

Barry M. Goldwater, Sr. of Arizona, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Communications Satellite Corporation until the date of the annual meeting of the Corporation in 1998.

Peter S. Knight, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Communications Satellite Corporation until the date of the annual meeting of the Corporation in 1999.

Richard L. Morningstar, of Massachusetts, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as Special Advisor to the President and to the Secretary of State on Assistance to the New Independent States (NIS) of the Former Soviet Union and Coordinator of NIS Assistance.

Robert B. Rogers, of Missouri, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for National and Community Service for a term of three years.

Elmer B. Staats, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the Harry S Truman Scholarship Foundation for a term expiring December 10, 2001.

Toni G. Fay, of New Jersey, to be a Member of the National Institute Literacy Advisory Board for a term expiring October 12, 1998.

Audrey Tayse Haynes, of Kentucky, to be a Member of the National Institute for Literacy Advisory Board for a term expiring October 13, 1998.

Mark Edwin Emblidge, of Virginia, to be a Member of the National Institute for Literacy Advisory Board for a term expiring September 22, 1998.

Mary Dodd Greene, of Texas, to be a Member of the National Institute for Literacy Advisory Board for a term expiring October 12, 1998.

Alberta Sebolt George, of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the National Museum Services Board for a term expiring December 6, 1998.

David A. Ucko, of Missouri, to be a Member of the National Museum Services Board for a term expiring December 6, 1999.

Robert E. Anderson, of Minnesota, to be a Member of the Board of Regents of the Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences for a term expiring June 20, 2001.

Lonnie R. Bristow, of California, to be a Member of the Board of Regents of the Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences for a term expiring June 20, 2001.

Shirley Ledbetter Jones, of Arkansas, to be a Member of the Board of Regents of the Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences for a term expiring May 1, 2001.

Dane Farnsworth Smith, Jr., of New Mexico, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Senegal.

George F. Ward, Jr., of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Namibia.

Sharon P. Wilkinson, of New York, to be Ambassador to Burkina Faso.

Kenneth C. Brill, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Cyprus.

Day Olin Mount, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Iceland.

James E. Hall, of Tennessee, to be Chairman of the National Transportation Safety Board for a term of two years.

Charles O. Cecil, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Niger.

David C. Halsted, of Vermont, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Chad.

Prudence Bushnell, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Kenya.

Morris N. Hughes, Jr., of Nebraska, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Burundi.

Hubert T. Bell, Jr., of Alabama, to be Inspector General, Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

Routine lists in the Coast Guard.

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Adjournment: Senate convened at 9 a.m., and adjourned at 7:57 p.m., until 11:30 a.m., on Wednesday, June 12, 1996. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on pages S6110–11.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

APPROPRIATIONS—HUD

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA, HUD, and Independent Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1997 for the Department of Housing and Urban Development, receiving testimony from Henry G. Cisneros, Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Gen. John H. Tilelli,

Jr., USA, for reappointment to the grade of general and to be Commander-in-Chief, United Nations Command/Combined Forces Command/United States Forces, Korea, Lt. Gen. Wesley K. Clark, USA, for promotion to the grade of general and to be Commander-in-Chief, United States Southern Command, and Lt. Gen. Walter Kross, USAF, for promotion to the grade of general and to be Commander-in-Chief, United States Transportation Command, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

LIVESTOCK MARKETS

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded hearings to examine the condition of livestock markets, focusing on recent reports issued by the Department of Agriculture meatpacker concentration Advisory Committee, and proposed legislation to permit the interstate distribution of State-inspected meat and poultry products, after receiving testimony from Senator Thomas; Leonard W. Condon, Deputy Assistant United States Trade Representative for Agricultural Affairs; Willard K. Tom, Assistant Director for Policy and Evaluation, Federal Trade Commission; David Turetsky, Deputy Assistant Attorney General for Anti-Trust, Department of Justice; Dean Anderson, South Dakota Secretary of Agriculture, Pierre; Keith Bales, Montana Stockgrowers Association, Helena; Jay Patrick Boyle, American Meat Institute, Arlington, Virginia; Dick Kjerstead, South Dakota Farm Bureau Federation, Quinn; and Lois Wales, National Farmer's Union, Dimmitt, Texas.

ALASKA LAND BILLS

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee concluded hearings on the following bills:

S. 1010, to amend the "unit of general local government" definition for Federal payments in lieu of taxes to include unorganized boroughs in Alaska, after receiving testimony from Senator Stevens; and Gwen Mason, Assistant Director, External Affairs, Bureau of Land Management, Department of the Interior;

S. 1187, to convey certain real property located in Tongass National Forest to Daniel J. Gross, Sr., and Douglas K. Gross, after receiving testimony from Gray Reynolds, Deputy Chief, National Forest System, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture; and

S. 1807, to convey Federal land in the Tongass National Forest to the Kake Tribal Corporation in exchange for the Corporation's surface interests in certain land within the township of Kake, after receiving testimony from Mr. Reynolds (listed above); Gordon Jackson and Thomas Findley, both on behalf of the Kake Tribal Corporation, Kake, Alaska; and

Julie Kitka, Alaska Federation of Natives, Anchorage.

SALMON RECOVERY

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Drinking Water, Fisheries, and Wildlife concluded oversight hearings on implementation of salmon and steelhead recovery efforts in the Pacific Northwest, focusing on the installation of the surface collector by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers at Lower Granite Dam, after receiving testimony from William Stelle, Jr., Director, Northwest Region, National Marine Fisheries Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, Department of Commerce; Maj. Gen. Russell L. Fuhrman, Commander, North Pacific Division, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers; and Mitch Sanchotena, Idaho Steelhead and Salmon Unlimited, Richard N. Williams, on behalf of the Independent Scientific Advisory Board, Mike Field, Northwest Power Planning Council, and Donald W. Chapman, all of Boise, Idaho.

OLYMPICS SECURITY

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings to examine the threat terrorism poses to the Olympics and steps taken by Federal law enforcement and military officials to maximize security at the upcoming Olympic games, after receiving testimony from Senator McCain; Robert M. Blitzer, Chief, Domestic Terrorism/Counterterrorism Section, National Security Division, Federal Bureau of Investigation, and J. Gilmore Childers, Special Counsel for Olympics, both of the Department of Justice; Gen. John H. Tilelli, Jr., USA, Commanding General, United States Army Forces Command (Ft. McPherson, Georgia); and Ariel Merari, Tel Aviv University, Israel.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Constitution, Federalism, and Property Rights began consideration S.J. Res. 8, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to prohibit retroactive increases in taxes, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again on Thursday, June 13.

INDIAN TRUST FUNDS MANAGEMENT

Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee held oversight hearings on the Department of the Interior's management of Indian trust funds, focusing on the Department's efforts to reconcile Indian trust fund accounts and implement management improvements, receiving testimony from Paul M. Homan, Special Trustee for American Indians, Ed Cohen, Deputy Solicitor, and Joe Christie, Director, Reconciliation

Project, Bureau of Indian Affairs, all of the Department of the Interior; Jim Simon, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice; Linda M. Calbom, Director, and Gayle Fischer, Assistant Director, both of Civil Audits, Accounting and Information Management Division, and Tom Armstrong, Counsel, all of the General Accounting Office; Eric Davenport, Intertribal Monitoring Association on Indian Trust Funds, Juneau, Alaska; and Ivan Makil, Salt River Pima Maricopa Indian Community, Scottsdale, Arizona.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

AUTHORIZATION—DOD

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee ordered favorably reported, with amendments, S. 1745, to au-

thorize funds for fiscal year 1997 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, and to prescribe personnel strengths for such fiscal year for the Armed Forces.

WHITEWATER

Special Committee to Investigate the Whitewater Development Corporation and Related Matters: Committee failed to agree to a committee resolution to grant immunity to David Hale, relative to the committee's investigation of certain matters with regard to the Whitewater Development Corporation.

Committee recessed subject to call.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 6 public bills, H.R. 3611–3616; and 1 resolution, H. Con. Res. 183, were introduced.

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Reports Filed: One report was filed as follows:

H.R. 3610, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997 (H. Rept. 104–617).

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Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative Shaw to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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Recess: The House recessed at 9:45 a.m. and reconvened at 10 a.m.

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Journal: By a yea-and-nay vote of 347 yeas to 50 nays, Roll No. 225, the House agreed to the Speaker's approval of the Journal of Monday, June 10.

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Committees to Sit: The following committees and their subcommittees received permission to sit today during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule. Committees on Agriculture, Banking and Financial Services, Commerce, Economic and Educational Opportunities, Government Reform and Oversight, International Relations, Judiciary, Resources, Transportation and Infrastructure, Veterans' Affairs, and Select Intelligence.

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Corrections Calendar: On the call of the Corrections Calendar, the House passed H.R. 2909, to amend the Silvio O. Conte National Fish and Wildlife Refuge Act to provide that the Secretary of the Interior may acquire lands for purposes of that Act

only by donation or exchange, or otherwise with the consent of the owner of the lands.

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By unanimous consent agreed to the Saxton amendment that makes a technical correction to the short title; and

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By unanimous consent agreed to the Gejdenson amendment that limits the land acquisition provision to New Hampshire and Vermont.

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Health Insurance Coverage: House disagreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 3103, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to improve portability and continuity of health insurance coverage in the group and individual markets, to combat waste, fraud, and abuse in health insurance and health care delivery, to promote the use of medical savings accounts, to improve access to long-term care services and coverage, and to simplify the administration of health insurance, and agreed to a conference. Appointed as conferees: Representatives Archer, Thomas, Bliley, Bilirakis, Goodling, Fawell, Hyde, McColm, Hastert, Gibbons, Stark, Dingell, Waxman, Clay, Conyers, and Bonior.

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Rejected the Dingell motion to instruct conferees to recede to the Senate amendment except with respect to section 305 of the Senate amendment; and with respect to section (A) to consider whether the enactment of such section would result in an increase in premiums for private health plans and (B) if so, to provide for concurring with such section with an amendment that adjusts such section to provide for the maximum coverage of mental health services