

H7442, H7442–43, and H7443–44. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 12:30 p.m. and pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 573, adjourned at 11:37 p.m. as a further mark of respect to the memory of the late Honorable Herbert H. Bateman, a Representative from the Commonwealth of Virginia.

Committee Meetings

GOVERNMENT SPONSORED ENTERPRISES

Committee on Banking and Financial Services: Subcommittee on Capital Markets, Securities and Government Sponsored Enterprises held a hearing on Government Sponsored Enterprises. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Housing and Urban Development: William Apgar, Assistant Secretary, Housing, and Chairman, Federal Housing Finance Board; and Armando Falcon, Director, Office of Federal Housing Enterprise Oversight; Tom McCool, Director, Financial Institutions and Market Issues, GAO; Barbara Miles, Specialist in Financial Institutions, Government and Finance Division, Congressional Research Service, Library of Congress; and public witnesses.

FEDERAL DISABILITY BENEFITS—DRUG ADDICTS AND ALCOHOLICS

Committee on the Budget: Task Force on Welfare held a hearing on Federal Disability Benefits Still Being Paid to Drug Addicts and Alcoholics. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the SSA: James G. Huse, Jr., Inspector General; Steven L. Schaeffer, Assistant Inspector General, Audit; and Ken Nibali, Associate Commissioner, Disability.

ESTABLISHING A FEDERAL CIO

Committee on Government Reform: Subcommittee on Government Management, Information, and Technology held a hearing entitled: “Establishing a Federal CIO: Information Technology Management and Assurance Within the Federal Government.” Testimony was heard from Sally Katzen, Deputy Director, Management, OMB; David McClure, Associate Director, Governmentwide and Defense Information Systems, GAO; Jim Flyzik, Deputy Assistant Secretary (Information Systems), Chief Information Officer, Department of the Treasury; and public witnesses.

ANTITRUST ENFORCEMENT IMPROVEMENT ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Held a hearing on H.R. 4321, Antitrust Enforcement Improvement Act of 2000. Testimony was heard from Representative Minge; and public witnesses.

CONFERENCE REPORT—NASA AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Rules: Granted by voice vote a rule waiving points of order against the conference report to accompany H.R. 1654, National Aeronautics and Space Administration Authorization Act for Fiscal Years 2000, 2001 and 2002, and against its consideration. Testimony was heard from Chairman Sensenbrenner and Representative Ralph Hall of Texas.

BEYOND SILICON-BASED COMPUTING

Committee on Science: Subcommittee on Basic Research held a hearing on Beyond Silicon-Based Computing: Quantum and Molecular Computing. Testimony was heard from Ruzena Bajcsy, Assistant Director, Computer, Information Science, and Engineering Directorate, NSF; and public witnesses.

CHILE DECLASSIFICATION BRIEFING

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Met in executive session to receive a briefing on Chile Declassification. The Committee was briefed by departmental witnesses.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 2000

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

House

Committee on Agriculture, hearing on H.R. 1275, to amend the Animal Welfare Act to prohibit the interstate movement of live birds for the purpose of having the birds participate in animal fighting, 10 a.m., 1300 Longworth.

Subcommittee on General Farm Commodities, Resource Conservation, and Credit, hearing on H.R. 4013, Upper Mississippi River Basin Conservation Act of 2000, 2 p.m., 1300 Longworth.

Committee on Banking and Financial Services, hearing on H.R. 4311, Identity Theft Prevention Act of 2000, and related financial fraud issues, 10 a.m., 2128 Rayburn.

Committee on the Budget, Task Force on Natural Resources and the Environment, hearing on Controlling Wildfires In the Future: What Strategies and Resources Are Needed? 2 p.m., 210 Cannon.

Committee on Commerce, Subcommittee on Finance and Hazardous Materials, hearing entitled: “Organized Crime on Wall Street,” 10 a.m., 2322 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Health and Environment, hearing on Securing the Health of the American People: focusing on the following measures: H.R. 2399, National Commission for the New National Goal: The Advancement of Global Health Act; H.R. 4242, Orphan Drug Innovation Act; H.R. 762, Lupus Research and Care Amendments of 1999; H.R. 3677, Thomas Navarro FDA Patient Rights Act; H.R. 1795, National Institute of Biomedical Imaging and Engineering Establishment Act; and a resolution