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| House Meets At... | Last Vote Predicted At... |
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| 12:30 p.m.: Morning Hour 2:00 p.m.: Legislative Business Unlimited "One Minutes" | 7:00 p.m. |

* **DEMOCRATS ARE URGED TO SIGN REP. EDWARDS' (D-TX) DISCHARGE PETITION (No. 8) TO ALLOW CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 548 WHICH PHASES-OUT THE BENEFIT-REDUCTION TO MILITARY SURVIVING SPOUSES. 177 MEMBERS HAVE SIGNED ON. CHECK THE CLERK'S WEBSITE TO SEE IF YOUR MEMBER HAS SIGNED ON: <http://clerk.house.gov/108/lrc/pd/petitions/Dis8.htm>**

FLOOR SCHEDULE AND BILL SUMMARY

Votes will be postponed until 6:30 p.m.

Suspensions (6 bills):

- 1) H.Res. 598** - Recognizing the valuable contributions of military impacted schools, teachers, administration, and staff for their ongoing contributions to the education of military children (*Rep. Hayes / Education and the Workforce Committee*)
- 2) H.Res. 600** - Congratulating charter schools and their students, parents, teachers, and administrators across the U.S. for their ongoing contributions to education (*Rep. Porter / Education and the Workforce Committee*)
- 3) H.Con.Res. 380** - Recognizing the benefits and importance of school-based music education (*Rep. Cooper / Education and the Workforce Committee*)
- 4) H.Res. 599** - Congratulating the University of Connecticut Huskies for winning the 2004 NCAA Division I men and women's basketball championships (*Rep. Simmons / Education and the Workforce Committee*)
- 5) H.Con.Res. 408** - Congratulating the University of Denver men's hockey team for winning the 2004 NCAA men's hockey national championship (*Rep. DeGette / Education and the Workforce Committee*)
- 6) H.Res. 594** - Congratulating the Kennesaw State University Owls for winning the 2004 NCAA Division II Men's Basketball National Championship (*Rep. Isakson / Education and the Workforce Committee*)

TOMORROW'S OUTLOOK

The GOP Leadership has announced the following schedule: On Wednesday, the House will meet at 10:00 a.m. to consider six bills under suspension of the rules. In addition, the House is expected to consider: **H.R. 4227** - Middle-Class Alternative Minimum Tax Relief Act of 2004 (*Rep. Simmons / Ways and Means Committee*) (Subject to a Rule)

Daily Quote...

"This administration cannot be trusted to govern if it cannot be counted on to think and, having thought, to have second thoughts. Thinking is not the reiteration of bromides about how 'all people yearn to live in freedom' (McClellan). And about how it is 'cultural condescension' to doubt that some cultures have the requisite aptitudes for democracy (Bush)."

- George F. Will in *The Washington Post* today