

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 13 public bills, H.R. 4183–4195; and 1 resolution, H. Res. 526 were introduced. **Page H9472**

Additional Cosponsors: **Pages H9472–73**

Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows:

H.R. 3665, to amend title 38, United States Code, to authorize the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to provide adaptive housing assistance to disabled veterans residing temporarily in housing owned by a family member and to make direct housing loans to Native American veterans, with amendments (H. Rept. 109–263). **Pages H9471–72**

Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative Porter to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H9437**

Recess: The House recessed at 12:55 p.m. and reconvened at 2 p.m. **Page H9439**

Meeting Hour: Agreed that when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 2 p.m. on tomorrow, Wednesday, November 2nd. **Page H9441**

Suspensions: The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Heinz Ahlmeyer, Jr. Post Office Building Designation Act: H.R. 3548, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located on Franklin Avenue in Pearl River, New York, as the “Heinz Ahlmeyer, Jr. Post Office Building”, by a yea-and-nay vote of 390 yeas with none voting “nay”, Roll No. 557; **Pages H9442–43, H9446–47**

Lillian McKay Post Office Building Designation Act: H.R. 2413, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1202 1st Street in Humble, Texas, as the “Lillian McKay Post Office Building”; and **Pages H9443–44**

Albert Harold Quie Post Office Designation Act: H.R. 3989, amended, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 37598 Goodhue Avenue in Dennison, Minnesota, as the “Albert Harold Quie Post Office”, by a yea-and-nay vote of 391 yeas to 1 nay, Roll No. 558. **Pages H9444–46, H9447–48**

Agreed to amend the title so as to read: “A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 37598 Goodhue Avenue in Dennison, Minnesota, as the Albert H. Quie Post Office.” **Page H9448**

Presidential Message: Read a message from the President wherein he notified Congress of the con-

tinuation of the national emergency with respect to Sudan and is to continue in effect beyond November 3, 2005—referred to the Committee on International Relations and ordered printed (H. Doc. 109–66). **Page H9446**

Recess: The House recessed at 2:50 p.m. and reconvened at 6:30 p.m. **Page H9446**

Senate Message: Messages received from the Senate today appears on pages H9440, and H9447.

Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H9446–47, and H9447–48. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 12:30 p.m. and adjourned at 10:58 p.m.

Committee Meetings

SPACE SECURITY

Committee on Armed Services: Asymmetric and Unconventional Threats Gap Panel held a hearing on space security. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

SICK CRIME: COUNTERFEIT DRUGS IN THE UNITED STATES

Committee on Government Reform: Subcommittee on Criminal Justice, Drug Policy and Human Resources held a hearing entitled “Sick Crime: Counterfeit Drugs in the United States.” Testimony was heard from Randall W. Lutter, Acting Associate Commissioner, Policy and Planning, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services; Jim Dahl, former Assistant Director, Investigations, Office of Criminal Investigations, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

HISTORIC PRESERVATION—KATRINA AND RITA

Committee on Government Reform: Subcommittee on Federalism and the Census held a hearing on Historic Preservation vs. Katrina and Rita: What Role Should Federal, State and Local Governments Play in Preserving Historic Properties Affected by this Catastrophic Storm? Testimony was heard from Janet Matthews, Associate Director, Cultural Resources, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; Mitchell J. Landrieu Lieutenant Governor, State of Louisiana; H.T. Holmes, Director, Department of Archives and History, State of Mississippi; and public witnesses.