

# Daily Digest

## Senate

### Chamber Action

*Routine Proceedings, pages S10257–S10340*

**Measures Introduced:** Twelve bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 1499–1510, S. J. Res. 24, S. Res. 168, and S. Con. Res. 75–76.

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#### Measures Reported:

S. 838, to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to improve the safety and efficacy of pharmaceuticals for children, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No.107–79)

S. Res. 164, designating October 19, 2001, as “National Mammography Day”.

S. 1465, to authorize the President to exercise waivers of foreign assistance restrictions with respect to Pakistan through September 30, 2003, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.

S.J. Res. 18, memorializing fallen firefighters by lowering the United States flag to half-staff on the day of the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial Service in Emmitsburg, Maryland.

S. Con. Res. 74, condemning bigotry and violence against Sikh-Americans in the wake of terrorist attacks in New York City and Washington, D.C. on September 11, 2001.

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#### Measures Passed:

**Honoring Cal Ripken, Jr.:** Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S. Res. 168, congratulating and honoring Cal Ripken, Jr. for his amazing and storybook career as a player for the Baltimore Orioles and thanking him for his contributions to baseball, the state of Maryland, and the United States, and the resolution was then passed.

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**Memorializing Fallen Firefighters:** Senate passed S.J. Res. 18, memorializing fallen firefighters by lowering the United States flag to half-staff on the day of the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial Service in Emmitsburg, Maryland.

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**Memorializing Fallen Firefighters:** Senate passed H.J. Res. 42, memorializing fallen firefighters by lowering the American flag to half-staff in honor of the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial Service in

Emmitsburg, Maryland, clearing the measure for the President.

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**Pakistan Assistance Waiver:** Senate passed S. 1465, to authorize the President to exercise waivers of foreign assistance restrictions with respect to Pakistan through September 30, 2003, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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**Aviation Security Act:** Senate resumed consideration of the motion to proceed to consideration of S. 1447, to improve aviation security.

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A unanimous-consent-time agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the motion to proceed to consideration of the bill at 10 a.m., on Tuesday, October 9, 2001, with a vote on a motion to close further debate on the motion to proceed to consideration of the bill to occur at 10:30 a.m.

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#### Measures Indefinitely Postponed:

**G. Elliot Hagan Post Office Building:** S. 985, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 113 South Main Street in Sylvania, Georgia, as the “G. Elliot Hagan Post Office Building”.

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**Elwood Haynes “Bud” Hillis Post Office Building:** S. 1181, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 2719 South Webster Street in Kokomo, Indiana, as the “Elwood Haynes ‘Bud’ Hillis Post Office Building”.

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#### Measure Read First Time:

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#### Executive Communications:

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#### Authority for Committees to Meet:

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**Adjournment:** Senate met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 6:30 p.m., until 10 a.m. Friday, October 4, 2001,

for a pro forma session. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S10340.)

## Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

### DEFENSE REVIEW

*Committee on Armed Services:* Committee held hearings to examine the Department of Defense's Quadrennial Defense Review, which outlines the key changes needed to preserve America's safety and security, receiving testimony from Paul D. Wolfowitz, Deputy Secretary of Defense; and Lt. Gen. Bruce A. Carlson, USAF, Director, Force Structure, Resources and Assessment Directorate (J-8), Joint Staff.

Hearings recessed subject to call.

### BUSINESS MEETING

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:* Committee ordered favorably reported an original bill, to combat international money laundering, thwart the financing of terrorism, and protect the United States financial system.

### TRANSIT SAFETY

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:* Subcommittee on Housing and Transportation concluded hearings to examine certain initiatives to ensure the safety of the United States transit system in the wake of the recent terrorist attacks on the World Trade Center and Pentagon, after receiving testimony from Jennifer L. Dorn, Administrator, Federal Transit Administration, Department of Transportation; and William W. Millar, American Public Transportation Association, Robert Molofsky, Amalgamated Transit Union (AFL-CIO), and Richard A. White, Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority, all of Washington, D.C.

### NOMINATION

*Committee on Finance:* Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Jo Anne Barnhart, of Delaware, to be Commissioner of Social Security, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Warner, testified and answered questions in her own behalf. Testimony was also received from Stanford G. Ross, Chairman, Social Security Advisory Board.

### BUSINESS MEETING

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

S. 1465, to authorize the President to provide assistance to Pakistan and India through September 30, 2003, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute; and

The nomination of Patrick Francis Kennedy, of Illinois, to be Alternate Representative of the United States of America to the Sessions of the General Assembly of the United Nations during his tenure of service as Representative of the United States of America to the United Nations for U.N. Management and Reform.

### CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE PROTECTION

*Committee on Governmental Affairs:* Committee held hearings to examine Federal efforts to secure United States critical infrastructures, focusing on functions and services vital to advancing national security, foreign affairs, economic prosperity and security, social health and welfare, and public law and order, receiving testimony from Ronald L. Dick, Director, National Infrastructure Protection Center, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice; Sallie McDonald, Assistant Commissioner, Office of Information Assurance and Critical Infrastructure Protection, General Services Administration; John S. Tritak, Director, Critical Infrastructure Assurance Office, Department of Commerce; Frank J. Cilluffo, Center for Strategic and International Studies, Jamie S. Gorelick, Fannie Mae, and Joseph P. Nacchio, Qwest Communications International, Inc., all of Washington, D.C.; and Kenneth C. Watson, Partnership for Critical Infrastructure Security, Austin, Texas.

Hearings recessed subject to call.

### WORKFORCE INVESTMENT

*Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions:* Committee concluded hearings to examine current job training issues relative to a fragile economy, focusing on implementation of the Workforce Investment Act of 1998, streamlining training services at the local level, enhanced training options, and a stronger role for the private sector, after receiving testimony from Emily Stover DeRocco, Assistant Secretary of Labor for Employment and Training; Sigurd R. Nilsen, Director, Education, Workforce, and Income Security Issues, General Accounting Office; Mayor Thomas M. Menino, Boston, Massachusetts; Harry Van Sickle, Commission of Union County, Lewisberg, Pennsylvania, on behalf of the National Association of Counties; and Rebecca Yanisch, Minnesota Department of Trade and Economic Development, Minneapolis.

### BUSINESS MEETING

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S.J. Res. 18, memorializing fallen firefighters by lowering the United States flag to half-staff on the day of the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial Service in Emmitsburg, Maryland;