

1961 and the Arms Export Control Act to make improvements to certain defense and security assistance provisions under those Acts, to authorize the transfer of naval vessels to certain foreign countries, clearing the measure for the President. **Page S9118**

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

Transmitting, pursuant to law, a report on the emergency declared with respect to the National Union for the Total Independence of Angola (UNITA); to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. (PM-129) **Page S9032**

**Nominations Received:** Senate received the following nominations:

Mary Lou Leary, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Attorney General. **Page S9122**

**Messages From the President:** **Page S9032**

**Messages From the House:** **Page S9032**

**Measures Referred:** **Page S9032**

**Measures Placed on Calendar:**  
**Pages S9032, S9117-18**

**Communications:** **Page S9033**

**Statements on Introduced Bills:** **Page S9033**

**Additional Cosponsors:** **Pages S9036-37**

**Amendments Submitted:** **Page S9037**

**Additional Statements:** **Page S9031**

**Text of S. 2046, as Previously Passed:** **Page S9088**

**Recessed:** Senate convened at 10 a.m., and recessed at 1 p.m., until 12 noon, on Monday, September 25, 2000. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S9122.)

### *Committee Meetings*

No committee meetings were held.

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## House of Representatives

### *Chamber Action*

**Bills Introduced:** 4 public bills, H.R. 5267-5270; and 2 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 406, and H. Res. 589 were introduced. **Page H7996**

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

H.R. 2346, to authorize the enforcement by State and local governments of certain Federal Communications Commission regulations regarding use of citizens band radio equipment (H. Rept. 106-883);

H.R. 4800, to require the Secretary of the Interior to identify appropriate lands within the area designated as Section 1 of the Mall in Washington, D.C., as the location of a future memorial to former President Ronald Reagan, to identify a suitable location, to select a suitable design, to raise private-sector donations for such a memorial, to create a Commission to assist in these activities, amended (H. Rept. 106-884); and

H.R. 4656, to authorize the Forest Service to convey certain lands in the Lake Tahoe Basin to the Washoe County School District for use as an elementary school site (H. Rept. 106-885). **Page H7996**

**Speaker pro Tempore:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designated Representative Pease to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H7993**

**Meeting Hour—Monday, Sept. 25:** Agreed that when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet

at 12:30 on Monday, Sept. 25 for morning-hour debate. **Page H7995**

**Senate Message:** Message received by the Senate today appears on page H7993.

**Referrals:** S. 2046 was referred to the Committee on Science and in addition to the Committees on Commerce, Resources, and Agriculture. **Page H7995**

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

**Adjournment:** The House met at 12:00 noon and adjourned at 12:14 p.m.

### *Committee Meetings*

#### USING TECHNOLOGY TO LEARN

*Committee on Education and the Workforce:* Held a hearing on Using Technology to Learn and Learning to Use Technology. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

### *Joint Meetings*

#### NORTHERN IRELAND HUMAN RIGHTS AND POLICING

*Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe:* Commission concluded hearings to examine progress towards policing reforms in Northern Ireland in light

of the legislation pending in the British Parliament purportedly aimed at implementing the recommendations of the Independent Commission on Policing for Northern Ireland, after receiving testimony from Gerald Lynch, City University of New York John Jay College of Criminal Justice, New York, New York, on behalf of the Independent Commission on Policing for Northern Ireland; Brendan O'Leary, London School of Economics, London, England, former advisor to the Shadow Secretary of State for Northern Ireland; Martin O'Brien, Committee on the Administration of Justice, Belfast, Northern Ireland; and Elisa Massimino, Lawyers Committee for Human Rights, Washington, D.C.

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## CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

Week of September 25 through September 30,  
2000

### Senate Chamber

On *Monday*, Senate will resume consideration of the motion to proceed to consideration of S. 2557, National Energy Security Act, and at 3:50 p.m., resume consideration of S. 2796, Water Resources Development Act, with a vote on final passage of S. 2796 to occur at 4:50 p.m.

On *Tuesday*, Senate will continue consideration S. 2045, H-1B Nonimmigrant Visa, with a vote on the motion to close further debate on Lott Amendment No. 4178 (to Amendment No. 4177) proposed thereto.

During the remainder of the week, Senate expects to consider any other cleared legislative and executive business, including appropriation bills and conference reports, when available.

### Senate Committees

*(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)*

*Special Committee on Aging:* September 28, to hold hearings to examine nursing home initiatives, 9:30 a.m., SD-562.

*Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry:* September 25, Subcommittee on Forestry, Conservation, and Rural Revitalization, to hold hearings on S. 2709, to establish a Beef Industry Compensation Trust Fund with the duties imposed on products of countries that fail to comply with certain WTO dispute resolution decisions, 9:30 a.m., SR-328A.

September 27, Subcommittee on Research, Nutrition, and General Legislation, to hold hearings on Department of Agriculture financial management issues, 9:30 a.m., SR-328A.

*Committee on Armed Services:* September 27, to hold hearings to examine the status of U.S. military readiness, 9:30 a.m., SH-216.

September 28, Full Committee, to resume hearings on United States policy towards Iraq, 9:30 a.m., SH-216.

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:* September 26, Subcommittee on Housing and Transportation, to hold hearings to examine HUD's performance management, 10:30 a.m., SD-538.

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:* September 26, to hold oversight hearings on the activities of the National Railroad Passenger Corporation (AMTRAK), 9:30 a.m., SR-253.

September 27, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the marketing of violence to children, 9:30 a.m., SR-253.

September 28, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine the Department of Commerce trade missions and political activities, 9:30 a.m., SR-253.

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* September 26, to hold oversight hearings to examine the current outlook for supply of heating and transportation fuels this winter, 9:30 a.m., SD-366.

September 26, Subcommittee on Forests and Public Land Management, to hold hearings on S. 3044, to establish the Las Cienegas National Conservation Area in the State of Arizona; S. 3052, to designate wilderness areas and a cooperative management and protection area in the vicinity of Steens Mountain in Harney County, Oregon; and S. 3039, to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to sell a Forest Service administrative site occupied by the Rocky Mountain Research Station located in Boise, Idaho, and use the proceeds derived from the sale to purchase interests in a multiagency research and education facility to be constructed by the University of Idaho, 2:30 p.m., SD-366.

September 28, Full Committee, to oversight hearings to examine the impacts of the recent United States Federal Circuit Court of Appeals decisions regarding the Federal Government's breach of contract for failure to accept high level nuclear waste by January 1998, 10 a.m., SD-366.

September 28, Full Committee, with the Committee on Foreign Relations, to hold joint hearings to examine the status of the Kyoto protocol after three years, 3 p.m., SD-419.

*Committee on Environment and Public Works:* September 26, to hold hearings on S. 1763, to amend the Solid Waste Disposal Act to reauthorize the Office of Ombudsman of the Environmental Protection Agency; S. 1915, to enhance the services provided by the Environmental Protection Agency to small communities that are attempting to comply with national, State, and local environmental regulations; S. 2296, to provide grants for special environmental assistance for the regulation of communities and habitat (SEARCH) to small communities; and S. 2800, to require the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to establish an integrated environmental reporting system, 9:30 a.m., SD-406.

September 27, Subcommittee on Clean Air, Wetlands, Private Property, and Nuclear Safety, to hold hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for programs of the Clean Air Act, 2:15 p.m., SD-406.