

National Emergency Re Angola: Message wherein he transmitted his report on the National Emergency with respect to the National Union for the total Independence of Angola—referred to the Committee on International Relations and ordered printed (H. Doc. 106–294); **Page H8000**

National Emergency Re Angola: Message wherein he transmitted his 6 month periodic report on the National Emergency with respect to the National Union for the total Independence of Angola—referred to the Committee on International Relations and ordered printed (H. Doc. 106–296); and **Page H8036**

National Emergency Re Iran: Message wherein he transmitted his report on the National Emergency with respect to Iran—referred to the Committee on International Relations and ordered printed (H. Doc. 106–297). **Page H8036**

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

25th Anniversary of IDEA: H. Con. Res. 399, recognizing the 25th anniversary of the enactment of the Education for All Handicapped Children Act of 1975 (agreed to by a yea and nay vote of 359 yeas to 2 nays, Roll No. 487); **Pages H8000–05, H8031–32**

College Scholarship Fraud Prevention Act: S. 1455, to enhance protections against fraud in the offering of financial assistance for college education—clearing the measure for the President. Subsequently, the House agreed to H. Con. Res. 407, to direct the Secretary of the Senate to correct technical errors in the enrollment of the bill; **Pages H8005–06**

Hmong Veterans' Naturalization Act Amendments: H.R. 5234, to amend the Hmong Veterans' Naturalization Act of 2000 to extend the applicability of that Act to certain former spouses of deceased Hmong veterans; **Pages H8006–08**

Small Business Innovation Research Program Reauthorization: H. Res. 590, providing for the concurrence by the House with an amendment in the amendment of the Senate to H.R. 2392, to amend the Small Business Act to extend the authorization for the Small Business Innovation Research Program; **Pages H8008–18**

Frederick L. Dewberry, Jr. Post Office Building, Baltimore, Maryland: H.R. 4451, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1001 Frederick Road in Baltimore, Maryland, as the "Frederick L. Dewberry, Jr. Post Office Building"; **Pages H8018–19**

International Food Relief Partnership Act: H.R. 5244, amended, to amend the Agriculture Trade Development and Assistance Act of 1954 to authorize

assistance for the stockpiling and rapid transportation, delivery, and distribution of shelf stable pre-packaged foods to needy individuals in foreign countries; **Pages H8019–21**

Penalties for Export Administration Act Violations: H.R. 5239, amended, to provide for increased penalties for violations of the Export Administration Act of 1979; **Pages H8021–22**

Serbia and Montenegro Democracy Act: H.R. 1064, amended, to authorize a coordinated program to promote the development of democracy in Serbia and Montenegro; **Pages H8022–29**

Asian Pacific Charter Commission Act: H.R. 4899, amended, to establish a commission to promote a consistent and coordinated foreign policy of the United States to ensure economic and military security in the Pacific region of Asia through the promotion of democracy, human rights, the rule of law, free trade, and open markets, Agreed to amend the title; and **Pages H8029–31**

Suspension Vote Postponed on 25th Anniversary of the Helsinki Final Act: The House completed debate on the motion to suspend the rules and pass H.J. Res. 100, calling upon the President to issue a proclamation recognizing the 25th anniversary of the Helsinki Final Act. Further proceedings were postponed until Tuesday, September 26. **Pages H8032–36**

Senate Message: Message received from the Senate appears on page H7999.

Referrals: S. 2511, was referred to the committee on Resources. **Page H8059**

Quorum Calls—Votes: One yea and nay vote developed during the proceedings of the House today and appears on pages H8031–32. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 12:30 p.m. and adjourned at 10:09.

Committee Meetings

ETHNIC MINORITY DISPARITIES IN CANCER TREATMENT

Committee on Government Reform: Held a hearing on Ethnic Minority Disparities in Cancer Treatment: Why the Unequal Burden? Testimony was heard from Representatives Jackson of Illinois and Thompson of Mississippi; Harold P. Freeman, M.S., Associate Director, Racial Disparities, National Cancer Institute, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

CONTINUING APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Rules: Granted, by voice vote, a closed rule providing one hour of debate in the House on H.J. Res. 109, making continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2001, equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the joint resolution. The rule provides one motion to recommit. Testimony was heard from Chairman Young of Florida.

THE SAME DAY CONSIDERATION OF CERTAIN RESOLUTIONS REPORTED BY THE RULES COMMITTEE

Committee on Rules: Granted, by voice vote, a rule waiving clause 6(a) of rule XIII (requiring a two-thirds vote to consider a rule on the same day it is reported from the Rules Committee) against certain resolutions reported from the Rules Committee. The rule applies the waiver to a special rule reported on the legislative day of September 26, 2000, providing for consideration or disposition of a conference report to accompany the bill (H.R. 4578) making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001, or any amendment reported in disagreement from a conference thereon. Finally, the rule lays H. Res. 586 on the table.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2000

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Transportation, to hold hearings to examine HUD's performance management, 10:30 a.m., SD-538.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: to hold oversight hearings on the activities of the National Railroad Passenger Corporation (AMTRAK), 9:30 a.m., SR-253.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: to hold oversight hearings to examine the current outlook for supply of heating and transportation fuels this winter, 9:30 a.m., SD-366.

Subcommittee on Forests and Public Land Management, to hold hearings on S. 3044, to establish the Las Cienegas National Conservation Area in the State of Arizona; S. 3052, to designate wilderness areas and a cooperative management and protection area in the vicinity of Steens Mountain in Harney County, Oregon; and S. 3039, to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to sell a Forest Service administrative site occupied by the Rocky Mountain Research Station located in Boise, Idaho, and use the proceeds derived from the sale to purchase inter-

ests in a multiagency research and education facility to be constructed by the University of Idaho, 2:30 p.m., SD-366.

Committee on Environment and Public Works: to hold hearings on S. 1763, to amend the Solid Waste Disposal Act to reauthorize the Office of Ombudsman of the Environmental Protection Agency; S. 1915, to enhance the services provided by the Environmental Protection Agency to small communities that are attempting to comply with national, State, and local environmental regulations; S. 2296, to provide grants for special environmental assistance for the regulation of communities and habitat (SEARCH) to small communities; and S. 2800, to require the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to establish an integrated environmental reporting system, 9:30 a.m., SD-406.

Full Committee, business meeting to consider pending calendar business, 10:30 a.m., S-216, Capitol.

Committee on Finance: Subcommittee on Social Security and Family Policy, to hold hearings to examine IRS collection of child support payments, 2:30 p.m., SD-215.

Committee on Foreign Relations: to hold hearings to examine U.S. foreign policy at the end of the current administration, 10:30 a.m., SD-419.

Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions: to hold hearings to examine biotechnology and consumer confidence of food, 9:30 a.m., SD-430.

Select Committee on Intelligence: with the Committee on the Judiciary, to hold joint oversight hearings to examine the Wen Ho Lee case, 9:30 a.m., SH-216.

Full Committee, to hold closed hearings on pending intelligence matters, 2:30 p.m., SH-219.

Committee on the Judiciary: with the Select Committee on Intelligence, to hold joint oversight hearings to examine the Wen Ho Lee case, 9:30 a.m., SH-216.

Subcommittee on Criminal Justice Oversight, to hold oversight hearings to examine the United States Sentencing Commission, 2:30 p.m., SD-226.

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

House

Committee on Agriculture, Subcommittee on Livestock and Horticulture, hearing on H.R. 1144, Country-of-Origin Meat Labeling Act of 1999, 11 a.m., 1300 Longworth.

Committee on Commerce, to mark up the following measures: H.R. 2441, Fairness in Securities Transactions Act; H.R. 1798, Clinical Research Enhancement Act of 1999; H.R. 762, Lupus Research and Care Amendments of 1999; and the Beneficiary Improvement and Protection Act of 2000, 10 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

Committee on Education and the Workforce, hearing on the Importance of Literacy, 9:30 a.m., 2175 Rayburn

Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing on Federal Prison Industries (FPI): Diverting Federal Property from the Computers for Learning and Other Programs to Expand FPI's Commercial Sales, 1 p.m., 2175 Rayburn.