

Daily Digest

HIGHLIGHTS

See Résumé of Congressional Activity.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages S2029–S2051

Measures Introduced: Two bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2339–2340. **Page S2040**

Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows: Reported on Friday, March 31, 2000, during the adjournment:

S. Con. Res. 101, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal years 2001 through 2005 and revising the budgetary levels for fiscal year 2000. (S. Rept. No. 106–251) **Page S2040**

Measures Passed:

John K. Rafferty Hamilton Post Office Building: Senate passed H.R. 1374, to designate the United States Post Office building located at 680 U.S. Highway 130 in Hamilton, New Jersey, as the “John K. Rafferty Hamilton Post Office Building”, clearing the measure for the President. **Page S2050**

Joseph Iletto Post Office: Senate passed H.R. 3189, to designate the United States post office located at 14071 Peyton Drive in Chino Hills, California, as the “Joseph Iletto Post Office”, clearing the measure for the President. **Pages S2050–51**

Congressional Budget Resolution—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the consideration of the Congressional Budget Resolution on Tuesday, April 4, 2000. **Page S2051**

Appointment:

Amtrak Reform Council: The Chair, announced that pursuant to P.L. 105–134, the Amtrak Reform and Accountability Act of 1997, the appointment of the following individual, appointed by the Minority Leader of the United States Senate, to the Amtrak Reform Council: James E. Coston of Illinois vice Donald R. Sweitzer of Virginia. **Page S2051**

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Adjournment: Senate convened at 12 noon, and adjourned at 2:04 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Tuesday, April 4, 2000. (For Senate’s program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today’s Record on page S2051.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

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Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: On Friday, March 31, Subcommittee on Energy Research, Development, Production and Regulation concluded oversight hearings to examine the Department of Energy’s findings at the Gaseous Diffusion Plant in Paducah, Kentucky, and plans for cleanup at the site, after receiving testimony from Carolyn L. Huntoon, Assistant Secretary for Environmental Management, David Michaels, Assistant Secretary of Environment, Safety and Health, and William D. Magwood IV, Director of the Office of Nuclear Energy, Science and Technology, all of the Department of Energy; Keith H. Dinger, Somersworth, New Hampshire, on behalf of the Health Physics Society; and John M. Driskill, United Plant Guard Workers of America, Paducah, Kentucky.

OLDER WORKER EMPLOYMENT

Special Committee on Aging: Committee held hearings to examine employment demand for older workers, focusing on obstacles hindering participation in the labor market, flexibility in retirement programs, and phased retirement programs, receiving testimony from Representative Pomeroy; Joseph Perkins, American Association of Retired Persons, Scott A. Morris, Committee for Economic Development, both of Washington, D.C.; Stephen Meyer, Hy-Vee, Inc.,