

lands within the headwaters of the Upper Alamo Watershed which drain into the Monument and which are not currently within the jurisdiction of a Federal land management agency, to authorize purchase or donation of those lands, by voice vote—clearing the measure for the President.

Pages H11669–70

Earlier, H. Res. 604, the rule that provided for consideration of both S. 1132 and S. 2133, was agreed to by a yea and nay vote of 229 yeas to 189 nays, Roll No. 537.

Pages H11553–58, H11591–92

International Anti-Bribery: The House disagreed to Senate amendments nos. 2 through 6 and agreed to Senate amendment no. 1 with an amendment to S. 2375, to amend the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Foreign Corrupt Practices Act of 1977, to strengthen prohibitions on international bribery and other corrupt practices.

Pages H11670–72

Government Programs Waste Reduction: The House passed H.R. 4857, to reduce waste, fraud, and error in Government programs by making improvements with respect to Federal management and debt collection practices, Federal payment systems, Federal benefit programs. Agreed to the Davis of Virginia amendment in the nature of a substitute.

Pages H11672–79

Technology Transfer Commercialization: The House passed H.R. 4859, to improve the ability of Federal agencies to license federally owned inventions.

Pages H11679–81

Lewis and Clark Expedition Bicentennial Commemorative Coin: The House agreed to the Senate amendment with an amendment to H.R. 1560, to require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint coins in commemoration of the bicentennial of the Lewis & Clark Expedition.

Pages H11681–82

Designation of Speaker Pro Tempore: Read and accepted a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Morella to act as Speaker pro tempore to sign enrolled bills and joint resolutions through the end of the Second Session of the One Hundred Fifth Congress.

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Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of October 21.

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Regarding the Sale or Diversion of Great Lakes Water: The House agreed to H. Res. 566, expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the President and the Senate should take the necessary actions to prevent the sale or diversion of

Great Lakes water to foreign countries, business, corporations, and individuals until procedures are established to guarantee that any such sale is fully negotiated between and approved by the governments concerned.

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Africa: Seeds of Hope: The House agreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 4283, to support sustainable and broad-based agricultural and rural development in sub-Saharan Africa—clearing the measure for the President.

Pages H11682–85

Regarding the Bushehr Nuclear Power Plant: The House passed H.R. 4851, to withhold voluntary proportional assistance for programs and projects of the International Atomic Energy Agency relating to the development and completion of the Bushehr nuclear power plant in Iran.

Pages H11685–87

Regarding the People of the Republic of Mozambique: The House agreed to H. Res. 610, expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the people of the Republic of Mozambique are to be commended for their commitment to rebuilding their nation after years of civil war, their willingness to live together harmoniously despite sharp political differences, and their ability to overcome poverty, health crises, and refugee outflows to build a growing economy and a positive future for their country.

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Senate Messages: Messages received from the Senate today appear on pages H11553 and H11592.

Quorum Calls—Votes: Three yea and nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today, and appear on pages H11591, H11591–92, and H11668–69. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 12:30 p.m. and adjourned at 8:55 p.m.

Committee Meetings

CONFERENCE REPORT—TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS (OMNIBUS APPROPRIATIONS)

Committee on Rules: Granted, by voice vote, a rule waiving all points of order against the conference report to accompany H.R. 4328, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and against its consideration. The rule provides that the conference report shall be considered as read. Testimony was heard from Chairman Livingston and Representative Obey.

NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D1179)

H.J. Res. 136, making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1999. Signed October 16, 1998. (P.L. 105-260)

H.R. 3616, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1999 for military activities of the Department of Defense, and to prescribe military personnel strengths for fiscal year 1999. Signed October 17, 1998. (P.L. 105-261)

H.R. 4103, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999. Signed October 17, 1998. (P.L. 105-262)

**COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 21, 1998**

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

No meetings are scheduled.

House

Select Committee on U.S. National Security and Military/Commercial Concerns with the People's Republic of China, executive, to consider pending business, 1 p.m., H-405 Capitol.