

Committee on Government Reform: Representatives Van Hollen, Linda T. Sánchez, and Ruppertsberger; **Page H314**

Committee on House Administration: Representatives Larson of Connecticut, Millender-McDonald, and Brady of Pennsylvania.; **Page H314**

Committee on International Relations: Representatives Smith of Washington, McCollum, and Bell; **Page H314**

Committee on Resources: Representatives Grijalva, Cardoza, and Bordallo; **Page H314**

Committee on Science: Representatives Bell, Bishop, Miller of North Carolina, and Davis of Tennessee; **Page H314**

Committee on Small Business: Representatives Ballance and Ryan of Ohio; **Page H314**

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Representative Mollohan; and **Page H314**

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Representative Michaud. **Page H314**

Legislative Program: The Majority Leader announced the legislative program for the week of Feb. 10, 2003. **Pages H314–15**

Meeting Hour—Friday, February 7: Agreed that when the House adjourns today it adjourn to meet at 10 a.m. on Friday, February 7. **Page H315**

Meeting Hour—Tuesday, February 11: Agreed that when the House adjourns on Friday, February 7, it adjourn to meet at 12:30 p.m. on Tuesday, February 11, for morning hour debate. **Page H315**

Calendar Wednesday: Agreed to dispense with the Calendar Wednesday business of February 12. **Page H315**

Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages H311–12 and H312. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 3 p.m. and adjourned at 7:16 p.m. as a further mark of respect to the memory of the valiant crew members of the *Columbia* shuttle mission.

Committee Meetings

DEFENSE BUDGET FISCAL YEAR 2004; COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION; OVERSIGHT PLAN

Committee on Armed Services: Held a hearing on the Fiscal Year 2004 Defense Budget. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Donald H. Rumsfeld, Secretary; Gen. Richard Myers, USAF, Chairman, Joint Chiefs of

Staff; and Dov Zakheim, Under Secretary (Comptroller).

Prior to the hearing, the Committee met for organizational purposes and approved an Oversight Plan for the 108th Congress.

DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY—BUDGET PRIORITIES FISCAL YEAR 2002

Committee on the Budget: Held a hearing on the Department of the Treasury Budget Priorities Fiscal Year 2004. Testimony was heard from John W. Snow, Secretary of the Treasury.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION; OVERSIGHT PLAN

Committee on Education and the Workforce: Met for organizational purposes.

The Committee approved an Oversight Plan for the 108th Congress.

TELECOMMUNICATIONS SECTOR HEALTH

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Telecommunications and the Internet held a hearing entitled "Health of the Telecommunications Sector: A Perspective from Investors and Economists." Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION; OVERSIGHT REPORT

Committee on Financial Services: Met for organizational purposes.

The Committee approved an Oversight Plan for the 108th Congress.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION; OVERSIGHT PLAN; HOUSE PERIMETER SECURITY PLAN

Committee on House Administration: Met for organizational purposes.

The Committee approved the following: an Oversight Plan for the 108th Congress; and the House Perimeter Security Plan.

VETERANS' EMPLOYMENT

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Held a hearing on the State of Veterans' Employment. Testimony was heard from Angela B. Styles, Administrator, Office of Federal Procurement Policy, OMB; CMSgt. Elizabeth S. Schouten, (USAF), Deputy Director, Operations, U.S. Air Force Band; Linda G. Williams, Associate Administrator, Government Contracting, SBA; Kevin Boshears, Director, Office of Small Business Development, Department of the Treasury; the following officials of the Veterans Employment and Training Service, Department of Labor, Frederico Juarbe, Jr., Assistant Secretary; and Ron Bachman, Regional Administrator Chicago/Denver; and representatives of veterans' organizations.

FISCAL YEAR 2004 BUDGET

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on the President's Fiscal Year 2004 Budget proposals. Testimony was heard from Mitchell E. Daniels, Jr., Director, OMB.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Human Resources met for organizational purposes.

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Met in executive session for organizational purposes.

**COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THURSDAY,
FEBRUARY 6, 2003**

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Foreign Relations: to hold hearings to examine foreign affairs budget, 9:30 a.m., SR-325.

Committee on the Judiciary: business meeting to consider the nomination of John G. Roberts, Jr., of Maryland, to be United States Circuit Judge for the District of Columbia Circuit, the nomination of Deborah L. Cook, of Ohio, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Sixth Circuit, the nomination of Jeffrey S. Sutton, of Ohio, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Sixth Circuit, the nomination of John R. Adams, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Ohio, the nomination of Robert A. Junell, to be United States District Judge for the Western District of Texas, the nomination of S. James Otero, to be United States District Judge for the Central District of California, S. 253, to amend title 18, United States Code, to exempt qualified current and former law enforcement officers from State laws prohibiting the carrying of concealed handguns, and S. 113, to exclude United States persons from the definition of "foreign power" under the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act of 1978 relating to international terrorism, and S. Res. 49, designating February 11, 2003, as "National Inventors' Day", 11:30 a.m., SD-226.

House

Committee on Ways and Means, to continue hearings on the President's Fiscal Year 2004 Budget proposals, 9:30 a.m., 1100 Longworth.