¶16.2 COMMUNICATIONS

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

2061. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 11–197, ''District of Columbia Board of Real Property Assessments and Appeals Membership Simplification Act of 1996,'' pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1–233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2062. A letter from the Director, the Office of Management and Budget, transmitting the cumulative report on rescissions and deferrals of budget authority as of February 1, 1996, pursuant to 2 U.S.C. 685(e) (H. Doc. N. 104–176); to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

2063. A letter from the Secretary of Energy, transmitting the Department's report entitled ''1994 Annual Report on Low-Level Radioactive Waste Management Progress,'' pursuant to the Low-Level Radioactive Waste Policy Amendments Act of 1985; to the Committee on Commerce.

2064. A letter from the Comptroller General of the United States, transmitting the list of all reports issued or released in January 1996, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 719(h); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2065. A letter from the President and CEO, African Development Foundation, 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.

2066. A letter from the Director, Operations and Finance, American Battle Monuments 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.

2067. A letter from the Chairperson, Appraisal Subcommittee, Federal Financial Institutions Examination Council, 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.

2068. A letter from the Comptroller General of the United States, transmitting the Comptroller General's report on GAO employees detailed to congressional committees as of January 19, 1996; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2069. A letter from the Director, Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service, 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.

2070. A letter from the Chairman, Board of Governors, U.S. Postal Service, transmitting a copy of the annual report in compliance with the Government in the Sunshine Act during the calendar year 1995, pursuant to U.S.C. 552b(j); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2071. A letter from the Deputy Associate Director for Compliance, Department of the Interior, transmitting notification of proposed refunds of excess royalty payments in OHS areas, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 1339(b); to the Committee on Resources.

2072. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a copy of the Secretary's determination and memorandum of justification regarding assistance to Haiti, pursuant to Public Law 104–99, section 301 (110 Stat. 38); jointly, to the Committees on Appropriations and International Relations.

2073. A letter from the Mayor, District of Columbia, transmitting the comprehensive annual financial report of the District of Columbia, pursuant to Public Law 102–102, section 2(b) (105 Stat. 495); jointly, to the Committees on Government Reform and Oversight and Appropriations.

And then,

¶16.3 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. DAVIS, pursuant to the special order agreed to on February 6, 1996, at 11 o'clock and 3 minutes a.m., the House adjourned until 11 o'clock a.m. on Friday, February 23, 1996.

¶16.4 MEMORIALS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII,

200. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, relative to the ''Blizzard of 1996''; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

¶16.5 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 940: Mr. OLVER.

H.R. 1021: Ms. VELAZQUEZ and Ms. KAPTUR.

H.R. 1023: Ms. VELAZQUEZ, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. FRAZER, Mr. WELDON of Florida, and Mrs. MALONEY.

H.R. 2143: Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. FOGLIETTA, Mr. WILSON, Mr. HYDE, and Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts.

H.R. 2214: Mr. TORRES, Mr. MCCOLLUM, and Mrs. MINK of Hawaii.

H.R. 2959: Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. MOAKLEY, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. DOOLEY, Mr. THOMPSON, Mr. BENTSEN, Mr. LUTHER, Mr. REED, Mrs. LOWEY, Mrs. KENNELLY, and Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas.

¶16.6 PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 1 of rule XXII, petitions and papers were laid on the Clerk's desk and referred as follows:

57. By the SPEAKER: Petition of the council of the city and county of Honolulu, HI, relative to the State of Hawaii to secure access to oil from the Strategic Petroleum Reserve in case of emergency; to the Committee on Commerce.

58. Also, petition of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the county of Mercer, NJ, relative to the board's support for Representative CHRISTOPHER SMITH as he strives to protect the needs of the senior citizens and all residents of Mercer County; jointly, to the Committees on Ways and Means and Commerce.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1996 (17)

¶17.1 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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

WASHINGTON, DC,
February 20, 1996.

I hereby designate the Honorable THOMAS M. DAVIS to act as Speaker pro tempore on Friday, February 23, 1996.

CONSTANCE A. MORELLA,
Speaker pro tempore of the House of Representatives.

¶17.2 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. DAVIS, announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Tuesday, February 20, 1996.

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

¶17.3 COMMUNICATIONS

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

2074. A letter from the Assistant Secretary of Defense, transmitting a report entitled ''Report on the Performance of Department of Defense Commercial Activities,'' pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 2304 note; to the Committee on National Security.

2075. A letter from the President and Chairman, Export-Import Bank of the United States, transmitting a report involving United States exports to Ghana, pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 635(b)(3)(i); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

2076. A letter from the President and Chairman, Export-Import Bank of the United States, transmitting a report involving United States exports to Indonesia, pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 635(b)(3)(i); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

2077. A letter from the Chairman, Harry S. Truman Scholarship Foundation, transmitting the Foundation's annual report for 1995, pursuant to 20 U.S.,C. 2012(b); to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

2078. A letter from the Administrator, Energy Information Administration, transmitting a report entitled ''Performance Profiles of Major Energy Producers 1994,'' pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 7267; to the Committee on Commerce.

2079. A letter from the Chairman, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting a report on abnormal occurrences at licensed nuclear facilities for the third quarter of calendar 1995, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 5848; to the Committee on Commerce.

2080. A letter from the Assistant Secretary of Defense—Force Management Policy, transmitting a report on the audit of the American Red Cross for the year ending June 30, 1995, pursuant to 36 U.S.C. 6; to the Committee on International Relations.

2081. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 11–199, ''Technical Amendments Act of 1996,'' pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1–233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2082. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 11–201, ''Water and Sewer Authority Establishment and Department of Public Works Reorganization Act of 1996,'' pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1–233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2083. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 11–202, ''Joint Custody of Children Act of 1996,'' pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1–233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2084. A letter from the Auditor, District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of a report entitled ''Review of the Fiscal Year 1995 Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR),'' pursuant to D.C. Code, section 47–117(d); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2085. A letter from the Federal Financial Institutions Examination Council, Appraisal Subcommittee, transmitting the 1995 annual report in compliance with the Inspector General Act Amendments of 1988, pursuant to Public Law 100–504, section 104(a) (102 Stat. 2525); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2086. A letter from the Chief Financial Officer, Export-Import Bank of the United