

Daily Digest

HIGHLIGHTS

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Two bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 3074–3075, and S. Res. 580. **Page S4893**

Measures Reported:

S. 3024, to authorize grants to the Eurasia Foundation. (S. Rept. No. 110–342)

H.R. 3913, to amend the International Center Act to authorize the lease or sublease of certain property described in such Act to an entity other than a foreign government or international organization if certain conditions are met. (S. Rept. No. 110–343)

H.R. 634, to require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint coins in commemoration of veterans who became disabled for life while serving in the Armed Forces of the United States, with an amendment.

S. 3075, to make certain technical corrections to title III of SAFETEA–LU. **Page S4892**

Measures Considered:

Climate Security Act: Senate resumed consideration of the motion to proceed to consideration of S. 3036, to direct the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to establish a program to decrease emissions of greenhouse gases. **Pages S4866–89**

During consideration of this measure today, Senate also took the following action:

By 74 yeas to 14 nays (Vote No. 141), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn, having voted in the affirmative, Senate agreed to the motion to close further debate on the motion to proceed to consideration of the bill. **Page S4887**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the motion to proceed to consideration of the bill at 11 a.m., on Tuesday, June 3, 2008, and that any time during adjournment, recess or period of morning business count post-cloture. **Page S4899**

Appointments:

Mexico-U.S. Interparliamentary Group: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 276h-276k, as amended, appointed the following Senator as a member of the Senate Delegation to the Mexico-U.S. Interparliamentary Group during the Second Session of the 110th Congress: Senator Corker. **Page S4899**

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Native American Housing Assistance and Self-Determination Reauthorization Act—Amendment Modified: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that, notwithstanding the May 22, 2008 passage, of S. 2062, to amend the Native American Housing Assistance and Self-Determination Act of 1996 to reauthorize that Act, Reid (for Dodd/Shelby) Amendment No. 4820, to modify provisions relating to use of treatment of funds, amounts, an allocation formula, and a demonstration program, which was previously agreed to, was modified. **Pages S4857–58**

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Text of S. 2062, as Previously Passed:
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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today.
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Adjournment: Senate convened at 2:01 p.m. and adjourned at 6:25 p.m., until 10 a.m. on Tuesday,

June 3, 2008. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S4899.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. The House is scheduled to meet at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, June 3, 2008, pursuant to the provisions of H. Con. Res. 355.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Joint Meetings

Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe: To hold hearings to examine the challenges to minority communities in Kosovo, 3 p.m., 318, Rayburn Building.

NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see *Daily Digest*, p. D661)

H.R. 2419, to provide for the continuation of agricultural programs through fiscal year 2012, and for other purposes. Signed on May 22, 2008. (Public Law 110–234)

S. 3029, to provide for an additional temporary extension of programs under the Small Business Act and the Small Business Investment Act of 1958, and for other purposes. Signed on May 23, 2008. (Public Law 110–235)

H.R. 3522, to ratify a conveyance of a portion of the Jicarilla Apache Reservation to Rio Arriba County, State of New Mexico, pursuant to the settlement of litigation between the Jicarilla Apache Nation and Rio Arriba County, State of New Mexico, to authorize issuance of a patent for said lands, and to change the exterior boundary of the Jicarilla Apache Reservation accordingly, and for other purposes. Signed on May 27, 2008. (Public Law 110–236)

H.R. 5919, to make technical corrections regarding the Newborn Screening Saves Lives Act of 2007. Signed on May 27, 2008. (Public Law 110–237)

S. 3035, to temporarily extend the programs under the Higher Education Act of 1965. Signed on May 30, 2008. (Public Law 110–238)

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 3, 2008

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Armed Services: to hold hearings to examine the acquisition of major weapons systems by the Department of Defense, 9:30 a.m., SD–106.

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Neel T. Kashkari, of California, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, Christopher R. Wall, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce, Michael E. Fryzel, of Illinois, to be a Member of the National Credit Union Administration Board, Donald B. Marron, of Maryland, to be a Member of the Council of Economic Advisers, Sheila McNamara Greenwood, of Louisiana, and Susan D. Pepler, of California, both to be an Assistant Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, and Joseph J. Murin, of Pennsylvania, to be President, Government National Mortgage Association, Luis Aguilar, of Georgia, Troy A. Paredes, of Missouri, and Elisse Walter, of Maryland, each to be a Member of the Securities and Exchange Commission, 2:30 p.m., SD–538.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: to hold hearings to examine energy market manipulation and federal enforcement regimes, 10 a.m., SR–253.

Committee on Finance: to hold hearings to examine rising costs and low quality in health care, focusing on the necessity for reform, 10 a.m., SD–215.

House

Committee on Rules, to consider the following bills: H.R. 3021, 21st Century Green-Performing Public School Facilities Act; and H.R. 5540, Chesapeake Bay Gateways and Watertrails Network Continuing Authorization Act, 5 p.m., H–313 Capitol.