

# Daily Digest

## HIGHLIGHTS

Senate passed Private Securities Litigation Reform Act.

## Senate

### Chamber Action

*Routine Proceedings, pages S9199-S9323*

**Measures Introduced:** Seven bills were introduced, as follows: S. 975-981. Page S9305

**Measures Reported:** Reports were made as follows:  
Special Report of the Committee on Rules and Administration of a review of the legislative activity during the 103d Congress. (S. Rept. No. 104-100) Page S9305

#### Measures Passed:

**Private Securities Litigation Reform Act:** Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 1058, to amend the Federal securities laws to curb certain abusive practices in private securities litigation, and by 69 yeas to 30 nays, 1 responding present (Vote No. 295), the bill was then passed, after striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the text of S. 240, Senate companion measure, after agreeing to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and taking action on further amendments proposed thereto, as follows: Pages S9199-S9226

#### Adopted:

(1) By 57 yeas to 42 nays, 1 responding present (Vote No. 293), Specter Amendment No. 1485, to clarify the standard plaintiffs must meet in specifying the defendant's state of mind in private securities litigation. Pages S9200-01

#### Rejected:

(1) Boxer Amendment No. 1480, to exclude insider traders who benefit from false or misleading forward looking statements from safe harbor protection. (By 56 yeas to 42 nays, 1 responding present (Vote No. 294), Senate tabled the amendment.) Pages S9201-02

(2) Specter Amendment No. 1483, to provide for sanctions for abuse litigation. (By 57 yeas to 38 nays, 1 responding present (Vote No. 291), Senate tabled the amendment.) Pages S9199-S9200

(3) Specter Amendment No. 1484, to provide for a stay of discovery in certain circumstances. (By 52 yeas to 47 nays, 1 responding present (Vote No. 292), Senate tabled the amendment.) Page S9200

Subsequently, S. 240, Senate companion measure, was returned to the Senate calendar. Page S9226

**Authorizing Use of Capitol Grounds:** Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 38, authorizing the use of the Capitol grounds for the Greater Washington Soap Box Derby. Page S9323

**Congressional Budget—Conference Report:** Senate began debate on the provisions of the conference report on H. Con. Res. 67, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal years 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, and 2002. Pages S9236-60, S9296-S9304

**Comprehensive Regulatory Reform Act:** Senate began consideration of S. 343, to reform the regulatory process, with committee amendments in the nature of a substitute. Pages S9261-96

Senate will resume consideration of the bill on Thursday, June 29, 1995.

**Messages From the President:** Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

Transmitting the report of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting; referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. (PM-58). Page S9304

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

George D. Milidrag, of Michigan, to be a Member of the Advisory Board of the Saint Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation.

Lawrence H. Summers, of Massachusetts, to be Deputy Secretary of the Treasury.

Frances D. Cook, of Florida, to be Ambassador to the Sultanate of Oman.

J. Stapleton Roy, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Indonesia.

Thomas W. Simons, Jr., of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Islamic Republic of Pakistan.

John M. Yates, of Washington, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Benin. Page S9323

**Messages From the President:** Page S9304

**Messages From the House:** Pages S9304-05

**Measures Referred:** Page S9305

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**Authority for Committees:** Pages S9309-10  
**Additional Statements:** Pages S9310-15  
**Record Votes:** Five record votes were taken today. (Total—295) Pages S9199-S9202, S9219  
**Recess:** Senate convened at 8:40 a.m., and recessed at 7:08 p.m., until 9 a.m., on Thursday, June 29, 1995. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's RECORD on page S9323.)

## Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

### AUTHORIZATION—DEFENSE

*Committee on Armed Services:* Committee met in closed session to mark up proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 1996 for military activities of the Department of Defense, and to prescribe military personnel strengths, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

### AUTHORIZATION—DEFENSE

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Acquisition and Technology met in closed session and approved for full committee consideration those provisions which fall within its jurisdiction of proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 1996 for national defense programs.

### AUTHORIZATION—DEFENSE

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Airland Forces met in closed session and approved for full committee consideration those provisions which fall within its jurisdiction of proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 1996 for national defense programs.

### BUSINESS MEETING

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:* Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 883, to enhance the safety and soundness of federally insured credit unions, and to protect the National Credit Union Share Insurance Fund;

An original bill to extend and authorize funds for the Defense Production Act of 1950; and

The nominations of Martin Neil Baily, of Maryland, to be a Member of the Council of Economic Advisers, Charles L. Marinaccio, of the District of Columbia, Deborah Dudley Branson, of Texas,

Marianne C. Spraggins, of New York, and Albert James Dwoskin, of Virginia, each to be a Director of the Securities Investor Protection Corporation, Steve M. Hays, of Tennessee, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the National Institute of Building Sciences, and Tony Scallon, of Minnesota, and Sheila Anne Smith, of Illinois, each to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the National Consumer Cooperative Bank.

### BUSINESS MEETING

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

H.R. 402, to make certain technical corrections to the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act and the Alaska National Interest Lands Conservation Act to provide for the conveyance of certain lands within Alaska and to resolve certain other issues, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute, and in lieu of S. 537, Senate companion measure;

S. 283, to extend the deadlines under the Federal Power Act applicable to the construction of two hydroelectric projects in Pennsylvania;

S. 801, to extend the deadline under the Federal Power Act applicable to the construction of two hydroelectric projects in North Carolina; and

S. 638, authorizing funds for project development programs of United States insular areas, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

### MEDICAID

*Committee on Finance:* Committee held hearings to examine the overall Medicaid program, focusing on certain recommendations on how to control the cost of the Medicaid program, receiving testimony from Florida Governor Lawton Chiles, Tallahassee; Vermont Governor Howard Dean, Montpelier; Illinois Governor Jim Edgar, Springfield; and Utah Governor Michael O. Leavitt, Salt Lake City.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

### BIA REORGANIZATION

*Committee on Indian Affairs:* Committee concluded hearings on S. 814, to provide for the reorganization of the Bureau of Indian Affairs, after receiving testimony from Hilda A. Manuel, Deputy Commissioner for Indian Affairs, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior; William Ron Allen, Jamestown S'Klallam Tribe of Indians, Sequim, Washington; Tadd Johnson, Bois Forte Band of Chippewa Indians, Nett Lake, Minnesota; Chuck Jacobs, Oglala Sioux Tribal Council, Pine Ridge, South Dakota; and Herman T.J. Laffoon, Colorado River Indian Tribes, Parker, Arizona.

# House of Representatives

## Chamber Action

**Bills Introduced:** Fourteen public bills, H.R. 1941–1954 were introduced. **Pages H6480–81, H6560**

**Reports Filed:** Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 175, waiving points of order against the conference report to accompany H. Con. Res. 67, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for the fiscal years 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, and 2002 (H. Rept. 104–165); and

H. Res. 176, providing for the consideration of H.R. 1944, making emergency supplemental appropriations for additional disaster assistance for anti-terrorism initiatives, for assistance in the recovery from the tragedy that occurred at Oklahoma City, and making rescissions for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1995 (H. Rept. 104–166).

**Pages H6559–60**

**Committee To Sit:** The Committee on Science and the Committee on International Relations received permission to sit today during proceedings of the House under the five-minute rule. **Page H6403**

**Flag Desecration Constitutional Amendment:** By a recorded vote of 312 ayes to 120 noes, Roll No. 431, (two-thirds of those present voting in favor), the House passed H.J. Res. 79, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States authorizing the Congress and the States to prohibit the physical desecration of the flag of the United States.

**Pages H6403–46**

By a yea-and-nay vote of 63 yeas to 369 nays, Roll No. 430, rejected the Bryant of Texas motion to recommit the joint resolution to the Committee on the Judiciary with instructions to report the bill back to the House with an amendment that gives Congress and the States the power to prohibit only the "burning, trampling, soiling, or rending" of the flag; and directs Congress to determine what constitutes a flag, and to prescribe procedures for the proper disposal of the flag. **Pages H6436–45**

H. Res. 173, the rule under which the joint resolution was considered, was agreed to earlier by a recorded vote of 271 ayes to 152 noes, Roll No. 429. Earlier, agreed to order the previous question by a yea-and-nay vote of 258 yeas to 170 nays, Roll No. 428. **Pages H6403–15**

**Foreign Operations Appropriations:** The House continued consideration of H.R. 1868, making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1996. **Pages H6446–80, H6483–H6558**

Agreed To:

The Smith of New Jersey amendment that prohibits any Federal funding to any private, non-governmental, or multilateral organization that di-

rectly or indirectly performs abortions in a foreign country except in special cases; and prohibits funding to the United Nations Fund for Population Activities unless that organization ceases all activity in China (agreed to by a recorded vote of 243 ayes to 187 noes, Roll No. 433); **Pages H6447–62**

The Menendez amendment that reduces the amount of United States assistance to Russia by the amount spent on the construction of the Juragua nuclear power plant in Cienfuegos, Cuba; **Pages H6463–68**

The Goss amendment, as modified, that prohibits the government of Haiti from receiving any funds after March 1, 1996 if the President determines that the upcoming election is not held in a democratic fashion (agreed to by a recorded vote of 252 ayes to 164 noes, with 1 voting "present", Roll No. 441); **Pages H6468–80, H6483–94**

The Visclosky amendment that strikes provisions limiting the current prohibition on United States aid to the government of Azerbaijan; **Pages H6494–H6505**

The Traficant amendment that expresses the sense of Congress that to the greatest extent practicable, all equipment and products purchased with funds provided should be American-made; **Page H6518**

The Porter amendment that limits the amount of funds appropriated for the Government of Turkey to \$21 million (agreed to by a recorded vote of 246 ayes to 155 noes, with 1 voting "present", Roll No. 433); **Pages H6521–36**

The Kaptur amendment that prohibits the United States contribution to the North American Development Bank until the President is informed that Mexico has made its contribution; **Pages H6536–37**

The Richardson amendment that prohibits funds for international narcotics control or crop substitution assistance to the Government of Burma (agreed to by a recorded vote of 359 ayes to 38 noes, Roll No. 444); **Pages H6537–39**

The Roemer amendment, as amended by the Obey substitute (substitute agreed to by a recorded vote of 348 ayes to 67 noes, Roll No. 447), that limits the funds available for assistance to Russia to not more than \$195 million (agreed to by a recorded vote of 401 ayes to 2 noes, Roll No. 448); **Pages H6546–51**

The Souder amendment, as modified, that prohibits any funds from being extended to Mexico unless the appropriate Federal entity or official through which the funds will be extended is apprised of the fact that Mexico has decreased the level of drug traffic into the United States, as determined by the Director of the Office of National Drug Control Policy (agreed to by a recorded vote of 411 ayes, Roll No. 449); and **Pages H6551–55**

The Callahan motion that the Committee rise (agreed to by a recorded vote of 238 ayes to 171 noes, Roll No. 450).

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Rejected:

The Meyers of Kansas amendment to the agreed to Smith of New Jersey amendment that sought to strike language that prohibits any Federal funding to any private, nongovernmental, or multilateral organization that directly or indirectly performs abortions in a foreign country except in special cases (rejected by a recorded vote of 201 ayes to 229 noes, Roll No. 432);

Pages H6451–62

The Bonior motion that the Committee rise (rejected by a recorded vote of 188 ayes to 231 noes, Roll No. 435)

Pages H6477–79

The Meek amendment to the agreed to Goss amendment that sought to allow continued assistance to Haiti if the President determines that the Haitian government is continuing to make progress in implementing democratic elections (rejected by a recorded vote of 189 ayes to 231 noes, Roll No. 436);

Pages H6468–80, H6483–86

The Volkmer motion that the Committee rise (rejected by a recorded vote of 185 ayes to 236 noes, Roll No. 437);

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The Pelosi amendment to the agreed to Goss amendment that sought to allow contained assistance to Haiti if it is made known to the President that the democratic process is becoming strengthened (rejected by a recorded vote of 186 ayes to 233 noes, Roll No. 440);

Pages H6490–93

The Wise motion that the Committee rise (rejected by a recorded vote of 179 ayes to 236 noes, Roll No. 438);

Pages H6490–91

The Volkmer motion that the Committee rise and report the bill back to the House with the enacting clause stricken (rejected by a recorded vote of 166 ayes to 255 noes, Roll No. 439);

Pages H6491–92

The Traficant amendment that sought to cut 1% from almost all foreign aid programs (rejected by a recorded vote of 139 ayes to 270 noes, Roll No. 442);

Pages H6518–21

The Burton of Indiana amendment, as amended by the Callahan amendment, and then as amended by the Volkmer substitute (substitute agreed to by a recorded vote of 284 ayes to 118 noes, Roll No. 445), that sought to limit the amount of development assistance funds available to the Government of India to \$65 million (rejected by a recorded vote of 191 ayes to 210 noes, Roll No. 446); and

Pages H6539–46

The Wilson substitute to the Menendez amendment was offered, but subsequently withdrawn that sought to reduce the amount of United States assistance to any government that aids in the completion of the construction of the Jurugua nuclear power plant in Cienfuegos, Cuba.

Pages H6464–68

**Meeting Hour:** It was made in order that, when the House adjourns on the legislative day of June 28, it

adjourn to meet at 11:30 a.m. on Thursday, June 29.

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**Amendments Ordered Printed:** Amendments ordered printed pursuant to the rule appear on page H6482.

**Quorum Calls—Votes:** One quorum call (Roll No. 434), three yea-and-nay votes and 19 recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages H6414, H6414–15, H6445, H6446, H6461–62, H6462, H6477–78, H6478–79, H6485–86, H6486, H6490–91, H6492, H6493, H6493–94, H6521, H6535–36, H6538–39, H6545, H6546, H6549–50, H6550–51, H6555, and H6558.

**Adjournment:** Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 9:57 a.m. on Thursday, June 29.

## Committee Meetings

### PERISHABLE AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES ACT

*Committee on Agriculture:* Ordered reported amended H.R. 1103, Perishable Agricultural Commodities Act.

### COMMERCE, JUSTICE, STATE, AND JUDICIARY APPROPRIATIONS

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State, and Judiciary approved for full Committee action appropriations for Commerce, Justice, State, and Judiciary for fiscal year 1996.

### DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA APPROPRIATIONS

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on District of Columbia held a hearing on Privatization and the D.C. Government. Testimony was heard from L. Nye Stevens, Director, Federal Management and Workforce Issues, General Government Division, GAO; Michael C. Rogers, City Administrator, District of Columbia; and John O'Leary, Deputy Director, Reason Foundation Privatization Center.

### TREASURY, POSTAL SERVICE, AND GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Treasury, Postal Service, and General Government approved for full Committee action appropriations for Treasury, Postal Service and General Government for the fiscal year 1996.

### FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REGULATORY RELIEF ACT

*Committee on Banking and Financial Services:* Continued markup of H.R. 1362, Financial Institutions Regulatory Relief Act of 1995.

### OVERSIGHT

*Committee on Commerce:* Subcommittee on Energy and Power held an oversight hearing on High-Level Radioactive Waste Disposal. Testimony was heard from Senators Bryan and Reid; Representatives Ensign and Vucanovich; the following officials of the NRC: Ivan

Selin, Chairman; E. Gail dePlanque and Kenneth C. Rogers, both Commissioners; Daniel A. Dreyfus, Director, Office of Civilian Radioactive Waste Management, Department of Energy; Susan Clark, Commissioner, Public Service Commission, State of Florida; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue June 30.

### TRANSFORMATION OF THE MEDICAID PROGRAM

*Committee on Commerce:* Subcommittee on Health and Environment continued hearings on the Transformation of the Medicaid program. Testimony was heard from Jonathan Ratner, Associate Director, Health financing Issues, GAO; P. William Curreri, M.D., Commissioner, Physician Payment Review Commission; and public witnesses.

### OLDER AMERICAN'S ACT

*Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities:* Subcommittee on Early Childhood, Youth and Families held a hearing on the Older American's Act. Testimony was heard from Representatives Martinez, Morella, Regula, Kennedy of Massachusetts and Wyden; Fernando M. Torres-Gil, Assistant Secretary, Administration on Aging, Department of Health and Human Services; Ed Bill, Office of Services to the Aging, State of Michigan; and public witnesses.

### SAFETY AND HEALTH IMPROVEMENT REFORM ACT

*Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities:* Subcommittee on Workforce Protections continued hearings on H.R. 1834, Safety and Health Improvement Reform Act of 1995. Testimony was heard from Robert Reich, Secretary of Labor; and public witnesses.

### FUNDING CIVIL SERVICE RETIREMENT

*Committee on Government Reform and Oversight:* Subcommittee on Civil Service held a hearing on Funding Civil Service Retirement. Testimony was heard from Representatives Bilirakis, Quillen, and Bateman; James L. Blum, Deputy Director, CBO; William Flynn, Associate Director, OPM; and Johnny Finch, Assistant Comptroller, General Government Division, GAO.

### ILLICIT DRUG AVAILABILITY

*Committee on Government Reform and Oversight:* Subcommittee on National Security, International Affairs, and Criminal Justice concluded hearings on Illicit Drug Availability: Are Interdiction Efforts Hampered by a Lack of Agency Resources? Testimony was heard from George Weise, Commissioner, U.S. Customs Service, Department of the Treasury; and Adm. Robert E. Kramek, USCG, Commandant, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation and U.S. Interdiction Coordinator.

### OVERSIGHT

*Committee on Government Reform and Oversight:* Subcommittee on Postal Service continued oversight

hearings on the U.S. Postal Service. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the U.S. Postal Service: Marvin Runyon, Postmaster General; Michael S. Coughlin, Deputy Postmaster General; and Joseph J. Mahon, Jr., Vice President, Labor Relations.

### OVERSIGHT

*Committee on International Relations:* Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade held an oversight hearing on the U.S. AID Housing Investment Guaranty Program. Testimony was heard from Frank Conahan, Senior Defense and International Affairs Advisor to the Comptroller General, GAO; and David Hale, Deputy Assistant Administrator, AID, U.S. International Development Cooperation Agency.

### ISSUANCE OF SUBPOENAS AND RELATED MATTERS

*Committee on International Relations:* Subcommittee on International Operations and Human Rights met to consider issuance of subpoenas, writs of habeas corpus ad testificandum, and/or other measures to secure the attendance of witnesses.

### STATE TAXATION OF NONRESIDENTS' PENSION INCOME

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Subcommittee on Commercial and Administrative Law held a hearing on state taxation of nonresidents' pension income, including the following bills: H.R. 371, to prohibit a State from imposing an income tax on the pension income of individuals who are not residents or domiciliaries of that State; H.R. 394, to amend title 4 of the United States Code to limit State taxation of certain pension income; and H.R. 744, to limit State taxation of certain pension income. Testimony was heard from Senator Reid; Representatives Vucanovich and Stump; and public witnesses.

### DIGITAL PERFORMANCE RIGHT IN SOUND RECORDINGS ACT

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Subcommittee on Courts and Intellectual Property concluded hearings on H.R. 1506, Digital Performance Right in Sound Recordings Act of 1995. Testimony was heard from Bruce Lehman, Assistant Secretary and Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Patent and Trademark Office, Department of Commerce; Marybeth Peters, Register of Copyrights, U.S. Copyright Office, Library of Congress; and public witnesses.

### UNITED STATES POW/MIAs IN LAOS

*Committee on National Security:* Subcommittee on Military Personnel held a hearing on U.S. POW/MIAs in Laos. Testimony was heard from Kent Wiedemann, Deputy Assistant Secretary, East Asia and Pacific, Department of State; the following officials of the Department of Defense: James W. Wold, Assistant Secretary, POW/MIA Affairs; and Brig. Gen. Charles R. Viale, USA, Commander, Joint Task Force for Full Accounting; and public witnesses.

## CONFERENCE REPORT—CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET

*Committee on Rules:* Granted, by a voice vote, a rule waiving all points of order against the conference report to accompany H. Con. Res. 67, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for the fiscal years 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, and 2002, and its consideration. The rule provides 1 hour of debate. Finally, the rule provides that clarifying procedural language and the correct revenue amounts for reconciliation published in section 2 of the rule shall be effective upon final action on the budget resolution by the Congress. Testimony was heard from Chairman Kasich.

## MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

*Committee on Science:* Ordered reported amended the following bills: H.R. 1815, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration Authorization Act of 1995; H.R. 1175, Marine Resources Revitalization Act of 1995; and H.R. 1601, International Space Station Authorization Act.

The Committee began markup of H.R. 1870, American Technology Advancement Act of 1995.

## RESTRUCTURING THE FEDERAL SCIENTIFIC ESTABLISHMENT

*Committee on Science:* Held a hearing on Restructuring the Federal Scientific Establishment. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

## EMERGENCY SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS

*Committee on Rules:* Granted, by voice vote, a modified closed rule on H.R. 1944, making emergency supplemental appropriations for additional disaster assistance and making rescissions for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1995, providing one hour of general debate to be equally divided between the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations. The rule permits the Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations to offer one amendment, which shall be considered as read and shall not be subject to amendment or division of the question. The rule waives all points of order against the amendment. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit, with or without instructions.

Testimony was heard from Chairman Livingston and Representative Taylor of North Carolina.

## SBA'S LOWDOC LOAN PROGRAM

*Committee on Small Business:* Subcommittee on Government Programs held a hearing on SBA's Low-Documentation (LowDoc) Loan Program. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the SBA: Patricia Forbes, Assistant Deputy Administrator, Economic Development; and John Cox, Associate Administrator, Financial Assistance; and public witnesses.

## PAYROLL TAXES BURDEN ON SMALL BUSINESSES

*Committee on Small Business:* Subcommittee on Taxation and Finance continued hearings on the Burden of Payroll Taxes on Small Businesses, with emphasis on the current dollar burden and impact of payroll taxes on small businesses. Testimony was heard from Mark Iwry, Benefits Tax Counsel, Office of Tax Policy, Department of the Treasury; and public witnesses.

## COMMITTEE BUSINESS

*Committee on Standards of Official Conduct:* Met in executive session to consider pending business.

## Joint Meetings

### IMMIGRATION

*Joint Hearing:* Senate Committee on the Judiciary's Subcommittee on Immigration concluded joint hearings with the House Committee on the Judiciary's Subcommittee on Immigration and Claims to review recommendations for immigration reform in the United States, after receiving testimony from Barbara Jordan, Chair, United States Commission on Immigration Reform.

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## COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 29, 1995

*(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)*

### Senate

*Committee on Armed Services,* closed business meeting, to continue mark up of a proposed National Defense Authorization Act for fiscal year 1996, and to receive a report from the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence on the Intelligence Authorization Act for fiscal year 1996, 9 a.m., SR-222.

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation,* to hold hearings on the nominations of Robert Talcott Francis II, of Massachusetts, and John Goglia, of Massachusetts, each to be a Member of the National Transportation Safety Board, and Robert Clarke Brown, of New York, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority, 9:30 a.m., SR-253.

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources,* to hold oversight hearings with the Committee on Environment and Public Works, on energy and environmental implications of the Komi oil spills in the former Soviet Union, 10 a.m., SD-366.

Subcommittee on Parks, Historic Preservation and Recreation, to hold hearings on S. 594, to provide for the administration of certain Presidio properties at minimal cost to the Federal taxpayer, 2 p.m., SD-366.

*Committee on Environment and Public Works,* to hold oversight hearings with the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, on energy and environmental implications of the Komi oil spills in the former Soviet Union, 10 a.m., SD-366.

Subcommittee on Clean Air, Wetlands, Private Property, and Nuclear Safety, to hold oversight hearings on

the Clean Air Act's inspection and maintenance program, 2 p.m., SD-406.

*Committee on Finance*, to continue hearings to examine ways to control the cost of the Medicaid program, focusing on the program's historical perspective, 9:30 a.m., SD-215.

*Committee on Foreign Relations*, to hold hearings on the nominations of John Todd Stewart, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Moldova, Michael William Cotter, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Turkmenistan, A. Elizabeth Jones, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Kazakhstan, Victor Jackovich, of Iowa, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Slovenia, and John K. Menzies, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina, 9:30 a.m., SD-419.

*Committee on Governmental Affairs*, Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, to hold hearings to review the friendly fire incident during the Persian Gulf War, 10 a.m., SD-342.

*Committee on the Judiciary*, business meeting, to consider pending calendar business, 9:15 a.m., SD-226.

*Committee on Labor and Human Resources*, Subcommittee on Aging, to hold hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for programs of the Older Americans Act, 9:30 a.m., SD-430.

## NOTICE

For a listing of Senate Committee Meetings scheduled ahead, see page E1360 in Wednesday's RECORD June 28.

## House

*Committee on Commerce*, Subcommittee on Health and Environment, to continue hearings on H.R. 1627, Food Quality Protection Act of 1995, 1:30 p.m., 2322 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, to continue hearings on the Implementation and Enforcement of the Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990, 10 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

*Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities*, hearing on Departmental Reorganization, 10 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

*Committee on Government Reform and Oversight*, and the Subcommittee on Government Management, Information, and Technology, joint hearing on Investment Budgeting in Other Countries, State and local Governments, 10 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Human Resources and Intergovernmental Relations, to continue oversight hearings on delays in the FDA's Food Additive Petitions and GRAS Affirmation Process, 2 p.m., 2247 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on National Economic Growth, Natural Resources, and Regulatory Affairs, hearing on Political Advocacy with Taxpayers Dollars, 2 p.m., 2154 Rayburn.

*Committee on International Relations*, hearing on International Terrorism, 10 a.m., and to mark up the following: H.R. 927, Cuban Liberty and Democratic Solidarity Act of 1995; and H.J. Res. 83, relating to the United States-North Korea Agreed Framework and the obligations of North Korea under that and previous agreements with respect to the denuclearization of the Korean Peninsular and dialog with the Republic of Korea, 2 p.m., 2172 Rayburn.

*Committee on the Judiciary*, Subcommittee on Commercial and Administrative Law, hearing on H.R. 1047, Voluntary Environmental Self-Evaluation Act, 10 a.m., 2237 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Crime, hearing on Cocaine and Federal Sentencing Policy, 9:30 a.m., 2226 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Immigration and Claims, hearing on H.R. 1915, Immigration in the National Interest Act of 1995, 9:30 a.m., 2141 Rayburn.

*Committee on Resources*, Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests and Lands, hearing on legislation regarding Utah Wilderness, 10 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

*Committee on Science*, to continue hearings on Restructuring the Federal Scientific Establishment, 9:30 a.m., and to mark up pending business, 12 p.m., 2318 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Technology, hearing on Effective Standards on International Competition, 9:30 a.m., 2325 Rayburn.

*Committee on Small Business*, hearing on H.R. 1670, Federal Acquisition Reform Act of 1995, 10 a.m., 2359 Rayburn.

*Committee on Standards of Official Conduct*, executive, to consider pending business, 11 a.m., HT-2M Capitol.

*Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure*, Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Maritime Transportation, hearing on the Privatization of Coast Guard Vessel Traffic Service Systems, 10 a.m., 2167 Rayburn.

*Committee on Veterans' Affairs*, Subcommittee on Education, Training, Employment and Housing, oversight hearing on the Veterans Employment Training Service reorganization, implementation of the Uniformed Services Employment and Reemployment Act and One-Stop Employment Centers, 9:30 a.m., 334 Cannon.

*Next Meeting of the SENATE*

9 a.m., Thursday, June 29

## Senate Chamber

**Program for Thursday:** After the recognition of four Senators for speeches and the transaction of any morning business (not to extend beyond 10:30 a.m.), Senate will resume consideration of S. 343, Comprehensive Regulatory Reform Act.

*Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES*

11:30 a.m., Thursday, June 29

## House Chamber

**Program for Thursday:** Consideration of conference report on H. Con. Res. 67, Concurrent Resolution on the Budget (rule waiving all points of order);

Consideration of H.R. 1944, 1995 Rescission and Disaster Supplemental appropriations (rule providing for consideration in the House); and

Possible consideration of the conference report on H.R. 483, to extend Medicare Select.



# Congressional Record

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