

fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota:
H.R. 618. A bill to prohibit the Secretary of Agriculture from using information from the National Cheese Exchange to fix minimum milk prices under Federal milk marketing orders; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. PORTER (for himself, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. OLVER, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Ms. MOLINARI, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mrs. KELLY, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. BENTSEN, Ms. NORTON, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. BROWN of California, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. MANTON, Mr. FARR of California, Ms. RIVERS, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. SKAGGS, Mr. STARK, Mr. YATES, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. ROGAN, Mr. GOSS, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, Mr. LEACH, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. TORRES, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. EVANS, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. HORN, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. TALENT, Ms. FURSE, and Mr. PAYNE):

H.R. 619. A bill to prohibit the import, export, sale, purchase, possession, transportation, acquisition, and receipt of bear viscera or products that contain or claim to contain bear viscera, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources, and in addition to the Committees on 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 Mr. RAMSTAD (for himself, Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mr. LUTHER, Mr. MINGE, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. SABO, and Mr. VENTO):

H.R. 620. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide that the conducting of certain games of chance shall not be treated as an unrelated trade or business; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. STARK (for himself, Mr. McDERMOTT, and Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts):

H.R. 621. A bill to provide for parity in the treatment of mental illness; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on 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 Mr. STUMP (for himself, Mr. PETRI, Mr. HERGER, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. BUNNING of Kentucky, and Mr. EWING):

H.R. 622. A bill to amend title 4, United States Code, to declare English as the official language of the Government of the United States; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, 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 Mr. TRAFICANT:

H.R. 623. A bill to amend the Public Buildings Act of 1959 concerning the calculation of public building transactions; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. BLUNT (for himself and Mr. TALENT):

H.J. Res. 42. Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to limit the number of terms a Member of Congress may serve, and to au-

thorize a State to provide longer or shorter term limits for a Member of Congress from that State; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. CAMPBELL:

H.J. Res. 43. Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to abolish the Electoral College and to provide for the direct election of the President and Vice President of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. OBEY:

H.J. Res. 44. Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to require a balanced budget; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. WISE (for himself, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. CLAY, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. HINCHEY, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. MASCARA, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. NADLER, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. SAWYER, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. SCOTT, Mr. STARK, and Mr. WYNN):

H.J. Res. 45. Joint resolution proposing a balanced budget amendment to the Constitution of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey (for himself, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. FILNER, Mr. BATEMAN, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. PORTER, Mr. BERMAN, and Mr. EVANS):

H. Con. Res. 14. Concurrent resolution to encourage the Secretary of State, foreign nations, and others to work together to help reunite family members separated during the Holocaust; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. PALLONE (for himself, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. NEY, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. LOBIONDO, and Mr. MCHALE):

H. Con. Res. 15. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress relating to the abduction and detainment of Donald Hutchings of the State of Washington and four Western Europeans in Jammu and Kashmir, India; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. FAZIO of California:

H. Res. 36. Resolution designating minority membership on certain standing committees of the House.

By Mr. BLUMENAUER (for himself, Mr. EHLERS, Mr. DELLUMS, Ms. NORTON, Mr. LEACH, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. MARKEY, Ms. FURSE, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. WATT of North Carolina, Mr. DEFazio, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. NADLER, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. OLVER, Mr. FOGLETTA, Mr. FROST, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. BONIOR, and Mr. LAFALCE):

H. Res. 37. Resolution authorizing the House of Representatives to participate in State and local government transit programs pursuant to section 7905 of title 5, United States Code; to the Committee on House Oversight.

By Ms. JACKSON-LEE (for herself, Mr. OWENS, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. SCHUMER, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mrs. LOWEY, Ms. STABENOW, and Mr. FORD):

H. Res. 38. Resolution to express the sense of the House of Representatives regarding the outstanding achievements of NetDay; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. SKAGGS:

H. Res. 39. Resolution amending the Rules of the House of Representatives to afford witnesses greater freedom to provide information to House committees by eliminating current administrative requirements; to the Committee on Rules.

By Mr. TOWNS:

H. Res. 40. Resolution expressing the sense of the House concerning the need for accurate guidelines for breast cancer screening for women between the ages of 40 and 49; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania (for himself, Mr. ANDREWS, and Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania):

H. Res. 41. Resolution amending the Rules of the House of Representatives to establish a Citizens' Commission on Congressional Ethics, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Rules.

6.17 MEMORIALS

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

13. By the SPEAKER: Memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Michigan, relative to House Resolution No. 340: to memorialize the President, the Congress of the United States, the Department of Defense, the Department of Veterans Affairs, and appropriate Federal agencies to take certain steps in response to the gulf war syndrome; to the Committee on National Security.

14. Also, memorial of the Senate of the State of Ohio, relative to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 21: to urge the U.S. Congress, Governors of other States, and other State legislatures to support H.R. 1842 and other legislative initiatives to mitigate the economic warfare among the States that has resulted from the adoption of targeted business incentive programs; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

15. Also, memorial of the Senate of the State of Illinois, relative to Senate Resolution No. 252 concerning a crude oil transportation pipeline through the west suburban Chicago region; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6.18 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 9: Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma.
H.R. 14: Mr. SHAYS, Mr. STUMP, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. McCRERY, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. SKEEN, Mr. PITTS, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. METCALF, Mr. JONES, Mr. NEY, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. HEFLEY, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. TALENT, Mr. ROGAN, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. GOODLING, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Ms. GRANGER, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. COOKSEY, and Mr. HAYWORTH.
H.R. 17: Mrs. CLAYTON.

H.R. 18: Mr. KNOLLENBERG and Mr. MINGE.
H.R. 26: Mr. BARCIA of Michigan, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, and Mr. BISHOP.

H.R. 54: Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. HORN, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. FILNER, Mr. DOOLITTLE, and Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD.

H.R. 69: Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. MINGE, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, and Mr. WYNN.

H.R. 76: Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. BARCIA of Michigan, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. COLLINS, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. FILNER, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. FROST, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. HEFLEY, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. MCHUGH, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. METCALF, Ms. NORTON, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. PARKER, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. TORRES, Mr. WOLF, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, and Mr. SCARBOROUGH.

H.R. 93: Mr. HUNTER.
 H.R. 98: Mr. STARK, Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts, Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Ms. NORTON, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, and Mr. LAFALCE.
 H.R. 125: Mr. LIPINSKI and Mr. PORTER.
 H.R. 127: Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. TIAHRT, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. CANADY of Florida, and Mr. STUPAK.
 H.R. 131: Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland.
 H.R. 145: Mr. FATTAH and Mr. POSHARD.
 H.R. 169: Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. QUINN, Mr. KIM, Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. PAPPAS, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. NEY, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. PITTS, Mr. DEUTSCH, and Mr. SAM JOHNSON.
 H.R. 200: Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. NORWOOD, and Mr. CANADY of Florida.
 H.R. 225: Mrs. THURMAN.
 H.R. 235: Mr. YATES, Mr. TRAFICANT, Ms. NORTON, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. McNULTY, and Mr. BERMAN.
 H.R. 279: Mr. MASCARA, Mr. ENGEL, and Mr. LIPINSKI.
 H.R. 280: Mr. WATT of North Carolina, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. BALDACCII, Ms. NORTON, Mr. FROST, Mr. FOGLETTA, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. RANGEL, Ms. LOFGREN, and Mr. TORRES.
 H.R. 284: Mr. NADLER, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, and Mr. DELLUMS.
 H.R. 285: Mr. UNDERWOOD and Mr. PARKER.
 H.R. 286: Mr. PARKER.
 H.R. 287: Mr. UNDERWOOD and Mr. PARKER.
 H.R. 289: Ms. PELOSI, Ms. NORTON, and Mr. FOGLETTA.
 H.R. 292: Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina and Mr. TIAHRT.
 H.R. 311: Mr. SHADEGG.
 H.R. 312: Mr. LARGENT, Mr. METCALF, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. MCKEON, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, and Mr. TIAHRT.
 H.R. 331: Mr. DIAZ-BALART.
 H.R. 350: Mr. NEY, Mr. EVANS, Mr. WAMP, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. BEREUTER, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. DUNCAN, and Mr. MILLER of California.
 H.R. 371: Mr. SOLOMON, Ms. LOFGREN, and Mr. SABO.
 H.R. 383: Ms. PELOSI and Mr. SMITH of New Jersey.
 H.R. 386: Mr. BORSKI and Mr. SCOTT.
 H.R. 399: Mr. SMITH of New Jersey and Ms. FURSE.
 H.R. 408: Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. GREEN, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. TORRES, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, and Mr. ROGAN.
 H.R. 415: Mr. LIPINSKI.
 H.R. 423: Mr. PITTS and Mr. FATTAH.
 H.R. 424: Mr. HORN.
 H.R. 446: Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. LATOURETTE, and Mrs. MYRICK.
 H.R. 450: Mrs. KELLY, Mr. EHRlich, Mr. STARK, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. BISHOP, Mr. McDERMOTT, and Ms. DUNN of Washington.
 H.R. 466: Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. GREEN, Mr. FLAKE, Mr. METCALF, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. RUSH, Ms. RIVERS, Mr. MANTON, Ms. NORTON, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts, Mr. HEFNER, Mr. MASCARA, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. DOYLE, and Mr. GILMAN.
 H.R. 475: Mr. WHITFIELD and Mr. SCARBOROUGH.
 H.R. 484: Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Ms. GRANGER, Mr. BURR of North Carolina, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. TALENT, and Mr. HAYWORTH.
 H.R. 491: Mr. MCHUGH and Mr. SCARBOROUGH.

H.R. 499: Mr. ARMEY, Mr. DELAY, Mr. ARCHER, Mr. SAM JOHNSON, Ms. GRANGER, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. BRADY, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. PAUL, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. TURNER, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. EDWARDS, Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. GREEN, Mr. BENTSEN, Mr. FROST, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. REYES, Mr. LAMPSON, and Mr. SANDLIN.
 H.R. 543: Mr. KING of New York, Mr. CANADY of Florida, and Mr. LIPINSKI.
 H.J. Res. 1: Mr. CANADY of Florida, Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. PARKER, and Mr. WICKER.
 H.J. Res. 2: Mr. CANADY of Florida.
 H.J. Res. 8: Mr. STARK, Mr. BENTSEN, and Mr. GREEN.
 H.J. Res. 19: Mr. SHAYS.
 H.J. Res. 27: Mrs. MYRICK and Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky.
 H. Con. Res. 10: Mr. TOWNS, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, and Mr. LIPINSKI.
 H. Res. 28: Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. PITTS, and Mr. LIPINSKI.

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¶7.1 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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

WASHINGTON, DC,
 February 6, 1997.

I hereby designate the Honorable THOMAS W. EWING to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NEWT GINGRICH,
 Speaker of the House of Representatives.

¶7.2 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. EWING, announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Wednesday, February 5, 1997.

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

¶7.3 COMMUNICATIONS

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

1660. A letter from the Acting Secretary of State, transmitting the fiscal year 1996 annual report under the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act [FMFIA] of 1982, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

1661. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Jetstream Model 4101 Airplanes (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 96-NM-86-AD; Amdt. 39-9914; AD 97-03-08] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 6, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1662. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Raytheon Model Hawker 800 and 1000 and Model DH/BH/HS/BAe 125 Series Airplanes (Including Major Variants C29A, U125, and U125A Series Airplanes) (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 95-NM-258-AD; Amdt. 39-9913; AD 97-03-07] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 6, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1663. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting

the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace, Lee's Summit, MO [Docket No. 96-ACE-15] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received February 6, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1664. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment of Class E Airspace; Cortez, Colorado (Federal Aviation Administration) [Airspace Docket No. 96-ANM-022] (RIN: 2120-xxxx) received February 6, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1665. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Tampa, FL (Federal Aviation Administration) [Airspace Docket No. 96-ASO-32] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received February 6, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1666. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Knob Noster, MO (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 96-ACE-17] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received February 6, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1667. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Hays, KS (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 96-ACE-16] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received February 6, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1668. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Miami Opa Locka Airport, FL (Federal Aviation Administration) [Airspace Docket No. 97-ASO-1] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received February 6, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1669. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class D Airspace; Homestead, FL (Federal Aviation Administration) [Airspace Docket No. 96-ASO-2] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received February 6, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

¶7.4 MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

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

¶7.5 ORDER OF BUSINESS—SUSPENSION OF AVAILABILITY OF STATUTORY "FAST TRACK" PROCEDURES

On motion of Mr. SOLOMON, by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That it may not be in order before Thursday, February 13, 1997, for the House to consider a motion to proceed under section 518A(e)(6)(A) of the Foreign Operations, Export Financing, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 1997, as contained in section 101(c) of the Omnibus Consolidated Appropriations Act, 1997.

¶7.6 COMMITTEE RESIGNATION—MINORITY

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. EWING, laid before the House the fol-