

Forest, Prescott National Forest, and Tonto National Forest in the State of Arizona; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. YOUNG of Alaska (for himself, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. COX of California, and Mr. BARR of Georgia):

H.R. 4014. A bill to require that new signs installed on Park Service Lands on or adjacent to the George Washington Memorial Parkway in Northern Virginia, Maryland, the District of Columbia, or elsewhere, directing motorists to Ronald Reagan National Airport must comply with the will of Congress, the President, and the American people by prominently including the full name, "Ronald Reagan National Airport," and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. FORD (for himself, Ms. CARSON, Mr. HOLDEN, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. FROST, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, and Mr. SANDLIN):

H. Con. Res. 287. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress that the President should take certain actions to address violence in schools in the United States; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. GILMAN (for himself, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. ROHRABACHER, Mr. FALOMAVAEGA, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. ROYCE, and Mr. KIM):

H. Res. 459. A resolution commemorating 50 years of relations between the United States and the Republic of Korea; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. WEYGAND:

H. Res. 460. A resolution recognizing the 20th anniversary of the founding of the Vietnam Veterans of America; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

§53.25 MEMORIALS

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

330. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Hawaii, relative to House Concurrent Resolution No. 43 memorializing that Congress is urged to require that the importation of all agricultural products into Hawaii have a designation of country or origin and a certification of inspection based on United States Department of Agriculture standards to verify that each imported product has passed all U.S. health and agricultural requirements; to the Committee on Agriculture.

331. Also, a memorial of the General Assembly of the State of California, relative to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 65 memorializing the federal Health Care Financing Administration, and the Congress and the President of the United States to preserve the state plan to implement the Healthy Families Program in its current approved form; to the Committee on Commerce.

332. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Nevada, relative to Resolution 98-1 memorializing that Congress is urged to enact legislation terminating the Interior Columbia Basin Ecosystem Management Project with no record of decision being approved for the project and to refrain from any further appropriation of money to federal agencies for the project; to the Committee on Resources.

333. Also, a memorial of the General Assembly of the State of California, relative to Assembly Joint Resolution Number 66 memorializing that the Legislature of the State of California supports the granting of an official apology and restitution to World War II Japanese Latin American internees pursuant to federal law; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

§53.26 PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 1 of Rule XXII,

Mr. SCHUMER introduced a bill (H.R. 4015) for the relief of Kerantha Poole-Christian; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

§53.27 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

- H.R. 7: Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota.
- H.R. 8: Mr. MCKEON and Mr. PACKARD.
- H.R. 350: Mr. STRICKLAND.
- H.R. 371: Ms. CARSON.
- H.R. 953: Ms. STABENOW and Ms. CARSON.
- H.R. 979: Mr. HILL, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, and Mr. WOLF.
- H.R. 1289: Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut.
- H.R. 1401: Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri and Mr. JEFFERSON.
- H.R. 1450: Mr. WAXMAN.
- H.R. 1628: Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania and Mr. DAN SCHAEFER of Colorado.
- H.R. 1883: Mr. BENTSEN.
- H.R. 1891: Mr. HUTCHINSON.
- H.R. 2023: Mr. NADLER.
- H.R. 2173: Mr. HUNTER.
- H.R. 2174: Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. NADLER, and Mr. YATES.
- H.R. 2281: Mrs. BONO and Mr. PAXON.
- H.R. 2327: Mr. DOOLEY of California.
- H.R. 2409: Mr. BLUNT, Mr. PAPPAS, Mr. GILMAN, and Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut.
- H.R. 2456: Mr. BOSWELL.
- H.R. 2485: Mr. BLUNT.
- H.R. 2588: Mrs. CAPP.
- H.R. 2695: Mr. HILLIARD.
- H.R. 2789: Mr. RUSH, Mr. CLAY, Mr. GONZALEZ, and Mr. MCGOVERN.
- H.R. 2849: Mr. RUSH, Mr. LAMPSON, Ms. WALTERS, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mrs. LOWEY, and Mr. BALDACCI.
- H.R. 2914: Mr. HEFNER.
- H.R. 2951: Mr. JENKINS.
- H.R. 2955: Mr. KING of New York, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. YATES, and Mr. BOEHLERT.
- H.R. 3081: Mrs. KELLY and Mr. JACKSON.
- H.R. 3176: Mr. BRYANT.
- H.R. 3205: Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO.
- H.R. 3240: Mr. DELAHUNT and Ms. STABENOW.
- H.R. 3247: Mr. KUCINICH, Mrs. EMERSON, and Mr. FORBES.
- H.R. 3259: Ms. WOOLSEY and Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon.
- H.R. 3267: Mrs. BONO.
- H.R. 3290: Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma, Mr. PALLONE, and Ms. FURSE.
- H.R. 3292: Mrs. THURMAN.
- H.R. 3547: Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts.
- H.R. 3567: Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. MCHALE, Mr. ROTHMAN, and Mr. COSTELLO.
- H.R. 3629: Mr. SCARBOROUGH, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. SALMON, Mr. COOKSEY, and Mr. SMITH of New Jersey.
- H.R. 3632: Mr. NETHERCUTT, Ms. ROSLEHTINEN, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. FARR of California, and Mr. SHIMKUS.
- H.R. 3651: Mrs. KELLY, Mr. SANDLIN, and Mr. STOKES.
- H.R. 3662: Mr. YATES, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. KANJORSKI, and Mr. ENGEL.
- H.R. 3684: Mr. GILLMOR.
- H.R. 3688: Mr. JEFFERSON.
- H.R. 3731: Mr. BLILEY, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. JENKINS, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. FAWELL, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. WOLF, Ms. DUNN of Washington, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. FROST, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. LIVINGSTON, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr.

GOODLATTE, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. STOKES, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. BARR of Georgia, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. KING of New York, and Mr. DAN SCHAEFER of Colorado.

H.R. 3788: Mr. CHRISTENSEN and Mr. POMEROY.

H.R. 3789: Mr. SENSENBRENNER.

H.R. 3802: Mr. TORRES and Ms. RIVERS.

H.R. 3807: Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. GOODLING, Mr. BOB SCHAEFER, of Colorado, Mr. SUNUNU, and Mr. YOUNG of Alaska.

H.R. 3820: Ms. WATERS.

H.R. 3821: Mrs. MYRICK, Mrs. NORTHUP, Mr. SOUDER, Ms. CARSON, and Mr. GOODLATTE.

H.R. 3858: Ms. GRANGER and Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma.

H.R. 3870: Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. DICKEY, Mr. PITTS, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. PAUL, Mr. COOK, Mr. WELLER, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. ALLEN, and Mr. WATKINS.

H.R. 3875: Mr. MARTINEZ and Mr. FILNER.

H.R. 3881: Mr. DAVIS of Florida.

H.R. 3892: Mr. STUMP and Mr. NORWOOD.

H.R. 3918: Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. TORRES, and Mr. LUTHER.

H.R. 3949: Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mrs. CUBIN, and Mr. STENHOLM.

H.R. 3966: Mr. BOSWELL.

H.R. 3975: Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma and Mr. OXLEY.

H.R. 3980: Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. FOSSELLA, and Ms. CARSON.

H.R. 3995: Mr. RANGEL.

H. Con. Res. 203: Mr. DAN SCHAEFER of Colorado, and Mrs. LINDA SMITH of Washington.

H. Con. Res. 258: Mr. RUSH, Mr. TORRES, and Mr. GREENWOOD.

H. Con. Res. 278: Mr. HALL of Texas and Mr. BOB SCHAEFER.

H. Con. Res. 281: Mrs. MORELLA.

H. Res. 37: Mr. MENENDEZ and Ms. CARSON.

H. Res. 444: Ms. CARSON and Mr. FROST.

H. Res. 451: Mr. WELLER, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. FAWELL, Mr. JACKSON, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. POSHARD, Mr. PORTER, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. EWING, Mr. EVANS, Mr. MANZULLO, and Mr. RUSH.

§53.28 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. 1054: Mr. SPRATT.
- H.R. 1766: Mr. DOGGETT.
- H. Con. Res. 240: Mr. DOGGETT.

TUESDAY, JUNE 9, 1998 (54)

§54.1 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The House was called to order at 12:30 o'clock p.m. by the SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BALLENGER, who laid before the House the following communication:

WASHINGTON, DC,
June 9, 1998.

I hereby designate the Honorable CASS BALLENGER to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NEWT GINGRICH,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

§54.2 MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Mr. Lundregan, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate had passed without amendment a bill of the House of the following title:

H.R. 3811. An Act to establish felony violations for the failure to pay legal child support obligations, and for other purposes.

¶54.3 "MORNING-HOUR DEBATE"

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BALLENGER, pursuant to the order of the House of Tuesday, January 21, 1997, recognized Members for "morning-hour debate".

¶54.4 RECESS—1:02 P.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BALLENGER, pursuant to clause 12 of rule I, declared the House in recess until 2 o'clock p.m.

¶54.5 AFTER RECESS—2 P.M.

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

¶54.6 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. UPTON, announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Friday, June 5, 1998.

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

¶54.7 COMMUNICATIONS

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

9529. A letter from the Manager, Federal Crop Insurance Corporation, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Peanut Crop Insurance Regulations; and Common Crop Insurance Regulations, Peanut Crop Insurance Provisions (RIN: 0563-AA85) received June 4, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

9530. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting his requests for FY 1999 budget amendments totaling \$294 million for programs that are designed to strengthen our ability to deter and respond to terrorist incidents involving the use of biological or chemical weapons, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1107; (H. Doc. No. 105—270); to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

9531. A letter from the Deputy Secretary of Defense, transmitting a report entitled "Report to Congress on the Use of the DoD Laboratory Revitalization Demonstration Program," pursuant to Public Law 104—106; to the Committee on National Security.

9532. A letter from the Assistant to the Board, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, transmitting the Board's final rule—Leverage Capital Standards: Tier 1 Leverage Ratio [Regulation Y; Docket No. R-0948] received June 2, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

9533. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Office of Policy, Food and Drug Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Indirect Food Additives: Adjuvants, Production Aids, and Sanitizers [Docket No. 87F-0162] received June 1, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

9534. A letter from the Assistant Legal Adviser for Treaty Affairs, Department of State, transmitting copies of international agreements, other than treaties, entered into by the United States, pursuant to 1 U.S.C. 112b(a); to the Committee on International Relations.

9535. A letter from the Director of Congressional Affairs, Central Intelligence Agency, transmitting reports on uncontrolled treaty-limited equipment, pursuant to section 2, paragraph 5(e) of the Resolution of Ratification of the CFE Flank Document; to the Committee on International Relations.

9536. A letter from the Secretary of Commerce, transmitting the semiannual report on the activities of the Inspector General for the period ending March 31, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

9537. A letter from the Secretary of Education, transmitting the semiannual report to Congress of the Inspector General of the Department of Education for the period October 1, 1997, through March 31, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

9538. A letter from the Secretary of Transportation, transmitting the semiannual report of the Inspector General for the period ending March 31, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

9539. A letter from the Interim District of Columbia Auditor, District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of a report entitled "Reveiw of the Financial and Administrative Activities of the Boxing And Wrestling Commission For Fiscal Years 1996 and 1997," pursuant to D.C. Code section 47—117(d); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

9540. A letter from the Chairman, District of Columbia Financial Responsibility and Management Assistance Authority, transmitting the Financial Plan and Budget for the District of Columbia for Fiscal Year 1999, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1—732 and 1—734(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

9541. A letter from the Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's fiscal year 1997 financial report on the Treasury Forfeiture Fund, pursuant to Public Law 102—393, section 638(b)(1) (106 Stat. 1783); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

9542. A letter from the Acting Comptroller General, General Accounting Office, transmitting a monthly listing of new investigations, audits, and evaluations; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

9543. A letter from the Chairman, Consumer Product Safety Commission, transmitting the report from the Acting Inspector General covering the activities of his office for the period of October 1, 1997 through March 31, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

9544. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Trade Commission, transmitting the semiannual report of final actions of the Office of Inspector General for the period ending March 31, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

9545. A letter from the Chairman, National Credit Union Administration, transmitting the semiannual report on the activities of the Office of Inspector General for the period October 1, 1997 through March 31, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

9546. A letter from the Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting the Office's final rule—Reduction In Force Retreat Right (RIN: 3206-AG77) received June 4, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

9547. A letter from the Secretary of Labor, transmitting the semiannual reports of the Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation and the Office of Inspector General for the period October 1, 1997 through March 31, 1998, pursu-

ant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

9548. A letter from the Commissioner, Social Security Administration, transmitting the semiannual report on the activities of the Office of Inspector General for the period October 1, 1997 through March 31, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

9549. A letter from the Director, United States Information Agency, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the Inspector General for the period October 1, 1997 through March 31, 1998, also the Management Report for the same period, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

9550. A letter from the Chairman, United States International Trade Commission, transmitting the semiannual report on the activities of the Office of Inspector General for the period October 1, 1997 through March 31, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

9551. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Land and Minerals Management, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Blowout Preventer (BOP) Testing Requirements for Drilling and Completion Operations (RIN: 1010-AC37) received June 4, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

9552. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior, transmitting a proposed plan related to the use and distribution of the judgement awarded to the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians in Docket Nos. 18-E, 58 and 364, before the Indian Claims Commission, pursuant to 25 U.S.C. 1403 (b); to the Committee on Resources.

9553. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Fisheries of the Caribbean, Gulf of Mexico, and South Atlantic; Shrimp Fishery of the Gulf of Mexico; Data Collection [Docket No. 980513127-8127-01; I.D. 050598A] (RIN: 0648-AL15) received June 2, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

9554. A letter from the Assistant Administrator, Office of Oceanic and Atmospheric Research, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Regional Nonindigenous Species Research and Outreach and Improved Methods for Ballast Water Treatment and Management: Request for Proposals for 1998 [Docket No. 980415097-8097-01] (RIN: 0648-ZA40) received June 4, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

9555. 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; Community Development Quota Program [Docket No. 970703166-8129-03; I.D. 060997A] (RIN: 0648-AH65) received June 4, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

9556. A letter from the Assistant Secretary of Commerce and Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule—Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Disclosures [Docket No: 960828235-8109-02] (RIN: 0651-AA88) received May 26, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

9557. A letter from the Assistant Secretary and Commissioner of Patents and Trade-