

Tuesday, October 10, 1995

# Daily Digest

## HIGHLIGHTS

See Résumé of Congressional Activity.

## Senate

### Chamber Action

*Routine Proceedings, pages S14801–S14955*

**Measures Introduced:** Ten bills were introduced, as follows: S. 1298–1307. **Page S14883**

#### Measures Passed:

*U.S. Capitol Ceremony:* Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 94, authorizing the use of the rotunda of the Capitol for a dedication ceremony incident to the placement of a bust of Raoul Wallenberg in the Capitol. **Page S14851**

**Workforce Development Act:** Senate began consideration of S. 143, to consolidate Federal employment training programs and create a new process and structure for funding the programs, taking action on amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

**Pages S14803–43, S14851–52**

#### Adopted:

(1) By 52 yeas to 45 nays (Vote No. 482), Moy-nihan Amendment No. 2887 (to Amendment No. 2885), to strike provisions repealing training and employment for trade adjustment assistance.

**Pages S14855–60, S14865–67, S14875**

(2) By a unanimous vote of 97 yeas (Vote No. 483), Grams Amendment No. 2888 (to Amendment No. 2885), to enable States to develop integrated plans.

**Pages S14860–62, S14875**

(3) Breaux Amendment No. 2890 (to Amendment No. 2885), to require that States use vouchers to provide education and training services to displaced workers.

**Pages S14867–69**

(4) Dodd/Pell Amendment No. 2891 (to Amendment No. 2885), to provide for a migrant or seasonal farmworker program and for national discretionary grants.

**Pages S14869–71**

(5) Craig Amendment No. 2892 (to Amendment No. 2885), to provide for evaluation of State programs.

**Pages S14877–78**

#### Rejected:

(1) By 46 yeas to 49 nays (Vote No. 481), Pell (for Jeffords/Pell) Amendment No. 2886 (to Amendment No. 2885), to provide for the State distribution of funds for secondary school vocational education, postsecondary and adult vocational education, and adult education.

**Pages S14852–55, S14862**

(2) By 44 yeas to 53 nays (Vote No. 484), Glenn Amendment No. 2889 (to Amendment No. 2885), to ensure that training for displaced homemakers is included among work force employment activities and work force education activities for which funds may be used under this Act.

**Pages S14862–65, S14875–76**

#### Withdrawn:

Reported committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

#### Pending:

Kassebaum Amendment No. 2885, in the nature of a substitute.

**Pages S14825–43, S14851–82**

Ashcroft Amendment No. 2893 (to Amendment No. 2885), to establish a requirement that individuals submit to drug tests, and to ensure that applicants and participants make full use of benefits extended through work force employment activities.

**Pages S14878–82**

Senate will continue consideration of the bill on Wednesday, October 11, 1995.

**Removal of Injunction of Secrecy:** The injunction of secrecy was removed from the following treaty:

Extradition Treaty with Bolivia (Treaty Doc. No. 104–22).

The treaty was transmitted to the Senate today, considered as having been read for the first time, and referred, with accompanying papers, to the Committee on Foreign Relations and ordered to be printed.

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**Messages from the President:** Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

Transmitting the report of the Second Supplementary Agreement amending the agreement between the United States and the Federal Republic of Germany on Social Security of January 7, 1976; to the Committee on Finance. (PM-86). **Page S14882**

**Nominations Received:** Senate received the following nominations:

C. E. Abramson, of Montana, to be a Member of the National Commission on Libraries and Information Science for a term expiring July 19, 2000.

Walter Anderson, of New York, to be a Member of the National Commission on Libraries and Information Science for a term expiring July 19, 2000.

LaVeeda Morgan Battle, of Alabama, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Legal Services Corporation for a term expiring July 18, 1998.

John N. Erlenborn, of Illinois, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Legal Services Corporation for a term expiring July 13, 1998.

David Finn, of New York, to be a Member of the National Council on the Humanities for a term expiring January 26, 2000.

Joseph H. Gale, of Virginia, to be a Judge of the United States Tax Court for a term expiring fifteen years after he takes office.

Ernest G. Green, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the African Development Foundation for a term expiring September 22, 2001.

1 Air Force nomination in the rank of general.

Routine lists in the Air Force, Army, Marine Corps. **Pages S14953-55**

**Messages From the President:** **Page S14882**

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**Measures Referred:** **Page S14883**

**Measures Placed on Calendar:** **Page S14883**

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**Notices of Hearings:** **Pages S14941-42**

**Additional Statements:** **Pages S14942-50**

**Record Votes:** Four record votes were taken today. (Total-484) **Pages S14862, S14875-76**

**Recess:** Senate convened at 9:15 a.m., and recessed at 8:03 p.m., until 10:15 a.m., on Wednesday, October 11, 1995. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's RECORD on pages S14952-53.)

## Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

### MEDICARE

*Committee On Appropriations:* On Monday, October 2, Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies concluded oversight hearings to examine the Medicare payment system, after receiving testimony from Jonathon Ratner, Associate Director, Health Financing Issues, General Accounting Office; George Grob, Deputy Inspector General for Evaluation and Inspections, Office of the Inspector General, and Bruce Vladeck, Administrator, Health Care Financing Administration, both of the Department of Health and Human Services; and Robert Clock, Clock Medical Supply Inc., Winfield, Kansas, on behalf of the Health Industry Distributors Association.

### TRADEMARK COUNTERFEITING

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Committee concluded hearings on S. 1136, to strengthen Federal law enforcement and to increase criminal penalties to control and prevent commercial counterfeiting, after receiving testimony from Leonard S. Walton, Deputy Assistant Commissioner, Office of Investigations, U.S. Customs Service, Department of the Treasury; Dempster Leech, Harper Associates, Inc., New York, New York; Thomas McGann, Burton Snowboards, Burlington, Vermont; and John S. Bliss, International AntiCounterfeiting Coalition, Washington, D.C.