

Monday, February 2, 1998

Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages S245–S280

Measures Introduced: Four bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1593–1596 and S. Res. 171. Page S271

Nominations—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the consideration of the nominations of Carlos R. Moreno, of California, to be United States District Judge for the Central District of California, and Christine O. C. Miller, of the District of Columbia, to be Judge of the United States Court of Federal Claims, on Tuesday, February 3, 1998, with votes to occur thereon. Page S279

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

Transmitting the report of the budget of the U.S. Government for fiscal year 1999; which was referred jointly, pursuant to the order of January 30, 1975, to the Committee on Appropriations, and to the Committee on the Budget. (PM–88). Pages S268–71

Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Gus A. Owen, of California, to be a Member of the Surface Transportation Board for a term expiring December 31, 2002.

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Adjournment: Senate convened at 12 noon, and adjourned at 5:54 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Tuesday, February 3, 1998. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S279.)

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

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The House was not in session today. It will next meet on Tuesday, February 3.

Committee Meetings

EAST ASIA ECONOMIC CONDITIONS

Committee on Banking and Financial Services: On January 30, the Committee held a hearing on East Asia Economic Conditions. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Treasury: Robert E. Rubin, Secretary; and Lawrence H. Summers, Deputy Secretary; William S. Cohen, Secretary of Defense; Alan Greenspan, Chairman, Board

of Governors, Federal Reserve System; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

D.C. MANAGEMENT REFORM: COST, SAVINGS AND NET

Committee on Government Reform and Oversight: On January 30, the Subcommittee on the District of Columbia held a hearing on D.C. Management Reform: Cost, Savings and Net. Testimony was heard from Andrew Brimmer, Chairman, D.C. Financial and Responsibility and Management Assistance Authority; the following officials of the District of Columbia: Camille Barnett, Chief Management Officer; Anthony Williams, Chief Financial Officer; Marion