

land, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. JACKSON, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. NEY, Mr. COBURN, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. BALDACCIO, and Mr. DEAL of Georgia.

H.R. 991: Mr. MENENDEZ and Mr. LOBIONDO.
H.R. 1002: Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. COYNE, Mrs. THURMAN, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. MATSUI, and Mrs. ROUKEMA.

H.R. 1026: Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. CANADY of Florida, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. CALLAHAN, Mr. BLILEY, and Mr. GRAHAM.

H.R. 1054: Mr. MATSUI, Mr. OXLEY, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. CAPPS, Mr. HULSHOF, and Mr. BOUCHER.

H.R. 1077: Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, and Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 1080: Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey and Mr. ROTHMAN.

H.R. 1090: Mrs. ROUKEMA.

H.R. 1092: Mrs. THURMAN.

H.R. 1117: Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, and Mr. RAMSTAD.

H.R. 1126: Mr. REYES.

H.R. 1130: Mr. FALCOMA VEGA.

H.R. 1153: Mr. GRAHAM.

H.R. 1159: Mr. PAYNE, Mr. THOMPSON, Mr. REYES, and Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York.

H.R. 1203: Mr. SNOWBARGER, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. MCCOLLUM, and Mr. STEARNS.

H.R. 1226: Mr. BUNNING of Kentucky and Mrs. LINDA SMITH of Washington.

H.R. 1241: Mr. BENTSEN.

H.J. Res. 26: Mr. SHAYS and Mr. COLLINS.

H.J. Res. 54: Mr. MICA.

H. Con. Res. 10: Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. RUSH, Mr. CAMP, Ms. SLAUGHTER, and Mr. BERUTER.

H. Con. Res. 12: Mrs. LOWEY and Mr. LOBIONDO.

H. Con. Res. 13: Mr. WICKER, Mr. YATES, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. FORBES, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. STUMP, Mr. DIXON, Mr. BARR of Georgia, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. BOYD, Mr. SNYDER, Mr. GIBBONS, Mr. DAVIS of Florida, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. SHAW, and Mr. LATOURETTE.

H. Con. Res. 44: Mr. LANTOS, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. EHLERS, and Mr. ABERCROMBIE.

H. Con. Res. 52: Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mrs. CARSON, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. MAS-CARA, Mr. LEACH, Mr. HAMILTON, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. BERUTER, Ms. KAPTUR, and Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania.

H. Con. Res. 53: Mr. GORDON, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, and Mr. ORTIZ.

H. Res. 21: Mr. BACHUS.

H. Res. 22: Mr. BORSKI, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. LUTHER, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. BOUCHER, and Ms. DUNN of Washington.

H. Res. 83: Mr. LEACH and Mr. FATTAH.

THURSDAY, APRIL 10, 1997 (30)

¶30.1 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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

WASHINGTON, DC,

April 10, 1997.

I hereby designate the Honorable NICK SMITH to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NEWT GINGRICH,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

¶30.2 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Wednesday, April 9, 1997.

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

¶30.3 COMMUNICATIONS

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

2680. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Change in Disease Status of The Netherlands Because of BSE [APHIS Docket No. 97-034-1] received April 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2681. A letter from the Acting Executive Director, Commodity Futures Trading Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Commission Rules Relating to Investigations [17 CFR Part 11] received April 7, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2682. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Glyphosate; Pesticide Tolerances [OPP-300469; FRL-5598-6] received April 8, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2683. A letter from the Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Farm Credit Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Organization and Functions; Privacy Act Regulations; Organization; Loan Policies and Operations; Funding and Fiscal Affairs, Loan Policies and Operations, and Funding Operations; General Provision; Definitions (RIN: 3052-AD61) received April 9, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2684. A letter from the Under Secretary of Defense, transmitting a report of two violations of the Anti-Deficiency Act, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1517(b); to the Committee on Appropriations.

2685. A letter from the Chief, Programs and Legislation Division, Office of Legislative Liaison, Department of the Air Force, transmitting notification that the commander of Air Education and Training Command [AETC] has conducted a cost comparison to regionalize jet engine repair within AETC at Laughlin Air Force Base [AFB], TX, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 2304 note; to the Committee on National Security.

2686. A letter from the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the results of the second annual comprehensive needs assessments; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

2687. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Educational Research and Improvement, Department of Education, transmitting notice of Final Priority—Educational Research and Development Program, pursuant to 20 U.S.C. 1232(f); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

2688. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services, Department of Education, transmitting Final Priority—Research in Education of Individuals with Disabilities Program, pursuant to 20 U.S.C. 1232(f); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

2689. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's report on Research in Education of Individuals with Disabilities Program, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(B); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

2690. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's report on the Educational Research and Development Centers Program, pursuant to 5

U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(B); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

2691. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of State Implementation Plans: Oregon [OR-14-1-5535; FRL-5807-4] received April 8, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

2692. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation Plans; Tennessee: Approval of Revisions to the Tennessee SIP Regarding Volatile Organic Compounds [TN-176-2-9708a; FRL-5806-7] received April 8, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

2693. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Reasonably Available Control Technology for Nitrogen Oxides for the State of New Hampshire [FRL-5801-1] received April 8, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

2694. A letter from the Managing Director, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Implementation of the Telecommunications Act of 1996: Telemessaging, Electronic Publishing, and Alarm Monitoring Services [CC Docket No. 96-152] received April 7, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

2695. A letter from the Secretary, Federal Trade Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Guides for the Jewelry, Precious Metals and Pewter Industries [16 CFR Part 23] received April 8, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

2696. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy Management Staff, Office of Policy, Food and Drug Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Food Labeling: Nutrient Content Claims, Definition of Term: Healthy [Docket Nos. 96P-0500 and 91N-348H] (RIN: 0910-AA19) received April 7, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

2697. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Access to and Protection of Classified Information (RIN: 3150-AF37) received April 9, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

2698. A letter from the Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, transmitting the Department of the Navy's proposed lease of defense articles to the Taipei Economic and Cultural Representative Office in the United States [TECRO] (Transmittal No. 03-97), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2796a(a); to the Committee on International Relations.

2699. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially to the Philippines (Transmittal No. DTC-50-97), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

2700. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially to Taiwan (Transmittal No. DTC-33-97), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

2701. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting notification of a proposed man-

ufacturing license agreement for production of major military equipment with Spain (Transmittal No. DTC-26-97), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(d); to the Committee on International Relations.

2702. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting notification of a proposed manufacturing license agreement for production of major military equipment with Spain (Transmittal No. DTC-31-97), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(d); to the Committee on International Relations.

2703. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting notification of a proposed manufacturing license agreement for production of major military equipment with the United Kingdom (Transmittal No. DTC-42-97), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(d); to the Committee on International Relations.

2704. A letter from the Secretary of Defense, transmitting notification that the Department proposes to obligate up to \$301.1 million to implement the Cooperative Threat Reduction [CTR] Program under the fiscal year 1997 Defense Appropriations Act, Public Law 104-208, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 5955; to the Committee on International Relations.

2705. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting a report on developments since his last report of September 19, 1996, concerning the national emergency with respect to Angola that was declared in Executive Order 12865 of September 26, 1993, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1703(c) (H. Doc. No. 105-64); to the Committee on International Relations and ordered to be printed.

2706. A letter from the Assistant Legal Adviser for Treaty Affairs, Department of State, transmitting copies of international agreements, other than treaties, entered into by the United States, pursuant to 1 U.S.C. 112b(a); to the Committee on International Relations.

2707. A letter from the Chairman Pro Tempore, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 12-46, "Fiscal Year 1997" Budget Support Temporary Amendment Act of 1997 received April 8, 1997, pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2708. A letter from the Chairman Pro Tempore, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 12-45, "Mortgage Lender and Broker Act of 1996 Temporary Amendment Act of 1997" received April 8, 1997, pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2709. A letter from the Auditor, District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of a report entitled "Audit of ANC 1B Covering the Period October 1, 1993 Through December 31, 1996," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 47-117; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2710. A letter from the Chairman, Consumer Product Safety Commission, transmitting a copy of the annual report in compliance with the Government in the Sunshine Act during the calendar year 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b(j); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2711. A letter from the Executive Director, District of Columbia Financial Responsibility and Management Assistance Authority, transmitting two reports that were prepared by the D.C. Financial Responsibility and Management Assistance Authority; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2712. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Housing Finance Board, transmitting a copy of the annual report in compliance with the Government in the Sunshine Act during the

calendar year 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2713. A letter from the Chairman, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System, transmitting a report of activities under the Freedom of Information Act for the calendar year 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2714. A letter from the President and CEO, Overseas Private Investment Corporation, transmitting the corporation's annual management report, March 1997, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 9106; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2715. A letter from the Chairman, Board of Directors, Tennessee Valley Authority, transmitting a copy of the annual report in compliance with the Government in the Sunshine Act during the calendar year 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b(j); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2716. A letter from the Deputy Associate Director for Royalty Management, Department of the Interior, transmitting notification of proposed refunds of excess royalty payments in OCS areas, pursuant to 43 U.S.C. 1339(b); to the Committee on Resources.

2717. A letter from the Deputy Associate Director for Royalty Management, Department of the Interior, transmitting notification of proposed refunds of excess royalty payments in OCS areas, pursuant to 43 U.S.C. 1339(b); to the Committee on Resources.

2718. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Shortraker/Rougheye Rockfish in the Aleutian Islands Subarea [Docket No. 961107312-7021-02; I.D. 040197D] received April 9, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

2719. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Gulf of Mexico Sustainable Fisheries Program [Docket No. 960322092-7041-05; I.D. 122696A] (RIN: 0648-ZA19) received April 9, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

2720. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Surface Mining, transmitting the Office's final rule—Navajo Nation Abandoned Mine Land Reclamation Plan (30 CFR Part 756) received April 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

2721. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operation Regulation; Inner Harbor Navigation Canal, LA (U.S. Coast Guard) [CGD08-97-009] (RIN: 2115-AE47) received April 7, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2722. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Special Local Regulations; Charleston to Bermuda Sailboat Race, Charleston, SC (U.S. Coast Guard) [CGD07-97-005] (RIN: 2115-AE46) received April 7, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2723. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Regulated Navigation Area Regulations; Lower Mississippi River (U.S. Coast Guard) [CGD08-97-008] (RIN: 2115-AE84) received April 7, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2724. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting

the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; CFM International CFM56-5 Series Turbofan Engines [Docket No. 95-ANE-63; Amendment 39-9957; AD 97-05-13] (Federal Aviation Administration) (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2725. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Airbus Model A300 Series Airplanes (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 96-NM-101-AD; Amendment 39-9983; AD 97-07-09] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2726. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Bell Helicopter Textron, Inc. Model 412 Helicopters (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 96-SW-17-AD; Amendment 39-9980; AD 97-07-06] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2727. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Bell Helicopter Textron, A Division of Textron Canada Ltd. Model 206L, L-1, L-3, and L-4 Helicopters (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 95-SW-36-AD; Amendment 39-9981; AD 97-07-07] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2728. 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-131-AD; Amendment 39-9982; AD 97-07-08] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2729. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment of Class E Airspace; San Jose, CA (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 96-AWP-27] (RIN: 2120-AA64) (1997-0108) received April 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2730. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of Class E Airspace; Atwater, CA (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 96-AWP-23] (RIN: 2120-AA64) (1997-0107) received April 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2731. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of Class E Airspace; Fallbrook, CA (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 96-AWP-35] (RIN: 2120-AA64) (1997-0106) received April 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2732. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of Class D and E Airspace; Redmond, Oregon (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 97-ANM-01] (RIN: 2120-AA64) (1997-0109) received April 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2733. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment of Class E Airspace; Victorville, CA (Federal

Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 96-AWP-30] (RIN: 2120-AA64) (1997-0126) received April 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2734. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of Class E Airspace; Thomason, GA, and Amendment of Class E Airspace; Augusta, GA (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 96-ASO-29] (RIN: 2120-AA64) (1997-0105) received April 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2735. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Jetstream Aircraft Limited HP137 Mk1, Jetstream Series 200, and Jetstream Models 3101 and 3201 Airplanes (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 95-CE-10-AD; Amendment 39-9985; AD 97-07-11] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2736. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; AlliedSignal Inc. ALF502 and LF507 Series Turbofan Engines (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 96-ANE-36; Amendment 39-9955; AD 97-05-11] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2737. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; CFM International CFM56-5, -5B, and -5C Series Turbofan Engines (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 96-ANE-65] Amendment 39-9958; AD 97-06-01] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2738. A letter from the Administrator, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, transmitting the Administration's report entitled "Summary of the NASA Crows Landing Facility (CLF) Stanislaus County, California"; to the Committee on Science.

2739. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulations Management, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's final rule—Reduction of Debt Through the Performance of Work-Study Services [38 CFR Part 1] (RIN: 2900-AF29) received April 7, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

2740. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulations Management, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's final rule—Vocational Rehabilitation; Miscellaneous Changes [38 CFR Part 21] (RIN: 2900-AI29) received April 8, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

2741. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Department's final rule—Medical: Non-substantive Miscellaneous Changes [38 CFR Part 17] (RIN: 2900-AI37) received April 8, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

2742. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Low-Income Housing Credit [Rev. Rul. 97-16] received April 7, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2743. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Last-In, First-Out Inventories [Rev. Rul. 97-18] received April 7,

1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2744. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Weighted Average Interest Rate Update [Notice 97-23] received April 8, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2745. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Rulings and Determination Letters [Rev. Proc. 97-26] received April 8, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2746. A letter from the Assistant Secretary (Reserve Affairs), Department of Defense, transmitting notification that the report required by section 1251 of the fiscal year 1997 National Defense Authorization Act will be submitted by June 13, 1997; jointly, to the Committees on National Security and Ways and Means.

2747. A letter from the Deputy Secretary of Defense, transmitting the Department's report entitled "Veterans' Preference Requirements: Department of Defense Failure To Comply Treated as a Prohibited Personnel Practice," pursuant to section 1615 of the National Defense Authorization Act for fiscal year 1997; jointly, to the Committees on National Security and Government Reform and Oversight.

2748. A letter from the Director, Office of Legislative Affairs, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, transmitting a listing of Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation properties covered by the Coastal Barrier Improvement Act of 1990, as of September 30, 1996; jointly, to the Committees on Resources and Banking and Financial Services.

2749. A letter from the Secretary of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's report entitled "Veterans Equitable Resource Allocation System Briefing Booklet," March 1997; jointly, to the Committees on Veterans' Affairs and Appropriations.

2750. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting for the consideration of the Congress legislative proposals necessary to carry out the health care portions of the President's fiscal year 1998 budget; jointly, to the Committees on Commerce, Ways and Means, and the Judiciary.

2751. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting copies of the fiscal year 1998 budget requests of the Federal Aviation Administration, pursuant to 49 U.S.C. 48109; jointly, to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure, Science, and Appropriations.

2752. A letter from the Secretary of Transportation, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation entitled "National Economic Crossroads Transportation Efficiency Act of 1997"; jointly, to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure, Ways and Means, Resources, Commerce, and Science.

¶30.4 ASSISTED SUICIDE FUNDING RESTRICTION

Mr. BLILEY, pursuant to House Resolution 107, moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 1003) to clarify Federal law with respect to restricting the use of Federal funds in support of assisted suicide; as amended.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, recognized Mr. BLILEY and Mr. BROWN of Ohio, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, announced that

two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

Mr. BLILEY objected to the vote on the ground that a quorum was not present and not voting.

A quorum not being present,

The roll was called under clause 4, rule XV, and the call was taken by electronic device.

When there appeared { Yeas 398
Nays 16

¶30.5

[Roll No. 75]

YEAS—398

Abercrombie	Davis (VA)	Hoekstra
Ackerman	Deal	Holden
Aderholt	DeFazio	Hooley
Allen	Delahunt	Horn
Andrews	DeLauro	Hostettler
Archer	DeLay	Houghton
Armey	Deutsch	Hoyer
Bachus	Diaz-Balart	Hulshof
Baessler	Dicks	Hunter
Baker	Dingell	Hutchinson
Baldacci	Dixon	Hyde
Barcia	Doggett	Inglis
Barr	Dooley	Istook
Barrett (NE)	Doyle	Jackson-Lee
Barrett (WI)	Dreier	(TX)
Bartlett	Duncan	Jefferson
Barton	Dunn	Jenkins
Bass	Edwards	John
Bateman	Ehlers	Johnson (CT)
Bentsen	Ehrlich	Johnson (WI)
Bereuter	Emerson	Johnson, E.B.
Berman	Engel	Johnson, Sam
Berry	English	Jones
Bilbray	Ensign	Kanjorski
Bilirakis	Eshoo	Kaptur
Bishop	Etheridge	Kasich
Blagojevich	Evans	Kelly
Bliley	Everett	Kennedy (MA)
Blumenauer	Ewing	Kennedy (RI)
Blunt	Farr	Kennelly
Boehlert	Fattah	Kildee
Boehner	Fawell	Kim
Bonilla	Fazio	Kind (WI)
Bonior	Flake	King (NY)
Borski	Foglietta	Kingston
Boswell	Foley	Kleccka
Boucher	Forbes	Klink
Boyd	Ford	Klug
Brady	Fowler	Knollenberg
Brown (CA)	Fox	Kolbe
Brown (FL)	Franks (NJ)	Kucinich
Brown (OH)	Frelinghuysen	LaFalce
Bryant	Frost	LaHood
Bunning	Furse	Lampson
Burr	Gallely	Lantos
Burton	Ganske	Largent
Buyer	Gejdenson	Latham
Callahan	Gekas	LaTourette
Calvert	Gephardt	Lazio
Camp	Gibbons	Leach
Campbell	Gilchrest	Levin
Canady	Gillmor	Lewis (CA)
Cannon	Gilman	Lewis (GA)
Cardin	Gonzalez	Lewis (KY)
Castle	Goode	Linder
Chabot	Goodlatte	Lipinski
Chambliss	Goodling	Livingston
Chenoweth	Gordon	LoBiondo
Christensen	Goss	Lofgren
Clay	Graham	Lowey
Clayton	Granger	Lucas
Clement	Green	Luther
Clyburn	Greenwood	Maloney (CT)
Coble	Gutierrez	Maloney (NY)
Coburn	Gutknecht	Manton
Collins	Hall (OH)	Manzullo
Combest	Hall (TX)	Markey
Condit	Hamilton	Martinez
Cook	Hansen	Mascara
Cooksey	Harman	Matsui
Costello	Hastert	McCarthy (MO)
Cox	Hastings (FL)	McCarthy (NY)
Coyne	Hastings (WA)	McCollum
Cramer	Hayworth	McCery
Crane	Hefley	McDade
Crapo	Herger	McGovern
Cubin	Hill	McHale
Cummings	Hillery	McHugh
Cunningham	Hilliard	McInnis
Danner	Hinchey	McIntosh
Davis (FL)	Hinojosa	McIntyre
Davis (IL)	Hobson	McKeon

McNulty	Rahall	Souder
Meehan	Ramstad	Spence
Meek	Rangel	Spratt
Menendez	Regula	Stabenow
Metcalf	Reyes	Stearns
Mica	Riggs	Stenholm
Millender-	Riley	Stokes
McDonald	Rivers	Strickland
Miller (FL)	Roemer	Stump
Minge	Rogan	Stupak
Mink	Rogers	Sununu
Molinari	Rohrabacher	Talent
Moran (KS)	Ros-Lehtinen	Tanner
Moran (VA)	Rothman	Tauscher
Morella	Roukema	Tauzin
Murtha	Roybal-Allard	Taylor (MS)
Myrick	Royce	Taylor (NC)
Neal	Rush	Thomas
Nethercutt	Ryun	Thompson
Neumann	Sabo	Thornberry
Ney	Salmon	Thune
Northup	Sanchez	Thurman
Norwood	Sanders	Tiahrt
Nussle	Sandlin	Tierney
Oberstar	Sanford	Torres
Obey	Sawyer	Towns
Olver	Saxton	Trafficant
Ortiz	Schaefer, Dan	Turner
Owens	Schumer	Upton
Oxley	Sensenbrenner	Velazquez
Packard	Serrano	Vento
Pallone	Sessions	Visclosky
Pappas	Shadegg	Walsh
Parker	Shaw	Wamp
Pascarell	Shays	Watkins
Pastor	Sherman	Watt (NC)
Paul	Shimkus	Weldon (FL)
Paxon	Shuster	Weldon (PA)
Payne	Sisisky	Weller
Pease	Skaggs	Wexler
Pelosi	Skeen	Weygand
Peterson (PA)	Skelton	White
Petri	Slaughter	Whitfield
Pickering	Smith (MI)	Wicker
Pickett	Smith (NJ)	Wise
Pitts	Smith (OR)	Wolf
Pombo	Smith (TX)	Woolsey
Portman	Smith, Adam	Wynn
Poshard	Smith, Linda	Young (AK)
Price (NC)	Snowbarger	Young (FL)
Pryce (OH)	Snyder	
Quinn	Solomon	

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Becerra	Kilpatrick	Stark
Conyers	McDermott	Waters
DeGette	McKinney	Waxman
Dellums	Miller (CA)	Yates
Frank (MA)	Nadler	
Jackson (IL)	Scott	

NOT VOTING—18

Ballenger	Filner	Porter
Bono	Hefner	Radanovich
Capps	Moakley	Scarborough
Carson	Mollohan	Schaffer, Bob
Dickey	Peterson (MN)	Schiff
Doolittle	Pomeroy	Watts (OK)

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.

30.6 ADJOURNMENT OVER

On motion of Mr. COBLE, by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet on Monday, April 14, 1997, at 2 p.m.

30.7 HOUR OF MEETING

On motion of Mr. COBLE, by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That when the House adjourns on Monday, April 14, 1997, it adjourn to meet at 10:30 a.m. on Tuesday,

April 15, 1997, for "morning-hour debates".

30.8 CALENDAR WEDNESDAY BUSINESS DISPENSED WITH

On motion of Mr. COBLE, by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That business in order for consideration on Wednesday, April 16, 1997, under clause 7, rule XXIV, the Calendar Wednesday rule, be dispensed with.

30.9 ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Mr. THOMAS, from the Committee on House Oversight, reported that that committee had examined and found truly enrolled a bill of the House of the following title, which was thereupon signed by the Speaker:

H.R. 412. An Act to approve a settlement agreement between the Bureau of Reclamation and the Oroville-Tonasket Irrigation District.

30.10 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted—

To Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, for today;

To Mrs. CARSON, for today;

To Mr. POMEROY, for today;

To Mr. CAPPs, for today; and

To Mr. PORTER, for today;

And then,

30.11 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. SMITH of Michigan, pursuant to the special order heretofore agreed to, at 4 o'clock and 8 minutes p.m., the House adjourned until 2 p.m. on Monday, April 14, 1997.

30.12 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. HYDE: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 1225. A bill to make a technical correction to title 28, United States Code, relating to jurisdiction for lawsuits against terrorist states (Rept. No. 105-48). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. ARCHER: Committee on Ways and Means. H.R. 1001. A bill to extend the term of appointment of certain members of the Prospective Payment Assessment Commission and the Physician Payment Review Commission (Rept. No. 105-49, Pt. 1). *Ordered* to be printed.

Mr. CANADY: Committee on the Judiciary. House Joint Resolution 62. Resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States with respect to tax limitations; with an amendment (Rept. No. 105-50). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

30.13 TIME LIMITATION OF REFERRED BILL

Pursuant to clause 5 of rule X, the following action was taken by the Speaker:

H.R. 1001. Referral to the Committee on Commerce extended for a period ending not later than April 15, 1997.

30.14 PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 5 of rule X and clause 4 of rule XXII, public bills and resolu-

tions were introduced and severally referred as follows:

By Mr. SHUSTER (for himself, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. PETRI, and Mr. RAHALL) (all by request):

H.R. 1268. A bill to continue the successful Federal role in developing a national intermodal surface transportation system, through programs that ensure the safe and efficient movement of people and goods, improve economic productivity, preserve the environment, and strengthen partnerships among all levels of the Government and the private sector, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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. BOSWELL:

H.R. 1269. A bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to provide post-eligibility treatment of certain payments received under a Department of Veterans Affairs pension or compensation program; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. UPTON (for himself, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mr. BURR of North Carolina, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. KLING, Mr. RUSH, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. TAUZIN, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. EHLERS, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. SPRATT, Mr. PICKERING, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. PORTER, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. FAWELL, Mr. GORDON, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. BARCIA of Michigan, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. SKEEN, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. LATHAM, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. SNOWBARGER, Mr. CAMP, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. BAKER, Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, Mr. COOKSEY, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. GOSS, Mr. COLLINS, Mr. MANTON, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. RIGGS, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. PACKARD, and Mr. BERRY):

H.R. 1270. A bill to amend the Nuclear Waste Policy Act of 1982; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Resources, 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. MORELLA:

H.R. 1271. A bill to authorize the Federal Aviation Administration's research, engineering, and development programs for fiscal years 1998 through 2000, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Science.

By Mr. SCHIFF:

H.R. 1272. A bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1998 and 1999 for the U.S. Fire Administration, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Science.

H.R. 1273. A bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1998 and 1999 for the National Science Foundation, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Science.

By Mrs. MORELLA:

H.R. 1274. A bill to authorize appropriations for the National Institute of Standards and Technology for fiscal years 1998 and 1999, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Science.

By Mr. ROHRABACHER:

H.R. 1275. A bill to authorize appropriations for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration for fiscal years 1998 and 1999,

and for other purposes; to the Committee on Science.

By Mr. CALVERT:

H.R. 1276. A bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1998 and 1999 for the research, development, and demonstration activities of the Environmental Protection Agency, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Science.

H.R. 1277. A bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1998 and fiscal year 1999 for the civilian research, development, demonstration, and commercial application activities of the Department of Energy, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Science.

H.R. 1278. A bill to authorize appropriations for the activities of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration for fiscal years 1998 and 1999, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Science, and in addition to the Committee on Resources, 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. CAMP (for himself, Mr. JEFFERSON, and Mr. WATKINS):

H.R. 1279. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exclude the activity of soliciting and receiving qualified sponsorship payments from unrelated business income; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. CHABOT (for himself, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. COBLE, Mr. DELAY, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. GEKAS, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. PORTMAN, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, and Mr. DIXON):

H.R. 1280. A bill to allow the photographing, electronic recording, broadcasting, and televising to the public of Federal court proceedings; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. COSTELLO (for himself, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. FROST, Ms. NORTON, and Mr. WALSH):

H.R. 1281. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act and other laws to apply the health insurance portability requirements applicable to group health plans to students covered under college-sponsored health plans; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, and 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. CRAPO (for himself and Mrs. CHENOWETH):

H.R. 1282. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to convey certain facilities of the Minidoka project to the Burley Irrigation district, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. EHRLICH (for himself, Mr. NEY, Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. BARR of Georgia, Mr. METCALF, Mr. BAKER, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. SNOWBARGER, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. HEFLEY, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. JONES, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. NEUMANN, Mr. RAMSTAD, and Mr. WELLER):

H.R. 1283. A bill to provide a moratorium on certain class action lawsuits relating to the Real Estate Settlement Procedures Act of 1974; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services, 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. ENGEL:

H.R. 1284. A bill to amend the Safe Drinking Water Act to allow public water systems to avoid filtration requirements, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. ENSIGN:

H.R. 1285. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the 50-percent limitation on the amount of business meal and entertainment expenses which are deductible; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania:

H.R. 1286. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide an exemption from tax for gain on sale of a principal residence; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey (for himself and Mr. HERGER):

H.R. 1287. A bill to regulate the use by interactive computer services of Social Security account numbers and related personally identifiable information; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. HOYER (for himself, Mr. CARDIN, and Mr. STARK):

H.R. 1288. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for coverage under part B of cost-effective, medically necessary dental procedures; 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 Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut (for herself, Ms. NORTON, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN, Mrs. KELLY, Mrs. MORELLA, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mrs. CLAYTON, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mrs. ROURKEMA, Ms. WATERS, Ms. ROSLEHTINEN, Ms. DEGETTE, Ms. STABENOW, Ms. KILPATRICK, Ms. MOLINARI, Mr. DINGELL, Mrs. KENNELLY of Connecticut, and Ms. JACKSON-LEE):

H.R. 1289. A bill to amend title III of the Public Health Service Act to revise and extend the mammography quality standards program; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. JONES:

H.R. 1290. A bill to promote the restoration, conservation, and enhancement of wetlands through the establishment of a responsible wetlands mitigation banking program; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mrs. KELLY (for herself, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. QUINN, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. NADLER, Mr. MANTON, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. ENGEL, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. OWENS, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. SCHUMER, and Mr. RANGEL):

H.R. 1291. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to revise the manner by which the Secretary of Veterans Affairs ranks applicants for grants under the State home construction grant program administered by the Secretary and to limit the number of grants any State may be awarded in a year under that program; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts (for himself, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, and Ms. NORTON):

H.R. 1292. A bill to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to authorize the establishment of a voluntary broadcasting code for alcohol advertising, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts (for himself, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. MIL-

LER of California, Ms. MCKINNEY, and Ms. FURSE):

H.R. 1293. A bill to enhance international security by using the resources and expertise of the international financial institutions and the United Nations to redirect world military spending to human development; to the Committee on International Relations, and in addition to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services, 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. KENNEDY of Rhode Island:

H.R. 1294. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to require the Secretary of Defense to provide to members of the Armed Forces who receive an investigational new drug relevant information regarding the drug, including the possible side effects of the drug; to the Committee on National Security.

By Mr. KLUG (for himself, Mr. MINGE, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. FOLEY, and Mr. RAMSTAD):

H.R. 1295. A bill to establish a Commission to make recommendations for the reconfiguration, corporatization, privatization, and consolidation of Department of Energy National Energy Laboratories, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Science, and in addition to the Committees on National Security, and Rules, 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. KNOLLENBERG:

H.R. 1296. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exclude work study payments from income; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. LAZIO of New York (for himself, Mr. LEACH; Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts; Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania, and Mr. PRICE of North Carolina):

H.R. 1297. A bill to amend section 255 of the National Housing Act to prevent the funding of unnecessary or excessive costs for obtaining a home equity conversion mortgage; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. LOWERY:

H.R. 1298. A bill to record place of birth as Jerusalem, Israel, for purposes of United States passports; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. MCCRERY (for himself, Ms. DUNN of Washington, Mr. HERGER, Mr. CHRISTENSEN and Mr. CONDIT):

H.R. 1299. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide relief from estate and gift taxes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MCCOLLUM (for himself, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. MICA, and Ms. BROWN of Florida):

H.R. 1300. A bill to amend the base closure laws to reform the process by which property at military installations being closed or realigned is made available for economic redevelopment and to improve the ability of the Secretary of Defense to contract for protective services at installations being closed; to the Committee on National Security.

By Mr. MILLER of California (for himself, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. EVANS, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. BONIOR, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. FROST, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. OBEY, Mr. OLVER, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. FILNER, Ms. KAPTUR, Ms. RIVERS, Ms. WOOLSEY, and Mr. UNDERWOOD):

H.R. 1301. A bill to inform and empower consumers in the United States through a

voluntary labeling system for wearing apparel or sporting goods made without abusive and exploitative child labor, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Ms. NORTON (for herself, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. BROWN of California, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. EVANS, Mr. FILNER, Mr. FROST, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. HINCHEY, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mrs. KENNELLY of Connecticut, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. NADLER, Mr. OLVER, Mr. OWENS, Mr. PAYNE, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. SABO, Mr. SANDERS, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, Ms. WATERS, Mr. SERRANO, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. FOGLIETTA, and Ms. WOOLSEY):

H.R. 1302. A bill to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to prohibit discrimination in the payment of wages on account of sex, race, or national origin, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. PORTMAN:

H.R. 1303. A bill to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to reform the financing of campaigns for election for Federal office, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Oversight, and in addition to the Committees on Education and the Workforce, Government Reform and Oversight, and 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. RAMSTAD:

H.R. 1304. A bill to provide for the temporary suspension of duty on certain plastic web sheeting; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO:

H.R. 1305. A bill to provide for the transfer to the University of Puerto Rico of title to Federal real property and improvements used to operate a center for research on primates, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on National Security, 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. ROUKEMA (for herself, Mr. LEACH, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. BAKER, Mr. FLAKE, Mr. BACHUS, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. CASTLE, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Mr. METCALF, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. COOK, Mr. SNOWBARGER, Mr. RYUN, Mr. HILL, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, and Mr. NEY):

H.R. 1306. A bill to amend the Federal Deposit Insurance Act to clarify the applicability of host State laws to any branch in such State of an out-of-State bank; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mrs. ROUKEMA (for herself and Mr. GORDON):

H.R. 1307. A bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to prohibit an institution that is ineligible for participation in the Federal Stafford Loan Program because of high default rates from participating in the Pell Grant Program; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. SAXTON (for himself and Mr. SMITH of New Jersey):

H.R. 1308. A bill to terminate the applicability of certain provisions of the Safe

Drinking Water Act relating to exemptions, variances, and the application of cost considerations in establishing and implementing standards for safe drinking water, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. BOB SCHAFFER:

H.R. 1309. A bill to provide for an exchange of lands with the city of Greeley, CO, and the Water Supply and Storage Co. to eliminate private inholdings in wilderness areas, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. SOLOMON:

H.R. 1310. A bill to amend the Controlled Substances Act to prevent recommendations of the illegal use of controlled substances by registrants under that Act; to the Committee on Commerce, 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. STUPAK (for himself, Mrs. LOWEY, and Mr. BROWN of Ohio):

H.R. 1311. A bill to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to authorize an estrogenic substances screening program; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on 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 Mr. TIAHRT (for himself and Mr. Schiff, both by request), Mr. SNOWBARGER, Mr. RYUN, Mr. MORAN of Kansas, and Mr. SKEEN):

H.R. 1312. A bill to deem as timely submitted certain written notices of intent under section 8009(c)(1) of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 for school year 1997-98; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. CAMPBELL:

H.J. Res. 69. Joint resolution proposing a balanced budget amendment to the Constitution of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SAM JOHNSON (for himself, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. THOMAS, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. TAUZIN, Mrs. CHENOWETH, Mr. PAUL, Mr. SKEEN, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. BONILLA, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. HERGER, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. SPENCE, and Mr. ENSIGN):

H.J. Res. 70. Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to abolish the Federal income tax; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SCHUMER (for himself, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. GEPHARDT, Mr. GINGRICH, Mr. YATES, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. SABO, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. REYES, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. MATSUI, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. SKAGGS, Mr. GORDON, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. MILLER of California, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. VENTO, Mr. DOOLEY of California, Mr. ROEMER, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. MCHALE, Mr. WHITE, Mr. BENTSEN, Mr. BARCIA of Michigan, Ms. PELOSI, Ms. SANCHEZ, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. KIND of Wisconsin, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Mr. PORTMAN, Mr. COYNE, Mr. MANTON, Mr. LIPINSKI, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr.

ALLEN, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. FORBES, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. EVANS, Mr. GEKAS, Mr. KING of New York, Ms. HARMAN, Mr. ARCHER, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. CANADY of Florida, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Ms. DUNN of Washington, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. HILL, Mr. HORN, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. PAPPAS, Mr. REGULA, Mr. SALMON, Mr. SKEEN, Mr. THUNE, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, and Mr. YOUNG of Alaska):

H. Con. Res. 60. Concurrent resolution relating to the 30th anniversary of the reunification of the city of Jerusalem; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey (for himself, Mr. MEEHAN, and Ms. ESHOO):

H. Res. 110. Resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the Departments of the Treasury, Defense, Commerce, and Labor should take steps to assist in increasing the competitiveness of the U.S. electronic interconnection industry; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Commerce, National Security, and 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. HEFLEY:

H. Res. 111. Resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the income tax should be eliminated and replaced with a national sales tax; to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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.

¶30.15 MEMORIALS

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

35. By the SPEAKER: Memorial of the Legislature of the State of Michigan, relative to House Concurrent Resolution No. 11 urging the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency to reaffirm certain standards of ozone and particulate levels; to the Committee on Commerce.

36. Also, memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Michigan, relative to House Resolution No. 13 urging the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency to reaffirm certain standards of ozone and particulate levels; to the Committee on Commerce.

37. Also, memorial of the Senate of the State of Connecticut, relative to a Senate resolution urging Congress to address certain programmatic and budgetary shortfalls within the nuclear waste storage program; to the Committee on Commerce.

38. Also, memorial of the Senate of the Commonwealth of Virginia, relative to Senate Joint Resolution No. 314 urging Congress to enact legislation to facilitate the Food and Drug Administration's procedures for the approval of safe and effective innovative new drugs, biological products or medical devices; to the Committee on Commerce.

39. Also, memorial of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, relative to Assembly Resolution No. 9 urging the U.S. Congress and the Federal Aviation Administration to take immediate action to increase airport security; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

40. Also, memorial of the Senate of the Commonwealth of Virginia, relative to Senate Joint Resolution No. 225 urging Congress to reauthorize the Federal surface transportation programs by replacing outdated formulas with factors reflecting use, such as those identified in STEP 21; providing better equity in the distribution of highway funds to States; and authorizing funding for multimodal transit services and highways; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

§30.16 PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause I of rule XXII, private bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred as follows:

By Mr. ALLEN:

H.R. 1313. A bill for the relief of Nancy B. Wilson; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. GOSS:

H.R. 1314. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Transportation to issue a certificate of documentation with appropriate endorsement for employment in the coastwise trade for the vessel *Keewaydin*; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

§30.17 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 4: Mr. ENGEL, Mr. WYNN, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. CRAPO, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. GOODE, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mrs. LINDA SMITH of Washington, Mr. MARTINEZ, Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri, Mr. BARR of Georgia, Mr. LINDER, Mr. WICKER, Mr. GREEN, Mr. FORBES, and Mr. NEUMANN.

H.R. 59: Mr. WAMP, Mr. WICKER, Mr. HERGER, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. ARCHER, Mr. SHADEGG, and Mr. THORNBERRY.

H.R. 66: Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. REGULA, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. STRICKLAND, Mr. SPENCE, Mr. BOUCHER, and Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts.

H.R. 68: Mr. TURNER.

H.R. 69: Mr. BLAGOJEVICH and Mr. DAVIS of Illinois.

H.R. 96: Mr. WATKINS and Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 139: Mr. BERMAN.

H.R. 192: Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma, Mr. STUPAK, and Mrs. EMERSON.

H.R. 193: Mr. POMBO.

H.R. 203: Mr. FIOLETTA.

H.R. 208: Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. MARTINEZ, and Mr. WALSH.

H.R. 214: Mr. SHAYS.

H.R. 230: Mr. FAWELL.

H.R. 279: Mr. TANNER, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mr. RUSH, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. BLUMENAUER, and Mr. ROTHMAN.

H.R. 282: Mr. ENGEL, Mr. FORBES, Mr. GILMAN, and Ms. VELAZQUEZ.

H.R. 306: Mr. PALLONE, Mrs. ROUKEMA, and Mr. GUTIERREZ.

H.R. 339: Mr. BACHUS.

H.R. 367: Mr. SAM JOHNSON, Mrs. EMERSON, and Mr. PARKER.

H.R. 411: Mr. DAVIS of Illinois.

H.R. 414: Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. STUPAK, and Mrs. EMERSON.

H.R. 446: Mr. BERRY.

H.R. 450: Mr. MCCREY and Mr. SHAYS.

H.R. 457: Mr. STENHOLM and Mr. GRAHAM.

H.R. 474: Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. RILEY, Mr. BERMAN, and Mr. HAYWORTH.

H.R. 478: Mr. CONDIT, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. TAUZIN, and Mr. PACKARD.

H.R. 511: Mr. BARCIA of Michigan and Mr. HASTINGS of Washington.

H.R. 519: Mr. HOEKSTRA.

H.R. 536: Mr. TORRES.

H.R. 546: Mrs. MALONEY of New York.

H.R. 548: Ms. FURSE.

H.R. 553: Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. PAUL, and Mr. GEPHARDT.

H.R. 559: Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania, Ms. RIVERS, and Mrs. KELLY.

H.R. 586: Mr. KLUG and Mr. SISISKY.

H.R. 611: Mrs. KENNELLY of Connecticut, Mr. POMEROY, Mr. MILLER of California, Mr. COYNE, Mr. CAPPS, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. FATTAH, Ms. CARSON, and Mr. RAHALL.

H.R. 612: Mr. BAKER, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. ALLEN, Ms. PELOSI, Mrs. THURMAN, Mrs. CHENOWETH, Mr. CAPPS, and Mr. PRICE of North Carolina.

H.R. 625: Mr. WALSH.

H.R. 631: Mr. BEREUTER.

H.R. 689: Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA and Mr. HINCHEY.

H.R. 693: Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 695: Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. NADLER, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. HOSTETTLER, and Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA.

H.R. 699: Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. RYUN, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. HOBSON, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. HASTINGS, of Washington, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma, Mrs. NORTHUP, and Mr. HASTERT.

H.R. 710: Mr. FATTAH.

H.R. 715: Mr. DELLUMS and Mr. WYNN.

H.R. 716: Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. PAUL, and Mr. NETHERCUTT.

H.R. 741: Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. BOYD, and Mr. CHAMBLISS.

H.R. 755: Mr. BACHUS, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. KASICH, and Mrs. TAUSCHER.

H.R. 767: Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland.

H.R. 768: Mr. CAMP, Mr. WICKER, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mr. EHLERS, and Mrs. CHENOWETH.

H.R. 789: Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. PAPPAS, and Mr. EWING.

H.R. 792: Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. GALLEGLEY, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. ROYCE.

H.R. 793: Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA.

H.R. 811: Mr. SMITH of New Jersey.

H.R. 813: Mr. DICKEY.

H.R. 816: Mr. DEAL of Georgia.

H.R. 820: Mr. MILLER of California, Mr. STRICKLAND, and Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA.

H.R. 845: Mr. MARTINEZ.

H.R. 855: Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, and Mr. WATT of North Carolina.

H.R. 856: Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. OWENS, Mr. CLAY, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. ORTIZ, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. REYES, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. DICKEY, and Mr. HOYER.

H.R. 858: Mr. LEWIS of California, and Mr. CANNON.

H.R. 866: Mr. GOSS and Mr. RAMSTAD.

H.R. 867: Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mr. GORDON, and Ms. SLAUGHTER.

H.R. 873: Mr. TRAFICANT.

H.R. 877: Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. FROST, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. GUTIERREZ, and Mr. SPRATT.

H.R. 899: Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. MILLER of California, Mr. HILLIARD, and Mrs. MALONEY of New York.

H.R. 919: Mr. FILNER, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. DELLUMS, and Mr. ACKERMAN.

H.R. 946: Mr. SHAYS, Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. MCKEON, Ms. LOFGREN, and Mrs. MYRICK.

H.R. 952: Mr. MATSUI, Mr. SKAGGS, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. TORRES, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. STARK, Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. BERMAN, Mrs. LOWEY, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr.

FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. DELLUMS, and Mr. EVANS.

H.R. 958: Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma.

H.R. 971: Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, and Mr. ACKERMAN.

H.R. 972: Mr. SENSENBRENNER and Mr. SOUDER.

H.R. 978: Mrs. CHENOWETH, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. MARTINEZ, and Mr. KIND of Wisconsin.

H.R. 981: Mr. SHAYS, Mr. UNDERWOOD, and Mr. DAVIS of Illinois.

H.R. 993: Mr. BACHUS, Mr. PAUL, and Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 995: Mr. SCARBOROUGH, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, and Mr. SKEEN.

H.R. 1005: Mr. PAXON and Mr. ISTOOK.

H.R. 1006: Mr. FILNER, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. SOLOMON, and Mr. KING of New York.

H.R. 1007: Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts and Mr. WELDON of Florida.

H.R. 1010: Mr. CHABOT and Mr. LATHAM.

H.R. 1015: Mr. OWENS, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. MANTON, and Mr. CAPPS.

H.R. 1033: Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. KING of New York, and Mr. DEAL of Georgia.

H.R. 1040: Mr. HALL of Texas, Mrs. MYRICK, and Mr. CRAPO.

H.R. 1041: Mr. BONIOR, Mr. GUTIERREZ, and Mr. ACKERMAN.

H.R. 1042: Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. YATES, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. PORTER, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. EWING, and Mr. POSHARD.

H.R. 1046: Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, and Ms. BROWN of Florida.

H.R. 1049: Mr. RUSH.

H.R. 1053: Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. SAWYER, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. LATOURETTE, and Mr. ORTIZ.

H.R. 1059: Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. DICKEY, and Mrs. CUBIN.

H.R. 1061: Mrs. THURMAN and Mr. SHAYS.

H.R. 1062: Mr. KNOLLENBERG and Mr. SNOWBARGER.

H.R. 1071: Mr. RUSH.

H.R. 1076: Ms. STABENOW, Mr. HORN, Mr. ACKERMAN, Ms. FURSE, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. DELLUMS, and Mr. DAVIS of Illinois.

H.R. 1080: Mrs. ROUKEMA.

H.R. 1108: Mr. BONILLA, Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, Mr. STUMP, Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. LIVINGSTON, Mr. GREEN, and Mr. HEFLEY.

H.R. 1120: Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas.

H.R. 1127: Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. STUMP, Mr. DAN SCHAEFER of Colorado, Mr. HEFLEY, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. GIBBONS, Mr. HERGER, Mrs. CHENOWETH, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, and Ms. DUNN of Washington.

H.R. 1130: Mr. CLYBURN.

H.R. 1134: Mr. NADLER and Mr. CALVERT.

H.R. 1161: Mr. MCGOVERN.

H.R. 1166: Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. BROWN of California, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. OLVER, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. BISHOP, Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. MCHUGH, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. HALL of Ohio, Mr. POMBO, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. SISISKY, and Mr. WISE.

H.R. 1176: Ms. FURSE, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. ACKERMAN, and Mr. SHAW.

H.R. 1188: Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. FILNER, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN, and Mr. ACKERMAN.

H.R. 1189: Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. BAKER, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. OLVER, Mr. GRAHAM, and Mr. EVANS.

H.R. 1207: Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma.

H.R. 1208: Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma.

H.R. 1210: Mr. PASTOR, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. STEARNS, and Mr. LUG.

H.R. 1226: Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. STARK, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. CARDIN, and Mr. McDERMOTT.

H.R. 1227: Mr. MANZULLO.
 H.R. 1251: Mr. DAVIS of Florida.
 H.R. 1252: Mr. MANZULLO.
 H.R. 1263: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia and Mr. MILLER of California.
 H.J. Res. 26: Mrs. EMERSON.
 H.J. Res. 54: Mr. POMBO and Ms. HARMAN.
 H.J. Res. 62: Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. CALLAHAN, Mr. CONDIT, Mr. COX of California, Ms. DAN-
 NER, Mr. DICKEY, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. FOLEY,
 Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. GORDON, Mr. GUTKNECHT,
 Mr. HASTERT, Mr. HULSHOF, Mr. HUTCHINSON,
 Mr. JENKINS, Mr. JOHN, Mr. KING of New
 York, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. LEWIS of Cali-
 fornia, Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma, Mr. MCINNIS,
 Mr. MCKEON, Mr. METCALF, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr.
 NETHERCUTT, Mr. NEUMANN, Mr. NEY, Mrs.
 NORTHUP, Mr. PAPPAS, Mr. PITTS, Mr.
 RAMSTAD, Mr. RILEY, Mr. RYUN, Mr. SCHIFF,
 Mr. SHUSTER, Mr. SNOWBARGER, Mr. SOUDER,
 Mr. SUNUNU, Mr. THUNE, Mr. WAMP, Mr. WAT-
 KINS, Mr. WELLER, and Mr. YOUNG of Alaska.
 H. Con. Res. 43: Mr. FATTAH and Mr. ACK-
 ERMAN.

H. Con. Res. 51: Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. BARCIA
 of Michigan, and Mr. GONZALEZ.
 H. Res. 16: Mrs. KELLY and Mr. RAMSTAD.
 H. Res. 96: Mr. FILNER, Mr. MILLER of Cali-
 fornia, Mr. FROST, Mr. MEEHAN, Ms.
 DELAURO, Ms. RIVERS, Mr. BROWN of Cali-
 fornia, Mr. FALCOMAVAEGA, Ms. SANCHEZ, Mr.
 MCGOVERN, Mr. FLAKE, Mr. KIND of Wis-
 consin, Mr. WATT of North Carolina, Ms.
 SLAUGHTER, Ms. STABENOW, Ms. ESHOO, Mr.
 ABERCROMBIE, Mr. SKAGGS, Mrs. MALONEY of
 New York, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. WEXLER, Mr.
 CAPPAS, and Mr. HILLIARD.
 H. Res. 109: Mr. PICKERING, Mr. WICKER,
 and Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma.

¶30.18 DELETIONS OF SPONSORS FROM
 PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, sponsors
 were deleted from public bills and reso-
 lutions as follows:
 H.R. 900: Ms. WOOLSEY.

MONDAY, APRIL 14, 1997 (31)

¶31.1 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO
 TEMPORE

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

WASHINGTON, DC.
 April 14, 1997.

I hereby designate the Honorable EDWARD
 A. PEASE to act as Speaker pro tempore on
 this day.

NEWT GINGRICH,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

¶31.2 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr.
 PEASE, announced he had examined
 and approved the Journal of the pro-
 ceedings of Thursday, April 10, 1997.
 Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Jour-
 nal was approved.

¶31.3 COMMUNICATIONS

Executive and other communica-
 tions, pursuant to clause 2, rule XXIV,
 were referred as follows:

2753. A letter from the Assistant Secretary
 of Labor for OSHA, Department of Labor,
 transmitting the Department's final rule—
 Abatement Verification (Occupational Safe-
 ty and Health Administration) [Docket No.
 C-03] (RIN: 1128-AB40) received April 7, 1997,
 pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Com-
 mittee on Education and the Workforce.

2754. A letter from the Director, Office of
 Regulatory Management and Information,

Environmental Protection Agency, transmit-
 ting the Agency's final rule—Approval and
 Promulgation of Implementation Plan; Indi-
 ana [IN73-1a; FRL-5807-9] received April 10,
 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the
 Committee on Commerce.

2755. A letter from the Director, Office of
 Regulatory Management and Information,
 Environmental Protection Agency, transmit-
 ting the Agency's final rule—Approval and
 Promulgation of Implementation Plans;
 Ohio [OH106-1a; FRL-5808-5] received April
 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to
 the Committee on Commerce.

2756. A letter from the Managing Director,
 Federal Communications Commission, trans-
 mitting the Commission's final rule—Imple-
 mentation of Sections of the Cable Tele-
 vision Consumer Protection and Competition
 Act of 1992: Rate Regulation—Low-Price Sys-
 tems [MM Docket No. 92-266] received April
 8, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to
 the Committee on Commerce.

2757. A letter from the AMD-Performance
 Evaluation and Records Management, Fed-
 eral Communications Commission, transmit-
 ting the Commission's final rule—Rules and
 Policies Regarding Calling Number Identifi-
 cation Service—Caller ID [CC Docket No.
 91-281] received April 11, 1997, pursuant to 5
 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on
 Commerce.

2758. A letter from the General Counsel,
 Federal Retirement Thrift Investment
 Board, transmitting the Board's final rule—
 Thrift Savings Plan Loans [5 CFR Part 1655]
 received April 14, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C.
 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Govern-
 ment Reform and Oversight.

2759. A letter from the General Counsel,
 Federal Retirement Thrift Investment
 Board, transmitting the Board's final rule—
 Thrift Savings Plan; Continuation of Eligi-
 bility [5 CFR Part 1620] received April 14,
 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the
 Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2760. A letter from the Archivist of the
 United States, National Archives and
 Records Administration, transmitting a re-
 port of activities under the Freedom of Infor-
 mation Act for the calendar year 1996, pursu-
 ant to 5 U.S.C. 552(d); to the Committee on
 Government Reform and Oversight.

2761. A letter from the Assistant Secretary
 for Policy, Management and Budget, Depart-
 ment of the Interior, transmitting the De-
 partment's final rule—Department of the In-
 terior Acquisition Regulation; Department of
 the Interior Acquisition Regulation System
 (RIN: 1090-AA60) received April 8, 1997,
 pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Com-
 mittee on Resources.

2762. A letter from the Director, Office of
 Sustainable Fisheries, National Oceanic and
 Atmospheric Administration, transmitting
 the Administration's final rule—Fisheries of
 the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska;
 Yellowfin Sole by Vessels Using Trawl Gear
 [Docket No. 961107312-7021-02; I.D. 033197A]
 received April 14, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C.
 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

2763. A letter from the Deputy Assistant
 Administrator for Fisheries, National Ocea-
 nic and Atmospheric Administration, trans-
 mitting the Administration's final rule—
 Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone
 Off Alaska; Scallop Fishery Off Alaska; Scal-
 lop Vessel Moratorium [Docket No.
 961203339-7063-02; I.D. 111896B] (RIN: 0648-
 A188) received April 14, 1997, pursuant to 5
 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Re-
 sources.

2764. A letter from the Assistant Secretary
 of the Army (Civil Works), the Department
 of the Army, transmitting a letter from the
 Chief of Engineers, Department of the Army
 dated July 26, 1996, submitting a report on
 the Port of Long Beach, CA, together with

accompanying papers and illustrations, pur-
 suant to Public Law 104-303, section 101(a)(4)
 (110 Stat. 3663) (H. Doc. No. 105-65); to the
 Committee on Transportation and Infra-
 structure and ordered to be printed.

2765. A letter from the Chief Counsel, Bu-
 reau of the Public Debt, Department of the
 Treasury, transmitting the Department's
 final rule—Regulations Governing Book-
 Entry Treasury Bonds, Notes and Bills (Bu-
 reau of the Public Debt) [31 CFR Part 357]
 received April 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C.
 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and
 Means.

2766. A letter from the Chair, Physician
 Payment Review Commission, transmitting
 the Commission's 1997 annual report, pursu-
 ant to 42 U.S.C. 1395w-1(c)(1)(D); jointly, to
 the Committees on Ways and Means and
 Commerce.

¶31.4 MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Mr.
 Lundregan, one of its clerks, an-
 nounced that the Senate had passed
 without amendment a bill and a con-
 current resolution of the House of the
 following titles:

H.R. 785. An Act to designate the J. Phil
 Campbell, Senior, Natural Resource Con-
 servation Center.

H. Con. Res. 11. Concurrent resolution per-
 mitting the use of the rotunda of the Capitol
 for a ceremony as part of the commemora-
 tion of the days of remembrance of victims
 of the Holocaust.

The message also announced that the
 Senate had passed a joint resolution
 and a concurrent resolution of the fol-
 lowing titles:

S.J. Res. 11. Joint resolution commemo-
 rating "Juneteenth Independence Day,"
 June 19, 1865, the day on which slavery fi-
 nally came to an end in the United States.

S. Con. Res. 20. Concurrent resolution ex-
 pressing the sense of Congress regarding the
 status of the investigation of the bombing of
 the Israeli Embassy in Buenos Aires in 1992.

¶31.5 ORDER OF BUSINESS—ETHICS
 PROCESS REFORM

On motion of Mr. SOLOMON, by
 unanimous consent,

Ordered. That the order of the House
 of February 12, 1997, with respect to the
 Committee on Standards of Official
 Conduct and related matters of said
 committee be extended through April
 18, 1997.

¶31.6 RECESS—4:04 P.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr.
 PEASE, pursuant to clause 12 of rule I,
 declared the House in recess at 4
 o'clock and 4 minutes p.m., subject to
 the call of the Chair.

¶31.7 AFTER RECESS—6:28 P.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr.
 DREIER, called the House to order.

¶31.8 PROVIDING FOR THE
 CONSIDERATION OF MOTIONS TO
 SUSPEND THE RULES

MS. PRYCE, by direction of the Com-
 mittee on Rules, reported (Rept. No.
 105-53) the resolution (H. Res. 112) pro-
 viding for consideration of motions to
 suspend the rules.

When said resolution and report were
 referred to the House Calendar and or-
 dered printed.