

lands in Cameron Parish, LA, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. BROOKS:

H.R. 1140. A bill to provide for the treatment of certain aircraft equipment settlement leases; jointly, to the Committees on the Judiciary and Education and Labor.

By Mr. ANDREWS of Texas (for himself and Mr. SUNDQUIST):

H.R. 1141. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a credit for a portion of employer Social Security taxes paid with respect to employee cash tips; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. COSTELLO:

H.R. 1142. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to permit farmers to roll-over into an individual retirement account the proceeds from the sale of a farm; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts:

H.R. 1143. A bill to exclude foreign reparation payments from consideration as income in determining eligibility and benefits under Federal housing assistance programs; to the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. GOODLING (for himself, Mr. BATEMAN, Mr. FROST, Ms. KAPTUR, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. HOCHBRUECKNER, Mr. MURPHY, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. McCLOSKEY, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, and Mr. SLATTERY):

H.R. 1144. A bill to amend title 5, United States Code, to increase by 1 year the maximum age through which an unmarried dependent child may continue to receive health benefits coverage as a family member, so long as such child remains a full-time student; to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service.

By Mr. HEFLEY:

H.R. 1145. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide certain additional taxpayers' rights; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. KOPETSKI:

H.R. 1146. A bill to provide that any foreign nation that conducts a test of a nuclear weapon in the United States shall pay the costs resulting from the test; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. MOAKLEY:

H.R. 1147. A bill to extend until January 1, 1999, the existing suspension of duty on certain unimproved wools; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MORAN:

H.R. 1148. A bill to provide financial assistance to law enforcement officers for continuing education classes and to develop minimum standards for effective and responsible policing; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. ORTON (for himself, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. BACCHUS of Florida, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. DORNAN, Mr. FINGERHUT, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. MACHTLEY, Mr. PARKER, Mr. PAYNE of New Jersey, Mr. QUINN, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. SARPALIUS, Ms. SHEPHERD, Mr. SISISKY, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. SUNDQUIST, and Mr. ZELIFF):

H.R. 1149. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide assistance to first-time homebuyers; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. RANGEL (for himself and Mr. SHAYS):

H.R. 1150. A bill to amend the Controlled Substances Act and the Controlled Substances Import and Export Act with respect to the drug fentanyl; jointly, to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and the Judiciary.

By Mr. REED (for himself, Mrs. MINK, and Mr. PETRI):

H.R. 1151. A bill to provide for elementary and secondary school library media resources, technology enhancement, training, and improvement; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. DOOLITTLE:

H.J. Res. 124. Joint resolution designating the week of June 1 through June 7, 1993, as National Polio Awareness Week; to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service.

By Mrs. BYRNE:

H. Con. Res. 55. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress that an economic recovery program should include expenditures for certain State and local programs; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

## 17.8 MEMORIALS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII,

46. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of South Carolina, relative to the armed services of the United States; which was referred to the Committee on Armed Services.

## 17.9 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 142: Mr. HASTINGS.

H.R. 159: Mr. FAWELL.

H.R. 163: Mr. PACKARD.

H.R. 643: Mr. GORDON.

H.R. 697: Mr. COYNE, Mr. FROST, Mr. KOPETSKI, Mr. MANTON, Ms. NORTON, and Mr. ROMERO-BARCELÓ.

H.R. 840: Mrs. BYRNE, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mrs. KENNELLY, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. STUPAK, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mrs. MALONEY, and Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas.

H.R. 887: Mr. ROHRBACHER.

H.R. 894: Mr. CRANE, Mr. DOOLITTLE, and Mr. PACKARD.

H.J. Res. 22: Mr. COBLE, Mr. CRANE, and Mr. BILIRAKIS.

H.J. Res. 106: Mr. BEVILL, Mr. BREWSTER, Mr. COBLE, Mr. DE LA GARZA, Mr. EDWARDS of Texas, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. MONTGOMERY, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. NEAL of North Carolina, Mr. ORTON, and Mr. PAXON.

H. Res. 86: Mr. BECERRA, Mr. CARR, Mr. CONDIT, Mr. FORD of Michigan, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mrs. KENNELLY, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. SWETT, and Mr. TORRICELLI.

## MONDAY, MARCH 1, 1993 (18)

The House was called to order by the SPEAKER.

### 18.1 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Thursday, February 25, 1993.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal was approved.

### 18.2 COMMUNICATIONS

Executive and other communications, pursuant to clause 2, rule XXIV, were referred as follows:

802. A letter from the Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System, transmitting a report of the Corporation's activities under the Freedom of Information Act for calendar year 1992, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(d); to the Committee on Government Operations.

803. A letter from the Secretary of Education, transmitting Final Regulations—Regional Resource and Federal Centers, pursuant to 20 U.S.C. 1232(d)(1); to the Committee on Education and Labor.

804. A letter from the Secretary of Transportation, transmitting the annual report on railroad financial assistance for fiscal year 1992, pursuant to Public Law 96-448, section 409; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

805. A letter from the Assistant Legal Adviser for Treaty Affairs, Department of State, transmitting copies of international agreements, other than treaties, entered into by the United States, pursuant to 1 U.S.C. 112b(a); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

806. A letter from the Chairman, Armed Forces Retirement Home Board, transmitting an annual report on activities pursuant to the Inspector General Act, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Operations.

807. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Labor Relations Authority, transmitting a report of activities under the Freedom of Information Act for calendar year 1992, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(e); to the Committee on Government Operations.

808. A letter from the Interstate Commerce Commission, transmitting a report of activities under the Freedom of Information Act for calendar year 1992, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(d); to the Committee on Government Operations.

809. A letter from the Chairman, National Credit Union Administration, transmitting a report of the Corporation's activities under the Freedom of Information Act for calendar year 1992, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(b); to the Committee on Government Operations.

810. A letter from the National Labor Relations Board, transmitting a copy of the annual report in compliance with the Government in the Sunshine Act during the calendar year 1992, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b(j); to the Committee on Government Operations.

811. A letter from the Cost Accounting Standards Board, Office of Federal Procurement Policy, transmitting the third annual report of the Cost Accounting Standards Board, pursuant to Public Law 100-679, section 5(a) (102 Stat. 4062); to the Committee on Government Operations.

812. A letter from the Secretary, Resolution Trust Corporation, transmitting a report of the Corporation's activities under the Freedom of Information Act for calendar year 1992, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552; to the Committee on Government Operations.

813. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting a report of activities under the Freedom of Information Act for calendar year 1992, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(e); to the Committee on Government Operations.

814. A letter from the President, Thrift Depositor Protection Oversight Board, transmitting a report of activities under the Freedom of Information Act for calendar year 1992, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(e); to the Committee on Government Operations.

815. A letter from the Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, transmitting the 18th Annual Report of the Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, which includes the Corporation's financial statements as of September 30, 1992, pursuant to 29 U.S.C. 1308; jointly, to the Committees on Ways and Means and Education and Labor.

### 18.3 COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK—MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. MAZZOLI, laid before the House a communication, which was read as follows:

WASHINGTON, DC,  
February 26, 1993.

Hon. THOMAS S. FOLEY,  
*The Speaker, House of Representatives,*  
*Washington, DC.*

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to the permission granted in Clause 5 of Rule III of the Rules of the U.S. House of Representatives, I have the honor to transmit two sealed envelopes received from the White House as follows:

(1) One sealed envelope received at 4:18 p.m. on Thursday, February 25, 1993 and said to contain the annual report on mine safety and health for fiscal years 1990 and 1991; and  
(2) One sealed envelope received at 3:11 p.m. on Friday, February 26, 1993 and said to contain the third special message requesting three new deferrals of budget authority for fiscal year 1993.

With great respect, I am  
Sincerely yours,

DONNALD K. ANDERSON,  
*Clerk, House of Representatives.*

#### ¶18.4 MINE SAFETY AND HEALTH ACTIVITIES

The Clerk then read the message from the President, as follows:

*To the Congress of the United States:*

In accordance with Section 511(a) of the Federal Coal Mine Health and Safety Act of 1969, as amended ("the Act"), 30 U.S.C. 958(a), I transmit herewith the annual report on mine safety and health activities for fiscal years 1990 and 1991. This report was prepared by, and covers activities occurring exclusively during, the previous Administration. The enclosed report does not necessarily reflect the policies or priorities of the current Administration. Indeed, under the Act, these reports should have been submitted long before the change of Administration.

This Administration is committed to working with the Congress to ensure vigorous enforcement of existing mine safety and health standards. We are also intent on improving these rules where necessary and appropriate to better protect worker health and safety.

The 1992 Mine Safety and Health Administration (MSHA) annual report is due in May 1993. This report will identify strengths and deficiencies in MSHA's performance during the previous Administration and discuss steps the new Administration intends to take to ensure the agency is adequately protecting mine worker safety and health.

WILLIAM J. CLINTON,  
THE WHITE HOUSE, *February 25, 1993.*

By unanimous consent, the message, together with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Education and Labor.

#### ¶18.5 IMPOUNDMENT CONTROL

The Clerk then read the message from the President, as follows:

*To the Congress of the United States:*

In accordance with the Congressional Budget and Impoundment Control Act of 1974, I herewith report three new deferrals of budget authority, totaling \$354.0 million.

These deferrals affect Funds Appropriated to the President and the De-

partment of Agriculture. The details of these deferrals are contained in the attached report.

WILLIAM J. CLINTON.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *February 26, 1993.*

By unanimous consent, the message, together with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed (H. Doc. 103-52).

And then,

#### ¶18.6 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. GOSS, at 1 o'clock and 2 minutes p.m., the House adjourned.

#### ¶18.7 REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. MINETA: Committee on Public Works and Transportation.

H.R. 904. A bill to amend the Airport and Airway Safety, Capacity, Noise Improvement, and Intermodal Transportation Act of 1992 with respect to the establishment of the National Commission to Ensure a Strong Competitive Airline Industry (Rept. No. 103-22). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

#### ¶18.8 PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 5 of rule X and clause 4 of rule XXII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred as follows:

By Mr. SCHUMER (for himself, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. SCHIFF, Mrs. SCHROEDER, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. SCOTT, Mr. GLICKMAN, Mr. HUGHES, Mr. BERMAN, Mrs. KENNELLY, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. HASTINGS, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. STUDDS, Mr. LAROCCO, Mr. WILLIAMS, Mr. FROST, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. REYNOLDS, Mr. OWENS, Mr. APPELATE, Ms. MALONEY, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Ms. LOWEY, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. DIXON, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mrs. COLLINS of Illinois, Mr. TUCKER, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. RUSH, Mr. STARK, Mr. KLEIN, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. TORRICELLI, Mr. WYNN, and Ms. WOOLSEY):

H.R. 1152. A bill to direct the United States Sentencing Commission to make sentencing guidelines for Federal criminal cases that provide sentencing enhancements for hate crimes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SCHUMER:

H.R. 1153. A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide for expanded preinspection at foreign airports, to provide for a permanent visa waiver program, and to expedite airport immigration processing; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. WYDEN:

H.R. 1154. A bill to permit States to establish programs using unemployment funds to assist unemployed individuals in becoming self-employed; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts:

H.R. 1155. A bill to amend title 5, United States Code, to restore the 3-year basis recovery rule with respect to annuities under chapters 83 and 84 of such title for Federal income tax purposes; jointly, to the Committees on Post Office and Civil Service and Ways and Means.

By Mr. GALLEGLY (for himself, Mr. BAKER of Louisiana, Mr. BARTLETT,

Mr. HUGHES, Mr. ROHRBACHER, and Mr. SOLOMON):

H.R. 1156. A bill to amend title 11 of the United States Code with respect to the interest of the debtor as a tenant under the rental of residential real property; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. LEVY:

H.R. 1157. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide that the adjusted gross income of an individual shall be adjusted to reflect the value of such income relative to the cost-of-living in the area in which such individual resides; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MACHTLEY (for himself and Mr. MURTHA):

H.R. 1158. A bill to provide for the affordability of prescription drug prices by reducing certain nonresearch related tax credits to pharmaceutical manufacturers and to generate previously uncollected tax revenues for the Federal Government; jointly, to the Committees on Ways and Means and Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. TAUZIN (for himself, Mr. STUDDS, Mr. FIELDS of Louisiana, and Mr. COBLE):

H.R. 1159. A bill to revise, clarify, and improve certain marine safety laws of the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries.

By Mr. TAUZIN:

H.R. 1160. A bill to make permanent the temporary exemption from duty of the cost of certain foreign repairs made to U.S. vessels; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina (for himself, Mr. HAYES, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. BAKER of Louisiana, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. BLACKWELL, Mr. COBLE, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. EVANS, Mr. PETE GEREN, Mr. GINGRICH, Mr. GOSS, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. HYDE, Mr. KING, Mr. LANCASTER, Mr. LEVY, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. MCCRERY, Mr. McNULTY, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. MAZZOLI, Mrs. MEEK, Mrs. MEYERS of Kansas, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. PETRI, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. SCOTT, Mr. SISISKY, Mr. TAUZIN, Mr. WELDON, and Mr. WISE):

H.R. 1161. A bill to establish research, development, and dissemination programs to assist in collaborative efforts to prevent crime against senior citizens, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. GOSS:

H. Res. 105. Resolution instructing the Committee on the Budget to make the precise spending cuts set forth in this resolution to save \$190 billion over the next 5 fiscal years unless the committee determines that any such cuts would be unjustified; to the Committee on Rules.

#### ¶18.9 MEMORIALS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII,

47. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, relative to Medicare coverage for dental care; which was referred, jointly, to the Committees on Ways and Means and Energy and Commerce.

#### ¶18.10 PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 1 of rule XXII,

Mr. ABERCROMBIE introduced a bill (H.R. 1162) for the relief of the Persis Corp.; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

## ¶18.11 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 28: Mr. CRAMER.  
 H.R. 55: Mr. PAYNE of New Jersey, Mrs. SCHROEDER, Mr. NEAL of North Carolina, Mr. PORTER, Ms. WOOLSEY, and Miss COLLINS of Michigan.  
 H.R. 159: Mr. KNOLLENBERG.  
 H.R. 170: Mr. EMERSON and Ms. DANNER.  
 H.R. 229: Mr. HASTINGS.  
 H.R. 236: Mr. MILLER of California.  
 H.R. 301: Mr. GREENWOOD.  
 H.R. 306: Mr. HANCOCK.  
 H.R. 349: Mr. SUNDQUIST.  
 H.R. 359: Mr. RICHARDSON, Mrs. BYRNE, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mrs. LLOYD, Mr. MILLER of California, and Ms. MCKINNEY.  
 H.R. 388: Ms. MOLINARI and Mr. LEHMAN.  
 H.R. 396: Mr. SAXTON, Mr. EWING, Mr. OXLEY, and Mr. GALLEGLY.  
 H.R. 419: Mrs. MEEK.  
 H.R. 495: Mr. HOLDEN.  
 H.R. 496: Mr. DOOLEY, Mr. HERGER, and Mr. DOOLITTLE.  
 H.R. 522: Mr. FROST, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. TORKILDSEN, Mr. WASHINGTON, Ms. NORTON, Mrs. LLOYD, Ms. MOLINARI, Ms. ESHOO, and Mr. MCHALE.  
 H.R. 561: Mr. CRAPO, Mr. PENNY, Mr. SMITH of Oregon, Mr. STUMP, Mr. CAMP, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. EWING, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. FIELDS of Texas, Mr. HYDE, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. INHOFE, Mr. TAUZIN, Mr. ROBERTS, and Mr. BONILLA.  
 H.R. 583: Mr. MILLER of Florida.  
 H.R. 584: Mr. MILLER of Florida.  
 H.R. 739: Mr. KASICH, Mr. GALLO, Mr. LIVINGSTON, and Mr. INHOFE.  
 H.R. 749: Mr. HANSEN, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. PICKETT, Mr. FROST, Mr. CAMP, Mr. DOOLITTLE, and Mr. KYL.  
 H.R. 769: Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. GENE GREEN, Ms. BYRNE, Mr. WALSH, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. KOPETSKI, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. BLACKWELL, and Mr. WYNN.  
 H.R. 790: Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. KLUG, and Mr. PAYNE of New Jersey.  
 H.R. 852: Mr. HUNTER, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. LEHMAN, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. MCCANDLESS, and Mr. APPELATE.  
 H.R. 882: Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. CRANE, and Mr. ZIMMER.  
 H.R. 1000: Mr. MILLER of California and Mr. TOWNS.  
 H.R. 1001: Mr. STARK, Mr. FINGERHUT, Mr. PAYNE of New Jersey, and Mr. TOWNS.  
 H.R. 1007: Mrs. BYRNE.  
 H.R. 1106: Ms. ESHOO.  
 H.R. 1138: Mr. PENNY.  
 H.J. Res. 22: Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. FISH, and Mr. BUNNING.  
 H.J. Res. 84: Mr. THOMAS of Wyoming, Mr. STOKES, Mr. PAXON, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. BREWSTER, Mrs. MEYERS of Kansas, Mr. MCCLOSKEY, Mr. SPRATT, Mr. TEJEDA, Mr. ORTON, Mr. EWING, Mr. SARPALUIS, Mr. COLEMAN, Mr. BARLOW, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. LEWIS of Florida, Mrs. KAPTUR, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. KASICH, Mr. ROWLAND, Mr. POMEROY, Mr. REGULA, Mr. LEACH, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. BAESLER, Mr. SLATTERY, Mr. BROWDER, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Ms. DANNER, Mr. GUNDERSON, Mr. WOLF, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. VOLKMER, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. SISISKY, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. ROTH, Mr. PAYNE of Virginia, Mr. LAUGHLIN, Mr. KINGSTON, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. BATEMAN, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. LAFALCE, Mrs. MORELLA, Ms. NORTON, Mr. MONTGOMERY, Mr. NEAL of North Carolina, Mr. JOHNSON of South Dakota, Mr. FROST, and Mr. TOWNS.  
 H. Con. Res. 20: Mrs. BYRNE, Mr. GILCHREST, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. WASHINGTON,

Mrs. LLOYD, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mrs. MALONEY, and Ms. ESHOO.

H. Res. 40: Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. RANGEL, and Mr. VENTO.

**TUESDAY, MARCH 2, 1993 (19)**

The House was called to order by the SPEAKER.

## ¶19.1 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Monday, March 1, 1993.

Mr. SOLOMON, pursuant to clause 1, rule I, objected to the Chair's approval of the Journal.

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House agree to the Chair's approval of said Journal?

The SPEAKER announced that the yeas had it.

Mr. SOLOMON objected to the vote on the ground that a quorum was not present and not voting.

The SPEAKER, pursuant to clause 5, rule I, announced that the vote would be postponed until later today.

The point of no quorum was considered as withdrawn.

## ¶19.2 COMMUNICATIONS

Executive and other communications, pursuant to clause 2, rule XXIV, were referred as follows:

816. A letter from the Secretary, Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the Department's seismic safety property standards report, pursuant to Public Law 101-625, section 947(d) (1), (2) (104 Stat. 4417); to the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs.

817. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Housing Finance Board, transmitting the Board's report on comparability of pay and benefits, pursuant to Public Law 101-73, section 1206, (103 Stat. 523); to the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs.

818. A letter from the President, Thrift Depositor Protection Oversight Board, transmitting the Board's report pursuant to section 21A(k)(9) of the Federal Home Loan Bank Act, as amended; to the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs.

819. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Policy, Management and Budget, Department of the Interior, transmitting a report of activities under the Freedom of Information Act for calendar year 1992, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(e); to the Committee on Government Operations.

820. A letter from the Acting Director of Public Affairs and Press Secretary, Department of Agriculture, transmitting a report of activities under the Freedom of Information Act for calendar year 1992, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552; to the Committee on Government Operations.

821. A letter from the Acting Chairman, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, transmitting a report of activities under the Freedom of Information Act for calendar year 1992, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(d); to the Committee on Government Operations.

822. A letter from the Acting Chairman, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, transmitting a copy of the annual report in compliance with the Government in the Sunshine Act during the calendar year 1992, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b; to the Committee on Government Operations.

823. A letter from the Acting General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management

Agency, transmitting a report of activities under the Freedom of Information Act for calendar year 1992, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(d); to the Committee on Government Operations.

824. A letter from the National Endowment for Democracy, transmitting a report of activities under the Freedom of Information Act for calendar year 1992, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(e); to the Committee on Government Operations.

825. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting his designation as emergency requirements the extension of emergency unemployment compensation to October 2, 1993, pursuant to the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985; to the Committee on Government Operations.

826. A letter from the Special Counsel, U.S. Office of Special Counsel, transmitting a report of activities under the Freedom of Information Act for calendar year 1992, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(e); to the Committee on Government Operations.

827. A letter from the Acting Director, United States Information Agency, transmitting a report of activities under the Freedom of Information Act for calendar year 1992, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(d); to the Committee on Government Operations.

828. A letter from the Secretary, Department of the Interior, transmitting the 22d annual report of the actual operation during water year 1992 for the reservoirs along the Colorado River; projected plan of operation for water year 1993, pursuant to 43 U.S.C. 1552(b); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

829. A letter from the Chairman, Prospective Payment Assessment Commission, transmitting the Commission's report on issues affecting health care delivery in the United States, pursuant to Public Law 101-508, section 4002(g)(1)(B) (104 Stat. 1388-36); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

¶19.3 COMMITTEE RESIGNATION—  
MAJORITY

The SPEAKER laid before the House the following communication, which was read as follows:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
 Washington, DC, February 22, 1993.  
 Speaker THOMAS FOLEY,  
 U.S. Capitol.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Because of the heavy load of work this session of the Ways and Means Committee, and the likelihood that there will be even more conflicts this year between meetings of the various subcommittees of Ways and Means and of the Committee on the District of Columbia, I feel it is necessary that I withdraw from service on the Committee on the District of Columbia.

I do so even though I have enjoyed my work on that Committee. It is my understanding that there are other Members of the Caucus who would be willing to accept an appointment in my place.

Therefore, please accept my resignation from the Committee on the District of Columbia.

Respectfully,

SANDER LEVIN.

The resignation was accepted.

¶19.4 EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES REVIEW  
PANEL

The SPEAKER laid before the House the following communication, which was read as follows: