

drilling activity in Finger Lakes National Forest, New York. **Page S3287**

Dayton Amendment No. 3097 (to Amendment No. 2917), to require additional findings for FERC approval of an electric utility merger. **Page S3287**

Landrieu Amendment No. 3274 (to Amendment No. 2917), to increase the transfer capability of electric energy transmission systems through participant-funded investment. **Page S3287**

Pending:

Daschle/Bingaman Further Modified Amendment No. 2917, in the nature of a substitute.

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Murkowski/Breaux/Stevens Amendment No. 3132 (to Amendment No. 2917), to create jobs for Americans, to reduce dependence on foreign sources of crude oil and energy, to strengthen the economic self determination of the Inupiat Eskimos and to promote national security. **Page S3233**

Feinstein Amendment No. 3225 (to Amendment No. 2917), to modify the provision relating to the renewable content of motor vehicle fuel to eliminate the required volume of renewable fuel for calendar year 2004. **Page S3233**

Feinstein Amendment No. 3170 (to Amendment No. 2917), to reduce the period of time in which the Administrator may act on a petition by 1 or more States to waive the renewable fuel content requirement. **Page S3233**

Durbin Amendment No. 3342 (to Amendment No. 2917), to strike the nonbusiness use limitation with respect to the credit for the installation of certain small wind energy systems. **Pages S3283–85**

Harkin Amendment No. 3195 (to Amendment No. 2917), to direct the Secretary of Energy to revise the seasonal energy efficiency ratio standard for central air conditioners and central air conditioning heat pumps within 60 days. **Pages S3289–92**

Carper Amendment No. 3198 (to Amendment No. 2917), to decrease the United States dependence on imported oil by the year 2015. **Pages S3289–90**

Reid (for Bingaman) Amendment No. 3359 (to Amendment No. 2917), to modify the credit for new energy efficient homes by treating a manufactured home which meets the energy star standard as a 30 percent home. **Page S3292**

Reid (for Boxer) Amendment No. 3139 (to Amendment No. 2917), to provide for equal liability treatment of vehicle fuels and fuel additives. **Page S3292**

Reid (for Boxer) Amendment No. 3311 (to Amendment No. 3139), to provide for equal liability treatment of vehicle fuels and fuel additives. **Pages S3292–93**

Senate will continue consideration of the bill on Thursday, April 25, 2002.

Modified Submitted Amendments—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing that notwithstanding Rule 22, it be in order to modify submitted amendment numbers 3239 and 3146. **Pages S3260–65**

Nominations—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the consideration of the nominations of Percy Anderson and John F. Walter, each to be a United States District Judge for the Central District of California, at 9:30 a.m., on Thursday, April 25, 2002, with a vote to occur on the confirmation of each nomination. **Pages S3334–35**

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Record Votes: Five record votes were taken today. (Total—84) **Pages S3251, S3255, S3259–60, S3283, S3287**

Adjournment: Senate met at 9:30 a.m., and adjourned at 7:48 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Thursday, April 25, 2002. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S3335).

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

APPROPRIATIONS—NATIONAL GUARD AND RESERVE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense concluded hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2003, after receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Lt. Gen. Russell C. Davis, USAF, Chief, National Guard Bureau; Lt. Gen. Roger C. Schultz, USA, Director, and Brig. Gen. David A. Brubaker, Deputy Director, USAF, both of the Air National Guard; VAdm. John B. Totushek, USNR, Chief of Naval Reserve; Lt. Gen. Dennis M. McCarthy, USMC, Commander, Marine Forces Reserve; Lt. Gen. James E. Sherrard III, USAF, Chief of Air Force Reserve; and Lt. Gen. Thomas J. Plewes, USA, Chief of Army Reserve.

D.C. FAMILY COURT REFORM

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on District of Columbia concluded hearings to examine reformation efforts of the District of Columbia Family Court, focusing on the transition from the Family Division of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia to the Family Court of the Superior Court, recruiting trained and experienced judges, and promoting consistency and efficiency in the assignment of judges and actions and proceedings in the Family Court, after receiving testimony from Cornelia M. Ashby, Director, Education, Workforce, and Income Security Issues, General Accounting Office; Rufus King III, Chief Judge, and Lee Satterfield, Presiding Judge, Family Court, both of the Superior Court of the District of Columbia; Matthew I. Fraidin, Children's Law Center, and Deborah Luxenberg, on behalf of the Council for Court Excellence, both of Washington, D.C.; and Jacqueline Dolan, Pasadena, California, on behalf of the California Partnership for Children.

APPROPRIATIONS—STATE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations concluded hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2003 for the Department of State, after receiving testimony from Colin L. Powell, Secretary of State.

APPROPRIATIONS—NATIONAL DRUG CONTROL POLICY

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Treasury and General Government concluded hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2003 for the Office of National Drug Control Policy, after receiving testimony from John P. Walters, Director, Office of National Drug Control Policy.

APPROPRIATIONS—LOW-INCOME COMMUNITIES

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on VA, HUD, and Independent Agencies concluded hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2003, after receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Ellen W. Lazar, Executive Director, Neighborhood Reinvestment Corporation; and Tony T. Brown, Director, Community Development Financial Institutions, Department of the Treasury.

HOMELAND SECURITY AND THE TECHNOLOGY SECTOR

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Science, Technology, and Space concluded hearings on S. 2037, to mobilize technology and science experts to respond quickly to the threats posed by terrorist attacks and other emergencies, by

providing for the establishment of a national emergency technology guard, a technology reliability advisory board, and a center for evaluating antiterrorism and disaster response technology within the National Institute of Standards and Technology; and S. 2182, to authorize funding for computer and network security research and development and research fellowship programs, after receiving testimony from Representative Boehlert; George Strawn, Acting Assistant Director, Directorate for Computer and Information Science and Engineering, National Science Foundation; Ronil Hira, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers-USA, and Lance J. Hoffman, George Washington University Department of Computer Science, on behalf of the Association for Computing Machinery, both of Washington, D.C.; Jeffrey M. Logan, M/A-COM Wireless Systems, Inc., Harrisburg, Pennsylvania; W. Wyatt Starnes, Tripwire, Inc., Portland, Oregon.

T'UF SHUR BIEN PRESERVATION TRUST AREA ACT

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources/Committee on Indian Affairs: Committees concluded joint hearings on S. 2018, to establish the T'uf Shur Bien Preservation Trust Area within the Cibola National Forest in the State of New Mexico to resolve a land claim involving the Sandia Mountain Wilderness, after receiving testimony from William G. Myers III, Solicitor, Department of the Interior; Thomas L. Sansonetti, Assistant Attorney General, Environment and Natural Resources Division, Department of Justice; Nancy Bryson, General Counsel, Department of Agriculture; Stanley M. Hordes, HMS Associates, Inc., Santa Fe, New Mexico; John D. Leshy, University of California Hastings College of Law, San Francisco, former Solicitor, Department of the Interior; Stewart Paisano, Sandia Tribal Council, Bernalillo, New Mexico; and E. Tim Cummins, Bernalillo County Commission, Walter E. Stern, Modrall, Sperling, Roehl, Harris, and Sisk, on behalf of the Sandia Peak Tram and Ski Company, Guy Riordan, Piedra Lisa Tract, Anita P. Miller, Sandia Mountain Coalition, and Edward Sullivan, New Mexico Wilderness, all of Albuquerque, New Mexico.

U.S.-COLOMBIA POLICY

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere, Peace Corps and Narcotics Affairs concluded hearings to examine future relations between the United States and Colombia, focusing on economic stabilization, drug and arms trafficking, and respect for human rights, after receiving testimony from Marc Grossman, Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs; Peter W. Rodman, Assistant

Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs; Maj. Gen. Gary D. Speer, USA, Acting Commander in Chief, U. S. Southern Command; and Mark L. Schneider, International Crisis Group, and Jose Miguel Vivanco, Human Rights Watch, both of Washington, D.C.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions: Committee ordered favorably reported the following business items:

S. 1284, to prohibit employment discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute; and

The nominations of Evelyn Dee Potter Rose, of Texas, to be a Member of the National Council on the Arts, and James R. Stoner, Jr., of Louisiana, to be a Member of the National Council on the Humanities, both of the National Foundation on the Arts and the Humanities, and Kathleen M. Har-

ington, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Labor.

INDIAN FINANCING ACT

Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on S. 2017, to amend the Indian Financing Act of 1974 to improve the effectiveness of the Indian loan guarantee and insurance program, after receiving testimony from Representative Bono; Les Minthorn, Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation, Pendleton, Oregon; Marcia Warren Edelman, National Congress of American Indians, Washington, D.C.; and Kevin McGuire, Palm Desert National Bank, Palm Desert, California.

INTELLIGENCE

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee held closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Committee will meet again on Wednesday, May 1.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Measures Introduced: 29 public bills, H.R. 4559–4587; 1 private bill, H.R. 4588; and 1 resolution, H.J. Res. 89, were introduced. **Pages H1618–19**

Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

Supplemental report on H.R. 3764, to authorize appropriations for the Securities and Exchange Commission (H. Rept. 107–415, Pt. 2); and

H. Res. 396, providing for consideration of H.R.3231, to replace the Immigration and Naturalization Service with the Agency for Immigration Affairs (H. Rept. 107–419). **Page H1618**

Guest Chaplain: The prayer was offered by the guest Chaplain, Dr. Richard Lee of First Redeemer Church, of Alpharetta, Georgia. **Page H1537**

Motion to Instruct Conferees on the Farm Security Act: The House agreed to the Hooley motion to instruct conferees on H.R. 2646, an act to provide for the continuation of agricultural programs through fiscal year 2011, to agree to the provisions contained in section 1001 of the Senate amendment and section 944 of the House bill, relating to country of origin labeling requirements for agricultural commodities, but to insist on the six-month implementation deadline contained in the House bill by voice vote. **Pages H1537–40**

Recess: The House recessed at 10:24 a.m. and reconvened at 10:30 a.m. **Page H1540**

Supplemental Report: The Committee on Financial Services received permission to file a supplemental report on H.R. 3764, to authorize appropriations for the Securities and Exchange Commission. **Page H1544**

Corporate and Auditing Accountability, Responsibility, and Transparency Act: The House passed H.R. 3763, to protect investors by improving the accuracy and reliability of corporate disclosures made pursuant to the securities laws by a recorded vote of 334 ayes to 90 noes, Roll No. 110. **Pages H1544–92**

Rejected the LaFalce motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Financial Services with instructions to report it back to the House forthwith with an amendment that sought to strike sections 11 and 12 and insert provisions that provide for the removal of unfit corporate officers, require disgorgement of compensation if an officer or director engages in misconduct resulting in erroneous financial statements, and require principal executive officers and financial officers to certify financial statements by a recorded vote of 205 ayes to 222 noes, Roll No. 109. **Pages H1589–92**

Agreed to the Committee on Financial Services amendment in the nature of a substitute now printed in the bill, H. Rept. 107–414, and made in order by the rule. **Page H1589**