

Friday, October 4, 1996

Daily Digest

HIGHLIGHTS

104th Congress Adjourned Sine Die.

Senate

Chamber Action

Senate was not in session today. It will next meet at 12 noon on Tuesday, January 7, 1997 for the convening of the 105th Congress.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 1 public bill, H.R. 4344, was introduced. **Page H12301**

Reports Filed: No reports were filed today.

Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designated Representative Walker to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H12273**

Committee Resignation: Read a letter from Representative Coleman wherein he resigns as a member of the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence. **Page H12274**

Subsequently, the Chair announced the Speaker's appointment of Representative Richardson to the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence. **Page H12274**

Adjournment Sine Die: Agreed to the Senate amendment to House Concurrent Resolution 230, providing for the sine die adjournment of the second session of the One Hundred Fourth Congress. **Page H12275**

The House agreed to consider the following measures by unanimous consent:

Drug-Induced Rape Prevention and Punishment: Agreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 4137, to combat drug-facilitated crimes of violence, including sexual assaults—clearing the measure for the President; **Pages H12275–76**

Alternative Means of Dispute Resolution: Agreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 4194, to reauthorize alternative means of dispute resolution in the Federal administrative process—clearing the measure for the President; **Pages H12276–77**

Administration of Federal Courts: Passed S. 1887, to make improvements in the operation and administration of the Federal courts—clearing the measure for the President; **Pages H12277–81**

Compensation to Patent Owners: Agreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 632, to enhance fairness in compensating owners of patents used by the United States—clearing the measure for the President; **Page H12281**

Human Rights Restoration: Agreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 4036, to strengthen the protection of internationally recognized human rights—clearing the measure for the President; **Pages H12281–83**

Presidential and Executive Office Accountability: Agreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 3452, to make certain laws applicable to the Executive Office of the President—clearing the measure for the President; **Pages H12283–86**

Black Revolutionary War Patriots Commemorative Coin: Agreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 1776, to require the Secretary of the Treasury

to mint coins in commemoration of black revolutionary war patriots—clearing the measure for the President;
Pages H12286–90

Wildfire Suppression Aircraft: Passed S. 2078, to authorize the sale of excess Department of Defense aircraft to facilitate the suppression of wildfire—clearing the measure for the President; **Page H12290**

Marine Mineral Resource Research: Passed S. 1194, to promote the research, identification, assessment, and exploration of marine mineral resources—clearing the measure for the President;
Pages H12290–92

Kansas and Nebraska Irrigation Districts: Passed S. 1649, to extend contracts between the Bureau of Reclamation and irrigation districts in Kansas and Nebraska—clearing the measure for the President;
Page H12292

Technical Corrections to Personal Responsibility Act: Passed S. 2183, to make technical corrections to the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996—clearing the measure for the President;
Pages H12292–93

Extension of Stay in United States for Nurses: Passed S. 2197, to extend the authorized period of stay within the United States for certain nurses—clearing the measure for the President;
Pages H12293–94

Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations: Passed S. 2198, to provide for the Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations to continue in existence—clearing the measure for the President; and
Page H12294

Cache La Poudre River, Colorado: Passed S. 342, to establish the Cache La Poudre River National Water Heritage Area in the State of Colorado—clearing the measure for the President.
Pages H12294–97

Referrals: Ten Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House Committees. **Page H12300**

Senate Messages: Messages received from the Senate appear on pages H12274 and 12275.

Quorum Calls—Votes: No votes or quorum calls developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment Sine Die: Met at 2:00 p.m. and, pursuant to the provisions of House Concurrent Resolution 230, as amended, adjourned sine die at 2:52 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No Committee meetings were held.