.

ORDER NO.	MEASURE NUMBER AND AUTHOR	TITLE	REPORTED OR PLACED ON THE CALENDAR
15	S. 182 Mrs. Clinton and others	A bill to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to provide more effective remedies to victims of discrimination in the payment of wages on the basis of sex, and for other purposes.	Jan. 9, 2009.—Read the second time and placed on the calendar.
17	S. 275 Mr. Baucus	A bill to amend title XXI of the Social Security Act to extend and improve the Children's Health Insurance Program, and for other purposes.	Jan. 16, 2009.—Mr. Baucus, Committee on Finance, without amendment. (An original bill.) (No written report.)
19	S. 336 Mr. Inouye	A bill making supplemental appropriations for job preservation and creation, infrastructure investment, energy efficiency and science, assistance to the unemployed, and State and local fiscal stabilization, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2009, and for other purposes.	Jan. 27, 2009.—Mr. Inouye, Committee on Appropriations, without amendment. (An original bill.) (Rept. 3.)
20	S. 350 Mr. Baucus	A bill to provide for a portion of the economic recovery package relating to revenue measures, unemployment, and health.	Jan. 29, 2009.—Mr. Baucus, Committee on Finance, without amendment. (An original bill.) (No written report.)
22	S. Res. 46 Mr. Schumer	Resolution authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Rules and Administration.	Feb. 12, 2009.—Mr. Schumer, Committee on Rules and Administration, without amendment. (An original resolution.) (No written report.)
24	S. 478 Mr. DeMint and others	A bill to amend the National Labor Relations Act to ensure the right of employees to a secret-ballot election conducted by the National Labor Relations Board.	Feb. 26, 2009.—Read the second time and placed on the calendar.
25	S. 482 Mr. Feingold and others	A bill to require Senate candidates to file designations, statements, and reports in electronic form.	Feb. 26, 2009.—Read the second time and placed on the calendar.

ORDER NO.	MEASURE NUMBER AND AUTHOR	TITLE	REPORTED OR PLACED ON THE CALENDAR
26	H.R. 1105	An act making omnibus appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2009, and for other purposes.	Feb. 26, 2009.—Read the second time and placed on the calendar.
27	H.R. 146	An act to establish a battlefield acquisition grant program for the acquisition and protection of nationally significant battlefields and associated sites of the Revolutionary War and the War of 1812, and for other purposes.	Mar. 5, 2009.—Read the second time and placed on the calendar.
28	S. 386 Mr. Leahy and others	A bill to improve enforcement of mortgage fraud, securities fraud, financial institution fraud, and other frauds related to federal assistance and relief programs, for the recovery of funds lost to these frauds, and for other purposes.	Mar. 5, 2009.—Mr. Leahy, Committee on the Judiciary, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (No written report.)
29	S. 542 Mr. Reid and others	A bill to repeal the provisions of law that provides automatic pay adjustments for Members of Congress.	Mar. 9, 2009.—Read the second time and placed on the calendar.



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## NOTICE OF INTENT TO OBJECT TO PROCEEDING

When following the objection to a unanimous consent to proceeding to, and, or passage of, a measure or matter on their behalf, a Senator has notified the appropriate leader, or their designee, in writing and submits such objection for inclusion in the Congressional Record and the Senate Calendar of Business, it shall be placed in the section of the Calendar entitled "Notice of Intent to Object to Proceeding". (Sec. 512, P.L. 110-81)

NUMBER	TITLE	DATE AND SENATOR

## RESOLUTIONS AND MOTIONS OVER, UNDER THE RULE

When objection is heard to immediate consideration of a resolution or motion when submitted, it shall be placed here, to be laid before the Senate on the next legislative day for consideration, unless by unanimous consent the Senate shall otherwise direct. (Rule XIV, Paragraph 6.)

NUMBER	TITLE	DATE SUBMITTED AND AUTHOR

## BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS READ THE FIRST TIME

When objection is heard to the second reading of a bill or joint resolution, that measure is then laid before the Senate during morning business of the next legislative day for the second reading. (Rule XIV, Paragraph 2.)

NUMBER	TITLE	DATE AND AUTHOR

## SUBJECTS ON THE TABLE

Such subjects are business, usually bills and resolutions, placed here by unanimous consent. Once business has been given this status, it is in order to move to proceed to its consideration, even though it cannot be reached by a "call of the calendar".

MEASURE NUMBER	TITLE	DATE

## MOTIONS FOR RECONSIDERATION

After an action taken by the Senate, any Senator voting with the prevailing side or who has not voted may, on the same day or on either of the next two days of actual session thereafter, either enter a motion for reconsideration or move a reconsideration. This section contains such motions not yet acted on as so provided by Rule XIII, Paragraph 1.

DATE	SUBJECT

## BILLS IN CONFERENCE

Jefferson's Manual, Section XLVI:  
 "And in all cases of conference asked after a vote of disagreement, etc., the conferees of the House asking it are to leave the papers with the conferees of the other \* \* \*." The House agreeing to the conference usually acts on the report before the House requesting a conference.

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