

Daily Digest

HIGHLIGHTS

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Three bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1930–1932, and S. Res. 276. **Pages S7414, S7416–17**

Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows: Reported on Tuesday, July 2, during the adjournment of the Senate:

S. 1662, to establish areas of wilderness and recreation in the State of Oregon, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 104–314)

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Small Business Job Protection Act: Senate began consideration of H.R. 3448, to provide tax relief for small businesses, to protect jobs, to create opportunities, and to increase the take home pay of workers, with a committee amendment, taking action on amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Pending:

Kennedy Amendment No. 4435, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to provide for an increase in the minimum wage rate and to exempt computer professionals from the minimum wage and maximum hour requirements, and to amend the Portal-to-Portal Act of 1947 relating to the payment of wages to employees who use employer-owned vehicles.

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Bond Amendment No. 4272, to modify the payment of wages provisions.

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Senate will continue consideration of the bill and amendments pending thereto, on Tuesday, July 9, 1996, with votes to occur thereon.

DOD Authorizations—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of S. 1745, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1997 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, and to prescribe personnel strengths for such fiscal year for the Armed Forces, on Wednesday, July 10, 1996, with a vote to occur thereon at 12 noon.

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Adjournment: Senate convened at 12:30 p.m., and adjourned at 6:36 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Tuesday, July 9, 1996. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S7420.)

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.