

sources (rejected by a recorded vote of 158 ayes to 249 noes, with 8 voting "present", Roll No. 545);

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The following amendments were offered but subsequently withdrawn:

The Clayton amendment that sought to reduce funding for section 502 nonsubsidized guaranteed housing loans by \$119,000 and offset the reduction by increasing funding for section 515 rental housing loans by \$11 million;

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The Owens amendment that sought to strike the \$4.3 million appropriation for the Rural Telephone Bank Program and strike language preventing any funds from being used to retire more than 5 percent of the Class A stock of the Rural Telephone Bank.

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The Obey amendment that sought to prohibit use of funds for salaries of personnel who carry out a market promotion program or provide assistance to organizations with gross annual sales of \$20 million or more unless that organization is a cooperative; and

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The Zimmer amendment that sought to prohibit use of funds for salaries of personnel who carry out a market promotion program and reduce by \$110 million funds for "Commodity Credit Corporation Fund—Reimbursement for Net Realized Losses".

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It was made in order that during further consideration of H.R. 1976 on Friday, July 21, 1995, after disposition of any questions earlier postponed under the authority granted by the order of the House of July 19, 1995, no further amendment shall be in order except the following: (1) the amendment of Representative Zimmer, to be debatable for 60 minutes; (2) the amendment of Representative Obey, to be debatable for 10 minutes; (3) the amendment of Representative Kennedy of Massachusetts, to be debatable for 20 minutes; and (4) the amendment of Representative Deutsch, to be debatable for 20 minutes; and further that each amendment—(1) may be offered only in the order specified; (2) may be offered only by the specified proponent or a designee; (3) shall be considered as read; (4) shall be debatable for the time specified, equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent; (5) shall not be subject to amendment (except as specified); and (6) shall not be subject to a demand for division of the question in the House or in the Committee of the Whole; and further that when proceedings resume after postponement on the amendment offered by Representative Hoke, that amendment shall again be debatable for 10 minutes equally divided and controlled by the proponent and an opponent.

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Amendments Ordered Printed: Amendments ordered printed pursuant to the rule appear on page H7379.

Quorum Calls—Votes: Two yea-and-nay votes and eight recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages H7301–02, H7306–07, H7328–29, H7329, H7329–30, H7330–31, H7344, H7345, H7359, and H7366–67. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 12:40 a.m. on Friday, July 21.

Committee Meetings

LABOR—HHS—EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Began markup of the Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education appropriations for fiscal year 1996.

Will continue tomorrow.

SUBPOENAS—MADISON GUARANTY SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION

Committee on Banking and Financial Services: Approved a motion authorizing the Chairman to apply for a writ of habeas corpus ad testificandum, and if necessary, to issue a subpoena to secure presence and testimony of former Associate Attorney General Webster Hubbell at the upcoming hearings on Madison Guaranty Savings and Loan Association.

CORRECTIVE ACTION CLEANUP PROGRAM

Committee on Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce, Trade, and Hazardous Materials held a hearing on the Corrective Action Cleanup Program under the Resources Conservation and Recovery Act and its relationship to the Superfund Program, including the following bills: H.R. 2036, Land Disposal Program Flexibility Act; and H.R. 1696, to authorize the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to exempt certain small land fills from the ground water monitoring requirements contained in landfill regulations promulgated by the Agency. Testimony was heard from Representative Cooley; Mike Shapiro, Office Director, Office of Solid Waste, EPA; Katherine Sharp, Environmental Programs Administrator, Waste Management Division, Department of Environmental Quality, State of Oklahoma; and public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities: Ordered reported amended the following bills: H.R. 1594, Pension Protection Act of 1995; H.R. 1225, to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to

exempt employees who perform certain court reporting duties from the compensatory time requirements applicable to certain public agencies; and H.R. 1114, to authorize minors who are under the child labor provision of the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 and who are under 18 years of age to load materials into balers and compactors.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on Government Reform and Oversight: Subcommittee on government Management, Information, and Technology held an oversight hearing on the Administration's progress on the Post-Federal Telecommunications System (Post-FTS2000) Acquisition program. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the GSA: Roger W. Johnson, Administrator; and Robert J. Woods, Associate Administrator for FTS2000.

FEDERALISM DEBATE: WHY DOESN'T WASHINGTON TRUST THE STATES?

Committee on Government Reform and Oversight: Subcommittee on Human Resources and Intergovernmental Relations held a hearing on The Federalism Debate: Why Doesn't Washington Trust the States? Testimony was heard from Richard Nathan, Commissioner, Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations; Julie Belaga, former Regional Administrator, EPA; and public witnesses.

FUTURE OF PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA

Committee on International Relations: Subcommittee on Asia and the Pacific held a hearing on the Future of the People's Republic of China: Perspectives on the Post-Deng Xiaoping Era. Testimony was heard from Kent Wiedemann, Deputy Assistant Secretary, East Asian and Pacific Affairs, Department of State; and public witnesses.

AUTHORIZATION AND OVERSIGHT CIVIL RIGHTS DIVISION—DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on the Constitution held a hearing regarding the authorization and oversight of the Civil Rights Division of the U.S. Department of Justice. Testimony was heard from Deval Patrick, Assistant Attorney General, Civil Rights Division, Department of Justice; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT—WACO

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Crime and the Subcommittee on National Security, International Affairs, and Criminal Justice of the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight continued joint oversight hearings on Federal Law Enforcement Actions in Relation to the Branch

Davidian Compound in Waco, Texas. Testimony was heard from Wade Ishimoto, Sandia National Laboratories; John Koonce, Drug Enforcement Administration, Department of Justice; the following officials of the Department of Defense: Ambassador H. Allen Holmes, Assistant Secretary, Special Operations in Low-Intensity Conflict; Maj. Gen. John M. Pickler, USA, Commander, Joint Task Force-6; Brig. Gen. Michael Huffman, USA, Assistant Judge Advocate, U. S. Army Special Forces Command; and Chris Crane, Special Forces Group; the following officials of the Department of the Treasury: Lewis Merletti, Deputy Director, Department Review Team; and William Buford, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

IMMIGRATION IN THE NATIONAL INTEREST ACT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Immigration and Claims approved for full Committee action the introduction of a clean bill in lieu of H.R. 1915, Immigration in the National Interest Act of 1995.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Resources: Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests and Lands held a hearing on the following bills: H.R. 1838, to provide for an exchange of lands with the Water Conservancy District of Washington County, UT; H.R. 1581, to require the Secretary of Agriculture to convey certain lands under the jurisdiction of the Department of Agriculture to the City of Sumpter, Oregon; H.R. 207, Cleveland National Forest Land Exchange Act of 1995; H.R. 1163, to authorize the exchange of National Park Service land in the Fire Island National Seashore in the State of New York for land in the Village of Patchogue, Suffolk County, New York; H.R. 1585, Modoc National Forest Boundary Adjustment Act; H.R. 1784, to validate certain conveyances made by the Southern Pacific Transportation Company within the cities of Reno, NV, and Tulare, CA; and H.R. 1922, to provide for the exchange of certain lands in Gilpin County, CO. Testimony was heard from Representatives Cooley, Thomas, Skaggs, Calvert and McInnis; the following officials of the Department of the Interior: Denis Galvin, Associate Director, Planning Professional Services, National Park Service; Maitland Sharpe, Assistant Director, Resource Assessment and Planning, Bureau of Land Management; and Janice McDougale, Associate Deputy Chief, Forest Service, USDA.

CENTRAL VALLEY PROJECT REFORM ACT

Committee on Resources: Subcommittee on Water and Power Resources held a hearing on H.R. 1906, Central Valley Project Reform Act of 1995. Testimony was heard from Senator Bradley; Representatives Herger, Thomas, Fazio and Riggs; Daniel P.

Beard, Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation, Department of the Interior; and public witnesses.

DEFICIT REDUCTION TRUST FUND

Committee on Rules: Ordered reported amended, by voice vote, H.R. 1162, to establish a deficit reduction trust fund and provide for the downward adjustment of discretionary spending limits in appropriation bills.

FEDERAL ACQUISITION STREAMLINING ACT IMPLEMENTATION

Committee on Small Business: Held a hearing regarding the implementation of PL 103-355, Federal Acquisition Streamlining Act of 1994. Testimony was heard from David E. Cooper, Associate Director, Acquisition Policy, Technology and Competitiveness, National Security and International Affairs Division, GAO; and Jere Glover, Chief Counsel for Advocacy, SBA.

COMMITTEE BUSINESS

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct: Met in executive session to consider pending business.

AVIATION RELATIONS BETWEEN UNITED STATES AND JAPAN

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure: Subcommittee on Aviation held a hearing on Aviation Relations Between the United States and Japan. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

GSA COURT CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM

Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure: Subcommittee on Public Buildings and Economic Development held a hearing on GSA Court Construction Program. Testimony was heard from Representatives Lazio, Ortiz, Peterson of Florida and Clyburn; Robert Broomfield, U.S. District Judge, Phoenix, Arizona and Chairman, Committee on Security, Space, and Facilities, Judicial Conference of the United States; and Thurman Davis, Acting Deputy Administrator, GSA.

SAVING MEDICARE AND BUDGET RECONCILIATION ISSUES

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Health continued hearings on Saving Medicare and Budget Reconciliation Issues. Testimony was heard from Representatives Cardin, McDermott, McCrery, Stenholm, Roberts, Gunderson, and Poshard; Bruce Vladeck, Administrator, Health Care Financing Administration, Department of Health and Human Services; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue July 25.

YUGOSLAVIA BRIEFING

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Met in executive session to receive a briefing on Yugoslavia. The Committee was briefed by departmental witnesses.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR FRIDAY, JULY 21, 1995

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Finance, to hold hearings to examine foreign tax issues, including the deferral of income tax on the earnings of U.S. businesses operating overseas, section 956A of the Internal Revenue Code, and the tax treatment of passive foreign investment companies and foreign sales corporations; to be followed by hearings on pending nominations, 9:30 a.m., SD-215.

Committee on Foreign Relations, to hold hearings on the nomination of Mark D. Gearan, of Massachusetts, to be Director of the Peace Corps, 11 a.m., SD-419.

Committee on the Judiciary, to hold hearings to examine certain activities of the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms of the Department of the Treasury, and recent events in Tennessee, 10 a.m., SH-216.

Committee on Rules and Administration, business meeting, to mark up S. Res. 126, to amend the Senate gift rule, 9:30 a.m., SR-301.

House

Committee on Appropriations, to continue markup of the Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education Appropriations for fiscal year 1996 and to mark up the Defense appropriations for fiscal year 1996, 8:15 a.m., 2360 Rayburn.

Committee on Commerce, Subcommittee on Energy and Power, hearing on H.R. 1663, Waste Isolation Pilot Plant Land Withdrawal Amendment Act, 9:30 a.m., 2322 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Health and Environment, hearing on Research Efforts with Respect to Combating Parkinson's Disease and Other Neurological Disorders, 9:30 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing on the Implementation and Enforcement of the Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990, with emphasis on provisions of Title III of the Act relating to the control of Hazardous Air Pollutants, 10 a.m., 2325 Rayburn.

Committee on Government Reform and Oversight, Subcommittee on National Security, International Affairs, and Criminal Justice, and Subcommittee on Crime of the Committee on the Judiciary, to continue joint oversight hearings on Executive Branch Conduct regarding the Matter of the Branch Davidians, 9:30 a.m., 2141 Rayburn.

Committee on Rules, to consider the following: H.R. 70, to permit exports of certain domestically produced crude oil; and H.R. 2076, making appropriations for the Department of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1996, 10 a.m., H-313 Capitol.

Committee on Standards of Official Conduct, executive, to take testimony regarding the ethics investigation of Speaker Gingrich, 10:30 a.m., HT-2M Capitol.