During consideration of this measure today, Senate also took the following action:

By 48 yeas to 52 nays (Vote No. 254), Senate rejected a motion to table the motion to reconsider Vote No. 253, listed above.

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A unanimous-consent agreement was reached providing for further consideration of the bill and the amendments pending thereto, on Wednesday, June 14, with votes to occur thereon.

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A second motion was entered to close further debate on the bill, and in accordance with the provisions of Rule XXII of the Standing Rules of the Senate, a vote on the cloture motion will occur on Thursday, June 15.

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Senate will resume consideration of the bill on Wednesday, June 14, with a cloture vote to occur thereon.

Messages From the President: Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

Transmitting the report of the Department of Housing and Urban Development for calendar year 1993; referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. (PM-55).

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Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Robert F. Rider, of Delaware, to be a Governor of the United States Postal Service for the term expiring December 8, 2004.

John D. Hawke, Jr., of New York, to be Under Secretary of the Treasury.

Linda Lee Robertson, of Oklahoma, to be a Deputy Under Secretary of the Treasury.

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Edward Scott Blair, of Tennessee, to be United States Marshal for the Middle District of Tennessee for the term of four years.

Michael William Cotter, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Turkmenistan.

James E. Goodby, of the District of Columbia, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as Principal Negotiator and Special Representative of the President for Nuclear Safety and Dismantlement.

Victor Jackovich, of Iowa, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Slovenia.

A. Elizabeth Jones, of Maryland, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Kazakhstan.

John Raymond Malott, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to Malaysia.

John K. Menzies, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina.

Kenneth Michael Quinn, of Iowa, to be Ambassador to Cambodia.

John Todd Stewart, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Moldova.

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Record Votes: Eight record votes were taken today. (Total—257)

Pages S8225, S8239, S8240, S8246, S8247, S8251, S8252 Recess: Senate convened at 9:15 a.m., and recessed at 9:28 p.m., until 9 a.m., on Wednesday, June 14, 1995. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the

Acting Majority Leader in today's RECORD on page S8289.)

Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

1995 FARM BILL: COMMODITY POLICY

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee resumed hearings on proposed legislation to strengthen and improve United States agricultural programs, focusing on commodity program policies, receiving testimony from Daniel R. Glickman, Secretary of Agriculture; Carl Loop, Florida Farm Bureau, Gainesville, on behalf of the American Farm Bureau Federation; Leland H. Swenson, National Farmers Union, Denver, Colorado; Becky Doyle, Illinois Department of Agriculture, Springfield, on behalf of the National Association of State Departments of Agriculture; Timothy W. Warman, American Farmland Trust, Washington, D.C.; John Hitchell, The Kroger Company, Cincinnati, Ohio, on behalf of the International Dairy Foods Association; Carroll Brunthaver, Sparks Companies, Inc., Memphis, Tennessee, on behalf of the National Grain and Feed Association and the National Grain Trade Council; Evans J. Plowden, Jr., Albany, Georgia, on behalf of the American Peanut Shellers Association, Inc., Virginia-Carolina Peanut Association, and the Southwestern Peanut Shellers Association; Ben Smith, Tom's Foods, Inc., Columbus, Georgia, on behalf of the American Peanut Product Manufacturers, Inc.; Carlton Bert, Larned, Kansas, on behalf of the American Alfalfa Processors Association; and

Elmer Hillesland, Grand Forks Chamber of Commerce, Grand Forks, North Dakota.

Hearings were recessed subject to call.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEFENSE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1996 for the Department of Defense, focusing on health programs, receiving testimony from Lt. Gen. Alcide M. Lanoue, USA, Surgeon General of the Army; Vice Adm. Donald F. Hagen, USN, Surgeon General of the Navy; Lt. Gen. Edgar R. Anderson, Jr., USAF, Surgeon General of the Air Force; Brig Gen. Nancy Adams, Chief of Army Nurse Corps; Capt. Mary Gardner, USN, Deputy Director, Naval Nurse Corps; and Brig. Gen. (Sel) Linda J. Stierle, USAF, Director, Air Force Nursing Services. Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, June 20.

NOMINATION

Committee on Armed Services: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of John P. White, of Massachusetts, to be Deputy Secretary of Defense, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Kennedy, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

NOMINATION

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of Roberta L. Gross, of the District of Columbia, to be Inspector General, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, after the nominee testified and answered questions in her own behalf.

NASA'S MISSION TO PLANET EARTH

Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation: Subcommittee on Science, Technology, and Space concluded hearings to examine the status of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration's Mission to Planet Earth program designed to better understand and predict global climate change, after receiving testimony from Senator Kyl; Charles Kennel, Associate Administrator, Mission to Planet Earth Program, National Aeronautics and Space Administration; Al Watkins, Chief, National Mapping Division, United States Geological Survey, Department of the Interior; Paul Smith, South Dakota School of Mines and Technology, Rapid City; Tommy Thompson, Louisiana-Pacific Corporation, Calpella, California; and Richard Bowers and Wilson Orr, both of Scottsdale. Arizona.

URANIUM ENRICHMENT

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee concluded hearings on S. 755, to provide for the pri-

vatization of the United States Enrichment Corporation which provides domestic uranium enrichment services, after receiving testimony from Charles B. Curtis, Under Secretary of Energy; William H. Timbers, Jr., President and Chief Executive Officer, United States Enrichment Corporation; James Derryberry, J.P. Morgan Securities Inc., New York, New York; Joe Colvin, Nuclear Energy Institute, Dale L. Alberts, Uranium Producers of America, and W. Howard Arnold, Louisiana Energy Services, all of Washington, D.C.; and James K. Phillips, Oil, Chemical and Atomic Workers International Union, Fairfax, Virginia.

AARP FINANCIAL AND BUSINESS PRACTICES

Committee on Finance: Subcommittee on Social Security and Family Policy held hearings to examine the financial and business practices of the American Association of Retired Persons (AARP), receiving testimony from Natwar M. Gandhi, Associate Director, Tax Policy and Administrative Issues, General Government Division, General Accounting Division; Paul S. Hewitt, National Taxpayers Union, and M. Roy Goldberg, Galland, Kharasch, Morse and Garfinkel, both of Washington, D.C.; and Mancur Olson, Jr., University of Maryland, College Park.

Hearings continue on Tuesday, June 20.

TAX TREATIES

Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee concluded hearings on the following treaties: Tax Convention With Sweden (Treaty Doc. 103-29), Tax Convention With Ukraine (Treaty Doc. 103-30), Additional Protocol Modifying the Tax Convention With Mexico (Treaty Doc. 103–31), Tax Convention With the French Republic (Treaty Doc. 103-32), Tax Convention With the Republic of Kazakhstan (Treaty Doc. 103–33), Tax Convention With the Portuguese Republic (Treaty Doc. 103–34), and a Revised Protocol Amending the 1980 Tax Convention With Canada (Treaty Doc. 104–4), after receiving testimony from Senator Dorgan; Leslie B. Samuels, Assistant Secretary for Tax Policy, and Joseph H. Guttentag, International Tax Counsel, both of the Department of the Treasury; Daniel M. Berman, International Tax Specialist, Joint Committee on Taxation, United States Congress; Robert H. Green, National Foreign Trade Council, Inc., Washington, D.C.; and Richard M. Hammer, United States Council for International Business, New York, New York.

UNITED STATES-JAPAN RELATIONS

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on East Asian and Pacific Affairs concluded hearings on United States-Japan trade relations, focusing on the effects of U.S. sanctions on overall U.S./Japan relations, the economic impact on U.S. business and workers, and the future of the World Trade Organization, after receiving testimony from Senator Levin; Stephen Ecton, Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for East Asian and Pacific Affairs; Ira S. Shapiro, Senior Counsel, Office of the United States Trade Representative; and Joe Cobb, Heritage Foun-

dation, Marcus Noland, Institute for International Economics, Nathaniel B. Thayer, Nitze School of Advanced International Studies (Johns Hopkins University), William A. Niskanen, Cato Institute, Robert E. Cole, Automotive Parts Advisory Committee, Lee Kadrich, Automotive Parts and Accessories Association, and Clyde V. Prestowitz, Jr., Economic Strategy Institute, all of Washington, D.C.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: Sixteen public bills, H.R. 1814–29; three private bills, H.R. 1830–32; and two resolutions, H. Con. Res. 74, and H. Res. 166, were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

Supplemental report on H.R. 1062, to enhance competition in the financial services industry by providing a prudential framework for the affiliation of banks, securities firms, and other financial service providers (H. Rept. 104–127, Pt. 2); and

H.R. 1817, making appropriations for military construction, family housing, and base realignment and closure for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1996 (H. Rept. 104–137).

Speaker Pro Tempore: Read a message from the Speaker wherein he designates Representative Frisa to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. Page H5759

Recess: House recessed at 11:14 a.m. and reconvened at noon.

Committees To Sit: The following committees received permission to sit today during proceedings of the House under the five-minute rule: Committees on Agriculture, Banking and Financial Services, Commerce, Economic and Educational Opportunities, Government Reform and Oversight, International Relations, Judiciary, Resources, and Transportation and Infrastructure.

Supplemental Report: It was made in order for the Committee on Banking and Financial Services to file a supplemental report on H.R. 1062, to enhance competition in the financial services industry by providing a prudential framework for the affiliation of banks, securities firms, and other financial service providers.

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Committee Resignation: Read a letter from Representative McCarthy wherein she resigns from the Committee on Small Business.

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Committee Election: House agreed to H. Res. 166, electing certain Members to standing committees.

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Presidential Message—Housing and Urban Development: Read a message from the President wherein he transmits the 29th annual report on the Department of Housing and Urban Development—referred to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

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Recess: House recessed at 2:39 p.m. and reconvened at 3:33 p.m. Page H5782

Department of Defense Authorization: House completed all general debate and began consideration of amendments on H.R. 1530, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1996 for military activities of the Department of Defense, and to prescribe military personnel strengths for fiscal year 1996; but came to no resolution thereon. Consideration of amendments will resume on Wednesday, June 14.

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Agreed To:

The Dornan amendment that prohibits the spending of funds authorized for the Cooperative Threat Reduction program unless Russia terminates its offensive biological weapons program (agreed to by a recorded vote of 244 ayes to 180 noes, Roll No. 369); and Pages H5870-74

The Spence en bloc amendment that provides assistance for chemical weapons stockpile communities affected by base closure; authorizes \$15 million for the cooperative development and demonstration of processes that aid in the demilitarization and disposal of munitions, rockets, and explosives; sets limitations on overseas living quarters allowances; privatizes the functions of defense reutilization and marketing services; converts the civilian marksmanship program to a federally chartered nonprofit corporation; sets procedures for the determination of whereabouts and status of missing persons; provides separation benefits for officers of commissioned corps