

H.R. 4392, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2001 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government, the Community Management Account, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System and agreed to a conference. Appointed as conferees: From the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence for consideration of the House bill and the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Chairman Goss and Representatives Lewis of California, McCollum, Castle, Boehlert, Bass, Gibbons, LaHood, Wilson, Dixon, Pelosi, Bishop, Sisisky, Condit, Roemer, and Hastings of Florida.; and from the Committee on Armed Services for consideration of defense tactical intelligence and related activities: Chairman Spence, Stump, and Skelton.

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Recess: The House recessed at 5:31 p.m. and reconvened at 6:50 p.m.

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Senate Messages: Messages received from the Senate today appear on pages H8743–44.

Referrals: S. 2440 was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure; S. Con. Res. 60 and S. Con. Res. 70 were referred to the Committee on Government Reform; and S. Con. Res. 141 was referred to the Committee on House Administration.

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Amendments: Amendments ordered printed pursuant to the rule appear on pages H8799–H8811.

Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages H8753–54 and H8754. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 6:51 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FEDERAL LANDS—REVIEW WILDLIFE RISKS

Committee on Agriculture: Held a hearing to review wildlife risks on federal lands. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Forest Service, USDA: Lyle Laverty, Regional Forester, Rocky Mountain Region; and Dale N. Bosworth, Regional Forester, Northern Region; Dick Kempthorne, Governor, State of Idaho; James E. Hubbard, State Forester, Forest Service, State of Colorado; and Don K. Artley, State Forester, Forestry Division, Department of Resources and Conservation, State of Montana.

LOST SECURITY HOLDERS

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Finance and Hazardous Materials held a hearing on Lost Security

Holder: Reuniting Security Holders with their Investments. Testimony was heard from Larry E. Bergmann, Senior Associate Director, Division of Market Regulation, SEC; and a public witness.

SAFETY IN STUDY ABROAD PROGRAMS

Committee on Education and the Workforce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing on Safety in Study Abroad Programs. Testimony was heard from Lee Fritschler, Assistant Secretary, Office of Postsecondary Education, Department of Education; Diane Andruch, Managing Director, Overseas Citizens Services, Bureau of Consular Affairs, Department of State; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT OF WAGE-GRADE PAY IN GEORGIA AND OKLAHOMA

Committee on Government Reform: Subcommittee on Civil Service held a hearing on Oversight of Wage-Grade Pay in Georgia and Oklahoma. Testimony was heard from Representative Chambliss; Donald Winstead, Assistant Director, Compensation Administration, OPM; and Roger M. Blanchard, Assistant Deputy Chief of Staff, Personnel, U.S. Air Force, Department of Defense; and a public witness.

ANTI-DRUG MEDIA CAMPAIGN

Committee on Government Reform: Subcommittee on Criminal Justice, Drug Policy and Human Resources held a hearing on Anti-Drug Media Campaign: Program and Contract Accountability and Administration. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Office of National Drug Control Policy: Donald Vereen, M.D., Deputy Director; and Jane Twyne, Consultant; and Robert H. Hast, Director, Office of Special Investigations, GAO.

POLICY BLUEPRINT FOR APPROVING U.N. PEACEKEEPING MISSIONS

Committee on International Relations: Met to receive a briefing on the Policy Blueprint for Approving U.N. Peacekeeping Missions. The Committee was briefed by Henry L. Hinton, Jr., Assistant Comptroller General, National Security and International Affairs, GAO; and public witnesses.

JEREMY AND JULIA'S LAW

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Crime held a hearing on H.R. 469, Jeremy and Julia's Law. Testimony was heard from Michael Horowitz, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Department of Justice; and public witnesses.

PUERTO RICO-U.S. BILATERAL PACT OF NON-TERRITORIAL PERMANENT UNION AND GUARANTEED CITIZENSHIP ACT

Committee on Resources: Held a hearing on H.R. 4751, Puerto Rico-United States Bilateral Pact of Non-Territorial Permanent Union and Guaranteed Citizenship Act. Testimony was heard from Representative Burton of Indiana; Jeffrey L. Farrow, Co-Chair, President's Interagency Group on Puerto Rico; William M. Treanor, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legal Counsel, Department of Justice; Robert Dalton, Assistant Legal Advisor, Treaty Affairs, Department of State; and the following officials of Puerto Rico: Angel E. Rotger-Sabat, Attorney General; and Charlie Rodriguez, President, Senate; and public witnesses.

RYAN WHITE CARE ACT AMENDMENTS

Committee on Rules: Granted, by voice vote, a closed rule on S. 2311, to revise and extend the Ryan White CARE Act Amendments of 2000, providing one hour of debate in the House equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Commerce. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The rule provides that the amendment in the nature of a substitute printed in the Congressional Record and numbered 1 shall be considered as adopted. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

LAS CIENEGAS NATIONAL CONSERVATION AREA

Committee on Rules: Granted, by voice vote, an open rule on H.R. 2941, to establish the Las Cienegas National Conservation Area in the State of Arizona, providing one hour of general debate to be equally divided between the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Resources. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The rule makes in order as an original bill for the purpose of amendment the Hansen amendment in the nature of a substitute printed in the Congressional Record and numbered 1, which shall be open for amendment at any point. The rule waives all points of order against the amendment in the nature of a substitute. The rule authorizes the Chair to accord priority in recognition to Members who have pre-printed their amendments in the Congressional Record. The rule allows the Chairman of the Committee of the Whole to postpone votes during consideration of the bill, and to reduce voting time to five minutes on a postponed question if the vote follows a fifteen minute vote. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instruc-

tions. Testimony was heard from Representatives Hansen and Kolbe.

INTOLERANCE AT EPA

Committee on Science: Held a hearing on Intolerance at EPA—Harming People, Harming Science? Testimony was heard from the following officials of the EPA: Carol M. Browner, Administrator; and Marsha Coleman-Adebayo, Senior Advisor to the Director of the Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics, EPA; and public witnesses.

BENCHMARKING U.S. SCIENCE

Committee on Science: Subcommittee on Basic Research held a hearing on Benchmarking U.S. Science: What Can It Tell Us? Testimony was heard from Eamon Kelly, Chairman, National Science Board, NSF; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5, 2000

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: to hold hearings on tobacco related issues, focusing on how certain States are spending tobacco revenues from the settlement, 9:30 a.m., SR-253.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Energy Research, Development, Production and Regulation, to hold hearings to examine the electricity challenges facing the Northwest, 9:30 a.m., SD-366.

Committee on Finance: Subcommittee on International Trade, to hold hearings to examine trade policy challenges in 2001, 11 a.m., SD-215.

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on European Affairs, with the Subcommittee on Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs, to hold joint hearings to examine Russian connections with Iranian weapons programs, 11 a.m., SD-419.

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Committee on the Judiciary: business meeting to consider S. 2448, to enhance the protections of the Internet and the critical infrastructure of the United States; and S. 1020, to amend chapter 1 of title 9, United States Code, to provide for greater fairness in the arbitration process relating to motor vehicle franchise contracts, 9 a.m., SD-226.

House

Committee on Appropriations, Subcommittee on Treasury, Postal Service and General Government, on Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, Youth Crime Gun Interdiction Initiative, 2 p.m., 2359 Rayburn.

Committee on Commerce: to consider the following measures: H.R. 3011, Truth in Telephone Billing Act of