

Additional Statements:

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—157)

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Adjournment: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and adjourned at 7:24 p.m., until 9:15 a.m., on Wednesday, June 5, 1996. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S5780.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1997 for the Department of Defense, focusing on the chemical demilitarization program, receiving testimony from Harold P. Smith, Jr., Assistant to the Secretary of Defense (Atomic Energy); Theodore Procriv, Deputy Assistant to the Secretary of Defense (Chemical/Biological Matters); Maj. Gen. Robert D. Orton, Program Manager, Chemical Demilitarization, Office of Assistant Secretary of the Army (Research, Development, and Acquisition); and Richard Magee, Chairman, Subcommittee on Alternative Technologies, National Research Council, National Academy of Sciences.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

OIL SPILL PREVENTION AND RESPONSE

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Committee concluded hearings on S. 1730, to strengthen and improve provisions of the Oil Pollution Act of 1990, and to ensure that citizens and communities injured by oil spills are promptly and fully compensated, after receiving testimony from Rear Adm. James C. Card, Chief of Marine Safety and Environmental Protection, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; Douglas K. Hall, Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Oceans and Atmosphere/National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration; Douglas C. Wolcott, Chair, Committee on the Oil Pollution Act of 1990 (Section 4115) Implementation Review, National Research Council; Sidney H. Holbrook, Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection, Hartford; Thomas A. Allegretti, American Waterways Operators, Arlington, Virginia; John Torgan, Save the Bay, Providence, Rhode Island; Richard Du Moulin, Marine Transport Lines, Inc., Secaucus, New Jersey, on behalf of the International Association of Independent Tanker Owners; George J. Savastano,

Ocean City Department of Public Works, Ocean City, New Jersey; and Richard H. Hobbie, III, New York, New York, on behalf of the Water Quality Insurance Syndicate and the American Institute of Marine Underwriters.

ROMANIA MFN TRADE STATUS

Committee on Finance: Subcommittee on International Trade held hearings S. 1644, to authorize permanent extension of most-favored-nation trade status to Romania, receiving testimony from Senator Brown; Representatives Funderburk (former U.S. Ambassador to Romania), and Lantos; Marshall F. Adair, Deputy Assistant Secretary of European and Canadian Affairs, Department of State; Jeffrey M. Lang, Deputy United States Trade Representative; Martin M. Albanese, Lockheed Martin Ocean, Radar and Sensor Systems/Lockheed Martin Corporation, Syracuse, New York; Laszlo Hamos, Hungarian Human Rights Foundation, New York, New York; and Armand A. Scala, Congress of Romanian Americans, McLean, Virginia.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

U.N. WORLD CONFERENCES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings to examine the purpose and results of recent United Nations international conferences, after receiving testimony from Representative Christopher Smith; Timothy E. Wirth, Under Secretary of State for Global Affairs; Penny Nance, Concerned Women for America, and Suzanne Kindervatter, Commission on the Advancement of Women, both of Washington, D.C.; and Christine Vollmer, Latin American Alliance for the Family, Caracas, Venezuela.

CHILD PORNOGRAPHY

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings on S. 1237, to revise certain provisions of law relating to child pornography, after receiving testimony from Kevin V. Di Gregory, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Department of Justice; Jeffrey J. Dupilka, Deputy Chief Postal Inspector for Criminal Investigations, United States Postal Inspection Service, U.S. Postal Service; Dee Jepsen, Enough is Enough, and Bruce A. Taylor, National Law Center for Children and Families, both of Fairfax, Virginia; Frederick Schauer, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts; Judith F. Krug, American Library Association, Washington, D.C.; and Victor Cline, University of Utah, Salt Lake City.