

Senate Issues

1. HR 2. Tax Reductions/ Passage

Passage of the bill that would reduce taxes by \$350 billion over 11 years. Reductions in individual income tax rates passed by Congress in 2001 would be accelerated. The child tax credit would increase to \$1,000. Passed 51-49. May 15, 2003. Christian Coalition supported this bill.

2. Estrada Nomination/Cloture

Motion to invoke cloture (thus limiting debate) on the motion to proceed to a vote on President Bush's nomination of Miguel A. Estrada of Virginia to be a judge for the U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia. There were 7 attempts made by the Senate to end the filibuster of Mr. Estrada before he asked that his nomination be withdrawn. Motion rejected 55-45. Three-fifths of the total Senate (60) is required to invoke cloture. March 18, 2003. Christian Coalition supported this nomination.

3. HR 1298. Global AIDS Relief/Abstinence Program

Feinstein, D-Calif., amendment that would delete a provision requiring that 33 percent of the money for prevention programs be spent on abstinence education. Rejected 45-52. May 15, 2003. Christian Coalition opposed this amendment.

4. Owen Nomination/Cloture

Motion to invoke cloture (thus limiting

debate) on President Bush's nomination of Priscilla Owen of Texas to be a judge for the U.S. Court of Appeals for the 5th Circuit. Motion rejected 52-44. Three-fifths of the total Senate (60) is required to invoke cloture. May 1, 2003. Christian Coalition supported this nomination.

5. S 3. Partial-Birth Abortion Ban Act of 2003 -- Final Passage (Conference Report) (Senate)

Passage of a bill to prohibit the procedure commonly known as partial-birth abortion. This procedure would only be allowed to save a woman's life. Those who unlawfully perform the procedure would face fines and up to two years in prison. Passed 64-34. Oct 21, 2003. Christian Coalition supported this bill.

6. S 925. Fiscal 2004 State Department Reauthorization/"Mexico City" Policy (Senate)

Lugar, R-Ind., motion to table (kill) the Boxer, D-Calif., amendment to the Lugar substitute amendment. The Boxer amendment would repeal the "Mexico City" policy, which forbids foreign organizations that receive U.S. aid from providing abortions or abortion counseling. The substitute would authorize \$27 billion for State Department operations and foreign assistance programs. Failed 43-53. July 9, 2003.

Christian Coalition supported the Lugar motion to kill the Boxer amendment (which Christian Coalition opposed.)

Member	State	Party	Vote 1	Vote 2	Vote 3	Vote 4	Vote 5	Vote 6	CCA Score
Sessions	ALABAMA	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Shelby		R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Murkowski	ALASKA	R	+	+	+	+	+	-	83
Stevens		R	+	+	+	+	+	-	83
Kyl	ARIZONA	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
McCain		R	-	+	+	+	+	+	83
Lincoln	ARKANSAS	D	-	-	-	-	+	-	16
Pryor		D	-	-	-	-	+	-	16
Boxer	CALIFORNIA	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Feinstein		D	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Allard	COLORADO	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Campbell		R	+	+	+	+	+	-	83
Dodd	CONNECTICUT	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Lieberman		D	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Biden	DELAWARE	D	-	-	-	-	+	-	16
Carper		D	-	-	-	-	+	-	16
Graham, B.	FLORIDA	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Nelson, Bill		D	-	+	-	-	-	-	16
Chambliss	GEORGIA	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Miller		D	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Akaka	HAWAII	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Inouye		D	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Craig	IDAHO	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Crapo		R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Durbin	ILLINOIS	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Fitzgerald		R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Bayh	INDIANA	D	+	-	-	-	+	-	33
Lugar		R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Grassley	IOWA	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Harkin		D	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Brownback	KANSAS	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Roberts		R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Bunning	KENTUCKY	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
McConnell		R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100

Member	State	Party	Vote 1	Vote 2	Vote 3	Vote 4	Vote 5	Vote 6	CCA Score
Breaux	LOUISIANA	D	-	+	-	-	+	+	50
Landrieu		D	-	-	-	-	+	-	16
Collins	MAINE	R	+	+	+	+	-	-	66
Snowe		R	-	+	+	+	-	-	50
Mikulski	MARYLAND	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Sarbanes		D	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Kennedy	MASSACHUSETTS	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Kerry		D	-	-	?	-	-	?	0
Levin, C.	MICHIGAN	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Stabenow		D	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Coleman	MINNESOTA	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Dayton		D	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Cochran	MISSISSIPPI	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Lott		R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Bond	MISSOURI	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Talent		R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Baucus	MONTANA	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Bums		R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Hagel	NEBRASKA	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Nelson, Ben		D	+	+	+	+	+	-	83
Ensign	NEVADA	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Reid		D	-	-	-	-	+	-	16
Gregg	NEW HAMPSHIRE	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Sununu		R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Corzine	NEW JERSEY	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Lautenberg		D	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Bingaman	NEW MEXICO	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Domenici		R	+	+	-	+	+	+	100
Clinton	NEW YORK	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Schumer		D	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Dole	NORTH CAROLINA	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Edwards		D	-	-	-	-	?	?	0
Conrad	NORTH DAKOTA	D	-	-	-	-	+	-	16
Dorgan		D	-	-	-	-	+	-	16
DeWine	OHIO	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Voinovich		R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Inhofe	OKLAHOMA	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Nickles		R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Smith	OREGON	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	83
Wyden		D	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Santorum	PENNSYLVANIA	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Specter		R	+	+	+	+	+	-	83
Chafee	RHODE ISLAND	R	-	+	+	+	-	-	50
Reed		D	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Graham, L.	SOUTH CAROLINA	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Hollings		D	-	-	-	-	+	-	16
Daschle	SOUTH DAKOTA	D	-	-	-	-	+	-	16
Johnson		D	-	-	-	-	+	-	16
Alexander	TENNESSEE	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Frist		R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Comyn	TEXAS	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Hutchison		R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Bennett	UTAH	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Hatch		R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Jeffords	VERMONT	I	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Leahy		D	-	-	-	-	+	-	16
Allen	VIRGINIA	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Warner		R	+	+	+	+	+	-	83
Cantwell	WASHINGTON	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Murray		D	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Byrd	WEST VIRGINIA	D	-	-	-	-	+	-	20
Rockefeller		D	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Feingold	WISCONSIN	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Kohl		D	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
Enzi	WYOMING	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
Thomas		R	+	+	+	+	+	+	100

KEY TO SCORECARD

- + FOR Christian Coalition's position
- AGAINST Christian Coalition's position
- ? Absent or Not voting

House Issues

1. HR 760. 'Partial Birth' Abortion Ban/Passage (House)

Passage of the bill that would ban a medical procedure opponents refer to as "partial birth" abortion. The procedure would be allowed only when it is necessary to save a woman's life. Those who unlawfully perform the procedure would face fines and up to two years in prison. Passed 282-139. June 4, 2003. Christian Coalition supported this bill.

2. HR 2. Tax Reductions/Conference Report (House)

Adoption of the conference report on the bill that would provide \$350 billion in tax breaks over 11 years. Adopted 231-200. May 23, 2003. Christian Coalition supported this bill.

3. HR 534 Human Cloning Prohibition Act (House)

Ban on human cloning. Passed 241-155. Feb 27, 2003. Christian Coalition supported this bill.

4. HR 2799. Fiscal 2004 Commerce, Justice, State Appropriations/Pledge of Allegiance (House)

Hostettler, R-Ind., amendment that would bar the Justice Department from using funds to enforce the ruling in *Newdow V. U.S. Congress*, in which the 9th Circuit Court of Appeals held that requiring schoolchildren to recite the Pledge of Allegiance was unconstitutional. Passed 307-119. July 22, 2003. Christian Coalition supported this amendment.

5. HR 1298. AIDS Relief/Abstinence Programs (House)

Pitts, R-PA., amendment that would require that one-third of the funding for bilateral assistance for HIV/AIDS prevention go toward abstinence-until-marriage programs. Adopted 220-197. May 1, 2003. Christian Coalition supported this amendment.

6. HR 2799. Fiscal 2004 Commerce, Justice, State Appropriations/Ten Commandments. (House)

Hostettler, R-Ind., amendment that would block the use of funds for the Justice Department to enforce the ruling in *Glassroth v. Moore* in which the 11th Circuit Court of Appeals held that a memorial to the Ten Commandments must be removed from the Alabama State Supreme Court building. Passed 260-161. July 23, 2003. Christian Coalition supported this amendment.

7. HR 2765 Fiscal 2004 District of Columbia Appropriations/School Vouchers (House)

Students would be eligible for up to \$7,500 in funds to attend a private elementary or high school in the District of Columbia. Passed 210-206. Sept 9, 2003. Christian Coalition supported this bill.

8. HR 1950. State Department Authorization/U.N Population Fund (House)

Smith, R-N.J., amendment to strike a provision that would ease statutory requirements for U.S. contributions to the U.N. Population Fund and would authorize an additional \$25 million in each of fiscal years 2004 and 2005 for the fund. Adopted 216-211. July 15, 2003. Christian Coalition supported this amendment.

9. H Amdt 221 to HR 2660 Amdt sought to prohibit funding for 5 National Institutes of Health Grants (House)

Toomey, R-PA, amendment prohibiting funding of 5 sex-studies grants from the National Institutes of Health. Rejected 210-212. July 10, 2003. Christian Coalition supported this amendment.

10. HR 2210. Head Start Reauthorization/Religious Organizations (House)

Woolsey, D-Calif., amendment to strike a provision that would allow religious organizations operating Head Start programs to consider religion as a factor in hiring teachers. Rejected 199-231. July 25, 2003. Christian Coalition opposed this amendment.

11. Bankruptcy Abuse Prevention and Consumer Protection Act (House)

Vote on adoption of a rule for the Conference Report on H.R. 333, Bankruptcy Abuse Prevention and Consumer Protection Act which included a pro-abortion amendment affecting pro-life demonstrators. Rejected 172-243. Nov 15, 2002. Christian Coalition opposed this bill as long as the pro-abortion amendment was attached.

12. HR 2143 Internet Gambling/Passage (House)

Passage of the bill that would require financial institutions and credit card companies to take steps to block the processing of Internet wagers. State regulated or licensed transactions would be exempt from the ban. Passed 319-104. June 10, 2003. Christian Coalition supported this bill.

13. HR 1308 Child Tax Credit and Military Tax Breaks/Rule (House)

Adoption of the rule (H Res 270) that would concur with a Senate amendment to the bill, with a further House amendment. This House amendment would extend through 2010 the \$1,000-per-child tax credit enacted in the 2003 tax law. The amendment also would provide a number of tax breaks for members of the armed services. Passed 224-201. June 12, 2003. Christian Coalition supported this bill and this rule.

Dist.	Member	St.	Party	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	CCA Score
ALABAMA																	
1	Bonner	AL	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	?	+	+	100
2	Everett	AL	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
3	Rogers, M.D.	AL	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	?	+	+	100
4	Aderholt	AL	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
5	Cramer	AL	D	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	?	-	-	+	-	58
6	Bachus	AL	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	92
7	Davis, A.	AL	D	+	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	?	+	-	33
ARKANSAS																	
1	Berry	AR	D	+	-	+	+	-	+	-	+	+	-	-	+	-	53
2	Snyder	AR	D	-	-	?	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	8
3	Boozman	AR	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
4	Ross	AR	D	+	-	+	+	-	+	-	-	+	-	+	+	-	53
ALASKA																	
1	Young, D.	AK	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	84
ARIZONA																	
1	Renzi	AZ	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	?	+	+	100
2	Franks	AZ	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	?	+	+	100
3	Shadegg	AZ	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
4	Pastor	AZ	D	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	?	+	+	-	16
5	Hayworth	AZ	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	?	+	+	+	-	+	91
6	Flake	AZ	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	92
7	Grijalva	AZ	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	?	-	-	0
8	Kolbe	AZ	R	-	+	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	+	-	+	+	46
CALIFORNIA																	
1	Thompson, M.	CA	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	7
2	Hergert	CA	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	92
3	Ose	CA	R	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	61
4	Doolittle	CA	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	?	+	+	100
5	Matsui	CA	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	7
6	Woolsey	CA	D	-	-	-	-	-	?	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	8
7	Miller, Ge.	CA	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	7
8	Pelosi	CA	D	-	-	-	-	-	?	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	8
9	Lee	CA	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	7
10	Tauscher	CA	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0
11	Pombo	CA	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	92
12	Lantos	CA	D	?	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	?	-	9
13	Stark	CA	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	7
14	Eshoo	CA	D	?	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	?	?	10
15	Honda	CA	D	-	-	-	-	?	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	8
16	Lofgren	CA	D	?	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	8
17	Farr	CA	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	7
18	Cardoza	CA	D	-	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	-	?	+	-	25
19	Radanovich	CA	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	91
20	Dooley	CA	D	-	-	-	-	-	?	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	7
21	Nunes	CA	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	?	+	+	100
22	Thomas, W.	CA	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	76
23	Capps	CA	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	7
24	Gallegly	CA	R	+	+	?	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	83
25	McKeon	CA	R	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	92
26	Dreier	CA	R	+	+	+	+	?	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	66
27	Sherman	CA	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	+	-	15
28	Berman	CA	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	7
29	Schiff	CA	D	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	+	-	23
30	Waxman	CA	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	+	-	15
31	Becerra	CA	D	-	-	-	-	?	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	8
32	Solis	CA	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	7
33	Watson	CA	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	7
34	Roybal-Allard	CA	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	7
35	Waters	CA	D	-	-	?	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	+	-	16
36	Harman	CA	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	?	-	+	+	16
37	Millender-McDonald	CA	D	-	-	?	-	-	-	-	-	?	?	-	+	+	20
38	Napolitano	CA	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	+	-	15
39	Sanchez, Li.	CA	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	?	-	-	0
40	Royce	CA	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	92
41	Lewis, Je.	CA	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	76
42	Miller, Ga.	CA	R	+	+	?	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
43	Baca	CA	D	-	-	?	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	16
44	Calvert	CA	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	92
45	Bono	CA	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	84
46	Rohrabacher	CA	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	84
47	Sanchez, Lo.	CA	D	-	-	?	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	?	-	-	9
48	Cox	CA	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	92
49	Issa	CA	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	84
50	Cunningham	CA	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
51	Filner	CA	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	+	-	15
52	Hunter	CA	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
53	Davis, S.	CA	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	7
COLORADO																	
1	DeGette	CO	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	+	-	15
2	Udall, M.	CO	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	?	-	-	+	-	+	-	16
3	McInnis	CO	R	+	+	?	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	91
4	Musgrave	CO	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	?	+	100
5	Helley	CO	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	92
6	Tancredo	CO	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
7	Beauprez	CO	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	?	+	+	100
CONNECTICUT																	
1	Larson	CT	D	?	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	?	-	9
2	Simmons	CT	R	-	+	-	+	-	+	-	-	-	+	-	+	+	46
3	DeLauro	CT	D	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	+	-	15
4	Shays	CT	R	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	53
5	Johnson, N.	CT	R	-	+	-	+	-	+	-	-	+	-	+	?	+	41
DELAWARE																	
1	Castle	DE	R	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	+	-	-	38
FLORIDA																	
1	Miller, J.	FL	R	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100
2	Boyd	FL	D	+	-	?	+	?	+	-	-	+	-	?	+	-	50
3	Brown, C.	FL	D	-	-	?	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	+	-	25

