

S. 1980. An Act to establish the Cane River Creole National Historical Park and the Cane River National Heritage Area in the State of Louisiana, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

¶66.33 SENATE ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

The SPEAKER announced his signature to an enrolled bill of the Senate of the following title:

S. 1904. An Act to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve the organization and procedures of the Board of Veterans' Appeals.

¶66.34 BILLS PRESENTED TO THE PRESIDENT

Mr. ROSE, from the Committee on House Administration, reported that that committee did on this day present to the President, for his approval, bills of the House of the following titles:

H.R. 3676. An Act to amend the District of Columbia Spouse Equity Act of 1988 to provide for coverage of the former spouses of judges of the District of Columbia courts; and

H.R. 4205. An Act to amend title 11, D.C. Code, to clarify that blind individuals are eligible to serve as jurors in the Superior Court of the District of Columbia.

¶66.35 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted—

To Mrs. LLOYD, for today and June 22;

To Mr. UNDERWOOD, for today and June 22;

To Mr. SOLOMON, for today and balance of the week; and

To Mr. MINETA, for today.

And then,

¶66.36 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. MCDERMOTT, at 7 o'clock and 12 minutes p.m., the House adjourned.

¶66.37 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. MOLLOHAN: Committee on Appropriations. H.R. 4603. A bill making appropriations for the Department of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1995, and making supplemental appropriations for these departments and agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1994, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 103-552). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. SMITH of Iowa: Committee on Appropriations. H.R. 4606. A bill making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1995, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 103-553). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. GORDON: Committee on Rules, House Resolution 458. Resolution waiving certain points of order against the bill (H.R. 4602) making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1995, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 103-554). Referred to the House Calendar.

¶66.38 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. SPRATT:

H.R. 4604. A bill to establish direct spending targets, and for other purposes; jointly, to the Committees on Government Operations and Rules.

By Mr. GIBBONS (for himself, Mr. FORD of Michigan, Mr. FORD of Tennessee, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. GEPHARDT, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. ACKERMAN, and Mr. CRAMER):

H.R. 4605. A bill to amend the Social Security Act, the Food Stamp Act, and other relevant statutes to redesign the program of aid to families with dependent children to establish a program that provides time-limited, transitional assistance, prepares individuals for and requires employment, prevents dependency, overhauls the child support enforcement mechanism at both State and Federal levels, and for other purposes; jointly, to the Committees on Ways and Means, Agriculture, and Education and Labor.

By Mrs. UNSOELD:

H.R. 4607. A bill to establish the Vancouver National Heritage Area, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. HUGHES (for himself and Mr. MOORHEAD):

H.R. 4608. A bill to authorize appropriations for the Patent and Trademark Office in the Department of Commerce for fiscal year 1995, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. FAZIO (for himself and Mr. MILLER of California):

H.R. 4609. A bill to establish a Commission on Integration of Workers' Compensation Medical Benefits to study and develop a detailed plan for implementing the transfer of financial responsibility for workers' compensation medical benefits to health insurers, and to provide for the implementation of the plan; jointly, to the Committees on Education and Labor, Energy and Commerce, Ways and Means, Armed Services, Post Office and Civil Service, Natural Resources, and Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. LAFALCE:

H.R. 4610. A bill to amend Title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for coverage of self-administered Betaseron treatments for Multiple Sclerosis under the Medicare Program, and for other purposes; jointly, to the Committees on Ways and Means and Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. HOCHBRUECKNER:

H.R. 4611. A bill to direct the Secretary of Transportation to convey to the Montauk Historical Society Light Station Montauk Point, located at Montauk, NY; to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries.

By Mr. JOHNSTON of Florida (for himself, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. WILSON, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. CANADY, Mr. ROYCE, and Mr. LIPINSKI):

H.R. 4612. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exempt gain from the sale of a principal residence from tax; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. JOHNSTON of Florida (for himself and Mr. GOSS):

H.R. 4613. A bill to protect the ecologically fragile coastal resources of south Florida by prohibiting offshore oil and gas activities and by cancelling Federal leases in the area of the outer Continental Shelf adjacent to the south Florida coast; jointly, to the Committees on Natural Resources and Merchant Marine and Fisheries.

By Mr. OLVER (for himself and Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts):

H.R. 4614. A bill to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to provide grants for projects that demonstrate technologies and methods for reducing discharges from combined sewer overflows into navigable waters of interstate significance; to the Committee on Public Works and Transportation.

By Mr. ORTON (for himself and Ms. SHEPHERD):

H.R. 4615. A bill to make the provisions of the act commonly known as the "Warren Act" to the Central Utah Project, UT, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. PALLONE:

H.R. 4616. A bill to amend the Natural Gas Pipeline Safety Act of 1968 and the Hazardous Liquid Pipeline Safety Act of 1979 to improve natural gas and hazardous liquid pipeline safety, in response to the natural gas pipeline accident in Edison, NJ, and for other purposes; jointly, to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Public Works and Transportation.

By Mr. PENNY:

H.R. 4617. A bill to amend the Freedom for Russia and Emerging Eurasian Democracies and Open Markets Support Act of 1992 to repeal the restriction on assistance to Azerbaijan; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. SANDERS (for himself, Mr. ANDREWS of Maine, Ms. COLLINS of Michigan, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. FOGLIETTA, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. JOHNSTON of Florida, Mrs. KENNELLY, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. MORAN, Mr. NADLER, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. OBEY, Mr. OWENS, Mrs. UNSOELD, Mrs. SCHROEDER, Mr. SHAYS, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, Mr. VENTO, Mr. WASHINGTON, and Mr. YATES):

H.R. 4618. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to impose labeling requirements for milk and milk products produced from cows which have been treated with synthetic bovine growth hormone, to amend the Agriculture Act of 1949 to require the Secretary of Agriculture to reduce the price received by producers for milk that is produced by cows injected with synthetic bovine growth hormone, to direct the Secretary of Health and Human Services to develop a synthetic BGH residue test, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. SCHUMER:

H.R. 4619. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to provide an official duty defense to certain section 32 and related offenses; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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

H.R. 4620. A bill to provide that the costs relating to repairs correcting seepage problems at Twin Buttes Dam, TX, are non-reimbursable; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. TRAFICANT:

H.R. 4621. A bill to establish a National Academy of Space, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology.

By Mr. ANDREWS of New Jersey:

H.J. Res. 381. Joint resolution to designate May 1995 "Multiple Sclerosis Association of America Month"; to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service.

By Ms. SNOWE:

H. Res. 459. Resolution providing for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 3266) to provide for automatic downward adjustments in the discretionary spending limits for fiscal year 1994 set forth in the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 equal to the amount of rescissions contained in this act; to the Committee on Rules.

¶66.39 MEMORIALS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, memorials were presented and referred as follows:

430. By the SPEAKER: Memorial of the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, relative to memorializing the President and Congress to take action to help ease the burden that increased lumber prices have placed on homebuilders and homebuyers; to the Committee on Agriculture.

431. Also, memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Louisiana, relative to memorializing the U.S. Congress to take such actions as are necessary to authorize the use of the U.S. flag to drape the coffins of former members of the Civilian Conservation Corps; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

¶66.40 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 65: Mrs. MORELLA.
 H.R. 301: Mr. SHAYS.
 H.R. 911: Mr. FIELDS of Texas.
 H.R. 1103: Mr. WILLIAMS.
 H.R. 1417: Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. STUPAK, and Mr. DEUTSCH.
 H.R. 1442: Mr. OXLEY.
 H.R. 1500: Mr. RAVENEL and Mr. BERMAN.
 H.R. 1607: Mr. SHAYS.
 H.R. 1671: Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. CANADY, Mr. WILSON, Mr. EMERSON, and Mr. BONIOR.
 H.R. 1801: Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas.
 H.R. 1843: Mrs. THURMAN and Mr. HERGER.
 H.R. 2064: Mr. RICHARDSON.
 H.R. 2147: Mr. MORAN.
 H.R. 2326: Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. RICHARDSON, Mr. NUSSLE, Mr. SHARP, and Mr. JOHNSON of South Dakota.
 H.R. 2758: Mr. GINGRICH.
 H.R. 2866: Mr. FORD of Tennessee.
 H.R. 2886: Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. KIM, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. POMEROY, and Mr. WISE.
 H.R. 2969: Mr. McNULTY.
 H.R. 3005: Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mr. ALLARD, and Mr. MANZULLO.
 H.R. 3031: Mrs. FOWLER.
 H.R. 3293: Mr. SCHIFF.
 H.R. 3348: Ms. MOLINARI.
 H.R. 3421: Mr. SMITH of Michigan and Mr. SAXTON.
 H.R. 3488: Mr. LIVINGSTON, Mr. WILSON, and Mr. POMBO.
 H.R. 3497: Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mrs. FOWLER, and Mr. KING.
 H.R. 3596: Mr. EVANS and Mr. HUGHES.
 H.R. 3717: Mr. SHAYS.
 H.R. 3986: Mr. MINGE.
 H.R. 3987: Ms. FURSE.
 H.R. 3992: Mr. ROHRBACHER.
 H.R. 4042: Mr. LANTOS.
 H.R. 4050: Mrs. CLAYTON and Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas.
 H.R. 4091: Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. EVANS, Mr. MURPHY, and Mr. ACKERMAN.
 H.R. 4100: Mr. OWENS.
 H.R. 4150: Mr. DUNCAN.
 H.R. 4163: Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. GLICKMAN, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, Mr. HINCHEY, and Mr. EVANS.
 H.R. 4178: Mr. ROYCE and Mr. MANZULLO.
 H.R. 4223: Mr. BOEHNER.
 H.R. 4251: Mr. RIDGE and Mr. UPTON.
 H.R. 4258: Mr. HILLIARD and Mr. MURPHY.
 H.R. 4259: Mrs. MEYERS of Kansas and Mr. CLINGER.
 H.R. 4269: Mr. FROST.
 H.R. 4358: Mr. DORNAN.
 H.R. 4365: Mr. CASTLE.
 H.R. 4386: Mr. KLEIN, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. BARCA of Wisconsin, Mr. WHITTEN, Mr.

SCHIFF, Mr. BARCIA of Michigan, Mr. DOOLEY, Mr. ROSE, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. BACCHUS of Florida, Mr. DE LA GARZA, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. CLAY, Mr. OBERSTAR, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. DE LUGO, Mr. MICHEL, Mr. QUILLEN, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. MILLER of California, Mr. BAKER of Louisiana, and Mr. BONILLA.

H.R. 4404: Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. FRANKS of Connecticut, Mr. VENTO, Mr. FARR, and Mr. MOORHEAD.

H.R. 4433: Mr. ZIMMER, Mr. EHLERS, Mr. BAKER of Louisiana, and Mr. ROYCE.

H.R. 4441: Mr. GILLMOR.

H.R. 4452: Mr. STOKES, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. PAYNE of New Jersey, Mr. BACCHUS of Florida, Mr. WATT, Mrs. UNSOELD, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. EDWARDS of California, Mr. MONTGOMERY, Mr. FROST, Mr. PARKER, Mr. DEFazio, and Mr. CLYBURN.

H.R. 4507: Mr. PARKER and Mr. HOCHBRUECKNER.

H.R. 4528: Mr. COBLE, Mr. HUGHES, and Mrs. THURMAN.

H.R. 4535: Mrs. COLLINS of Illinois and Mr. MOORHEAD.

H.R. 4582: Mr. SWIFT.

H.J. Res. 44: Mr. KYL.

H.J. Res. 90: Mr. REGULA, Mr. JACOBS, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. LEWIS of California, and Mr. LAFALCE.

H.J. Res. 145: Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. GOSS, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. KIM, and Mr. HUTCHINSON.

H.J. Res. 321: Mr. ROYCE.

H.J. Res. 326: Mr. PARKER, Mr. SABO, Mr. HASTINGS, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. SANDERS, Mrs. VUCANOVICH, Mr. FIELDS of Louisiana, Mr. GLICKMAN, Mr. FLAKE, Mr. RAVENEL, Mrs. BENTLEY, Mr. MURTHA, Mr. WASHINGTON, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. MYERS of Indiana, Mr. SANGMEISTER, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. RICHARDSON, Mr. APPLIGATE, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. HEFLEY, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. FRANKS of Connecticut, Mr. KASICH, Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. WHITTEN, Mr. JACOBS, Mr. TAUZIN, Mr. ROGERS, Mr. VALENTINE, Mr. WATT, and Ms. MOLINARI.

H.J. Res. 356: Mr. FISH and Mr. TRAFICANT.
 H.J. Res. 359: Mr. THOMPSON and Mr. FINGERHUT.

H.J. Res. 373: Mr. ROHRBACHER.

H.J. Res. 378: Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. MORAN, Mr. MCDADE, Mr. MAZZOLI, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. HEFNER, Mr. STUDDS, Mr. ORTON, Mr. PARKER, Mr. MOAKLEY, Mr. PICKETT, Mr. FARR, Mr. ACKERMAN, and Mr. WAXMAN.

H. Con. Res. 148: Mr. DEUTSCH and Mr. LIVINGSTON.

H. Con. Res. 199: Mr. HASTINGS.

H. Con. Res. 202: Mr. PARKER.

H. Con. Res. 219: Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. OWENS, Mr. BEILENSEN, Mr. KYL, Ms. MOLINARI, Mr. WILSON, Mr. GREENWOOD, Ms. WOOLSEY, Ms. HARMAN, Mr. TORKILDSEN, Ms. SCHENK, Mr. HUGHES, Mr. JOHNSON of South Dakota, Mr. PORTER, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Ms. FURSE, Mr. KOPETSKI, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. ZELIFF, and Mr. MEEHAN.

H. Con. Res. 243: Mr. EVANS, Mr. STUPAK, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, and Mr. OWENS.

H. Con. Res. 246: Mr. DURBIN, Mr. OWENS, Mr. FOGLIETTA, Mr. THOMPSON, Mr. MANN, Mr. GUNDERSON, Mr. KLUG, Mr. DEFazio, and Mr. FROST.

H. Res. 372: Mr. ANDREWS of New Jersey, Mr. FISH, and Mr. STUPAK.

H. Res. 446: Mr. DREIER, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. MCINNIS, Mr. KASICH, Mr. BROWDER, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. EVANS, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. GOODLING, and Mrs. ROUKEMA.

¶66.41 PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 1 of rule XXII.

99. The SPEAKER presented a petition of the Arkansas Legislative Counsel, Arkansas, relative to requesting that the U.S. Congress include its members and employees in any health care legislation it adopts in 1994 or thereafter; which was referred to the Committee on House Administration.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22, 1994 (67)

The House was called to order by the SPEAKER.

¶67.1 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Tuesday, June 21, 1994.

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

¶67.2 COMMUNICATIONS

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

3409. A letter from the Secretary of Agriculture, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to amend the Packers and Stockyards Act, 1921, to provide for the establishment of a statutory trust for the benefit of livestock sellers to livestock dealers and market agencies buying on commission; to the Committee on Agriculture.

3410. A letter from the Secretary, Housing and Urban Development, transmitting a report entitled "Revised Methods of Providing Federal Funds for Public Housing Agencies," pursuant to Public Law 101-625, section 524 (104 Stat. 4215); to the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs.

3411. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 10-254, "Repeat Offender Life Without Parole Amendment Act of 1994," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on the District of Columbia.

3412. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting the final report on the validation and effectiveness study of legal representation through guardian ad litem, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 5105 note; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

3413. A letter from the Assistant Secretary of State for Legislative Affairs, transmitting copies of the original report of political contributions by E. Michael Southwick, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Uganda, and members of his family, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 3944(b)(2); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

3414. A letter from the Federal Housing Finance Board, transmitting the 1993 management reports of the 12 Federal Home Loan Banks and the Financing Corporation, pursuant to Public Law 101-576, section 306(a) (104 Stat. 2854); to the Committee on Government Operations.

3415. A letter from the Librarian of Congress, transmitting the report of the activities of the Library of Congress, including the Copyright Office, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1992, pursuant to 2 U.S.C. 139; to the Committee on House Administration.

3416. A letter from the Administrator, General Services Administration, transmitting informational copies of various lease prospectuses, pursuant to 40 U.S.C. 606(a); to the Committee on Public Works and Transportation.

¶67.3 WAIVING POINTS OF ORDER AGAINST H.R. 4602

Mr. GORDON, by direction of the Committee on Rules, called up the following resolution (H. Res. 458):