

ayes to 367 noes, with 1 voting "present", Roll No. 344).

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**Late Report:** Committee on International Relations received permission to have until midnight on Friday, 19, to file a report on H.R. 1561, to consolidate the foreign affairs agencies of the United States; to authorize appropriations for the Department of State and related agencies for fiscal years 1996 and 1997; and to responsibly reduce the authorizations of appropriations for fiscal years 1996 and 1997.

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**Supplemental Appropriations for Additional Disaster Assistance:** By a yea-and-nay vote of 235 yeas to 189 nays, Roll No. 346, the House agreed to the conference report on H.R. 1158, making emergency supplemental appropriations for additional disaster assistance and making rescissions for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1995—clearing the measure for Senate action.

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H. Res. 151, the rule which waived certain points of order against the conference report, was agreed to earlier by voice vote.

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**Presidential Message:** Read the following messages from the President:

*Nuclear proliferation:* Message wherein he transmits a report declaring a national emergency with respect to the proliferation of chemical and biological weapons—referred to the Committee on International Relations and ordered printed (H. Doc. 104-76); and

*Iran emergency:* Message wherein he transmits a report on developments concerning the national emergency with respect to Iran—referred to the Committee on International Relations and ordered printed (H. Doc. 104-77).

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**Legislative Program:** The Majority Leader announced the legislative program for the week of May 22. Agreed to adjourn from Thursday to Monday.

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**Meeting Hour:** Agreed to meet at 10:30 a.m. on Tuesday, May 23.

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**Calendar Wednesday:** Agreed to dispense with Calendar Wednesday business of May 24.

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**Referral:** One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate House committee.

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**Amendments Ordered Printed:** Amendments ordered printed pursuant to the rule appear on page H5367.

**Senate Message:** Messages received from the Senate today appear on page H5231.

**Quorum Calls—Votes:** Three yea-and-nay votes and three recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages H5237-38, H5264-65, H5280-81, H5297-98,

H5309, and H5353-54. There were no quorum calls.

**Adjournment:** Met at 9 a.m. and adjourned at 8:14 p.m.

## Committee Meetings

### EXPORT MARKET FOR AMERICAN DAIRY PRODUCTS

*Committee on Agriculture:* Subcommittee on Livestock, Dairy, and Poultry held a hearing on the export market for American dairy products, proposals to make Federal dairy policy more export-oriented, and the relationship of export policy to the future of the dairy price support program following the implementation of the Uruguay Round. Testimony was heard from Keith Collins, Chief Economist, USDA; and public witnesses.

### FARM BILL—CREDIT AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT

*Committee on Agriculture:* Subcommittee on Resource Conservation, Research, and Forestry held a hearing on the 1995 Farm Bill—Credit and Rural Development. Testimony was heard from John Harman, Director, Food and Agriculture Issues, GAO; Mike Dunn, Acting Under Secretary, Rural Economic and Commercial Development, USDA; Doyle Cook, member, Board of Directors, Farm Credit Administration and Chairman, Board of Directors, Farm Credit System Insurance Corporation; E. Benjamin Nelson, Governor, State of Nebraska; Alan Tracy, Secretary, Department of Agriculture, Trade, and Consumer Protection, State of Wisconsin; and public witnesses.

### FEDERAL HOME LOAN BANK SYSTEM MODERNIZATION ACT

*Committee on Banking and Financial Services:* Subcommittee on Capital Markets, Securities and Government Sponsored Enterprises concluded hearings on H.R. 1487, Federal Home Loan Bank System Modernization Act of 1995. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

### FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS REGULATORY RELIEF ACT

*Committee on Banking and Financial Services:* Subcommittee on financial Institutions and Consumer Credit held a hearing on the broad issue of regulatory burden relief as well as those matters addressed in H.R. 1362, Financial Institutions Regulatory Relief Act of 1995. Testimony was heard from Representative Bereuter; from the following officials of the Department of the Treasury: Richard S. Carnell, Assistant Secretary, Financial Institutions;

Eugene A. Ludwig, Comptroller of the Currency; and Jonathan L. Fiechter, Acting Director, OTS; Susan Phillips, member, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System; Ricki Helfer, Chairman, FDIC; Nicholas P. Retsinas, Assistant Secretary, Housing, Department of Housing and Urban Development; and Catherine Ghiglieri, Banking Commissioner, State of Texas.

Hearings continue May 23.

#### **INTERSTATE TRANSPORTATION OF WASTE AND FLOW CONTROL**

*Committee on Commerce:* Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade, and Hazardous Materials approved for full committee the introduction of a bill on Interstate Transportation of Waste and Flow Control.

#### **CLEAN AIR ACT AMENDMENTS—IMPLEMENTATION AND ENFORCEMENT**

*Committee on Commerce:* Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations continued hearings on the Implementation and Enforcement of the Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990, with emphasis on Title V, Permits. Testimony was heard from Mary D. Nichols, Assistant Administrator, Air and Radiation, EPA; Karen N. T. Olson, Director, Operating Permits Program, Natural Resources Conservation Commission, State of Texas; John Ruscigno, Program Operations Manager, Department of Environmental Quality, State of Oregon; and public witnesses.

#### **OVERSIGHT**

*Committee on Government Reform and Oversight:* Subcommittee on Human Resources and Intergovernmental Relations held an oversight hearing on the Corporation for National and Community Service. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Corporation for National and Community Service; Eli Segal, CEO; and Jim Joseph, Chairperson, Board of Directors; James Lee Witt, Director, FEMA; John Timoney, First Deputy Commissioner, Police Department, New York City; and public witnesses.

#### **REGULATORY SUNSET AND REVIEW ACT**

*Committee on Government Reform and Oversight:* Subcommittee on National Economic Growth, Natural Resources, and Regulatory Affairs approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 994, Regulatory Sunset and Review Act of 1995.

#### **ADMINISTRATION'S REVERSAL OF UNITED STATES IMMIGRATION POLICY TOWARDS CUBA**

*Committee on International Relations:* Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere Affairs held a hearing on the Administration's Reversal of United States Immigra-

tion Policy Towards Cuba. Testimony was heard from Peter Tarnott, Under Secretary, Political Affairs, Department of State; Adm. Norman T. Saunders, USCG, Chief, Office of Law Enforcement and Defense Operations, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Transportation; Doris Meissner, Commissioner, Immigration and Naturalization Service, Department of Justice; and public witnesses.

#### **ANTITRUST CONSENT DECREE REFORM ACT**

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Ordered reported amended H.R. 1528, Antitrust Consent Decree Reform Act of 1995.

#### **NATIONAL DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION**

*Committee on National Security:* Subcommittee on Military Personnel approved for full Committee action H.R. 1530, National Defense Authorization for fiscal year 1996.

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#### **MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES**

*Committee on Resources:* Subcommittee on National Parks, Forest and Lands held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 629, The Fall River Visitor Center Act of 1995; H.R. 238, Ozark Wild Horses Protection Act; H.R. 826, to extend the deadline for the completion of certain land exchanges involving the Big Thicket National Preserve in Texas; and H.R. 1508, to require the transfer of title to the District of Columbia certain real property in Anacostia Park to facilitate the construction of National Children's Island, a cultural, educational and family-oriented park. Testimony was heard from Representatives Wilson, Emerson and Norton; Denis P. Galvin, Associate Director, Planning and Development, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; Mark A. Reimers, Deputy Chief, Forest Service, USDA; Michael Rogers, City Administrator, District of Columbia; and public witnesses.

#### **OVERSIGHT**

*Committee on Resources:* Subcommittee on Water and Power Resources held an oversight hearing on the potential transfer of the Power Marketing Administration out of federal ownership. Testimony was heard from Representatives Foley, Klug and Payne of Virginia; Elizabeth A. Moler, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, Department of Energy; and public witnesses.

**OVERSIGHT**

*Committee on Resources:* Endangered Species Act Task Force continued oversight hearings on the Endangered Species Act. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue May 25.

**FLAT TAX**

*Committee on Small Business:* Subcommittee on Tax and Finance held a hearing on the flat tax. Testimony was heard from Senator Spector; Representative Armey; Jere W. Glover, Chief Counsel for Advocacy, SBA; and public witnesses.

**BRIEFING—AVIATION SECURITY AND  
FAA'S ANTI-TERRORISM PROGRAM**

*Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure:* Subcommittee on Aviation met in executive session to receive a briefing on Aviation Security and FAA's Anti-Terrorism Program in the wake of the Oklahoma City bombing. The Subcommittee was briefed by the following officials of the Department of Transportation: Cathal Flynn, Assistant Administrator, Civil Aviation Security, FAA; and Paul E. Busick, Director, Office of Intelligence and Security; and Robert M. Blitzer, Chief, Radical Fundamentalist Unit, Counter-terrorism and Middle East Section, National Security Division, FBI, Department of Justice.

**EXTENSION OF GSP PROGRAM;  
EXTENDING MOST-FAVORED-NATION  
TREATMENT TO CAMBODIA AND  
BULGARIA**

*Committee on Ways and Means:* Subcommittee on Trade approved for full Committee action the fol-

lowing bills: H.R. 1654, to renew the Generalized System of Preferences; H.R. 1642, to extend nondiscriminatory treatment (most-favored-nation treatment) to the products of Cambodia; and H.R. 1643, to authorize the extension of nondiscriminatory treatment (most-favored-nation treatment) to the products of Bulgaria.

**BUDGET AUTHORIZATION**

*Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence:* Met in executive session and ordered reported H.R. 1655, Intelligence Authorization Act for fiscal year 1996.

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**COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR FRIDAY,  
MAY 19, 1995**

*(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)*

**Senate**

*Committee on Appropriations,* Subcommittee on VA, HUD, and Independent Agencies, to hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1996 for the Department of Housing and Urban Development, 9:30 a.m., SD-192.

*Committee on Foreign Relations,* closed briefing to discuss an operational plan for the extraction of United Nations peacekeepers from Bosnia and the role of the United States and NATO, 11 a.m., S-407, Capitol.

*Committee on Labor and Human Resources,* Subcommittee on Education, Arts and Humanities, to hold hearings to examine adult education programs, 9:30 a.m., SD-430.

**House**

*Committee on Commerce,* Subcommittee on Energy and Power, to continue oversight hearings on the Status of the International Global Climate Change Negotiations, 9:30 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.