mercial Concerns With the People's Republic of China.

¶58.29 BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION APPROVED

The President notified the Clerk of the House that on the following dates he had approved and signed bills and a joint resolution of the House of the following titles:

On February 11, 1998:

H.R. 1271, An Act to authorize the Federal Aviation Administration's research, engineering, and development programs for fiscal years 1998 and 1999, and for other purposes.

H.R. 3042, An Act to amend the Morris K. Udall Scholarship and Excellence in National Environmental and Native American Public Policy Act of 1992 to establish the United States Institute for Environmental Conflict Resolution to conduct environmental conflict resolution and training, and for other purposes.

On March 20, 1998:

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:

On April 24, 1998:

H.R. 1116, An Act to provide for the conveyance of the reversionary interest of the United States in certain lands to the Clint Independent School District and the Fabens Independent School District.

H.R. 2843, An Act to direct the Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration to reevaluate the equipment in medical kits carried on, and to make a decision regarding automatic external defibrillators to be carried on, aircraft operated by air carriers, and for other purposes.

H.R. 3226, An Act to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to convey certain lands and improvements in the State of Virginia, and for other purposes.

On May 1, 1998:

H.R. 3579, An Act making emergency supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1998, and for other purposes.

On May 11, 1998:

H.J. Res. 102, Joint Resolution expressing the sense of the Congress on the occasion of the 50th anniversary of the founding to the modern State of Israel and reaffirming the bonds of friendship and cooperation between the United States and Israel.

H.R. 3301, An Act to amend chapter 51 of title 31, United States Code, to allow the Secretary of the Treasury greater discretion with regard to the placement of the required inscriptions on quarter dollars issued under the 50 States Commemorative Coin Program.

On June 1, 1998:

H.R. 2472, An Act to extend certain programs under the Energy Policy and Conservation Act.

On June 9, 1998:

H.R. 2400, An Act to authorize funds for Federal-aid highways, highway safety programs, and transit programs, and for other purposes.

¶58.30 SENATE BILLS APPROVED

The President notified the Clerk of the House that on the following dates he had approved and signed bills of the Senate of the following titles:

On February 6, 1998:

S. 1575, An Act to rename the Washington National Airport located in the District of Columbia and Virginia as the ''Ronald Reagan Washington National Airport''.

On February 11, 1998:

S. 1349, An Act to authorize the Secretary of Transportation to issue a certificate of documentation with appropriate endorsement for employment in the coastwise trade for the vessel PRINCE NOVA, and for other purposes.

On February 13, 1998:

S. 1564, An Act to provide redress for inadequate restitution of assets seized by the United States Government during World War II which belonged to victims of the Holocaust, and for other purposes.

On March 6, 1998:

S. 927, An Act to reauthorize the Sea Grant Program.

On March 9, 1998:

S. 916, An Act to designate the United States Post Office building located at 750 Highway 28 East in Taylorsville, Mississippi, as the ''Blaine H. Eaton Post Office Building''.

S. 985, An Act to designate the post office located at 194 Ward Street in Paterson, New Jersey, as the ''Larry Doby Post Office''.

On March 20, 1998:

S. 347, An Act to designate the Federal building located at 61 Forsyth Street SW., in Atlanta, Georgia, as the ''Sam Nunn Atlanta Federal Center''.

On April 6, 1998:

S. 758, An Act to make certain technical corrections to the Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995.

On April 13, 1998:

S. 750, An Act to consolidate certain mineral interests in the National Grasslands in Billings County, North Dakota, through the exchange of Federal and private mineral interests to enhance land management capabilities and environmental and wildlife protection, and for other purposes.

On April 21, 1998:

S. 419, An Act to provide surveillance, research, and services aimed at prevention of birth defects, and for other purposes.

On April 24, 1998:

S. 493, An Act to amend title 18, United States Code, with respect to scanning receivers and similar devices.

On April 27, 1998:

S. 1178, An Act to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to modify and extend the visa waiver pilot program, and to provide for the collection of data with respect to the number of nonimmigrants who remain in the United States after the expiration of the period of stay authorized by the Attorney General.

¶58.31 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted—

To Mr. LEWIS of California, for today and until 7 p.m. on June 17;

To Mr. MCNULTY, for today through June 23; and

To Mr. UNDERWOOD, for today and balance of the week.

And then,

¶58.32 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. OWENS, at 8 o'clock and 11 minutes p.m., the House adjourned.

¶58.33 REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

Mr. PACKARD: Committee on Appropriations. H.R. 4059. A bill making appropriations for military construction, family housing, and base realignment and closure for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 105–578). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mrs. MYRICK: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 471. Resolution waiving points of order against the conference report to accompany 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 (Rept. No. 105–579). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 472. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 3097) to terminate the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (Rept. No. 105–580). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. MCDADE: Committee on Appropriations. H.R. 4060. A bill making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 105–581). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. SOLOMON: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 463. Resolution to establish the Select Committee on U.S. National Security and Military/Commercial Concerns With the People's Republic of China; with an amendment (Rept. No. 105–582). Referred to the House Calendar.

¶58.34 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. SHUSTER (for himself and Mr. DUNCAN):

H.R. 4057. A bill to amend title 49, United States Code, to reauthorize programs of the Federal Aviation Administration, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. SHUSTER (for himself, Mr. DUNCAN, and Mr. LIPINSKI):

H.R. 4058. A bill to amend title 49, United States Code, to extend the aviation insurance program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. PACKARD:

H.R. 4059. A bill making appropriations for military construction, family housing, and base realignment and closure for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes.

By Mr. MCDADE:

H.R. 4060. A bill making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes.

By Mr. COLLINS (for himself, Mr. MCINTYRE, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. DIXON, Mr. BONILLA, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, and Mr. HOLDEN):

H.R. 4061. A bill for the relief of the survivors of the 14 members of the Armed Forces and the one United States civilian Federal employee who were killed on April 14, 1994, when United States fighter aircraft mistakenly shot down 2 helicopters in Iraq; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. LEACH:

H.R. 4062. A bill to provide for the study of derivatives regulation, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services, and in addition to the Committees on Commerce, and Agriculture, 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 Mrs. MORELLA:

H.R. 4063. A bill to amend the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 to provide for research and development of assistive technology and universally designed technology, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, and Science, 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. REDMOND (for himself, Mrs. CHENOWETH, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. SKEEN, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. CONDIT, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, and Mr. CALVERT):

H.R. 4064. A bill to provide for a Native American Veterans' Memorial; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. SCARBOROUGH (for himself, Mr. SALMON, Mr. PAXON, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. ENSIGN, Mrs. CHENOWETH, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, and Mr. NEUMANN):

H.R. 4065. A bill to suspend collections for the connection of schools and libraries to the Internet, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. SMITH of New Jersey:

H.R. 4066. A bill to prohibit States from imposing a family cap under the program of temporary assistance to needy families; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. TAUZIN (for himself and Mr. MARKEY):

H.R. 4067. A bill to establish the Commission for the Future of Public Broadcasting and authorize appropriations for the Corporation for Public Broadcasting, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. YOUNG of Alaska:

H.R. 4068. A bill to make certain technical corrections in laws relating to Native Americans, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. SABO (for himself, Mr. VENTO, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. RAMSTAD, and Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota):

H.J. Res. 122. A joint resolution proclaiming Leif Ericson to be an honorary citizen of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. OBEY (for himself, Mr. STENHOLM, and Mr. MINGE):

H. Res. 473. A resolution providing for consideration of H.R. 3580; to the Committee on Rules.

By Mr. RIGGS:

H. Res. 474. A resolution expressing the, Boy Scouts of America freedom of association; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

¶58.35 MEMORIALS

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

335. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Senate of the State of New Jersey, relative to Senate Resolution 11 urging Congress and the President to terminate the services of Lordship Industries, Inc. of Hauppage, New York as the nation's primary manufacturer of United States Military Medals; to the Committee on National Security.

336. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Oklahoma, relative to House Concurrent Resolution No. 1069 memorializing Congress to direct the United States Consumer Product Safety Commission to adopt an industry standard for bunk beds; and directing distribution; to the Committee on Commerce.

337. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Colorado, relative to House Joint Resolution 98–1039 memorializing that BLM lands continue to be managed to allow for multiple uses in accordance with existing resource management plans until such time as plan amendments have been lawfully adopted; to the Committee on Resources.

338. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Colorado, relative to House Joint Resolution 98–1031 memorializing that the General Assembly endorses the modified Animas-La Plata Project proposed by the two Colorado Ute Tribesand their non-Indian neighbors; to the Committee on Resources.

339. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the Commonwealth of The Mariana Islands, relative to House Resolution No. 11–40 Urgently and respectfully requesting President Bill Clinton and the Legislative leadership of the U.S. Congress to waive and/ or eliminate the matching fund requirements being provided or granted under the Covenant to help foster and expedite infrastructure development in the CNMI; to the Committee on Resources.

340. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the State of Louisiana, relative to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 16 memorializing the Congress of the United States to support and adopt legislation to provide for the sharing of revenues generated through mineral exploration on the federal Outer Continental Shelf with coastal states and territories pursuant to a formula recommended by the Outer Continental Shelf Policy Committee; to the Committee on Resources.

341. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana, relative to House Concurrent Resolution No. 35 memorializing the Congress of the United States to support and adopt legislation to provide for the sharing with coastal states of revenues generated through mineral exploration on the federal Outer Continental Shelf and territories pursuant to a formula recommended by the Outer Continental Shelf Policy Committee; to the Committee on Resources.

342. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Colorado, relative to House Joint Resolution 98–1036 memorializing the United States Congress to enact and the President to sign the Aircraft Repair Station Safety Act of 1997; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

343. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana, relative to House Concurrent Resolution No. 42 urging the federal government, who is generating over three billion dollars annually from royalties and lease sales in the Gulf of Mexico, to help fund the necessary infrastructure improvements to access the riches of the Gulf of Mexico; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

344. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the State of New Jersey, relative to Senate Resolution 27 memorializing the opposition of any reduction in the budget of the United States Department of Veterans Affairs which may negatively affect the quality of veterans' health care in this State; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

345. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Colorado, relative to House Joint Resolution 98–1020 urging the Congress of the United States to enact legislation to abolish the Internal Revenue Code by December 31, 2000, and to replace it with a new system of federal taxation; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

346. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Ohio, relative to House Resolution No. 397 memorializing the Congress of the United States to enact legislation that sunsets Title 26 of the United States Code, otherwise known as the Internal Revenue Code, and to develop and enact a new tax code for the American people by December 31, 2001; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

347. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the State of Tennessee, relative to Senate Resolution No. 705 urging the Congress of the United States not to take action to mandate competition in the retail or wholesale of electricity without special and careful consideration of the interests of the people of the Tennessee Valley; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

348. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the State of Tennessee, relative to Senate Resolution No. 148 urging the Congress of the United States to address this important issue by not adopting the proposed amendments to the Stark II regulations; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

349. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the State of Louisiana, relative to Senate Concurrent Resolution 41 memorializing the Congress of the United States to support reauthorization of and funding for the Violence Against Women Act of 1998; jointly to the Committees on the Judiciary and Education and the Workforce.

350. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the State of Wisconsin, relative to Senate Joint Resolution 11 urging President Clinton and the U.S. Congress to uphold the federal government's commitment to accept and take title to civilian spent nuclear fuel on January 31, 1998, through enactment of appropriate funding resolutions and legislation that authorize and fund the development of a federal centralized, temporary storage facility for spent nuclear fuel that will accept spent nuclear fuel between January 31, 1998 and the beginning of commercial operation of the permanent federal nuclear waste repository; jointly to the Committees on Commerce, Transportation and Infrastructure, and Resources.

¶58.36 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 146: Mr. DUNCAN.

H.R. 225: Ms. LOFGREN.

H.R. 616: Mr. BORSKI.

H.R. 766: Ms. LEE.

H.R. 836: Mr. DREIER, Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania, and Mr. HILL.

H.R. 979: Mr. ENGEL, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. BAKER, Mr. MEEKS of New York, and Mr. THUNE.

H.R. 1126: Mr. MARKEY, Mr. SHAW, and Mr. WELLER.

H.R. 1382: Mr. EDWARDS, Ms. LEE, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. OLVER, Mr. HINCHEY, and Mr. MANTON.

H.R. 1401: Mr. PORTMAN.

H.R. 1531: Mr. SHAYS, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, Mr. BILBRAY, and Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO.

H.R. 2023: Mr. SERRANO, Mr. TORRES, Mr. THOMPSON, and Mr. MARKEY.

H.R. 2224: Mr. TORRES.

H.R. 2351: Ms. KAPTUR.

H.R. 2477: Mr. BOSWELL.

H.R. 2509: Mr. BOSWELL.

H.R. 2524: Mr. THOMPSON and Mr. PETRI.

H.R. 2538: Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. STUMP, Mr. FOLEY, and Mr. WELDON of Florida.

H.R. 2661: Mr. PEASE, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. HERGER, and Mr. ROGERS.

H.R. 2733: Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. THOMAS, Mr. WAXMAN, and Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky.

H.R. 2754: Mr. MARKEY.

H.R. 2868: Mr. HOSTETTLER.

H.R. 2869: Mr. MCINTOSH.