

to the products of the Socialist Republic of Vietnam; and H.R. 2603, amended, United States-Jordan Free Trade Area Implementation Act of 2001.

SENIORS—MISLEADING MAILINGS TARGETED

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Social Security held a hearing on Misleading Mailings Targeted to Seniors. Testimony was heard from James G. Huse, Jr., Inspector General, SSA; Darrin Williams, Chief of Staff, Office of the Attorney General, State of Arkansas; and public witnesses.

COUNTERNARCOTICS ISSUES

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Met in executive session to hold a hearing on Counternarcotics Issues. Testimony was heard from departmental witnesses.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR FRIDAY, JULY 27, 2001

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: to continue hearings to examine the problem, impact, and responses of predatory mortgage lending practices, 10 a.m., SD-538.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: to hold hearings on H.R. 308, to establish the Guam War Claims Review Commission; and H.R. 309, to provide for the determination of withholding tax rates under the Guam income tax, 9:30 a.m., SD-366.

Committee on Foreign Relations: business meeting to consider the nomination of Stuart A. Bernstein, of the Dis-

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House

Committee on Agriculture, to continue markup of H.R. 2646, Agricultural Act of 2001, 9 a.m., 1300 Longworth.

Committee on Armed Services, Subcommittee on Military Installations and Facilities, to mark up H.R. 2586, National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2002, 10 a.m., 2212 Rayburn.

Committee on Energy and Commerce, Subcommittee on Energy and Air Quality, hearing entitled "National Electricity Policy: Barriers to Competitive Generation," 9:30 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

Committee on Government Reform, Subcommittee on the District of Columbia, hearing on "Spring Valley—Toxic Waste Contamination in the Nation's Capital," 10 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

Next Meeting of the SENATE

10 a.m., Friday, July 27

Senate Chamber

Program for Friday: Senate will continue consideration of H.R. 2299, Department of Transportation and Related Agencies Appropriations Act.

Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

9 a.m., Friday, July 27

House Chamber

Program for Friday: Consideration of H.R. 2620, VA/ HUD Appropriations Act for Fiscal Year 2002 (open rule, one hour of debate).

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