

Wednesday, April 5, 1995

# Daily Digest

## HIGHLIGHTS

House passed the tax fairness and deficit reduction bill.

## Senate

### Chamber Action

*Routine Proceedings, pages S5161–S5272*

**Measures Introduced:** Nine bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 675–683, and S. Res. 103–105. Pages S5217–18

**Measures Reported:** Reports were made as follows: S. 510, to extend the authorization for certain programs under the Native American Programs Act of 1974, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 104–28) Page S5217

#### Measures Passed:

**National 4-H Day:** Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S. Res. 100, to proclaim April 5, 1995, as National 4-H Day, and the resolution was then agreed to. Pages S5212–13

**FEMA Supplemental Appropriations/Rescissions:** Senate continued consideration of H.R. 1158, making emergency supplemental appropriations for additional disaster assistance and making rescissions for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1995, taking action on amendments proposed thereto, as follows: Page S5216

#### Adopted:

Wellstone Amendment No. 450, to express the sense of the Senate that before the Senate votes on block granting WIC to States the Senate Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry should investigate whether there is any improper food industry lobbyists' involvement in the transfer of WIC into State-controlled block grants. Page S5216

Dole/McConnell Modified Amendment No. 451 (to Amendment No. 450), to establish debt restructuring and debt relief for Jordan. Page S5216

#### Pending:

Hatfield Amendment No. 420, in the nature of a substitute. Page S5216

D'Amato Amendment No. 427 (to Amendment No. 420), to require Congressional approval of ag-

gregate annual assistance to any foreign entity using the exchange stabilization fund established under section 5302 of title 31, United States Code, in an amount that exceeds \$5 billion. Page S5216

Murkowski/D'Amato Amendment No. 441 (to Amendment No. 427), of a perfecting nature. Page S5216

Daschle Amendment No. 445 (to Amendment No. 420), in the nature of a substitute. Page S5216

Dole (for Ashcroft) Amendment No. 446 (to Amendment No. 445), in the nature of a substitute. Page S5216

Senate will resume consideration of the bill on Thursday, April 6, 1995, with a vote on a motion to close further debate on Hatfield Amendment No. 420 to occur thereon at 2 p.m.

**Messages From the House:** Page S5217

**Measures Referred:** Page S5217

**Measures Placed on Calendar:** Pages S5175–76, S5217

**Statements on Introduced Bills:** Pages S5218–31

**Additional Cosponsors:** Page S5231

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**Additional Statements:** Pages S5268–72

**Recess:** Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and recessed at 9:11 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Thursday, April 6, 1995. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's RECORD on page S5272.)

### Committee Meetings

*(Committees not listed did not meet)*

#### APPROPRIATIONS—NASA

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on VA, HUD, and Independent Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1996 for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration,