

Water Recycling and Reuse Project, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 109-442). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. POMBO: Committee on Resources. H.R. 4013. A bill to amend the Reclamation Projects Authorization and Adjustment Act of 1992 to provide for conjunctive use of surface and groundwater in Juab County, Utah (Rept. 109-443). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. POMBO: Committee on Resources. H.R. 4686. A bill to reauthorize various fisheries management laws, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 109-444). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. TOM DAVIS of Virginia: Committee on Government Reform. H.R. 5112. A bill to provide for reform in the operations of the executive branch (Rept. 109-445). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. SENSENBRENNER: Committee on the Judiciary. House Resolution 724. Resolution honoring Leonidas Ralph Mecham, Director of the Administrative Office of the United States Courts and Secretary of the Judicial Conference of the United States (Rept. 109-446). Referred to the House Calendar.

## PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. LANTOS (for himself, Mr. TOM DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. DOGGETT, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. OWENS, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. WOLF, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Ms. KILPATRICK of Michigan, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. SNYDER, Ms. BORDALLO, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. CAPUANO, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mrs. MCCARTHY, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. BOYD, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. TOWNS, Ms. NORTON, Mr. FOLEY, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. RUPPERSBERGER, Mr. MEEKS of New York, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Ms. WATSON, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. CLAY, and Mr. BERMAN):

H.R. 5216. A bill to require the establishment of a national database in the National Archives to preserve records of servitude, emancipation, and post-Civil War reconstruction and to provide grants to State and local entities to establish similar local databases; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mrs. MCCARTHY (for herself, Mr. SCHWARZ of Michigan, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mrs. MALONEY, and Ms. BORDALLO):

H.R. 5217. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Homeland Security to award competitive grants to units of local government for innovative programs that address expenses incurred in responding to the needs of undocumented immigrants; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committees on Energy and Commerce, and Financial Services, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. MCDERMOTT (for himself and Mr. LARSON of Connecticut):

H.R. 5218. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide that oil and gas companies will not be eligible for the effective rate reductions enacted in 2004 for domestic manufacturers; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. SENSENBRENNER (for himself and Mr. SMITH of Texas):

H.R. 5219. A bill to amend title 28, United States Code, to provide for the detection and prevention of inappropriate conduct in the Federal judiciary; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. GINNY BROWN-WAITE of Florida:

H.R. 5220. A bill to establish the Veterans Advisory Committee on Certification, Credentialing, and Licensure; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. BRADLEY of New Hampshire (for himself and Mr. BASS):

H.R. 5221. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to enhance services provided by Vet Centers operated by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs, to clarify and improve the provision of bereavement counseling by the Department of Veterans Affairs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. CASE:

H.R. 5222. A bill to amend the Native American Languages Act to provide for the support of Native American language survival schools, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. CONYERS (for himself, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. STARK, Mr. CAPUANO, Ms. MCCOLLUM of Minnesota, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. HONDA, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. FARR, and Ms. LEE):

H.R. 5223. A bill to establish the National Commission on Surveillance Activities and the Rights of Americans; to the Committee on Intelligence (Permanent Select), and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mrs. CUBIN:

H.R. 5224. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 350 Uinta Drive in Green River, Wyoming, as the "Curt Gowdy Post Office Building"; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Ms. DEGETTE (for herself, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. CASTLE, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. DAVIS of Alabama, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. HONDA, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Ms. KILPATRICK of Michigan, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. OWENS, Mr. REYES, Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California, Ms. SOLIS, Ms. WATERS, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, and Mr. WU):

H.R. 5225. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to prevent and cure diabetes and to promote and improve the care of individuals with diabetes for the reduction of health disparities within racial and ethnic minority groups, including the African-American, Hispanic American, Asian American and Pacific Islander, and American Indian and Alaskan Native communities; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. DEGETTE (for herself and Mr. MARKEY):

H.R. 5226. A bill to repeal certain tax provisions of the Energy Policy Act of 2005; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. DELAHUNT (for himself, Mr. MARKEY, and Mr. MCGOVERN):

H.R. 5227. A bill to amend the Omnibus Parks and Public Lands Management Act of

1996 to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to enter into cooperative agreements with any of the management partners of the Boston Harbor Islands National Recreation Area, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. LINCOLN DIAZ-BALART of Florida:

H.R. 5228. A bill to require representatives of governments designated as State Sponsors of Terrorism to disclose to the Attorney General lobbying contacts with legislative branch officials, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on International Relations, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania (for himself, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. ACKERMAN, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Ms. KILPATRICK of Michigan, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. EMANUEL, Mr. EVANS, Mr. FITZPATRICK of Pennsylvania, Mr. HINCHBY, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mrs. MCCARTHY, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. MURTHA, Mr. OLVER, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. PLATTS, Mr. ROTHMAN, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. SIMMONS, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. ISRAEL, Mr. SABO, and Ms. HART):

H.R. 5229. A bill to amend the Animal Welfare Act to ensure that all dogs and cats used by research facilities are obtained legally; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. FOSSELLA (for himself, Mr. FEENEY, Mr. PAUL, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mrs. JO ANN DAVIS of Virginia, and Mr. SHADEGG):

H.R. 5230. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a credit against tax for qualified elementary and secondary education tuition; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. ISSA (for himself, Mr. TOM DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. CALVERT, Mrs. BONO, and Mr. KELLER):

H.R. 5231. A bill to limit Federal court jurisdiction over certain suits pertaining to the application of a price threshold in determining the volume for which suspension of royalties applies to certain offshore oil and gas leases; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. KANJORSKI:

H.R. 5232. A bill to direct the Secretary of the Interior to initiate and complete an evaluation of lands and waters located in Northeastern Pennsylvania for their potential acquisition and inclusion in a future Cherry Valley National Wildlife Refuge, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Ms. KILPATRICK of Michigan:

H.R. 5233. A bill to make funding for the housing choice voucher program of the Department of Housing and Urban Development more reliable and predictable at the local level, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. LARSON of Connecticut (for himself, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. HINCHBY, Mr. ALLEN, Ms. HOOLEY, Mr. GRIJALVA, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. HONDA, Mr. NADLER, and Ms. LEE):

H.R. 5234. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal certain tax incentives for oil companies; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. LEE:

H.R. 5235. A bill to direct the President to enter into an arrangement with the National Academy of Sciences to evaluate certain Federal rules and regulations for potentially harmful impacts on public health, air quality, water quality, plant and animal wildlife, global climate, or the environment; and to direct Federal departments and agencies to create plans to reverse those impacts that are determined to be harmful by the National Academy of Sciences; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure, Resources, and Agriculture, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. LEWIS of Georgia (for himself, Mr. HULSHOF, Mr. CLEAVER, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. TOWNS, Mrs. MCCARTHY, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. MARSHALL, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. CLAY, Mr. MCDERMOTT, and Mr. SCHIFF):

H.R. 5236. A bill to establish an Unsolved Crimes Section in the Civil Rights Division of the Department of Justice, and an Unsolved Civil Rights Crime Investigative Office in the Civil Rights Unit of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. MARKEY:

H.R. 5237. A bill to seek the inclusion of certain requirements of the International Health Regulations of the World Health Organization as obligations under the World Trade Organization; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on International Relations, and Energy and Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mrs. MCCARTHY:

H.R. 5238. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to eliminate adjustments in Medicare payments for imaging services made by section 5102 of the Deficit Reduction Act of 2005; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. MCHUGH:

H.R. 5239. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to increase the credit for certain alternative motor vehicles assembled in the United States; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MCHUGH:

H.R. 5240. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to suspend the excise tax on highway motor fuels when average United States retail gasoline prices exceed \$2.75 per gallon; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MCINTYRE:

H.R. 5241. A bill to amend the Water Resources Development Act of 1976 to allow the Secretary of the Army to extend the period during which the Secretary may provide beach nourishment for a water resources development project; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. NEUGEBAUER:

H.R. 5242. A bill to amend title 44 of the United States Code, to provide for the suspension of fines under certain circumstances for first-time paperwork violations by small business concerns; to the Committee on Government Reform, and in addition to the Com-

mittee on Small Business, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Ms. NORTON:

H.R. 5243. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Health and Human Services to establish a dental education loan repayment program to encourage dentists to serve at facilities with a critical shortage of dentists in areas with a high incidence of HIV/AIDS; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD (for herself, Ms. WATSON, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. BECERRA, Ms. SOLIS, and Mr. WAXMAN):

H.R. 5244. A bill to revitalize the Los Angeles River, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. SANDERS (for himself, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. HINCHEY, and Mr. SHERMAN):

H.R. 5245. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1 Marble Street in Fair Haven, Vermont, as the "Matthew Lyon Post Office Building"; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. SHAW (for himself and Mr. SESSIONS):

H.R. 5246. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to restore financial stability to Medicare anesthesiology teaching programs for resident physicians; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. SMITH of New Jersey (for himself and Mr. LANTOS):

H.R. 5247. A bill to provide assistance for the Museum of the History of Polish Jews in Warsaw, Poland; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. STUPAK (for himself, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. NADLER, Mrs. MCCARTHY, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. BAIRD, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. CHANDLER, Ms. SCHWARTZ of Pennsylvania, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. INSLEE, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, Mr. DEFazio, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. DOGGETT, Mr. RUPPERSBERGER, and Mr. BISHOP of New York):

H.R. 5248. A bill to regulate over-the-counter trading of energy derivatives; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. TERRY (for himself, Mr. CROWLEY, Ms. HARRIS, Mr. FEENEY, Mr. HOLT, Mr. OSBORNE, Mr. FORTENBERRY, Mr. ROGERS of Michigan, Mr. WALDEN of Oregon, Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. MEEKS of New York, Mr. PENCE, Mr. MCCOTTER, and Mr. SOUDER):

H.R. 5249. A bill to amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to require recipients of United States foreign assistance to certify that the assistance will not be used to intentionally traffic in goods or services that contain counterfeit marks, and for other purposes; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. WALSH (for himself, Mr. RYUN of Kansas, Mrs. CAPPS, Mrs. MCCARTHY, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. EHLERS, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. FARR, Mr. BACHUS, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD,

Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. SWEENEY, Mr. KUHLMAN of New York, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. WYNN, Mr. STRICKLAND, Mr. REYNOLDS, Mrs. KELLY, Ms. MCCOLLUM of Minnesota, and Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas):

H.R. 5250. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act regarding early detection, diagnosis, and treatment of hearing loss; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mrs. WILSON of New Mexico:

H.R. 5251. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to encourage the use of alternative fuel vehicles, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. AKIN (for himself, Mr. HEFLEY, Mr. DUNCAN, and Mr. FEENEY):

H.J. Res. 84. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to limit the power of Federal courts to force a State or local government to levy or increase taxes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. MCCARTHY (for herself, Mr. PLATTS, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Ms. DELAUNO, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. WEXLER, Ms. KILPATRICK of Michigan, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. SANDERS, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. HINOJOSA, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. OWENS, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. FARR, Mr. MOORE of Kansas, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. GRIJALVA, and Ms. LEE):

H. Con. Res. 395. Concurrent resolution supporting the goals and ideas of a National Child Care Worthy Wage Day; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. FRANKS of Arizona (for himself, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mrs. JO ANN DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. WOLF, Mr. TANCREDO, and Mr. PASTOR):

H. Con. Res. 396. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress that the United States should address the ongoing problem of untouchability in India; to the Committee on International Relations, and in addition to the Committees on Financial Services, Government Reform, and Education and the Workforce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mrs. MCCARTHY (for herself, Mr. OSBORNE, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Ms. GRANGER, Ms. SOLIS, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, and Mr. ACKERMAN):

H. Res. 784. A resolution commending and supporting Radio Al Mahaba, Iraq's first and only radio station for women; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. LANGEVIN (for himself and Mr. BARTON of Texas):

H. Res. 785. A resolution honoring the lives and achievements of Christopher and Dana Reeve; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. RYUN of Kansas (for himself, Mr. TANCREDO, Mr. McCAUL of Texas, Mr. MCCOTTER, Mr. SCHWARZ of Michigan, Mr. DOOLITTLE, and Mr. FOLEY):

H. Res. 786. A resolution condemning the recent election of the Iranian Ambassador to the United Nations to the position of Vice-chair of the United Nations Disarmament Commission; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Ms. SOLIS:

H. Res. 787. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that all workers deserve fair treatment and safe working conditions, and honoring Dolores Huerta for her commitment to the improvement of working conditions for farm worker families and the rights of women and children; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.