

# Daily Digest

## Senate

### Chamber Action

*Routine Proceedings, pages S2923–S3004*

**Measures Introduced:** Fifteen bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 621–635, and S. Con. Res. 29. **Pages S2978–79**

**Campaign Finance Reform:** Senate continued consideration of S. 27, to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to provide bipartisan campaign reform, taking action on the following amendments proposed thereto: **Pages S2923–72**

Adopted:

Hagel Amendment No. 146 (Division II), to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to provide meaningful campaign finance reform through requiring better reporting, decreasing the role of soft money, and increasing individual contribution limits. (By a unanimous vote of 100 yeas (Vote No. 50), Senate earlier failed to table Division II of the amendment.) **Pages S2923–43**

Rejected:

Hagel Amendment No. 146 (Division I), to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to provide meaningful campaign finance reform through requiring better reporting, decreasing the role of soft money, and increasing individual contribution limits. (By 52 yeas to 47 nays (Vote No. 49), Senate tabled Division I of the amendment.) **Pages S2923–42**

Hagel Amendment No. 146 (Division III), to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to provide meaningful campaign finance reform through requiring better reporting, decreasing the role of soft money, and increasing individual contribution limits. (By 60 yeas to 40 nays (Vote No. 51), Senate tabled Division III of the amendment.) **Pages S2923–43**

By 30 yeas to 70 nays (Vote No. 52), Kerry Amendment No. 148, to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to provide partial public financing for Senate candidates who abide by voluntary spending limits. **Pages S2944–57**

Pending:

Specter Amendment No. 140, to provide findings regarding the current state of campaign finance laws

and to clarify the definition of electioneering communication. **Page S2923**

Thompson Amendment No. 149, to modify and index contribution limits. **Pages S2958–72**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of Thompson Amendment No. 149 (listed above) to the bill, at 9:15 a.m., on Wednesday, March 28, 2001, with a vote to occur thereon, at approximately 9:45 a.m. **Page S3004**

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

Transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting covering calendar year 2000; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. (PM–14) **Page S2975**

Transmitting, pursuant to law, the periodic report on the national emergency with respect to the National Union for the Total Independence of Angola; to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. (PM–15) **Pages S2975–76**

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

Argeo Paul Cellucci, of Massachusetts, to be Ambassador to Canada. **Page S3004**

**Executive Communications:** **Pages S2976–78**

**Executive Reports of Committees:** **Page S2978**

**Statements on Introduced Bills:** **Pages S2981–S3002**

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**Amendments Submitted:** **Pages S3002–04**

**Additional Statements:** **Pages S2974–75**

**Authority for Committees:** **Page S3004**

**Privileges of the Floor:** **Page S3004**

**Record Votes:** Four record votes were taken today. (Total—52) **Pages S2942–43, S2957**

**Adjournment:** Senate met at 9:15 a.m., and adjourned at 8:13 p.m., until 9:15 a.m., on Wednesday, March 28, 2001. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S3004.)

## Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

### FARM BILL

*Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry:* Committee concluded hearings to examine the progress the Department of Agriculture has made in implementing the research provisions of the 1996 Federal Agriculture Improvement and Reform Act and the 1998 Agricultural Research, Extension and Education Reform Act, in preparation for the 2002 Farm Bill, after receiving testimony from, Colien Hefferan, Administrator, Cooperative State Research, Education and Extension Service, Floyd P. Horn, Administrator, Agricultural Research Service, and Victor L. Lechtenber, Chair, National Agricultural Research, Extension, Education, and Economics Advisory Board, all of the Department of Agriculture; Jon Caspers, Swaledale, Iowa, on behalf of the National Coalition for Food and Agricultural Research; Jay Lemmermen, Southeast Milk, Inc., Ocala, Florida, on behalf of the Animal Agriculture Coalition; Richard E. Stuckey, Council for Agricultural Science and Technology, and Frederick L. Kirschenmann, Iowa State University Leopold Center for Sustainable Agriculture, both of Ames, Iowa; G. Philip Robertson, Michigan State University W. K. Kellogg Biological Station, Hickory Corners, on behalf of the National Research Council; and David Chicoine, University of Illinois College of Agricultural, Consumer and Environmental Sciences, Urbana, and Bobby R. Phills, Florida A & M University College of Engineering Sciences, Technology and Agriculture, Tallahassee, both on behalf of the National Association of State Universities and Land Grant Colleges.

### DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION: MILITARY STRATEGY AND OPERATIONAL REQUIREMENTS

*Committee on Armed Services:* Committee concluded open and closed hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 2002 for the Department of Defense and the Future Years Defense Program, focusing on military strategy and operational requirements, after receiving testimony from Adm. Dennis C. Blair, USN, Commander-in-Chief, U.S. Pacific Command; Gen. Peter Pace, USMC, Commander-in-Chief, U.S. Southern Command; and Gen. Thomas A. Schwartz, USA, Commander-in-Chief, United Nations Command/Combined Forces Command and Commander, U.S. Forces Korea.

### INFORMATION WARFARE

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Emerging Threats and Capabilities met in closed session to receive a briefing on information warfare and other threats to critical United States information systems.

### WATER AND WASTEWATER INFRASTRUCTURE

*Committee on Environment and Public Works:* Subcommittee on Fisheries, Wildlife, and Water held hearings to examine environmental issues related to water and wastewater infrastructure needs, such as building and maintaining the facilities, in order to deliver safe drinking water and to treat wastewater, receiving testimony from Christine Todd Whitman, Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency; J. R. Sandoval, Idaho Department of Environmental Quality, Boise; David B. Struhs, Florida Department of Environmental Protection, Tallahassee; Harry T. Stewart, New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services, Concord; Allen Biaggi, Nevada Division of Environmental Protection, Carson City; Mayor Bruce Tobey, Gloucester, Massachusetts, on behalf of the National League of Cities and Water Infrastructure Network; Janice A. Beecher, Beecher Policy Research, Inc., Indianapolis, Indiana, on behalf of the H2O Coalition; and Paul D. Schwartz, Clean Water Action, Washington, D.C.

Hearings recessed subject to call.

### LONG-TERM CARE AFFORDABILITY

*Committee on Finance:* Committee held hearings on proposed legislation that would amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow individuals a deduction for qualified long-term care insurance premiums, use of such insurance under cafeteria plans and flexible spending arrangements, and a credit for individuals with long-term care needs, receiving testimony from Carol V. O'Shaughnessy, Specialist in Social Legislation, Congressional Research Service, Library of Congress; William J. Scanlon, Director, Health Care Issues, General Accounting Office; Steven Lutzky, District of Columbia Department of Health/Office on Disabilities and Aging, Washington, D.C.; Gail Gibson Hunt, National Alliance for Caregiving, Bethesda, Maryland; Lisa Maria B. Alecxih, Lewin Group, Inc., Falls Church, Virginia; and Bill Kays, Vienna, Virginia, on behalf of the Alzheimer's Association.

Hearings recessed subject to call.

### NOMINATIONS

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* Committee ordered favorably reported the nomination of Grant S. Green, Jr., of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of State for Management.

Also, committee concluded hearings on the nomination of William Howard Taft, IV, of Virginia, to be Legal Adviser of the Department of State, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Warner, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

### WEAPONS OF MASS DESTRUCTION TERRORISM

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Subcommittee on Technology, Terrorism, and Government Information concluded hearings to examine domestic response capabilities for terrorism involving weapons of mass destruction, after receiving testimony from Lt. Gen. James Clapper, Jr., USAF (Ret.), Advisory Panel to Assess Domestic Response Capabilities for Terrorism Involving Weapons of Mass Destruction; Anthony H. Cordesman, Center for Strategic and International Studies, Washington, D.C.; and Yonah Alexander,

Potomac Institute for Policy Studies, Arlington, Virginia.

### EARLY EDUCATION AND CHILD CARE

*Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions:* Committee concluded hearings to examine and compare early childhood education and care in the United States and abroad, including all arrangements providing care and education for children under compulsory school age regardless of setting, funding, hours, or curriculum, after receiving testimony from Sheila B. Kamerman, Columbia University School of Social Work/Institute for Child and Family Policy, and Shanny Peer, French-American Foundation, both of New York, New York; Patricia P. Olmsted, High/Scope Educational Research Foundation, Ypsilanti, Michigan; and Kathi J. Apgar, Bristol Family Center, Bristol, Vermont, on behalf of the Vermont Association for the Education of Young Children.

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## House of Representatives

### *Chamber Action*

**Bills Introduced:** 47 public bills, H.R. 1211–1257; 2 private bills, H.R. 1258, H. Res 103; and 7 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 84–88 and H. Res. 101–102, were introduced. **Pages H1187–90**

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

H.R. 6, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to reduce the marriage penalty by providing for adjustments to the standard deduction, 15-percent rate bracket, and earned income credit and to allow the nonrefundable personal credits against regular and minimum tax liability, amended (H. Rept. 107–29); and

H. Res. 100, providing for consideration of H. Con. Res. 83, establishing the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 2002, revising the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 2001, and setting forth appropriate budgetary levels for each of fiscal years 2003 through 2011 (H. Rept. 107–30). **Page H1187**

**Recess:** The House recessed at 12:46 p.m. and reconvened at 2 p.m. **Page H1125**

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

***Veterans' Opportunities Act:*** H.R. 801, amended, to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve programs of educational assistance, to expand

programs of transition assistance and outreach to departing servicemembers, veterans, and dependents, to increase burial benefits, to provide for family coverage under Servicemembers' Group Life Insurance (passed by a yeas and nays vote of 417 yeas with none voting "nay", Roll No. 63); and

**Pages H1126–37, H1155**

***Veterans' Hospital Emergency Repair:*** H.R. 811, amended, to authorize the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to carry out construction projects for the purpose of improving, renovating, and updating patient care facilities at Department of Veterans Affairs medical centers (passed by a yeas and nays vote of 417 yeas with none voting "nay", Roll No. 64).

**Pages H1137–43, H1155–56**

**Presidential Messages:** Read the following messages from the President:

***Corporation for Public Broadcasting:*** Message wherein he transmitted the report of the Corporation for Public Broadcasting covering calendar year 2000—referred to the Committee on Energy and Commerce; and

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***National Emergency re Angola:*** Message wherein he transmitted the six month periodic report on the national emergency with respect to the National Union for the total Independence of Angola (UNITA)—referred to the Committee on International Relations.

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**Recess:** The House recessed at 3:16 p.m. and reconvened at 4 p.m. **Page H1143**

**Expenses of House Committees:** The House agreed to H. Res. 84, providing for the expenses of certain committees of the House of Representatives in the One Hundred Seventh Congress by a yea and nay vote of 357 yeas to 61 nays, Roll No. 62.

**Pages H1143–48, H1154–55**

Earlier, agreed by unanimous consent to consider the resolution; that it be considered as read for amendment; that the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on House Administration, now printed in the resolution (H. Rept. 107–25), be considered as adopted; that the previous question be considered as ordered on the resolution, as amended, to adoption without intervening motion, except one hour of debate equally divided and controlled. **Page H1143**

**Recess:** The House recessed at 4:38 p.m. and reconvened at 5:20 p.m. **Page H1148**

**Debate on the Concurrent Resolution on the Budget:** Pursuant to the order of the House of March 22, the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union for a period of three hours of debate on the concurrent resolution on the budget. After debate, the Committee of the Whole rose without motion.

**Pages H1148–54, H1156–76**

**Meeting Hour—Wednesday, March 28:** Agreed that when the House adjourns today, it adjourns to meet at 9 a.m. on Wednesday, March 28. **Page H1177**

**Senate Messages:** Message received today from the Senate appears on page H1123.

**Referrals:** S. 295 was referred to the Committees on Small Business and Agriculture and S. 395 was referred to the Committee on Small Business.

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**Quorum Calls—Votes:** Three yea and nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages H1154–55, H1155, and H1156. There were no quorum calls.

**Adjournment:** The House met at 12:30 p.m. and adjourned at 10:59 p.m.

## Committee Meetings

### LABOR, HHS, EDUCATION, AND RELATED AGENCIES

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies continued appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from Members of Congress.

### OVERSIGHT-NATIONAL ENERGY POLICY

*Committee on Energy and Commerce:* Subcommittee on Energy and Air Quality held an oversight hearing on National Energy Policy: Nuclear Energy. Testimony was heard from Senator Domenici; William D. Travers, Executive Director, Operations, NRC; the following officials of the Department of Energy: William D. Magwood, Director, Office of Nuclear Energy, Science and Technology; and Mary J. Hutzler, Director, Office of Integrated Analysis and Forecasting, Energy Information Administration; and public witnesses.

### FANNIE MAE AND FREDDIE MAC AGREEMENT

*Committee on Financial Service:* Subcommittee on Capital Markets, Insurance, and Government Sponsored Enterprises held a hearing on the agreement by Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac to voluntarily enhance capital strength, disclosure, and market discipline. Testimony was heard from Leland C. Brendsel, Chairman and CEO, Freddie Mac; and Timothy Howard, Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer, Fannie Mae.

### MEDICAL MARIJUANA

*Committee on Government Reform:* Subcommittee on Criminal Justice, Drug Policy and Human Resources held a hearing on “Medical” Marijuana, Federal Drug Law and the Constitution’s Supremacy Clause. Testimony was heard from Laura Nagel, Deputy Assistant Administrator, Diversion Control, DEA, Department of Justice; former Representative Bill McCollum of Florida; Dan Lungren, former Attorney General, State of California; Janet E. Joy, Institute of Medicine, National Academy of Sciences; and public witnesses.

### CONGRESSIONAL REVIEW ACT—RECENT FEDERAL REGULATIONS

*Committee on Government Reform:* Subcommittee on Energy Policy, Natural Resources and Regulatory Affairs held a hearing on “A Rush to Regulate—The Congressional Review Act and Recent Federal Regulations.” Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

### COMBATING TERRORISM

*Committee on Government Reform:* Subcommittee on National Security, Veterans’ Affairs and International Relations held a hearing on Combating Terrorism: In Search of a National Strategy. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the U.S. Commission on National Security/21st Century: Warren B. Rudman, Co-Chair; and Gen. Charles G. Boyd, USAF (Ret.), Executive Director; and public witnesses.

**YOSEMITE VALLEY PLAN**

*Committee on Resources:* Subcommittee on National Parks, Recreation and Public Lands held an oversight hearing on the Yosemite Valley Plan. Testimony was heard from Representative Doolittle; John Reynolds, Regional Director, Pacific West Region, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

**OVERSIGHT**

*Committee on Resources:* Subcommittee on Water and Power held an oversight hearing on the Status of Federal Western Water Resources. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Interior: J. William McDonald, Acting Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation; and Robert Hirsch, Associate Director, Water, U.S. Geological Survey; Jennifer Salisbury, Secretary, Department of Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources, State of New Mexico; and public witnesses.

**CONCURRENT BUDGET RESOLUTION**

*Committee on Rules:* Granted, by voice vote, a structured rule providing 40 minutes of additional general debate on H. Con. Res. 83, establishing the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 2002, revising the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 2001, and setting forth appropriate budgetary levels for each of fiscal years 2003 through 2011, equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on the Budget. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the concurrent resolution. The rule makes in order the concurrent resolution, modified by the amendment printed in part A of the Rules Committee report accompanying the resolution. The rule makes in order only those amendments printed in part B of the Rules Committee report which may be offered only in the order printed in the report, may be offered only by a Member designated in the report, shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for the time specified in the report equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent, and shall not be subject to amendment. The rule waives all points of order against the amendments except that, if an amendment in the nature of a substitute is adopted, it is not in order to consider further substitutes. The rule provides, upon the conclusion of consideration of the concurrent resolution for amendment, for a final period of general debate not to exceed 10 minutes equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on the Budget. The rule permits the chairman of the Budget Committee to offer amendments in the House to achieve mathematical consist-

ency. Finally, the rule provides that the concurrent resolution shall not be subject to a demand for a division of the question of its adoption. Testimony was heard from Chairman Nussle and Representatives Kirk, Spratt, Clayton, Moran of Virginia, Holt, Moore, Obey, Stenholm and Allen.

**MARRIAGE PENALTY AND FAMILY TAX RELIEF ACT**

*Committee on Rules:* Testimony was heard from Chairman Thomas and Representatives Rangel and Maloney of Connecticut; no action was taken on H.R. 6, Marriage Penalty and Family Tax Relief Act of 2001.

**MEDICARE REFORM**

*Committee on Ways and Means:* Subcommittee on Health continued hearings on Medicare Reform: Laying the Groundwork for a Rx Drug Benefit. Testimony was heard from Dan L. Crippen, Director, CBO; John A. Poisal, Statistician, Office of Strategic Planning, Health Care Financing Administration, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

**NSA ISSUES**

*Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence:* Subcommittee on Technical and Tactical Intelligence met in executive session to hold a hearing on NSA Issues. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

**INFORMATION OPERATIONS**

*Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence:* Subcommittee on Technical and Tactical Intelligence and the Subcommittee on Human Intelligence, Analysis and Counterintelligence met in executive session to hold a joint hearing on Information Operations. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

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**COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY,  
MARCH 28, 2001**

*(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)*

**Senate**

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Interior, to hold oversight hearings to examine trust reform issues, 10 a.m., SD-116.

Subcommittee on Defense, to hold hearings to examine certain Pacific issues, 10 a.m., SD-192.

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Strategic, to hold hearings to examine the Report of the Commission to Assess United States National Security Space Management and Organization, 2:30 p.m., SR-232A.

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:* to hold hearings to examine the Commerce Department's

decision to release unadjusted Census data, 9:30 a.m., SR-253.

*Committee on Finance*: to hold hearings on issues relating to preserving and protecting Main Street USA, 10 a.m., SD-215.

*Committee on Foreign Relations*: to hold hearings to examine the Department of Energy's nonproliferation programs with Russia, 10 a.m., SD-419.

*Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions*: to hold hearings to examine health information for consumers, 9:30 a.m., SD-430.

*Committee on Indian Affairs*: to hold hearings on S. 210, to authorize the integration and consolidation of alcohol and substance abuse programs and services provided by Indian tribal governments; S. 214, to elevate the position of Director of the Indian Health Service within the Department of Health and Human Services to Assistant Secretary for Indian Health; and S. 535, to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to clarify that Indian women with breast or cervical cancer who are eligible for health services provided under a medical care program of the Indian Health Service or of a tribal organization are included in the optional medicaid eligibility category of breast or cervical cancer patients added by the Breast and Cervical Cancer Prevention and Treatment Act of 2000, 10:30 a.m., SR-485.

*Select Committee on Intelligence*: to hold closed hearings on intelligence matters, 2 p.m., SH-219.

### House

*Committee on Agriculture*, Subcommittee on Department Operations, Oversight Nutrition and Forestry, hearing on National Fire Plan Implementation, 2 p.m., 1300 Longworth.

*Committee on Appropriations*, Subcommittee on Defense, on Members of Congress and public witnesses, 9:30 a.m., and 1:30 p.m., H-140 Capitol.

Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, Export Financing and Related Programs, on Members of Congress and public witnesses, 12:30 p.m., H-144 Capitol.

Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services and Education, on NIH Theme hearing, 10 a.m., 2358 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Military Construction, on Pacific Military Construction, 2 p.m., B-300 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Transportation, on FAA, 10 a.m., and 2 p.m., 2358 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Veterans' Affairs, House and Urban Development, and Independent Agencies, on Member of Congress, 10 a.m., and 1 p.m., H-143 Capitol.

*Committee on Armed Services*, hearing on the posture of U.S. military forces, 10 a.m., 2118 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Military Procurement, hearing on military transformation and its impact on the equipment modernization programs of the military services, 2 p.m., 2118 Rayburn.

*Committee on Education and the Workforce*, hearing on No Child Left Behind, 10:30 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

*Committee on Energy and Commerce*, to mark up H.R. 718, Unsolicited Commercial Electronic Mail Act of 2001, 10 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Environment and Hazardous Materials, hearing on Drinking Water Needs and Infrastructure, 2 p.m., 2322 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing on Issues Raised by Human Cloning Research, 12 p.m., 2123 Rayburn.

*Committee on Financial Services*, to mark up the following bills: H.R. 974, Small Business Interest Checking Act of 2001; and H.R. 1088, Investor and Capital Markets Fee Relief Act, 10 a.m., 2128 Rayburn.

*Committee on International Relations*, to mark up the following measures: H. Res. 91, expressing the sense of the House of Representatives regarding the human rights situation in Cuba; H.R. 428, concerning the participation of Taiwan in the World Health Organization; H. Res. 56, urging the appropriate representative of the United States to the United Nations Commission on Human Rights to introduce at the annual meeting of the Commission a resolution calling upon the People's Republic of China to end its human rights violations in China and Tibet; and H. Con. Res. 73, expressing the sense of Congress that the 2008 Olympic Games should not be held in Beijing unless the Government of the People's of China releases all political prisoners, ratifies the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights and observes internationally recognized human rights, 10 a.m., 2172 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Africa and the Subcommittee on International Operations and Human Rights, joint hearing on America's Sudan Policy: A New Direction? 2:30 a.m., 2172 Rayburn.

*Committee on the Judiciary*, to consider Subcommittee Rules of Procedure for private immigration bills and private claims bills and to mark up the following measures: H.R. 768, Need-Based Educational Aid Act of 2001; H.R. 503, Unborn Victims of Violence Act of 2001; H.R. 863, Consequences for Juvenile Offenders Act of 2001; and a private claims bill, 10 a.m., 2141 Rayburn.

*Committee on Resources*, to mark up the following bills: H.R. 146, Great Falls Historic District Study Act of 2001; H.R. 182, Eight Mile River Wild and Scenic River Study Act of 2001; H.R. 309, Guam Foreign Investment Equity Act; H.R. 581, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior and the Secretary of Agriculture to use funds appropriated for wildland fire management in the Department of Interior and Related Agencies Appropriations Act of 2001, to reimburse the United States Fish and Wildlife Services and the National Marine Fisheries Services to facilitate the interagency cooperation required under the Endangered Species Act of 1973 in connection with wildland fire management; H.R. 601, to ensure the continued access of hunters to those Federal lands included within the boundaries of the Craters of the Moon National Monument in the State of Idaho pursuant to Presidential Proclamation 7373 of November 9, 2000, and to continue the applicability of the Taylor Grazing Act to the disposition of grazing fees arising from the use of such lands; and H.R. 642, to reauthorize the Chesapeake Bay Office of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, 10 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

*Committee on Small Business*, hearing on H.R. 10, Comprehensive Retirement Security and Pension Reform Act, focusing on small business implications, 10 a.m., 2360 Rayburn.

*Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure*, Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings and Emergency Management, to mark up the following: H.R. 495, to designate the Federal building in Charlotte Amalie, St. Thomas, United States Virgin Islands as the "Ron de Lugo Federal Building;" H.R. 819, to designate the Federal building located at 143 West Liberty Street, Medina, Ohio, as the "Donald J. Pease Federal Building;" H. Con. Res. 74, authorizing the use of the Capitol Grounds for the 20th Annual National Peace Officers Memorial Service; H. Con. Res. 76, authorizing the use of the East Front of the Capitol Grounds for performances sponsored by the John F. Kennedy Center for the Per-

forming Arts; H. Con. Res. 79, authorizing the use of the Capitol Grounds for the Greater Washington Soap Box Derby; a resolution authorizing the use of the Capitol Grounds for the D.C. Special Olympics Law Enforcement Torch Run; 2 11 (b) Project Building Survey Resolutions; a Committee resolution authorizing GSA to acquire existing leasehold and develop the Old Post Office in Washington, D.C.; and other pending business, 2 p.m., 2167 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment, hearing on Water Infrastructure Needs, 10 a.m., 2167 Rayburn.

*Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence*, Subcommittee on International Policy and National Security, executive, briefing on Global Trends: 2015, 10 a.m., H-405 Capitol.

*Next Meeting of the SENATE*

9:15 a.m., Wednesday, March 28

*Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES*

9 a.m., Wednesday, March 28

## Senate Chamber

**Program for Wednesday:** Senate will continue consideration of S. 27, Campaign Finance Reform, with a vote on or in relation to Thompson Amendment No. 149, to occur at approximately 9:45 a.m.

## House Chamber

**Program for Wednesday:** Consideration of H. Con. Res. 83, Concurrent Resolution on the Budget (structured rule, 40 minutes of additional debate).

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