

Daily Digest

HIGHLIGHTS

Senator Johanns read Washington's Farewell Address.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages S2349–S2388

Measures Introduced: Six bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 451–456, and S. Res. 51–52. **Page S2365**

Measures Reported:

S. Res. 51, authorizing expenditures by the Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition and Forestry. **Page S2365**

Measures Passed:

Read Across America Day: Senate agreed to S. Res. 52, designating March 2, 2009, as "Read Across America Day." **Pages S2381–82**

Measures Considered:

District of Columbia House Voting Rights Act: Senate resumed consideration of the motion to proceed to consideration of S. 160, to provide the District of Columbia a voting seat and the State of Utah an additional seat in the House of Representatives. **Pages S2353–60**

A unanimous-consent time agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the motion to proceed to consideration of the bill at 10 a.m., on Tuesday, February 24, 2009, and that the time until 11 a.m. be equally divided and controlled between the two Leaders, or their designees. **Page S2382**

Washington's Farewell Address: Senator Johanns performed the traditional reading of Washington's Farewell Address. **Pages S2349–53**

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Lanny A. Breuer, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Attorney General.

Christine Anne Varney, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Attorney General.

- 1 Army nomination in the rank of general.
- 3 Coast Guard nominations in the rank of admiral.

Routine lists in the Air Force, Army, Marine Corps, and Navy. **Pages S2383–88**

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Adjournment: Senate convened at 2 p.m. and adjourned at 5:48 p.m., until 10 a.m. on Tuesday, February 24, 2009. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S2382.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee ordered favorably reported an original resolution authorizing expenditures by the Committee.

PRINCIPLES OF INTEGRATED HEALTH

Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions: Committee concluded a hearing to examine principles of integrative health, focusing on a path to health care reform, after receiving testimony from Catherine M. Base, The Dow Chemical Company, Midland, Michigan; James S. Gordon, Center for Mind-Body Medicine, Washington, DC; Wayne B. Jonas, Samueli Institute, Alexandria, Virginia; Mary Jo Kreitzer, University of Minnesota Center for Spirituality and Healing, Minneapolis; and Robert Duggan, and Charlotte R. Kerr, both of the Tai Sophia Institute, Laurel, Maryland.