CLYBURN, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. HILLIARD, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. RUSH, Mr. SCOTT, Mr. WATT of North Carolina, Mr. WYNN, Mr. THOMPSON, Mr. FATTAH, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Mr. JACKSON, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. CUMMINGS, Ms. CARSON, Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. FORD, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. MEEKS of New York, Ms. LEE, Mr. GEPHARDT, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. TURNER, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. FROST, Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. ORTIZ, Mr. EDWARDS, Mr. GREEN, Mr. BENTSEN, Mr. DOGGETT, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. REYES, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. GINGRICH, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. BOEHNER, Ms. DUNN of Washington, Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, Mr. LINDER, Mr. FAZIO of California, Mrs. KENNELLY of Connecticut, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. MCNULTY, Mr. WAMP, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mrs. CHENOWETH, Mr. SISISKY, Mr. ENGEL, Ms. FURSE, Mr. MILLER of California, Mr. OLVER, Ms. HARMAN, Mrs. BONO, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. BACHUS, and Mr. POSHARD):

H. Res. 466. A resolution condemning the brutal killing of Mr. James BYRD, Jr.; to the Committee on the Judiciary. discharged; considered and adopted.

By Mrs. MALONEY of New York:

H. Res. 467. A resolution providing for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 3526) to reform the financing of Federal elections; to the Committee on Rules.

By Mrs. MALONEY of New York:

H. Res. 468. A resolution providing for further consideration of the bill (H.R. 2183) to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to reform the financing of campaigns for elections for Federal office, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Rules.

By Mr. HALL of Texas (for himself, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. BENTSEN, Mr. DELAY, Mr. FILNER, Mr. SMITH of Oregon, Mr. ARCHER, Mr. ROHRABACHER, Mr. BRADY of Texas, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. ORTIZ, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. BONILLA, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. FROST, Mr. SKEEN, Mr. MANTON, Mr. EDWARDS, Mr. REDMOND, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. STENHOLM, and Mr. TURNER):

H. Res. 469. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives regarding assistance to Mexico to combat wildfires, and for other purposes; to the Committee on International Relations.

¶56.31 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 44: Mr. SCARBOROUGH and Mr. BEREUTER.
H.R. 65: Mr. MCDERMOTT.
H.R. 165: Mr. LOBIONDO.
H.R. 303: Mr. MCDERMOTT.
H.R. 464: Ms. DEGETTE.
H.R. 611: Ms. LEE and Ms. DANNER.
H.R. 872: Mr. PALLONE.
H.R. 1126: Mr. MCNULTY, Mr. SCARBOROUGH, and Mr. RANGEL.
H.R. 1173: Mr. DEFAZIO, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, and Mr. HOLDEN.
H.R. 1231: Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO.
H.R. 1382: Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. MCGOVERN, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. QUINN, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. BISHOP, Mr. BARCIA of Michigan, and Mr. FORBES.
H.R. 1401: Mrs. BONO and Mrs. CAPPS.
H.R. 1404: Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. FROST, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. OBEY, and Mrs. MEEK of Florida.
H.R. 1450: Mr. DELAHUNT.
H.R. 1560: Mr. PORTMAN, Mr. LAZIO of New York, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, and Mr. SKAGGS.
H.R. 1671: Mr. SANDERS.
H.R. 1689: Mr. THOMAS and Mr. MORAN of Kansas.
H.R. 1737: Mr. LEWIS of California.
H.R. 1995: Mr. JOHN, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, and Mr. DEUTSCH.
H.R. 2023: Mr. BORSKI, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. GEJDENSON, Ms. LEE, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. SANDERS, Ms. SANCHEZ, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, and Mr. FORD.
H.R. 2321: Mr. BARCIA of Michigan.
H.R. 2372: Mr. BARTON of Texas.
H.R. 2455: Mr. MASCARA and Mr. BOSWELL.
H.R. 2499: Mr. KOLBE, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. THOMPSON, and Mr. JOHN.
H.R. 2525: Mr. WEXLER and Mr. TOWNS.
H.R. 2547: Mr. WAXMAN.
H.R. 2560: Mr. SPRATT, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. LEWIS of California, and Ms. LEE.
H.R. 2635: Mr. UNDERWOOD, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. SCHUMER, and Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts.
H.R. 2752: Mr. DAN SCHAEFER of Colorado.
H.R. 2754: Mr. TORRES and Mrs. CAPPS.
H.R. 2800: Mr. FROST.
H.R. 2884: Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. FOLEY, and Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania.
H.R. 2914: Mr. GILMAN.
H.R. 2936: Mr. GILCHREST.
H.R. 2995: Mr. WELLER and Mr. FROST.
H.R. 3008: Mr. FROST and Mr. BARCIA of Michigan.
H.R. 3099: Mr. DUNCAN.
H.R. 3125: Mr. KING of New York.
H.R. 3127: Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky and Mr. ISTOOK.
H.R. 3140: Mr. YOUNG of Alaska and Mr. ALLEN.
H.R. 3162: Mr. GILMAN.
H.R. 3207: Mr. HOYER, Mr. MANTON, Mr. TORRES, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. HINCHEY, and Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA.
H.R. 3229: Mr. JONES.
H.R. 3230: Mr. JONES.
H.R. 3240: Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri and Ms. DANNER.
H.R. 3281: Mr. TOWNS, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. OLVER, Mr. FILNER, Mr. CLYBURN, and Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts.
H.R. 3283: Mr. ACKERMAN and Ms. PELOSI.
H.R. 3288: Mr. ISTOOK.
H.R. 3396: Mr. MARTINEZ, Ms. NORTON, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. EDWARDS, and Ms. DANNER.
H.R. 3398: Mr. BARR of Georgia, Mr. DREIER, and Mr. RADANOVICH.
H.R. 3484: Mr. PICKERING.
H.R. 3506: Mr. TIERNEY, Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. SAWYER, Mr. BRYANT, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. JEFFERSON, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. KLINK, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. MOLLOHAN, Mr. MURTHA, and Mr. SHERMAN.
H.R. 3561: Mrs. MALONEY of New York.
H.R. 3570: Mr. WEXLER.
H.R. 3572: Mr. SHAYS, Mr. KING of New York, and Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota.
H.R. 3584: Mr. CANADY of Florida, Mr. METCALF, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. GANSKE, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. WATKINS, and Mr. BALLENGER.
H.R. 3610: Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, and Mr. PRICE of North Carolina.
H.R. 3632: Mr. METCALF.
H.R. 3636: Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. RAHALL, and Ms. FURSE.
H.R. 3639: Mr. OXLEY.
H.R. 3654: Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky.
H.R. 3672: Mr. STARK and Mr. UNDERWOOD.
H.R. 3743: Ms. DELAURO and Ms. CARSON.
H.R. 3745: Mrs. ROUKEMA.
H.R. 3747: Mr. SNOWBARGER.
H.R. 3795: Mrs. KELLY.
H.R. 3814: Mr. GREEN, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, Mr. MASCARA, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. MANTON, Mr. POMEROY, and Mr. BONIOR.
H.R. 3821: Mr. CRANE, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mrs. FOWLER, and Mr. MCNULTY.
H.R. 3830: Mr. PAPPAS and Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN.
H.R. 3833: Mr. YATES and Ms. FURSE.
H.R. 3855: Mr. POSHARD, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, and Mr. MOAKLEY.
H.R. 3862: Mr. MENENDEZ and Mrs. THURMAN.
H.R. 3870: Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. POMEROY, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. BAKER, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. SUNUNU, Mrs. KELLY, and Mr. SMITH of Oregon.
H.R. 3875: Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. PALLONE, and Mr. BILBRAY.
H.R. 3879: Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. STUMP, Mr. BARCIA of Michigan, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, and Mr. HASTERT.
H.R. 3885: Mr. COSTELLO.
H.R. 3907: Mr. WAMP.
H.R. 3911: Mrs. CAPPS.
H.R. 3927: Mr. RAMSTAD.
H.R. 3930: Mr. CHABOT, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, and Mr. HOSTETTLER.
H.R. 3937: Mr. SANDLIN.
H.R. 3942: Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, Mr. DIXON, Mr. MARTINEZ, and Mr. BROWN of California.
H.R. 3949: Mr. BOB SCHAFFER, Mr. KASICH, and Mr. PICKERING.
H.R. 3975: Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. CALVERT, and Mr. GOSS.
H.R. 4018: Ms. STABENOW, Mr. RUSH, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. BARCIA of Michigan, and Ms. LOFGREN.
H. Con. Res. 114: Mr. LUTHER.
H. Con. Res. 122: Mr. BERMAN, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. MCNULTY, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, and Mr. WEXLER.
H. Con. Res. 254: Mr. DICKEY, Mr. BRYANT, and Mr. HUTCHINSON.
H. Con. Res. 258: Mr. LAMPSON.
H. Con. Res. 288: Mr. SNOWBARGER, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. RILEY, Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. HASTERT, and Mr. CALVERT.
H. Res. 144: Mr. PORTMAN and Mr. LAZIO of New York.
H. Res. 312: Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. LIPINSKI, and Mr. CALVERT.
H. Res. 353: Mr. LEACH and Mr. PORTER.
H. Res. 456: Mr. LARGENT, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, and Mr. MICA.

¶56.32 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. 2497: Mr. BARCIA of Michigan.
H.R. 3396: Mr. REYES.
H.R. 3629: Mr. TIAHRT.

MONDAY, JUNE 15, 1998 (57)

¶57.1 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The House was called to order by the SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, who laid before the House the following communication:

WASHINGTON, DC,
June 15, 1998.

I hereby designate the Honorable BILL BARRETT to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NEWT GINGRICH,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

¶57.2 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Thursday, June 11, 1998.

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

¶57.3 COMMUNICATIONS

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

9610. A letter from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Raisins Produced From Grapes Grown in California; Final Free and Reserve Percentages for 1997–98 Crop Natural (Sun-Dried) Seedless and Zante Currant Raisins [FV98–989–1 FIR] received June 10, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

9611. A letter from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Marketing Order Regulating the Handling of Spearmint Oil Produced in the Far West; Revision of the Salable Quantity and Allotment Percentage for Class 3 (Native) Spearmint Oil for the 1997–98 Marketing Year [Docket No. FV98–985–2 FIR] received June 10, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

9612. A letter from the Acting Administrator, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Onions Grown in South Texas; Removal of Sunday Packing and Loading Prohibitions [Docket No. FV98–959–2 FIR] received June 10, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

9613. A letter from the Administrator, Foreign Agricultural Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Agreements for the Development of Foreign Markets for Agricultural Commodities [7 CFR Part 1485] received June 9, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

9614. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Dimethomorph; Extension of Tolerances for Emergency Exemptions [OPP–300671; FRL–5795–4] (RIN: 2070–AB78) received June 9, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

9615. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Propamocarb Hydrochloride; Extension of Tolerances for Emergency Exemptions [OPP–300670; FRL–5795–3] (RIN: 2070–AB78) received June 9, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

9616. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Quizalofop-p ethyl ester; Pesticide Tolerance [OPP–300663; FRL–5793–5] (RIN: 2070–AB78) received June 9, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

9617. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Tebufenozide; Extension of Tolerances for Emergency Exemptions [OPP–300668; FRL 5794–8] (RIN: 2070–AB78) received June 9, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

9618. A letter from the Chairman, Farm Credit System Insurance Corporation, transmitting the Corporation's annual report for calendar year 1997, pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 2277a—13; to the Committee on Agriculture.

9619. A letter from the Director, Defense Procurement, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule—Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement; Use of Auctions, Spot Bids, or Retail Sales of Surplus Contractor Inventory by the Contractor [DFARS Case 98–D004] received June 8, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on National Security.

9620. A letter from the Director, Administration and Management, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule—Conduct on the Pentagon Reservation [32 CFR Part 234] received June 8, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on National Security.

9621. A letter from the Secretary of Defense, transmitting a report detailing the reduction in acquisition positions by the Department of Defense; to the Committee on National Security.

9622. A letter from the President and Chairman, Export-Import Bank of the United States, transmitting the report on Sub-Saharan Africa and the Export-Import Bank of the United States, pursuant to Public Law 105–121; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

9623. A letter from the Deputy Executive Director and Chief Operating Officer, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, transmitting the Corporation's final rule—Allocation of Assets in Single-Employer Plans; Interest Assumptions for Valuing Benefits [29 CFR Part 4044] received June 10, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

9624. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Fiscal Year 1997 Biennial Report to Congress on the Status of Children in Head Start Programs, pursuant to Head Start Act; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

9625. A letter from the Office of Policy, Planning and Evaluation, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Pennsylvania; Gasoline Volatility Requirements for the Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley Ozone Nonattainment Area [SIPTRAX NO. PA110–4068a; FRL–6162–4] received June 8, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

9626. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; California State Implementation Plan Revision, South Coast Air Quality Management District [CA181–0069; FRL–6110–2] received June 10, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

9627. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Department's final rule—Hazardous Waste Combusters; Revised Standards; Final Rule—Part 1: RCRA Comparable Fuel Exclusion; Permit Modifications for Hazardous Waste Combustion Units; Notification of Intent to Comply; Waste Minimization and Pollution Prevention Criteria for Compliance Extensions [EPA F–98–RCSF-FFFFF; FRL–6110–3] (RIN: 2050–AE01) received June 10, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

9628. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Food and Drug Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Amended Economic Impact Analysis of Final Rule Requiring Use of Labeling on Natural Rubber Containing Devices [Docket No. 96N–0119] received June 11, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

9629. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Food and Drug Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Medical Devices; Classification/Reclassification of Immunohistochemistry Reagents and Kits [Docket No. 94P–0341] (RIN: 0910–ZA10) received June 11, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

9630. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—License Term for Medical Use Licenses (RIN: 3150–AF77) received June 10, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

9631. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting the first annual report on the estimated cost of the premarket notification program (PMN) for food contact substances, pursuant to Public Law 105–115; to the Committee on Commerce.

9632. A letter from the Director, Congressional Relations, U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission, transmitting the Commission's Annual Report for Fiscal Year 1997, pursuant to 15 U.S.C. 2076(j); to the Committee on Commerce.

9633. A letter from the Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, transmitting notification concerning the Department of the Army's Proposed Letter(s) of Offer and Acceptance (LOA) to Israel for defense articles and services (Transmittal No. 98–43), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(b); to the Committee on International Relations.

9634. A letter from the Administrator, Agency for International Development, transmitting the semiannual report of the Agency's Inspector General for the period October 1, 1997, through March 31, 1998, and the semiannual report on audit management and resolution, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

9635. A letter from the Chief Financial Officer, Export-Import Bank of the United States, transmitting the 1997 annual report in compliance with the Inspector General Act Amendments of 1988, pursuant to Public Law 100–504, section 104(a) (102 Stat. 2525); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

9636. A letter from the Administrator, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the Inspector General for the period October 1, 1997, through March 31, 1998, and the semiannual management report on the status of audit followup 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.

9637. A letter from the Secretary of the Interior, transmitting the operating, statistical, and financial information about the Government's helium program for Fiscal Year 1997, pursuant to Public Law 104–273, section 7 (110 Stat. 3319); to the Committee on Resources.

9638. A letter from the Acting Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legislative Affairs, Department of Justice, transmitting the second Annual Report on the Police Corps, pursuant to Public Law 103–322; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

9639. A letter from the Commissioner, Immigration and Naturalization Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Adjustment

of Status of Refugees and Asylees: Processing Under Direct Mail Program [INS No. 1829–96] (RIN: 1115–AD73) received June 9, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

9640. A letter from the Executive Director, United States Olympic Committee, transmitting the 1997 Annual Report of the United States Olympic Committee (USOC), pursuant to Public Law 95–606; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

9641. A letter from the Chief Counsel, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule—Government Securities: Call for Large Position Reports—received June 10, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

¶57.4 MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Mr. Lundregan, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate passed a bill of the following title, in which concurrence of the House is requested:

S. 1693. An Act to provide for improved management and increased accountability for certain National Park Service programs, and for other purposes.

¶57.5 SUBMISSION OF CONFERENCE REPORT—H.R. 2646

Mr. ARMEY submitted a conference report (Rept. No. 105–577) on the bill (H.R. 2646) to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow tax-free expenditures from education individual retirement accounts for elementary and secondary school expenses, to increase the maximum annual amount of contributions to such accounts, and for other purposes; together with a statement thereon, for printing in the Record under the rule.

¶57.6 SENATE BILL REFERRED

A bill of the Senate of the following title was taken from the Speaker's table and, under the rule, referred as follows:

S. 1693. An Act to provide for improved management and increased accountability for certain National Park Service programs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

And then,

¶57.7 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. ROHRABACHER, pursuant to the special order agreed to on June 11, 1998, at 12 o'clock and 10 minutes p.m. the House adjourned until 12:30 p.m. on Tuesday, June 16, 1998.

¶57.8 REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, report of committees was delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. ARCHER. Committee of Conference. Conference report on H.R. 2646. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow tax-free expenditures from education individual retirement accounts for elementary and secondary school expenses (Rept. No. 105–577). Ordered to be printed.

¶57.9 PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 5 of Rule X and clause 4 of Rule XXII,

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska introduced A resolution (H. Res. 470) to express the sense of the House of Representatives regarding actions to stop the poaching of valuable marine resources and use of illegal high seas driftnets in the Bering Sea; which was referred to the Committee on Resources.

¶57.10 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 165: Mr. PASTOR.

H.R. 1126: Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, Mr. MCGOVERN, and Mr. SCHUMER.

H.R. 1766: Mr. DAN SCHAEFER of Colorado.

H.R. 2009: Mr. MATSUI, Mr. ROHRABACHER, Mr. BORSKI, and Mrs. KELLY.

H.R. 2020: Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. CLYBURN, and Ms. STABENOW.

H.R. 2077: Mr. PALLONE, Mr. STARK, and Mr. WEXLER.

H.R. 3668: Mr. PICKERING.

H. Con. Res. 268: Mr. PALLONE.

TUESDAY, JUNE 16, 1998 (58)

¶58.1 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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

WASHINGTON, DC,
June 16, 1998.

I hereby designate the Honorable GEORGE P. RADANOVICH to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NEWT GINGRICH,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

¶58.2 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 concurrent resolution of the House of the following title:

H. Con. Res. 75. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress that States should work more aggressively to attack the problem of violent crimes committed by repeat offenders and criminals serving abbreviated sentences.

The message also announced that the Senate had passed with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested, a bill and a concurrent resolution of the House of the following titles:

H.R. 1853. An Act to amend the Carl D. Perkins Vocational and Applied Technology Education Act.

H. Con. Res. 284. Concurrent resolution revising the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 1998, establishing the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 1999, and setting forth appropriate budgetary levels for fiscal years 2000, 2001, 2002, and 2003.

The message also announced that the Senate insists upon its amendment to the bill (H.R. 629) ''An Act to grant the consent of the Congress to the Texas Low-Level Radioactive Waste Disposal Compact,'' disagreed to by the House and agree to the conference asked by the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon, and appoints Mr. THURMOND, Mr. HATCH, and Mr. LEAHY to be the conferees on the part of the Senate, with instructions.

The message also announced that the Senate insists upon its amendment to the bill (H.R. 1853) ''An Act to amend the Carl D. Perkins Vocational and Applied Technology Education Act,'' and requests a conference with the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon, and appoints Mr. JEFFORDS, Mr. COATS, Mr. GREGG, Mr. FRIST, Mr. DEWINE, Mr. ENZI, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Ms. COLLINS, Mr. WARNER, Mr. MCCONNELL, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. DODD, Mr. HARKIN, Ms. MIKULSKI, Mr. BINGAMAN, Mr. WELLSTONE, Mrs. MURRAY, and Mr. REED to be the conferees on the part of the Senate.

The message also announced that the Senate insists upon its amendment to the resolution (H. Con. Res. 284) ''A concurrent resolution revising the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 1998, establishing the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 1999 and setting forth appropriate budgetary levels for fiscal years 2000, 2001, 2002, and 2003,'' and requests a conference with the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon, and appoints Mr. DOMENICI, Mr. GRASSLEY, Mr. NICKLES, Mr. GRAMM, Mr. BOND, Mr. GORTON, Mr. GREGG, Ms. SNOWE, Mr. ABRAHAM, Mr. FRIST, Mr. GRAMS, Mr. SMITH of Oregon, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Mr. HOLLINGS, Mr. CONRAD, Mr. SARBANES, Mrs. BOXER, Mrs. MURRAY, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. FEINGOLD, Mr. JOHNSON, and Mr. DURBIN to be the conferees on the part of the Senate.

¶58.3 ''MORNING-HOUR DEBATE''

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

¶58.4 RECESS—1:16 P.M.

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

¶58.5 AFTER RECESS—2 P.M.

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

¶58.6 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. EWING, announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Monday, June 15, 1998.

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

¶58.7 COMMUNICATIONS

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

9642. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Mediterranean Fruit Fly; Addition To Quarantined Areas [Docket No. 97–056–13] received June 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.