

# Daily Digest

## Senate

### Chamber Action

*Routine Proceedings, pages S513–S572*

**Measures Introduced:** Four bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 1924–1927, and S. Res. 206. **Page S545**

#### Measures Passed:

**Appalachian Regional Development Act Amendments:** Senate passed S. 1206, to reauthorize the Appalachian Regional Development Act of 1965, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and the following amendment proposed thereto: **Pages S569–71**

Reid (for Jeffords) Amendment No. 2840, in the nature of a substitute. **Page S571**

**Federal Farm Bill:** Senate continued consideration of S. 1731, to strengthen the safety net for agricultural producers, to enhance resource conservation and rural development, to provide for farm credit, agricultural research, nutrition, and related programs, to ensure consumers abundant food and fiber, taking action on the following amendments proposed thereto: **Pages S513–41**

#### Adopted:

Conrad/Crapo Amendment No. 2836 (to Amendment No. 2471), to modify the sugar allocations for beet sugar processors. **Pages S513–14, S522**

#### Withdrawn:

Reid Amendment No. 2838 (to Amendment No. 2471), to promote water conservation on agricultural land. **Pages S528–33**

#### Pending:

Daschle (for Harkin) Amendment No. 2471, in the nature of a substitute. **Page S513**

Daschle motion to reconsider the vote (Vote No. 377–107th Congress, 1st Session) by which the second motion to invoke cloture on Daschle (for Harkin) Amendment No. 2471 (listed above) was not agreed to. **Page S513**

Crapo/Craig Amendment No. 2533 (to Amendment No. 2471), to strike the water conservation program. **Page S513**

Craig Amendment No. 2835 (to Amendment No. 2471), to provide for a study of a proposal to pro-

hibit certain packers from owning, feeding, or controlling livestock. **Pages S513, S517–19**

Santorum Modified Amendment No. 2542 (to Amendment No. 2471), to improve the standards for the care and treatment of certain animals. **Pages S515–17**

Feinstein Amendment No. 2829 (to Amendment No. 2471), to make up for any shortfall in the amount sugar supplying countries are allowed to export to the United States each year. **Pages S519–22**

Harkin (for Grassley) Amendment No. 2837 (to Amendment No. 2835), to make it unlawful for a packer to own, feed, or control livestock intended for slaughter. **Pages S522–25**

Baucus Amendment No. 2839 (to Amendment No. 2471), to provide emergency agriculture assistance. **Pages S533–37**

Reid Amendment No. 2842 (to the language proposed to be stricken by Crapo/Craig Amendment No. 2533), to promote water conservation on agricultural land. **Page S540**

A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill at 3 p.m., on Monday, February 11, 2002. **Pages S571–72**

**Nominations—Agreement:** A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for consideration of the nominations of Michael J. Melloy, of Iowa, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Eighth Circuit, and Jay C. Zainey, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Louisiana, on Monday, February 11, 2002, with votes to occur on confirmation of each nomination beginning at 6 p.m. **Pages S571–72**

**Nominations Confirmed:** Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Thomas P. Colantuono, of New Hampshire, to be United States Attorney for the District of New Hampshire for the term of four years.

James Duane Dawson, of West Virginia, to be United States Marshal for the Southern District of West Virginia for the term of four years.

William Carey Jenkins, of Louisiana, to be United States Marshal for the Middle District of Louisiana for the term of four years.

Ronald Richard McCubbin, Jr., of Kentucky, to be United States Marshal for the Western District of Kentucky for the term of four years.

David Reid Murtaugh, of Indiana, to be United States Marshal for the Northern District of Indiana for the term of four years.

Nehemiah Flowers, of Mississippi, to be United States Marshal for the Southern District of Mississippi for the term of four years.

Arthur Jeffrey Hedden, of Tennessee, to be United States Marshal for the Eastern District of Tennessee, for the term of four years.

David Glenn Jolley, of Tennessee, to be United States Marshal for the Western District of Tennessee for the term of four years.

Michael Wade Roach, of Oklahoma, to be United States Marshal for the Western District of Oklahoma for the term of four years.

Eric Eugene Robertson, of Washington, to be United States Marshal for the Western District of Washington for the term of four years.

Brian Michael Ennis, of Nebraska, to be United States Marshal for the District of Nebraska for the term of four years.

Chester Martin Keely, of Alabama, to be United States Marshal for the Northern District of Alabama for the term of four years.

John William Loyd, of Oklahoma, to be United States Marshal for the Eastern District of Oklahoma for the term of four years.

David Donald Viles, of Maine, to be United States Marshal for the District of Maine for the term of four years.

James K. Vines, of Tennessee, to be United States Attorney for the Middle District of Tennessee for the term of four years.

Johnny Lewis Hughes, of Maryland, to be United States Marshal for the District of Maryland for the term of four years.

Randy Merlin Johnson, of Alaska, to be United States Marshal for the District of Alaska for the term of four years.

Larry Wade Wagster, of Mississippi, to be United States Marshal for the Northern District of Mississippi for the term of four years. **Page S572**

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**Adjournment:** Senate met at 9:30 a.m., and adjourned at 3:15 p.m., until 2 p.m., on Monday, February 11, 2002. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page 572).

## Committee Meetings

*(Committees not listed did not meet)*

### NOMINATIONS

*Committee on Governmental Affairs:* Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Nancy Dorn, of Texas, to be Deputy Director of the Office of Management and Budget, Dan Gregory Blair, of the District of Columbia, to be Deputy Director of the Office of Personnel Management, and John L. Howard, of Illinois, to be Chairman of the Special Panel on Appeals, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Blair was introduced by Senator Carnahan.

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# House of Representatives

## Chamber Action

**Measures Introduced:** 4 public bills, H.R. 3710–3713; and 2 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 323 and H. Res. 346, were introduced. **Page H230**

**Reports Filed:** No reports were filed today.

**Speaker Pro Tempore:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative Simpson to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H229**

**Civil Rights Commission:** The Chair announced the Speaker's reappointment of Dr. Abigail N. Thernstrom, of Lexington, Massachusetts to the Commission on Civil Rights for a six-year term beginning on February 12, 2002. **Page H229**

**Senate Messages:** Messages received from the Senate today appear on page H229.

**Quorum Calls—Votes:** No quorum calls or recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.