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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the conference report on Friday, December 22, 1995, with a vote to occur thereon.

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START II Treaty—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the consideration of the Treaty with the Russian Federation on Further Reduction and Limitation of Strategic Offensive Arms (The START II Treaty) (Treaty Doc. No. 103-1), on Friday, December 22, 1995.

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Labor/HHS/Education Appropriations, 1996: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the cloture vote on a motion to proceed to the consideration of H.R. 2127, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1996, to occur on Friday, December 22, 1995 at a time to be determined.

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Measures Indefinitely Postponed: Senate indefinitely postponed further consideration of the following measures:

Ronald Reagan Building and International Trade Center: S. 1315, to designate the Federal Triangle Project under construction at 14th Street and Pennsylvania Avenue, Northwest, in the District of Columbia, as the "Ronald Reagan Building and International Trade Center.

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Howard H. Baker, Jr. U.S. Courthouse: S. 1388, to designate the United States courthouse located at 800 Market Street in Knoxville, Tennessee, as the "Howard H. Baker, Jr., United States Courthouse".

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Thomas Paul Grumbly, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of Energy.

Martin A. Kamarck, of Massachusetts, to be President of the Export-Import Bank of the United States for the remainder of the term expiring January 20, 1997.

Donald W. Molloy, of Montana, to be United States District Judge for the District of Montana.

Susan Oki Mollway, of Hawaii, to be United States District Judge for the District of Hawaii.

78 Air Force nominations in the rank of general.

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Messages From the House:

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Measures Referred:

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total-611)

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Adjournment: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and adjourned at 9:56 p.m., until 10:15 a.m., on Friday, December 22, 1995. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S19140.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee ordered favorably reported the following bills:

S. 1371, to provide for the exchange to the Sun Valley Company certain National Forest System lands adjacent to the Snowbasin Ski Resort in Salt Lake City, Utah to facilitate certain events at the 2002 Winter Olympics, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute;

H.R. 1296, to provide for the Administration of certain Presidio properties at minimal cost to the Federal taxpayer, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute; and

H.R. 629, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to participate in the operation of certain visitor facilities associated with, but outside the boundaries of, Rocky Mountain National Park in the State of Colorado, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

The nominations of Bernice B. Donald, to be a United States District Judge for the Western District of Tennessee, Barbara S. Jones and Jed S. Rakoff, each to be a United States District Judge for the Southern District of New York, Joan A. Lenard, to be United States District Judge of the Southern District of Florida, and C. Lynwood Smith, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Alabama; and

S. 605, to establish a uniform and more efficient Federal process for protecting property owners' rights

guaranteed by the fifth amendment, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 7 public bills, H.R. 2822–2828; and 2 resolutions, H.Con.Res. 124, and H. Res. 321 were introduced. **Page H15574**

Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 2567, to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act relating to standards for constructed water conveyance, amended (H. Rept. 104–433);

Report entitled "Creating a 21st Century Government" (H. Rept. 104–434);

Report entitled "Making Government Work: Fulfilling the Mandate for Change" (H. Rept. 104–435);

Report entitled "The FDA Food Additive Review Process: Backlog and Failure To Observe Statutory Deadline" (H. Rept. 104–436);

Report entitled "The Federal Takeover of the Chicago Housing Authority—HUD Needs to Determine Long-Term Implications" (H. Rept. 104–437);

Report entitled "Voices for Change" (H. Rept. 104–438);

S. 1341, to provide for the transfer of certain lands to the Salt River Pima-Maricopa Indian Community and the city of Scottsdale, Arizona (H. Rept. 104–439, Part 1);

H.R. 497, to create the National Gambling Impact and Policy Commission, amended (H. Rept. 104–440, Part 1);

H. Res. 322, providing for consideration of H. Res. 299, to amend the Rules of the House of Representatives regarding outside earned income (H. Rept. 104–441); and

H. Res. 323, providing for the consideration of H.R. 2677, to require the Secretary of the Interior to accept from a State donations of services of State employees to reform, in a period of Government budgetary shutdown, otherwise authorized functions in any unit of the National Wildlife Refuge System or the National Park System (H. Rept. 104–442).

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Chambliss to act as Speaker pro tempore.

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FDR Commission: The Speaker appointed Representatives English and Hinchey to the Franklin

Delano Roosevelt Memorial Commission on the part of the House. **Page H15493**

Intelligence Authorization: The House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 1655, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1996 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government, the Community Management Account, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System—clearing the measure for Senate action. **Pages H15494–H15501**

H. Res. 318, the rule which waived points of order against the conference report, was agreed to earlier by a voice vote. **Pages H15493–94**

Welfare Reform: By a recorded vote of 245 ayes to 178 noes, Roll No. 877, the House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 4, to restore the American family, reduce illegitimacy, control welfare spending and reduce welfare dependence—clearing the measure for Senate action. **Pages H15317–H15487, H15509–33**

Rejected the Rose motion to recommit the conference report to the committee of conference with instructions to the managers on the part of the House to recede from certain House provisions and agree to certain Senate amendments relating to child abuse prevention and treatment, to child care and development block grants, to State maintenance of social security efforts, to SSI disabled children, to family-based and school-based nutrition block grants, to child nutrition programs, and to continued application of current standards under the Medicaid program (rejected by a recorded vote of 192 ayes to 231 noes, Roll No. 876. **Pages H15532–33**

A point of order was sustained against the Neal motion to recommit the conference report to the committee of conference with instructions to the managers of the conference on the part of the House to insist that the text of H.R. 1267, to reconnect families to the world of work, make work pay strengthen families, require personal responsibility, and support state flexibility, be substituted for the conference substitute recommended by the committee of conference; and that the title of H.R. 1267 be substituted for the title of the conference substitute recommended by the committee of conference. Agreed to the Shaw motion to table the appeal of the ruling of the Chair sustaining the point of order