

Monday, June 7, 1999

Daily Digest

HIGHLIGHTS

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Two bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: Introduced on June 2, 1999: S. 1186; Introduced today: S. 1187, S.J. Res. 27–28, and S. Con. Res. 37. **Page S6466**

Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows: Reported on Wednesday, June 2, during the adjournment:

S. 1186, making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000. (S. Rept. No. 106–58)

S. 415, to protect the permanent trust funds of the State of Arizona from erosion due to inflation and modify the basis on which distributions are made from those funds. (S. Rept. No. 106–59)

S. 416, to direct the Secretary of Agriculture to convey the city of Sisters, Oregon, a certain parcel of land for use in connection with a sewage treatment facility, without recommendation, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 106–60)

S. 744, to provide for the continuation of higher education through the conveyance of certain public lands in the State of Alaska to the University of Alaska, with an amendment. (S. Rept. No. 106–61)

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Reported today:

S. 109, to improve protection and management of the Chattahoochee River National Recreation Area in the State of Georgia, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 106–62)

S. 441, to amend the National Trails System Act to designate the route of the War of 1812 British invasion of Maryland and Washington, District of Columbia, and the route of the American defense, for study for potential addition to the national trails system, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 106–63)

S. 548, to establish the Fallen Timbers Battlefield and Fort Miamis National Historical Site in the State of Ohio, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 106–64)

S. 700, to amend the National Trails System Act to designate the Ala Kahakai Trail as a National Historic Trail, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 106–65)

S. 776, to authorize the National Park Service to conduct a feasibility study for the preservation of the Loess Hills in western Iowa, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 106–66)

H.R. 154, to provide for the collection of fees for the making of motion pictures, television productions, and sound tracks in National Park System and National Wildlife Refuge System units, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 106–67)

H.R. 449, to authorize the Gateway Visitor Center at Independence National Historical Park. (S. Rept. No. 106–68)

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Department of Defense Appropriations, 2000: Senate began consideration of S. 1122, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000, taking action on the following amendment proposed thereto:

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Pending:

Stevens (for Grassley) Amendment No. 540, to reduce to \$500,000 the threshold amount for the applicability of the requirement for advance matching of Department of Defense disbursements to particular obligations.

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill, the pending amendment, and amendments to be proposed thereto, on Tuesday, June 8, 1999, with a vote to occur on the pending amendment at 9:45 a.m.

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Y2K Act—Cloture Motion Filed: A motion was entered to close further debate on the motion to proceed to the consideration of S. 96, to regulate commerce between and among the several States by providing for the orderly resolution of disputes arising out of computer-based problems related to processing data that includes a 2-digit expression of that year's date and, in accordance with the provisions of Rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate, a vote on the cloture motion will occur on Wednesday, June 9, 1999. Pages S6461–62

Subsequently, the motion to proceed was withdrawn. Page S6462

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Armando Falcon, Jr., of Texas, to be Director of the Office of Federal Housing Enterprise Oversight, Department of Housing and Urban Development, for a term of five years.

Robert Z. Lawrence, of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the Council of Economic Advisers.

Lawrence H. Summers, of Maryland, to be Secretary of the Treasury.

David H. Kaeuper, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Congo.

Michael D. Metelits, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Cape Verde.

Christopher C. Gallagher, of New Hampshire, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Corporation for National and Community Service for a term expiring October 6, 2003.

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Text of S. 704 and S. 1059–1062, as previously passed: Pages S6471–S6642

Recess: Senate convened at 12 noon, and recessed at 4:52 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Tuesday, June 8, 1999. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S6642.)

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

Filed on May 28, H.R. 1000, to amend title 49, United States Code, to reauthorize programs of the Federal Aviation Administration, with an amendment (H. Rept. 106–167 Pt. 1);

H.R. 1074, to provide governmentwide accounting of regulatory costs and benefits, amended (H. Rept. 106–168);

H.R. 206, to provide for greater access to child care services for Federal employees (H. Rept. 106–169);

Making the Federal Government Accountable: enforcing the Mandate for Effective Financial Management (H. Rept. 106–170);

H. Con. Res. 91, Authorizing the use of the Capitol Grounds for a clinic to be conducted by the United States Luge Association (H. Rept. 106–171);

H. Con. Res. 105, Authorizing the Law Enforcement Torch Run for the 1999 Special Olympics World Games to be run through the Capitol Grounds (H. Rept. 106–172); and

H.R. 898, Designating certain land in the San Isabel National Forest in the State of Colorado as the 'Spanish Peaks Wilderness' (H. Rept. 106–173).

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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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Journal Vote: Agreed to the Speaker's approval of the Journal of Thursday, May 27, by a yea and nay vote of 325 yeas to 42 nays with 3 voting "present", Roll No. 167.

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Recess: The House recessed at 12:42 p.m. and reconvened at 2:00 p.m.

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Canada-United States Interparliamentary Group: The Chair announced the Speaker's appointment of Representative Gilman as Vice Chairman, and Representatives Oberstar, Shaw, Lipinski, Slaughter, Upton, Stearns, Peterson of Minnesota, Danner, Manzullo, and English to the Canada-United States Interparliamentary Group. Page H3715

Twenty-First Century Workforce Commission: The Chair announced the Speaker's appointment, upon the recommendation of the Minority Leader, of Mr. David L. Stewart of St. Louis, Missouri to the Twenty-First Century Workforce Commission.

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Recess: The House recessed at 2:35 p.m. and reconvened at 6:02 p.m.

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Suspensions: The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Miscellaneous Trade and Technical Corrections Act: Agreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 435, to make miscellaneous and technical changes to various trade laws (agreed to by a yea and nay vote of 375 yeas to 1 nay, Roll No. 168)—clearing the measure for the President; and

Pages H3716-37, H3740-41

Jennifer's Law: H.R. 1915, to provide grants to the States to improve the reporting of unidentified and missing persons (passed by a yea and nay vote of 370 yeas to 4 nays, Roll No. 169).

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Regents of the Smithsonian Institution: The Chair announced the Speaker's appointment of Representative Matsui to the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.

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Senate Messages: Messages received from the Senate today and on June 1 appear on page H3713.

Amendments Ordered Printed: Amendments ordered printed pursuant to the rule appear on pages H3765-66.

Referrals: S. 704 was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Three yea and nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages H3740, H3740-41, and H3741-42. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 12:30 p.m. and adjourned at 9:32 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No Committee meetings were held.

NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D586)

H.R. 1034, to declare a portion of the James River and Kanawha Canal in Richmond, Virginia, to be nonnavigable waters of the United States for purposes of title 46, United States Code, and the other maritime laws of the United States. Signed June 1, 1999. (P.L. 106-32)

CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

Week of June 8 through June 12, 1999

Senate Chamber

On *Tuesday*, Senate will continue consideration of S. 1122, Department of Defense Appropriations, 2000.

On *Wednesday*, Senate will vote on a motion to close further debate on the motion to proceed to the consideration of S. 96, Y2K Act.

During the balance of the week, Senate expects to complete consideration of S. 1122, Department of Defense Appropriations, and to consider the proposed Lock-Box legislation, and any other cleared legislative and executive business.

(On *Tuesday*, Senate will recess from 12:30 p.m. until 2:15 p.m., for their respective party conferences.)

Senate Committees

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Committee on Appropriations: June 9, Subcommittee on District of Columbia, to hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2000 for the government of the District of Columbia, 9:30 a.m., SD-192.

June 9, Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State, and the Judiciary, business meeting to mark up proposed legislation making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce, Justice and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, 2 p.m., S-146, Capitol.

June 10, Full Committee, business meeting to mark up proposed legislation making appropriations for military construction, family housing, and base realignment and closure for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, proposed legislation making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and proposed legislation making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies for fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, 3 p.m., SD-106.

Committee on Armed Services: June 8, to hold hearings on the nominations of General Eric K. Shinseki, USA, for reappointment to the grade and for appointment as Chief of Staff, United States Army, and Lieutenant General James L. Jones, Jr., USMC, to be general and for appointment as Commandant of the Marine Corps, 10 a.m., SH-216.

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: June 9, to hold hearings on issues relating to financial privacy, 10 a.m., SD-538.

June 10, Full Committee, to hold oversight hearings on export control issues in the Cox Report, 10 a.m., SD-538.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: June 9, to hold hearings on S. 837, to enable drivers to choose a more affordable form of auto insurance that also provides for more adequate and timely compensation for accident victims, 9:30 a.m., SR-253.

June 10, Full Committee, to hold hearings on S. 798, to promote electronic commerce by encouraging and facilitating the use of encryption in interstate commerce consistent with the protection of national security, 9:30 a.m., SR-253.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: June 9, Subcommittee on Water and Power, to hold oversight hearings on the process to determine the future of the four lower Snake River dams and conduct oversight on the Northwest Power Planning Council's Framework Process, 2 p.m., SD-366.

June 10, Full Committee, to hold oversight hearings on the report of the National Recreation Lakes Study Commission, 9:30 a.m., SD-366.

Committee on Environment and Public Works: June 9, Subcommittee on Transportation and Infrastructure, to resume hearings on the implementation of the Transportation Equity Act for the 21st century, 9:30 a.m., SD-406.

Committee on Finance: June 9, to hold oversight hearings to examine risk adjustment methodology and other implementation issues relating to Medicare+Choice, 10 a.m., SD-215.

June 10, Full Committee, to hold hearings on the impact of the Balanced Budget Act provisions on the Medicare Fee-for-Service program, 10 a.m., SD-215.

Committee on Foreign Relations: June 8, Subcommittee on African Affairs, to hold hearings to examine the Central African Wars and the future of United States-Africa policy, 2:15 p.m., SD-562.

June 9, Full Committee, to hold hearings on the nomination of Donald Keith Bandler, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Cyprus; the nomination of M. Michael Einik, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia; the nomination of Donald W. Keyser, of Virginia, for Rank of Ambassador during tenure of service as Special Representative of the Secretary of State for Nagorno-Karabakh and New Independent States Regional Conflicts; the nomination of Joseph Limprecht, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Albania; the nomination of Richard L. Morningstar, of Massachusetts, to be the Representative of the United States of America to the European Union; the nomination of Larry C. Napper, of Texas, for Rank of Ambassador during tenure of service as Coordinator of the Support for East European Democracy (SEED) Program; and the nomination of Thomas J. Miller, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Bosnia and Herzegovina, 10 a.m., SD-562.

June 9, Full Committee, to hold hearings on the nomination of Gwen C. Clare, of South Carolina, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Ecuador; the nomination of Oliver P. Garza, of Texas, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Nicaragua; the nomination of Frank Almaguer, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Honduras; the nomination of John R. Hamilton, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Peru; and the nomination of Prudence Bushnell, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Guatemala, 3 p.m., SD-562.

June 10, Subcommittee on Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs, to hold hearings to examine the United States policy towards Iraq, 10 a.m., SD-562.

Committee on Governmental Affairs: June 9, to resume closed oversight hearings on the national security methods and processes relating to the Wen-Ho Lee espionage investigation, 10 a.m., S-407, Capitol.

June 10, Full Committee, to hold hearings on dual use and munitions list export control processes and implementation at the Department of Energy, 10 a.m., SD-342.

June 10, Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations, to hold hearings to examine the impact of the new Medicare Interim Payment System on certain home health agencies, 2 p.m., SD-342.

Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions: June 10, to resume hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for programs of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act, focusing on serving special populations, 10 a.m., SD-628.

Committee on Indian Affairs: June 9, to hold oversight hearings on internet gambling, 9:30 a.m., SR-485.

Committee on the Judiciary: June 8, to hold closed oversight hearings on activities of the Department of Justice, 10 a.m., S-407, Capitol.

June 10, Full Committee, business meeting to mark up S. 467, to restate and improve section 7A of the Clayton Act; S. 606, for the relief of Global Exploration and Development Corporation, Kerr-Mcgee Corporation, and Kerr-Mcgee Chemical, LLC (successor to Kerr-McGee Chemical Corporation); S. 692, to prohibit Internet gambling; S. Res. 98, designating the week beginning October 17, 1999, and the week beginning October 15, 2000, as "National Character Counts Week"; and S.J. Res. 21, to designate September 29, 1999, as "Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States Day", 10 a.m., SD-226.

June 10, Subcommittee on Antitrust, Business Rights, and Competition, to hold hearings on the competitive implications of the proposed Goodrich/Coltec merger, 2 p.m., SD-226.

Committee on Small Business: June 9, business meeting to mark up S. 918, to authorize the Small Business Administration to provide financial and business development assistance to military reservists' small business, 9:30 a.m., SR-428A.

Committee on Veterans Affairs: June 8, to hold hearings on the nomination of Kenneth W. Kizer, of California, to be Under Secretary of Health of the Department of Veterans Affairs; and the nomination of John T. Hanson, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Veterans Affairs (Public and Intergovernmental Affairs), 2:15 p.m., SR-418.

Special Committee on the Year 2000 Technology Problem: June 9, to hold hearings to examine Y2K compliance issues within the health care industry, 9:30 a.m., SD-138.

House Committees

Committee on Agriculture, June 8, Subcommittee on Risk Management, Research, and Specialty Crops, to continue

hearings on the Commodity Futures Trading Commission Reauthorization, 1 p.m., 1300 Longworth.

June 9, full Committee, hearing to review economic sanctions and the effect on U.S. agriculture, 10 a.m., 1300 Longworth.

Committee on Appropriations, June 8, to mark up the Transportation appropriations for fiscal year 2000, 10 a.m., 2359 Rayburn.

Committee on Banking and Financial Services, June 10, hearing on Russia Economic Turmoil, 10 a.m., 2128 Rayburn.

Committee on the Budget, June 8, Social Security Task Force, hearing on the Social Security Trust Fund: Myth and Reality, 12 p.m., 210 Cannon.

Committee on Commerce, June 8, Subcommittee on Energy and Power, hearing on the Kansas *Ad Valorem* Tax Refund, 10 a.m., 2322 Rayburn.

June 9, Subcommittee on Health and Environment, hearing on Battling Drug Addiction: Barriers to Medical Treatments, 1 p.m., 2322 Rayburn.

June 9, Subcommittee on Telecommunications, Trade, and Consumer Protection, hearing on H.R. 1714, Electronic Signatures in Global and National Commerce Act, 10 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

Committee on Education and the Workforce, June 9, Subcommittee on Early Childhood, Youth, and Families, hearing on Academic Accountability, 10:30 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

June 10, full Committee, hearing on Key Issues in the Authorization of Title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act, 9:30 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

June 11, Subcommittee on Employer-Employee Relations, hearing on the Relationship Between Health Care Costs and America's Uninsured, 9:30 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

Committee on Government Reform, June 9, Subcommittee on Census, hearing on Oversight of the 2000 Census: Examining the Bureau's Policy to Count Prisoners, Military Personnel, and Americans Residing Overseas, 10 a.m., 2247 Rayburn.

June 9, Subcommittee on Government Management, Information, and Technology, hearing on Geographical Information Systems Policies and Programs, 1 p.m., 2154 Rayburn.

June 9, Subcommittee on National Security, Veterans Affairs, and International Relations, hearing on Outreach to Veterans at Risk for Hepatitis C Infection, 10 a.m., 2203 Rayburn.

June 10, full Committee, hearing on the Role of Early Detection and Complementary and Alternative Medicine in Women's Cancers, 10:30 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

Committee on International Relations, June 8, hearing on Developments in the Middle East, 10 a.m., 2172 Rayburn.

June 9, hearing on Assisting Russia: What Have We Achieved After Seven Years? 10 a.m., 2172 Rayburn.

June 9, Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade, hearing on Evaluating the International Trade Administration and the Trade and Development Agency, 1:30 p.m., 2255 Rayburn.

Committee on the Judiciary, June 8, Subcommittee on the Constitution, to mark up H.R. 1218, Child Custody Protection Act, 10 a.m., 2237 Rayburn.

June 11, Subcommittee on Commercial and Administrative Law, hearing on the reauthorization of the Independent Counsel Statute, 11 a.m., 2141 Rayburn.

June 11, Subcommittee on Immigration and Claims, oversight hearing on illegal immigration issues, 9:30 a.m., 2226 Rayburn.

Committee on Resources, June 9, to consider the following: H.R. 1524, Public Forests Emergency Act of 1999; H.R. 535, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to make corrections to a map relating to the Coastal Barrier Resources System; H.R. 592, World War II Veterans Park at Great Kills; H.R. 791, Star-Spangled Banner National Historic Trail Study Act of 1999; H.R. 1167, Tribal Self-Governance Amendments of 1999; H.R. 1243, National Marine Sanctuaries Enhancement Act of 1999; H.R. 1431, Coastal Barrier Resources Reauthorization Act of 1999; H.R. 1533, Wyandotte Tribe Settlement Act; H.R. 1552, Marine Research and Related Environmental Research and Development Programs Authorization of 1999; H.R. 1651, Fishermen's Protective Act Amendments of 1999; H.R. 1652, Yukon River Salmon Act of 1999; H.R. 1653, to approve a governing international fishery agreement between the United States and the Russian Federation; and a motion to authorize and issue subpoenas for oversight, investigative, and legislative activities in connection with (1) payments made by the Project on Government Oversight to federal employees or former federal employees of the Department of the Interior and the Department of Energy, (2) policies and practices of such Departments with respect to any outside payments to employees of such departments, and (3) other events and matters related to the Committee review of these and related matters that was initiated on May 25, 1999, 11 a.m., 1100 Longworth.

June 10, Subcommittee on Fisheries Conservation, Wildlife and Oceans, hearing on the following bills: H.R. 529, to require the United States Fish and Wildlife Service to approve a permit required for importation of certain wildlife items taken in Tajikistan; and H.R. 1934, to amend the Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972 to establish the John H. Prescott Marine Mammal Rescue Assistance Grant Program, 10 a.m., 1334 Longworth.

June 10, Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands, hearing on the following bills: H.R. 940, Lackawanna Valley Heritage Area Act of 1999; and H.R. 1619, Quinebaug and Shetucket Rivers Valley National Heritage Corridor Reauthorization Act of 1999, 10 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

June 10, Subcommittee on Water and Power, hearing on H.R. 795, Chippewa Cree Tribe of the Rocky Boy's Reservation Indian Water Rights Settlement Act of 1999, 2 p.m., 1324 Longworth.

Committee on Science, June 9, Subcommittee on Basic Research, hearing on the U.S. Antarctic Research Program, 3 p.m., 2318 Rayburn.

June 10, full Committee and the Subcommittee on Postsecondary Education, Training, and Life-Long Learning of the Committee on Education and the Workforce,

joint hearing on K-12 Math and Science Education-Finding, Training and Keeping Good Teacher, 1:30 p.m., 2318 Rayburn.

June 10, Subcommittee on Space and Aeronautics, hearing on Barriers to Commercial Space Launch, 10 a.m., 2318 Rayburn.

Committee on Small Business, June 9, hearing on Fair and Simple Tax Relief for Small Business, reviewing the Small Employer Tax Relief Act of 1999 (SETRA), 10 a.m., 2360 Rayburn.

June 10, hearing on Association Health Plans: Giving Small Businesses the Benefits They Need, 11 a.m., 2360 Rayburn.

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, June 9, Subcommittee on Aviation, hearing on preservation and promotion of General Aviation Airports, 10 a.m., 2167 Rayburn.

June 9, Subcommittee on Oversight, Investigations, and Emergency Management, hearing on Preparedness Against Terrorist Attacks, 2 p.m., 2253 Rayburn.

June 10, Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment, to mark up H.R. 1300, Recycle America's Land Act of 1999, 10 a.m., 2167 Rayburn.

Committee on Veterans' Affairs, June 9, Subcommittee on Health, to mark up the Veterans' Millennium Health Care Act, 10 a.m., 334 Cannon.

June 10, Subcommittee on Benefits, hearing on the following bills: H.R. 605, Court of Appeals For Veterans Claims Act of 1999; H.R. 690, to amend title 38, United States Code, to add bronchiolo-alveolar carcinoma to the list of diseases presumed to be service-connected for certain radiation-exposed veterans; H.R. 708, to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide for reinstatement of certain benefits administered by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs for remarried surviving spouses of veterans upon termination of their remarriage; H.R.

784, to amend title 38, United States Code, to authorize the payment of dependency and indemnity compensation to the surviving spouses of certain former prisoners of war dying with a service-connected disability rated totally disabling at the time of death; H.R. 1214, Veterans' Claims Adjudication Improvement Act of 1999; and H.R. 1765, Veterans' Compensation Cost-of-Living Adjustment Act of 1999, 10 a.m., 334 Cannon.

Committee on Ways and Means, June 8, Subcommittee on Trade, hearing on United States-China trade relations and the possible accession of China to the World Trade Organization, 1 p.m., 1100 Longworth.

June 9 and 10, full Committee, hearings on proposals to strengthen Social Security, 10 a.m., 1100 Longworth.

June 10, to mark up the following bills: H.R. 984, Caribbean and Central America Relief and Economic Stabilization Act; and H.R. 434, African Growth and Opportunity Act, 3 p.m., 1100 Longworth.

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, June 8, executive, briefing on Encryption Issues, 11 a.m., H-405 Capitol.

June 8, executive, hearing on FBI Handling of Counterintelligence Matters at the Los Alamos National Laboratory, 1 p.m., H-405 Capitol.

June 9, hearing on Encryption legislation, 1 p.m., 2212 Rayburn.

June 10, executive, briefing on pending Intelligence issues, 12 p.m., H-405 Capitol.

Joint Meetings

Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe: June 8, to hold hearings to examine religious freedom issues in Western Europe, focusing on religious minorities and growing government intolerance, 10 a.m., 2212, Rayburn Building.

Résumé of Congressional Activity

FIRST SESSION OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the Senate and House. The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 6 through May 31, 1999

	<i>Senate</i>	<i>House</i>	<i>Total</i>
Days in session	78	58	..
Time in session	485 hrs., 28'	390 hrs., 20'	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings	6,453	3,711	..
Extensions of Remarks .....	..	1,135	..
Public bills enacted into law	7	24	..
Private bills enacted into law .....	..	..	..
Bills in conference	3	..	..
Measures passed, total	171	222	393
Senate bills	41	8	..
House bills	30	94	..
Senate joint resolutions .....	..	..	..
House joint resolutions	3	4	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	9	4	..
House concurrent resolutions	15	27	..
Simple resolutions	73	85	..
Measures reported, total	*88	*159	247
Senate bills	64	2	..
House bills	10	102	..
Senate joint resolutions	2	..	..
House joint resolutions .....	..	2	..
Senate concurrent resolutions	2	..	..
House concurrent resolutions .....	..	8	..
Simple resolutions	10	45	..
Special reports	7	5	..
Conference reports .....	..	3	..
Measures pending on calendar	63	23	..
Measures introduced, total	1,352	2,381	3,733
Bills	1,184	2,004	..
Joint resolutions	26	55	..
Concurrent resolutions	36	124	..
Simple resolutions	106	198	..
Quorum calls	6	2	..
Yea-and-nay votes	154	103	..
Recorded votes .....	..	61	..
Bills vetoed .....	..	..	..
Vetoes overridden .....	..	..	..

DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 6 through May 31, 1999

Civilian nominations, totaling 200, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	42
Unconfirmed	156
Withdrawn	2
Other civilian nominations, totaling 1,238, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	779
Unconfirmed	459
Air Force nominations, totaling 3,959, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	1,674
Unconfirmed	2,285
Army nominations, totaling 1,651, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	1,565
Unconfirmed	86
Navy nominations, totaling 2,164, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	759
Unconfirmed	1,405
Marine Corps nominations, totaling 1,319, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed	1,317
Unconfirmed	2
<i>Summary</i>	
Total Nominations received this Session	10,531
Total Confirmed	6,136
Total Unconfirmed	4,393
Total Withdrawn	2

Next Meeting of the SENATE

9:30 a.m., Tuesday, June 8

Senate Chamber

Program for Tuesday: Senate will continue consideration of S. 1122, Department of Defense Appropriations, 2000, with a vote on Amendment No. 540 to occur at 9:45 a.m.

(Senate will recess from 12:30 p.m. until 2:15 p.m. for their respective party conferences.)

Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

9 a.m., Tuesday, June 8

House Chamber

Program for Tuesday: Consideration of 1 suspension, H.R. 1882, Small Business Review Panel Technical Amendments; and

Consideration of H.R. 150, Education Land Grant Act (open rule, one hour of general debate).

Extensions of Remarks, as inserted in this issue

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