

Daily Digest

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed Brownfields Revitalization and Environmental Restoration Act.

House Committee ordered reported H.R. 10, Comprehensive Retirement Security and Pension Reform Act.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages S3867–3931

Measures Introduced: Seven bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 771–777, and S. Res. 73–75. **Pages S3921–22**

Measures Passed:

Commending Jim English: Senate agreed to S. Res. 73, to commend James Harold English for his 23 years of service to the United States Senate. **Page S3879**

Brownfields Revitalization and Environmental Restoration Act: By a unanimous vote of 99 yeas (Vote No. 87), Senate passed S. 350, to amend the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 to promote the cleanup and reuse of brownfields, to provide financial assistance for brownfields revitalization, to enhance State response programs, after agreeing to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and the following amendment proposed thereto: **Pages S3879–S3912**

Smith (of NH) Amendment No. 352, to make certain improvements to the bill. **Pages S3896–S3904**

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Lou Gallegos, of New Mexico, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture.

Mary Kirtley Waters, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture.

Timothy J. Muris, of Virginia, to be a Federal Trade Commissioner for the unexpired term of seven years from September 26, 1994.

Lee Sarah Liberman Otis, of Virginia, to be General Counsel of the Department of Energy.

Claude A. Allen, of Virginia, to be Deputy Secretary of Health and Human Services.

Pat Pizzella, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor.

29 Air Force nominations in the rank of general. **Page S3931**

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—87) **Page S3907**

Adjournment: Senate met at 9:30 a.m., and adjourned at 3:56 p.m., until 10 a.m., on Thursday, April 26, 2001. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S3931.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

FARM BILL: TRADE ISSUES

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee concluded hearings to examine agricultural trade issues, focusing on access to world markets, declining export values, tariffs, and barriers to trade, after receiving testimony from Bruce A. Babcock, Iowa State University Center for Agricultural and Rural Development, Ames; Ron Heck, Perry, Iowa,