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Brady (TX)
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Christensen
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Hall (TX)
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Moran (KS)
Murtha
Myrick
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Norwood
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Smith (NJ)
Smith, Adam
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Stabenow
Stark
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Strickland
Sununu
Tauscher
Taylor (MS)
Thurman
Tierney
Towns
Upton
Velazquez
Vento
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Waters
Watt (NC)
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Gonzalez
Hilliard
Payne
Schaefer, Dan
Slaughter
Tauzin
Thompson
Torres
Watkins

So the amendment was agreed to.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. EVERETT, assumed the Chair.

When Mr. LAHOOD, Chairman, reported that the Committee, having had under consideration said bill, had come to no resolution thereon.

¶63.14 INTERNET TAX FREEDOM

Mr. GEKAS moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 4105) to establish a national policy against State and local interference with interstate commerce on the Internet, to exercise congressional jurisdiction over interstate commerce by establishing a moratorium on the imposition of exactions that would interfere with the free flow of commerce via the Internet, to establish a national policy against Federal and state regulation of Internet access and online services, and for other purposes.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. EVERETT, recognized Mr. GEKAS and Mr. CONYERS, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. EVERETT, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

Ordered, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

¶63.15 LEGISLATIVE BRANCH
APPROPRIATIONS

Mr. KINGSTON submitted a privileged report (Rept. No. 105-595) on the bill (H.R. 4112) making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes.

When said bill and report were referred to the Union Calendar and ordered printed.

Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XXI, all points of order were reserved.

¶63.16 PROVIDING FOR THE
CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 4103

Mr. MCINNIS, by direction of the Committee on Rules, reported (Rept. No. 105-596) the resolution (H. Res. 484) providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4103) making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes.

When said resolution and report were referred to the House Calendar and ordered printed.

¶63.17 PROVIDING FOR THE
CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 4104

Mr. MCINNIS, by direction of the Committee on Rules, reported (Rept. No. 105-597) the resolution (H. Res. 485) providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4104) making appropriations for the Treasury Department, the United States Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain Independent Agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes.

When said resolution and report were referred to the House Calendar and ordered printed.

¶63.18 ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Mr. THOMAS, from the Committee on House Oversight, reported that that committee had examined and found truly enrolled a bill of the House of the following title, which was thereupon signed by the Speaker:

H.R. 1316. An Act to amend chapter 87 of title 5, United States Code, with respect to the order of precedence to be applied in the payment of life insurance benefits.

¶63.19 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to Mr. THOMPSON, for today from 10:30 a.m. until 5 p.m.

And then,

¶63.20 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Ms. PELOSI, at 8 o'clock and 38 minutes p.m., the House adjourned.

¶63.21 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. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. H.R. 2538. A bill to establish a Presidential commission to determine the validity of certain land claims arising out of the Treaty of Guadalupe-Hidalgo of 1848 involving the descendants of persons who were Mexican citizens at the time of the Treaty; with an amendment (Rept. No. 105-594). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. WALSH: Committee on Appropriations. H.R. 4112. A bill making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 105-595). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. GOSS: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 484. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4103) making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 105-596). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. MCINNIS: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 485. Resolution providing for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 4104) making appropriations for the Treasury Department, the United States Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain Independent Agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 105-597). Referred to the House Calendar.

¶63.22 PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 5 of Rule X and clause 4 of Rule XXII, public bills and resolu-

tions were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania (for himself and Mr. BORSKI):

H.R. 4109. A bill to authorize the Gateway Visitor Center at Independence National Historical Park, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. STUMP (for himself, Mr. EVANS, Mr. QUINN, and Mr. FILNER):

H.R. 4110. A bill to provide a cost-of-living adjustment in rates of compensation paid to veterans with service-connected disabilities, to make various improvements in education, housing, and cemetery programs of the Department of Veterans Affairs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. DOOLITTLE (for himself, Mr. POMBO, Mr. HERGER, and Mr. YOUNG of Alaska):

H.R. 4111. A bill to provide for outlet modifications to Folsom Dam, a study for reconstruction of the Northfork American River Cofferdam, and the transfer to the State of California all right, title, and interest in and to the Auburn Dam, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. WALSH:

H.R. 4112. A bill making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes.

By Mr. BALDACCI:

H.R. 4113. A bill to assist the efforts of farmers and cooperatives seeking to engage in value-added processing of agricultural goods; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. BLAGOJEVICH (for himself and Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island):

H.R. 4114. A bill to prohibit internet and mail-order sales of ammunition without a license to deal in firearms, and require licensed firearms dealers to record all sales of 1,000 rounds of ammunition to a single person; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. FILNER:

H.R. 4115. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide for a special period during which a former member of the armed forces may convert a Servicemembers' Group Life Insurance policy to a Veterans' Group Life Insurance policy, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. KOLBE:

H.R. 4116. A bill to provide for the waiver of fees in the case of certain visas, to modify the schedule for implementation of certain border crossing restrictions, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. MANTON:

H.R. 4117. A bill to require that an environmental impact statement be prepared evaluating the impact of slot exemptions for operation of new air service at LaGuardia Airport; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committee on Resources, 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 (for herself, Ms. ESHOO, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, and Mr. NADLER):

H.R. 4118. A bill to amend title XXVII of the Public Health Service Act and part 7 of subtitle B of title I of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 to establish standards for the health quality improvement of children in managed care plans and other health plans; to the Committee on Commerce, 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 consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. PASTOR:

H.R. 4119. A bill to provide for the restoration of certain Federal land of religious and cultural significance to the Tohono O'odham Nation of Arizona, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. SOLOMON:

H.R. 4120. A bill to amend the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 to provide for an annual limit on the amount of certain fees which may be collected by the Securities and Exchange Commission; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. STEARNS (for himself, Mr. GEKAS, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. WAXMAN,

Mr. FROST, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. FILNER, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mrs. KENNELLY of Connecticut, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Ms. CARSON, Mr. WOLF, Mr. WALSH, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mrs. LINDA SMITH of Washington, Mr. COOK, and Mr. DELAHUNT):

H.R. 4121. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for the establishment at the National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute of a program regarding life-saving interventions for individuals who experience cardiac arrest, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. VENTO (for himself, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. MILLER of California, Mr. FARR of California, and Ms. DEGETTE):

H.R. 4122. A bill to prohibit the United States government from entering into certain agreements or arrangements related to public lands without the express prior approval of Congress; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. NADLER (for himself, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. BROWN

of California, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. EVANS, Mr. FILNER, Mr. GREEN, Mr. HALL of Ohio, Mr. HINCHEY, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. MILLER of California, Mr. MOAKLEY, Mr. PALLONE, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, Mr. RUSH, Mr. SCHUMER, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. THOMPSON, Mr. TIERNEY, Ms. WATERS, Mr. YATES, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. HEFNER, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. POMEROY, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. STARK, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. TOWNS, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. LAFALCE, and Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA):

H. Res. 483. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives regarding strengthening the Social Security system to meet the challenges of the next century; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. GANSKE (for himself, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. BERRY, and Mr. FORBES):

H. Res. 486. A resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 3605) to amend the Public Health Service Act, the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, and the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to protect consumers in managed care plans and other health coverage; to the Committee on Rules.

By Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN (for herself, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. FILNER, Mr. SNYDER, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. FROST, and Mr. DIXON):

H. Res. 487. A resolution relating to the emancipation of African slaves in the Danish West Indies, now the United States Virgin Islands; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. TRAFICANT:

H. Res. 488. A resolution amending the Rules of the House of Representatives to require a two-thirds vote on any bill or joint resolution that, pursuant to fast-track procedures, would implement any trade agreement; to the Committee on Rules.

63.23 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 145: Mr. SHERMAN, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. VISCLOSKEY, and Mr. MEEKS of New York.

H.R. 306: Mr. SKAGGS.

H.R. 371: Mr. OBAYE.

H.R. 410: Mr. BUNNING of Kentucky.

H.R. 532: Mr. KLECZKA.

H.R. 611: Mr. BENTSEN and Mr. SHERMAN.

H.R. 633: Mr. DELAHUNT.

H.R. 716: Mr. MCINNIS.

H.R. 746: Mr. KUCINICH.

H.R. 872: Mr. BILIRAKIS and Mr. STRICKLAND.

H.R. 900: Mrs. KELLY.

H.R. 953: Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts.

H.R. 993: Mr. MCINNIS.

H.R. 1126: Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. MCHALE, and Mr. FAWELL.

H.R. 1375: Mr. TAUZIN.

H.R. 1378: Ms. DUNN of Washington.

H.R. 1382: Ms. VELAZQUEZ, Mr. LIPINSKI, and Mr. BOEHLERT.

H.R. 1531: Mr. GILCHREST and Ms. SANCHEZ.

H.R. 1624: Ms. KILPATRICK.

H.R. 2021: Mr. ROYCE.

H.R. 2094: Ms. NORTON.

H.R. 2568: Mr. DOOLITTLE.

H.R. 2721: Mr. BOEHRER and Mr. RYUN.

H.R. 2800: Mr. LAHOOD.

H.R. 2837: Mr. SOUDER.

H.R. 2869: Mr. KNOLLENBERG.

H.R. 2873: Mr. KNOLLENBERG.

H.R. 2914: Mr. SANDLIN and Mr. BOUCHER.

H.R. 2987: Mr. SNYDER.

H.R. 2990: Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. FAZIO of California, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. CONDIT, Mr. SHUSTER, Mr. POSHARD, and Mr. PITTS.

H.R. 3008: Mr. BACHUS.

H.R. 3081: Mr. SHAYS, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. ADAM SMITH of Washington, Mr. SCOTT, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. VENTO, and Mr. MARKEY.

H.R. 3127: Mr. CONDIT, Mr. NETHERCUTT, and Mr. MORAN of Virginia.

H.R. 3215: Mr. PICKERING.

H.R. 3248: Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, Mr. WICKER, and Mr. THUNE.

H.R. 3259: Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. LAFALCE, and Mr. SNYDER.

H.R. 3320: Mr. QUINN, Mr. NADLER, Mr. DINGELL, and Mr. PAYNE.

H.R. 3470: Mrs. CAPPS.

H.R. 3506: Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. STUPAK, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, and Mr. KIM.

H.R. 3531: Mr. RAHALL.

H.R. 3553: Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. MCNULTY, Ms. LEE, and Ms. JACKSON-LEE.

H.R. 3567: Mr. SHUSTER and Mr. POMEROY.

H.R. 3610: Mr. HINCHEY.

H.R. 3629: Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. GREEN, Mr. CAMP, and Mrs. MYRICK.

H.R. 3636: Mr. KANJORSKI, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, and Mrs. MEEK of Florida.

H.R. 3651: Mr. SCHUMER.

H.R. 3659: Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. TALENT, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington,