

regulations of the Department of Education (by a recorded vote of 413 ayes to 3 noes, Roll No. 436); and

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King of Iowa amendment that prohibits the use of funds by the Department of Education in contravention of sections of the Illegal Immigration Reform and Responsibility Act of 1996. Pages H6964–65

Rejected:

Tancredo amendment (No. 1 printed in the Congressional Record of September 8) that sought to prohibit the use of funds to pay salaries and expenses of personnel to carry out the section of the Medicare Prescription Drug, Improvement and Modernization Act of 2003 that deals with federal reimbursement of emergency health services furnished to undocumented aliens;

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Hayworth amendment (No. 6 printed in the Congressional Record of September 8) that sought to prohibit the use of funds to enforce a National Labor Relations Board decision dealing with jurisdiction over Indian tribes (by a recorded vote of 185 ayes to 227 noes, Roll No. 435);

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Stark amendment that sought to reduce the funding for General Departmental Management for the Office of the Secretary of Health and Human Services (by a recorded vote of 195 ayes to 216 noes, Roll No. 437);

Pages H6941–42, H6953

Paul amendment (No. 3 printed in the Congressional Record of September 8) that sought to prohibit the use of funds to create or implement any new universal mental health screening program (by a recorded vote of 95 ayes to 315 noes, Roll No. 438); and

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Hayworth amendment that sought to prohibit the use of funds for the Commissioner of Social Security or the Social Security Administration to pay the compensation of employees of the Social Security Administration to administer Social Security benefit payments under a totalization agreement with Mexico which would not otherwise be payable but for such agreement (by a recorded vote of 178 ayes to 225 noes, Roll No. 439).

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Withdrawn:

Bordallo amendment that was offered and subsequently withdrawn that sought to prohibit the use of funds to enforce the limitations under section 1108 of the Social Security Act on the amount certified for FY05 with respect to title XIX of the Act with respect to Guam, the Virgin Islands, American Samoa, and the Northern Mariana Islands;

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Oberstar amendment that was offered and subsequently withdrawn that sought to add a new section to the bill regarding fatal chronic illnesses;

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John amendment that was offered and subsequently withdrawn that sought to increase funding for Disease Control, Research, and Training.

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Point of Order sustained against:

Brown of Ohio amendment that sought to prohibit the use of funds for administrative costs for the collection of monthly premiums under part B of the Medicare program for months in a year at monthly premium rates that exceed the monthly premium rates for months in the previous year; and

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Ramstad amendment that sought to increase funding for Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services.

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H. Res. 754, the rule providing for consideration of the bill was agreed to yesterday, September 8.

Committee Election: Agreed to H. Res. 762, electing Representative Alexander to the Committees on Agriculture and Transportation & Infrastructure.

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Meeting Hour: Agreed that when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 12:30 p.m. on Monday, September 13 for Morning Hour debate.

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Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with the Calendar Wednesday business of Wednesday, September 15.

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Amendments: Amendment ordered printed pursuant to the rule appears on page H6998.

Quorum Calls—Votes: Four yea-and-nay votes and six recorded votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H6920–21, H6921, H6921–22, H6951, H6951–52, H6952–53, H6953, H6953–54, H6976–77, and H6980–81. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 8:20 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FINAL REPORT INDEPENDENT PANEL TO REVIEW DOD DETENTION OPERATIONS

Committee on Armed Services: Held a hearing on the Final Report of the Independent Panel to Review Department of Defense Detention Operations. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Panel: James R. Schlesinger, Chairman; and Harold Brown, member.

ABU GHRAIB PRISON FACILITY— INVESTIGATION OF MILITARY INTELLIGENCE ACTIVITIES

Committee on Armed Services: Held a hearing on the investigation of military intelligence activities at Abu Ghraib prison facility. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Army: GEN Paul J. Kern, USA, Appointing Officer; LTG Anthony R. Jones, USA, Lead Investigator; and MG George R. Fay, USA, Investigating Officer.

EXAMINING PROFESSIONAL BOXING

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade and Consumer Protection held a hearing entitled “Examining Professional Boxing: Are Further Reforms Needed?” Testimony was heard from Bruce Spizler, Senior Assistant Attorney General, State of Maryland; and public witnesses.

ANTI-DEPRESSANT PEDIATRIC CLINICAL TRAILS

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing entitled “Publication and Disclosure Issues in Anti-Depressant Pediatric Clinical Trials.” Testimony was heard from Janet Woodcock, M.D., Deputy Commissioner, Operations, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

“G.I. FINANCES: PROTECTING THOSE WHO PROTECT US”

Committee on Financial Services: Subcommittee on Capital Markets, Insurance, and Government Sponsored Enterprises held a hearing entitled “G.I. Finances: Protecting Those Who Protect Us.” Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

DHS-STATE COLLABORATION ON U.S. VISA POLICY

Committee on Government Reform: Held a hearing entitled “Creating Secure Borders and Open Doors: A Review of DHS-State Collaboration on U.S. Visa Policy.” Testimony was heard from Janice Jacobs, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Visa Services, Department of State; the following officials of the Department of Homeland Security: C. Stewart Verdery, Jr., Assistant Secretary, Border and Transportation Security Policy and Planning; and Clark Kent Ervin, Inspector General; and Jacquelyn L. Williams-Bridgers, Managing Director, International Affairs and Trade Team, GAO.

BANKRUPTCY JUDGESHIP ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Ordered reported, as amended, S. 878, Bankruptcy Judgeship Act of 2003.

POTASH ROYALTY REDUCTION ACT

Committee on Resources: Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources held a hearing on H.R. 4984, Potash Royalty Reduction Act of 2004. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Resources: Subcommittee on Water and Power held a hearing on the following measures: H.R. 3834, Desalination Energy Assistance Act of 2004; H.R. 4775, To amend the Reclamation Wastewater and Groundwater Study and Facilities Act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to participate in the El Paso, Texas, water reclamation, reuse, and desalinization project; H.R. 4893, To authorize additional appropriations for the Reclamation Safety of Dams Act of 1978; and H.R. 5009, To extend water contracts between the United States and specific irrigation districts and the City of Helena in Montana. Testimony was heard from Representatives Davis of Florida and Reyes; John Keys, Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT—DELAY REDUCTION EFFORTS AT CHICAGO’S O’HARE AIRPORT

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure: Subcommittee on Aviation held an oversight hearing on Delay Reduction Efforts at Chicago’s O’Hare Airport. Testimony was heard from Representatives Manzullo and Weller; Marion C. Blakey, Administrator, FAA, Department of Transportation; John Roberson, Commissioner, Department of Aviation, City of Chicago; and a public witness.

BRIEFING—TERRORISM UPDATE

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Met in executive session to receive a briefing on Terrorism Update. The Committee was briefed by departmental witnesses.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2004

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Foreign Relations: to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Christopher J. LaFleur, of New York, to be Ambassador to Malaysia, and B. Lynn Pascoe, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Indonesia, 9:30 a.m., SD-419.

House

No committee meetings are scheduled.