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**Nomination Withdrawn:** Senate received notification of the withdrawal of the following nomination:

Mary Burrus Babson, of Illinois, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for National and Community Service for a term of one year, which was received by the Senate on January 22, 1996.  
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**Record Votes:** One record vote was taken today. (Total—60)  
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**Adjournment:** Senate convened at 10 a.m. and, in accordance with H. Con. Res. 157, adjourned at 5:13 p.m., until 10 a.m., on Monday, April 15, 1996.

## Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

### AUTHORIZATION—DEFENSE

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Strategic Forces concluded hearings on proposed legisla-

tion authorizing funds for fiscal year 1997 for the Department of Defense and the future years defense program, focusing on arms control, cooperative threat reduction programs and chemical demilitarization, after receiving testimony from Susan Koch, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Threat Reduction Policy; Theodore Procky, Deputy Assistant to the Assistant to the Secretary of Defense for Chemical/Biological Matters; and Kent Stansberry, Deputy Director, Arms Control Implementation and Compliance, Office of Principal Deputy Under Secretary of Defense of Technology for Acquisition and Technology.

### AUTHORIZATION—DEFENSE

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Airland Forces concluded hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 1997 for the Department of Defense and the future years defense program, focusing on Army and Unmanned Aerial Vehicle (UAV) modernization efforts, after receiving testimony from Gilbert F. Decker, Assistant Secretary for Research and Development and Acquisition, Gen. Ronald Griffith, Vice Chief of Staff, and Gen. William W. Hartzog, Commanding General, United States Training and Doctrine Command, all of the Department of the Army; Rear Adm. Barton D. Strong, USN, Program Executive Officer for Cruise Missiles and Unmanned Aerial Vehicles (UAV)s; and Charles Heber, Director, High Altitude Endurance/Unmanned Aerial Vehicle, Advanced Research Projects Agency.

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# House of Representatives

## Chamber Action

**Bills Introduced:** 32 public bills, H.R. 3198–3229; and 8 resolutions, H.J. Res. 170–171, H. Con. Res. 157–159, and H. Res. 397–399 were introduced.

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**Reports Filed:** Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 395, providing for consideration of H.J. Res. 159, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to require two-thirds majorities for bills increasing taxes (H. Rept. 104–513);

H. Res. 396, providing for consideration of H.R. 842, to provide off-budget treatment for the Highway Trust Fund, the Airport and Airway Trust Fund, the Inland Waterways Trust Fund, and the

Harbor Maintenance Trust Fund (H. Rept. 104–514);

H.R. 2747, to direct the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to make grants to States for the purpose of financing the construction, rehabilitation, and improvement of water supply systems, amended (H. Rept. 104–515); and

H.R. 842, to provide off-budget treatment for the Highway Trust Fund, the Airport and Airway Trust Fund, the Inland Waterways Trust Fund, and the Harbor Maintenance Trust Fund; adversely (H. Rept. 104–499, Pt. 2).

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