

Legislative Alert

MONDAY

JULY 20, 1981

- * It's a girl!
- * Paul is expected to return to Washington tomorrow.
- * The Senate will return to consideration of the Tax Cut legislation today. The Senate will convene at 12 Noon. At 2:00 PM, the Senate will consider the Treaty with Canada on Pacific Coast Albacore Tuna Vessels and Port Privileges. Following the treaty vote, the Senate will return to H.J. Res. 266, the tax bill. Thus far, there have been 14 roll call votes on the tax legislation.
- * On Friday, July 17, two statements were inserted in the Congressional Record on Paul's behalf: On Page S7885, a brief statement and an article regarding abortion for rape victims; and on Page S7883, materials marking the abolition of the Heritage Conservation and Recreation Service (HCRS) in the Department of the Interior.
- * Also in the Congressional Record, on Page S7875, a bill, S.1497, waiving limitations on the award of a Medal of Honor was filed by Senator Robert Byrd on Senator Tsongas' behalf.
- * Senate action is expected to be completed on the tax legislation by Tuesday or Wednesday.
- * The Senate Energy Committee today will hold hearings on S.1475, extending until June 30, 1985, the authority of section 252 of the Energy Policy and Conservation Act which authorizes U.S. oil companies to participate in voluntary agreements for implementing the allocation and information provisions of the agreement on an international energy program, and provides a limited defense against any antitrust suits brought against U.S. oil companies participating in the international energy program.
- * The Foreign Relations Committee today will hold hearings on the proposed agreement reached by the governments of the United States, Egypt and Israel on the stationing of a multinational force in the Sinai. Tomorrow, the Subcommittee on East Asian and Pacific Policy will resume hearings on U.S. military strategic policy in Southeast Asia. The full committee, tomorrow, will have a closed briefing to review the U.S. position at the forthcoming session of the Law of the Sea Conference. On Wednesday, the Subcommittee on East Asian and Pacific Policy will hold hearings on U.S. trade and economic policies and development problems in Southeast Asia. Also on Wednesday, the Foreign Relations Committee will hold hearings on the nomination of Arthur Hummel to be Ambassador to the People's Republic of China.
- * Tomorrow, the Judiciary Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights will mark-up HR 3112, the Voting Rights Act extension.

