

Daily Digest

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed Defense Appropriations bill.

The House passed H.J. Res. 101, to recognize the 225th birthday of the United States Army and honor the valor, commitment, and sacrifice of American soldiers throughout its history.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages S4973–S5058

Measures Introduced: Thirteen bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2713–2725, and S. Res. 322. **Page S5027**

Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1967, to make technical corrections to the status of certain land held in trust for the Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians, to take certain land into trust for that Band. (S. Rept. No. 106–307)

S. 2720, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001. **Page S5027**

Measures Passed:

Defense Appropriations: By 95 yeas to 3 nays (Vote No. 127), Senate passed H.R. 4576, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001, after taking action on the following amendments proposed thereto: **Pages S4980–S5020**

Adopted:

Boxer Amendment No. 3363, to protect the privacy of an individual's medical records. **Pages S4983–84**

Allard Amendment No. 3346, to provide for an additional payment from the surplus to reduce the public debt. **Pages S4984–87**

Ashcroft Modified Amendment No. 3304, to set aside \$43,000,000 for research, development, test and evaluation for the extended range conventional air-launched cruise missile program of the Air Force. **Pages S4987–88**

Stevens (for Collins/Stevens) Modified Amendment No. 3175, to provide for the continued design and

analysis under the reentry systems applications program for the advanced technology vehicle. **Pages S4990–92**

Inouye (for Bingaman) Modified Amendment No. 3284, to provide for the conversion of the configuration of certain AGM–65 Maverick missiles. **Pages S4990–92**

Stevens (for Shelby) Amendment No. 3288, to make additional funds available for carrier modifications. **Pages S4990–92**

Stevens (for Shelby) Amendment No. 3289, to make additional funds available for the Printed Wiring Board Manufacturing Technology Center. **Pages S4990–92**

Stevens (for Kyl) Modified Amendment No. 3291, to provide, with an offset, \$6,000,000 for research, development, test, and evaluation Defense-Wide for the Arrow Missile Defense System for enhanced interoperability of the system between the United States and Israel. **Pages S4990–92**

Inouye (for Landrieu/Breaux) Modified Amendment No. 3293, to make certain funds available for the Information Technology Center. **Pages S4990–92**

Stevens (for Helms) Amendment No. 3298, to provide funding for the Display Performance and Environmental Evaluation Laboratory Project of the Army Research Laboratory. **Pages S4990–92**

Stevens (for Helms) Amendment No. 3299, to provide funding for the Innovative Stand-Off Door Breaching Munition technology. **Pages S4990–92**

Inouye (for Robb) Modified Amendment No. 3300, to make available \$3,000,000 for high-performance, non-toxic, intumescent fire protective coatings aboard Navy vessels. **Pages S4990–92**

Inouye (for Robb) Modified Amendment No. 3301, to make available \$2,000,000 for advanced three-dimensional visualization software with the

currently-deployed, personal computer-base Portable Flight Planning Software. **Pages S4990–92**

Stevens (for Abraham) Amendment No. 3305, to make available \$15,000,000 to continue research and development on Silicon carbide research.

Pages S4990–92

Inouye (for Leahy) Amendment No. 3312, to make available \$5,000,000 for Other Procurement for the Army for the development of the Abrams Full-Crew Interactive Skills Trainer. **Pages S4990–92**

Inouye (for Kennedy) Modified Amendment No. 3314, to make available \$5,000,000 for the Environmental Security Technical Certification Program for technologies for the detection of unexploded ordnance from live-fire activities. **Pages S4990–92**

Inouye (for Kennedy) Modified Amendment No. 3315, to make available \$5,000,000 for the Strategic Environmental Research and Development Program for technologies for the detection and transport of pollutants resulting from live-fire activities.

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Inouye (for Kennedy) Amendment No. 3316, to make available \$5,000,000 for Surface Ship and Submarine HM&E Advanced Technology for continuing development by the Navy of the AC synchronous high-temperature superconductor electric motor.

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Stevens Amendment No. 3321, to provide \$1,000,000 from Operation and Maintenance, Navy to continue a public service initiative. **Pages S4990–92**

Stevens (for Roberts) Amendment No. 3323, to provide research and development funds for a chemical and biological defense program. **Pages S4990–92**

Stevens (for Snowe) Amendment No. 3324, to set aside \$3,000,000 for the Navy for operation and maintenance of a Navy benefits center.

Pages S4990–92

Stevens (for Snowe) Amendment No. 3325, to clarify that the authority to enter into contracts for LPD–17 class ships on an incrementally funded basis is to provide for two such ships. **Pages S4990–92**

Inouye (for Landrieu) Amendment No. 3326, to make additional funds available for the Navy Information Technology Center. **Pages S4990–92**

Stevens (for Gregg) Amendment No. 3329, to provide research and development funds for the Solid State Dye Laser project. **Pages S4990–92**

Inouye (for Feinstein) Amendment No. 3331, to make available \$1,000,000 for Middle East Regional Security Issues. **Pages S4990–92**

Inouye (for Feinstein) Modified Amendment No. 3332, to make available certain funds for research, development, test, and evaluation for the Navy for continuation of the Compatible Processor Upgrade Program. **Pages S4990–92**

Stevens (for Warner) Amendment No. 3334, to provide, with an offset, funds for five additional Weapons of Mass Destruction Civil Support Teams and for additional equipment for the Weapons of Mass Destruction Civil Support Team program.

Pages S4990–92

Stevens (for Warner) Modified Amendment No. 3335, to make available \$30,000,000 for information security initiatives, and to provide offsets.

Pages S4990–92

Stevens (for Nickles) Modified Amendment No. 3336, to provide funds for a live-fire-side-by-side test of the air-to-air Starstreak and Stinger missiles.

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Stevens (for Nickles) Amendment No. 3337, to make available certain funds for the American Red Cross for Armed Forces Emergency Services.

Pages S4990–92

Stevens (for Allard) Amendment No. 3338, to set aside for the XSS–10 micro-missile technology program \$12,000,000 of the amount appropriated for Research, Development, Test and Evaluation, Air Force.

Pages S4990–92

Stevens (for Coverdell) Modified Amendment No. 3339, to provide for a demonstration project for the development of a chemical agent warning network to benefit the chemical incident response force of the Marine Corps.

Pages S4990–92

Inouye (for Bingaman) Amendment No. 3342, to make available certain funds for the Bosque Redondo Memorial.

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Stevens (for Inhofe) Amendment No. 3343, to make available with an offset, \$300,000 for research, development, test, and evaluation Defense-Wide for Generic Logistics Research and Development Technology demonstrations for air logistics technology.

Pages S4990–92

Stevens (for Inhofe) Amendment No. 3344, to make available, with an offset, \$5,000,000 for research, development, test, and evaluation Defense-Wide for Explosives Demilitarization Technology for research into ammunition risk analysis capabilities.

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Stevens (for Roth) Amendment No. 3352, to make available \$92,530,000 for C–5 aircraft modernization.

Pages S4990–92

Stevens (for Roberts) Modified Amendment No. 3357, to make available certain funds for Military Personnel Research. **Pages S4990–92**

By 84 yeas to 14 nays (Vote No. 124), Boxer/Reid Amendment No. 3308, to prohibit the use of funds for the preventative application of dangerous pesticides in areas owned or managed by the Department of Defense that may be used by children.

Pages S4980, S4993

Stevens (for Collins) Modified Amendment No. 3178, to set aside \$7,000,000 for the procurement of the integrated bridge system for special warfare rigid inflatable boats under the Special Operations Forces Combatant Craft Systems program.

Pages S5007-09

Stevens (for Domenici) Modified Amendment No. 3294, to make available \$5,000,000 for research, development, test, and evaluation for the Air Force for Advanced Technology for the LaserSpark countermeasures program.

Pages S5007-09

Stevens (for Domenici) Modified Amendment No. 3295, to make available \$5,000,000 for research, development, test, and evaluation, Defense-Wide for Logistics Research and Development Technology Demonstration for a Silicon-Based Nanostructures program.

Pages S5007-09

Stevens (for DeWine) Modified Amendment No. 3340, to provide for the operation of current Tethered Aerostat Radar System sites.

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Stevens (for Mack/Graham) Modified Amendment No. 3347, to provide \$5,000,000 to support a tropical remote sensing radar.

Pages S5007-09

Stevens (for McCain/Stevens) Amendment No. 3361, to establish a special subsistence allowance for certain members of the uniformed services who are eligible to receive food stamp assistance.

Pages S5007-09

Inouye (for Byrd) Modified Amendment No. 3333, to make available up to \$3,000,000 for Other Procurement for the Air Force for certain analyses of the restart of the production line for the U-2 aircraft.

Pages S5007-09

Inouye (for Torricelli) Modified Amendment No. 3282, to state the sense of the Senate regarding the payment by the Secretary of the Air Force of \$92,974.86 to the New Jersey Forest Fire Service as reimbursement for costs incurred in fighting a fire resulting from a training exercise at Warren Grove Testing Range, New Jersey.

Pages S5007-09

Stevens (for Collins) Modified Amendment No. 3177, to set aside \$6,000,000 to support smart maps and other intelligent spatial technologies.

Pages S5007-09

Stevens (for Thomas) Modified Amendment No. 3290, to prohibit the use of funds for the transfer of a veterans memorial object to a foreign country or entity controlled by a foreign government.

Pages S5007-09

Inouye (for Baucus) Modified Amendment No. 3372, to set aside for preparation and training for the digitization of FA-18 aircraft technical manuals, \$5,200,000 of the amounts appropriated for the Navy for RDT&E for the Navy technical information presentation system.

Pages S5007-09

Inouye (for Wyden/Gordon Smith) Modified Amendment No. 3287, to provide for the conveyance of an Emergency One Cyclone II Custom pumper truck to the Umatilla Indian Tribe, the current lessee.

Pages S5007-09

Inouye (for Schumer/Moynihan) Modified Amendment No. 3313, to modify the funds available to offset the effects of low utilization of plant capacity at the Arsenals.

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Stevens (for Inhofe) Amendment No. 3345, to set aside funds for maintaining the industrial mobilization capacity at the McAlester Army Ammunition Activity, Oklahoma.

Pages S5007-09

Stevens (for McCain/Warner) Modified Amendment No. 3359, to repeal the prohibition on use of Department of Defense funds for the procurement of a nuclear-capable shipyard crane from a foreign source.

Pages S5007-09

Stevens (for Frist) Modified Amendment No. 3285, to set aside \$18,900,000 to meet certain unfunded requirements for MH-60 aircraft of the United States Special Operations Command.

Pages S5007-09

Stevens (for Domenici) Modified Amendment No. 3297, to make available \$50,000,000 for research, development, test and evaluation, Defense-Wide for directed energy technologies, weapons, and systems.

Pages S5007-09

Stevens (for Lott/Cochran) Amendment No. 3376, to make additional funds available to the Title II, Defense-wide, Research, Development, Test, and Evaluation, for the Virtual Worlds Initiative.

Pages S5007-09

Stevens (for Lott) Amendment No. 3377, to make additional funds available to the Procurement of Ammunition, Marine Corps for procurement of ROCKETS, ALL TYPE, 83mm HEDP.

Pages S5007-09

Stevens (for Collins) Modified Amendment No. 3176, to add \$6,000,000 for research, development, test and evaluation, Defense-wide, for the initial production of units of the ALGL/STRIKER to facilitate early fielding of the ALGL/STRIKER to special operations forces.

Pages S5009-10

Rejected:

Boxer Amendment No. 3311, to strike certain provisions regarding Operational Support Aircraft Leasing Authority. (By 65 yeas to 32 nays (Vote No. 125), Senate tabled the amendment.)

Pages S4999-S5007

Wellstone Modified Amendment No. 3366, to reduce the total amount provided for procurement by \$1,000,000,000 in order to provide \$922,000,000 for grants under part A of title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965. (By 83 yeas

to 15 nays (Vote No. 126), Senate tabled the amendment.) **Pages S4994–97, S4998–99, S5009**

Withdrawn:

Harkin Amendment No. 3355, to limit the use of funds for purchase and modification of Army High Mobility Trailers, and for modification of High Mobility Multipurpose Wheeled Vehicles to tow the trailers, until the trailers are fully tested. **Pages S4997–98**

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

Reid Amendment No. 3292, to amend the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1998 with respect to export controls on high performance computers, was ruled as not in order because it violated certain provisions of Rule XVI of the Standing Rules of the Senate, relating to legislating on an appropriations bill. **Page S4982**

Senate insisted on its amendment, requested a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair was authorized to appoint the following conferees on the part of the Senate: Senators Stevens, Cochran, Specter, Domenici, Bond, McConnell, Shelby, Gregg, Hutchison, Inouye, Hollings, Byrd, Leahy, Lautenberg, Harkin, Dorgan, and Durbin. **Page S5020**

Indian Substance Programs Consolidations: Senate passed S. 1507, to authorize the integration and consolidation of alcohol and substance abuse programs and services provided by Indian tribal governments, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute. **Pages S5054–55**

U.S. Army 225th Birthday Recognition: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S.J. Res. 46, recognizing the 225th birthday of the United States Army, and the resolution was then agreed to, after agreeing to the following amendments proposed thereto: **Pages S5055–56**

Enzi (for Thurmond) Amendment No. 3378, in the nature of a substitute. **Page S5056**

Enzi (for Thurmond) Amendment No. 3379, to amend the preamble. **Page S5056**

Enzi (for Thurmond) Amendment No. 3380, to amend the title. **Page S5056**

Responsible Father's Day: Senate agreed to S. Res. 322, encouraging and promoting greater involvement of fathers in their children's lives and designating June 18, 2000, as "Responsible Father's Day". **Page S5057**

Medals of Honor Awards: Senate passed S. 2722, to authorize the award of the Medal of Honor to Ed W. Freeman, James K. Okubo, and Andrew J. Smith. **Pages S5057–58**

Defense Authorization—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for

further consideration of S. 2549, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2001 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe personnel strengths for such fiscal year for the Armed Forces, on Wednesday, June 14, 2000. **Page S5058**

Messages From the President: Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

Transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "The Wekiva River Rock Spring Run and Seminole Creek"; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. (PM-113) **Page S5026**

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Francisco J. Sanchez, of Florida, to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation.

Richard A. Boucher, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of State (Public Affairs), vice James P. Rubin.

1 Army nomination in the rank of general.

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Messages From the President: **Page S5026**

Messages From the House: **Page S5026**

Measures Referred: **Page S5026**

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Statements on Introduced Bills: **Pages S5027–30**

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Authority for Committees: **Pages S5053–54**

Additional Statements: **Pages S5022–26**

Privileges of the Floor: **Page S5054**

Record Votes: Four record votes were taken today. (Total—127) **Pages S4993, S5007, S5009, S5019–20**

Adjournment: Senate convened at 9:31 a.m., and adjourned at 7:27 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Wednesday, June 14, 2000. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S5058.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

APPROPRIATIONS—TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Appropriations: Committee ordered favorably reported an original bill, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related

agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001.

APPROPRIATION—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on District of Columbia concluded hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2001 for the District of Columbia, after receiving testimony from Mayor Anthony A. Williams, Linda W. Cropp, Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, and Alice M. Rivlin, Chairman, District of Columbia Financial Responsibility and Management Assistance Authority, all of Washington, D.C.

APPROPRIATIONS—TRANSPORTATION

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation approved for full committee consideration an original bill, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001.

MERCHANT BANKING ACTIVITIES

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions and Subcommittee on Securities concluded joint hearings to examine the regulation of merchant banking activities under the Gramm-Leach-Bliley Act of 1999, after receiving testimony from Gary Gensler, Under Secretary of the Treasury for Domestic Finance; Lawrence H. Meyer, Member, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System; Frederick M. Fritz, BancBoston Capital, Boston, Massachusetts, and Jeffrey Walker, Chase Capital Partners, New York, New York, both on behalf of the Financial Services Roundtable; Marc E. Lackritz, Securities Industry Association, and Joseph S. Bracewell, Century National Bank, on behalf of the Independent Community Bankers of America, both of Washington, D.C.; and John P. Whaley, Norwest Equity Partners and Norwest Venture Partners, Minneapolis, Minnesota, on behalf of the American Bankers Association and American Bankers Association Securities Association.

ONLINE PROFILING AND PRIVACY

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded hearings to examine online profiling done by Internet network advertisers and how it impacts consumer's privacy, after receiving testimony from Jodie Bernstein, Director, Bureau of Consumer Protection, and David Medine, Associate Director for Financial Practices, both of the Federal Trade Commission; Jules Polonetsky, DoubleClick, New York, New York; Daniel Jaye, Engage, Inc., Andover, Massachusetts; Marc Rotenberg, Electronic Privacy Information Center, Washington, D.C.; and Richard M. Smith, Brookline, Massachusetts.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of James V. Aidala, of Virginia, to be Assistant Administrator for Toxic Substances of the Environmental Protection Agency, Arthur C. Campbell, of Tennessee, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Economic Development, and Ella Wong-Rusinko, of Virginia, to be Alternate Federal Co-chairman of the Appalachian Regional Commission, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Aidala was introduced by Senators Lieberman and Roberts, Mr. Campbell was introduced by Senator Frist and Representatives Bennie Thompson and Wamp, and Ms. Wong-Rusinko was introduced by Senators Warner and Hutchison.

TIBET

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on East Asian and Pacific Affairs concluded hearings to examine recent developments in promoting a positive Tibetan/Chinese relationship, while sustaining Tibet's unique religious, linguistic, and cultural heritage, after receiving testimony from Julia V. Taft, Special Coordinator for Tibet, Department of State; John Ackerly, International Campaign for Tibet, Washington, D.C.; Elliot Spurling, Indiana University Department of Central Eurasian Studies, Bloomington, on behalf of the Human Rights Watch; and Elizabeth Napper, Tibetan Nuns' Project, San Geronimo, California.

POST-CONVICTION DNA TESTING

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings on post-conviction DNA testing, focusing on how to incorporate DNA testing more fully into the American criminal justice system, and related proposals, after receiving testimony from Oklahoma Attorney General W.A. Drew Edmondson, Oklahoma City; New York State Attorney General Eliot Spitzer, New York; California Deputy Attorney General Enid A. Camps, Sacramento; Charles F. Baird, former Judge, Texas Court of Criminal Appeals, Austin, on behalf of the National Committee to Prevent Wrongful Executions; Joshua K. Marquis, Clatsop County District Attorney, Astoria, Oregon, on behalf of the National District Attorney's Association; Barry C. Scheck, Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law, New York, New York, on behalf of the Innocence Project, George Clarke, San Diego County Deputy District Attorney, California, and James Wooley, Baker and Hostetler, Case Western Reserve University Law School, Washington, D.C., all on behalf of the National Commission on the Future of DNA Testing; Bryan A. Stevenson, New York University School of Law, New York, on behalf

of the Equal Justice Initiative of Alabama; and Dennis Fritz, Kansas City, Missouri.

PRESCRIPTION DRUG SAFETY AND PRICING

Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions: Committee concluded hearings to examine the accessibility of affordable prescription drugs, the price differentials for identical prescription drugs in the international marketplace, and drug quality and safety, after receiving testimony from Senators Gorton, Dorgan, Johnson, and Burns; Representative Sanders;

Christopher T. Rhodes, University of Rhode Island, Kingston; Patricia M. Danzon, University of Pennsylvania Wharton School of Management, Philadelphia; Stephen W. Schondelmeyer, University of Minnesota College of Pharmacy PRIME Institute, Minneapolis; Ronald F. Pollack, Families USA, and Alan F. Holmer, Pharmaceutical Research and Manufacturers of America, both of Washington, D.C.; and Paul Abrams, NeoRx Corporation, Seattle, Washington, on behalf of the Biotechnology Industry Organization.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 10 public bills, H.R. 4642–4651, were introduced. **Page H4336**

Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows:

H. Res. 525, providing for consideration of H.R. 4635, making appropriations for the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, boards, commissions, corporations, and offices for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001 (H. Rept. 106–675). **Page H4336**

Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designated Representative Isakson to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H4223**

Journal: Agreed to the Speaker's approval of the Journal of Monday, June 12 by a yea and nay vote of 329 yeas to 66 nays with one voting "present", Roll No. 257. **Pages H4225, H4227–28**

Recess: The House recessed at 9:18 a.m. and reconvened at 10:00 a.m. **Page H5225**

Suspensions: The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Fraud Audit of the Department of Education: H.R. 4079, amended, to require the Comptroller General of the United States to conduct a comprehensive fraud audit of the Department of Education (debated on Monday, June 12 and agreed to by a yea and nay vote of 380 yeas to 19 nays with one voting "present", Roll No. 258); **Page H4228**

Celebrating the 225th Birthday of the U.S. Army: H.J. Res. 101, recognizing the 225th birthday of the United States Army; and **Pages H4320–25**

Benefits of Music Education: H. Con. Res. 266, expressing the sense of the Congress regarding the benefits of music education. **Pages H4325–29**

Labor, HHS, and Education Appropriations: The House considered amendments to H.R. 4577, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001. The House previously considered the bill on June 8 and June 12. **Pages H4229–H4310**

Agreed To:

Stearns amendment No. 198 printed in the Congressional Record that prohibits the use of any funding to restrict military recruiting at secondary schools (agreed to by a recorded vote of 381 yeas to 41 noes with 1 voting present, Roll No. 266; **Pages H4284–85, H4302–03**

Paul amendment No. 3 printed in the Congressional Record that prohibits the use of any funding to develop a national medical identification system; **Pages H4285–86**

Sanders amendment that prohibits NIH funding to grant an exclusive or partially exclusive license pursuant to chapter 18 of title 35, United States Code, except in accordance with section 209 of such title, relating to the availability to the public of an invention and its benefits on reasonable terms (agreed to by a recorded vote of 313 yeas to 109 noes, Roll No. 268); and **Pages H4291–93, H4304**

Rejected:

Vitter amendment No. 192 printed in the Congressional Record that sought to increase Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) funding by \$1.4 billion and decrease various education programs as offsets. **Pages H4244–45**

Hoekstra amendment No. 202 printed in the Congressional Record that sought to increase Individuals with Disabilities Education Act funding by

\$383 million and decrease other education programs accordingly; **Pages H4245–46**

Bass amendment No. 7 printed in the Congressional Record that sought to increase Individuals with Disabilities Education Act funding by \$200 million and reduce Gear Up program funding accordingly (rejected by a recorded vote of 98 ayes to 319 noes, Roll No. 259); **Pages H4258–60, H4276–77**

Ryan of Wisconsin amendment No. 186 printed in the Congressional Record that sought to increase Individuals with Disabilities Education Act funding by \$300 million and decrease 21st Century Community Learning Centers accordingly (rejected by a recorded vote of 124 ayes to 293 noes, Roll No. 260); **Pages H4265–67, H4277**

Gary Miller of California amendment No. 2 printed in the Congressional Record that sought to increase Individuals with Disabilities Education Act funding by \$16 million and reduce Ready to Learn program funding accordingly (rejected by a recorded vote of 150 ayes to 267 noes, Roll No. 261); **Pages H4267–69, H4277–78**

Schaffer amendment No. 203 printed in the Congressional Record that sought to increase Individuals with Disabilities Education Act funding by \$10.3 million and reduce Education Research, Statistics, and Improvement funding accordingly (rejected by a recorded vote of 132 ayes to 287 noes, Roll No. 262); **Pages H4270–71, H4278–79**

Oxley amendment No. 182 printed in the Congressional Record that sought to reduce corporation for Public Broadcasting funding by \$3.65 million (rejected by a recorded vote of 110 ayes to 305 noes, Roll No. 263); **Pages H4271–72, H4279**

Schaffer amendment No. 205 printed in the Congressional Record that sought to increase Individuals with Disabilities Education Act funding by \$43 million and decrease Job Corps funding accordingly (rejected by a recorded vote of 103 ayes to 315 noes, Roll No. 264); **Pages H4275–76, H4279–80**

Boehner amendment No. 196 printed in the Congressional Record that sought to prohibit funding for the Native Hawaiian Education Program (rejected by a recorded vote of 202 ayes to 220 noes, Roll No. 265); **Pages H4281–84, H4302**

Wilson amendment printed in part B of H. Rept. 106–657 that sought to appropriate \$25 million for the 21st Century Teacher Scholarships Act with offsets from the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (rejected by a recorded vote of 156 ayes to 267 noes, Roll No. 267); and **Pages H4286–87, H4303–04**

Young of Florida amendment that sought to reduce each amount appropriated or otherwise made

available by 0.617 percent (rejected by a recorded vote of 186 ayes to 236 noes, Roll No. 269). **Pages H4300–01, H4304–05**

Withdrawn:

Andrews amendment No. 1 printed in the Congressional Record was offered and subsequently withdrawn that sought to prohibit funding to count a blind or visually-impaired person as successfully rehabilitated under certain circumstances; **Page H4284**

Andrews amendment numbered 5 printed in the Congressional Record was offered and subsequently withdrawn that sought to prohibit funding to any Medicare+Choice organization that is out of compliance with requirements of part C of title XVIII of the Social Security Act; and **Pages H4287–88**

Tancredo amendment numbered 191 printed in the Congressional Record was offered and subsequently withdrawn that sought to increase funding for the Individuals With Disabilities Education Act by \$30 million and reduce OSHA and HHS departmental management funding accordingly. **Pages H4288–91**

Points of order sustained against:

Language on page 44, lines 4 through 14, dealing with the bioterrorism emergency designation. **Page H4230**

Pelosi amendment No. 13 printed in the Congressional Record that sought to increase National Institutes of Health funding by \$1.7 billion. **Pages H4231–36**

Andrews amendment No. 4 printed in the Congressional Record that sought to provide \$40 million for a block grant to the Inner city Cardiac Satellite Demonstration Project in New Jersey and reduce HHS general department management funding accordingly; **Page H4236**

Stearns amendment No. 189 printed in the Congressional Record that sought to allow funding for a report which identifies the efforts taken to enhance the competitiveness of biomedical or behavioral research grants including a statement listing first-time principal researchers of projects supported by the institutes; **Pages H4237–38**

Obey amendment No. 14 printed in the Congressional Record that sought to increase teacher education, recruitment, and retention activities funding by \$1 billion; **Pages H4238–43**

Roemer amendment No. 185 printed in the Congressional Record that sought to increase \$25 million for teacher transition programs and decrease education research, statistics, and improvement funding accordingly; **Pages H4247–49**

Lowey amendment No. 15 printed in the Congressional Record that sought to start Federal funding of school construction and provides \$1.3 billion

for school renovations to subsidize gross obligations of direct loans of \$7 billion; **Pages H4249–54**

DeLauro amendment No. 16 printed in the Congressional Record that sought to increase Individuals with Disabilities Education Act funding by \$1.5 billion; **Pages H4254–58**

Lowey amendment No. 17 printed in the Congressional Record that sought to increase Pell Grant funding by \$938 million; **Pages H4260–64**

Kaptur amendment that sought to establish a Normal Trade Relations for China Transitional Adjustment Assistance Program for American workers displaced by the expansion of trade relations; **Pages H4280–81**

Obey amendment numbered 18 printed in the Congressional Record that sought to express the sense of the Congress that tax reductions for taxpayers in the top 1 percent of income levels should not be enacted until the Congress enacts a universal voluntary prescription drug benefit for all Americans under Medicare; and **Pages H4293–96**

DeLauro amendment numbered 10 printed in the Congressional Record that sought to increase funding for a variety of senior citizen programs by \$661 million. **Pages H4297–H4300**

H. Res. 518, the rule that is providing for consideration of the bill was agreed to on June 8. The amendments were considered pursuant to unanimous consent agreements of June 8 and June 12.

Presidential Message—Wakiva River: Read a message from the President wherein he transmitted his report for the Wakiva River and several tributaries in Florida—referred to the Committee on Resources. **Pages H4310–11**

Interior and Related Agencies Appropriations: The House completed general debate on H.R. 4578, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001. **Pages H4314–20**

The House agreed to H. Res. 524, the rule providing for consideration of the bill by voice vote. **Pages H4311–14**

Amendments: Amendments ordered printed pursuant to the rule appear on pages H4337–39.

Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea and nay votes and eleven recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages H4227–28, H4228, H4276–77, H4277, H4277–78, H4278–79, H4279, H4279–80, H4302, H4302–03, H4303–04, H4304, and H4304–05. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 9:00 a.m. and adjourned at 12:00 midnight.

Committee Meetings

“DECIMALS 2000—WILL THE EXCHANGES CONVERT?”

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Finance and Hazardous Materials held a hearing entitled “Decimals 2000—Will the Exchanges Convert?” Testimony was heard from Arthur Levitt, Chairman, SEC; and public witnesses.

COMPUTER INSECURITIES

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing entitled: “Computer Insecurities at DOE Headquarters: DOE’s Failure to Get Its Own Cyber House in Order.” Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Energy: Glenn S. Podonsky, Director, Office of Independent Oversight and Performance Assurance; and Eugene E. Habinger, Director, Office of Security and Emergency Operations.

KNOW YOUR CALLER ACT; TELEMARKETING VICTIMS PROTECTION ACT

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications, Trade, and Consumer Protection held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 3100, Know Your Caller Act of 1999; and H.R. 3180, Telemarketing Victims Protection Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Salmon and Frelinghuysen; Eileen Harrington, Assistant Director, Marketing Practices, FTC; Jeff Hatch-Miller, Representative, State of Arizona; and public witnesses.

FEHBP: OPM’S POLICY GUIDANCE

Committee on Government Reform: Subcommittee on Civil Service held a hearing on FEHBP: OPM’s Policy Guidance for 2001. Testimony was heard from William Flynn, III, Director, Retirement and Insurance Programs, OPM; and public witnesses.

ZIMBABWE: DEMOCRACY ON THE LINE

Committee on International Relations: Subcommittee on Africa held a hearing on Zimbabwe: Democracy on the Line. Testimony was heard from Nancy Powell, Acting Assistant Secretary, Bureau of African Affairs, Department of State; and public witnesses.

STUDENT ATHLETE PROTECTION ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Held a hearing on H.R. 3575, Student Athlete Protection Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Graham, Gibbons, Roemer and Berkley; and public witnesses.

CAPTIVE ELEPHANT ACCIDENT PREVENTION ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Crime held a hearing on H.R. 2929, Captive Elephant Accident Prevention Act of 1999. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Resources: Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands held a hearing on the following measures: H.R. 3693, Castle Rock Ranch Acquisition Act of 2000; H.R. 4420, to reauthorize the Southwestern Pennsylvania Heritage Preservation Commission; and H.R. 4579, Utah West Desert Land Exchange Act of 2000. Testimony was heard from Representatives Simpson and Murtha; the following officials of the Department of the Interior: Molly McUsic, Counselor to the Secretary; and William D. Shaddox, Chief, Land Resources Division, National Park Service; Michael Leavitt, Governor, State of Utah; and public witnesses.

VA, HUD AND INDEPENDENT AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Rules: Granted, by voice vote, an open rule on H.R. 4635, making appropriations for the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, boards, commissions, corporations, and offices for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001, providing one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled between the chairman and ranking member of the Committee on Appropriations. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The rule provides that the bill shall be considered for amendment by paragraph. The rule waives points of order against provisions in the bill for failure to comply with clause 2 of rule XXI (prohibiting unauthorized or legislative provisions in a general appropriations bill and prohibiting reappropriations in a general appropriations bill) except as specified in the rule. The rule waives clause 2(e) of rule XXI (prohibiting non-emergency designated amendments to be offered to an appropriations bill containing an emergency designation) against amendments offered during consideration of the bill. The rule authorizes the Chairman of the Committee of the Whole to accord priority in recognition to Members who have pre-printed their amendments in the Congressional Record. The rule allows the Chairman of the Committee of the Whole to postpone votes during consideration of the bill, and to reduce voting time to five minutes on a postponed question if the vote follows a fifteen minute vote. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit, with or with-

out instructions. Testimony was heard from Representatives Walsh and Molloyhan.

NATIONAL SCIENCE EDUCATION ENHANCEMENT ACT

Committee on Science: Held a hearing to review Science, Math, Engineering and Technology Education in Kindergarten Through 12th Grade and H.R. 4272, National Science Education Enhancement Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

UNITED-U.S. AIRWAYS—PROPOSED MERGER

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure: Held a hearing on the Proposed United-U.S. Airways Merger. Testimony was heard from Nancy E. McFadden, General Counsel, Department of Transportation; John M. Nannes, Deputy Attorney General, Antitrust Division, Department of Justice; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue July 15.

MEDICARE—COVER PRESCRIPTION DRUGS

Committee on Ways and Means: Held a hearing on legislation to cover prescription drugs under Medicare. Testimony was heard from Senators Kennedy and Breaux; Representatives Thomas, Cardin, Eshoo, Peterson of Minnesota and Allen; Nancy-Ann Min DeParle, Administrator, Health Care Financing Administration, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, JUNE 14, 2000

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: to hold hearings to examine accounting for Goodwill, 10 a.m., SD-538.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Communications, to hold hearings on S. 2454, to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to authorize low-power television stations to provide digital data services to subscribers, 9:30 a.m., SR-253.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: with the Select Committee on Intelligence, to hold hearings on missing classified information at Los Alamos, 10:15 a.m., SH-216.

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Clean Air, Wetlands, Private Property, and Nuclear Safety, to hold hearings on the environmental benefits and impacts of ethanol under the Clean Air Act, 9:30 a.m., SD-406.

Committee on Finance: business meeting to mark up S. 662, to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to

provide medical assistance for certain women screened and found to have breast or cervical cancer under a federally funded screening program; H.R. 3916, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the excise tax on telephone and other communication services; and proposed legislation urging the President to initiate negotiations over the issue of foreign sales corporations at the July 20 meeting of the G-8 nations in Okinawa, 10 a.m., SD-215.

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs, to hold hearings to examine the future of Lebanon, 10 a.m., SD-419.

Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the International Criminal Court, focusing on protecting American servicemen and officials from the threat of international prosecution, 3:30 p.m., SD-419.

Committee on Governmental Affairs: business meeting to consider pending calendar business, 10 a.m., SD-342.

Committee on Indian Affairs: to hold hearings on S. 2282, to encourage the efficient use of existing resources and assets related to Indian agricultural research, development and exports within the United States Department of Agriculture, 9:30 a.m., SR-485.

Full Committee, business meeting to mark up S. Res. 277, commemorating the 30th anniversary of the policy of Indian self-determination; S. 1586, to reduce the fractionated ownership of Indian Lands; S. 2508, to amend the Colorado Ute Indian Water Rights Settlement Act of 1988 to provide for a final settlement of the claims of the Colorado Ute Indian Tribes; H.R. 3051, to direct the Secretary of the Interior, the Bureau of Reclamation, to conduct a feasibility study on the Jicarilla Apache Reservation in the State of New Mexico; and S. 2351, to provide for the settlement of the water rights claims of the Shivwits Band of the Paiute Indian tribe of Utah; to be followed by hearing on S. 2282, to encourage the efficient use of existing resources and assets related to Indian agricultural research, development and exports within the United States Department of Agriculture, 2:30 p.m., SR-485.

Select Committee on Intelligence: with the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, to hold hearings on missing classified information at Los Alamos, 10:15 a.m., SH-216.

Full Committee, to hold closed hearings on pending intelligence matters, 2:30 p.m., SH-219.

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Antitrust, Business Rights, and Competition, to hold hearings to examine the United Airways and U.S. Airways airline merger, 10 a.m., SD-226.

Full Committee, to hold hearings on the nomination of Paul C. Huck, of Florida, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Florida; the nomination of Joan Humphrey Lefkow, of Illinois, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Illinois; the nomination of George Z. Singal, of Maine, to be United States District Judge for the District of Maine; the nomination of John W. Darrah, of Illinois, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Illinois; and the nomination of Johnnie B. Rawlinson, of

Nevada, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit, 2 p.m., SD-226.

House

Committee on Agriculture, Subcommittee on Risk Management, Research, and Specialty Crops, hearing on H.R. 4541, Commodity Futures Modernization Act of 2000, 10 a.m., 1300 Longworth.

Committee on Appropriations, to mark up the Commerce, Justice, State, and Judiciary appropriations for fiscal year 2001, 10 a.m., 2359 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, Export Financing and Related Programs, to mark up appropriations for fiscal year 2001, time to be announced, H-140 Capitol.

Committee on Banking and Financial Services, hearing on H.R. 4585, Medical Financial Privacy Protection Act, 10 a.m., 2128 Rayburn.

Committee on the Budget, Education Task Force, hearing on Smothering Education Reform, How Washington Stifles Innovation, 2 p.m., 210 Cannon.

Health Task Force, hearing on Medicare's Regulatory Burden on Providers, 10 a.m., 210 Cannon.

Committee on Commerce, to mark up H.R. 3113, Unsolicited Electronic Mail Act of 1999, 2 p.m., 2123 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Health and Environment, hearing entitled: "Prescription Drugs: Modernizing Medicare for the 21st Century," 10 a.m., 2322 Rayburn.

Committee on Government Reform, Subcommittee on Government Management, Information, and Technology, hearing entitled: "Agency Response to the Electronic Freedom of Information Act," 2 p.m., 2154 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Government Management, Information, and Technology, to mark up H.R. 4049, Privacy Commission Act, 4 p.m., Rayburn.

Subcommittee on National Economic Growth, Natural Resources, and Regulatory Affairs, hearing on "Does Congress Delegate Too Much Power to Agencies and What Should be Done About It?" 2 p.m., 2247 Rayburn.

Committee on International Relations, hearing on the Treatment of Religious Minorities in Western Europe, 10 a.m., 2172 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere, to mark up H. Con. Res. 232, expressing the sense of Congress concerning the safety and well-being of United States citizens injured while traveling in Mexico; followed by a hearing on Challenges to Hemispheric Democracy: Elections, Coups, and Instability, 2 p.m., 2172 Rayburn.

Committee on the Judiciary, oversight hearing on the State of Competition in the Airline Industry, 10 a.m., 2141 Rayburn.

Committee on Resources, hearing on H.R. 4345, Alaska Native Claims Technical Amendments Act of 2000, 11 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

Committee on Small Business, hearing on Rural Health Care Services: Has Medicare Reform Killed Small Business Providers? 10 a.m., 2360 Rayburn.

Committee on Ways and Means, Subcommittee on Social Security, hearing on the processing of attorney fees by the SSA, 2 p.m., B-318 Rayburn.

Next Meeting of the SENATE

9:30 a.m., Wednesday, June 14

Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

10 a.m., Wednesday, June 14

Senate Chamber

Program for Wednesday: Senate will continue consideration of S. 2549, Defense Authorization. Also, Senate may begin consideration of Transportation Appropriations.

House Chamber

Program for Wednesday: Consideration of the conference report on S. 761, Electronic Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act (rule waiving points of order);

Consideration of H.R. 4577, Labor, HHS, and Education Appropriations Act, 2001 (continue consideration); and

Consideration of H.R. 4578, Interior and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2001 (open rule).

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