

The rule provides that the amendment printed in the report of the Committee on Rules accompanying the resolution shall be considered as read and shall not be subject to a demand for a division of the question in the House or in the Committee of the Whole. The rule authorizes the Chair to accord priority in recognition to Members who have pre-printed their amendments in the Congressional Record. The rule allows the Chairman of the Committee of the Whole to postpone votes during consideration of the bill, and to reduce voting time to five minutes on a postponed question if the vote follows a fifteen minute vote. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions. Testimony was heard from Representatives Hansen and Cannon.

## Joint Meetings

### HIGH-TECH SUMMIT

*Joint Economic Committee:* Committee began hearings on the High-Technology National Summit to examine issues that are related to ensuring the continuation of its robust role in our economic health, focusing on the necessity for education system changes, trade and deregulation issues, and what actions the government should take regarding these issues, receiving testimony from Andrew S. Grove, Intel Corporation, and William Larson, Network Associates, both of Santa Clara, California; William H. Gates, Microsoft Corporation, Redmond, Washington; Carol Bartz, Autodesk, Inc., San Rafael, California; John Warnock, Adobe Systems, Inc., San Jose, California; Mark Leavitt, MedicalLogic/Medscape, Inc., Hillsboro, Oregon; and Jay Walker, Walker Digital and Priceline.com, Stamford, Connecticut.

Hearings will continue tomorrow.

### NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D526)

S.J. Res. 44, supporting the Day of Honor 2000 to honor and recognize the service of minority veterans in the United States Armed Forces during World War II. Signed May 26, 2000. (P.L. 106–205)

H.R. 154, to allow the Secretary of the Interior and the Secretary of Agriculture to establish a fee system for commercial filming activities on Federal land. Signed May 26, 2000. (P.L. 106–206)

H.R. 371, to expedite the naturalization of aliens who served with special guerrilla units in Laos. Signed May 26, 2000. (P.L. 106–207)

H.R. 834, to extend the authorization for the Historic Preservation Fund and the Advisory Council on

Historic Preservation. Signed May 26, 2000. (P.L. 106–208)

H.R. 1377, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 9308 South Chicago Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, as the “John J. Buchanan Post Office Building”. Signed May 26, 2000. (P.L. 106–209)

H.R. 1832, to reform unfair and anticompetitive practices in the professional boxing industry. Signed May 26, 2000. (P.L. 106–210)

H.R. 3629, to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to improve the program for American Indian Tribal Colleges and Universities under part A of title III. Signed May 26, 2000. (P.L. 106–211)

H.R. 3707, to authorize funds for the site selection and construction of a facility in Taipei Taiwan suitable for the mission of the American Institute in Taiwan. Signed May 26, 2000. (P.L. 106–212)

S. 1836, to extend the deadline for commencement of construction of a hydroelectric project in the State of Alabama. Signed May 26, 2000. (P.L. 106–213)

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## CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAM AHEAD

Week of June 5 through June 10, 2000

### Senate Chamber

On *Wednesday*, Senate will continue consideration of S. 2549, National Defense Authorization.

During the remainder of the week, Senate may consider any other cleared legislative and executive business, including appropriations bills when available.

### Senate Committees

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:* June 8, Subcommittee on International Trade and Finance, to hold oversight hearings to examine multilateral development institutions, 9:30 a.m., SD–538.

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* June 7, business meeting to consider pending calendar business, 9:30 a.m., SD–366.

June 7, Subcommittee on Forests and Public Land Management, to hold hearings on S. 2300, to amend the Mineral Leasing Act to increase the maximum acreage of Federal leases for coal that may be held by an entity in any 1 State; S. 2069, to permit the conveyance of certain land in Powell, Wyoming; and S. 1331, to give Lincoln County, Nevada, the right to purchase at fair market value certain public land in the county, 2:30 p.m., SD–366.

June 7, Subcommittee on Water and Power, with the Committee on Indian Affairs, to hold joint hearings on S. 2508, to amend the Colorado Ute Indian Water Rights Settlement Act of 1988 to provide for a final settlement

of the claims of the Colorado Ute Indian Tribes, 2:30 p.m., SR-485.

June 8, Subcommittee on Forests and Public Land Management, to hold hearings on H.R. 359, to clarify the intent of Congress in Public Law 93-632 to require the Secretary of Agriculture to continue to provide for the maintenance and operation of 18 concrete dams and weirs that were located in the Emigrant Wilderness at the time the wilderness area was designated in that Public Law; H.R. 468, to establish the Saint Helena Island National Scenic Area; H.R. 1680, to provide for the conveyance of Forest Service property in Kern County, California, in exchange for county lands suitable for inclusion in Sequoia National Forest; S. 1817, to validate a conveyance of certain lands located in Carlton County, Minnesota, and to provide for the compensation of certain original heirs; S. 1972, to direct the Secretary of Agriculture to convey to the town of Dolores, Colorado, the current site of the Joe Rowell Park; and S. 2111, to direct the Secretary of Agriculture to convey for fair market value 1.06 acres of land in the San Bernardino National Forest, California, to KATY 101.3 FM, a California corporation, 9:30 a.m., SD-366.

June 8, Subcommittee on National Parks, Historic Preservation, and Recreation, to hold oversight hearings to review the final rules and regulations issued by the National Park Service relating to Title IV of the National Parks Omnibus Management Act of 1998, 2:30 p.m., SD-366.

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* June 7, business meeting to consider pending calendar business, 11 a.m., SD-419.

June 7, Subcommittee on International Economic Policy, Export and Trade Promotion, to hold oversight hearings to examine satellite export controls, 2:30 p.m., SD-419.

June 8, Subcommittee on European Affairs, to hold hearings to examine Kosovo one year after the bombing, 10 a.m., SD-419.

*Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions:* June 8, to hold hearings to examine gender-based wage discrimination, 10 a.m., SD-430.

*Committee on Indian Affairs:* June 7, with the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, Subcommittee on Water and Power, to hold joint hearings on S. 2508, to amend the Colorado Ute Indian Water Rights Settlement Act of 1988 to provide for a final settlement of the claims of the Colorado Ute Indian Tribes, 2:30 p.m., SR-485.

*Committee on the Judiciary:* June 7, Subcommittee on Antitrust, Business Rights, and Competition, to hold hearings on competition and safety in the delivery of anesthesia services, 2 p.m., SD-226.

June 8, Full Committee, business meeting to consider S. 2448, to enhance the protections of the Internet and the critical infrastructure of the United States; S. 353, to provide for class action reform; and S. 2406, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide permanent authority for entry into the United States of certain religious workers, 10 a.m., SD-226.

## House Chamber

*Wednesday and the Balance of the Week:*

Subject to rules being granted, consideration of H.R. 3605, San Rafael Western Legacy District and National Conservation Act; H.R. 4576, DOD Appropriations; H.R. 4577, Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education Appropriations; H.R. 4461, Agriculture, Rural Development, FDA, and Related Agencies Appropriations; H.R. 4516, Legislative Branch Appropriations; and H.R. 8, Death Tax Elimination Act.

## House Committees

*Committee on Appropriations,* June 7, to mark up the VA, HUD and Independent Agencies appropriations for fiscal year 2001, 10 a.m., 2359 Rayburn.

June 8, Subcommittee on Treasury, Postal Service, and General Government, to mark up fiscal year 2001 appropriations, 9:30 a.m., B-308 Rayburn.

*Committee on Banking and Financial Services,* June 7, Subcommittee on Capital Markets, Securities and Government Sponsored Enterprises, hearing on Capital Markets and the New Economy, 10 a.m., 2128 Rayburn.

June 8, full Committee, to mark up the following bills: H.R. 3886, International Counter-Money Laundering Act of 2000; and H.R. 4419, Internet Gambling Funding Prohibition Act, 11 a.m., 2128 Rayburn.

*Committee on the Budget,* June 8, hearing on the "Corporate Welfare Reform Commission Act, Unjustified Business Subsidies and Legislation aimed at Addressing Them," 12 p.m., 210 Cannon.

June 9, Housing and Infrastructure Task Force, hearing on Government's Failure in Disposing of Obsolete Ships, 10 a.m., 210 Cannon.

*Committee on Commerce,* June 8, Subcommittee on Energy and Power, hearing entitled: "National Energy Policy: The Future of Nuclear and Coal Power in the United States," 1 p.m., 2123 Rayburn.

June 8, Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing on Counterfeit Bulk Drugs, 11 a.m., 2322 Rayburn.

*Committee on Government Reform,* June 7 and 8, hearings on Cancer Care for the New Millennium-Integrative Oncology, 1 p.m., 2154 Rayburn.

June 8, Subcommittee on Criminal Justice, Drug Policy, and Human Resources, hearing on Counterdrug Implications of the U.S. Leaving Panama, 10 a.m., 2247 Rayburn.

June 8, Subcommittee on Government Management, Information, and Technology, oversight hearing on the Implementation of the Debt Collection Improvement Act, 10 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

*Committee on the Judiciary,* June 8, Subcommittee on Commercial and Administrative Law, hearing on H.R. 534, Fairness and Voluntary Arbitration Act, 10:30 a.m., 2141 Rayburn.

June 8, Subcommittee on Immigration and Claims, hearing on the following bills: H.R. 3295, CT-43A Federal Employee Settlement Act; and H.R. 1371, to amend the Federal tort claims provisions of title 28, United

States Code, to repeal the exception for claims arising outside the United States, 10:45 a.m., 2226 Rayburn.

*Committee on Resources*, June 7, to mark up the following bills: S. 439, to amend the National Forest and Public Lands of Nevada Enhancement Act of 1988, to adjust the boundary of the Toiyabe National Forest, Nevada; H. R. 946, Graton Rancheria Restoration Act; S. 1374, Jackson Multi-Agency Campus Act of 1999; H.R. 2773, Wekiva Wild and Scenic River Act of 1999; H.R. 2778, Taunton River Wild and Scenic River Study Act of 1999; H.R. 2833, Yuma Crossing National Heritage Area Act of 1999; H.R. 2919, National Underground Railroad Freedom Center Act; H.R. 3084, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to contribute funds for the establishment of an interpretative center on the life and contributions of President Abraham Lincoln; H.R. 3236, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to enter into contracts with the Weber Basin Water Conservancy District, Utah, to use Weber Basin Project facilities for the impounding, storage, and carriage of nonproject water for domestic, municipal, industrial, and other beneficial purposes; H.R. 3241, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to recalculate the franchise fee owed by Fort Sumter Tours, Inc., a concessioner providing service to Fort Sumter National Monument in South Carolina; H.R. 3657, to provide for the conveyance of a small parcel of public domain land in the San Bernardino National Forest in the State of California; H.R. 3661, General Aviation Access Act; H.R. 3817, to redesignate the Big South Trail in the Comanche Peak Wilderness Area of Roosevelt National Forest in Colorado as the "Jaryd Atadero Legacy Trail;" H.R. 4070, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to correct a map relating to the Coastal Barrier Resources System Unit P31, located near the city of Mexico Beach, Florida; H.R. 4115, to authorize appropriations for the United States Holocaust Memorial Museum; and H.R. 4408, to reauthorize the Atlantic Striped Bass Conservation Act, 11 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

June 7, Subcommittee on Forests and Forest Health and the Subcommittee on National Oaks and Public Lands, joint oversight hearing on Fire Management on Federal Lands, 2 p.m., 1334 Longworth.

June 8, Subcommittee on Fisheries Conservation, Wildlife and Oceans, hearing on the following measures: H.R. 4286, to provide for the establishment of the Cahaba River National Refuge in Bibb County, Alabama; and H.Res. 415, expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that there should be established a National Ocean Day to recognize the significant role the ocean plays in the lives of the Nation's people and the important role the Nation's people must play in the continued life of the ocean, 10 a.m., 1334 Longworth.

June 8, Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands, hearing on the following bills: H.R. 3520, White Clay Creek Wild and Scenic Rivers System Act; H.R.

3745, Effigy Mounds National Monument Additions Act; and H.R. 4404, to permit the payment of medical expenses incurred by the United States Park Police in the performance of duty to be made directly by the National Park Service, to allow for waiver and indemnification in mutual law enforcement agreements between the National Park Service and a State or political subdivision when required by State law, 10 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

*Committee on Rules*, June 7, to consider H.R. 8, Death Tax Elimination Act, 3 p.m., H-313 Capitol.

*Committee on Small Business*, June 7, hearing on Regulatory Reform Initiatives and Their Impact on Small Business, 10 a.m., 2360 Rayburn.

June 7, Subcommittee on Rural Enterprises, Business Opportunities and Special Small Business Problems, hearing on the Future of Round II Empowerment Zones, 2 p.m., 2360 Rayburn.

June 8, Subcommittee on Government Programs and Oversight, hearing on Women in Business, 10 a.m., 2360 Rayburn.

June 8, Subcommittee on Regulatory Reform and Paperwork Reduction, hearing on the Quality of Regulatory Analyses, 10 a.m., 311 Cannon.

*Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure*, June 7, Subcommittee on Coast Guard and Maritime Transportation, hearing on Coast Guard Fiscal Year 2000 Operational Cuts, 2:30 p.m., 2167 Rayburn.

June 8, Subcommittee on Ground Transportation, hearing on H.R. 4441, Motor Carrier Fuel Cost Equity Act of 2000, 10 a.m., 2167 Rayburn.

June 8, Subcommittee on Oversight, Investigations, and Emergency Management, hearing on Requirements Governing EPA Grants, 1:30 p.m., 2167 Rayburn.

*Committee on Veterans' Affairs*, June 8, Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing on the Department of Veterans Affairs services for women veterans, 10 a.m., 334 Cannon.

*Committee on Ways and Means*, June 8, to mark up the following measures: H.J. Res. 90, withdrawing the approval of the United States from the Agreement establishing the World Trade Organization; and the Debt Reduction and Reconciliation Act of 2000, 2 p.m., 1100 Longworth.

### Joint Meetings

*Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe*: June 8, to hold hearings on the human rights situation of the Romani minority in the OSCE region where Roma face widespread discrimination in public places, education, housing, and employment, as well as other human rights violations, 2 p.m., SR-485.

*Joint Economic Committee*: June 7, to continue hearings on the High-Technology National Summit, focusing on removing barriers to the new economy, 10 a.m., SH-216.