

COMMITTEE BUSINESS FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 07, 2006

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COMMITTEE BUSINESS FOR THE WEEK OF JULY 31, 2006

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*****Presidential Messages, Executive and Other Communications Received*****

Congressional Notification Transmittal Sheet - Monday, July 31, 2006, DoS, informing of the intent to obligate \$990,000 of FY2006 ESF to fund Edu Democracy, Development, and/or Conflict Resolution in South Asia, pursuant to Sec. 634A of the FAA of 1961, as amended, and sections 515 and FOAA, 2006 (P.L. 109-102) ; unnumbered.

Congressional Notification Transmittal Sheet - Monday, July 31, 2006, DoS, informing of the intent to obligate \$1,000,000 of FY2006 IS funds to US conduct study on Trans-Caspian pipeline, pursuant to Sec. 632(a) of the FAA of 1961; pursuant to Sec. 634A of the FAA of 1961, as amended, and sections 515 and 517 of the FOAA, 2006 (P.L. 109-102) ; unnumbered.

Letter Justifying Funds for Programs in Lebanon - Monday, July 31, 2006, DoD, Pursuant to Sec. 1206 of the NDAA, 2006 (P.L. 109-163); unnumbered.

Congressional Notification Transmittal Sheet - Monday, July 31, 2006, DoS, informing of the intent to reprogram \$11,200,000 of FY2005 PKO funds to COESPU as part of GPOI, pursuant to Sec. 634A of the FAA of 1961, as amended, and sec. 515 of the FOAA, 2005 (Div. D P.L. 108-447) ; unnumbered.

Congressional Notification Transmittal Sheet - Monday, July 31, 2006, DoS, informing of the intent to reprogram and obligate \$10,921,064 of FY2006 ESF funds to be used for the MEPI projects, pursuant to Sec. 634A of the FAA of 1961, as amended, and sec. 515 of the FOAA, 2005 (Div. D P.L. 108-447) and sections 515 and 596 of the FOAA, 2006 (P.L. 109-102); unnumbered.

Congressional Notification Transmittal Sheet - Monday, July 31, 2006, DoS, informing of the intent to reallocate \$500,000 of FY2005 NADR funds to export control assistance activities, pursuant to Sec. 634A of the FAA of 1961, as amended, and sections 515 and 520 of the FOAA, 2005 (Div. D, P.L. 108-447) ; unnumbered.

DoE Strategic Research Portfolio Analysis and Coordination Plan - Monday, July 31, 2006, DoE, Pursuant to Sec. 994 of the EPA, 2005 (P.L. 108-5) unnumbered.

Report on UN Efforts to Prevent Human Trafficking and Sexual Exploitation and Abuse in UN Peacekeeping Missions - Monday, July 31, 2006, DoS to Sec. 104(e) of the Trafficking Victims Protection Reauthorization Act, 2006 (P.L. 109-164); unnumbered.

Congressional Notification Transmittal Sheet - Monday, July 31, 2006, DoS, informing of the intent to obligate \$930,000 of FY2006 ESF funds for environmental conservation and preservation in the EAP region, pursuant to Sec. 634A of the FAA of 1961, as amended, and sections 515 and 520 FOAA, 2006 (P.L. 109-102) ; unnumbered.

FY2006 Updated Emergency Supplemental Spending Plan - Monday, July 31, 2006, DoS, Notifying of DoS's updated spending plan for the \$5 million appropriated to the ECE account under the Emergency Supplemental Appropriations Act for Defense, Global War on Terror, and Hurricane recovery, 2006 (P.L. 109-234); unnumbered.

Letter Reporting of the Violation and Corrective Actions That USAID has Taken in the Philippines - Monday, July 31, 2006, USAID, Pursuant to Sec. 1016 of the Tiahrt Amendment ; unnumbered.

Quarterly Report and Semiannual Report to Congress on Iraq Reconstruction - Tuesday, August 01, 2006, SIGIR, pursuant to Sec. 3001 of Title III of the 2004 Emergency Supplemental Appropriations for Defense and for the Reconstruction of Iraq and Afghanistan (P.L. 108-106), as amended by P.L. 108-106 and the Inspector General Act, 1978 (P.L. 95-452); unnumbered.

Charter of the Advisory Committee for the Study of Eastern Europe and the Independent States of the Former Soviet Union - Tuesday, August 01, 2006, Pursuant to Federal Advisory Committee Act (P.L. 92-463); Sec. 804(a) of the DoS Auth. Act, 1984 and 1985 (P.L. 98-164, 97 Stat. 1048); and Soviet European Research and Training Act of 1983 (P.L. 98-164, Title VIII, 97 Stat. 1048-50) as amended; unnumbered.

Revision and Clarification of Civil Monetary Penalty Provisions of the Export Administration Regulations - Tuesday, August 01, 2006, DoC, Pursuant to Sec. 15(c) of the EAA; unnumbered.

Certification of Construction Security for the US Embassy in San Jose, Costa Rica - Tuesday, August 01, 2006, DoS, Pursuant to Sec. 160(a) of the 1988 and 1989 (P.L. 100-204), as amended by Sec. 135 of the FRAA, 1990 and 1991 (P.L. 101-246); unnumbered.

New UN Mission in East Timor - Tuesday, August 01, 2006, DoS, Pursuant to Sec. 4(d) of the UNPA, 22 USC 287b(d), and Title IV of the Science, Justice, Commerce, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2006 (P.L. 109-108), and the Trafficking Victims Protection Reauthorization Act of 2005 (P.L. 109-164); unnumbered.

Report on Proposed Obligations for Weapons Destruction and Non-Proliferation in the Former Soviet Union and The Republic of Albania - Tuesday, August 01, 2006, DoD, Pursuant to Sec. 1205 of NDAA, 1996 (P.L. 104-106, Title XII); unnumbered.

Report on Licensing Activities - Wednesday, August 02, 2006, DoC, Pursuant to Sec. 1503 of the Emergency Wartime Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2006 (P.L. 109-102); unnumbered.

Congressional Notification Transmittal Sheet - Thursday, August 03, 2006, DoS, informing of the intent to obligate \$1,000,000 of FY2005 ESF and HRDF funds to support human rights and democracy programs in Nepal, pursuant to Sec. 634A of the FAA of 1961, as amended, and sec. 515 of the FOAA, 2005 (Div. D, P.L. 108-447) and the FOAA, 2006 (P.L. 109-102) ; unnumbered.

Congressional Notification Transmittal Sheet - Thursday, August 03, 2006, DoS, informing of the intent to obligate \$14,315,000 of FY2006 HRDF to support Democracy and Human Rights Programs Administered by the NED, pursuant to Sec. 634A of the FAA of 1961, as amended, and sections 596 and subsection (f) under the heading "Democracy Fund" of the FOAA, 2006 (P.L. 109-102) ; unnumbered.

Administration Funding Levels for FOAA, 2006 (P.L. 109-102) - Friday, August 04, 2006, DoS, pursuant to Sec. 653 (a) of the FAA of 1961.; unnumbered.

*****Hearings/Markups Printed*****

United States Policy in Afghanistan: Establishing Democratic Governance and Security in the Wake of Parliamentary Elections - Friday, September 15, 2006, Full Committee Oversight Hearing; **Serial No. 109-133.**

Germany's World Cup Brothels: 40,000 Women and Children at Risk of Exploitation Through Trafficking - Thursday, May 04, 2006, Subcommittee on Global Human Rights and International Operations Oversight Hearing; **Serial No. 109-178.**

Human Rights in Burma: Where are We Now and What Do We Do Next? - Tuesday, February 07, 2006, Subcommittee on Africa, Global Human Rights and International Operations, Subcommittee on Asia and the Pacific Joint Oversight Hearing; **Serial No. 109-147.**

East Asia in Transition: Opportunities and Challenges For the United States - Wednesday, March 08, 2006, Subcommittee on Asia and the Pacific Oversight Hearing; **Serial No. 109-150.**

Unrest in South Asia: Recent Developments in Nepal and Sri Lanka - Wednesday, March 15, 2006, Subcommittee on Asia and the Pacific Oversight Hearing; **Serial No. 109-151.**

Assessing "Rights" Under the Nuclear Nonproliferation Treaty - Thursday, March 02, 2006, Subcommittee on International Terrorism and Nonproliferation Oversight Hearing; **Serial No. 109-148.**

The Northern Ireland Peace Process: Policing Advances and Remaining Challenges - Wednesday, March 15, 2006, Subcommittee on Africa, Global Human Rights and International Operations, Subcommittee on Europe and Emerging Threats Joint Oversight Hearing; **Serial No. 109-152.**

United Nations Rhetoric or Reform: Outcome of the High-Level Event - Wednesday, September 28, 2005, Full Committee Oversight Hearing; **Serial No. 109-131.**

Nigeria's Struggle with Corruption - Thursday, May 18, 2006, Subcommittee on Africa, Global Human Rights and International Operations Oversight Hearing; **Serial No. 109-172.**

The United States and NATO: Transformation and the Riga Summit - Wednesday, May 03, 2006, Subcommittee on Europe and Emerging Threats Oversight Hearing; **Serial No. 109-175.**

Reviewing the State Department's Annual Report on Terrorism - Thursday, May 11, 2006, Subcommittee on International Terrorism and Nonproliferation Oversight Hearing; **Serial No. 109-176.**

U.S. Security Policy in Central Asia (Part 1) - Thursday, October 27, 2005, Subcommittee on the Middle East and Central Asia Oversight Hearing; **Serial No. 109-132.**

The Human Rights Dialogue with Vietnam: Is Vietnam Making Significant Progress? - Wednesday, March 29, 2006, Subcommittee on Africa, Global Human Rights and International Operations, Subcommittee on Asia and the Pacific Joint Oversight Hearing; **Serial No. 109-174.**

OTHER BUSINESS FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 07, 2006

*****Senate Measures Passed*****

Monday, July 31, 2006

H.R. 5877 (Ros-Lehtinen) - To amend the Iran and Libya Sanctions Act of 1996 to extend the authorities provided in such Act until September 29, 2006, and to provide for the President to clear any measure for the President.

Tuesday, August 01, 2006

S. Con. Res. 113 (Clinton) - Concurrent resolution congratulating the Magen David Adom Society in Israel for achieving full membership in the International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement, and for other purposes. ; *Passed Senate by UC*

Thursday, August 03, 2006

S. Res. 548 (Dodd) - Expressing the sense of the Senate regarding the need for the United States and the international community to take certain steps with respect to the hostilities between Hezbollah and Israel; *Senate passed by UC*

*****Hearings/Meetings of Interest*****

Senate Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs Committee: Held hearing on Iraq reconstruction. Testimony was received from Stuart W. S. SIGIR.

*****Nominations Confirmed*****

National Nuclear Security Administration - **William H. Tobey** of Connecticut to be **to be Deputy Administrator**

Department of State - **Christina B. Rocca** of Virginia to be **for the rank of Ambassador** during her tenure of service as U.S. Representative to the Conference on Disarmament.

Department of State - **Randall M. Fort** of Virginia to be **to be an Assistant Secretary for Intelligence and Research**

International Institutions - **Henry M. Paulson** of New York to be **to be U.S. Governor of the IMF** the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development; the Inter-American Development Bank; the African Development Bank; the Asian Development Bank; African Development Fund; and the European Reconstruction and Development. All for five year terms.

Department of State - **Richard W. Graber** of Wisconsin to be **to be Ambassador to the Czech Republic**

Department of State - **Mark R. Dybul** of Florida to be **to be Coordinator of USG Activities to Combat HIV/AIDS Globally** with the rank of Ambassador

Department of State - **Karen B. Stewart** of Florida to be **to be Ambassador to the Republic of Belarus**