

**Adjournment:** Senate met at 9 a.m., and adjourned at 8:30 p.m., until 2 p.m., on Monday, July 16, 2001. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S7652.)

## Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

### NOMINATIONS

*Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry:* Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of James R. Moseley, of Indiana, to be Deputy Secretary of Agriculture, and Joseph J. Jen, of California, to be Under Secretary of Agriculture for Research, Education, and Economics.

Prior to this action, committee concluded hearings on the aforementioned nominations, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Moseley was introduced by Senator Lugar and Representatives Buyer and Kerns.

### FEDERAL FARM BILL

*Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry:* Committee held hearings to examine the context, framework, and content of the comprehensive federal Farm Bill reauthorization and new agriculture policy that can provide a more sustainable and predictable long-term economic safety net, receiving testimony from Lee Klein, Battle Creek, Nebraska, on behalf of the National Corn Growers Association; Keith Dittrich, Tilden, Nebraska, on behalf of the American Corn Growers Association; Tony Anderson, Mount Sterling, Ohio, on behalf of the American Soybean Association, the National Sunflower Association, and the United States Canola Association; John C. Miller, Miller Milling Company, Minneapolis, Minnesota, on behalf of the Coalition For a Competitive Food and Agricultural System; Trudi Evans, Merrill, Oregon, on behalf of the Barley Growers Association; and Bill Kubecka, Palacios, Texas, on behalf of the National Grain Sorghum Producers.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, July 17.

### BUSINESS MEETING

*Committee on Appropriations:* Committee ordered favorably reported the following bills:

An original bill (S. 1171), making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002;

An original bill making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002; and

An original bill (S. 1172) making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002.

### BUSINESS MEETING

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development approved for full committee consideration an original bill (S. 1171), making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002.

### BUSINESS MEETING

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Transportation approved for full committee consideration an original bill, making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002.

### AUTHORIZATION—BALLISTIC MISSILE DEFENSE

*Committee on Armed Services:* Committee held hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 2002 for the Department of Defense and the Future Years Defense Program, focusing on ballistic missile defense policies and programs, receiving testimony from Paul D. Wolfowitz, Deputy Secretary of Defense; and Lt. Gen. Ronald T. Kadish, USAF, Director, Ballistic Missile Defense Organization.

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### AUTHORIZATION—DEFENSE THREAT REDUCTION

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Emerging Threats and Capabilities concluded hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 2002 for the Department of Defense and the Future Years Defense Program, focusing on Cooperative Threat Reduction, chemical weapons demilitarization, Defense Threat Reduction Agency, non-proliferation research and engineering, and related programs, after receiving testimony from Anna Johnson-Winegar, Deputy Assistant to the Secretary of Defense for Chemical and Biological Defense; Maj. Gen. Robert P. Bongiovi, USAF, Acting Director, Defense Threat Reduction Agency; Robert E. Waldron, Assistant Deputy Administrator for Non-proliferation Research and Engineering, National Nuclear Security Administration, Department of Energy; Susan Koch, Acting Assistant Secretary of Defense for Threat Reduction.

### NOMINATIONS

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:* Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Roger Walton Ferguson, Jr., of Massachusetts, to be a Member of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, Donald E. Powell, of Texas, to be a Member and Chairperson of the Board of Directors of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, Angela Antonelli, of Virginia, to be Chief

Financial Officer, and Ronald Rosenfeld, of Maryland, to be President, Government National Mortgage Association, both of the Department of Housing and Urban Development, and Jennifer L. Dorn, of Nebraska, to be Federal Transit Administrator, Department of Transportation.

## NOMINATIONS

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:* Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Mark B. McClellan, of California, to be a Member of the Council of Economic Advisers, and Sheila C. Bair, of Kansas, to be an Assistant Secretary of the Treasury for Financial Institutions, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Ms. Bair was introduced by Senator Roberts.

## U.S. ECONOMY

*Committee on the Budget:* Committee concluded hearings to examine the current economic and budget situation facing the United States, focusing on fiscal expectations, the 2002 budget resolution, and plans for further economic efficiency including continued restraint on total spending, reviews of antiquated duplicative and non-performing programs, and collaboration to strengthen the economy, after receiving testimony from Mitchell E. Daniels, Jr., Director, Office of Management and Budget.

## BUSINESS MEETING

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* Committee ordered favorably reported the nominations of Patricia Lynn Scarlett, of California, to be Assistant Secretary for Policy, Management and Budget, William Gerry Myers III, of Idaho, to be Solicitor, Bennett William Raley, of Colorado, to be Assistant Secretary for Water and Science, Vicky A. Bailey, of Indiana, to be Assistant Secretary of Energy for International Affairs and Domestic Policy, Frances P. Mainella, of Florida, to be Director of the National Park Service, John W. Keys III, of Utah, to be Commissioner of Reclamation, all of the Department of the Interior.

Also, committee announced the following subcommittee assignments:

*Subcommittee on Energy:* Senators Graham (Chairman), Akaka, Wyden, Johnson, Landrieu, Bayh, Feinstein, Schumer, Cantwell, Carper, Bingaman, Nickles (Ranking Member), Domenici, Shelby, Hagel, Thomas, Kyl, Craig, Campbell, Burns, and Murkowski.

*Subcommittee on Public Lands and Forests:* Senators Wyden (Chairman), Akaka, Dorgan, Johnson, Landrieu, Bayh, Feinstein, Schumer, Cantwell, Bingaman, Craig (Ranking Member), Burns, Domenici, Nickles, Gordon Smith, Thomas, Kyl, Shelby, and Murkowski.

*Subcommittee on National Parks:* Senators Akaka (Chairman), Dorgan, Graham, Landrieu, Bayh, Schumer, Carper, Bingaman, Thomas (Ranking Member), Campbell, Burns, Gordon Smith, Hagel, Domenici, and Murkowski.

*Subcommittee on Water and Power:* Senators Dorgan (Chairman), Graham, Wyden, Johnson, Feinstein, Cantwell, Carper, Bingaman, Gordon Smith (Ranking Member), Kyl, Craig, Campbell, Shelby, Hagel, and Murkowski.

## ENERGY POLICY, SUPPLY, AND SECURITY

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* Committee held hearings on provisions to protect energy supply and security (Title I of S. 388, the National Energy Security Act of 2001), oil and gas production (Title III and Title V of S. 388, and Title X of S. 597, the Comprehensive and Balanced Energy Policy Act of 2001), drilling moratoriums on the Outer Continental Shelf (S. 901, the Coastal States Protection Act, S. 1086, the COAST Anti-Drilling Act, and S. 771, to permanently prohibit the conduct of offshore drilling on the Outer Continental Shelf of the State of Florida), energy regulatory reviews and studies (Title III of S. 597), S. 900, the Consumer Energy Commission Act of 2001, and provisions to promote nuclear power (sections 126 and 128–130 of Title I, and Titles II and III of S. 472, the Nuclear Energy Electricity Supply Assurance Act of 2001), S. 919, to require the Secretary of Energy to study the feasibility of developing commercial nuclear energy production facilities at existing Department of Energy sites, and S. 1147, to amend Title X and Title XI of the Energy Policy Act of 1992, receiving testimony from Francis S. Blake, Deputy Secretary of Energy; Gale A. Norton, Secretary of the Interior; Ashok C. Thadani, Director, Office of Nuclear Regulatory Research, Nuclear Regulatory Commission; former Senator Bennett Johnston, Johnston and Associates, and Charles M. Clusen, Natural Resources Defense Council, Marvin S. Fertel, Nuclear Energy Institute, and Anna Aurilio, U.S. Public Interest Research Group, all of Washington, D.C.; Bill Burton, Jones, Day, Reavis and Pogue, and Tom Young, Mariner Energy, Inc., on behalf of the Independent Petroleum Association of America, both of Houston, Texas; and Jerry Hood, International Brotherhood of Teamsters, Anchorage, Alaska.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

## BUSINESS MEETING

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 1021, to reauthorize the Tropical Forest Conservation Act of 1998 through fiscal year 2004;

S. 180, to facilitate famine relief efforts and a comprehensive solution to the war in Sudan, with an amendment;

S. 494, to provide for a transition to democracy and to promote economic recovery in Zimbabwe, with amendments;

S. Con. Res. 28, calling for a United States effort to end restrictions on the freedoms and human rights of the enclaved people in the occupied area of Cyprus, with an amendment;

S. Con. Res. 34, congratulating the Baltic nations of Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania on the tenth anniversary of the reestablishment of their full independence, with an amendment;

S. Con. Res. 53, encouraging the development of strategies to reduce hunger and poverty, and to promote free market economies and democratic institutions, in sub-Saharan Africa;

S. Res. 122, relating to the transfer of Slobodan Milosevic to the International Criminal Tribunal for Yugoslavia, with an amendment;

S. Res. 128, calling on the Government of the People's Republic of China to immediately and unconditionally release Li Shaomin and all other American scholars of Chinese ancestry being held in detention, calling on the President of the United States to continue working on behalf of Li Shaomin and the other detained scholars for their release; and

The nominations of Peter R. Chaveas, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Sierra Leone, Lori A. Forman, of Virginia, to be an Assistant Administrator for Asia and Near East of the United States Agency for International Development, Aubrey Hooks, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Donald J. McConnell, of Ohio, to be Ambassador to the State of Eritrea, Nancy J. Powell, of Iowa, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Ghana, and George McDade Staples, of Kentucky, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Cameroon, and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador to the Republic of Equatorial Guinea.

Also, committee announced the following subcommittee assignments:

*Subcommittee on African Affairs:* Senators Feingold (Chairman), Dodd, Boxer, Rockefeller, Frist (Ranking Member), Brownback, and Gordon Smith.

*Subcommittee on East Asian and Pacific Affairs:* Senators Kerry (Chairman), Torricelli, Feingold, Rocke-

feller, Sarbanes, Hagel (Ranking Member), Helms, Lugar, and Allen.

*Subcommittee on European Affairs:* Senators Biden (Chairman), Sarbanes, Dodd, Wellstone, Kerry, Gordon Smith (Ranking Member), Lugar, Hagel, and Chafee.

*Subcommittee on International Economic Policy, Export and Trade Promotion:* Senators Sarbanes (Chairman), Bill Nelson, Wellstone, Torricelli, Feingold, Allen (Ranking Member), Hagel, Chafee, and Enzi.

*Subcommittee on International Operations and Terrorism:* Senators Boxer (Chairman), Kerry, Bill Nelson, Biden, Dodd, Enzi (Ranking Member), Frist, Helms, and Brownback.

*Subcommittee on Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs:* Senators Wellstone (Chairman), Torricelli, Boxer, Sarbanes, Rockefeller, Brownback (Ranking Member), Gordon Smith, Frist, and Allen.

*Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere, Peace Corps and Narcotics Affairs:* Senators Dodd (Chairman), Bill Nelson, Kerry, Feingold, Biden, Chafee (Ranking Member), Helms, Enzi, and Lugar.

## MIDDLE EAST

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* Committee met in closed session to receive a briefing on the situation in the Middle East from George J. Tenet, Director, Central Intelligence Agency; and William J. Burns, Assistant Secretary of State for Near Eastern Affairs.

## MONTANA WYOMING TRIBAL LEADERS COUNCIL

*Committee on Indian Affairs:* Committee concluded hearings to examine the goals and priorities of the member tribes of the Montana Wyoming Tribal Leaders Council for the 107th session of the Congress, after receiving testimony from Anthony Addison, Sr., Arapaho Business Council, Fort Washakie, Wyoming; Alvin Windy Boy, Sr., and Bruce Sunchild, both of the Chippewa Cree Tribe of the Rocky Boy's Reservation, Box Elder, Montana; Geri Small, Northern Cheyenne Tribe, Lame Deer, Montana; Ivan D. Posey, Eastern Shoshone Tribe of the Wind River Reservation, Fort Washakie, Wyoming; and Jami Hamel, Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes of the Flathead Nation, Pablo, Montana.