

Commission on International Religious Freedom: The Chair announced the Speaker's reappointment of Ms. Nina Shea of Washington, D.C. to the Commission on International Religious Freedom for a term of two years. **Page H2145**

Congressional Award Board: Read a letter from the Minority Leader wherein he announced his appointment of Representative Jackson-Lee of Texas to the Congressional Award Board. **Page H2145**

Private Calendar: Agreed to dispense with the Private Calendar business of Tuesday, May 14. **Page H2146**

Senate Messages: Message received from the Senate appears on page H2145.

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

Adjournment: The House met at 2 p.m. and adjourned at 2:07 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—COORDINATION OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE ACTIVITIES

Committee on Government Reform: On May 11, the Subcommittee on the District of Columbia held a hearing on "Coordination of Criminal Justice Activities in the District of Columbia." Testimony was heard from Richard Stana, Director, Justice Issues, GAO; from the following officials of the Department of Justice: Michael J. Gaines, Chairman, U.S. Parole Commission; and Kenneth L. Wainstein, Acting U.S. Attorney, District of Columbia; the following officials of the District of Columbia: Margret Nedelkoff Kellems, Deputy Mayor, Public Safety and Justice; Kathy Patterson, Chairperson, Committee on the Judiciary, City Council; Rufus King, III, Chief Judge, Superior Court; Charles H. Ramsey, Chief of Police; John L. Clark, Corrections Trustee; Cynthia E. Jones, Director, Public Defender Service; and Susan W. Shaffer, Director, Pretrial Services Agency; and a public witness.

NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST of April 23, 2001, p. D334)

H.R. 256, to extend for 11 additional months the period for which chapter 12 of title 11 of the United States Code is reenacted. Signed on May 11, 2001. (Public Law 107-8)

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, MAY 15, 2001

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, to hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2002 for Foreign Operations, 9:30 a.m., SD-124.

Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State, and the Judiciary, to hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2002 for the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration of the Department of Commerce, and the Small Business Administration, 10 a.m., SD-192.

Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development, to hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2002 for Department of Energy environmental management and the Office of Civilian Radioactive Waste Management, 2:30 p.m., SD-138.

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Emerging Threats and Capabilities, to hold hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 2002 for the Department of Defense and the Future Years Defense Program, focusing on the Department of Energy's Defense Nuclear Nonproliferation Programs, to be followed by closed hearings (in Room SH-219), 2:30 p.m., SR-222.

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: to hold hearings on the nomination of Alphonso R. Jackson, of Texas, to be Deputy Secretary, the nomination of Richard A. Hauser, of Maryland, to be General Counsel, the nomination of John Charles Weicher, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary and serve as the Federal Housing Commissioner, and the nomination of Romolo A. Bernardi, of New York, to be Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development, all of the Department of Housing and Urban Development; and to hold a business meeting to consider the nomination of John E. Robson, of California, to be President of the Export-Import Bank of the United States and the nomination of James J. Jochum, of Virginia, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Export Administration, 10 a.m., SD-538.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: to hold hearings on the national energy policy with respect to federal, state, and local impediments to the siting of energy infrastructure, 9:30 a.m., SD-366.

Committee on Environment and Public Works: to hold hearings on the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2002 for the Environmental Protection Agency, 2:30 p.m., SD-628.

Committee on Finance: business meeting to markup the proposed Restoring Earnings to Lift Individuals and Empower Families (RELIEF) Act, 9 a.m., SH-216.

Committee on Governmental Affairs: to hold hearings to examine the financial outlook of the United States postal service, 10 a.m., SD-342.

Select Committee on Intelligence: to hold closed hearings on intelligence matters, 10 a.m., SH-219.

Committee on the Judiciary: to hold hearings on the implementation of the Paul Coverdell National Forensic