

Caroline C. Hunter, of Florida, to be a Member of the Election Assistance Commission for a term expiring December 12, 2009. **Page S9663**

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**Adjournment:** Senate convened at 10 a.m., and adjourned at 12:34 p.m., until 2 p.m., on Monday, September 18, 2006. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S9663.)

### *Committee Meetings*

No committee meetings were held.

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## House of Representatives

### *Chamber Action*

**Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced:** 3 public bills, H.R. 6089–6091 were introduced. **Page H6659**

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

H.R. 5830, to amend section 29 of the International Air Transportation Competition Act of 1979 relating to air transportation to and from Love Field, Texas, with an amendment (H. Rept. 109–600, Pt. 2);

H.R. 5808, to authorize the Secretary of Transportation to make grants to public transportation agencies and over-the-road bus operators to improve security, with an amendment (H. Rept. 109–662);

H.R. 5414, to enact certain laws relating to public contracts as title 41, United States Code, "Public Contracts" (H. Rept. 109–663); and

H.R. 6054, to amend title 10, United States Code, to authorize trial by military commission for violations of the law of war, and for other purposes, with amendments (H. Rept. 109–664, Part 1).

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**Speaker:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative Hastings of Washington to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H6657**

**Speaker Pro Tempore:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed the Honorable Doc Hastings of Washington to act as Speaker Pro Tempore to sign enrolled bills and joint resolutions through September 19, 2006. **Page H6657**

**Quorum Calls—Votes:** There were no Yea and Nay votes, and there were no Recorded votes. There were no quorum calls.

**Adjournment:** The House met at 11 a.m. and adjourned at 11:04 a.m.

### *Committee Meetings*

#### CONTACT LENS SALES

*Committee on Energy and Commerce*, Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade, and Consumer Protection held a hearing entitled "Contact Lens Sales: Is Market Regulation the Prescription?" Testimony was heard from Maureen Ohlhausen, Director, Office of Policy Planning, FTC; Wayne Klein, Assistant Attorney General, State of Utah; and public witnesses.

#### IRAQ: DEMOCRACY OR CIVIL WAR?

*Committee on Government Reform*: Subcommittee on National Security, Emerging Threats and International Relations continued hearings entitled "Iraq: Democracy or Civil War?" with further emphasis on What Will It Take To Achieve National Reconciliation? and emphasis also on What Are the Consequences of Leaving Iraq? Testimony was heard from former Ambassador to Croatia Peter Galbraith; and public witnesses.

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### CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

*Week of September 18 through September 23, 2006*

#### Senate Chamber

On *Monday*, Senate will resume consideration of H.R. 5684, U.S.-Oman Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act.

On *Tuesday*, Senate will continue consideration of H.R. 5684, U.S.-Oman Free Trade Agreement Implementation Act, with a vote on final passage of the bill. At 2:15 p.m., Senate will begin consideration of the nomination of Alice S. Fisher, of Virginia, to