

Daily Digest

HIGHLIGHTS

The House agreed to H. Con. Res. 464, expressing the sense of the Congress on the anniversary of the terrorist attacks launched against the United States on September 11, 2001.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages S8475–S5808

Measures Introduced: Two bills were introduced, as follows: S. 2923–2924. **Page S8506**

Measures Reported:

S. 1943, to expand the boundary of the George Washington Birthplace National Monument, with an amendment. (S. Rept. No. 107–267)

S. 1999, to reauthorize the Mni Wiconi Rural Water Supply Project, with an amendment. (S. Rept. No. 107–268)

S. 2388, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to study certain sites in the historic district of Beaufort, South Carolina, relating to the Reconstruction Era, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. (S. Rept. No. 107–269)

H.R. 1712, To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to make adjustments to the boundary of the National Park of American Samoa to include certain portions of the islands of Ofu and Olosega within the park. (S. Rept. No. 107–270)

H.R. 1870, to provide for the sale of certain real property within the Newlands Project in Nevada, to the city of Fallon, Nevada. (S. Rept. No. 107–271)

H.R. 1906, to amend the Act that established the Pu'uhonua O Honaunau National Historical Park to expand the boundaries of that park. (S. Rept. No. 107–272)

H.R. 2109, To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a special resource study of Virginia Key Beach Park in Biscayne Bay, Florida, for possible inclusion in the National Park System. (S. Rept. No. 107–273)

H.R. 2385, to convey certain property to the city of St. George, Utah, in order to provide for the protection and preservation of certain rare paleontological resources on that property, with amendments. (S. Rept. No. 107–274)

H.R. 3048, to resolve the claims of Cook Inlet Region, Inc., to lands adjacent to the Russian River in the State of Alaska. (S. Rept. No. 107–275)

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Measures Passed:

September 11, 2001 Commemoration Resolution: Pursuant to the order of today, Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 464, expressing the sense of the Congress on the anniversary of the terrorist attacks launched against the United States on September 11, 2001.

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September 11, 2001 Commemoration Resolution—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached that when the Senate receives from the House, H. Con. Res. 464, expressing the sense of the Congress on the anniversary of the terrorist attacks launched against the United States on September 11, 2001, that the resolution be agreed to. **Page S8507**

Nomination Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for the consideration of the nomination of Timothy J. Corrigan, to be United States District Judge for the Middle District of Florida, at 9:45 a.m., on Thursday, September 12, 2002, with a vote to occur thereon at 10 a.m. **Page S8507**

Department of the Interior Appropriations Act—Agreement: A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of H.R. 5093, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2003, on Thursday, September 12, 2002. **Page S8507**

Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Denny Wade King, of Tennessee, to be United States Marshal for the Middle District of Tennessee for the term of four years.

Marion C. Blakey, of Mississippi, to be Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration for the term of five years. (Prior to this action, Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation was discharged from further consideration.)

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Adjournment: Senate met at 11 a.m., and adjourned at 3:46 p.m., until 9:45 a.m., on Thursday, September 12, 2002. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S8507).

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Measures Introduced: 9 public bills, H.R. 5364–5372; and 5 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 464–466, and H. Res. 522–523 were introduced.

Pages H6228–29

Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows:

H.R. 5193, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a deduction to certain taxpayers for elementary and secondary education expenses, amended (H. Rept. 107–650);

H.R. 2301, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to construct a bridge on Federal land west of and adjacent to Folsom Dam in California, amended (H. Rept. 107–651, Pt. 1);

H.R. 3434, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to acquire the McLoughlin House National Historic Site in Oregon City, Oregon, and to administer the site as a unit of the National Park System, amended (H. Rept. 107–652);

H.R. 4622, to require Federal land managers to support, and to communicate, coordinate, and cooperate with, designated gateway communities, to improve the ability of gateway communities to participate in Federal land management planning conducted by the Forest Service and agencies of the Department of the Interior, and to respond to the impacts of the public use of the Federal lands administered by these agencies, amended (H. Rept. 107–653, Pt. 1); and

H. Res. 521, providing for consideration of H.R. 5193, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a deduction to certain taxpayers for elementary and secondary education expenses (H. Rept. 107–654).

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First Anniversary of the September 11th Terrorist Attacks: The House agreed to H. Con. Res. 464, expressing the sense of the Congress on the an-

niversary of the terrorist attacks launched against the United States on September 11, 2001 by a ye-and-nay vote of 370 yeas with none voting "nay", Roll No. 384.

Pages H6174–H6208, H6215–16

Recess: The House recessed at 4:26 p.m. and reconvened at 5:02 p.m.

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Senate Messages: Messages received from the Senate today appear on pages H6173 and H6222.

Referrals: S. 2896 was referred to the Committees on Judiciary and Transportation and Infrastructure. S. 2136 was held at the desk.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: One ye-and-nay vote developed during the proceedings of the House today and appears on pages H6215–16. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 12 noon and adjourned at 6:55 p.m.

Committee Meetings

BACK TO SCHOOL TAX RELIEF ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted, by a vote of 7 to 4, a closed rule providing 1 hour of debate on H.R. 5193, Back to School Tax Relief Act of 2002, equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Ways and Means. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The rule provides that the amendment recommended by the Committee on Ways and Means now printed in the bill shall be considered as adopted. Finally, the rule provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions. Testimony was heard from Chairman Thomas and Representative Rangel.