

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

NAYS—7

Blunt	Paul	Schaffer, Bob
Hulshof	Royce	
Neumann	Sanford	

NOT VOTING—12

Andrews	Heger	Mollohan
Engel	Hoekstra	Schiff
Green	Lantos	Spratt
Hefner	Matsui	Yates

So the bill was passed.

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

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

39.23 PERMISSION TO FILE SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT

On motion of Mr. LEACH, by unanimous consent, the Committee on Banking and Financial Services was granted permission to file a supplemental report, part II, Report No. 105-76, to accompany the bill (H.R. 2) to repeal the United States Housing Act of 1937, deregulate the public housing program and the program for rental housing assistance for low-income families, and

increase community control over such programs, and for other purposes.

39.24 PROVIDING FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 2

Ms. PRYCE, by direction of the Committee on Rules, reported (Rept. No. 105-81) the resolution (H. Res. 133) providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2) to repeal the United States Housing Act of 1937, deregulate the public housing program and the program for rental housing assistance for low-income families and increase community control over such programs, for other purposes.

When said resolution and report were referred to the House Calendar and ordered printed.

39.25 PROVIDING FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 867

Ms. PRYCE, by direction of the Committee on Rules, reported (Rept. No. 105-82) the resolution (H. Res. 134) providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 867) to promote the adoption of children in foster care.

When said resolution and report were referred to the House Calendar and ordered printed.

39.26 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted—

- To Mr. GREEN, for today;
 - To Mr. UNDERWOOD, for today, April 30 and May 1;
 - To Mr. YATES, for today;
 - To Mr. HOEKSTRA, for today; and
 - To Mr. HERGER, for today and the balance of the week.
- And then,

39.27 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. KINGSTON, at 10 o'clock and 5 minutes p.m., the House adjourned.

39.28 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. LEACH: Committee on Banking and Financial Services. Supplemental report on H.R. 2. A bill to repeal the United States Housing Act of 1937, deregulate the public housing program and the program for rental housing assistance for low-income families, and increase community control over such programs, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 105-76, Pt. 2).

Mr. SMITH of Oregon: Committee on Agriculture. H.R. 1342. A bill to provide for a 1-year enrollment in the conservation reserve of land covered by expiring conservation reserve program contracts; with an amendment (Rept. No. 105-80). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. DREIER: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 133. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2) to repeal the United States Housing Act of 1937, deregulate the public housing program and the program for rental housing assistance for low-income families, and increase community control over such programs, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 105-81). Referred to the House Calendar.

Ms. PRYCE of Ohio: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 134. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 867) to promote the adoption of children in foster care (Rept. No. 105-82). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. LIVINGSTON: Committee on Appropriations. H.R. 1469. A bill making emergency supplemental appropriations for recovery from natural disasters, and for overseas peacekeeping efforts, including those in Bosnia, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 105-83). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

39.29 PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 5 of rule X and clause 4 of rule XXII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred as follows:

By Mr. LEVIN:

H.R. 1468. A bill to amend the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 to modify provisions restricting welfare and public benefits for aliens; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Commerce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. KASICH (for himself, Mr. OBEY, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. DREIER, Mr. BOYD, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. HOBSON, Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. PAUL, Mr. PORTMAN, Mr. SALMON, Mr. SHADEGG, and Mr. GOSS):

H.R. 1470. A bill to empower States with authority for most taxing and spending for highway programs and mass transit programs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, and the Budget, 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. ACKERMAN:

H.R. 1471. A bill to direct the Secretary of Transportation to determine the feasibility of placing bar codes on passenger motor vehicles to facilitate the tracing of stolen vehicles, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

H.R. 1472. A bill to amend the Employment Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 and the Public Health Service Act to require group health plans and group and individual health insurance coverage to pay interest on clean claims that are not paid within 30 days; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. BLAGOJEVICH:

H.R. 1473. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit, with certain exceptions, the transfer of a handgun to, or the possession of a handgun by, an individual who has not attained 21 years of age; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BROWN of California (for himself, Mr. FILNER, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. TORRES, and Mr. CAPP):

H.R. 1474. A bill to amend section 255 of the National Housing Act to prohibit the charging of unreasonable and excessive fees in connection with equity conversion mortgages for elderly homeowners, and for other

purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. CHABOT:

H.R. 1475. A bill to eliminate the National Sheep Industry Improvement Center and to transfer funds available for the Center to the general fund of the Treasury to reduce the deficit; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. DIAZ-BALART:

H.R. 1476. A bill to settle certain Miccosukee Indian land takings claims within the State of Florida; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. DICKS (for himself, Mr. ADAM SMITH of Washington, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. MCDERMOTT, and Ms. FURSE):

H.R. 1477. A bill to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to designate a portion of the Columbia River as a recreational river, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Ms. ESHOO (for herself, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. FROST, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. CANADY of Florida, Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. DELUMS, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. FILNER, Ms. RIVERS, Mrs. LOWEY, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. FORD, Mr. TURNER, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. MOAKLEY, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. WEYGAND, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. UPTON, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. LEVIN, Mrs. KENNELLY of Connecticut, and Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon):

H.R. 1478. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow companies to donate computer equipment and software, and training related thereto, to elementary and secondary schools for use in their educational programs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HASTINGS of Florida:

H.R. 1479. A bill to designate the Federal building and U.S. courthouse located at 300 Northeast First Avenue in Miami, FL, as the "David W. Dyer Federal Courthouse"; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. HOYER (for himself, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. FATTAH, and Mr. WEYGAND):

H.R. 1480. A bill to increase the overall economy and efficiency of Government operations and enable more efficient use of Federal funding, by coordinating Federal financial assistance programs and promoting local flexibility; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

By Mr. LATOURETTE (for himself, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. EHLERS, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. QUINN, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. OXLEY, Ms. RIVERS, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. BARCIA of Michigan, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. EVANS, Mr. WELLER, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. JOHNSON of Wisconsin, and Mr. LAFALCE):

H.R. 1481. A bill to amend the Great Lakes Fish and Wildlife Restoration Act of 1990 to provide for implementation of recommendations of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service contained in the Great Lakes Fishery Restoration Study Report; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mrs. MALONEY of New York (for herself and Ms. SLAUGHTER):

H.R. 1482. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to increase whistleblower protections for members of the Armed Forces; to the Committee on National Security.

By Mr. MENENDEZ:

H.R. 1483. A bill to amend title 49, United States Code, to make nonmilitary government aircraft subject to safety regulation by

the Department of Transportation; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. NORWOOD (for himself, Mr. BARR of Georgia, Mr. COLLINS, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. LINDER, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, and Mr. BISHOP):

H.R. 1484. A bill to redesignate the Dublin Federal courthouse building located in Dublin, GA, as the "J. Roy Rowland Federal Courthouse"; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. RIGGS (for himself, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. MCKEON, Mr. PORTER, Mr. CAMPBELL, and Mr. BILBRAY):

H.R. 1485. A bill to provide that the provision of the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 on the accounting of tips in determining the wage of tipped employees shall preempt any State or local provision precluding a tip credit or requiring a tip credit less than the tip credit provided under such act; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. GILMAN:

H.R. 1486. A bill to consolidate international affairs agencies, to reform foreign assistance programs, to authorize appropriations for foreign assistance programs and for the Department of State and related agencies for fiscal years 1998 and 1999, and for other purposes; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. RIGGS:

H.J. Res. 74. Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to provide 8-year terms of offices for judges of Federal courts other than the Supreme Court; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. RAHALL (for himself, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. JOHN, and Mr. DINGELL):

H. Con. Res. 68. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress regarding the territorial integrity, unity, sovereignty, and full independence of Lebanon; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. WEYGAND (for himself, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. MOAKLEY, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. STARK, Mr. STRICKLAND, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. ETHERIDGE, Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. ROTHMAN, and Mr. PASCRELL):

H. Res. 135. Resolution to amend the Rules of the House of Representatives to permit disabled individuals who have access to the House floor to bring supporting services; to the Committee on Rules.

¶39.30 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 14: Mr. CRAPO, Mr. BISHOP, and Mr. BURTON of Indiana.

H.R. 15: Ms. DEGETTE.

H.R. 54: Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. RADANOVICH, and Mr. SKELTON.

H.R. 96: Mr. KLINK, Mr. MCINTYRE, Mr. HUTCHINSON, and Mr. TURNER.

H.R. 122: Mr. SCARBOROUGH, Mr. DELAY, Mr. RILEY, and Mr. MANZULLO.

H.R. 176: Mr. HILLIARD and Mrs. MORELLA.

H.R. 177: Mrs. KELLY.

H.R. 183: Mr. WEYGAND.

H.R. 191: Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. OWENS, Mr. YATES, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, and Mr. HINCHEY.

H.R. 216: Mr. RAHALL.

H.R. 299: Mr. BLUMENAUER.

H.R. 306: Mr. SCHUMER and Mr. MEEHAN.

H.R. 339: Mr. HAYWORTH.

H.R. 367: Mr. CAMP and Mr. CHRISTENSEN.

H.R. 383: Ms. SLAUGHTER.

H.R. 446: Mr. DUNCAN.

H.R. 521: Mr. GOODE.

H.R. 530: Mr. SHAYS and Mr. MCCREY.

H.R. 616: Mr. GORDON, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. FALCOMA, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. QUINN, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. MCINTYRE, Mr. SUNUNU, Mr. WATT of North Carolina, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. BALDACCI, Ms. RIVERS, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. RANGEL, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. RAHALL, and Mrs. LOWEY.

H.R. 650: Mr. LARGENT, Mr. BEREUTER, and Mr. BLAGOJEVICH.

H.R. 674: Mr. DIAZ-BALART and Mr. GREEN.

H.R. 681: Mr. MCKEON, Ms. LOFGREN, Ms. WATERS, Mr. DIXON, Mr. CALVERT, and Mr. CUNNINGHAM.

H.R. 689: Mr. KUCINICH and Ms. LOFGREN.

H.R. 725: Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma and Mr. HASTERT.

H.R. 740: Mr. FAWELL.

H.R. 768: Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. LEWIS of California, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. UPTON, and Mr. HOBSON.

H.R. 777: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. RANGEL, Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN, Mr. FAZIO of California, Ms. MCKINNEY, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, and Mr. HILLIARD.

H.R. 789: Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, and Mr. BEREUTER.

H.R. 806: Mr. HINOJOSA, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Ms. LOFGREN, and Mr. FALCOMA.

H.R. 815: Ms. HARMAN, Mr. ROGERS, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, and Mr. HOYER.

H.R. 863: Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. YATES, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. KIND of Wisconsin, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. MCGOVERN, and Mr. WEYGAND.

H.R. 873: Mr. RUSH.

H.R. 875: Mr. FROST, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, and Mr. COOKSEY.

H.R. 890: Mr. PAYNE and Mr. ADAM SMITH of Washington.

H.R. 920: Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. MEEHAN, and Mr. HINCHEY.

H.R. 928: Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. SNOWBARGER, Mr. RIGGS, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. SCARBOROUGH, Mr. BONILLA, Mr. BEREUTER, and Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 947: Mr. RILEY.

H.R. 956: Mr. WAXMAN.

H.R. 972: Mr. LUTHER.

H.R. 977: Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. LEWIS of California, and Mr. OXLEY.

H.R. 988: Mr. GUTIERREZ and Mr. HINCHEY.

H.R. 1002: Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. BISHOP, Ms. KILPATRICK, and Mr. MENENDEZ.

H.R. 1015: Mr. MILLER of California, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. NADLER, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. WEYGAND, and Mr. RUSH.

H.R. 1018: Mr. DELLUMS and Mr. EHLERS.

H.R. 1023: Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. COOK, Mr. BAESLER, Mr. DAVIS of Florida, Mr. CAMP, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. LEWIS of California, Mr. JOHN, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. MICA, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, and Mr. MURTHA.

H.R. 1042: Mr. HASTERT, Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN, Mr. FROST, Mr. RUSH, Mr. JACKSON, Mr. HYDE, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. LAHOOD, and Mr. SHIMKUS.

H.R. 1080: Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN.

H.R. 1125: Mr. MCINTYRE and Mr. SHAYS.

H.R. 1130: Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. VENTO, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. OBERSTAR, and Mr. RAHALL.

H.R. 1134: Mr. BEREUTER.

H.R. 1140: Mr. ALLEN and Mr. SAM JOHNSON.

H.R. 1156: Mr. PASCRELL.

H.R. 1169: Mr. BILBRAY and Mrs. MORELLA.

H.R. 1178: Mr. HINOJOSA.

H.R. 1202: Mr. CAMPBELL, Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, Mr. DELLUMS, Ms. FURSE, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. NADLER, Mr. ACKERMAN, and Mr. WAXMAN.