

# Daily Digest

## Senate

### Chamber Action

*Routine Proceedings, pages S249–S306*

**Measures Introduced:** Ten bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 152–161, S.J. Res. 3, and S. Res. 18–19. **Page S288**

**Majority Committee Appointments:** Senate began consideration of S. Res. 18, making majority party appointments to certain Senate committees for the 108th Congress. **Pages S267–75, S276–83, S286**

A motion was entered to close further debate on the resolution and, in accordance with the provisions of Rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate, a cloture vote will occur on Thursday, January 16, 2003. **Page S286**

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

Earl Cruz Aguigui, of Guam, to be United States Marshal for the District of Guam and concurrently United States Marshal for the District of the Northern Mariana Islands for the term of four years.

Eugene James Corcoran, of New York, to be United States Marshal for the Eastern District of New York for the term of four years.

Allen Garber, of Minnesota, to be United States Marshal for the District of Minnesota for the term of four years.

Vernon Bernard Parker, of Arizona, to be an Assistant Secretary of Agriculture. (New Position)

4 Army nominations in the rank of general.

1 Marine Corps nomination in the rank of general. **Page S306**

**Additional Cosponsors:** **Pages S288–89**

**Statements on Introduced Bills/Resolutions:** **Pages S289–S305**

**Additional Statements:** **Pages S287–88**

**Adjournment:** Senate met at 9:30 a.m., and adjourned at 8:08 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Wednesday,

January 15, 2003. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S306.)

### Committee Meetings

*(Committees not listed did not meet)*

#### U.S. AIRWAYS

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education concluded hearings to examine issues relative to the restructuring of U.S. Airways' employee pension plans, including a related proposal, S. 119, to provide special minimum funding requirements for certain pension plans maintained pursuant to collective bargaining agreements, after receiving testimony from Steven A. Kandarian, Executive Director, and James J. Keightley, General Counsel, both of the Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation; James C. Roddey, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania; David N. Siegel, U.S. Airways, Inc., Arlington, Virginia; Duane E. Woerth, Air Line Pilots Association International, and Bill Pollock, U.S. Airways Master Executive Council, on behalf of Air Line Pilots Association, both of Washington, D.C.

#### TELECOMMUNICATIONS INDUSTRY

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:* Subcommittee on Communications held hearings on competition issues in the telecommunications industry, including issues of digital migration, the role for regulators, and the deployment of broadband and other advanced services, receiving testimony from Michael K. Powell, Chairman, and Kathleen Q. Abernathy, Michael J. Copps, Kevin J. Martin, Jonathan S. Adelstein, each a Commissioner, all of the Federal Communications Commission.

Hearings recessed subject to call.