

to 15 nays (Vote No. 126), Senate tabled the amendment.) **Pages S4994–97, S4998–99, S5009**

Withdrawn:

Harkin Amendment No. 3355, to limit the use of funds for purchase and modification of Army High Mobility Trailers, and for modification of High Mobility Multipurpose Wheeled Vehicles to tow the trailers, until the trailers are fully tested. **Pages S4997–98**

During consideration of this measure today, the Senate also took the following action:

Reid Amendment No. 3292, to amend the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1998 with respect to export controls on high performance computers, was ruled as not in order because it violated certain provisions of Rule XVI of the Standing Rules of the Senate, relating to legislating on an appropriations bill. **Page S4982**

Senate insisted on its amendment, requested a conference with the House thereon, and the Chair was authorized to appoint the following conferees on the part of the Senate: Senators Stevens, Cochran, Specter, Domenici, Bond, McConnell, Shelby, Gregg, Hutchison, Inouye, Hollings, Byrd, Leahy, Lautenberg, Harkin, Dorgan, and Durbin. **Page S5020**

**Indian Substance Programs Consolidations:** Senate passed S. 1507, to authorize the integration and consolidation of alcohol and substance abuse programs and services provided by Indian tribal governments, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute. **Pages S5054–55**

**U.S. Army 225th Birthday Recognition:** Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S.J. Res. 46, recognizing the 225th birthday of the United States Army, and the resolution was then agreed to, after agreeing to the following amendments proposed thereto: **Pages S5055–56**

Enzi (for Thurmond) Amendment No. 3378, in the nature of a substitute. **Page S5056**

Enzi (for Thurmond) Amendment No. 3379, to amend the preamble. **Page S5056**

Enzi (for Thurmond) Amendment No. 3380, to amend the title. **Page S5056**

**Responsible Father's Day:** Senate agreed to S. Res. 322, encouraging and promoting greater involvement of fathers in their children's lives and designating June 18, 2000, as "Responsible Father's Day". **Page S5057**

**Medals of Honor Awards:** Senate passed S. 2722, to authorize the award of the Medal of Honor to Ed W. Freeman, James K. Okubo, and Andrew J. Smith. **Pages S5057–58**

**Defense Authorization—Agreement:** A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for

further consideration of S. 2549, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2001 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe personnel strengths for such fiscal year for the Armed Forces, on Wednesday, June 14, 2000. **Page S5058**

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

Transmitting, pursuant to law, a report entitled "The Wekiva River Rock Spring Run and Seminole Creek"; to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources. (PM-113) **Page S5026**

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

Francisco J. Sanchez, of Florida, to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation.

Richard A. Boucher, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of State (Public Affairs), vice James P. Rubin.

1 Army nomination in the rank of general.

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**Messages From the President:** **Page S5026**

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**Record Votes:** Four record votes were taken today. (Total—127) **Pages S4993, S5007, S5009, S5019–20**

**Adjournment:** Senate convened at 9:31 a.m., and adjourned at 7:27 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Wednesday, June 14, 2000. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S5058.)

## Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

### APPROPRIATIONS—TRANSPORTATION

**Committee on Appropriations:** Committee ordered favorably reported an original bill, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related

agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001.

#### APPROPRIATION—DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on District of Columbia concluded hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2001 for the District of Columbia, after receiving testimony from Mayor Anthony A. Williams, Linda W. Cropp, Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, and Alice M. Rivlin, Chairman, District of Columbia Financial Responsibility and Management Assistance Authority, all of Washington, D.C.

#### APPROPRIATIONS—TRANSPORTATION

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Transportation approved for full committee consideration an original bill, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001.

#### MERCHANT BANKING ACTIVITIES

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:* Subcommittee on Financial Institutions and Subcommittee on Securities concluded joint hearings to examine the regulation of merchant banking activities under the Gramm-Leach-Bliley Act of 1999, after receiving testimony from Gary Gensler, Under Secretary of the Treasury for Domestic Finance; Lawrence H. Meyer, Member, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System; Frederick M. Fritz, BancBoston Capital, Boston, Massachusetts, and Jeffrey Walker, Chase Capital Partners, New York, New York, both on behalf of the Financial Services Roundtable; Marc E. Lackritz, Securities Industry Association, and Joseph S. Bracewell, Century National Bank, on behalf of the Independent Community Bankers of America, both of Washington, D.C.; and John P. Whaley, Norwest Equity Partners and Norwest Venture Partners, Minneapolis, Minnesota, on behalf of the American Bankers Association and American Bankers Association Securities Association.

#### ONLINE PROFILING AND PRIVACY

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:* Committee concluded hearings to examine online profiling done by Internet network advertisers and how it impacts consumer's privacy, after receiving testimony from Jodie Bernstein, Director, Bureau of Consumer Protection, and David Medine, Associate Director for Financial Practices, both of the Federal Trade Commission; Jules Polonetsky, DoubleClick, New York, New York; Daniel Jaye, Engage, Inc., Andover, Massachusetts; Marc Rotenberg, Electronic Privacy Information Center, Washington, D.C.; and Richard M. Smith, Brookline, Massachusetts.

#### NOMINATIONS

*Committee on Environment and Public Works:* Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of James V. Aidala, of Virginia, to be Assistant Administrator for Toxic Substances of the Environmental Protection Agency, Arthur C. Campbell, of Tennessee, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Economic Development, and Ella Wong-Rusinko, of Virginia, to be Alternate Federal Co-chairman of the Appalachian Regional Commission, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Aidala was introduced by Senators Lieberman and Roberts, Mr. Campbell was introduced by Senator Frist and Representatives Bennie Thompson and Wamp, and Ms. Wong-Rusinko was introduced by Senators Warner and Hutchison.

#### TIBET

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* Subcommittee on East Asian and Pacific Affairs concluded hearings to examine recent developments in promoting a positive Tibetan/Chinese relationship, while sustaining Tibet's unique religious, linguistic, and cultural heritage, after receiving testimony from Julia V. Taft, Special Coordinator for Tibet, Department of State; John Ackerly, International Campaign for Tibet, Washington, D.C.; Elliot Spurling, Indiana University Department of Central Eurasian Studies, Bloomington, on behalf of the Human Rights Watch; and Elizabeth Napper, Tibetan Nuns' Project, San Geronimo, California.

#### POST-CONVICTION DNA TESTING

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Committee concluded hearings on post-conviction DNA testing, focusing on how to incorporate DNA testing more fully into the American criminal justice system, and related proposals, after receiving testimony from Oklahoma Attorney General W.A. Drew Edmondson, Oklahoma City; New York State Attorney General Eliot Spitzer, New York; California Deputy Attorney General Enid A. Camps, Sacramento; Charles F. Baird, former Judge, Texas Court of Criminal Appeals, Austin, on behalf of the National Committee to Prevent Wrongful Executions; Joshua K. Marquis, Clatsop County District Attorney, Astoria, Oregon, on behalf of the National District Attorney's Association; Barry C. Scheck, Benjamin N. Cardozo School of Law, New York, New York, on behalf of the Innocence Project, George Clarke, San Diego County Deputy District Attorney, California, and James Wooley, Baker and Hostetler, Case Western Reserve University Law School, Washington, D.C., all on behalf of the National Commission on the Future of DNA Testing; Bryan A. Stevenson, New York University School of Law, New York, on behalf

of the Equal Justice Initiative of Alabama; and Dennis Fritz, Kansas City, Missouri.

## PRESCRIPTION DRUG SAFETY AND PRICING

*Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions:* Committee concluded hearings to examine the accessibility of affordable prescription drugs, the price differentials for identical prescription drugs in the international marketplace, and drug quality and safety, after receiving testimony from Senators Gorton, Dorgan, Johnson, and Burns; Representative Sanders;

Christopher T. Rhodes, University of Rhode Island, Kingston; Patricia M. Danzon, University of Pennsylvania Wharton School of Management, Philadelphia; Stephen W. Schondelmeyer, University of Minnesota College of Pharmacy PRIME Institute, Minneapolis; Ronald F. Pollack, Families USA, and Alan F. Holmer, Pharmaceutical Research and Manufacturers of America, both of Washington, D.C.; and Paul Abrams, NeoRx Corporation, Seattle, Washington, on behalf of the Biotechnology Industry Organization.

# House of Representatives

## Chamber Action

**Bills Introduced:** 10 public bills, H.R. 4642–4651, were introduced. **Page H4336**

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

H. Res. 525, providing for consideration of H.R. 4635, making appropriations for the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, boards, commissions, corporations, and offices for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001 (H. Rept. 106–675). **Page H4336**

**Speaker Pro Tempore:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designated Representative Isakson to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H4223**

**Journal:** Agreed to the Speaker's approval of the Journal of Monday, June 12 by a yea and nay vote of 329 yeas to 66 nays with one voting "present", Roll No. 257. **Pages H4225, H4227–28**

**Recess:** The House recessed at 9:18 a.m. and reconvened at 10:00 a.m. **Page H5225**

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

**Fraud Audit of the Department of Education:** H.R. 4079, amended, to require the Comptroller General of the United States to conduct a comprehensive fraud audit of the Department of Education (debated on Monday, June 12 and agreed to by a yea and nay vote of 380 yeas to 19 nays with one voting "present", Roll No. 258); **Page H4228**

**Celebrating the 225th Birthday of the U.S. Army:** H.J. Res. 101, recognizing the 225th birthday of the United States Army; and **Pages H4320–25**

**Benefits of Music Education:** H. Con. Res. 266, expressing the sense of the Congress regarding the benefits of music education. **Pages H4325–29**

**Labor, HHS, and Education Appropriations:** The House considered amendments to H.R. 4577, making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001. The House previously considered the bill on June 8 and June 12. **Pages H4229–H4310**

**Agreed To:**

Stearns amendment No. 198 printed in the Congressional Record that prohibits the use of any funding to restrict military recruiting at secondary schools (agreed to by a recorded vote of 381 yeas to 41 noes with 1 voting present, Roll No. 266; **Pages H4284–85, H4302–03**

Paul amendment No. 3 printed in the Congressional Record that prohibits the use of any funding to develop a national medical identification system; **Pages H4285–86**

Sanders amendment that prohibits NIH funding to grant an exclusive or partially exclusive license pursuant to chapter 18 of title 35, United States Code, except in accordance with section 209 of such title, relating to the availability to the public of an invention and its benefits on reasonable terms (agreed to by a recorded vote of 313 yeas to 109 noes, Roll No. 268); and **Pages H4291–93, H4304**

**Rejected:**

Vitter amendment No. 192 printed in the Congressional Record that sought to increase Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) funding by \$1.4 billion and decrease various education programs as offsets. **Pages H4244–45**

Hoekstra amendment No. 202 printed in the Congressional Record that sought to increase Individuals with Disabilities Education Act funding by