

H.R. 861: Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mr. BOB SCHAFFER, and Mr. THUNE.

H.R. 862: Mr. FROST.

H.R. 875: Mr. KING of New York, Mr. GANSKE, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mr. MANTON, Mr. DIXON, Mr. COYNE, and Mr. FILLNER.

H.R. 880: Mr. PICKETT, Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. BAKER, and Mr. STEARNS.

H.R. 901: Mr. LATHAM, Mr. NEUMANN, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. WELLER, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. TURNER, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. MCCOLLUM, and Mr. BAKER.

H.R. 902: Mr. CRAMER, Mr. HASTERT, and Mr. MCINNIS.

H.R. 910: Mrs. MORELLA and Mr. FARR of California.

H.R. 911: Mr. WYNN, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. TALENT, and Mr. FORD.

H.R. 915: Ms. PELOSI, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. TRAFICANT, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Ms. DANNER, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. OLVER, Mr. EHLERS, Mr. MCNULTY, and Mr. RUSH.

H.R. 916: Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. EDWARDS, Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN, and Mr. YOUNG of Florida.

H.R. 919: Mrs. MINK of Hawaii.

H.R. 939: Mr. SKEEN and Mr. SUNUNU.

H.R. 947: Mr. BENTSEN, Mr. KUCINICH, and Mr. CAPPS.

H.R. 953: Ms. NORTON.

H.R. 955: Mr. LARGENT, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. BACHUS, Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, Mr. SHIMKUS, and Mr. WYNN.

H.R. 964: Ms. MOLINARI, Mr. JONES, Mr. MCINTYRE, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, and Mr. BALLENGER.

H.R. 965: Mr. DREIER.

H.R. 977: Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska.

H.R. 978: Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. JONES, and Mr. BARR of Georgia.

H.R. 979: Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, and Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

H.R. 983: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia and Mr. FILLNER.

H.R. 984: Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, and Mr. GRAHAM.

H.R. 986: Mr. BOB SCHAFFER, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. BAKER, and Mr. RAMSTAD.

H.R. 991: Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas and Mr. CRAMER.

H.R. 1031: Mr. PAYNE, Mr. DELAY, Mr. FROST, Mr. BOEHNER, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. HILL, Mr. PICKERING, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. HULSHOF, Mr. WAMP, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. SOUDER, Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. RIGGS, Mr. COBURN, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. WATKINS, Mr. NEUMANN, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. PITTS, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. DAVIS of Virginia, and Mr. ENSIGN.

H.R. 1035: Mr. FATTAH.

H.R. 1043: Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. BARCIA of Michigan, Mr. VENTO, Mr. WISE, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. BALDACCIO, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. KIND of Wisconsin, and Ms. FURSE.

H.R. 1049: Mr. MARTINEZ.

H.R. 1050: Mr. RUSH.

H.R. 1054: Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. MILLER of California, Mr. DREIER, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. HERGER, and Mr. ROYCE.

H.R. 1060: Mr. BRYANT, Mrs. LINDA SMITH of Washington, Mr. GANSKE, Mr. WAMP, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. TURNER, and Mr. WELDON of Florida.

H.R. 1114: Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr.

FOGLIETTA, Mr. HINOJOSA, and Ms. SLAUGHTER.

H.R. 1125: Ms. DELAURO, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. HINCHEY, and Mrs. LOWEY.

H.R. 1126: Mr. LANTOS.

H.R. 1129: Mr. SHAW, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. OBERSTAR, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. FARR of California, and Mr. MATSUI.

H.R. 1130: Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. ROTHMAN, and Ms. PELOSI.

H.R. 1140: Mr. BUNNING of Kentucky and Mr. DEAL of Georgia.

H.R. 1169: Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, and Mr. PITTS.

H.R. 1178: Mr. NADLER.

H.R. 1215: Mr. FROST, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. BERMAN, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. BONIOR, and Mr. EVANS.

H.R. 1224: Mr. CALVERT.

H.R. 1231: Mr. SANDERS and Mr. BORSKI.

H.R. 1245: Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN, Mr. EVANS, Mr. FROST, and Ms. LOFGREN.

H.R. 1246: Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN, Mr. FROST, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, and Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma.

H.R. 1247: Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. TALENT, Mrs. LINDA SMITH of Washington, and Mr. MILLER of Florida.

H.R. 1248: Mr. PICKERING.

H.R. 1263: Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. OLVER, and Mr. MCHALE.

H.R. 1270: Ms. DUNN of Washington, Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. KLUG, Mrs. FOWLER, Mr. HYDE, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. CALVERT, and Mr. SAM JOHNSON.

H.R. 1299: Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. COOKSEY, Mr. BAKER, and Mr. GOODE.

H.R. 1301: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. YATES, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. SPRATT, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. SAWYER, Mr. BLUMENAUER, and Ms. LOFGREN.

H.R. 1302: Ms. KILPATRICK, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. KILDEE, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Mr. WEYGAND, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, and Mrs. MEEK of Florida.

H.J. Res. 37: Mrs. CHENOWETH.

H.J. Res. 54: Mr. BERRY, Mr. KLUG, and Mr. THOMPSON.

H.J. Res. 56: Mr. SESSIONS.

H.J. Res. 65: Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, and Mr. FROST.

H. Con. Res. 8: Mr. ORTIZ.

H. Con. Res. 13: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. WATT of North Carolina, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. HINOJOSA, and Mr. YOUNG of Florida.

H. Con. Res. 23: Mr. CLAY.

H. Con. Res. 32: Mrs. KENNELLY of Connecticut and Mr. DELLUMS.

H. Con. Res. 38: Ms. DELAURO, Mr. FATTAH, and Mr. LAFALCE.

H. Con. Res. 43: Mr. EVANS and Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York.

H. Con. Res. 53: Mr. LANTOS.

H. Res. 37: Mr. FLAKE and Ms. DUNN of Washington.

H. Res. 39: Mrs. MALONEY of New York and Mr. GUTIERREZ.

H. Res. 109: Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. PAXON, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. PAPPAS, and Mr. ADERHOLT.

#### §32.28 DELETIONS OF SPONSORS FROM PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

H.R. 950: Ms. DELAURO.

H.R. 1200: Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma.

#### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 16, 1997 (33)

#### §33.1 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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

WASHINGTON, DC,

April 16, 1997.

I hereby designate the Honorable STEVEN C. LATOURETTE to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NEWT GINGRICH,

*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

#### §33.2 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LATOURETTE, announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Tuesday, April 15, 1997.

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

#### §33.3 COMMUNICATIONS

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

2830. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Change in Disease Status of Northern Ireland and Norway Because of Exotic Newcastle Disease [Docket No. 97-021-1] received April 16, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2831. A letter from the Director, Office of Administration and Management, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule—Pilot Program Policy [32 CFR Part 2] received April 8, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on National Security.

2832. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Pension and Welfare Benefits, Department of Labor, transmitting the Department's final rule—Interim Rules Amending ERISA Disclosure Requirements for Group Health Plans (Pension and Welfare Benefits Administration) (RIN: 1210-AA55) received April 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

2833. A letter from the Chair, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, transmitting the 1996 annual report of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, pursuant to 16 U.S.C. 797(d); to the Committee on Commerce.

2834. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting a report on operations of the Medicaid Drug Rebate program, pursuant to Public Law 101-508, section 4401(a) (104 Stat. 1388-155); to the Committee on Commerce.

2835. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the semi-annual report for the period October 1, 1995 to March 31, 1996 listing voluntary contributions made by the U.S. Government to International Organizations, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2226(b)(1); to the Committee on International Relations.

2836. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Department's report on condition in Hong Kong of interest to the United States since the last report in March 1996, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 5731; to the Committee on International Relations.

2837. A letter from the Administrator, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, transmitting a report of activities

under the Freedom of Information Act for the calendar year 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(d); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2838. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Indian Country Law Enforcement (Bureau of Indian Affairs) [25 CFR Part 12] (RIN: 1076-AD56) received April 7, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

2839. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Revisions to Recordkeeping and Reporting Requirements [Docket No. 961119321-7071-02; I.D. 110796G] (RIN: 0648-A168) received April 11, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

2840. A letter from the Attorney General, transmitting the 1996 annual report of the Attorney General of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

2841. A letter from the Assistant Secretary of the Army (Civil Works), Department of the Army, transmitting a report with respect to the Army Corps of Engineers recreation day use fee program, pursuant to Public Law 104-303, section 208(b)(2) (110 Stat. 3680); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2842. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Nonprocurement Debarment and Suspension (RIN: 2105-AC25) received April 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2843. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Special Local Regulations: Fort Lauderdale, Florida (U.S. Coast Guard) [CGD07-012] (RIN: 2115-AE46) received April 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2844. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Delegation of Authority to Officer in Charge, Marine Inspection (U.S. Coast Guard) [CGD 97-001] (RIN: 2115-AF41) received April 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2845. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Special Local Regulation; Salute to the Queen (U.S. Coast Guard) [CGD08-97-010] (RIN: 2115-AE46) received April 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2846. 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 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2847. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Antarctic Treaty Environmental Protection Protocol (U.S. Coast Guard) [CGD 97-015] (RIN: 2115-AF43) received April 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2848. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulations Management, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's final rule—Retroactive Payments Due to a Liberalizing Law or VA Issue [38

CFR Part 3] (RIN: 2900-AI57) received April 11, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

2849. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—List of Designated Private Delivery Services [Notice 97-26] received April 11, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2850. A letter from the President, U.S. Institute of Peace, transmitting a report of the audit of the Institute's accounts for fiscal year 1996, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 4607(h); jointly, to the Committees on International Relations and Education and the Workforce.

33.4 COMMITTEE ELECTION—MAJORITY

Mr. LINDER, by direction of the Republican Conference, submitted the following privileged resolution (H. Res. 114):

*Resolved*, That the following Members be, and they are hereby, elected to the following standing committee of the House of Representatives:

Committee on Banking and Financial Services: Mr. Manzullo, Mr. Foley, and Mr. Jones.

When said resolution was considered and agreed to.

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

33.5 MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Ms. McDevitt, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate had passed bills of the following titles in which concurrence of the House is requested:

S. 104. An Act to amend the Nuclear Waste Policy Act of 1982.

S. 522. An Act to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to impose civil and criminal penalties for the unauthorized access of tax returns and tax return information by Federal employees and other persons, and for other purposes.

33.6 PROVIDING FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF MOTIONS TO SUSPEND THE RULES

Mr. DREIER, by direction of the Committee on Rules, called up the following resolution (H. Res. 112):

*Resolved*, That it shall be in order at any time on Wednesday, April 16, 1997, for the Speaker to entertain motions that the House suspend the rules. The Speaker or his designee shall consult with the minority leader or his designee on the designation of any matter for consideration pursuant to this resolution.

When said resolution was considered. After debate,

Mr. DREIER moved the previous question on the resolution to its adoption or rejection.

The question being put, *viva voce*, Will the House now order the previous question?

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

Ms. SLAUGHTER 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 ..... 223  
Nays ..... 199

33.7 [Roll No. 79] YEAS—223

Aderholt	Gilchrest	Packard
Archer	Gillmor	Pappas
Armey	Gilman	Parker
Bachus	Goodlatte	Paul
Baker	Goodling	Paxon
Ballenger	Goss	Pease
Barr	Graham	Peterson (PA)
Barrett (NE)	Granger	Petri
Bartlett	Greenwood	Pickering
Barton	Gutknecht	Pitts
Bass	Hall (TX)	Pombo
Bateman	Hansen	Porter
Bereuter	Hastert	Portman
Billbray	Hastings (WA)	Pryce (OH)
Bilirakis	Hayworth	Quinn
Bliley	Hefley	Radanovich
Blunt	Herger	Ramstad
Boehlert	Hill	Regula
Boehner	Hilleary	Riggs
Bonilla	Hobson	Riley
Bono	Hoekstra	Rogan
Brady	Horn	Rogers
Bryant	Hostettler	Rohrabacher
Bunning	Houghton	Ros-Lehtinen
Burr	Hulshof	Roukema
Burton	Hunter	Royce
Buyer	Hutchinson	Ryun
Callahan	Hyde	Salmon
Calvert	Inglis	Sanford
Camp	Jenkins	Saxton
Campbell	Johnson (CT)	Scarborough
Canady	Johnson, Sam	Schaefer, Dan
Cannon	Jones	Schaffer, Bob
Castle	Kasich	Sensenbrenner
Chabot	Kelly	Sessions
Chambliss	Kim	Shadegg
Chenoweth	King (NY)	Shaw
Christensen	Kingston	Shays
Coble	Klug	Shimkus
Coburn	Knollenberg	Shuster
Collins	Kolbe	Skeen
Combust	LaHood	Smith (MI)
Cook	Largent	Smith (NJ)
Cooksey	Latham	Smith (OR)
Cox	LaTourette	Smith (TX)
Crane	Lazio	Smith, Linda
Crapo	Leach	Snowbarger
Cubin	Lewis (CA)	Solomon
Cunningham	Lewis (KY)	Souder
Davis (VA)	Linder	Spence
Deal	Livingston	Stearns
DeLay	LoBiondo	Stump
Diaz-Balart	Lucas	Sununu
Dickey	Manzullo	Talent
Doolittle	McCollum	Tauzin
Dreier	McCrery	Taylor (NC)
Duncan	McDade	Thomas
Dunn	McHugh	Thornberry
Ehlers	McInnis	Thune
Ehrlich	McIntosh	Tiahrt
Emerson	McKeon	Upton
English	Metcalf	Walsh
Ensign	Mica	Wamp
Everett	Miller (FL)	Watkins
Ewing	Molinari	Watts (OK)
Fawell	Moran (KS)	Weldon (FL)
Foley	Morella	Weldon (PA)
Forbes	Myrick	Weller
Fowler	Nethercutt	Whitfield
Fox	Neumann	Wicker
Franks (NJ)	Ney	Wolf
Frelinghuysen	Northup	Young (AK)
Gallegly	Norwood	Young (FL)
Ganske	Nussle	
Gibbons	Oxley	

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Abercrombie	Boucher	Danner
Allen	Boyd	Davis (FL)
Andrews	Brown (CA)	Davis (IL)
Baesler	Brown (FL)	DeFazio
Baldacci	Brown (OH)	DeGette
Barcia	Capps	Delahunt
Barrett (WI)	Cardin	DeLauro
Becerra	Carson	Dellums
Bentsen	Clay	Deutsch
Berman	Clayton	Dicks
Berry	Clement	Dingell
Bishop	Clyburn	Dixon
Blagojevich	Condit	Doggett
Blumenauer	Conyers	Dooley
Bonior	Coyne	Doyle
Borski	Cramer	Edwards
Boswell	Cummings	Engel