Mr. President, we were making great progress toward

getting an agreement yesterday afternoon, and then Senator Warner at

the last minute had a proposal he would like us to consider, and that

slowed us down a little bit. But we are now reviewing that, and I share

the optimism of the majority leader that we may be able to reach a

unanimous consent agreement in the very near future that would allow us

to wrap up this matter sometime today.

I yield the floor.