Message from the President: Senate received the following message from the President of the United States:

Transmitting, pursuant to law, a report relative to the blocking of property of additional persons undermining democratic processes or institutions in Zimbabwe; which was referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. (PM–60)

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Record Votes: Two record votes were taken today. (Total—185) Page S7436

Adjournment: Senate convened at 9:15 a.m. and adjourned at 3:27 p.m., until 9:00 a.m. on Saturday, July 26, 2008. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S7485.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

NOMINATION

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: Committee concluded a hearing to examine the nomination of James A. Williams, of Virginia, to be Administrator of General Services Administration, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Warner and former Secretary of Homeland Security Thomas J. Ridge, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

OFFSHORE TAX HAVENS

Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs: Permanent Subcommittee on Investigations concluded a hearing to examine financial institutions located in offshore tax havens, focusing on ways to strengthen United States domestic and international tax enforcement efforts, after receiving testimony from Steven Greenfield, New York, New York; and Peter S. Lowy, Beverly Hills, California.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. The House is scheduled to meet at 11 a.m. on Monday, July 28, 2008 in pro forma session.

Committee Meetings

MORTGAGE SERVICING PRACTICES FORECLOSURE MITIGATION

Committee on Financial Services: Held a hearing entitled "A Review of Mortgage Servicing Practices and Foreclosure Mitigation." Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

EXECUTIVE POWER AND ITS CONSTITUTIONAL LIMITATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Held a hearing on Executive Power and Its Constitutional Limitations. Testimony was heard from Representatives Kucinich, Hinchey, Jones of North Carolina and Miller of North Carolina; former Representatives Elizabeth Holtzman of New York and Bob Barr of Georgia; Bruce Fein, former Associate Deputy Attorney General, Department of Justice; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR SATURDAY, JULY 26, 2008

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

No meetings/hearings scheduled.

CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

Week of July 26 through August 2, 2008

Senate Chamber

On *Saturday,* at 9 a.m., Senate will continue consideration of the amendment of the House of Representatives to the amendment of the Senate to the amendments of the House to the amendment of the Senate to H.R. 3221, Foreclosure Prevention Act, and vote on the motion to concur therein at 11 a.m.;