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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2003

First Vote of The Week	Last Vote Predicted
Tuesday: 6:30 p.m.	Thursday p.m.

Legislative Program - 51600 | Floor Information - 57400 | Whip Information - 53130

* * * IMPORTANT VOTES ARE POSSIBLE ON MOTIONS TO INSTRUCT CONFERES ON APPROPRIATIONS BILLS, AS WELL AS THE FAA REAUTHORIZATION CONFERENCE REPORT. ATTENDANCE IS CRITICAL. PLEASE NOTIFY THE DEMOCRATIC WHIP'S FLOOR STAFF IF YOU WILL BE ABSENT.

The Republican Leadership has announced the following program for the week of September 15, 2003:

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2003

The House is in Pro Forma session at 12:00 p.m.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 2003

On Tuesday, the House will convene at 12:30 p.m. for morning hour and 2:00 p.m. for legislative business. Votes will be postponed until 6:30 p.m.

Suspensions (6 bills):

- **1) S. 520** To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to convey certain facilities to the Fremont-Madison Irrigation District in the State of Idaho (Simpson / Sen. Crapo Resources)
- **2) H.R. 2040** To amend the Irrigation Project Contract Extension Act of 1998 to extend certain contracts between the Bureau of Reclamation and certain irrigation water contractors in the States of Wyoming and Nebraska (Osborne Resources)
- **3) H.R. 1284** To amend the Reclamation Projects Authorization and Adjustment Act of 1992 to increase the Federal share of the costs of the San Gabriel Basin demonstration project (*Napolitano Resources*)
- **4) H.Con.Res. 235** Celebrating the life and achievements of Lawrence Eugene "Larry" Doby (Pascrell Government Reform)
- **5) S. 678** To amend chapter 10 of title 39, United States Code, to include postmasters and postmasters organizations in the process for the development and planning of certain policies, schedules, and programs (Sen. Akaka Government Reform)
- **6) H.R. 13** To reauthorize the Museum and Library Services Act (Hoekstra Education & Workforce)

Possible Consideration:

Motion to go to conference on H.R. 2559 - Military Construction Appropriations
Motion to go to conference on H.R. 2657 - Legislative Branch Appropriations
Motion to go to conference on H.R. 2658 - Department of Defense Appropriations
(Motions to Instruct Conferees are possible)

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 2003 AND THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 2003

On Wednesday, the House will convene at 10:00 a.m. for legislative business. On Thursday, the House will convene at 10:00 a.m. for legislative business.

Suspensions (4 bills):

- **1) H.R. 659** To amend section 242 of the National Housing Act regarding the requirements for mortgage insurance under such Act for hospitals (Ney Financial Services)
- 2) H.R. 292 To amend title 4, United States Code, to add National Korean War Veterans Armistice Day to the list of days on which the flag should especially be displayed (Kelly Judiciary)
- **3) H.R. 2152** To amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to extend for an additional 5 years the special immigrant religious worker program (*Frank Judiciary*)
- **4) H.R. 49** To permanently extend the moratorium enacted by the Internet Tax Freedom Act (Cox Judiciary)
- **H.R. 7 Charitable Giving Act of 2003** (Blunt Education & the Workforce / Ways & Means) (Subject to a Rule)

<u>Possible Consideration</u>:

H.R. _____ - Short term extension of TEA 21 Highway bill (*Young - Transportation*) (Subject to a Rule) **H.R. 2115** - Century of Aviation FAA reauthorization Conference Report (*Young - Transportation*) (Subject to a Rule)

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2003

The House is not in session.

- *Conference Reports may be brought up at any time.
- *Motions to go to Conference should they become available.
- *Possible Motions to Instruct Conferees.