

H.R. 26: Mr. ALLEN, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. BISHOP, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Ms. PELOSI, and Mr. BROWN of Ohio.

H.R. 53: Mr. FROST, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. BONILLA, Mr. BARTON of Texas, and Mr. TIAHRT.

H.R. 114: Mr. MARTINEZ and Mr. KUCINICH.
H.R. 116: Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. KUYKENDALL, and Mr. ORTIZ.

H.R. 165: Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. FROST, and Mr. WAXMAN.

H.R. 179: Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mrs. CLAYTON, and Ms. STABENOW.

H.R. 196: Mr. TANNER.

H.R. 206: Mr. MARTINEZ and Mr. WHITFIELD.
H.R. 208: Mr. SESSIONS.

H.R. 239: Mr. HALL of Ohio, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. FORD, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. SKELTON, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. MOAKLEY, Mr. SHERMAN, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Ms. CARSON, Mr. OXLEY, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. PORTMAN, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. FROST, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. REYES, Mr. CRAMER, Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri, Mr. WEYGAND, Mr. SPRATT, Ms. PELOSI, Ms. NORTON, and Mr. GONZALEZ.

H.R. 253: Mr. SMITH of New Jersey.
H.R. 271: Mr. LOBIONDO.

H.R. 323: Mr. FATTAH, Ms. NORTON, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. OLVER, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. WALSH, Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. DOOLEY of California, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. BENTSEN, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. POMEROY, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. HOSTETTTLER, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. MARTINEZ, Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, and Mr. WHITFIELD.

H.R. 324: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

H.R. 327: Mr. TRAFICANT and Mr. NEY.

H.R. 352: Mr. BURR of North Carolina, Mrs. WILSON, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. RAMSTAD, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. BRYANT, Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. GIBBONS, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. JENKINS, Mr. STRICKLAND, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. HOSTETTTLER, and Ms. LOFGREN.

H.R. 358: Mr. McNULTY, Mr. FATTAH, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. CLYBURN, and Mr. DAVIS of Illinois.

H.R. 360: Mr. FROST, Mr. MANZULLO, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. McNULTY, and Mr. BERMAN.

H.R. 362: Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. CAPUANO, Ms. CARSON, Mr. LANTOS, and Mr. STUPAK.

H.R. 363: Mr. NORWOOD, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. HORN, Mr. CAPUANO, Ms. CARSON, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. STUPAK, and Mr. HALL of Texas.

H.R. 364: Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. LANTOS, and Mr. STUPAK.

H.R. 365: Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. SHOWS, Ms. CARSON, Mr. LANTOS, and Mr. STUPAK.

H.R. 366: Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. CAPUANO, Ms. CARSON, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. LANTOS, and Mr. STUPAK.

H.R. 368: Mr. SHOWS and Mr. OXLEY.

H.R. 371: Mr. RADANOVICH.

H.R. 372: Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, and Mr. GEJDENSON.

H.R. 373: Mr. BRYANT, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. KING of New York, and Mr. WHITFIELD.

H.R. 407: Mr. GOODE and Mr. HOSTETTTLER.

H.R. 430: Mr. KOLBE, Mr. OLVER, and Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey.

H.R. 434: Mr. HILLIARD and Mr. CAMP.

H.R. 436: Ms. DANNER.

H.R. 438: Mr. SAWYER, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, and Mr. BLUNT.

H.R. 439: Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. SISISKY, Mr. HILL of Montana, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, and Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 447: Mr. LAZIO of New York.

H.R. 488: Mr. KUCINICH.

H.R. 489: Mr. MARTINEZ.

H.R. 506: Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. DIXON, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. BARCIA of Michigan, Mr. CLAY, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. SAWYER, Mr. McNULTY, Ms. BROWN of Florida, and Mr. TURNER.

H.J. Res. 21: Mr. BRYANT, Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, and Mr. WHITFIELD.

H. Con. Res. 18: Mr. KNOLLENBERG and Mr. GOODE.

H. Con. Res. 21: Mr. GOSS.

H. Res. 16: Mr. CRAMER, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. FROST, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. LAZIO of New York, and Mrs. KELLY.

¶4.24 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. 393: Mr. McINNIS.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1999 (5)

¶5.1 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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

WASHINGTON, DC,
February 4, 1999.

I hereby designate the Honorable STEVEN C. LATOURETTE to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

J. DENNIS HASTERT,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

¶5.2 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LATOURETTE, announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Wednesday, February 3, 1999.

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

¶5.3 COMMUNICATIONS

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

334. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Force Management Policy, Department of Defense, transmitting a report on Department of Defense actions to implement a demonstration project for uniform funding of morale, welfare, and recreation activities; to the Committee on Armed Services.

335. A letter from the Vice Chair, Export-Import Bank, transmitting a statement on the following transaction involving U.S. exports to Ireland; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

336. A letter from the General Counsel, Consumer Product Safety Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Final Rule: Requirements for Child-Resistant Packaging; Minoxidil Preparations With More Than 14 mg of Minoxidil Per Package—received January 27, 1999, pursuant to 5

U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

337. A letter from the General Counsel, Consumer Product Safety Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Poison Prevention Packaging Requirements; Exemption of Sucraid—received January 27, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

338. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Temporary Exemption From Motor Vehicle Safety Standards; Bumper Standard [Docket No. NHTSA-99-4993] (RIN: 2127-AH51) received January 25, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

339. A letter from the AMD—Performance Evaluation and Records Management, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Implementation of the Subscriber Carrier Selection Changes Provisions of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 [CC Docket No. 94-129] received January 19, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

340. A letter from the Deputy Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Custody of Investment Company Assets Outside the United States [Release Nos. IC-23670; IS-1179; File No. S7-23-95] (RIN: 3235-AE98) received January 29, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

341. 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.

342. A letter from the Comptroller General, General Accounting Office, transmitting List of all reports issued or released by the GAO in November 1998, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 719(h); to the Committee on Government Reform.

343. A letter from the Executive Director, Committee For Purchase From People Who Are Blind Or Severely Disabled, transmitting the Committee's final rule—Procurement List Additions and Deletions—received February 1, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

344. A letter from the Director, Information Agency, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the Committee on Government Reform.

345. A letter from the Chairman, Board of Governors, United States Postal Service, transmitting the annual report regarding the compliance of the Board of Governors of the United States Postal Service with the Government in the Sunshine Act, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b(j); to the Committee on Government Reform.

346. A letter from the Director, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Montana Regulatory Program and Abandoned Mine Land Reclamation Plan [SPATS No. MT-017-FOR] received January 14, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

347. A letter from the Director, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Montana Regulatory Program and Abandoned Mine Land Reclamation Plan [SPATS No. MT-017-FOR] received January 14, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

348. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Revocation of

Class E Airspace, Revision of Class D Airspace; Torrance, CA [Airspace Docket No. 98-AWP-34] received January 25, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

349. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Realignment of Federal Airways and Jet Routes; TX [Airspace Docket No. 98-ASW-30] received January 25, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

350. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Revision of Class E Airspace; Monroe, LA [Airspace Docket No. 98-ASW-55] received January 25, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

351. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Revision of Class E Airspace; San Antonio, TX [Airspace Docket No. 98-ASW-54] received January 25, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

352. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Maquoketa, IA [Airspace Docket No. 98-ACE-50] received January 25, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

353. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Belle Plaine, IA [Airspace Docket No. 98-ACE-51] received January 25, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

354. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Fokker Model F.28 Mark 0070 and 0100 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-276-AD; Amendment 39-11004; AD 99-02-12] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received January 25, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

355. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Dornier Model 328-100 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-140-AD; Amendment 39-11003; AD 99-02-11] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received January 25, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

356. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Branch, Customs Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Land Border Carrier Initiative Program [T.D. 99-2] (RIN: 1515-AC16) received January 7, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

357. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Notice and Opportunity for Hearing upon Filing of Notice of Lien [TD 8810] (RIN: 1545-AW77) received January 20, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

358. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Notice and Opportunity for Hearing before Levy [TD 8809] (RIN: 1545-AW76) received January 20, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

359. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Employee Stock Ownership Plans; Section 411(d)(6) Protected

Benefits (Taxpayer Relief Act of 1997); Qualified Retirement Plan Benefits [TD 8806] (RIN: 1545-AV94) received January 7, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

¶5.4 CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET OFFICE

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LATOURETTE, by unanimous consent, announced that the Speaker and the President pro tempore of the Senate, pursuant to the provisions of section 201(A)(2) of the Congressional Budget and Impoundment Control Act of 1974, Public Law 93-344, on Wednesday, February 3, 1999, jointly appointed Dan L. Crippen as Director to the Congressional Budget Office effective February 3, 1999, for the term of office expiring on January 3, 2003.

¶5.5 PROVIDING FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 350

Mr. LINDER, by direction of the Committee on Rules, called up the following resolution (H. Res. 36):

Resolved, That at any time after the adoption of this resolution the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 2(b) of rule XVIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for consideration of the bill (H.R. 350) to improve congressional deliberation on proposed Federal private sector mandates, and for other purposes. The first reading of the bill shall be dispensed with. Points of order against consideration of the bill for failure to comply with clause 4(a) of rule XIII or section 306 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 are waived. General debate shall be confined to the bill and shall not exceed one hour equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Rules. After general debate the bill shall be considered for amendment under the five-minute rule. It shall be in order to consider as an original bill for the purpose of amendment under the five-minute rule the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Rules now printed in the bill. Each section of the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute shall be considered as read. Points of order against the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute for failure to comply with section 306 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 are waived. During consideration of the bill for amendment, the Chairman of the Committee of the Whole may accord priority in recognition on the basis of whether the Member offering an amendment has caused it to be printed in the portion of the Congressional Record designated for that purpose in clause 8 of rule XVIII. Amendments so printed shall be considered as read. The chairman of the Committee of the Whole may: (1) postpone until a time during further consideration in the Committee of the Whole a request for a recorded vote on any amendment; and (2) reduce to five minutes the minimum time for electronic voting on any postponed question that follows another electronic vote without intervening business, provided that the minimum time for electronic voting on the first in any series of questions shall be 15 minutes. At the conclusion of consideration of the bill for amendment the Committee shall rise and report the bill to the House with such amendments as may have been adopted. Any Member may demand a separate vote in the House on any amendment adopted in the Committee of the Whole to the bill or to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the bill and amend-

ments thereto to final passage without intervening motion except one motion to recommend with or without instructions.

When said resolution was considered.

After debate,

On motion of Mr. LINDER, the previous question was ordered on the resolution, to its adoption or rejection and under the operation thereof, the resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said resolution, was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

¶5.6 MANDATES INFORMATION ACT OF 1999

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. GIBBONS, pursuant to House Resolution 36 and rule XVIII, declared the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 350) to improve congressional deliberation on proposed Federal private sector mandates, and for other purposes.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. GIBBONS, by unanimous consent, designated Mr. LATOURETTE as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole; and after some time spent therein,

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

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

¶5.7 ADJOURNMENT OVER

On motion of Mr. ARMEY, by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That when the House adjourns today Thursday, February 4, 1999, it adjourn to meet on Monday, February 8, 1999 at 2:00 p.m.

¶5.8 HOUR OF MEETING

On motion of Mr. ARMEY, by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That when the House adjourns on Monday, February 8, 1999, it adjourn to meet on Tuesday, February 9, 1999, at 12:30 p.m. for "morning-hour debate".

¶5.9 CALENDAR WEDNESDAY BUSINESS DISPENSED WITH

On motion of Mr. ARMEY, by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That business in order for consideration on Wednesday, February 10, 1999, under clause 7, rule XV, the Calendar Wednesday rule, be dispensed with.

And then,

¶5.10 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. BEREUTER, pursuant to the special order heretofore agreed to at 11 o'clock and 40 minutes a.m., the House adjourned until 2:00 o'clock p.m. on Monday, February 8, 1999.

¶5.11 PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania (for himself, Mr. SPRATT, Mr. BLILEY, Mr.