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## GPO REFORM

*Committee on Rules and Administration:* Committee concluded hearings to review legislative recommendations on certain revisions to Title 44 of the U.S. Code which authorizes the Government Printing Office to provide permanent public access to Federal government information, after receiving testimony from Henry J. Gioia, Senior Management Analyst, Office of the Director of Administration and Management, Office of the Secretary, Department of Defense; Gary R. Bachula, Deputy Under Secretary of Commerce for Technology Administration; John W. Carlin, Archivist of the United States; and Joan K. Lippincott, Coalition for Networked Information, Washington, D.C.

## INTELLIGENCE

*Select Committee on Intelligence:* Committee held closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community. Committee recessed subject to call.

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# House of Representatives

## Chamber Action

**Bills Introduced:** 48 public bills, H.R. 1702–1749; 1 private bill, H.R. 1750; and 9 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 86–91 and H. Res. 156–158, were introduced. Pages H3201–03

**Reports Filed:** No reports were filed today.

**Speaker Pro Tempore:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designated Representative Taylor of North Carolina to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. Page H3171

**Guest Chaplain:** The prayer was offered by the guest Chaplain, the Rev. Sam P. Lamback, Jr. of Byron, Georgia. Page H3171

**Journal Vote:** By a recorded vote of 352 ayes to 65 noes, Roll No. 154, the House agreed to the Speaker's approval of the Journal of Wednesday, May 22. Pages H3171, H3191–92

**North Atlantic Assembly:** The Chair announced the Speaker's appointment of Representative Bereuter, as Chairman; Representative Solomon, as Vice Chairman; and Representatives Regula, Bateman, Bliley, Boehlert, Roukema, Ballenger, Hamilton, Rush, Lantos, and Manton to the United States Group of the North Atlantic Assembly. Page H3171

**Motion to Adjourn:** Rejected the Moakley motion to adjourn by a yea-and-nay vote of 80 yeas to 339 nays, Roll No. 152. Page H3187

**Waiving Two-Thirds Vote Requirement For Same Day Consideration:** The House agreed to H. Res. 155, waiving a requirement of clause 4(b) of rule XI with respect to consideration of certain resolutions reported from the Committee on Rules. Pages H3189–90

**Suspension—Drug Free Communities Act:** By a yea-and-nay vote of 420 yeas to 1 nay, Roll No. 153, the House voted to suspend the rules and pass H.R. 956, amended, to amend the National Narcotics Leadership Act of 1988 to establish a program to support and encourage local communities that first demonstrate a comprehensive, long-term commitment to reduce substance abuse among youth. Pages H3176–87, H3190–91

**Recess:** The House recessed at 1:08 p.m. and reconvened at 6:38 p.m. Page H3192

**Memorial Day District Work Period:** By a recorded vote of 67 ayes to 278 noes, Roll No. 155, the House failed to agreed to H. Con. Res. 87, providing for the adjournment of the two Houses of Congress. Pages H3195–96

**Recess:** The House recessed at 7:45 p.m. and reconvened at 12:02 a.m. on Friday, May 23. Page H3196

**Extension of Remarks:** It was made in order that for today all members be permitted to extend their remarks and to include extraneous material in that section of the Record entitled "Extension of Remarks".

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**Calendar Wednesday:** Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of Wednesday, June 4.

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**Resignations—Appointments:** It was made in order that notwithstanding any adjournment of the House until Tuesday, June 3, 1997, the Speaker, Majority Leader, and Minority Leader be authorized to accept resignations and to make appointments authorized by law or by the House.

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**Meeting Hour—Tuesday, May 27:** Agreed that when the House adjourns on Friday, May 23, it stand adjourned to meet at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, May 27.

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**Meeting Hour—Friday, May 30:** Agreed that when the House adjourns on Tuesday, May 27, it stand adjourned to meet at 10:00 a.m. on Friday, May 30.

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**Meeting Hour—Tuesday, June 3:** Agreed that when the House adjourns on Friday, May 30, it stand adjourned to meet at 12:30 p.m. on Tuesday, June 3, for Morning Hour debate.

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**Designation of Speaker Pro Tempore:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Morella to act as Speaker pro tempore to sign enrolled bills and joint resolutions through June 3, 1997.

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**Committee Resignation:** Read a letter from Representative Manzullo wherein he resigned from the Joint Economic Committee.

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**Joint Economic Committee:** The Chair announced the Speaker's appointment of Representative Ewing to the Joint Economic Committee.

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**Transportation and Infrastructure Committee Resolutions:** Read a letter from Chairman Shuster wherein he transmitted copies of resolutions adopted by the committee on May 7, 1997—referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

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**National Historical Publications and Records Commission:** The Chair announced the Speaker's appointment of Representative Blunt to the National Historical Publications and Records Commission.

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**Referrals:** S. 430, to amend the Act of June 20, 1910, to protect the permanent trust funds of the State of New Mexico from erosion due to inflation and modify the basis on which distributions are

made from those funds was referred to the Committee on Resources.

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**Senate Messages:** Message received by the Senate today appears on page H3171.

**Quorum Calls—Votes:** Two yea-and-nay votes and two recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages H3187, H3190–91, H3191–92, and H3196. There were no quorum calls.

**Adjournment:** Met at 10:00 a.m. and adjourned at 12:07 a.m. on Friday, May 23.

## Committee Meetings

### LABOR-HHS-EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education continued appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from Members of Congress.

### FINANCIAL MODERNIZATION

*Committee on Banking and Financial Services:* Continued hearings on Financial Modernization, including, H.R. 10, Financial Services Competitiveness Act of 1997. Testimony was heard from Alan Greenspan, Chairman, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System; Ricki Helfer, Chairman, FDIC; the following officials of the Department of the Treasury: Eugene Ludwig, Comptroller of the Currency; and Nicolas Retsinas, Director, Office of Thrift Supervision; Arthur Levitt, Jr., Chairman, SEC; and public witnesses.

### MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

*Committee on Commerce:* Subcommittee on Energy and Power approved for full Committee action the following bills: H.R. 1277, amended, Department of Energy Civilian Research and Development Act of 1997; H.R. 848, to extend the deadline under the Federal Power Act applicable to the construction of the AuSable Hydroelectric Project in New York; H.R. 1184, to extend the deadline under the Federal Power Act for the construction of the Bear Creek hydroelectric project in the State of Washington; and H.R. 1217, to extend the deadline under the Federal Power Act for the construction of a hydroelectric project located in the State of Washington.

### NATIONAL HIGHWAY AND TRAFFIC SAFETY ADMINISTRATION REAUTHORIZATION

*Committee on Commerce:* Subcommittee on Telecommunications, Trade, and Consumer Protection continued hearings on Reauthorization of the National Highway and Traffic Safety Administration.