

MORAN, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. TORRES, Mr. MANTON, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. JOHNSTON of Florida, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. EVANS, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. BEILENSON, Mr. YATES, and Ms. ESHOO):

H.R. 2856. A bill to amend the Marine Mammal Protection Act of 1972 to uphold the integrity of the U.S. tuna labeling program, support the International Dolphin Conservation Program in the eastern tropical Pacific Ocean, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources, and in addition to the Committees on Commerce, International Relations, and 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 Mrs. MINK of Hawaii (for herself, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. MILLER of California, Ms. PELOSI, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Mr. MORAN, Mr. HOYER, and Mr. DELLUMS):

H.R. 2857. A bill to provide for relief to Federal employees, Federal contractors, and employees of Federal contractors for expenses incurred as a result of nonpayment of basic pay or impediments against contract performance arising from lapses in appropriations; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

By Mr. SMITH of New Jersey:

H.R. 2858. A bill to amend chapters 83 and 84 of title 5, United States Code, to provide that any survivor annuity for a child that terminates by reason of such child marrying shall resume, absent any other disqualifying event or condition, if and when that marriage ends; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

By Mr. TATE:

H.R. 2859. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Army to exchange a certain parcel of real property at Fort Lewis, WA; to the Committee on National Security.

By Mr. WHITFIELD:

H.R. 2860. A bill to repeal restrictive provisions of Federal law relating to colored margarine; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. DREIER (for himself, Mr. TAUZIN, and Mr. ZIMMER):

H.R. 2861. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exclude long-term capital gains from gross income; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. KASICH:

H. Con. Res. 131. Concurrent resolution establishing procedures making the transmission of the continuing resolution (H.J. Res. 134) to the President contingent upon the submission by the President of a 7-year balanced budget using updated economic and technical assumptions of the Congressional Budget Office; to the Committee on Rules.

By Mr. DUNN of Washington:

H. Con. Res. 132. Concurrent resolution relating to the extradition of Martin Pang from Brazil to the United States; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. ROTH:

H. Res. 335. Resolution to congratulate the Green Bay Packers of the National Football League on winning its first National Football Conference [NFC] Central Division title in 23 years and to commend Quarterback Brett Favre for being recognized as the National Football League's Most Valuable Player; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

By Mrs. KENNELLY:

H. Res. 337. Resolution electing Jesse L. Jackson, Jr., of Illinois to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi (for himself, Mr. MONTGOMERY, Mr. PARKER, Mr. THOMPSON, Mr. WICKER,

Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, and Mr. LARGENT):

H. Res. 339. Resolution to congratulate Brett Favre, a native of Fenton, MS, for winning the 1995 National Football League Most Valuable Player Award; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

Mr. BOEHNER introduced a concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 133) providing for an adjournment of the two Houses; which was considered and agreed to.

#### ¶3.47 MEMORIALS

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

185. By the SPEAKER: Memorial of the General Assembly of the State of California, relative to the release of Jimmy Tran from prison in Vietnam; to the Committee on International Relations.

186. Also, memorial of the General Assembly of the State of California, relative to human rights violations and political oppression in Vietnam; to the Committee on International Relations.

187. Also, memorial of the Legislature of the Virgin Islands, relative to adoption of the Florida Senate Resolution relating to the Republic of China on Taiwan; to the Committee on International Relations.

188. Also, memorial of the General Assembly of the State of California, relative to cultural antiquities; to the Committee on International Relations.

189. Also, memorial of the General Assembly of the State of California, relative to dedication of a Pearl Harbor Memorial in Washington, DC; to the Committee on Resources.

190. Also, memorial of the General Assembly of the State of California, relative to the involvement of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers in flood control projects within the State; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

191. Also, memorial of the General Assembly of the State of California, relative to Social Security; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

192. Also, memorial of the General Assembly of the State of California, relative to child support enforcement; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

#### ¶3.48 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 123: Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey and Mr. BLUTE.

H.R. 305: Ms. HARMAN.

H.R. 497: Mrs. FOWLER.

H.R. 573: Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas.

H.R. 580: Mr. TRAFICANT.

H.R. 619: Mr. COYNE.

H.R. 620: Mr. COYNE.

H.R. 991: Mr. JOHNSON of South Dakota.

H.R. 1160: Ms. MCKINNEY.

H.R. 1305: Mr. FATTAH AND Mr. OLVER.

H.R. 1552: Mr. VENTO, Mr. SCHIFF, and Ms. HARMAN.

H.R. 1619: Mr. BREWSTER and Mr. HUTCHINSON.

H.R. 2008: Mr. COYNE.

H.R. 2011: Ms. SLAUGHTER and Mr. WATT of North Carolina.

H.R. 2143: Mr. COYNE.

H.R. 2202: Mr. FRAZER.

H.R. 2246: Ms. VELAZQUEZ and Ms. LOFGREN.

H.R. 2458: Mr. SISISKY, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mrs. LOWEY, and Mr. SHAYS.

H.R. 2472: Mr. FRAZER, Mrs. SLAUGHTER, Mr. PASTOR, Ms. BROWN of Florida, and Mr. VISCLOSKEY.

H.R. 2557: Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. CONDIT, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, and Mr. ZIMMER.

H.R. 2579: Ms. HARMAN, Mr. SCOTT, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. WAMP, Mr. PAYNE of New Jersey, Mr. MILLER of California, and Mr. WAXMAN.

H.R. 2639: Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin and Mr. WYNN.

H.R. 2651: Mr. CRAMER, Mr. MICA, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. POSHARD, Mr. FATTAH, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. HOLDEN, and Mr. HILLIARD.

H.R. 2652: Mr. JOHNSON of South Dakota, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. NADLER, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. SABO, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. KLING, Mr. SHAYS, Ms. FURSE, and Mr. COYNE.

H.R. 2655: Mr. MANTON.

H.R. 2658: Mr. DAVIS, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. LANTOS, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. PAYNE of Virginia, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. WYNN, Mr. OWENS, and Mr. MINGE.

H.R. 2664: Mr. WELLER.

H.R. 2671: Mr. SHAYS, Mr. WYNN, Mr. PAYNE of Virginia, and Mr. UPTON.

H.R. 2690: Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. GONZALEZ, and Mr. OXLEY.

H.R. 2691: Mr. PAYNE of New Jersey, Ms. LOFGREN, and Ms. JACKSON-LEE.

H.R. 2700: Mr. BONILLA, Mr. DOGGETT, Mr. LAUGHLIN, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. DELAY, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Mr. FIELDS of Texas, and Mr. ARCHER.

H.R. 2716: Mr. RANGEL.

H.R. 2731: Mr. BONO.

H.R. 2745: Mr. FARR, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. JACOBS, and Mr. CARDIN.

H.R. 2757: Mrs. SMITH of Washington.

H.R. 2785: Mr. FARR, Mr. FRAZER, Mr. BALDACCIO, Mr. WATT of North Carolina, Mr. STUDDS, and Mr. WARD.

H.R. 2803: Mr. ROGERS and Mr. CONYERS.

H.R. 2828: Mr. DAVIS.

H.R. 2837: Mrs. COLLINS of Illinois, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. BATEMAN, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. PASTOR, and Mr. GONZALEZ.

H.R. 2839: Mr. FILNER and Mr. FOX.

H.R. 2848: Mr. SOLOMON and Mr. LATOURETTE.

H.J. Res. 89: Mr. MARTINI and Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas.

H.J. Res. 155: Mr. ENGEL, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. OLVER, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. VENTO, Mr. PASTOR, and Ms. MCCARTHY.

H. Con. Res. 130: Mr. MONTGOMERY.

H.R. 444: Ms. HARMAN.

H.R. 2386: Ms. HARMAN.

H. Res. 333: Mr. MCHALE, Mr. HINCHEY, Ms. FURSE, and Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin.

#### ¶3.49 PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 1 of rule XXII,

51. The SPEAKER presented a petition of the Board of Commissioners of Cook County, IL, relative to support for the retention of section 936 in its present form under the U.S. Internal Revenue Code; which was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

### MONDAY, JANUARY 22, 1996 (4)

#### ¶4.1 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The House was called to order by the SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. EVERETT, who laid before the House the following communication:

WASHINGTON, DC,

January 22, 1996.

I hereby designate the Honorable Terry Everett to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NEWT GINGRICH,

*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

#### ¶4.2 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. EVERETT, announced he had exam-

ined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Friday, January 5, 1996.

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

#### ¶4.3 COMMUNICATIONS

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

1931. A letter from the Director, the Office of Management and Budget, transmitting the cumulative report on rescissions and deferrals of budget authority as of January 1, 1996, pursuant to 2 U.S.C. 685(e), (H. Doc. No. 104-166); to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

1932. A letter from the Adjutant General, the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, transmitting proceedings of the 96th National Convention of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, held in Phoenix, AZ, August 19 to 25, 1995, pursuant to 36 U.S.C. 118 and 44 U.S.C. 1332 (H. Doc. No. 104-163); to the Committee on National Security and ordered to be printed.

1933. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting notification that the national emergency regarding terrorists who threaten to disrupt the Middle East peace process is to continue in effect beyond January 23, 1996, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1622(d) (H. Doc. No. 104-167); to the Committee on International Relations and ordered to be printed.

1934. A letter from the Chairman, Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board, transmitting the annual report under the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act for fiscal year 1995, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

1935. A letter from the Acting Chairman, National Bankruptcy Review Commission, transmitting, the annual report under the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act for fiscal year 1995, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

1936. A letter from the Chief Administrative Officer, Postal Rate Commission, transmitting, a report of activities under the Freedom of Information Act for calendar year 1995, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(d); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

1937. A letter from the Secretary, Postal Rate Commission, transmitting, a copy of the annual report in compliance with the Government in the Sunshine Act during the calendar year 1995, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b(j); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

1938. A letter from the Secretary of Energy, transmitting, the annual report under the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act for fiscal year 1995, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

1939. A letter from the Chairman, U.S. Merit Systems Protection Board, transmitting a copy of the annual report in compliance with the Government in the Sunshine Act during the calendar year 1995, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

1940. A letter from the Special Counsel, U.S. Office of Special Counsel, transmitting the annual report under the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act for fiscal year 1995, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

1941. A letter from the Assistant Attorney General of the United States, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation entitled, the "Enhanced Prosecution of Dangerous Juvenile Offenders Act of 1995"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

#### ¶4.4 MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Mr. Lundregan, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate had passed a bill and concurrent resolution of the following titles, in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

S. 1260. An Act to reform and consolidate the public and assisted housing programs of the United States, and to redirect primary responsibility for these programs from the Federal Government to States and localities, and for other purposes.

S. Con. Res. 39. Concurrent resolution providing for the State of the Union Address by the President of the United States.

#### ¶4.5 COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK—MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

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

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
Washington, DC, January 10, 1996.

Hon. NEWT GINGRICH,  
*The Speaker, U.S. 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, the Clerk received the following messages from the Secretary of the Senate on Wednesday, January 10, 1996 at 12:40 p.m.: that the Senate passes S. Con. Res. 38; that the Senate receded from Senate amendment H.R. 1606; that the Senate passed without amendment H.R. 2061; that the Senate passed with amendments H.R. 2353; and that the Senate passed without amendment H. Con. Res. 133.

With warm regards,  
ROBIN H. CARLE,  
*Clerk, U.S. House of Representatives.*

#### ¶4.6 PERMISSION TO FILE CONFERENCE REPORT

On motion of Mr. STUMP, by unanimous consent, the managers on the part of the House were granted permission until midnight tonight to file a conference report (Rept. No. 104-450) on the bill of the Senate (S. 1124) to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1996 for military activities of the Department of Defense, to prescribe personnel strengths for such fiscal year for the Armed Forces, and for other purposes; together with a statement thereon, for printing in the Record under the rule.

#### ¶4.7 MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

A message in writing from the President of the United States was communicated to the House by Mr. Edwin Thomas, one of his secretaries.

#### ¶4.8 JOINT SESSION TO RECEIVE THE PRESIDENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. EVERETT, laid before the House the following privileged concurrent resolution (S. Con. Res. 39):

*Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring),* That the two Houses of Congress assemble in the Hall of the House of Representatives on Tuesday, January 23, 1996, at 9 p.m., for the purpose of receiving such communication as the President of the United States shall be pleased to make to them.

When said concurrent resolution was considered and agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said concurrent resolution was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

*Ordered,* That the Clerk notify the Senate thereof.

#### ¶4.9 HOUR OF MEETING

On motion of Mr. SMITH of Texas, by unanimous consent,

*Ordered,* That when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 12:30 p.m. on Tuesday, January 23, 1996.

#### ¶4.10 HOUR OF MEETING

On motion of Mr. SMITH of Texas, by unanimous consent,

*Ordered,* That when the House adjourns on Tuesday, January 23, 1996, it adjourn to meet at 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, January 24, 1996.

#### ¶4.11 CALENDAR WEDNESDAY BUSINESS DISPENSED WITH

On motion of Mr. SMITH of Texas, by unanimous consent,

*Ordered,* That business in order for consideration on Wednesday, January 24, 1996, under clause 7, rule XXIV, the Calendar Wednesday rule, be dispensed with.

#### ¶4.12 COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK—MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

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

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
Washington, DC, January 10, 1996.

Hon. NEWT GINGRICH,  
*The Speaker, U.S. 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 a sealed envelope received from the White House on Wednesday, January 10, 1996 at 11:50 a.m. and said to contain a message from the President wherein he returns without his approval H.R. 4, the "Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Act of 1995."

With warm regards,  
ROBIN H. CARLE,  
*Clerk, U.S. House of Representatives.*

#### ¶4.13 VETO OF H.R. 4

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

*To the House of Representatives:*

I am returning herewith without my approval H.R. 4, the "Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Act of 1995." In disapproving H.R. 4, I am nevertheless determined to keep working with the Congress to enact real, bipartisan welfare reform. The current welfare system is broken and must be replaced, for the sake of the taxpayers who pay for it and the people who are trapped by it. But H.R. 4 does too little to move people from welfare to work. It is burdened with deep budget cuts and structural changes that fall short of real reform. I urge the Congress to work with me in good faith to produce a bipartisan welfare reform agreement that is tough on work and responsi-