

Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Six bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3714–3719 and S. Res. 539–540. **Page S8129**

Measures Reported:

S. 757, to amend the Public Health Service Act to authorize the Director of the National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences to make grants for the development and operation of research centers regarding environmental factors that may be related to the etiology of breast cancer, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 109–290)

S. 3501, to amend the Shivwits Band of the Paiute Indian Tribe of Utah Water Rights Settlement Act to establish an acquisition fund for the water rights and habitat acquisition program. (S. Rept. No. 109–291) **Pages S8128–29**

Measures Passed:

Retirement Income Taxation: Committee on Finance was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 4019, to amend title 4 of the United States Code to clarify the treatment of self-employment for purposes of the limitation on State taxation of retirement income, and the bill was then passed, clearing the measure for the President. **Page S8135**

United States-India Energy Security Cooperation Act: Senate passed S. 1950, to promote global energy security through increased cooperation between the United States and India in diversifying sources of energy, stimulating development of alternative fuels, developing and deploying technologies that promote the clean and efficient use of coal, and improving energy efficiency, after agreeing to the

committee amendments, and the following amendment proposed thereto: **Pages S8135–36**

Frist (for Lugar) Amendment No. 4688, to authorize assistance for renewable energy projects. **Page S8136**

Energy Exploration Legislation: Senate began consideration of the motion to proceed to consideration of S. 3711, to enhance the energy independence and security of the United States by providing for exploration, development, and production activities for mineral resources in the Gulf of Mexico. **Pages S8134–35**

A motion was entered to close further debate on the motion to proceed to consideration of the bill and, in accordance with the provisions of rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate, a vote on cloture will occur on Wednesday, July 26, 2006. **Page S8134**

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Adjournment: Senate convened at 2 p.m., and adjourned at 5:13 p.m., until 9:45 a.m., on Tuesday, July 25, 2006. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S8136.)

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.