

Kahanovitz, Center for Patient Advocacy, Arlington, Virginia; and Seth Rudnick, Leukemia Society of America, Providence, Rhode Island; and on Thursday from Senator Mack; William B. Schultz, Deputy Commissioner for Policy, Food and Drug Administration, Department of Health and Human Services; Gregory Reaman, Children's National Medical Center, Bernard Gersch, American Heart Association, Val D. Bias, National Hemophilia Foundation, Thomas J. Moore, George Washington University, and Raymond L. Woosley and Frederick Goodwin, both of the Georgetown University Medical Center, all of Washington, D.C.; Bruce Chabner, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston; and Paul Stolley, University of Maryland School of Medicine, Baltimore.

WORLDWIDE SECURITY THREAT

Select Committee on Intelligence: On Thursday, February 22, committee concluded hearings to examine the threat to worldwide security, after receiving testimony from John M. Deutch, Director of Central Intelligence; Tobi Trister Gati, Assistant Secretary of State for Intelligence and Research; and Lt. Gen. Patrick Hughes, Director of the Defense Intelligence Agency.

WHITEWATER

Special Committee to Investigate the Whitewater Development Corporation and Related Matters: On Thursday, February 22, committee resumed hearings to examine issues relative to the Whitewater Development Corporation, receiving testimony from Harold Ickes, Deputy Chief of White House Staff.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, February 28.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 5 public bills, H.R. 2967–2971; and 1 resolution, H. Res. 364 were introduced.

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from Speaker pro tempore Morella wherein she designates Representative Davis to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Presidential Message—National Endowment for Democracy: Read a message from the President wherein he transmits the 12th Annual Report of the National Endowment for Democracy for 1995—referred to the Committee on International Relations.

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Meeting Hour: It was made in order that, when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 12:30 p.m. on Tuesday, February 27, for morning hour debates.

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

Adjournment: Met at 11 a.m. and adjourned at 11:04 a.m.

Committee Meetings

MEDICAID—BIPARTISAN NATIONAL GOVERNORS' ASSOCIATION AGREEMENT

Committee on Commerce: On February 21, the Committee held a hearing on the Unanimous Bipartisan National Governors' Association Agreement on Medicaid. Testimony was heard from the following Governors: John M. Engler, Michigan; Lawton Chiles, Florida; Michael O. Leavitt, Utah; Bob Miller, Nevada; Tommy G. Thompson, Wisconsin; and Roy Romer, Colorado.

OVERSIGHT—DC WATER AND SEWER SYSTEMS

Committee on Government Reform and Oversight: Subcommittee on the District of Columbia held an oversight hearing on the Water and Sewer Systems of the District of Columbia. Testimony was heard from Michael McCabe, Director, Region III, EPA; Tom Jacobus, Chief, Washington Aqueduct, Corps of Engineers, Department of the Army; Larry King, Director, Department of Public Works, District of Columbia; and public witnesses.

LOCAL EMPOWERMENT AND FLEXIBILITY ACT

Committee on Government Reform and Oversight: On February 22, the Subcommittee on Human Resources and Intergovernmental Relations held a hearing on H.R. 2086, Local Empowerment and Flexibility Act of 1995. Testimony was heard from Representative