

amended, to provide that cases challenging the constitutionality of measures passed by State referendum be heard by a three-judge court; S. 464, to make the reporting deadlines for studies conducted in Federal court demonstration districts consistent with the deadlines for pilot districts; and S. 532, to clarify the rules governing venue.

UNITED STATES POLICY TOWARD THE FORMER YUGOSLAVIA

Committee on National Security: Held a hearing on United States policy toward the former Yugoslavia. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: William J. Perry, Secretary; and Gen. John M. Shalikashvili, USA, Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff.

NATIONAL DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION ACT

Committee on Rules: Heard testimony from Chairman Spence and Representatives Kasich, Bateman, Dornan, Buyer, Everett, Gilman, Clinger, Thomas, Johnson of Connecticut, Morella, Shays, Upton, Molinari, Schiff, Klug, Hoke, Smith of Michigan, Bilbray, Chrysler, English, Forbes, Ganske, Neumann, Delums, Schroeder, Montgomery, Evans, Browder, Edwards, Harman, DeLauro, Kennedy, Markey, Gejdenson, Frank of Massachusetts, Bryant of Texas, Traficant, DeFazio, Skaggs, Reed, Maloney, Furse, Baldacci and Woolsey, but no action was taken on H.R. 1530, National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1996.

INTERNATIONAL SPACE STATION AUTHORIZATION ACT

Committee on Science: Subcommittee on Space and Aeronautics approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 1601, International Space Station Authorization Act of 1995.

REGULATORY BARRIERS TO MINORITY ENTREPRENEURS

Committee on Small Business: Subcommittee on Regulation and Paperwork held a hearing on regulatory barriers to minority entrepreneurs. Testimony was heard from Representative Flake; and public witnesses.

FEDERAL INCOME TAX REPLACEMENT

Committee on Ways and Means: Continued hearings on Replacing the Federal Income Tax. Testimony was heard from Senators Domenici and Nunn; Representative Cox of California; Leslie B. Samuels, Assistant Secretary, Tax Policy, Department of the Treasury; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 8, 1995

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Appropriations, Subcommittee on Military Construction, to hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1996 for military construction programs, 10 a.m., SD-192.

Committee on Armed Services, to continue hearings to examine recent developments in Bosnia and changes in United States policy toward the conflict in the region, 10 a.m., SR-253.

Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs, to hold hearings to examine GATT financial services negotiations, 10 a.m., SD-538.

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, Subcommittee on Forests and Public Land Management, to hold hearings to review the Forest Service reinvention proposal and the proposed National Forest planning regulations, 2 p.m., SD-366.

Committee on Finance, to hold hearings to examine the earned income tax credit; to be followed by a hearing on pending nominations, 9:30 a.m., SD-215.

Committee on Foreign Relations, to hold hearings on the situation in Bosnia, 10 a.m., SD-419.

Committee on the Judiciary, Subcommittee on Immigration, business meeting, to mark up S. 269, to increase control over immigration to the United States by increasing border patrol and investigator personnel, improving the verification system for employer sanctions, increasing penalties for alien smuggling and for document fraud, reforming asylum, exclusion, and deportation law and procedures, instituting a land border user fee, and to reduce the use of welfare by aliens, and S. 457, to update references in the classification of children for purposes of United States immigration laws, 2 p.m., SD-226.

Committee on Labor and Human Resources, to hold hearings on S. 673, authorizing funds for fiscal years 1996 through 1998 to establish a youth development grant program, 9:30 a.m., SD-430.

Committee on Veterans Affairs, to hold hearings to examine recent court decisions affecting Department of Veterans Affairs regulations regarding veterans' benefits, 10 a.m., SR-418.

Committee on Indian Affairs, to hold hearings on S. 436, to improve the economic conditions and supply of housing in Native American communities by creating the Native American Financial Services Organization, 9:30 a.m., SR-485.

NOTICE

For a Listing of Senate committee meetings scheduled ahead, see page E1173 in today's Record.

House

Committee on Agriculture, Subcommittee on Department Operations, Nutrition, and Foreign Agriculture, hearing to review the Administration's proposals to reform the

Food Stamp Program and Commodity Distribution Programs, 10 a.m., 1302 Longworth.

Subcommittee on Risk Management and Specialty Crops, to continue hearings on the 1995 Farm Bill—Peanut Title, 10 a.m., 1300 Longworth.

Committee on Appropriations, Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, Export Financing and Related Programs, to mark up fiscal year 1996 appropriation bill, 2 p.m., H-144 Capitol.

Subcommittee on Legislative, to mark up fiscal year 1996 appropriation bill, 10 a.m., H-144 Capitol.

Committee on Banking and Financial Services, Subcommittee on Financial Institutions and Consumer Credit, to continue hearings 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, 10 a.m., 2128 Rayburn.

Committee on Commerce, Subcommittee on Health and Environment, hearing on the Transformation of the Medicaid Program, 9:30 a.m., 2322 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Telecommunications and Finance and the Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade, and Hazardous Materials, to continue joint hearings on H.R. 1062, Financial Services Competitiveness Act of 1995, 11 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities, to mark up Title VI, Sec. 709, Higher Education provisions of H.R. 1617, Consolidated and Reformed Education, Employment, and Rehabilitation Systems Act, 9:30 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing on Urban Education Reform and the District of Columbia Schools, 1 p.m., 2261 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Workforce Protections, hearing on the Fair Labor Standards Act, 1 p.m., 2175 Rayburn.

Committee on International Relations, hearing on the Situation in Bosnia, 2 p.m., 2172 Rayburn.

Committee on the Judiciary, Subcommittee on the Constitution, hearing on religious liberty and the Bill of Rights, 10 a.m., 2141 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Courts and Intellectual Property, hearing on the following bills: H.R. 632, to enhance fairness in compensating owners of patents used by the United States; H.R. 1732, Patent Reexamination Reform Act of 1995; and H.R. 1733, Patent Application Publication Act of 1995, 10 a.m., 2226 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Crime, oversight hearing on the Federal Bureau of Prisons, Department of Justice, 9:30 a.m., 2237 Rayburn.

Committee on Resources, Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources, oversight hearing on alternatives for managing on-shore federal minerals, 2 p.m., 1334 Longworth.

Subcommittee on Fisheries, Wildlife and Oceans, hearing on a number of fishery related issues, including H.R. 649, (S. 268), to authorize the collection of fees for expenses for triploid grass carp certification inspections; and an oversight hearing on the following: the Anadromous Fish Conservation Act of 1965; the Interjurisdictional Fisheries Act of 1986; the Great Lakes and Wildlife Restoration Act of 1990; and the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration Marine Fisheries Authorization Act, 10 a.m., 1334 Longworth.

Subcommittee on Water and Power Resources, hearing on the following: H.R. 799, and H.R. 599, Bonneville Power Administration Appropriations Refinancing Act; and legislation to amend the Water Resources Research Act of 1984 to extend the authorizations of appropriations through fiscal year 2000, 9:30 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

Committee on Rules, to continue consideration of H.R. 1530, National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1996, time to be announced, H-313 Capitol.

Committee on Science, Subcommittee on Energy and Environment, to mark up the following: DOE R&D Authorization Act; NOAA Authorization Act; and EPA R&D Authorization Act, 9:30 a.m., 2318 Rayburn.

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, Subcommittee on Aviation, hearing on Preventing Delays and Cost Overruns in the FAA's New Global Positioning (Satellite Navigation) System, 9:30 a.m., 2167 Rayburn.

Committee on Ways and Means, to continue hearings on Replacing the Federal Income Tax, 10 a.m., 1100 Longworth.

Joint Meetings

Joint Economic Committee, to hold hearings to examine the recent economic slowdown and its effects on the national economy, 11 a.m., SD-628.

Conferees, on H. Con. Res. 67, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for the fiscal years 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, and 2002, 2 p.m., SH-216.

Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe, to hold hearings on the current crisis in Bosnia, 12:30 p.m., 340 Cannon Building.