

Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages S4449–S4523

Measures Introduced: Seven bills and two resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 840–846, and S. Res. 83–84. **Page S4508**

Measures Passed:

Senate Legal Representation: Senate agreed to S. Res. 84, to authorize representation by the Senate Legal Counsel in *Timothy A. Holt v. Phil Gramm*.

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Elementary and Secondary Education Act Authorization: Senate continued consideration of S. 1, to extend programs and activities under the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, taking action on the following amendments proposed thereto:

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Adopted:

By 69 yeas to 31 nays (Vote No. 94), Kennedy Modified Amendment No. 375 (to Amendment No. 358), to express the sense of the Senate regarding, and to authorize appropriations for title II, part A, of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, with respect to the development of high-qualified teachers. **Pages S4461, S4462**

Allen/Warner Amendment No. 380 (to Amendment No. 358), to provide a Sense of the Senate regarding education opportunity tax relief to enable the purchase of technology and tutorial services for K–12 education purposes. **Pages S4461, S4462**

By 95 yeas to 3 nays (Vote No. 95), Warner Modified Amendment No. 383 (to Amendment No. 358), to provide a Sense of the Senate regarding tax relief for elementary and secondary level educators.

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Feinstein Amendment No. 392 (to Amendment No. 358), to provide for programs and activities related to Master Teachers. **Pages S4493–94**

Rejected:

By 27 yeas to 73 nays (Vote No. 93), Craig Amendment No. 372 (to Amendment No. 358), to tie funding under the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to improved student performance. **Pages S4461–62**

Pending:

Jeffords Amendment No. 358, in the nature of a substitute. **Pages S4461–98**

Kennedy (for Murray) Amendment No. 378 (to Amendment No. 358), to provide for class size reduction programs. **Pages S4461, S4463–71, S4474–75, S4476–84, S4485–87, S4496–97**

Kennedy (for Mikulski/Kennedy) Amendment No. 379 (to Amendment No. 358), to provide for the establishment of community technology centers. **Pages S4461, S4494–96**

Kennedy (for Dodd) Amendment No. 382 (to Amendment No. 358), to remove the 21st century community learning center program from the list of programs covered by performance agreements. **Page S4461**

McConnell Amendment No. 384 (to Amendment No. 358), to provide for teacher liability protection. **Pages S4471–73**

Cleland Amendment No. 376 (to Amendment No. 358), to provide for school safety enhancement, including the establishment of the National Center for School and Youth Safety. **Page S4475**

Biden Amendment No. 386 (to Amendment No. 358), to establish school-based partnerships between local law enforcement agencies and local school systems, by providing school resource officers who operate in and around elementary and secondary schools. **Pages S4484–85**

Specter Modified Amendment No. 388 (to Amendment No. 378), to provide for class size reduction. **Pages S4489–90, S4497–98**

Voinovich Amendment No. 389 (to Amendment No. 358), to modify provisions relating to State applications and plans and school improvement to provide for the input of the Governor of the State involved. **Pages S4490–92**

Carnahan Amendment No. 374 (to Amendment No. 358), to improve the quality of education in our Nation's classrooms. **Pages S4492–93**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill at 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday, May 9, 2001, with a vote to occur on Kennedy (for Mikulski/Kennedy) Amendment No. 379 (to Amendment No. 358), listed

above. Further, that all first degree amendments in order to the bill be filed at the desk by 5 p.m.

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Appointments:

U.S. Naval Academy: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 6968(a), appointed Senator Cochran, from the Committee on Appropriations, to the Board of Visitors of the U.S. Naval Academy.

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U.S. Air Force Academy: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 9355(a), appointed Senator Craig, from the Committee on Appropriations, to the Board of Visitors of the U.S. Air Force Academy.

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U.S. Military Academy: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 4355(a), appointed Senator DeWine, from the Committee on Appropriations, to the Board of Visitors of the U.S. Military Academy.

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

By 57 yeas 43 nays (Vote No. EX. 92), John Robert Bolton, of Maryland, to be Under Secretary of State for Arms Control and International Security.

Richard Nathan Haass, of Maryland, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of Service as Director, Policy Planning Staff, Department of State.

Edward C. Aldridge, of Virginia, to be Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and Technology.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Mary Sheila Gall, of Virginia, to be Chairman of the Consumer Product Safety Commission.

William Henry Lash, III, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce.

2 Army nominations in the rank of general.

2 Marine Corps nominations in the rank of general.

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Executive Communications:

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Record Votes: Four record votes were taken today. (Total—95)

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Adjournment: Senate met at 9:30 a.m., and adjourned at 7:03 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Wednesday, May 9, 2001. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S4522.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

COUNTERTERRORISM

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State, and the Judiciary concluded hearings to examine the roles and capabilities of various United States federal government departments' counterterrorism efforts, after receiving testimony from Paul H. O'Neill, Secretary of the Treasury; Paul D. Wolfowitz, Deputy Secretary of Defense; Colin L. Powell, Secretary of State; Norman Y. Mineta, Secretary of Transportation; Joe M. Allbaugh, Director, Federal Emergency Management Agency; John A. Gordon, Under Secretary and Administrator, National Nuclear Security Administration, Department of Energy; and Richard A. Meserve, Chairman, Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

APPROPRIATIONS—AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations concluded hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2002 for the Agency for International Development, after receiving testimony from Andrew Natsios, Administrator, Agency for International Development.

APPROPRIATIONS—ENERGY

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior concluded hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2002 for the Department of Energy, after receiving testimony from Spencer Abraham, Secretary of Energy.

FEDERAL HOUSING ENTERPRISE OVERSIGHT

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Housing and Transportation concluded oversight hearings to examine the mission of the Office of Federal Housing Enterprise Oversight, and the financial safety and soundness of Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac, after receiving testimony from Armando Falcon, Jr., Director, Office of Federal Housing Enterprise Oversight, Department of Housing and Urban Development and Franklin D. Raines, Fannie Mae and Leland C. Brendsel, Freddie Mac, both of Washington, D.C.