

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Reports Filed: No reports were filed today.

Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designated Representative Petri to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H7603**

Amendments: Amendments printed pursuant to the rule appear on pages H7604–05.

Senate Messages: Message received from the Senate today appears on page H7603.

Referrals: S. 1198, to amend the Immigration and Nationality act to provide permanent authority for entry into the United States of certain religious workers was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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

Adjournment: Met at 12:00 noon and adjourned at 12:03 p.m.

Committee Meetings

No Committee meetings were held.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 1997

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation, business meeting, to mark up S. 1193, to extend the authorization of the aviation insurance program, and S. 1196, to require the National Transportation Safety Board and individual foreign air carriers to address the needs of families of passengers involved in aircraft accidents involving foreign air carriers, and to consider the nominations of W. Scott Gould, of the District of Columbia, to be Chief Financial Officer and Assistant Secretary, and Robert L. Mallett, of Texas, to be Deputy Secretary, both of the Department of Commerce, 10 a.m., SR253.

Committee on Environment and Public Works, to hold hearings on S. 1180, to authorize funds for programs of the Endangered Species Act, 9:30 a.m., SD406.

Committee on Finance, to hold hearings to examine the practices and procedures of the Internal Revenue Service, 9 a.m., SD106.

Committee on Foreign Relations, to hold hearings on the nominations of Corinne Claiborne Boggs, of Louisiana, to be Ambassador to the Holy See, R. Nicholas Burns, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Greece, Thomas M. Foglietta, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to Italy, and

Mark Robert Parris, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Turkey, 10 a.m., SD419.

Committee on Governmental Affairs, to resume hearings to examine certain matters with regard to the committee's special investigation on campaign financing, 10 a.m., SH216.

Committee on the Judiciary, to hold hearings to examine Federal antitrust policy in the healthcare marketplace, 10 a.m., SD226.

Committee on Veterans Affairs, to hold joint hearings with the House Committee on Veterans Affairs on the legislative recommendations of the American Legion, 9:30 a.m., 345 Cannon Building.

Special Committee on Aging, to hold hearings to examine screening and treatment options for prostate cancer, 10 a.m., SD628.

NOTICE

For a listing of Senate committee meetings scheduled ahead, see pages E1816–17 in today's Record.

House

Committee on Agriculture, Subcommittee on General Farm Commodities, hearing to review fast-track authority, 9:30 a.m., 1300 Longworth.

Committee on Appropriations, to consider revised Section 302(b) budget allocations for fiscal year 1998, 1 p.m., 2359 Rayburn.

Committee on Commerce, Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing on Adequacy of Access to Investigative Drugs for Seriously Ill Patients, 10 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

Committee on Education and the Workforce, Subcommittee on Employer-Employee Relations, hearing on Review of the National Labor Relations Board, 10 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

Committee on the Judiciary, Subcommittee on the Constitution, hearing on State Approaches to Protecting Private Property Rights, 1 p.m., 2237 Rayburn.

Committee on Resources, Subcommittee on Forests and Forest Health, hearing on H.R. 2458, Community Protection and Hazardous Fuels Reduction Act of 1997, 2 p.m., 1334 Longworth.

Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands and the Subcommittee on Water and Power, joint oversight hearing on the proposal to drain Lake Powell or reduce its water storage capability, 10 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

Committee on Rules, to consider the following: H.R. 2267, making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1998; and the Conference Report to accompany H.R. 2209, making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1998, 5 p.m., H 313 Capitol.