

Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages S8141–S8233

Measures Introduced: One bill and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2902, and S. Res. 320–321. **Page S8201**

Measures Passed:

Honoring Valley Sports American Little League Baseball Team: Senate agreed to S. Res. 320, honoring the Valley Sports American Little League baseball team from Louisville, Kentucky for winning the 2002 Little League Baseball World Series.

Pages S8205, S8229–30

Department of the Interior Appropriations: Senate began consideration of H.R. 5093, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2003, taking action on the following amendments proposed thereto: **Pages S8141–48**

Adopted:

Byrd/Burns Amendment No. 4473 (to Amendment No. 4472), to make permanent a provision relating to the National Business Center. **Page S8143**

Byrd/Burns Amendment No. 4474 (to Amendment No. 4472), to make a technical correction.

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Byrd Amendment No. 4475 (to Amendment No. 4472), to make a technical correction. **Page S8144**

Pending:

Byrd Amendment No. 4472, in the nature of a substitute. **Page S8143**

Byrd Amendment No. 4480 (to Amendment No. 4472), to provide funds to repay accounts from which funds were borrowed for emergency wildfire suppression. **Pages S8144–45**

Daschle Modified Amendment No. 4481 (to Amendment No. 4472), to provide emergency disaster assistance to agricultural producers.

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill at 9:30 a.m., on Thursday, September 5, 2002. **Page S8230**

Homeland Security Act: Senate continued consideration of H.R. 5005, to establish the Department of

Homeland Security, taking action on the following amendments proposed thereto:

Pages S8155–80, S8183–94

Pending:

Lieberman Amendment No. 4471, in the nature of a substitute. **Pages S8155–80**

Wellstone Amendment No. 4486 (to Amendment No. 4471), to prohibit the Secretary of Homeland Security from contracting with any corporate expatriate. **Pages S8183–86**

Reid Amendment No. 4490 (to Amendment No. 4486), in the nature of a substitute. **Pages S8186–87**

Smith (N.H.) Amendment No. 4491 (to Amendment No. 4471), to amend title 49, United States Code, to improve flight and cabin security on passenger aircraft. **Pages S8187–93**

Reid (for Boxer/Smith (N.H.)) Amendment No. 4492 (to Amendment No. 4491), to amend title 49, United States Code, to improve flight and cabin security on passenger aircraft. **Pages S8193–94**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill at 1 p.m., on Thursday, September 5, 2002. **Page S8230**

Appointment:

Lands Title Report Commission: The Chair, on behalf of the Chairman of the Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs Committee, pursuant to Public Law 106–569, announced the appointment of the following individuals to be members of the Lands Title Report Commission: Dore A. Bietz of Toulumne, California, Juel C. Burnette III of Brandon, South Dakota, Thomas Livermont of Pierre, South Dakota, and Thomas H. Shipps of Durango, Colorado.

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

Transmitting, pursuant to law, a report concerning the justification of the Australia Group and the Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production, Stockpiling and Use of Chemical Weapons and on Their Destruction; to the Committee on Foreign Relations. (PM–106) **Page S8199**

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Rafael Cuellar, of New Jersey, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the National Consumer Cooperative Bank for a term of three years.

Michael Scott, of North Carolina, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the National Consumer Cooperative Bank for a term of term years.

Francis X. Taylor, of Maryland, to be Director of the Office of Foreign Missions, and to have the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service.

Francis X. Taylor, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of State (Diplomatic Security).

Grover Joseph Rees, of Louisiana, to be Ambassador to the Democratic Republic of East Timor.

Elizabeth J. Pruet, of Arkansas, to be a Member of the National Museum Services Board for a term expiring December 6, 2004.

Judith Ann Rapanos, of Michigan, to be a Member of the National Museum Services Board for a term expiring December 6, 2004.

Judith Ann Rapanos, of Michigan, to be a Member of National Museum Services Board for a term expiring December 6, 2007. (Reappointment)

Edwin Joseph Rigaud, of Ohio, to be a Member of National Museum Services Board for a term expiring December 6, 2007. (Reappointment)

Edwin Joseph Rigaud, of Ohio, to be a Member of National Museum Services Board for a term expiring December 6, 2002.

Harry Robinson, Jr., of Texas, to be a Member of the National Museum Services Board for a term expiring December 6, 2003.

Margaret Scarlett, of Wyoming, to be a Member of the National Museum Services Board for a term expiring December 6, 2007.

Beth Walkup, of Arizona, to be a Member of the National Museum Services Board for a term expiring December 6, 2003.

David Donath, of Vermont, to be a Member of the National Museum Services Board for a term expiring December 6, 2004.

Nancy S. Dwight, of New Hampshire, to be a Member of the National Museum Services Board for a term expiring December 6, 2005.

A. Wilson Greene, of Virginia, to be a Member of the National Museum Services Board for a term expiring December 6, 2004.

Maria Mercedes Guillemard, of Puerto Rico, to be a Member of the National Museum Services Board for a term expiring December 6, 2005.

Peter Hero, of California, to be a Member of the National Museum Services Board for a term expiring December 6, 2006.

Terry L. Maple, of Georgia, to be a Member of the National Museum Services Board for a term expiring December 6, 2005.

Thomas E. Lorentzen, of California, to be a Member of the National Museum Services Board for a term expiring December 6, 2006.

Peter Marzio, of Texas, to be a Member of the National Museum Services Board for a term expiring December 6, 2006.

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Adjournment: Senate met at 9:30 a.m., and adjourned at 5:31 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Thursday, September 5, 2002. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S8230).

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of John R. Dawson, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Peru, Antonio O. Garza, Jr., of Texas, to be Ambassador to Mexico, and Linda Ellen Watt, of Florida, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Panama, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Dawson was introduced by former Senator Dole, and Mr. Garza was introduced by Senator Hutchison.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions: Committee ordered favorably reported S. 2758, entitled "The Child Care and Development Block Grant Amendments Act", with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

CLEAN AIR STANDARDS

Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions: On Tuesday, September 3, Subcommittee on Public Health held hearings on proposed improvements to the New Source Review (NSR) program under the