

## INTELLIGENCE

*Select Committee on Intelligence:* Committee met in closed session to consider pending intelligence matters.

Also, held closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Committee recessed subject to call.

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## House of Representatives

### *Chamber Action*

**Measures Introduced:** 12 public bills, H.R. 3148–3159; and 3 resolutions, H.J. Res. 69; H. Con. Res. 251, and H. Res. 269 were introduced.

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

Filed on Oct. 16, H.R. 3005, to extend trade authorities procedures with respect to reciprocal trade agreements, amended (H. Rept. 107–249 Pt. 1);

H.R. 3004, to combat the financing of terrorism and other financial crimes, amended (H. Rept. 107–250, Pt. 1); and

H.R. 3090, to provide tax incentives for economic recovery, amended (H. Rept. 107–251). Page H7127

**Speaker Pro Tempore:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative Shimkus to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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**Guest Chaplain:** The prayer was offered by the guest Chaplain, Rev. Dr. George Dillard, Peachtree City Christian Church of Peachtree City, Georgia.

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**Journal:** The House agreed to the Speaker's approval of the Journal of Tuesday, Oct. 16 by a recorded vote of 365 ayes to 34 noes, Roll No. 392.

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**Suspension Financial Anti-Terrorism Act:** The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass H.R. 3004, amended, to combat the financing of terrorism and other financial crimes by a yea and nay vote of 412 yeas to 1 nay, Roll No. 390. The bill was considered pursuant to the order of the House of Oct. 16.

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**National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2002 Go to Conference:** The House passed S. 1438, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2002 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military constructions, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, and to prescribe personnel strengths for such fiscal year for the Armed Forces, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the provisions of H.R. 2586,

National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2002, as passed the House.

Subsequently, the House insisted on its amendment to S. 1438, and asked for a conference with the Senate. The House then agreed to the Skelton motion to instruct conferees to agree to the provisions contained in section 652 of the Senate bill, relating to Survivor Benefit Plan eligibility of survivors of retirement-ineligible members of the uniformed services who die on active duty.

Appointed as conferees: From the Committee on Armed Services, for consideration of the Senate bill and the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Chairman Stump and Representatives Hunter, Hansen, Weldon of Pennsylvania, Hefley, Saxton, McHugh, Everett, Bartlett of Maryland, McKeon, Watts of Oklahoma, Thornberry, Hostettler, Chambliss, Skelton, Spratt, Ortiz, Evans, Taylor of Mississippi, Abercrombie, Meehan, Underwood, Allen, and Snyder.

From the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, for consideration of matters within the jurisdiction of that committee under clause 11 of rule X: Chairman Goss and Representatives Bereuter, and Pelosi.

From the Committee on Education and the Workforce, for consideration of secs. 304, 305, 1123, 3151, and 3157 of the Senate bill, and secs. 341, 342, 509, and 584 of the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representative Castle, Isakson, and George Miller of California.

From the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for consideration of secs. 314, 316, 601, 663, 3134, 3141, 3143, 3152, 3153, 3159, 3171–3181, and 3201 of the Senate bill, and secs. 601, 3131, 3132, and 3201 of the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Chairman Tauzin and Representatives Barton of Texas and Dingell.

From the Committee on Government Reform, for consideration of secs. 564, 622, 803, 813, 901, 1044, 1047, 1051, 1065, 1075, 1102, 1111–1113, 1124–1126, 2832, 3141, 3144, and 3153 of the Senate bill, and secs. 333, 519, 588, 802, 803, 811–819, 1101, 1103–1108, 1110, and 3132 of the House amendment, and modifications committed to

conference: Chairman Burton and Representatives Weldon of Florida and Waxman. Provided that Representative Davis of Virginia is appointed in lieu of Representative Weldon of Florida for consideration of secs. 803 and 2832 of the Senate bill, and secs. 333 and 803 of the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference. Provided that Representative Horn is appointed in lieu of Representative Weldon of Florida for consideration of secs. 811–819 of the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference.

From the Committee on House Administration, for consideration of secs. 572, 574–577, and 579 of the Senate bill, and sec. 552 of the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Chairman Ney and Representatives Mica and Hoyer.

From the Committee on International Relations, for consideration of secs. 331, 333, 1201–1205, 1211–1218 of the Senate bill, and secs. 1011, 1201, 1202, 1205, 1209, Title XIII, and sec. 3133 of the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Chairman Hyde and Representative Gilman and Lantos.

From the Committee on Judiciary, for consideration of secs. 821, 1066, and 3151 of the Senate bill, and secs. 323 and 818 of the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Chairman Sensenbrenner and Representatives Smith of Texas and Conyers.

From the Committee on Resources, for consideration of secs. 601, 663, 2823, and 3171–3181 of the Senate bill, and secs. 601, 1042, 2841, 2845, 2861–2863, 2865, and Title XXIX of the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Gibbons, Radanovich, and Rahall. Provided that Representative Udall of Colorado is appointed in lieu of Representative Rahall for consideration of secs. 3171–3181 of the Senate bill, and modifications committed to conference.

From the Committee on Science, for consideration of secs. 1071 and 1124 of the Senate bill, and modifications committed to conference: Chairman Boehlert and Representatives Smith of Michigan and Hall of Texas. Provided that Representative Ehlers is appointed in lieu of Representative Smith of Michigan for consideration of sec. 1124 of the Senate bill, and modifications committed to conference.

From the Committee on Small Business, for consideration of secs. 822–824 and 1068 of the Senate bill, and modifications committed to conference: Chairman Manzullo and Representatives Combest and Velazquez.

From the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, for consideration of secs. 563, 601, and 1076 of the Senate bill, and secs. 543, 544, 601, 1049, and 1053 of the House amendment, and

modifications committed to conference: Chairman Young of Alaska and Representatives LoBiondo and Brown of Florida. Provided that Representative Pascrell is appointed in lieu of Representative Brown of Florida for consideration of sec. 1049 of the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference.

From the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, for consideration of secs. 538, 539, 573, 651, 717, and 1064 of the Senate bill, and sec. 641 of the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Chairman Smith of New Jersey and Representatives Bilirakis and Filner. **Pages H6945–H7098**

The House agreed by a yea and nay vote of 420 yeas with none voting "nay", Roll No. 391 to close portions of the conference to the public when classified information is discussed. **Page H7098**

**Making Continuing Appropriations for FY 2001:** The House passed H.J. Res. 69, making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2001 through Oct. 31. The joint resolution was considered by unanimous consent. **Pages H7109–10**

**Interior Appropriations—Conference Report:** The House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 2217, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002 by a yea and nay vote of 380 yeas to 28 nays, Roll No. 393. The conference report was considered by unanimous consent.

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**Military Construction Appropriations—Conference Report:** The House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 2904, making appropriations for military construction, family housing, and base realignment and closure for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002 by a yea and nay vote of 409 yeas to 1 nay, Roll No. 394. The conference report was considered by unanimous consent. **Pages H7108–11**

**Presidential Messages:** Read the following messages from the President:

*Freedom to Manage Act of 2001:* Message wherein he transmitted his legislative proposal entitled the Freedom to Manage Act; **Pages H7111–12**

*Continuation of National Emergency re Narcotics Traffickers Centered in Colombia:* Message wherein he transmitted his notice stating that the emergency declared with respect to significant narcotics traffickers centered in Colombia referred to the Committee on International Relations and ordered printed (H. Doc. 107–133) and **Page H7112**

*6-Month Periodic Report on the National Emergency re Narcotics Traffickers Centered in Colombia:* Message wherein he transmitted a 6-Month

Periodic Report on the national emergency with respect to significant narcotics traffickers centered in Colombia—referred to the Committee on International Relations and ordered printed (H. Doc. 107–134). **Page H7112**

**Conditional Adjournment of the House of Representatives:** The House agreed to H. Con. Res. 251, providing for a conditional adjournment of the House of Representatives and conditional recess or adjournment of the Senate. **Page H7111**

Agreed that when the House adjourns on the legislative day of today, it adjourned to meet at 10 a.m. on Friday, October 19, 2001, unless the House sooner receives a message from the Senate transmitting its adoption of H. Con. Res. 251, in which case the house shall stand adjourned pursuant to that concurrent resolution. **Page H7125**

**Quorum Calls—Votes:** Four yea and nay votes and one recorded vote developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages H6943–44, H7098, H7098–99, H7110, H7110–11. There were no quorum calls.

**Adjournment:** The House met at 10 a.m. and pursuant to H. Con. Res. 251, at 3:52 p.m., the House adjourned until 12:30 p.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 23, 2001 for morning-hour debate.

## Committee Meetings

### CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT— PREVENTION AND TREATMENT

*Committee on Education and the Workforce:* Subcommittee on Select Education held a hearing on Prevention and Treatment of Child Abuse and Neglect: Policy Directions for the Future. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

### TOURISM INDUSTRY STATUS

*Committee on Energy and Commerce:* Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade and Consumer Protection held a hearing on the State of the U.S. Tourism Industry. Testimony was heard from Representatives Berkley, Abercrombie and Underwood; Linda Conlin, Assistant Secretary, Trade Development, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

### MEDICARE REGULATORY, APPEALS, CONTRACTING, AND EDUCATION REFORM ACT

*Committee on Energy and Commerce:* Subcommittee on Health approved for full Committee action, as amended, H.R. 3046, Medicare Regulatory, Appeals, Contracting, and Education Reform Act of 2001.

### DEPOSIT INSURANCE REFORM

*Committee on Financial Services:* Subcommittee on Financial Institutions and Consumer Credit held a hearing on deposit insurance reform. Testimony was heard from Donald E. Powell, Chairman, FDIC; and public witnesses.

### FEDERAL LAW ENFORCEMENT WORK FORCE

*Committee on Government Reform:* Subcommittee on Criminal Justice, Drug Policy, and Human Resources held a hearing on “Keeping a Strong Federal Law Enforcement Work Force.” Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Justice: James Ziglar, Commissioner, INS; and Gary Mead, Assistant Director, Business Services, U.S. Marshals Service; and Robert M. Smith, Assistant Commissioner, Office of Human Resources Management, U.S. Customs Service, Department of the Treasury.

### CHINA—COERCIVE POPULATION CONTROL

*Committee on International Relations:* Held a hearing on Coercive Population Control in China: New Evidence of Forced Abortion and Forced Sterilization. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

### MIDDLE EAST DEVELOPMENTS

*Committee on International Relations:* Subcommittee on the Middle East and South Asia held a hearing on Developments in the Middle East. Testimony was heard from William J. Burns, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Near Eastern Affairs, Department of State.

### OVERSIGHT—INS PERFORMANCE ISSUES

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Subcommittee on Immigration and Claims held an oversight hearing on Immigration and Naturalization Service Performance Issues. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the GAO: Richard M. Stana, Director, Justice Issues; and Glenn A. Fine, Inspector General; and public witnesses.

### MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

*Committee on Resources:* Ordered reported—the following bills: H.R. 483, amended, regarding the use of the trust land and resources of the Confederated Tribes of the Warm Springs Reservation of Oregon; H.R. 1491, Utah Public Lands Artifact Preservation Act of 2001; H.R. 1913, amended, to require the valuation of nontribal interest ownership of subsurface rights within the boundaries of the Acoma Indian Reservation; H.R. 2115, to amend the Reclamation Wastewater and Groundwater Study and