

Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages S8957–S9002

Measures Introduced: Five bills and three resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2984–2988, S. Res. 329–330, and S. Con. Res. 144. **Pages S8980–81**

Measures Passed:

Senate Complex Anthrax Claims Ascertainment and Settlement: Senate agreed to S. Res. 329, authorizing the Sergeant at Arms and the Doorkeeper of the Senate to ascertain and settle claims arising out of anthrax exposure in the Senate complex. **Pages S8985–86**

Family History Month: Senate agreed to S. Res. 330, designating the month of October 2002, as “Family History Month”. **Page S8986**

Russian Democracy Act: Senate passed H.R. 2121, to make available funds under the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to expand democracy, good governance, and anti-corruption programs in the Russian Federation in order to promote and strengthen democratic government and civil society and independent media in that country, after agreeing to a committee amendment in the nature of a substitute, and the following amendment proposed thereto: **Pages S8998–S9002**

Byrd (for Biden/Helms) Amendment No. 4697, to provide for the collection and preservation of documents related to the life of the human rights activist and Nobel Peace prize winner Andrei Sakharov, and the administration of the Andrei Sakharov Archives and Human Rights Center. **Pages S9001–02**

Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

By unanimous vote of 85 yeas (Vote No. EX. 219), Reena Raggi, of New York, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Second Circuit.

Antonio Candia Amador, of California, to be United States Marshal for the Eastern District of California for the term of four years.

7 Coast Guard nominations in the rank of admiral.

Routine lists in the Coast Guard.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Kevin J. O’Connor, of Connecticut, to be United States Attorney for the District of Connecticut for the term of four years.

John Francis Clark, of Virginia, to be United States Marshal for the Eastern District of Virginia for the term of four years. **Page S9002**

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Record Votes: One record vote was taken today. (Total—219) **Pages S8959–60**

Adjournment: Senate met at 10 a.m., and adjourned at 3:38 p.m., until 2:30 p.m., on Monday, September 23, 2002. (For Senate’s program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today’s Record on page S8986).

Committee Meetings

No committee hearings were held.