

J. Leon Holmes, of Arkansas, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of Arkansas.

Phillip P. Simon, of Indiana, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Indiana.

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Adjournment: Senate met at 12:02 p.m., and adjourned at 7:23 p.m., until 11 a.m., on Thursday, January 30, 2003. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S1758.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

SMALLPOX VACCINATION PLAN

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education concluded hearings to examine the federal role and its implementation of a smallpox vaccination plan focusing on prevention strategies and funding issues, receiving testimony from Julie L. Gerberding, Director, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, and Anthony S. Fauci, Director, National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases, National Institutes of Health, both of the Department of Health and Human Services; Brian L. Strom, University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine, and Louis M. Bell, Children's Hospital of Philadelphia, both of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Patrick M. Libbey, National Association of County and City Health Officials, Washington, D.C.; and Mary J. Jones, and Jane Colacecchi, both of the Iowa Department of Public Health, Des Moines; and James August, American Federation of State, County, and Municipal Employees, Washington, D.C.

STATE OF THE ECONOMY

Committee on the Budget: Committee held hearings to examine the state of the United States economy, receiving testimony from Gene B. Sperling, Center on Universal Education, Council on Foreign Relations, former National Economic Advisor and Director, National Economic Council, and Michael E.

Baroody, National Association of Manufacturers, both of Washington, D.C.; and David R. Malpass, Bear, Stearns, and Co., Inc., New York, New York.

Committee will meet again tomorrow.

HUMAN CLONING

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee held hearings on the science and ethics of human cloning, after receiving testimony from Senator Hatch; Representatives Toomey and Weldon; Leon R. Kass, Chairman, President's Council on Bioethics; Kris E. Gulden, Coalition for the Advancement of Medical Research, Washington, D.C.; and Anton-Lewis Usala, Office of Regulatory Review of Clinical Trials, East Carolina University, Greenville, North Carolina.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee met and announced the following subcommittee assignments:

Subcommittee on Energy: Senators Alexander (Chairman), Nickles, Talent, Bunning, Thomas, Murkowski, Craig, Burns, Graham (FL), Akaka, Johnson, Landrieu, Bayh, Schumer, and Cantwell.

Subcommittee on Public Lands and Forests: Senators Craig (Chairman), Burns, Smith, Kyl, Campbell, Alexander, Murkowski, Talent, Wyden, Akaka, Dorgan, Johnson, Landrieu, Bayh, and Feinstein.

Subcommittee on National Parks: Senators Thomas (Chairman), Nickles, Campbell, Alexander, Burns, Smith, Kyl, Akaka, Dorgan, Graham (FL), Landrieu, Bayh, and Schumer.

Subcommittee on Water and Power: Senators Murkowski (Chairman), Campbell, Smith, Kyl, Craig, Talent, Bunning, Thomas, Dorgan, Graham (FL), Wyden, Johnson, Feinstein, Schumer, and Cantwell.

Senators Domenici and Bingaman are Ex Officio Members of all the Subcommittees.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Committee met and adopted its rules of procedure for the 108th Congress and announced the following subcommittee assignments:

Subcommittee on Transportation and Infrastructure: Senators Bond (Chairman), Warner, Voinovich, Chafee, Cornyn, Murkowski, Reid, Baucus, Graham (FL), Lieberman, and Boxer.

Subcommittee on Clean Air, Climate Change, and Nuclear Safety: Senators Voinovich (Chairman), Crapo, Bond, Cornyn, Thomas, Lieberman, Reid, Carper, and Clinton.

Subcommittee on Fisheries, Wildlife, and Water: Senators Crapo (Chairman), Warner, Murkowski, Thomas, Allard, Graham (FL), Baucus, Wyden, and Clinton.

Subcommittee on Superfund and Waste Management: Senators Chafee (Chairman), Warner, Allard, Bond, Boxer, Wyden, and Carper.

NOMINATIONS

Committee on the Judiciary: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Deborah L. Cook, of Ohio, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Sixth Circuit, John G. Roberts, Jr., to be United States Circuit Judge for the District of Columbia Circuit, Jeffrey S. Sutton, of Ohio, United States Circuit Judge for the Sixth Circuit, John R. Adams, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Ohio, Robert A. Junell, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Texas, and S. James Otero, to be United States District Judge for the Central District California. Ms. Cook, Mr. Sutton, and Mr. Adams were introduced by Senators DeWine and Voinovich, Mr. Roberts

was introduced by Mr. Warner, Mr. Junell was introduced by Senators Hutchison and Cornyn, and Mr. Otero was introduced by Senator Feinstein.

BUSINESS MEETING

Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee met and ordered favorably reported an original resolution authorizing certain expenditures for the operation of the Committee.

Also, Committee elected Senator Campbell as the Chairman and Senator Inouye as Vice Chairman, and adopted its rules of procedure for the 108th Congress.

BUSINESS MEETING

Select Committee on Intelligence: Committee met and ordered favorably reported an original resolution (S. Res. 27) authorizing expenditures of the Select Committee on Intelligence.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Measures Introduced: 73 public bills, H.R. 436–508; 2 private bills, H.R. 509–510; and 12 resolutions, H.J. Res. 16, H. Con. Res. 22–26, and H. Res. 41–46, were introduced. **Pages H241–45**

Additional Cosponsors: **Page H245**

Reports Filed: No reports were filed today.

Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative Isakson to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H221**

Guest Chaplain: The prayer was offered by Rev. Tracy A. Carroll, Senior Minister, Community Christian Church of Camdenton, Missouri. **Page H221**

Suspension—Tampa Bay Buccaneers: The House agreed to suspend the rules and agree to H. Res. 31, congratulating the Tampa Bay Buccaneers for winning Super Bowl XXXVII. **Pages H222–24**

Send to Conference—Further Continuing Appropriations: The House disagreed with the Senate amendment to H.J. Res. 2, making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2003, and agreed to a conference. **Pages H224–29**

Appointed as conferees: Chairman Young of Florida and Representatives Regula, Rogers of Kentucky, Wolf, Kolbe, Walsh, Taylor of North Carolina, Hobson, Istook, Bonilla, Knollenberg, Kingston,

Obey, Murtha, Dicks, Sabo, Mollohan, Kaptur, Visclosky, Lowey, Serrano, and Moran of Virginia.

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Rejected the Obey motion to instruct conferees to agree to the highest level of funding within the scope of conference for the programs with the jurisdiction of the subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education and Related Agencies, including advance appropriations in the Senate amendment and for veterans' medical care and to insist that, within the scope of conference, no item, requested by the President for homeland security be funded below the level of the President's request by a yea-and-nay vote of 200 yeas to 209 nays, Roll No. 17. **Pages H228–29**

Legislative Program: The Majority Leader announced the Legislative program for the week of Feb. 3. **Pages H229–30**

Meeting Hour—Friday, January 31: Agreed that when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 10 a.m. on Friday, January 31. **Page H230**

Meeting Hour—Tuesday, February 4: Agreed that when the House adjourns on Friday, January 31, it adjourn to meet at 4 p.m. on Tuesday, February 4. **Page H230**

Review of United States Intelligence Community: Read a letter from the Minority Leader wherein she announced her appointment of Representative Zoe Lofgren and Mr. Maurice Sonnenberg of New