

Friday, June 9, 1995

# Daily Digest

## Senate

### Chamber Action

**Routine Proceedings, pages S8055–S8126**

**Measures Introduced:** Eleven bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 903–913, and S. Res. 132. **Pages S8097–98**

**Measures Reported:** Reports were made as follows:  
S. 908, to authorize appropriations for the Department of State for fiscal years 1996 through 1999 and to abolish the United States Information Agency, the United States Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, and the Agency for International Development. (S. Rept. No. 104–95) **Page S8097**

#### Measures Passed:

**Commending Captain Scott F. O'Grady:** Senate agreed to S. Res. 132, commending Captain O'Grady and United States and NATO forces. **Pages S8078–80**

**Telecommunications Competition/Deregulation Act:** Senate continued consideration of S. 652, to provide for a pro-competitive, de-regulatory national policy framework designed to accelerate rapidly private sector deployment of advanced telecommunications and information technologies and services to all Americans by opening all telecommunications markets to competition, taking action on amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

**Pages S8055–58, S8061–77, S8085**

#### Adopted:

(1) By 83 yeas to 4 nays (Vote No. 247), Santorum Amendment No. 1267, to permit the Bell operating companies to provide interLATA commercial mobile services. **Pages S8062–64**

(2) By 77 yeas to 8 nays, 1 voting present (Vote No. 248), Dole Modified Amendment No. 1255, to provide additional deregulation of telecommunications services, including rural and small cable TV systems. **Pages S8064–69**

#### Pending:

(1) Dorgan Modified Amendment No. 1264, to require Department of Justice approval for Regional Bell Operating Company entry into long distance services, based on the VIII(c) standard. **Pages S8055–57**

(2) Thurmond Modified Amendment No. 1265 (to Amendment No. 1264), to provide for the review by the Attorney General of the United States of the entry of the Bell operating companies into interexchange telecommunications and manufacturing markets. **Pages S8055–57**

#### Withdrawn:

Hollings/Daschle Amendment No. 1266, to clarify the requirements a Bell operating company must satisfy before being permitted to offer long distance services. **Page S8075**

During consideration of this measure today, the following action also occurred:

By 80 yeas to 8 nays (Vote No. 246), Senate agreed to a motion to instruct the Sergeant at Arms to request the attendance of absent Senators. **Page S8061**

Senate will resume consideration of the bill on Monday, June 12.

**Lobbying Gift Ban—Agreement:** A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the consideration of S. 101, to provide for the disclosure of lobbying activities to influence the Federal Government. **Pages S8086–87**

**Messages From the House:** **Page S8095**

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**Record Votes:** Three record votes were taken today. (Total—248) **Pages S8061, S8064, S8068–69**

**Quorum Calls:** One quorum call was taken today. (Total—3) **Page S8061**

**Recess:** Senate convened at 9:15 a.m., and recessed at 4:34 p.m., until 12 Noon, on Monday, June 12, 1995. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's RECORD on page S8087.)

## Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

### BOSNIA

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* Committee met in closed session to receive a briefing on the situation

in Bosnia from Lt. Gen. Wesley K. Clark, Director, Plans and Policy (J-5), Joint Chiefs of Staff; Joseph Kruzell, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for European and NATO Policy; and John Kornblum, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for European and Canadian Affairs.

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# House of Representatives

## Chamber Action

**Bills Introduced:** 3 public bills, H.R. 1811-1813, were introduced. Page H5756

**Speaker Pro Tempore:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Radanovich to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. Page H5755

**Senate Messages:** Messages received from the Senate today appear on page H5755.

**Quorum Calls—Votes:** No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

**Adjournment:** Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 10:11 a.m.

## Committee Meetings

No Committee meetings were held.

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### CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

Week of June 12 through 17, 1995

#### Senate Chamber

During the week, Senate expects to complete consideration of S. 652, Telecommunications Competition/Deregulation Act and, upon disposition, may consider the following:

S. 343, Regulatory Reform;  
H.R. 4, Welfare Reform; and

Consider conference reports, when available, and any cleared legislative and executive business.

(Senate will recess on Tuesday, June 13, 1995, from 12:30 p.m. until 2:15 p.m., for respective party conferences.)

#### Senate Committees

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

*Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry:* June 13, to resume hearings on proposed legislation to strengthen

and improve United States agricultural programs, focusing on commodity policy, 9:30 a.m., SR-328A.

June 15, Subcommittee on Production and Price Competitiveness, to hold hearings on proposed legislation to strengthen and improve United States agricultural programs, focusing on commodity policy, 9 a.m., SR-328A.

*Committee on Appropriations:* June 13, Subcommittee on Defense, to hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1996 for the Department of Defense, focusing on health programs, 2:30 p.m., SD-192.

*Committee on Armed Services:* June 13, to hold hearings on the nomination of John P. White, of Massachusetts, to be Deputy Secretary of Defense, 10 a.m., SR-222.

June 14, Full Committee, to hold hearings on the situation in Bosnia, 10 a.m., SD-106.

June 15, Full Committee, to hold hearings on the current situation and United States policy options in Bosnia, 10 a.m., SD-106.

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:* June 13, to hold hearings on the nomination of Roberta L. Gross, of the District of Columbia, to be Inspector General, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, 9:30 a.m., SR-253.

June 13, Subcommittee on Science, Technology, and Space, to hold hearings on issues relating to NASA's mission to Earth program, 10:30 a.m., SR-253.

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* June 13, to hold hearings on S. 755, to provide for the privatization of the United States Enrichment Corporation, 9:30 a.m., SD-366.

June 14, Full Committee, business meeting, to consider pending calendar business, 9:30 a.m., SD-366.

June 15, Full Committee, to hold hearings on S. 871, to provide for the management and disposition of the Hanford Reservation, and to provide for environmental management activities at the Reservation, 9:30 a.m., SD-366.

*Committee on Finance:* June 13, Subcommittee on Social Security and Family Policy, to hold hearings to examine the financial and business practices of the American Association of Retired Persons, 10 a.m., SD-215.

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* June 13, to hold hearings on numerous treaties relating to conventions and protocols on avoidance of double taxation and the prevention of fiscal evasion with respect to taxes on income and capital, 10 a.m., SD-419.

June 13, Subcommittee on East Asian and Pacific Affairs, to hold hearings to examine how automobile sanctions will affect United States-Japan relations, 2 p.m., SD-419.

June 14, Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere and Peace Corps Affairs, to resume hearings on S. 381, to strengthen international sanctions against the Castro government in Cuba to develop a plan to support a transition government leading to a democratically elected government in Cuba, Wednesday at 10:30 a.m. and Wednesday at 2 p.m., SD-419.

*Committee on the Judiciary:* June 14, Subcommittee on Immigration, business meeting, to resume markup of S. 269, to increase control over immigration to the United States by increasing border patrol and investigator personnel, improving the verification system for employer sanctions, increasing penalties for alien smuggling and for document fraud, reforming asylum, exclusion, and deportation law and procedures, instituting a land border user fee, and to reduce the use of welfare by aliens, 9:30 a.m., SD-226.

June 15, Subcommittee on Terrorism, Technology, and Government Information, to hold hearings to examine the militia movement in the United States, 9:30 a.m., SH-216.

*Committee on Labor and Human Resources:* June 14, business meeting, to consider the nominations of Edmundo A. Gonzales, of Colorado, to be Chief Financial Officer, Department of Labor, John D. Kemp, of the District of Columbia, to be a member of the National Council on Disability, and Clifford Gregory Stewart, of New Jersey, to be General Counsel of the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, and to mark up S. 143, to consolidate Federal employment training programs and create a new process and structure for funding the programs, and proposed legislation relating to health centers consolidation, and child abuse prevention and treatment, 9:30 a.m., SD-430.

June 15, Full Committee, to hold hearings to examine affirmative action in employment, focusing on Federal contractor requirements, 2 p.m., SD-430.

*Committee on Rules and Administration:* June 15, to hold hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for programs of the Federal Election Commission, 9:30 a.m., SR-301.

*Select Committee on Intelligence:* June 14, to hold hearings on the nomination of George J. Tenet, of Maryland, to be Deputy Director of Central Intelligence, 2 p.m., SD-562.

### House Chamber

*Monday,* House is not in session.

*Tuesday and the balance of the week,* Consideration of H.R. 1530, National Defense Authorization Act (structured rule, 2 hours of general debate); and

H.R. , Military Construction Appropriations Act for fiscal year 1996 (subject to a rule being granted).

NOTE.—Conference reports may be brought to the floor at any time. Any further program will be announced later.

### House Committees

*Committee on Agriculture,* June 13, Subcommittee on General Farm Commodities, hearing on 1995 Farm Bill—Agricultural Trade Title, 9:30 a.m., 1300 Longworth.

June 14, full Committee, hearing on the 1995 Farm Bill—Agricultural Trade Title, 1:30 a.m., 1300 Longworth.

June 15, Subcommittee on General Farm Commodities, to continue hearings on the Farm Bill—Rice, Wheat, and Oilseeds Titles, 2 p.m., 1300 Longworth.

*Committee on Appropriations,* June 14, Subcommittee on the District of Columbia, hearing on D.C. Finances, 10 a.m., H-144 Capitol.

June 14, Subcommittee on National Security, hearing on Contingency Operations, 10 a.m., 2360 Rayburn.

*Committee on Banking and Financial Services,* June 13, Subcommittee on Housing and Community Opportunity, hearing on “Resolving the FHA Multifamily Portfolio: HUD’s ‘Market to Market’ Proposal,” 10 a.m., 2128 Rayburn.

June 14 and 15, Subcommittee on Financial Institutions and Consumer Credit, to mark up H.R. 1362, Financial Institutions Regulatory Relief Act of 1995, 10 a.m., 2128 Rayburn.

June 14, Subcommittee on Housing and Community Opportunity, hearing on D.C. Housing and Community Development Issues, 10 a.m., 2220 Rayburn.

*Committee on Commerce,* June 13, Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade, and Hazardous Materials, to mark up H.R. 1062, Financial Services Competitiveness Act of 1995, 2 p.m., 2123 Rayburn.

June 13, Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance, to mark up H.R. 1062, Financial Services Competitiveness Act of 1995, 9:30 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

June 14, Subcommittee on Health and Environment, to continue hearings on H.R. 1627, Food Quality Protection Act of 1995, 10 a.m., 2322 Rayburn.

June 15, Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade and Hazardous Materials, to continue hearings on the reauthorization of the Superfund Program, 10 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

June 15, Subcommittee on Health and the Environment, to continue hearings on the Transformation of the Medicaid Program, 10:30 a.m., 2322 Rayburn.

*Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities,* June 13, Subcommittee on Early Childhood, Youth and Families, hearing on the Older Americans Act, 9:30 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

June 14, full Committee, to mark up H.R. 1176, to nullify an executive order that prohibits Federal contracts with companies that hire permanent replacements for striking employees, 9:30 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

June 14, Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing on Accreditation of Post-graduate Medical Education, 1 p.m., 2261 Rayburn.

June 15, Subcommittee on Employer-Employee Relations, hearing on H.R. 1594, to place restrictions on the

promotion by the Department of Labor and other Federal agencies and instrumentalities of economically targeted investments in connection with employee benefit plans, 9:30 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

June 16, Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing on D.C. Schools, 9:30 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

*Committee on Government Reform and Oversight*, June 13, Subcommittee on Government Management, Information and Technology, hearing on Streamlining Federal Field Structures, Part 1, 9 a.m., 2247 Rayburn.

June 14, Subcommittee on Civil Service, hearing on OPM Oversight: Federal Investigations Policy 9:30 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

June 14, Subcommittee on the Postal Service, to continue oversight hearings on the U.S. Postal Service, 10 a.m., 2247 Rayburn.

June 15, Subcommittee on Civil Service, to continue hearings on OPM Oversight: Contracting Federal Investigations, 9 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

June 15, Subcommittee on Human Resources and Intergovernmental Relations, oversight hearing on Anti-Fraud and Abuse Enforcement in Medicare/Medicaid programs, 10 a.m., 2247 Rayburn.

*Committee on House Oversight*, June 14, to consider pending business, 10 a.m., 1310 Longworth.

*Committee on International Relations*, June 13, Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade, hearing on U.S. Export Competitiveness in the Information Age: The Role of Government, 9:30 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

*Committee on the Judiciary*, June 12 and 13, hearings on H.R. 1710, Comprehensive Antiterrorism Act of 1995, 9:30 a.m., 2141 Rayburn.

June 15, Subcommittee on the Constitution, oversight hearing on partial-birth abortions, 10 a.m., 2237 Rayburn.

June 16, Subcommittee on Commercial and Administrative Law, to continue oversight hearings on the reauthorization of Legal Services Corporation, 10 a.m., 2226 Rayburn.

*Committee on Resources*, June 13, Private Property Rights Task Force, oversight hearing on Private Property Rights, 9:30 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

June 14, full Committee, to consider pending business, 11 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

June 15, Subcommittee on Fisheries, Wildlife and Oceans, oversight hearing on the NOAA's Ocean and Coastal Programs, 2 p.m., 1334 Longworth.

June 15, Subcommittee on Water and Power Resources, oversight hearing on possible transfer of Reclamation facilities out of Federal Control, 10 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

*Committee on Rules*, June 13, hearing on H. Res. 161, amending clause 4 of rule XIII of the Rules of the House to abolish the Consent Calendar and to establish in its place a Corrections Calendar, 3:30 p.m., H-313 Capitol.

*Committee on Science*, June 14, Subcommittee on Basic Research, to mark up the following measures: NSF Authorization Act; and United States Fire Administration Authorization Act, 9:30 a.m., 2318 Rayburn.

June 15, Subcommittee on Technology, to mark up the Technology Administration/National Institute of Standards and Technology Fiscal Year 1996 Authorization, 9:30 a.m., 2318 Rayburn.

*Committee on Small Business*, June 15, Subcommittee on Regulation and Paperwork, hearing on OSHA's Fall Protection Standard, 10 a.m., 2359 Rayburn.

*Committee on Standards of Official Conduct*, June 13, executive, to consider pending business, 3 p.m., HT-2M Capitol.

June 15, executive, to consider pending business, 2:30 p.m., HT-2M Capitol.

*Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure*, June 13, Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment, hearing on the reauthorization and Reform of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Act of 1980 (Superfund), 10 a.m., 2167 Rayburn.

June 15, full Committee, to mark up the following bills: H.R. 1788, Amtrak Reform and Privatization Act of 1995; and H.R. 714, Illinois Land Conservation Act of 1995, 10 a.m., 2167 Rayburn.

*Committee on Veterans' Affairs*, June 15, to mark up the following bills: H.R. 1384, to amend title 38, United States Code, to exempt certain full-time health-care professionals of the Department of Veterans Affairs from restrictions on remunerated outside professional activities; H.R. 1536, to amend title 38, United States Code, to extend for 2 years an expiring authority of the Secretary of Veterans Affairs with respect to determination of locality salaries for certain nurse anesthetist positions in the Department of Veterans Affairs; and H.R. 1565, to amend title 38, United States Code, to extend through December 31, 1997, the period during which the Secretary of Veterans Affairs is authorized to provide priority health care to certain veterans exposed to Agent Orange, ionizing radiation or environmental hazards, 9:30 a.m., 334 Cannon.

*Committee on Ways and Means*, June 13, to mark up H.R. 1812, Expatriation Tax Act of 1995, 12 p.m., 1100 Longworth.

June 13, Subcommittee on Human Resources, hearing on Child Support Enforcement and Supplemental Security Income, 2 p.m., B-318 Rayburn.

June 14, Subcommittee on Trade, to mark up the following: H.R. 541, Atlantic Tunas Convention Act of 1995; and Trade Technical Corrections, 10 a.m., 1100 Longworth.

June 15, Subcommittee on Oversight and the Subcommittee on Human Resources, joint hearing on the Earned Income Tax Credit, 10 a.m., 1100 Longworth.

*Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence*, June 15, Subcommittee on Human Intelligence, Analysis and Counterintelligence, executive, hearing on Terrorism, 10 a.m., H-405 Capitol.

### Joint Meetings

*Joint Economic Committee*: June 12, to hold hearings to examine certain issues relating to capitalism in the 21st century, 9:30 a.m., SD-106.

*Next Meeting of the SENATE*

12 noon, Monday, June 12

## Senate Chamber

**Program for Monday:** After the transaction of any morning business (not to extend beyond 1 p.m.), Senate will resume consideration of S. 652, Telecommunications Competition/Deregulation Act.

*Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES*

10:30 a.m., Tuesday, June 13

## House Chamber

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