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NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D1087)

H.R. 659, to amend section 242 of the National Housing Act regarding the requirements for mortgage insurance under such Act for hospitals. Signed on October 3, 2003. (Public Law 108-91)

H.R. 978, to amend chapter 84 of title 5, United States Code, to provide that certain Federal annuity computations are adjusted by 1 percentage point relating to periods of receiving disability payments. Signed on October 3, 2003. (Public Law 108-92)

S. 111, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a special resource study to determine the national significance of the Miami Circle site in the State of Florida as well as the suitability and feasibility of its inclusion in the National Park System as part of Biscayne National Park. Signed on October 3, 2003. (Public Law 108-93)

S. 233, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a study of Coltsville in the State of Connecticut for potential inclusion in the National Park System. Signed on October 3, 2003. (Public Law 108-94)

S. 278, to make certain adjustments to the boundaries of the Mount Naomi Wilderness Area. Signed on October 3, 2003. (Public Law 108-95)

H.R. 1925, to reauthorize programs under the Runaway and Homeless Youth Act and the Missing Children's Assistance Act. Signed on October 10, 2003. (Public Law 108-96)

H.R. 2826, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1000 Avenida Sanchez Osorio in Carolina, Puerto Rico, as the "Roberto Clemente Walker Post Office Building". Signed on October 10, 2003. (Public Law 108-97)

S. 570, to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 with respect to the qualifications of foreign schools. Signed on October 10, 2003. (Public Law 108-98)

H.R. 2152, to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to extend for an additional 5 years the special immigrant religious worker program. Signed on October 15, 2003. (Public Law 108-99)

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THURSDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2003

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Armed Services: to hold a closed briefing on the intelligence portion of the FY04 Emergency Supplemental Appropriations request, 9:30 a.m., S-407, Capitol.

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs: to hold hearings to examine proposals for improving the regulation of the Housing GSEs, 10 a.m., SD-538.

Committee on Foreign Relations: to hold hearings to examine the pursuit of security and democracy in Afghanistan, 2 p.m., SH-216.

Subcommittee on European Affairs, to hold hearings to examine U.S.-EU Cooperation on regulatory affairs, 2:30 p.m., SD-419.

Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions: to hold hearings to examine access to postsecondary education in relation to reauthorizing the Higher Education Act, 10 a.m., SD-430.

Committee on Indian Affairs: to hold hearings to examine the Missouri River Master Manual, 10 a.m., SR-485.

Committee on the Judiciary: business meeting to consider S. 1545, to amend the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996 to permit States to determine State residency for higher education purposes and to authorize the cancellation of removal and adjustment of status of certain alien students who are long-term United States residents, S. 1691, to establish commissions to review the facts and circumstances surrounding injustices suffered by European Americans, European Latin Americans, and Jewish refugees during World War II, and the nominations of Henry W. Saad, of Michigan, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Sixth Circuit, George W. Miller, of Virginia, to be a Judge of the United States Court of Federal Claims, Deborah Ann Spagnoli, of California, to be a Commissioner of the United States Parole Commission, and Dora L. Irizarry, to be United States District Judge for the Eastern District of New York, 10 a.m., SD-226.

Subcommittee on Administrative Oversight and the Courts, to hold hearings to examine recent litigations against food companies relative to common sense consumption, 2 p.m., SD-226.

Select Committee on Intelligence: to hold closed hearings to examine certain intelligence matters, 10 a.m., SH-219.

House

Committee on Agriculture, hearing to examine new generation cooperatives and strategies to maximize farm and ranch income, 10 a.m., 1300 Longworth.

Committee on the Budget, hearing on Department of Defense Long-Term Budget Issues, 10 a.m., 210 Cannon.