

LoBiondo	Pascrell	Skaggs
Lofgren	Pastor	Skeen
Lowe	Paul	Skelton
Lucas	Paxon	Smith (MI)
Luther	Payne	Smith (NJ)
Maloney (CT)	Pease	Smith (OR)
Maloney (NY)	Pelosi	Smith (TX)
Manton	Peterson (MN)	Smith, Adam
Manzullo	Peterson (PA)	Smith, Linda
Markey	Petri	Snowbarger
Martinez	Pickering	Snyder
Mascara	Pickett	Solomon
Matsui	Pitts	Souder
McCarthy (MO)	Pombo	Spence
McCarthy (NY)	Pomeroy	Spratt
McCollum	Porter	Stabenow
McCreery	Portman	Stark
McDade	Poshard	Stearns
McDermott	Price (NC)	Stenholm
McGovern	Pryce (OH)	Stokes
McHale	Quinn	Strickland
McHugh	Radanovich	Stump
McInnis	Rahall	Stupak
McIntosh	Ramstad	Sununu
McIntyre	Rangel	Talent
McKeon	Regula	Tanner
McKinney	Reyes	Tauscher
McNulty	Riggs	Taylor (MS)
Meehan	Riley	Taylor (NC)
Meek	Rivers	Thomas
Menendez	Roemer	Thompson
Metcalf	Rogan	Thornberry
Mica	Rogers	Thune
Millender-	Rohrabacher	Thurman
McDonald	Ros-Lehtinen	Tiahrt
Miller (CA)	Rothman	Tierney
Miller (FL)	Roukema	Torres
Minge	Roybal-Allard	Towns
Mink	Royce	Traficant
Moakley	Rush	Upton
Molinari	Ryun	Velazquez
Mollohan	Sabo	Vento
Moran (KS)	Salmon	Visclosky
Moran (VA)	Sanchez	Walsh
Morella	Sanders	Wamp
Murtha	Sandlin	Waters
Myrick	Sanford	Watkins
Nadler	Sawyer	Watt (NC)
Neal	Saxton	Watts (OK)
Nethercutt	Scarborough	Waxman
Neumann	Schaefer, Dan	Weldon (FL)
Ney	Schaffer, Bob	Weldon (PA)
Northup	Schiff	Weller
Norwood	Schumer	Wexler
Nussle	Scott	Weygand
Oberstar	Sensenbrenner	White
Obey	Serrano	Whitfield
Olver	Sessions	Wicker
Ortiz	Shadegg	Wise
Owens	Shaw	Wolf
Oxley	Shays	Woolsey
Packard	Sherman	Wynn
Pallone	Shimkus	Yates
Pappas	Shuster	Young (AK)
Parker	Sisisky	Young (FL)

NOES—2

Barton Kucinich

NOT VOTING—6

Ganske Kaptur Tauzin
Granger Slaughter Turner

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

Ordered, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

¶24.22 INVESTMENT ADVISERS COORDINATION EXTENSION

On motion of Mr. GILLMOR, by unanimous consent, the bill of the Senate (S. 410) to extend the effective date of the Investment Advisers Supervision Coordination Act; was taken from the Speaker's table.

When said bill was considered, read twice, ordered to be read a third time,

was read a third time by title, and passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said bill was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the Senate thereof.

¶24.23 UNFINISHED BUSINESS—APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. EWING, pursuant to clause 5, rule I, announced the further unfinished business to be the question on agreeing to the Chair's approval of the Journal of Monday, March 17, 1997.

The question being put, viva voce, Will the House agree to the Chair's approval of said Journal?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. EWING, announced that the yeas had it.

So the Journal was approved.

¶24.24 COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK—DESIGNATION OF ASSISTANT CLERKS

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

OFFICE OF THE CLERK,
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, March 18, 1997.

Hon. NEWT GINGRICH,

The Speaker, House of Representatives, Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Under Clause 4 of Rule III of the Rules of the U.S. House of Representatives, in addition to Ms. Julie Perrier, Assistant Clerk, I herewith designate Ray Strong, Assistant Clerk, to sign any and all papers and do all other acts for me under the name of the Clerk of the House which he would be authorized to do by virtue of this designation, except such as are provided by statute, in case of my temporary absence or disability.

This designation shall remain in effect for the 105th Congress or until modified by me.

With warm regards,

ROBIN H. CARLE,
Clerk, House of Representatives.

¶24.25 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to Ms. KAPTUR, for today and the balance of the week.

And then,

¶24.26 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. HORN, at 11 o'clock and 28 minutes p.m., the House adjourned.

¶24.27 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. BLILEY: Committee on Commerce. H.R. 968. A bill to amend title XVIII and XIX of the Social Security Act to permit a waiver of the prohibition of offering nurse aide training and competency evaluation programs in certain nursing facilities; with amendments (Rept. No. 105-23 Pt. 2). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Ms. PRYCE of Ohio: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 99. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 1) to

amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to provide compensatory time for employees in the private sector (Rept. No. 105-31). Referred to the House Calendar.

¶24.28 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. EVANS (for himself, Mr. FILNER, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. MASCARA, Mr. FALCOMA, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. FROST, Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. REYES, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, and Mrs. CLAYTON):

H. R. 1089. A bill to rename the U.S. Court of Veterans Appeals as the U.S. Court of Appeals for Veterans Claims; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. EVANS (for himself, Mr. STUMP, Mr. FILNER, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, and Mr. LIPINSKI):

H. R. 1090. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to allow revision of veterans benefits decisions based on clear and unmistakable error; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. STUMP (for himself, Mr. CALAHAN, and Mr. EVERETT):

H. R. 1091. A bill to impose certain requirements on health care liability claims; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. STUMP (for himself and Mr. EVANS):

H. R. 1092. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to extend the authority of the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to enter into enhanced-use leases for Department of Veterans Affairs property, to rename the U.S. Court of Veterans Appeals and the National Cemetery System, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania:

H. R. 1093. A bill to amend the medical device provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act; to the Committee on Commerce.

H. R. 1094. A bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to make improvements in the regulation of drugs; to the Committee on Commerce.

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

H. R. 1095. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to make a technical correction relating to depreciation on property used within an Indian reservation; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. ACKERMAN:

H. R. 1096. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to prevent nonimmigrants from possessing a firearm for other than lawful hunting or sporting purposes, and to prevent permanent resident aliens from possessing a firearm until present in the United States for 1 year; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. COBLE:

H. R. 1097. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on Tinopal CBS-X; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. DAVIS of Virginia (for himself, Mr. OLVER, Mr. TALENT, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, and Mrs. EMERSON):

H. R. 1098. A bill to require the continued availability of \$1 Federal reserve notes for circulation; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania:

H. R. 1099. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the special deduction for the living expenses of Members of Congress; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania (for himself, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. GOODLING, Mr. PITTS, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. COBLE, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. METCALF, Mr. BALDACCI, and Mr. CAMP):

H.R. 1100. A bill to eliminate automatic pay adjustments for Members of Congress; to the Committee on House Oversight, and in addition to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight, 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. HOUGHTON (for himself and Mr. RANGEL):

H.R. 1101. A bill to provide for a project to demonstrate the application of telemedicine and medical informatics to improving the quality and cost-effectiveness in the delivery of health care services under the Medicare Program and other health programs; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on 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. JEFFERSON:

H.R. 1102. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide tax incentives to encourage the preservation of low-income housing; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. LEWIS of California (for himself and Mr. BROWN of California):

H.R. 1103. A bill to modify the project for flood control, San Timoteo Creek, CA, to permit the non-Federal contribution for certain costs of the project to be made after completion of the project; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mrs. LOWEY (for herself, Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts, Mr. CLAY, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. SCHUMER, Ms. DELAUNO, Mr. MILLER of California, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. SAWYER, Mr. GREEN, Ms. WATERS, Ms. NORTON, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. DIXON, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Ms. SANCHEZ, Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri, Mr. MATSUI, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. STOKES, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. FROST, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. BENTSEN, Mr. FORD, Mr. ETHERIDGE, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. FATTAH, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. MARKEY, and Mr. GUTIERREZ):

H.R. 1104. A bill to establish a partnership to rebuild and modernize America's school facilities; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mrs. LOWEY:

H.R. 1105. A bill to provide additional pension security for spouses and former spouses, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Education and the Workforce, Government Reform and Oversight, and Transportation and Infrastructure, 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. MALONEY of New York (for herself, Mr. FILNER, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Ms. LOFGREN, and Mr. KUCINICH):

H.R. 1106. A bill to amend the Federal Oil and Gas Royalty Management Act of 1982 to require that any settlement, by an alternative means of dispute resolution, of a claim against the United States for payment

of royalties under that act for an amount greater than \$2,000,000 shall not be effective unless approved by the Secretary of the Interior; to the Committee on Resources.

H.R. 1107. A bill to transfer oil and gas royalty auditing and reconciling functions of the Secretary of the Interior to the Secretary of the Treasury, and to direct the Secretary of the Treasury, in performing functions relating to auditing and reconciling oil and gas production activities, to exercise all available authorities to ensure the U.S. Government receives all amounts of royalties to which it is entitled; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. MCCOLLUM (for himself, Mr. BENTSEN, Mr. LAZIO of New York, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, and Mrs. ROUKEMA):

H.R. 1108. A bill to affirm the role of States in setting reasonable occupancy standards, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. MCCOLLUM (for himself, Mr. BERMAN):

H.R. 1109. A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Technical Corrections Act of 1994 to eliminate the special transition rule for issuance of a certificate of citizenship for certain children born outside the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. MEEHAN (for himself, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. MOAKLEY, Mr. OLVER, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. BASS, Mr. SUNUNU, and Mr. SHAYS):

H.R. 1110. A bill to designate a portion of the Sudbury, Assabet, and Concord Rivers as a component of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mrs. MEEK of Florida:

H.R. 1111. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for research and services with respect to lupus; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. MORAN of Virginia (for himself and Mr. YATES):

H.R. 1112. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide that the preferential income tax treatment of political organizations shall apply only to principal campaign committees, to provide that a cancellation of a loan to such a committee shall be includible in such committee's taxable income, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. NORTON:

H.R. 1113. A bill to provide that if an employer provides additional leave to a parent for the birth, such employer shall provide the same leave to a parent for an adopted child or a foster child; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and in addition to the Committees on Government Reform and Oversight, and House Oversight, 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. ORTIZ (for himself and Mr. BONILLA):

H.R. 1114. A bill to provide surveillance, research, and services aimed at prevention of birth defects, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. OWENS (for himself, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. FLAKE, Mr. FORD, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. SCOTT, Ms. NORTON, Mr. FROST, Ms. LOFGREN, and Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN):

H.R. 1115. A bill to amend the Goals 2000: Educate America Act to restore opportunity-to-learn standards; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. REYES:

H.R. 1116. A bill to provide for the conveyance of the reversionary interest of the United States in certain lands to the Clint Independent School District and the Fabens Independent School District; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. SANDERS (for himself, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. BISHOP, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. EVANS, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. FILNER, Mr. FLAKE, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. GREEN, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. HOLDEN, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. LAFALCE, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. MANTON, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. MEEHAN, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. NADLER, Mr. OWENS, Ms. ROYBAL-AL-LARD, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. STARK, and Ms. WATERS):

H.R. 1117. A bill to prevent discrimination against victims of abuse in all lines of insurance; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, 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. SCHUMER:

H.R. 1118. A bill to prohibit a rental car company from imposing a fee based upon the residence of a renter; to the Committee on Commerce.

¶24.29 MEMORIALS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII.

27. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Legislature of the State of South Dakota, relative to House Concurrent Resolution No. 1012, urging Congress to reauthorize the Federal surface transportation program in a timely manner and to continue to recognize the national interest in the investment in highways which serve and cross rural Western States; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

¶24.30 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 12: Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, and Mr. TIERNEY.

H.R. 14: Mr. DELAY, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. MORAN of Kansas, Mr. SUNUNU, Mr. WELLER, Mr. PICKERING, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. GOODE, Mr. MCINTOSH, and Mr. GEKAS.

H.R. 80: Mr. UPTON, Mr. NETHERCUTT, and Mr. BARCIA of Michigan.

H.R. 84: Ms. KAPTUR.

H.R. 96: Mr. GIBBONS, Mrs. KENNELLY of Connecticut, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. UNDERWOOD, and Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina.

H.R. 109: Mr. NADLER.

H.R. 166: Mr. MARTINEZ.

H.R. 167: Mr. MARTINEZ.

H.R. 168: Mr. MARTINEZ.

H.R. 180: Mr. BILIRAKIS.

H.R. 192: Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. COBLE, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. SCOTT, Mr. PICKETT, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. SAWYER, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. DICKS, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. ACKERMAN, and Mr. SMITH of Texas.

H.R. 228: Mr. CANADY of Florida.

H.R. 230: Mr. KLUG.

H.R. 296: Mr. KLUG.

H.R. 305: Mr. SNOWBARGER, Mr. YATES, Mr. EVANS, Mr. THOMPSON, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. MARTINEZ, and Mr. LIPINSKI.