

and International Security concluded hearings to examine the Gulf of Mexico oil spill, focusing on ensuring a financially responsible recovery, after receiving testimony from Kenneth R. Feinberg, Gulf Coast Claims Facility, New York, New York; James T. Hackett, Anadarko Petroleum Corporation, Chicago, Illinois; and Noaki Ishii, MOEX Offshore 2007 LLC, Hosei, Japan.

WORKPLACE SAFETY AND WORKER PROTECTIONS AT BP

Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions: Subcommittee on Employment and Workplace Safety concluded a hearing to examine workplace safety and worker protections at BP, after receiving testimony from Steven A. Flynn, BP Global, London, United Kingdom.

INDIAN WATER RIGHTS BILLS

Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee concluded a hearing to examine S. 2956, to authorize the

Pechanga Band of Luiseno Mission Indians Water Rights Settlement, and S. 3290, to modify the purposes and operation of certain facilities of the Bureau of Reclamation to implement the water rights compact among the State of Montana, the Blackfeet Tribe of the Blackfeet Indian Reservation of Montana, and the United States, after receiving testimony from Senator Baucus; Mark Macarro, Pechanga Band of Luiseno Mission Indians, and Matthew G. Stone, Rancho California Water District, both of Temecula, California; Jay Weiner, Montana Assistant Attorney General, on behalf of the Montana Reserved Water Rights Compact Commission, and John E. Bloomquist, Pondera County Canal and Reservoir Company, both of Helena, Montana; and Shannon Augare, Blackfeet Tribal Business Council, Browning, Montana.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced: 36 public bills, H.R. 5813–5848; and 8 resolutions, H.J. Res. 94; H. Con. Res. 301–303 ; and H. Res. 1551–1554 were introduced. **Pages H5983–85**

Additional Cosponsors: **Pages H5985–86**

Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows:

H. Res. 1550, providing for consideration of the Senate amendment to the House amendment to the Senate amendment to the bill (H.R. 4213) to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend certain expiring provisions (H. Rept. 111–556);

H.R. 5681, to improve certain administrative operations of the Library of Congress (H. Rept. 111–557);

H.R. 3837, to amend the Homeland Security Act of 2002 to provide for clarification on the use of funds relating to certain homeland security grants, with an amendment (H. Rept. 111–558);

H.R. 5822, making appropriations for military construction, the Department of Veterans Affairs, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2011 (H. Rept. 111–559);

H.R. 847, to amend the Public Health Service Act to extend and improve protections and services to individuals directly impacted by the terrorist attack in New York City on September 11, 2001, with an amendment (H. Rept. 111–560, Pt. 1);

H.R. 847, to amend the Public Health Service Act to extend and improve protections and services to individuals directly impacted by the terrorist attack in New York City on September 11, 2001, with an amendment (H. Rept. 111–560, Pt. 2); and

H.R. 5493, to provide for the furnishing of statues by the District of Columbia for display in Statuary Hall in the United States Capitol (H. Rept. 111–561). **Page H5983**

Speaker: Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative Pastor to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H5923**

Suspensions: The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures which were debated on Tuesday, July 20th:

Child Protection Improvements Act: H.R. 1469, amended, to amend the National Child Protection Act of 1993 to establish a permanent background check system, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ yeas-and-nays vote of 413 yeas to 4 nays, Roll No. 462 and **Page H5938**

Joyce Rogers Post Office Building Designation Act: H.R. 5341, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 100 Orndorf Drive in Brighton, Michigan, as the “Joyce Rogers Post Office Building”, by a $\frac{2}{3}$ recorded vote of 411 yeas with none voting “no”, Roll No. 464.

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Question of Consideration: The House agreed to consider the Senate amendment to the House amendment to the Senate amendment to H.R. 4213,

to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend certain expiring provisions, by voice vote.

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American Jobs and Closing Tax Loopholes Act of 2010: The House concurred in the Senate amendment to the House amendment to the Senate amendment to H.R. 4213, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend certain expiring provisions, by a yea-and-nay vote of 272 yeas to 152 nays, Roll No. 463.

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H. Res. 1550, the rule providing for consideration of the Senate amendment, was agreed to by a yea-and-nay vote of 237 yeas to 180 nays, Roll No. 461, after the previous question was ordered without objection.

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Moment of Silence: The House observed a moment of silence in honor of Officer Jacob J. Chestnut and Detective John M. Gibson of the United States Capitol Police who were killed in the line of duty defending the Capitol against an intruder armed with a gun on July 24, 1998.

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Multiple Peril Insurance Act—Rule for Consideration: The House agreed to H. Res. 1549, the rule providing for consideration of H.R. 1264, to amend the National Flood Insurance Act of 1968 to provide for the national flood insurance program to make available multiperil coverage for damage resulting from windstorms or floods, by a recorded vote of 228 yeas to 183 noes, Roll No. 466, after the previous question was ordered by a yea-and-nay vote of 234 yeas to 179 nays, Roll No. 465.

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Meeting Hour: Agreed that when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 12:30 p.m. on Monday, July 26th for morning hour debate.

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Senate Messages: Messages received from the Senate today appear on pages H5923 and H5951.

Senate Referrals: S. 1376 was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Four yea-and-nay votes and two recorded votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H5937–38, H5938, H5950, H5951, H5958, H5958–59. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 7:36 p.m.

Committee Meetings

STATE OF CROP INSURANCE INDUSTRY

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on General Farm Commodities and Risk Management held a hearing to review the state of crop insurance industry. Testimony was heard from Bill Murphy, Administrator, Risk Management Agency, USDA; and public witnesses.

INTERIOR, ENVIRONMENT, AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies approved for full Committee action the FY 2011 Interior and Environment Appropriations bill.

DOD BUDGET MANAGEMENT

Committee on Armed Services: Held a hearing on managing the Department of Defense in a time of tight budgets. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Elizabeth McGrath, Deputy Chief Management Officer; Joseph Westphal, Under Secretary of the Army; Robert O. Work, Under Secretary of the Navy; and Erin Conaton, Under Secretary of the Air Force.

BEST PRACTICES ACT; PERSONAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade, and Consumer Protection held a hearing on the following: the Best Practices Act; and a discussion draft to require notice to and consent of an individual prior to the collection and disclosure of certain personal information relating to that individual. Testimony was heard from David Vladeck, Director, Bureau of Consumer Protection, FTC; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Health approved for full Committee action the following bills: H.R. 903, amended, Dental Emergency Responder Act; H.R. 1745, amended, Family Health Care Accessibility Act; H.R. 3199, amended, Emergency Medic Transition (EMT) Act; H.R. 5710, amended, National All Schedules Prescription Electronic Reporting Reauthorization Act of 2010; H.R. 5756, amended, Training and Research for Autism Improvements Nationwide Act of 2010; H.R. 5809, amended, Safe Drug Disposal Act of 2010; H.R. 2923, Combat Methamphetamine Enhancement Act of 2009; and H.R. 3470, amended, Nationally Enhancing the Well-being of Babies through Outreach and Research Now Act.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on the following measures: H.R. 5710, National All Schedules Electronic Reporting Reauthorization Act of 2010; and the Safe Drug Disposal Act Antibiotics in Animal Agriculture. Testimony was heard from R. Gil Kerlikowske, Director, Office of National Drug Control Policy; and Joseph Rannazzisi, Deputy Assistant Administrator, Office of Diversion Control, Drug Enforcement Administration, Department of Justice.

DIRECT-TO-CONSUMER GENERIC TEST SALES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing entitled "Direct-to-Consumer Genetic Testing and the Consequences to the Public Health." Testimony was