vessels to be able to provide assistance to certain vessels operating within the boundaries of the Olympic Coast National Marine Sanctuary or the Strait of Juan de Fuca.

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(7) Murray Amendment No. 1107 (to Amendment No. 1104), to include licensing requirements and conditions in the issuance of rules necessary for implementation of the President's national interest determination, to give authority to the President to take certain actions relative to anticompetitive activity, including revocation.

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Withdrawn:

Murkowski Amendment No. 1078, to authorize exports of Alaskan North Slope crude oil.

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Whitewater Investigation—Agreement: A unanimous-consent time agreement was reached providing for the consideration of a proposed resolution relating to the Whitewater investigation, on Wednesday, May 17, 1995.

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Treaty Approved: The following treaty having passed through the various parliamentary stages, up to and including the presentation of the resolution of ratification, upon division, two-thirds of the Senators present and having voted in the affirmative, the resolution of ratification, with two provisos, was agreed to: Treaty with Panama on Mutual Assistance in Criminal Matters. (Treaty Doc. 102–15)

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Robert E. Rubin, of New York, to be United States Governor of the International Monetary Fund for a term of five years; United States Governor of the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development for a term of five years; United States Governor of the Inter-American Development Bank for a term of five years; United States Governor of the African Development Bank for a term of five years; United States Governor of the Asian Development Bank; United States Governor of the African Development Fund; United States Governor of the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development.

Lawrence Harrington, of Tennessee, to be United States Alternate Executive Director of the Inter-American Development Bank.

Jeffrey M. Lang, of Maryland, to be Deputy United States Trade Representative, with the rank of Ambassador.

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Record Votes: Three record votes were taken today. (Total—170) Pages S6709, S6722, S6742

Recess: Senate convened at 9:30 a.m., and recessed at 6:25 p.m., until 9:45 a.m., on Wednesday, May 17, 1995. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's RECORD on page S6765.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

NOMINATION

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee concluded hearings on the nominations of Karl N. Stauber, of Minnesota, to be Under Secretary of Agriculture for Research, Education, and Economics, and Eugene Branstool, of Ohio, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Federal Agricultural Mortgage Corporation, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf. Mr. Stauber was introduced by Senator Wellstone.

1995 FARM BILL

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee resumed hearings on proposed legislation to strengthen and improve United States agricultural programs, focusing on rural development and farm credit programs, including S. 805, to improve Federal rural electrification and rural development programs administered by the Department of Agriculture, receiving testimony from Senator Simpson; Daniel R. Glickman, Secretary of Agriculture; Bill McQuillan, City National Bank, Greeley, Nebraska, on behalf of the Independent Bankers Association of America; C.T. Fredrickson, AgriBank, FCB, St. Paul, Minnesota; David Freshwater, University of Kentucky, Lexington; Enrique Irizarry, Jr., GAM Service Corporation, San Juan, Puerto Rico; Bill Christison, Missouri Rural Crisis Center, Chillicothe, on behalf of the National Family Farm Coalition; Michael H. Core, Indiana Statewide Association of Rural Electric Cooperatives, Inc., Indianapolis; Joe Palmer, Georgia Rural Water Association, Albany, on behalf of the National Rural Water Association; Aaron J. Harp, University of Idaho, Moscow; Dwight L. Casey, National Alliance for Fair Competition, Alexandria,

Virginia; L. Roger Johnson, North Dakota Agricultural Mediation Service, Bismarck; and Ron Phillips, Coastal Enterprises, Inc., Wiscasset, Maine.

Committee will meet again on Tuesday, May 23.

AUTHORIZATION—DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on Readiness resumed hearings on S. 727, authorizing funds for fiscal year 1996 for military activities of the Department of Defense and the future years defense program, focusing on Department of Defense financial management, receiving testimony from Charles A. Bowsher, Comptroller General of the United States, David M. Connor, Director for Defense Audit Issues, Accounting and Information Management Division, Jack L. Brock, Jr., Director for IRM-NSIAD Issues, Accounting and Information Management Division, and David E. Cooper, Director for Acquisition Policy, Technology and Competitiveness Issues, National Security and International Affairs Division, all of the General Accounting Office; and John J. Hamre, Comptroller and Chief Financial Officer, and Richard F. Kervey, Director, Defense Finance and Accounting Service, both of the Department of Defense.

Subcommittee recessed subject to call.

AUTHORIZATION—DEFENSE

Committee on Armed Services: Subcommittee on SeaPower resumed hearings on S. 727, authorizing funds for fiscal year 1996 for military activities of the Department of Defense and the future years defense program, focusing on the requirements for continued production of nuclear submarines, submarine industrial base issues, procurement strategy, and associated funding, receiving testimony from Nora Slatkin, Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Research, Development and Acquisition; Vice Adm. T. Joseph Lopez, Deputy Chief of Naval Operations, Warfare Requirements and Assessments; Adm. DeMars, Director, Naval Nuclear Propulsion; Richard Davis, Director, National Security Analysis, National Security and International Affairs Division, General Accounting Office; Ronald O'Rourke, Specialist in National Defense, Congressional Research Service; Cindy Williams, Assistant Director, National Security Division, Congressional Budget Office; William Fricks, Newport News Shipbuilding and Drydock, Newport News, Virginia; and James E. Turner, Jr., General Dynamics Corporation, Groton, Connecticut.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, May 18.

NASA SPACE SHUTTLE

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Sub-committee on Science, Technology, and Space con-

cluded hearings to examine the status of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration's space shuttle and reusable launch vehicle programs, after receiving testimony from Representative Rohrabacher; J. Wayne Littles, Associate Administrator for Office of Space Flight, John Mansfield, Associate Administrator for Space Access and Technology, and Paul Johnstone, Deputy Chairman, Aerospace Safety Advisory Panel, all of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration; and Jerry Grey, American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics, and John Logsdon, George Washington University, both of Washington, D.C.

NRC LICENSING

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee concluded hearings to review Nuclear Regulatory Commission licensing activities with regard to the Department of Energy's civilian nuclear waste disposal program and other related matters within the jurisdiction of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, after receiving testimony from Ivan Selin, Chairman, Nuclear Regulatory Commission.

MEDICARE

Committee on Finance: Committee resumed hearings on the fiscal solvency of Medicare and the status of the program's delivery of health care services, focusing on methods to preserve and improve the Medicare program, receiving testimony from Stuart M. Butler, Heritage Foundation, Roland King, Ernst & Young, and Robert D. Reischauer, Brookings Institution, all of Washington, D.C.; and John W. Rowe, Mount Sinai Hospital School of Medicine, New York, New York.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES EDUCATION ACT

Committee on Labor and Human Resources: Subcommittee on Disability Policy resumed hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for programs of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, receiving testimony from G. Reid Lyon, Director, Human Learning and Behavior Branch, Center for Research for Mothers and Children, National Institutes of Health, Department of Health and Human Services; Stevan A. Kukic, Utah State Office of Education, Salt Lake City; Hal Hayden, Kentucky Department of Education, Frankfort; James E. Ysseldyke, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis; Charlene Green, Chicago Public Schools, Chicago, Illinois; Brian A. McNulty, Colorado Department of Education, Denver; Laurie Collins, Winston Salem, North Carolina, on behalf of the Interagency Coordinating Council in North Carolina; and Gen Nochta, Lexington, Kentucky.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.