

during the first session of the 106th Congress: Representatives Archer, Crane, Thomas, Rangel, and Levin.

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Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: The Chair appointed the following members to the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Representatives Lewis of California, McCollum, Castle, Boehlert, Bass, Gibbons, LaHood, and Wilson.

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Clerk Designation: Read a letter from the Clerk wherein he designated Mr. Daniel F. C. Crowley, Deputy Clerk, to sign papers and do all other acts under the name of the Clerk in case of his temporary absence or disability.

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Communication from the Committee on Ways and Means: Read a letter from the Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means wherein he forwarded the Committee's recommendations for certain designations required by law for the 106th Congress: The Committee designated the following members to serve on the Joint Committee on Taxation: Representatives Archer, Crane, Thomas, Rangel, and Stark. The Committee recommended that the following members serve as official advisors for international conference meetings and negotiation sessions on trade agreements: Representatives Archer, Crane, Thomas, Rangel, and Levin.

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Committee Resignation: Read a letter from Representative Cox of California wherein he requested a leave of absence from the Committee on Government Reform. Without objection, the resignation was accepted.

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Recess: The House recessed at 2:50 and reconvened at 8:41 p.m.

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Committee Resignation: Read a letter from Representative Miller of Florida wherein he resigned from the Committee on the Budget. Without objection, the resignation was accepted.

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Committee Election: Agreed to H. Res. 21, electing Representatives Collins and Wamp to the Committee on the Budget.

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Committee Election: Agreed to H. Res. 22, electing Representatives Hefley, Knollenberg, Portman, and Camp to the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct.

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Meeting Hour: Agreed by unanimous consent that when the House adjourns today, it stand adjourned until 2 p.m. tomorrow, unless the House receives a message from the Senate transmitting its concurrence in H. Con. Res. 11, in which case the House shall stand adjourned pursuant to that concurrent resolution.

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Committee Election: Agreed to H. Res. 23, electing Representative Hill to the Committee on Agriculture; Representative Larson to the Committee on Armed Services; Representatives Pomeroy, Delahunt, Meeks of New York, Lee, Crowley, and Hoeffel to the Committee on International Relations; Representatives Weiner and Capuano to the Committee on Science; and Representatives Baird and Schakowsky to the Committee on Small Business.

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Resignations and Appointments: Agreed that notwithstanding any adjournment of the House until Tuesday, February 2, 1999, 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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State of the Union Address: President Clinton delivered his State of the Union address before a joint session of Congress. He was escorted into the House Chamber by a committee comprised of Representatives Arney, Watts of Oklahoma, Fowler, Dickey, Hutchinson, Gephardt, Bonior, Frost, Menendez, Berry, Snyder, and Senators Lott, Nickles, Thurmond, Stevens, Domenici, Warner, Daschle, Reid, Mikulski, Breaux, Kerry, Dorgan, Torricelli, Murray, Rockefeller, and Durbin. The President's message was referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered printed as a House Document (H. Doc. 106–1).

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Senate Messages: Messages delivered to the Clerk on Jan. 8, 1999 and Jan. 15, 1999 from the Senate appear on pages H248–49.

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

Adjournment: The House met at 2:00 p.m. and pursuant to H. Con. Res. 11, the House adjourned at 10:34 p.m. until 12:30 p.m. on Tuesday, February 2 for morning hour debate or, under the previous order of the House, until 2 p.m. tomorrow, unless the House sooner receives a message from the Senate transmitting its concurrence in H. Con. Res. 11.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on International Relations: Met for organizational purposes.

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Committee on Resources: Met for organizational purposes.