

Quorum Calls—Votes: One yea-and-nay vote and six recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages H4453–54, H4454, H4479, H4479–80, H4527–28, H4528, and H4529–30. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 9 a.m. and adjourned at 11:20 p.m.

Committee Meetings

GENETIC NON-DISCRIMINATION

Committee on Education and the Workforce: Subcommittee on Employer-Employee Relations, hearing on Genetic Non-Discrimination: Implications for Employers and Employees. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION— FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT STATUS

Committee on Education and the Workforce: Subcommittee on Select Education held a hearing on Status of Financial Management at the Department of Education. Testimony was heard from Linda Calbom, Director, Division of Financial Management and Assurance, GAO; and the following officials of the Department of Education: William D. Hansen, Deputy Secretary; and Lorraine Lewis, Inspector General.

THIRD GENERATION WIRELESS SERVICE— U.S. DEPLOYMENT—WHEN AND WHERE

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and the Internet held a hearing entitled: “U.S. Deployment of Third Generation Wireless Services: When Will It Happen and Where Will It Happen?” Testimony was heard from William Hatch, Acting Assistant Secretary, Office of Communications and Information, Department of Commerce; Julius P. Knapp, Deputy Chief, Office of Engineering and Technology, FCC; Linton Wells, Assistant Secretary, Command, Department of Defense; and public witnesses.

CURRENCY—DESIGN AND SECURITY

Committee on Financial Services: Subcommittee on Domestic Monetary Policy, Technology, and Economic Growth held a hearing on the design and security of currency. Testimony was heard from Senator Allen; Representative Cantor; the following officials of the Department of the Treasury: Thomas A. Ferguson, Director, Bureau of Engraving and Printing; and Daniel G. Snow, Special Agent in Charge, Counterfeit Division, U.S. Secret Service; and public witnesses.

INTERNET GAMBLING PROPOSALS

Committee on Financial Services: Subcommittee on Financial Institutions and Consumer Credit held a hearing on H.R. 556, Unlawful Internet Gambling Funding Prohibition Act, and other Internet gambling proposals. Testimony was heard from Senator Kyl; Representatives Leach and Goodlatte; and public witnesses.

DRUG-FREE COMMUNITIES SUPPORT PROGRAM—EXTEND AUTHORIZATION

Committee on Government Reform: Subcommittee on Criminal Justice, and Human Resources, approved for full Committee action, as amended, H.R. 2991, to extend the authorization of the Drug-Free Communities Support Program for an additional 5 years, to authorize a National Community Antidrug Coalition Institute.

FEDERAL INTERAGENCY DATA—SECURITY AND NATIONAL SECURITY

Committee on Government Reform: Subcommittee on National Security, Veterans’ Affairs, and International Relations held a hearing on Federal Interagency Data-Sharing and National Security. Testimony was heard from Bruce Swartz, Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Criminal Division, Department of Justice; Bruce Townsend, Special Agent in Charge, Financial Crimes Division, U.S. Secret Service, Department of the Treasury; Catherine Barry, Director, Consular Affairs Visa Services, Department of State; and Col. Mike Deacy, USAF, Assistant Deputy Director, Information Engineering, Defense Information Systems Agency, Department of Defense.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on the Judiciary: Ordered reported the following measures: H.R. 2175, Born-Alive Infants Protection Act of 2001; H.R. 2505, Human Cloning Prohibition Act of 2001; H. Res. 193, requesting that the President focus appropriate attention on the issues of neighborhood crime prevention, community policing, and reduction of school crime by delivering speeches, convening meetings, and directing his Administration to make reducing crime an important priority; H.R. 2047, amended, Patent and Trademark Office Authorization Act of 2002; H.R. 2048, to require a report on the operations of the State Justice Institute; H.R. 2278, to provide for work authorization for nonimmigrant spouses of intracompany transferees, and to reduce the period of time during which certain intracompany transferees have to be continuously employed before applying for admission to the United States; H.R. 2277, to provide for work authorization for nonimmigrant spouses of treaty traders and treaty investors; and

H.R. 1007, amended, James Guelff Body Armor Act of 2001.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Resources: Subcommittee on National Parks, Recreation and Public Lands held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 1456, Booker T. Washington National Monument Boundary Adjustment Act of 2001; and H.R. 1814, Metacomet-Monadnock-Sunapee-Mattabesett Trail Study Act of 2001. Testimony was heard from Representatives Goode, Olver, Maloney of Connecticut, Johnson of Connecticut and Neal of Massachusetts; Denis Galvin, Deputy Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

TREASURY/POSTAL SERVICE AND GENERAL GOVERNMENT APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Rules: Granted, by voice vote, an open rule providing one hour of general debate on H.R. 2590, making appropriations for the Treasury Department, the United States Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain Independent Agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, 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 bill. The rule provides that the amendments printed in the report of the Committee on Rules accompanying the rule shall be considered as adopted. The rule waives points of order against provisions in the bill, as amended, for failure to comply with clause 2 of rule XXI (prohibiting unauthorized or legislative provisions in a general appropriations bill). The rule provides that the bill shall be considered for amendment by paragraph. The rule waives all points of order against the amendment printed in the Congressional Record and numbered 5, which may be offered only by Representative Smith of New Jersey or his designee and only at the appropriate point in the reading of the bill and shall be considered as read. The rule allows 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 Representatives Istook, Hoyer and Lowey.

RENEWABLE FUELS

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Rural Enterprise, Agriculture and Technology held a hearing on renewable fuels. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

TRADE PROMOTION AUTHORITY/TRADE ADJUSTMENT ASSISTANCE

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Tax, Finance, and Exports, hearing on Trade Promotion Authority and the reauthorization of the Trade Adjustment Assistant program, and their respective impacts on small business exporters and farmers. Testimony was heard from Grant Aldonas, Under Secretary, International Trade, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

HIGHWAY WORK ZONE SAFETY

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure: Subcommittee on Highways and Transit, hearing on Highway Work Zone Safety. Testimony was heard from Vincent F. Schimmoller, Deputy Executive Director, Federal Highway Administration, Department of Transportation; Ian MacGillivray, Director, Research Management Division, Department of Transportation, State of Iowa; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, JULY 25, 2001

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: business meeting to mark up the short term farm assistance package, 3 p.m., SR-328A.

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, to hold hearings to examine education technology issues, 9:30 a.m., SD-106.

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Strategic, to hold hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 2002 for the Department of Defense and the Future Years Defense Program, focusing on global power projection, 9 a.m., SD-124.

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Economic Policy, to hold hearings to examine the risks of a growing balance of payments deficit, 10 a.m., SD-538.

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: to hold hearings on the nomination of Mary Sheila Gall, of Virginia, to be Chairman of the Consumer Product Safety Commission, 9:30 a.m., SR-253.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: business meeting to consider the nomination of Dan R. Brouillette, of Louisiana, to be Assistant Secretary of Energy for Congressional and Intergovernmental Affairs, 9:45 a.m., SD-366.

Committee on Environment and Public Works: to hold hearings on the nomination of David A. Sampson, of Texas, to be Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Economic Development; and the nomination of George Tracy Mehan III, of Michigan, to be Assistant Administrator for the Office of Water, the nomination of Judith Elizabeth