

# Daily Digest

## HIGHLIGHTS

Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 103, Adjournment Resolution.

## Senate

### *Chamber Action*

*Routine Proceedings, pages*

#### Measures Passed:

*Adjournment Resolution:* Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 103, providing for a conditional adjournment or recess of the two Houses. **Page S3096**

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**Adjournment:** Senate convened at 6:16 p.m., pursuant to the authority granted by the Senate Resolu-

tion 296 of the 108th Congress, the Majority and Democratic Leaders of the Senate acting jointly, have determined that circumstances warrant a convening of the Senate at this time, notwithstanding the order of March 17, 2005, and adjourned at 6:22 p.m., until 2 p.m., on Sunday, March 20, 2005. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Majority Leader in today's Record on page S3096.)

### *Committee Meetings*

No committee meetings were held.

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## House of Representatives

### *Chamber Action*

The House was not in session.

### *Committee Meetings*

#### DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, HHS, EDUCATION, AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

*Committee on Appropriations:* On March 18, the Subcommittee on the Department of Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies held a hearing on Quality Teachers, Principals and High Schools. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Education: Raymond Simon, Assistant Secretary, Elementary and Secondary Education; and Susan Sclafani, Assistant Secretary, Vocational and Adult Education.

#### DEPARTMENTS OF TRANSPORTATION, TREASURY, AND HUD, THE JUDICIARY, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, AND INDEPENDENT AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

*Committee on Appropriations:* On March 18, the Subcommittee on the Departments of Transportation, Treasury, and Housing and Urban Development, the Judiciary, District of Columbia and Independent Agencies held a hearing on the Secretary of Transportation. Testimony was heard from Norman Y. Mineta, Secretary of Transportation.

#### DOE NUCLEAR FACILITIES—SECURITY INITIATIVES

*Committee on Energy and Commerce:* On March 18, the Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing entitled "A Review of Security Initiatives at DOE Nuclear Facilities." Testimony was heard from the officials of the Department of Energy: Linton Brooks, Administrator, National Nuclear Security Administration; Glenn S. Podonsky, Director, Office of Security and Safety Performance Assurance; and Peter Nanos, Director, Los Alamos National Laboratory; and a public witness.