

ment, transmitting the Office's final rule—Texas Regulatory Program and Abandoned Mine Land Reclamation Plan [SPATS No. TX-036-FOR] received February 26, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

7852. A letter from the Director, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, transmitting the Office's final rule—Kansas Regulatory Program and Abandoned Mine Land Reclamation Plan [SPATS No. KS-017-FOR] received February 25, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

7853. A letter from the Director, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, transmitting the Office's final rule—Louisiana Regulatory Program [SPATS No. LA-015-FOR] received March 6, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

7854. A letter from the Secretary, Judicial Conference of the United States, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to authorize the appointment of additional bankruptcy judges, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. 152(b)(2); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

7855. A letter from the President and Chief Executive Officer, Little League Baseball, transmitting the organization's annual report for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997, pursuant to 36 U.S.C. 1084(b); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

7856. A letter from the Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legislative Affairs, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to repeal section 310 of Public Law 99-554; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

7857. A letter from the Deputy Director, Bureau of Transportation Statistics, transmitting a report discussing current and emerging information needs for transportation decision making; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7858. A letter from the Vice President, Government Affairs, National Railroad Passenger Corporation (AMTRAK), transmitting the 1997 Annual Report, and Amtrak's FY 1998 Legislative Report and Grant Request, pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1701y(f)(2); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7859. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Exemption From Tax on Corporations, Certain Trusts [Rev. Rul. 98-15] received March 3, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

7860. A letter from the Director, Office of Management and Budget, transmitting a report entitled "The Economic Effects of the Northeast Interstate Dairy Compact," pursuant to Public Law 105-86; jointly to the Committees on Agriculture and Appropriations.

7861. A letter from the Secretary of Transportation, transmitting a final copy of the report, "Transportation in a World Class Capital"; jointly to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure and Government Reform and Oversight.

7862. A letter from the Chair, Medicare Payment Advisory Commission, transmitting a report entitled "Medicare Payment Policy"; jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and Commerce.

7863. A letter from the Railroad Retirement Board, transmitting the Board's justification of budget estimates for fiscal year 1999, pursuant to 45 U.S.C. 231f; jointly to the Committees on Appropriations, Transportation and Infrastructure, and Ways and Means.

¶15.4 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 bills of the House of the following titles:

H.R. 595. 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".

H.R. 3116. An Act to address the Year 2000 computer problems with regard to financial institutions, to extend examination parity to the Director of the Office of Thrift Supervision and the National Credit Union Administration, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that the Senate agrees to the amendments of the House to the bill (S. 347) "An Act to designate the Federal building located at 100 Alabama Street NW, in Atlanta, Georgia, as the 'Sam Nunn Federal Center'".

The message also announced that the Senate had passed a concurrent resolution of the following title, in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

S. Con. Res. 60. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress in support of efforts to foster friendship and cooperation between the United States and Mongolia, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that pursuant to Public Law 105-134, the Chair announces, on behalf of the Democratic Leader, his appointment of Donald R. Sweitzer, of Virginia, to serve as a member of the Amtrak Reform Council.

The message also announced that pursuant to Public Law 105-92, the Chair, on behalf of the Majority Leader, appoints the following individuals as participants in the 1998 National Summit on Retirement Income Savings—Wayne Angell of Kansas; Terry Atkinson of New York; John Bachmann of Missouri; Richard Billings of Iowa; Jay W. Bixby of Maryland; Ken Blackwell of Ohio; Jon A. Boscia of Indiana; Donald J. Butt of Colorado; Paula Calimafde of Maryland; Marshall N. Carter of Massachusetts; Nelson Civallo of Minnesota; Jerry Dattel of Louisiana; Charles Elliott of Mississippi; Bill Eubanks of Mississippi; Gary Fethke of Iowa; David Fisher of California; Lynn Franzoi of California; William J. Goldberg of Texas; Joe Grano of New York; Thomas J. Healey of New York; Melissa Hieger of Massachusetts; David R. Hubers of Minnesota; Marlynn Ingram of Iowa; Rich Jackson of Idaho; William M. Lyons of Missouri; Joe Malone of Massachusetts; Nancy J. Mayer of Rhode Island; Ron E. Merolli of Vermont; Dan Mitchell of Washington, D.C.; James A. Mitchell of Minnesota; Byron D. Oliver of Connecticut; Aubrey Patterson of Mississippi; Henry M. Paulson, Jr. of New York; Susan Phillips of Washington, D.C.; Michael E. Pietzsch of Arizona; Kenneth Porter of Delaware; Richard L. Prey of Iowa; Curt Pringle of California; Ronald W. Readmond of Maryland; Frank Ready of Mississippi; Elaine D. Rosen of Maine; Heather Ruth of New York; Linda Savitsky of Connecticut; John L. Steffens of New Jersey; Thomas C.

Walker of Iowa; Brad Walsh of Mississippi; Carolyn L. Weaver of Washington, D.C.; Milton Wells of Virginia; James Wordsworth of Virginia; and James W. Ziglar of Washington, D.C.

And then,

¶15.5 ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. TIAHRT, by unanimous consent, and pursuant to the special order agreed to on Thursday, March 5, 1998, at 2 o'clock and 4 minutes p.m., declared the House adjourned until 12:30 p.m. on Tuesday, March 10, 1998.

¶15.6 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. STRICKLAND (for himself and Mr. RAHALL):

H.R. 3408. A bill to amend the Appalachian Regional Development Act of 1965 to provide for local participation in decisions of States to dedesignate segments of the Appalachian development highway system; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. SOLOMON (for himself, Mr. PETRI, Mr. TANNER, Mr. DINGELL, and Mr. ORTIZ):

H. Con. Res. 238. Concurrent resolution authorizing the use of the Capitol Grounds for a breast cancer survivors event sponsored by the National Race for the Cure; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

¶15.7 MEMORIALS

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

253. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, relative to Assembly Resolution No. 11 memorializing Congress and EPA to include in drinking water standards the SAN trimer by-product of manufacturing processes using styrene and acrylonitrile; to the Committee on Commerce.

254. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the State of Michigan, relative to Senate Resolution No. 66 memorializing that public safety agencies are allotted sufficient access to radio frequency space; to the Committee on Commerce.

255. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Michigan, relative to House Resolution No. 173 memorializing the Congress of the United States to recognize the right of all citizens to hunt and fish; to the Committee on Resources.

256. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the State of California, relative to Senate Joint Resolution No. 33 memorializing the President and the Congress of the United States to enact legislation to rename the Washington National Airport as the "Ronald Reagan Washington National Airport"; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

¶15.8 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 165: Mr. LANTOS.

H.R. 1126: Mr. BILBRAY.

H.R. 2504: Mr. LANTOS and Mr. STUPAK.

H.R. 2652: Mr. LAHOOD.

H.R. 3127: Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. STUMP, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. DAVIS of Florida, Mr.