

of the Interior: Carson Culp, Assistant Director, Minerals, Realty and Resource Protection, Bureau of Land Management; and Dennis Galvin, Acting Director, National Park Service; and public witnesses.

#### SUDAN PEACE ACT

*Committee on Rules:* Granted, by voice vote, an open rule providing 1 hour of debate on H.R. 2052, Sudan Peace Act. The rule waives clause 4(a) of rule XIII (requiring a three-day availability of the committee report) against consideration of the bill. The rule provides that the bill shall be open to amendment by section. The rule authorizes the Chairman of the Committee of the Whole to accord priority in recognition to Members who have pre-printed their amendments in the Congressional Record. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions. Testimony was heard from Chairman Hyde and Representatives Tancredo and Lantos.

#### PACIFIC SALMON RECOVERY ACT

*Committee on Rules:* Granted, by voice vote, an open rule providing 1 hour of general debate on H.R. 1157, Pacific Salmon Recover Act. The rule waives clause 4(a) of rule XIII (requiring a three-day availability of the committee report) against consideration of the bill. The rule makes in order, as base text for the purpose of amendment, the amendment printed in the Congressional Record and numbered 1, which shall be open for amendment by section. The rule authorizes the Chair to accord priority in recognition to Members who have pre-printed their amendments in the Congressional Record. The rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions. Finally, the rule lays H. Res. 156 on the table. Testimony was heard from Representative Simpson.

#### INVESTOR AND CAPITAL MARKETS FEE RELIEF ACT

*Committee on Rules:* Granted, by voice vote, a modified closed rule providing 1 hour of debate on H.R. 1088, Investor and Capital Markets Fee Relief Act. The rule provides that, in lieu of the amendment recommended by the Committee on Financial Services, the amendment in the nature of a substitute printed in the Congressional Record and numbered 1 shall be considered as adopted. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill as amended. The rule provides for consideration of the amendment printed in the Congressional Record and numbered 2, if offered by Representative LaFalce or his designee, which shall be considered as read and shall be separately debatable for one hour equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the amendment number 2 printed in

the Congressional Record. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

#### ADMINISTRATION'S NATIONAL ENERGY POLICY

*Committee on Science:* Subcommittee on Energy held a hearing on the Administration's National Energy Policy: Clean Coal Technology and Oil and Gas R&D. Testimony was heard from Robert S. Kripowicz, Acting Assistant Secretary, Fossil Energy, Department of Energy; James E. Wells, Director, Natural Resources and Environment, GAO; and public witnesses.

#### RURAL HEALTH CARE

*Committee on Ways and Means:* Subcommittee on Health held a hearing on Rural Health Care: Provider and Beneficiary Issues. Testimony was heard from Glenn M. Hackbarth, Chairman, Medicare Payments Advisory Commission; and public witnesses

#### ENERGY TAX

*Committee on Ways and Means:* Subcommittee on Select Revenue Measures continued hearings on the effect of Federal tax laws on the production, supply and conservation of energy. Testimony was heard from Representatives Gephardt, Johnson of Connecticut, McDermott, Camp, Nussle, Dunn, Collins, Weller, Lewis of Kentucky, Markey, Stenholm, Cunningham, Filner, Sandlin, Inslee, Moore, Engel, Terry, Capito, and Issa.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

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### COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13, 2001

*(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)*

#### Senate

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Defense, to hold hearings on the overview for fiscal year 2002 for the Army, 9:30 a.m., SD-192.

Subcommittee on Transportation, to hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2002 for Coast Guard Readiness, 9:30 a.m., SD-124.

Subcommittee on VA, HUD, and Independent Agencies, to hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2002 for the Environmental Protection Agency and the Council of Environmental Quality, 10:30 a.m., SD-138.

*Committee on Armed Services:* to hold a closed briefing to examine the Department of Defense's strategic review of missile defense, 9:30 a.m., SR-222.

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:* to hold hearings on the nomination of Roger Walton Ferguson, Jr., of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, 10 a.m., SD-538.

*Committee on Foreign Relations*: to hold hearings on the current situation in Macedonia and the Balkans, 10:15 a.m., SD-419.

*Committee on Governmental Affairs*: to hold hearings to examine economic issues associated with the restructuring of energy industries, 9:30 a.m., SD-342.

*Committee on Indian Affairs*: to hold hearings on the nomination of Neal A. McCaleb, of Oklahoma, to be Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Indian Affairs, 9:30 a.m., SR-485.

*Committee on the Judiciary*: Subcommittee on Constitution, Federalism, and Property Rights, to hold hearings to examine racial and geographic disparities in the federal death penalty system, 10 a.m., SD-226.

### House

*Committee on Agriculture*, Subcommittee on Specialty Crops and Foreign Agriculture, hearing to review the peanut program, 10 a.m., 1300 Longworth.

*Committee on Appropriations*, to mark up the following: Report on Suballocation of Budget Allocations for fiscal year 2002; appropriations for Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration and Related Agencies for fiscal year 2002; and appropriations for Interior for Fiscal Year 2002, 10 a.m., 2359 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, Export Financing and Related Programs, on Fiscal Year 2002 Budget for Export Assistance Programs, 8:30 a.m., H-144 Capitol.

Subcommittee on Legislative, on GPO, 3 p.m., on CBO, 3:30 p.m., on GAO, 4 p.m., and on the Library of Congress, 4:30 p.m., H-144 Capitol.

*Committee on Energy and Commerce*, Subcommittee on Energy and Air Quality, hearing on the National Energy Policy report of the National Energy Policy Development Group, 10 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Health, hearing on "Recent Developments Which May Impact Consumer Access to, and Demand, for Pharmaceuticals," 10 a.m., 2322 Rayburn.

*Committee on Financial Services*, Subcommittee on Domestic Monetary Policy, Technology, and Economic Growth, hearing on the reauthorization of the Defense Production Act of 1950, 3 p.m., 2220 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Financial Institutions and Consumer Credit, to continue mark up of H.R. 1408, Financial Services Antifraud Network Act of 2001, 10 a.m., 2128 Rayburn.

*Committee on Government Reform*, Subcommittee on the Census, hearing on "Oversight of the Census Bureau's Proposed American Community Survey," 2 p.m., 2247 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Technology and Procurement, hearing on "Ensuring Program Goals are Met: A Review of the Metropolitan Area Acquisition Program, 2 p.m., 2154 Rayburn.

*Committee on International Relations*, to mark up H.R. 1954, ILSA Extension Act of 2001, 10:15 a.m., 2172 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Europe, hearing on U.S. Policy in the Eastern Mediterranean: Managing the Turkey, Cyprus Triangle, 1:30 p.m., 2172 Rayburn.

*Committee on the Judiciary*, to mark up the following bills: H.R. 1542, Internal Freedom and Broadband Deployment Act of 2001; H.R. 1698, American Broadband Competition Act of 2001; and H.R. 2120, Broadband Antitrust Restoration and Reform Act, 10 a.m., 2141 Rayburn.

*Committee on Science*, to mark up the following bills: H.R. 100, National Science Education Act; and H.R. 1858, National Mathematics and Science Partnerships Act, 10 a.m., 2318 Rayburn.

*Committee on Small Business*, hearing on How Does the Export-Import Bank Help Small Business Exporters, 10 a.m., 2360 Rayburn.

*Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure*, Subcommittee on Aviation, hearing on STARS Deployment Update and Review of FAA Operational Evolution Plan, 10 a.m., 2167 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Economic Development, Public Buildings and Emergency Management, hearing on GSA's Fiscal Year 2002 Capital Investment Program, 2 p.m., 2253 Rayburn.

*Committee on Ways and Means*, Subcommittee on Select Revenue Measures, to continue hearings on the effect of Federal tax laws on the production, supply and conservation of energy, 10 a.m., 1100 Longworth.