

Richard J. Tarplin, of New York, to be an Assistant Secretary of Health and Human Services.

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—296) Page S11064

Recess: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and recessed at 4:02 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Tuesday, September 24, 1996. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S11124.)

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 3 public bills, H.R. 4128–4130 were introduced. Page H10762

Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H.R. 1031, a private bill, amended (H. Rept. 104–810);

H.R. 1087, a private bill, amended (H. Rept. 104–811);

Conference report on H.R. 3666, making appropriations for the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, boards, commissions, corporations, and offices for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997 (H. Rept. 104–812);

H.R. 4025, a private bill (H. Rept. 104–813);

H.R. 4083, to extend certain programs under the Energy Policy and Conservation Act through September 30, 1997, (H. Rept. 104–814); and

H.R. 3217, to provide for ballast water management to prevent the introduction and spread of non-indigenous species into the waters of the United States, amended (H. Rept. 104–815 Part I).

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designated Representative Miller of Florida to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Senate Messages: Messages received from the Senate today appear on page H10757.

Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at 9 a.m. and adjourned at 11:27 a.m.

Committee Meetings

DRUG FREE WORKPLACE

Committee on Government Reform and Oversight: Subcommittee on Civil Service held a hearing on Drug Free Workplace: White House Standards. Testimony was heard from Franklin S. Reeder, Director, Administration, The White House; Peter Nelson, Deputy Director, Personnel Security, Department of Defense; Jane Vezeris, Deputy Assistant Director, Administration, U.S. Secret Service, Department of the Treasury; and Thomas J. Coyle, Assistant Director, Personnel Division, FBI, Department of Justice.

IN THE MATTER OF REPRESENTATIVE NEWT GINGRICH

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: On September 19, the Committee met in executive session to consider a complaint filed against Representative Gingrich by Representative Miller of California. The Committee dismissed the complaint and sent a letter to Representative Gingrich.

The Committee also voted to authorize the Chairman to make a statement on its behalf that the Committee intends to proceed in accordance with its rules and respect the responsibility of the Investigation Subcommittee to complete its work and report to the Committee, at which time the report will be made public in accordance with House rules.