

birth defects, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce;

S. 478. An Act to designate the Federal building and United States courthouse located at 475 Mulberry Street in Macon, Georgia, as the "William Augustus Bootle Federal Building and United States Courthouse"; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure;

S. 628. An Act to designate the United States courthouse to be constructed at the corner of 7th Street and East Jackson Street in Brownsville, Texas, as the "Reynaldo G. Garza United States Courthouse"; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure;

S. 681. An Act to designate the Federal building and United States courthouse located at 300 Northeast First Avenue in Miami, Florida, as the "David W. Dyer Federal Courthouse"; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure;

S. 715. An Act to redesignate the Dublin Federal Courthouse building located in Dublin, Georgia, as the J. Roy Rowland Federal Courthouse; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure;

S. 819. An Act to designate the United States courthouse at 200 South Washington Street in Alexandria, Virginia, as the "Martin V. B. Bostetter, Jr. United States Courthouse"; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

¶66.25 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

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

And then,

¶66.26 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. NEUMANN, at 9 o'clock and 56 minutes p.m., the House adjourned.

¶66.27 TIME LIMITATION OF REFERRED BILL

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

H.R. 1778. Referral to the Committees on Commerce and Transportation and Infrastructure extended for a period ending not later than July 18, 1997.

¶66.28 REPORTED BILLS SEQUENTIALLY REFERRED

Under clause 5 of rule X, bills and reports were delivered to the Clerk for printing, and bills referred as follows:

Mr. SPENCE: Committee on National Security. H.R. 1778. A bill to reform the Department of Defense; with an amendment; referred to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight for a period ending not later than July 18, 1997, for consideration of such provisions of the bill and amendment as fall within the jurisdiction of that committee pursuant to clause 1(g), rule X. (Rept. No. 105-133, Pt. 1).

¶66.29 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. LAFALCE (for himself, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. VENTO, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Ms. WATERS, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. JACKSON, Ms. KILPATRICK, Ms. CARSON, Mr. TORRES, and Mr. SANDERS):

H.R. 1900. A bill to provide for adequate consumer protection in the provision of financial services, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. HYDE:

H.R. 1901. A bill to clarify that the protections of the Federal Tort Claims Act apply to the members and personnel of the National Gambling Impact Study Commission; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. HYDE (for himself, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. BERMAN, Ms. LOFGREN, and Mr. ROTHMAN):

H.R. 1902. A bill to immunize donations made in the form of charitable gift annuities and charitable remainder trusts from the antitrust laws and State laws similar to the antitrust laws; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SENSENBRENNER (for himself, Mr. BROWN of California, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. GORDON, Mr. DAVIS of Virginia, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. EHLERS, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. PICKERING, Mr. TRAFICANT; Mr. COOK, and Mr. CANNON):

H.R. 1903. A bill to amend the National Institute of Standards and Technology Act to enhance the ability of the National Institute of Standards and Technology to improve computer security, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Science.

By Mr. MCINTYRE (for himself, Mr. SPRATT, Mr. HEFNER, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. DELAHUNT, and Mr. KIND of Wisconsin):

H.R. 1904. A bill to amend the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States to clarify that certain footwear assembled in beneficiary countries is excluded from duty-free treatment, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MCINTYRE:

H.R. 1905. A bill to direct the Secretary of the Army to carry out an environmental restoration project at the Eastern Channel of the Lockwoods Folly River, Brunswick County, NC; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. DEFAZIO:

H.R. 1906. A bill to provide that pay for Members of Congress may not be increased by any adjustment scheduled to take effect in a year immediately following a fiscal year in which a deficit in the budget of the U.S. Government exists; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight, and in addition to the Committee on House Oversight, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. TANNER:

H.R. 1907. A bill to amend the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States to allow the duty-free entry of an additional quantity of green peanuts that are the product of Mexico; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BACHUS (for himself, Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma, and Mr. EVERETT):

H.R. 1908. A bill to prohibit performance of military honors and burial benefits to persons convicted of capital crimes; to the Committee on National Security, and in addition to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure, and Veterans' Affairs, 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. CANADY of Florida (for himself, Mr. HYDE, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mrs. FOWLER, Mr. COX of California, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. PAXON,

Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. WICKER, Mr. BLILEY, Mr. ROGAN, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. BARR of Georgia, Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. COBLE, Mr. GOSS, Mr. BONO, Mr. HERGER, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. BUNNING of Kentucky, Mr. THUNE, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. CALLAHAN, Mr. RIGGS, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. SPENCE, Mr. OXLEY, Mr. ROHRABACHER, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mr. SNOWBARGER, Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. RILEY, Mr. BRADY, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. COLLINS, Mr. CANNON, Mr. COOK, and Mrs. LINDA SMITH of Washington):

H.R. 1909. A bill to provide for equal protection of the law and to prohibit discrimination and preferential treatment on the basis of race, color, national origin, or sex in Federal actions, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committees on Education and the Workforce, Government Reform and Oversight, and House Oversight, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Ms. CARSON:

H.R. 1910. A bill to establish minimum nationwide nitrogen oxide pollution standards for fossil-fuel fired electric powerplants; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. CONDIT (for himself, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. DOOLEY of California, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. FILNER, Mr. GOODE, Mr. JOHN, Mr. POMBO, and Mr. RADANOVICH):

H.R. 1911. A bill to amend the Clear Air Act to impose certain requirements on areas upwind of ozone nonattainment areas, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. DAVIS of Virginia (for himself, Mr. WYNN, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, and Mr. WOLF):

H.R. 1912. A bill to prevent Government shutdowns; to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. DOGGETT:

H.R. 1913. A bill to require reauthorizations of budget authority for Government programs at least every 10 years, to provide for review of Government programs at least every 10 years, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Rules, and in addition to the Committees on the Budget, and Government Reform and Oversight, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania (for himself, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. CAMP, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, and Mr. BACHUS):

H.R. 1914. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow individuals to designate that up to 10 percent of their income tax liability be used to reduce the national debt, and to require spending reductions equal to the amounts so designated; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on 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. FRANK of Massachusetts:

H.R. 1915. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to provide that consensual sex-

ual activity between adults shall not be a violation of the Uniform Code of Military Justice; to the Committee on National Security.

By Mr. GEKAS:

H.R. 1916. A bill to prevent Government shutdowns; to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. GIBBONS:

H.R. 1917. A bill to amend the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 to transfer to State governments the authority of the Bureau of Land Management to require bonds or other financial guarantees for the reclamation of hardrock mineral operations; to the Committee on Resources.

H.R. 1918. A bill to validate conveyances of certain lands in the State of Nevada that form part of the right-of-way granted by the United States to the Central Pacific Railway Company; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. HOLDEN:

H.R. 1919. A bill to suspend until January 1, 2001, the duty on a chemical; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

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H.R. 1922. A bill to suspend until January 1, 2001, the duty on a chemical; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

H.R. 1923. A bill to suspend until January 1, 2001, the duty on a chemical; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

H.R. 1924. A bill to suspend until January 1, 2001, the duty on a chemical; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

H.R. 1925. A bill to suspend until January 1, 2001, the duty on a chemical; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

H.R. 1926. A bill to suspend until January 1, 2001, the duty on a chemical; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

H.R. 1927. A bill to suspend until January 1, 2001, the duty on a chemical; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

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H.R. 1929. A bill to suspend until January 1, 2001, the duty on a chemical; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

H.R. 1930. A bill to suspend until January 1, 2001, the duty on a chemical; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

H.R. 1931. A bill to suspend until January 1, 2001, the duty on a chemical; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

H.R. 1932. A bill to suspend until January 1, 2001, the duty on a chemical; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

H.R. 1933. A bill to suspend until January 1, 2001, the duty on a chemical; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

H.R. 1934. A bill to suspend until January 1, 2001, the duty on a chemical; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

H.R. 1935. A bill to suspend until January 1, 2001, the duty on a chemical; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

H.R. 1936. A bill to suspend until January 1, 2001, the duty on a chemical; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

H.R. 1937. A bill to suspend until January 1, 2001, the duty on a chemical; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

H.R. 1938. A bill to suspend until January 1, 2001, the duty on a chemical; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. MOLINARI:

H.R. 1939. A bill to modernize and improve Federal railroad infrastructure financing programs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. NUSSLE:

H.R. 1940. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on the chemical P-nitrobenzoic; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. RAMSTAD:

H.R. 1941. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide that reimbursements for costs of using passenger automobiles for charitable and other organizations are excluded from gross income; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN (for herself, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. GALLEGLY, and Mr. MANZULLO):

H.R. 1942. A bill to provide authority to control exports, and for other purposes; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. SKEEN:

H.R. 1943. A bill to convey certain real property within the Carlsbad Project in New Mexico to the Carlsbad Irrigation District; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. SMITH of Oregon:

H.R. 1944. A bill to provide for a land exchange involving the Warner Canyon Ski Area and other land in the State of Oregon; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. SPENCE (for himself, Mr. SPRATT, and Mr. GRAHAM):

H.R. 1945. A bill to amend the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States to suspend temporarily the duty on certain manufacturing equipment; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. TRAFICANT:

H.R. 1946. A bill to amend the Worker Adjustment and Retraining Notification Act to require an employer which is terminating its business to offer its employees an employee stock ownership plan; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. WALSH:

H.R. 1947. A bill to amend the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States with respect to shadow mask steel; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. YOUNG of Alaska:

H.R. 1948. A bill to provide for the exchange of lands within Admiralty Island National Monument, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mrs. CHENOWETH:

H.J. Res. 83. Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States, relating to the legal effect of certain treaties and other international agreements; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SOLOMON:

H. Res. 167. Resolution providing special investigative authorities for the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight; to the Committee on Rules.

¶66.30 MEMORIALS

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

132. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, relative to Resolutions memorializing the President and the Congress of the United States to negotiate an international ban on antipersonnel land mines; to the Committee on International Relations.

133. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of New Hampshire, relative to House Joint Resolution 7 urging the United States Congress and the Veterans Administration to maintain adequate health care services for New Hampshire veterans; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

¶66.31 PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 1 of rule XXII,

Mr. YATES introduced a bill (H.R. 1949) for the relief of Nuratu Olarewaju Abeke Kadiri; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

¶66.32 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 15: Mr. QUINN.
H.R. 27: Mr. HILL.
H.R. 66: Mr. ROTHMAN and Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma.

H.R. 96: Mr. QUINN and Mr. HOUGHTON.
H.R. 135: Mr. EDWARDS.
H.R. 145: Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. MILLER of California, and Mr. BAESLER.
H.R. 165: Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut and Mr. RUSH.

H.R. 282: Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. PAXON, and Mr. HOUGHTON.

H.R. 298: Mr. DELLUMS.
H.R. 305: Ms. PRYCE of Ohio.
H.R. 306: Mr. DOOLEY of California, Mr. FLAKE, and Ms. KILPATRICK.

H.R. 332: Mr. GOSS.
H.R. 335: Mr. GIBBONS.
H.R. 339: Mr. DOOLITTLE.
H.R. 367: Mr. VISCLOSKEY.

H.R. 431: Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD.
H.R. 450: Ms. SLAUGHTER and Mr. SCHIFF.
H.R. 556: Ms. MCKINNEY.

H.R. 598: Mr. GIBBONS.
H.R. 630: Mr. STARK.

H.R. 631: Mrs. MYRICK and Mr. JONES.
H.R. 676: Mr. ROTHMAN.

H.R. 681: Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. HUNTER, and Mr. HERGER.

H.R. 746: Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. PETRI, Mr. BROWN of California, and Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina.

H.R. 754: Mr. SNYDER.
H.R. 759: Mr. STUPAK.

H.R. 893: Mr. HILLIARD.
H.R. 894: Mrs. LOWEY.

H.R. 902: Mr. MILLER of Florida and Mr. COBLE.

H.R. 920: Mr. FLAKE, Mr. ALLEN, and Mr. DEUTSCH.

H.R. 953: Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Ms. KILPATRICK, and Mr. RUSH.

H.R. 992: Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. COMBEST, Ms. GRANGER, and Mr. SENSENBRENNER.

H.R. 1002: Mr. RUSH, Mr. BECERRA, and Mr. DEUTSCH.

H.R. 1029: Mr. ETHERIDGE, Mr. HALL of Ohio, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. CLAY, Mr. SCOTT, Mr. CONDIT, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. SERRANO, Ms. CARSON, and Mr. DELLUMS.

H.R. 1038: Ms. NORTON and Ms. SANCHEZ.

H.R. 1054: Mr. LEVIN, Mr. DELAHUNT, and Mr. SHIMKUS.

H.R. 1061: Mr. RAHALL.

H.R. 1114: Mr. PAYNE, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. HILL, Mr. WISE, Ms. STABENOW, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, and Mr. CRAMER.

H.R. 1126: Mrs. MINK of Hawaii.

H.R. 1146: Mr. SESSIONS.

H.R. 1147: Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. BRYANT, Mr. HILL, and Mr. BOUCHER.

H.R. 1165: Mr. WATT of North Carolina.

H.R. 1169: Mr. MANTON, Mr. PAUL, Mr. CAMP, and Mr. SESSIONS.

H.R. 1206: Mr. SISISKY.

H.R. 1241: Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. CAPPS, and Mr. MCKEON.

H.R. 1260: Mr. CONYERS and Mr. RODRIGUEZ.

H.R. 1283: Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mrs. ROUKEMA, and Mr. LINDER.

H.R. 1338: Mr. SCARBOROUGH.

H.R. 1375: Mr. CAPPS, Mr. SESSIONS, and Mr. CRAMER.

H.R. 1387: Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. COX of California, Mr. COYNE, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. HOYER, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. GOODLING, and Ms. CARSON.