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## Senate

The Senate was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Monday, June 9, 1997, at 12 noon.

## House of Representatives

SATURDAY, JUNE 7, 1997

The House met at 10 a.m. and was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. PEASE).

### DESIGNATION OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker:

WASHINGTON, DC,

June 7, 1997.

I hereby designate the Honorable EDWARD A. PEASE to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NEWT GINGRICH,

*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

### PRAYER

The Rev. Dr. Ronald F. Christian, Evangelical Lutheran Church of America, Washington, DC, offered the following prayer:

Almighty God, You set before us all, this day, as a great gift of time, never to be given again. You give to each one of us, this day, opportunities to be gracious, many never to be repeated. You offer to each one of us, this day again, Your promise, of hope.

O God, we pray, may we accept the gift of the hours of this day and so use them in services to others and in ways that give glory to Your name.

O God, we pray, may we seek to be always gracious to others, both in our work and in our relaxation so we will not want so much to be served as to serve, to be loved as to love, or to receive as to give.

O God, we pray instill within us all the desire for life; trusting in You

above all else for comfort, listening for Your still, small voice to inspire us, and seeking Your presence which gives to us courage.

Hear our prayer this day, O God. Amen.

### THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair has examined the Journal of the last day's proceedings and announces to the House his approval thereof.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal stands approved.

### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair will lead the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The SPEAKER pro tempore led the Pledge of Allegiance as follows:

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

### COMMUNICATION FROM COUNSEL TO FORMER SELECT COMMITTEE ON ETHICS AND COMMITTEE ON STANDARDS OF OFFICIAL CONDUCT

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from James M. Cole, counsel to former Select Committee on Ethics and Committee on Standards of Official Conduct:

BRYAN CAVE LLP,

*Washington, DC, June 3, 1997.*

Hon. NEWT GINGRICH,  
*Speaker of the House,*  
*U.S. House of Representatives,*  
*Washington, DC.*

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: This is to formally notify you that pursuant to Rule L (50) of the Rules of the House that I have been served with a subpoena issued by the United States District Court for the District of Columbia.

After consultation with the General Counsel, I will make the determinations required by Rule L.

Sincerely,

JAMES M. COLE.

### EXTENSION OF REMARKS

By unanimous consent, permission to revise and extend remarks was granted to:

(The following Members (at the request of the SPEAKER pro tempore) and to include extraneous matter:)

Mr. GORDON.

Mr. CUMMINGS.

Mr. MILLER of California.

### ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, the House stands adjourned until 10:30 a.m. on Tuesday, June 10, 1997, for morning hour debates.

There was no objection.

Accordingly (at 10 o'clock and 4 minutes a.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until Tuesday, June 10, 1997, at 10:30 a.m. for morning hour debates.

□ This symbol represents the time of day during the House proceedings, e.g., □ 1407 is 2:07 p.m.

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