



The Daily Whip

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House Meets At...	Last Vote Predicted At...
10:00 a.m.: Legislative Business Unlimited "One Minutes"	5:30 – 6:30 p.m.

FLOOR SCHEDULE AND BILL SUMMARY

The House will recess after the first 2 resolutions in order to accommodate the funeral for Chief Justice Rehnquist. The House will resume legislative business after the funeral at approximately 4:30 p.m.

***Members are advised that Hurricane Katrina-related legislation may be brought up at any time**

H.Res. 423 - Honoring and recognizing the distinguished service, career, and achievements of Chief Justice William Hubbs Rehnquist upon his death, and for other purposes (*Rep. Sensenbrenner - Judiciary*) (*Under Unanimous Consent – 1 hour of debate*)

H.Res. ___ - Expressing the condolences of the Nation to the victims of Hurricane Katrina (*Rep. Boustany - Transportation and Infrastructure*) (*Under Unanimous Consent – 1 hour of debate*)

Suspensions (2 bills):

1) H.R. 3650 - Federal Judiciary Emergency Special Sessions Act (*Rep. Sensenbrenner - Judiciary*)

2) H.R. 3169 - Pell Grant Hurricane and Disaster Relief Act (*Rep. Keller - Education and the Workforce*)

TOMORROW'S OUTLOOK

The GOP Leadership has announced the following schedule: on Thursday, the House will meet at 10:00 a.m. for legislative business. The House will consider **H.R. ___ - Making emergency supplemental appropriations for 2005** (*Rep. Lewis - Appropriations*) (*Subject to a Rule or Unanimous Consent Agreement*).

Daily Quote...

"The Bush team has engaged in a tax giveaway since 9/11 that has had one underlying assumption: There will never be another rainy day. Just spend money. You knew that sooner or later there would be a rainy day, but Karl Rove has assumed it wouldn't happen on Mr. Bush's watch - that someone else would have to clean it up. Well, it did happen on his watch. Besides ripping away the roofs of New Orleans, Katrina ripped away the argument that we can cut taxes, properly educate our kids, compete with India and China, succeed in Iraq, keep improving the U.S. infrastructure, and take care of a catastrophic emergency - without putting ourselves totally into the debt of Beijing."

- Tom Friedman in *The New York Times* today