

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

U.S. NORTH KOREA POLICY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on East Asian and Pacific Affairs concluded hearings on the United States policy toward North Korea, focusing on the findings and recommendations of the Perry

Report, after receiving testimony from William J. Perry, Special Advisor to the President on North Korea Policy, Department of State.

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.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 6 public bills, H.R. 3057–3062; and 2 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 195–196, were introduced. Page H9899

Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows:
H.R. 1791, to amend title 18, United States Code, to provide penalties for harming animals used in Federal law enforcement, amended (H. Rept. 106–372);

Report on the Revised Suballocation of Budget Allocations for Fiscal Year 2000 (H. Rept. 106–373);

H.R. 795, to provide for the settlement of the water rights claims of the Chippewa Cree Tribe of the Rocky Boy's Reservation, amended (H. Rept. 106–374);

H. Res. 326, waiving points of order against the conference report to accompany the bill H.R. 2561, making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000 (H. Rept. 106–375); and

H. Res. 327, providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 1993) to reauthorize the Overseas Private Investment Corporation and the Trade and Development Agency (H. Rept. 106–376). Pages H9898–99

Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he designated Representative Biggert to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. Page H9823

Guest Chaplain: The prayer was offered by the guest Chaplain, Rev. Dr. Karl P. Donfried of Northampton, Massachusetts. Page H9827

Recess: The House recessed at 1:02 p.m. and reconvened at 2:00 p.m. Page H9826

Presidential Messages: Read the following messages from the President:

Naval Petroleum Reserves: Message wherein he transmitted his report on the continued production from the Naval Petroleum Reserves—referred to the Committee on Armed Services and ordered printed (H. Doc. 106–142); and Page H9828

Caribbean Economic Recovery Act: Message wherein he transmitted his report on the Caribbean Basin Economic Recovery Act—referred to the Committee on Ways and Means. Page H9877

Corrections Calendar: On the call of the Corrections Calendar, the House passed H.R. 576, to amend title 4, United States Code, to add the Martin Luther King, Jr. holiday to the list of days on which the flag should especially be displayed. Subsequently, the House passed S. 322, a similar Senate-passed bill—clearing the measure for the President. H.R. 576 was then laid upon the table. Pages H9828–31

Suspensions: The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Federal Law Enforcement Animal Protection Act: H.R. 1791, amended, to amend title 18, United States Code, to provide penalties for harming animals used in Federal law enforcement; Pages H9831–33

Designating the William H. Avery Post Office: H.R. 2591, to designate the United States Post Office located at 713 Elm Street in Wakefield, Kansas, as the “William H. Avery Post Office”; Pages H9833–35

Designating the Dizzy Dean Post Office: H.R. 2460, to designate the United States Post Office located at 125 Border Avenue West in Wiggins, Mississippi, as the “Jay Hanna ‘Dizzy’ Dean Post Office”; Pages H9835–37