

the "National and Community Service Amendments Act of 1998." This legislative proposal extends and amends national service law, including the National and Community Service Act of 1990 and the Domestic Volunteer Service Act of 1973. It builds upon the long, bipartisan tradition of service in our country, which was renewed in 1993 when I signed the National and Community Service Trust Act creating the Corporation for National Service.

Service to one's community is an integral part of what it means to be an American. The Presidents' Summit for America's Future held in Philadelphia last April reinforced the role of programs supported by the Corporation for National Service as key vehicles to provide young people with the resources to maximize their potential and give back to their communities. Citizens service is also at the heart of our efforts to prepare America for the 21st century, as we work to ensure that all Americans have the opportunity to make the most of their own lives and to help those in need.

My Administration's most important contribution to citizen service is AmeriCorps, the national service program that already has given more than 100,000 young Americans the opportunity to serve their country. By tying opportunity to responsibility, we have given them the chance to serve and, in return, earn money for post-secondary education. In community after community, AmeriCorps members have proven that service can help us meet our most pressing social needs. For example, in Simpson County, Kentucky, AmeriCorps members helped second graders jump three grade levels in reading. In Boys and Girls Clubs, AmeriCorps members are mentors for at-risk young people. Habitat For Humanity relies upon AmeriCorps members to recruit more volunteers and build more houses. In communities beset by floods, tornadoes, and hurricanes, AmeriCorps members have helped to rebuild lives and restore hope. AmeriCorps members are helping to mobilize thousands of college students from more than 800 college campuses in our America Reads program. In all of these efforts, AmeriCorps brings together people of every background to work toward common goals.

Independent evaluators have reviewed AmeriCorps, National Senior Service Corps programs, and Learn and Serve America programs and have concluded that national service yields a positive return on investment. The proposed legislation that I am transmitting builds on our experiences with national service to date and improves national service programs in four ways: (1) by codifying agreements with the Congress and others to reduce costs and streamline national service; (2) strengthening partnerships with traditional volunteer organizations; (3) increasing States' flexibility to administer national service programs; and (4) expanding opportunities for Americans to serve.

Since the enactment of the National and Community Service Trust Act in 1993, and particularly since 1995, my Administration has worked with constructive critics of national service to address their concerns and improve the overall program. This proposed legislation continues that process by reducing the Corporation's average budgeted cost per AmeriCorps member, repealing authority for redundant or obsolete national service programs, and making other improvements in the efficiency of national service programs.

National service has never been a substitute for the contributions made by the millions of Americans who volunteer their time to worthy causes every year. Rather, as leaders of volunteer organizations have often expressed, national service has proven that the presence of full-time, trained service participants enhances tremendously the effectiveness of volunteers. This proposed legislation will strengthen the partnership between the national service programs and traditional volunteer organizations; codify the National Service Scholarship program honoring exemplary service by high school students; and expand the AmeriCorps Challenge Scholarships, through which national service participants can access education awards. It also will authorize appropriations for the Points of Light Foundation through the year 2002.

The National and Community Service Trust Act of 1993 explicitly conceived of national service as a Federal-State partnership. The Act vested significant authority in bipartisan State Commissions appointed by the Governors. I promised that we would accelerate the process of devolution as the newly created State Commissions expanded their capacities. This proposed legislation fulfills that promise in a variety of ways, including providing authority for the Corporation for National Service to enter into Service Collaboration Agreements with Governors to provide a means for coordinating the planning and administration of national service programs in a State.

This proposed legislation will also provide additional service opportunities. By reducing the cost per AmeriCorps member, it will enable more people to serve; it will broaden the age and income guidelines for National Senior Service Corps participants, expanding the pool of older Americans who can perform results-oriented service in their communities; and it will simplify the administration of Learn and Serve America, so States and communities will more easily be able to provide opportunities for students to learn through service in their schools and neighborhoods.

This past January, I had the opportunity to honor the memory of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., by engaging in service on the holiday commemorating his birth. I joined 65 AmeriCorps members and more than 300 community volunteers in repairing and re-

painting Cardozo High School in the Shaw neighborhood of Washington, DC. Thirty-one years ago, Dr. King came to that very neighborhood and urged the people there to engage in citizen service to rebuild their lives, their community, and their future. That is what those national service participants, and the thousands more who were participating in similar projects across the country, were doing—honoring the legacy of Dr. King and answering the high calling of citizenship in this country.

Each of the more than 500,000 participants in the programs of the National Senior Service Corps and the 750,000 participants in programs supported by Learn and Serve America, and every AmeriCorps member answers that high calling of citizenship when they make and fulfill a commitment to service in their communities. This proposed legislation builds on the successes of these programs and improves them for the future.

I urge the Congress to give this proposed legislation prompt and favorable consideration.

WILLIAM J. CLINTON.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *March 19, 1998.*

By unanimous consent, the message, together with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Education and the Workforce and ordered to be printed (H. Doc. 105-231).

¶22.20 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted—

To Mr. UNDERWOOD, for today through 12 noon on March 25; and

To Mr. MARTINEZ, for today.

And then,

¶22.21 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. DELAY, pursuant to the special order heretofore agreed to, at 3 o'clock and 21 minutes p.m., the House adjourned until 2 o'clock p.m. on Monday, March 23, 1998.

¶22.22 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. POMEROY (for himself, Mr. KOLBE, Mrs. KENNELLY of Connecticut, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. LEVIN, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. GREEN, Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. FROST, Mr. YATES, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. TORRES, Mr. EVANS, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, and Mr. SESSIONS):

H.R. 3503. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to enhance the portability of retirement benefits, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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 condition of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. SHUSTER (for himself and Mr. OBERSTAR) (both by request):

H.R. 3504. A bill to amend the John F. Kennedy Center Act to authorize appropriations

for the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts and to further define the criteria for capital repair and operation and maintenance; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. DOOLEY of California (for himself and Mr. BOYD):

H.R. 3505. A bill to amend the Clean Air Act to provide for the implementation of the revised ozone and particulate matter standards, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. EHLERS (for himself, Mr. JONES, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. HORN, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. ADERHOLT, Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mr. BARR of Georgia, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. SUNUNU, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. GILCHREST, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. WATKINS, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. GANSKE, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. BUNNING of Kentucky, Mr. EWING, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. BATEMAN, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. CAMP, Mr. LEACH, Mr. FAZIO of California, Mr. BURR of North Carolina, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. FAWELL, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. BILBRAY, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. LINDER, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. STUMP, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, and Mr. CALLAHAN):

H.R. 3506. A bill to award a congressional gold medal to Gerald R. and Betty FORD; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. SPENCE:

H.R. 3507. A bill to suspend until December 31, 2001, the duty on certain electrical transformers for use in the manufacture of audio systems; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

H.R. 3508. A bill to suspend until December 31, 2001, the duty on loudspeakers not mounted in their enclosures; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

H.R. 3509. A bill to suspend until December 31, 2001, the duty on parts for use in the manufacture of loudspeakers; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BONIOR (for himself, Mr. GEPHARDT, Mr. FAZIO of California, Mrs. KENNELLY of Connecticut, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. FROST, Mr. CLAY, Mr. OWENS, Mr. HINCHEY, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. CARDIN, Ms. CARSON, Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. COYNE, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. DICKS, Mr. DIXON, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. EVANS, Mr. FALOMAVAEGA, Mr. FORD, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. GREEN, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. HALL of Ohio, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. HEFNER, Mr. HILLIARD, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, Mr. JACKSON, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. KILDEE, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. KLINK, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. LEVIN, Ms. LOFGREN, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. MANTON, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. MASCARA, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. MEEHAN, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. MILLER of California, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. MOAKLEY, Mr. NADLER, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Ms. NOR-

TON, Mr. OLVER, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. PAYNE, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. POSHARD, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mrs. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. RUSH, Mr. SABO, Ms. SANCHEZ, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. SAWYER, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. SCOTT, Mr. SHERMAN, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. STARK, Mr. STOKES, Mr. STRICKLAND, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. THOMPSON, Mr. TORRES, Mr. TOWNS, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, Mr. VENTO, Ms. WATERS, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. WEYGAND, Mr. WEXLER, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. WYNN, Mr. YATES, Mr. FILNER, and Mr. OBEY):

H.R. 3510. A bill to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to increase the Federal minimum wage; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. THOMAS (for himself, Mr. STARK, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. MCCRERY, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. CAMP, Mr. LINDER, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. SAM JOHNSON, and Mr. TOWNS):

H.R. 3511. A bill to amend title XI of the Social Security Act to authorize the Secretary of Health and Human Services to provide additional exceptions to the imposition of civil money penalties in cases of payments to beneficiaries; 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. CHRISTENSEN:

H.R. 3512. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, with respect to Federal prisoners, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. CLAYTON (for herself, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. FROST, Mr. BISHOP, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. THOMPSON, Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. PASTOR, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. ETHERIDGE, Mr. MASCARA, Mr. HILLIARD, Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN, Mr. BAESLER, Mr. CONDIT, Mr. SKELTON, Mr. POMEROY, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. STARK, Ms. FURSE, Ms. DANNER, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. GEPHARDT, Mr. SCOTT, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. MCINTYRE, Mr. DOOLEY of California, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. FALOMAVAEGA, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. RUSH, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. WYNN, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, and Mr. WATT of North Carolina):

H.R. 3513. A bill to reform agricultural credit programs of the Department of Agriculture, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. CONYERS (for himself, Mr. SCHUMER, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. BALDACCIO, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. BOUCHER, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. BROWN of California, Ms. CARSON, Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. COYNE, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. CUMMINGS, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. DELAHUNT, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. DOOLEY of California, Mr. ENGEL, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. EVANS, Mr. FALOMAVAEGA, Mr. FAZIO of California, Mr. FILNER, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. FORD, Mr. FROST, Ms. FURSE, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. GEPHARDT, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Ms. HARMAN, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. JACKSON, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Mrs. KENNELLY of Connecticut, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. LEACH, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Ms.

LOFGREN, Mrs. LOWEY, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. MANTON, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. MEEHAN, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. NADLER, Ms. NORTON, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. PAYNE, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. POMEROY, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. RUSH, Ms. SANCHEZ, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. SAWYER, Mr. SCOTT, Mr. SHERMAN, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. STARK, Mr. TORRES, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. VENTO, Ms. WATERS, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. WEXLER, and Ms. WOOLSEY):

H.R. 3514. A bill to prevent violence against women, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committees on Education and the Workforce, Ways and Means, Commerce, Banking and Financial Services, National Security, 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. EHRlich:

H.R. 3515. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to exclude from income, for purposes of determining annual income for veterans' non-service-connected disability pension, amounts received by a veteran from any judgment or settlement of a claim for damages against the Secretary of Veterans Affairs; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania:

H.R. 3516. 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 Ways and Means, Commerce, 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. FOX of Pennsylvania:

H.R. 3517. A bill to allow postal patrons to contribute to funding for diabetes research through the voluntary purchase of certain specially issued United States postage stamps; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

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

H.R. 3518. A bill to provide for a transition to market-based rates for power sold by the Federal Power Marketing Administrations and the Tennessee Valley Authority, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources, and in addition to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure, and 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 Ms. GRANGER (for herself and Mr. ROEMER):

H.R. 3519. A bill to require the Occupational Safety and Health Administration to recognize that electronic forms of providing MSDSs provide the same level of access to information as paper copies; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. HASTINGS of Washington:

H.R. 3520. A bill to adjust the boundaries of the Lake Chelan National Recreation Area and the adjacent Wenatchee National Forest in the State of Washington; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. HOBSON:

H.R. 3521. A bill to provide for the conveyance of the Army Reserve Center in James-

town, Ohio, to benefit the Greeneview Local School District of Jamestown, Ohio; to the Committee on National Security.

By Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island:

H.R. 3522. A bill to amend the Act entitled "An Act to establish the Blackstone River Valley National Heritage Corridor in Massachusetts and Rhode Island" to reauthorize assistance for historic, recreational, and environmental education projects related to the Blackstone River Valley National Heritage Corridor; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. MCCOLLUM (for himself, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. BALDACC, Mr. BARR of Georgia, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. BOYD, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. COLLINS, Mr. COOKSEY, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mr. FOLEY, Mrs. FOWLER, Mr. GEKAS, Mr. GOSS, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. HOBSON, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts, Mr. LIVINGSTON, Mr. MCCRERY, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. MICA, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. MOAKLEY, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. NEY, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. OLVER, Mr. PAUL, Mr. PORTER, Mr. REGULA, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. SCARBOROUGH, Mr. SHAW, Mr. SPENCE, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. TALENT, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. WELDON of Florida, and Mr. WEXLER):

H.R. 3523. A bill to amend the false claims provisions of title 31, United States Code; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. MCDERMOTT (for himself, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, and Mrs. KENNELLY of Connecticut):

H.R. 3524. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to increase the standard deduction for joint filers; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MORAN of Virginia:

H.R. 3525. A bill to amend the National Highway System Designation Act of 1995 to specify the number and use of vehicle lanes on any replacement of the Woodrow Wilson Memorial Bridge, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. SHAYS (for himself, Mr. MEEHAN, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. LEACH, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. LUTHER, Mr. BILBRAY, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. MINGE, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, and Mr. ALLEN):

H.R. 3526. A bill to reform the financing of Federal elections; 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. SISISKY:

H.R. 3527. A bill to amend the Act entitled "An Act to establish a national military park at the battle fields of the siege of Petersburg, Virginia", approved July 3, 1926, to limit the authority of the Department of the Interior to impose fees for entrance to the City Point Unit of Petersburg National Battlefield; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma (for himself, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, and Mr. LEWIS of Georgia):

H. Con. Res. 247. Concurrent resolution recognizing the contributions of the Reverend Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. to the civil society of the United States and the world and to

the cause of nonviolent social and political change to advance social justice and equality for all races and calling on the people of the United States to study, reflect on, and celebrate the life of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., on the thirtieth anniversary of his death; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

¶22.23 REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII.:

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. H.R. 3113. A bill to reauthorize the Rhinoceros and Tiger Conservation Act of 1994 (Rept. No. 105-455); which was referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

¶22.24 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 127: Mr. HUTCHINSON and Mr. THUNE.
 H.R. 218: Mr. CLEMENT.
 H.R. 371: Mr. BLAGOJEVICH.
 H.R. 442: Mr. PAUL.
 H.R. 453: Mr. RANGEL and Mrs. KELLY.
 H.R. 493: Mrs. CAPPS.
 H.R. 620: Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania.
 H.R. 758: Mr. OXLEY.
 H.R. 789: Mr. HASTINGS of Washington.
 H.R. 863: Mr. TIERNEY.
 H.R. 934: Ms. DANNER.
 H.R. 981: Mr. PAYNE, Mr. TORRES, Ms. SANCHEZ, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. CASTLE, Mr. FAWELL, Mr. HORN, and Mr. RUSH.
 H.R. 991: Mr. LEVIN.
 H.R. 1054: Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. WELLER, and Mr. DAVIS of Virginia.
 H.R. 1134: Mr. MOAKLEY.
 H.R. 1151: Mr. ROGAN and Mr. ENGEL.
 H.R. 1241: Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon.
 H.R. 1356: Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. GREEN, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. REDMOND, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. NADLER, and Mr. BEREUTER.
 H.R. 1415: Mr. DIXON and Mr. BASS.
 H.R. 1823: Mr. GUTIERREZ.
 H.R. 1891: Mr. LEVIN, Mr. KLUG, Ms. DUNN of Washington, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. BASS, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, and Mr. BLUMENAUER.
 H.R. 2124: Mrs. CUBIN and Mr. HILL.
 H.R. 2130: Mr. LANTOS, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. BALDACC, Mr. WEXLER, and Mr. GEJDENSON.
 H.R. 2409: Ms. DELAURO, Mr. HALL of Ohio, and Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania.
 H.R. 2499: Mr. WATKINS, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Mr. BECERRA, and Mr. BARCIA of Michigan.

H.R. 2541: Mr. WELDON of Florida.
 H.R. 2568: Mr. CLYBURN.
 H.R. 2609: Mr. HOEKSTRA and Mr. BLUNT.
 H.R. 2708: Mr. DREIER, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mrs. NORTHUP, and Mr. BRADY.
 H.R. 2734: Mr. NETHERCUTT.

H.R. 2758: Mr. ROYCE, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. FROST, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. JOHN. Mr. COBURN, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. FILNER, Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma, Mr. NEY, Mr. KLUG, Mr. GUTKNECHT, and Mr. CAMP.
 H.R. 2774: Mr. SHERMAN.
 H.R. 2786: Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut.
 H.R. 2798: Mr. RUSH, Mr. JACKSON, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. HYDE, Mr. CRANE, Mr. YATES, Mr. PORTER, Mr. WELLER, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. FAWELL, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. EWING, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. EVANS, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. POSHARD, and Mr. SHIMKUS.

H.R. 2799: Mr. RUSH, Mr. JACKSON, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. HYDE, Mr. CRANE, Mr. YATES, Mr. PORTER, Mr. WELLER, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. FAWELL, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. EWING, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr.

EVANS, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. POSHARD, and Mr. SHIMKUS.

H.R. 2817: Ms. LOFGREN, Ms. FURSE, and Mrs. KENNELLY of Connecticut.

H.R. 2819: Mr. LEVIN and Mr. BROWN of California.

H.R. 2829: Mr. CLEMENT, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. SHAW, and Mr. SOUDER.

H.R. 2850: Mr. WAXMAN.

H.R. 2884: Mr. RAMSTAD and Mr. KING of New York.

H.R. 2914: Mr. BERRY.

H.R. 2931: Mr. LAMPSON and Mr. GOODLING.

H.R. 2960: Mr. BARCIA of Michigan.

H.R. 3027: Ms. LOFGREN.

H.R. 3028: Ms. LOFGREN.

H.R. 3050: Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin.

H.R. 3055: Mr. DIAZ-BALART and Mrs. MEEK of Florida.

H.R. 3081: Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. HORN, Mr. LEACH, Mr. FOLEY, and Mr. KLECZKA.

H.R. 3093: Mr. HUTCHINSON.

H.R. 3134: Mr. BORSKI and Mr. VENTO.

H.R. 3149: Mr. KOLBE.

H.R. 3151: Mr. KOLBE.

H.R. 3156: Mr. HOBSON, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. FILNER, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. HORN, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. DAVIS of Florida, Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts, Mr. COYNE, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. BROWN of California, and Mr. LUTHER.

H.R. 3159: Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Ms. LOFGREN, and Mr. SOLOMON.

H.R. 3168: Mrs. CHENOWETH.

H.R. 3206: Mr. WELLER and Mr. CAMPBELL.

H.R. 3217: Mr. KLECZKA and Mr. KLING.

H.R. 3243: Mr. BILIRAKIS.

H.R. 3248: Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. CRAPO, and Mr. SOUDER.

H.R. 3259: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

H.R. 3265: Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. BATEMAN, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, and Mr. WATKINS.

H.R. 3269: Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island.

H.R. 3276: Mr. NETHERCUTT.

H.R. 3290: Mr. NEY, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, Mr. EHRlich, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. RAMSTAD, and Mrs. MORELLA.

H.R. 3300: Mr. MATSUI and Mr. MANTON.

H.R. 3331: Mr. SANFORD.

H.R. 3335: Mr. CANADY of Florida.

H.R. 3464: Mr. HASTINGS of Florida and Mrs. MALONEY of New York.

H.J. Res. 114: Mr. GANSKE, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. BARR of Georgia, Mr. TRAFICANT, and Mr. HUNTER.

H. Con. Res. 47: Mr. TIERNEY.

H. Con. Res. 186: Mr. CALVERT.

H. Con. Res. 211: Mrs. MYRICK and Mr. NEY.

H. Con. Res. 219: Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. COOKSEY, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, and Mr. HASTINGS of Florida.

H. Con. Res. 246: Mr. SUNUNU, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Mr. BONIOR, and Mr. MORAN of Virginia.

H. Res. 37: Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Ms. RIVERS, and Mr. DAVIS of Florida.

H. Res. 380: Mr. RIGGS.

¶22.25 DELETIONS OF SPONSORS FROM PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, sponsor was deleted from the public bill as follows:

H.R. 94: Mr. DELAHUNT.

MONDAY, MARCH 23, 1998 (23)

¶23.1 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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