

Saratoga, New York, as the Gerald B.H. Solomon Saratoga National Cemetery; and **Pages H8803-07**

**Criminal Justice Coordinating Council Restructuring Act:** H.R. 2305, amended, to require certain Federal officials with responsibility for the administration of the criminal justice system of the District of Columbia to serve on and participate in the activities of the District of Columbia Criminal Justice Coordinating Council. Agreed to amend the title.

**Pages H8811-13**

**Suspensions—Proceedings Postponed:** The House completed debate on the following motions to suspend the rules upon which further proceedings were postponed until Wednesday, Dec. 5:

**Recognizing Radio Free Europe/Radio Liberty's Successes:** H. Con. Res. 242, recognizing Radio Free Europe/Radio Liberty's success in promoting democracy and its continuing contribution to United States national interests; **Page H8751-53**

**George P. Shultz National Foreign Affairs Training Center:** H.R. 3348, to designate the George P. Shultz National Foreign Affairs Training Center; **Pages H8753-54**

**Hunger to Harvest Resolution: A Decade of Concern for Africa:** H. Con. Res. 102, amended, relating to efforts to reduce hunger in sub-Saharan Africa; and **Pages H8754-58**

**Veterans Day Observance on November 11:** H. Res. 298, expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that Veterans Day should continue to be observed on November 11 and separate from any other Federal holiday or day for Federal elections or national observances. **Pages H8807-11**

**Consideration of Suspensions on Wednesday, Dec. 5:** Agreed that it be in order on Wednesday, December 5, 2001, for the Speaker to entertain motions to suspend the rules relating to the following measures: H. Con. Res. 232, honoring the crew and passengers of United Airlines Flight 93; H.R. 3248, Todd Beamer Post Office Building, Cranbury, New Jersey; H. Con. Res. 280, solidarity with Israel in the fight against terrorism; H.R. 3322, Bear River Migratory Bird Refuge Visitor Center, Box Elder County, Utah; H.R. 2238, Fern Lake Conservation and Recreation Act in Kentucky and Tennessee; H.R. 2115, Lakehaven Utility District, Washington Wastewater Project; and H.R. 2538, Native American Small Business Development. **Page H8815**

**Committee Election:** The House agreed to H. Res. 301, electing Representative Boozman to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure and Veterans' Affairs. **Page H8815**

**Senate Messages:** Messages received from the Senate today appears on page H8763.

**Amendments:** Amendments ordered printed pursuant to the rule appear on pages H8843-44.

**Quorum Calls—Votes:** Three yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages H8813-14, H8814-15, and H8815. There were no quorum calls.

**Adjournment:** The House met at 12:30 p.m. and adjourned at 11:08 p.m.

## Committee Meetings

### CABLE AND SATELLITE BROADCAST COMPETITION

*Committee on Energy and Commerce:* Subcommittee on Telecommunications and the Internet held a hearing on The Status of Competition in the Multi-Channel Video Programing Distribution Marketplace. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

### OVERSIGHT

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Held an oversight hearing on Direct Broadcast Satellite Service and Competition in the Multichannel Video Distribution Market. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

### OVERSIGHT—CONFLICTING LAWS AND REGULATIONS GOVERNING NATIONAL FORESTS

*Committee on Resources:* Subcommittee on Forests and Forest Health held an oversight hearing on Conflicting Laws and Regulations—Gridlock on the National Forests. Testimony was heard from Dale Bosworth, Chief, Forest Service; USDA; the former officials of the USDA: Jack Ward Thomas, Chief, Forest Service; and James P. Perry, Associate General Counsel, Natural Resources Division; and a public witness.

### MEDICARE+CHOICE PROGRAM STATUS

*Committee on Ways and Means:* Subcommittee on Health held a hearing on Status of the Medicare+Choice Program. Testimony was heard from Thomas Scully, Administrator, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

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## COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2001

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

### Senate

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Treasury and General Government, to hold hearings to examine

United States northern border security policy, 9:30 a.m., SD-192.

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:* Subcommittee on Science, Technology, and Space, to hold hearings to examine the response of the technology sector in times of crisis, focusing on the successes and failures in the aftermath of the events of September 11, 2001, 9 a.m., SR-253.

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* to hold hearings on the nomination of Margaret S.Y. Chu, of New Mexico, to be Director of the Office of Civilian Radioactive Waste Management, and the nomination of Beverly Cook, of Idaho, to be Assistant Secretary for Environment, Safety and Health, both of the Department of Energy; and the nomination of Jeffrey D. Jarrett, of Pennsylvania, to be Director of the Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, and the nomination of Rebecca W. Watson, of Montana, to be Assistant Secretary for Land and Minerals Management, both of the Department of the Interior, 9:30 a.m., SD-366.

*Committee on the Judiciary:* to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Callie V. Granade, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Alabama, Marcia S. Krieger, to be United States District Judge for the District of Colorado, James C. Mahan, to be United States District Judge for the District of Nevada, Philip R. Martinez, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Texas, C. Ashley Royal, to be United States District Judge for the Middle District of Georgia, and Mauricio J. Tamargo, of Florida, to be Chairman of the Foreign Claims Settlement Commission of the United States, Department of Justice, 10 a.m., SD-226.

Subcommittee on Crime and Drugs, to hold hearings to examine the future of the community oriented policing services program of the Department of Justice, 1:30 p.m., SD-226.

## House

*Committee on the Budget,* hearing on Re-Structuring Government for Homeland Security: Nuclear/Biological/Chemical Threats, 10 a.m., 2128 Rayburn.

*Committee on Energy and Commerce,* Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing titled "A Review of Security Issues at Nuclear Power Plants," 10 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

*Committee on Government Reform,* Subcommittee on Criminal Justice, Drug Policy, and Human Resources, hearing on "Federal Law Enforcement: Long Term Implications of Homeland Security Needs," 9:30 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Government Efficiency, Financial Management, and Intergovernmental Affairs, hearing on "The Debt Collection Improvement Act of 1996: How Well is it Working?" 10 a.m., 2244 Rayburn.

*Committee on International Relations,* hearing on Russia, Iraq, and Other Potential Sources of Anthrax, Smallpox and Other Bioterrorist Weapons, 10:15 a.m., 2172 Rayburn.

*Committee on the Judiciary,* hearing on H.R. 3295, Help America Vote Act of 2001, 1:30 p.m., 2141 Rayburn.

*Committee on Rules,* to consider H.R. 3005, Bipartisan Trade Promotion Authority Act of 2001, 2:15 p.m., 313 Capitol.

*Committee on Science,* hearing on Science of Bioterrorism: Is the Federal Government Prepared?" 10 a.m., 2318 Rayburn.

## Joint Meetings

*Conference:* closed meeting of conferees on H.R. 2883, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2002 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government, the Community Management Account, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System, 2 p.m., S-407, Capitol.