

of the Agreement conveying title to a Distribution System from the United States to the Clear Creek Community Services District; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. HERGER (for himself, Mr. MINGE, Mr. BASS, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. THOMAS, Mr. MCCRERY, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. CRANE, and Mr. CAMPBELL):

H.R. 863. A bill to require appropriate off-budget treatment of Social Security in official budget pronouncements; to the Committee on the Budget, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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. HOUGHTON (for himself, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. WATKINS, Mr. COOK, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. TANNER, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. DIXON, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. WEGAND, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. LEACH, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. BASS, Mr. DOOLEY of California, Mr. KUYKENDALL, Mr. SHAW, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. McINNIS, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. COYNE, Ms. RIVERS, Mr. DOYLE, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. MCCRERY, Mr. CARDIN, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. LAZIO, and Mr. McNULTY):

H.R. 864. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to increase the State ceiling on private activity bonds; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HOUGHTON:

H.R. 865. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide a special rule for members of the uniformed services and the Foreign Service in determining the exclusion of gain from the sale of a principal residence; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. JONES of North Carolina (for himself, Mr. HORN, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. BURR of North Carolina, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. SHIMKUS, and Mr. WHITFIELD):

H.R. 866. A bill to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to protect critical infrastructure radio systems from interference and to promote efficient spectrum management of the private land mobile radio bands, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Ms. KAPTUR:

H.R. 867. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to require, in the evaluation of bids and proposals for a contract for the procurement by the Department of Defense of property or services, the consideration of the percentage of work under the contract planned to be performed in the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

H.R. 868. A bill to establish the Fallen Timbers Battlefield and Fort Miamis National Historical Site in the State of Ohio; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. LoBIONDO:

H.R. 869. A bill to prohibit the Secretary of the Interior from issuing oil and gas leases on certain portions of the Outer Continental Shelf; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. MCCRERY (for himself, Mr. LIVINGSTON, Mr. BAKER, Mr. COOKSEY, Mr. JOHN, Mr. TAUZIN, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. THORBERRY, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. SCHAFER, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr.

WATKINS, Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. COBURN, Mr. HEFLEY, Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma, and Mr. PICKERING):

H.R. 870. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to change the determination of the 50,000-barrel refinery limitation on oil depletion deduction from a daily basis to an annual average daily basis; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MARKEY (for himself, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, and Mr. POMEROY):

H.R. 871. A bill to provide for investment in private sector securities markets of amounts held in the Federal Old-Age and Survivors Insurance Trust Fund for payment of benefits under title II of the Social Security Act; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MARKEY (for himself and Mrs. MORELLA):

H.R. 872. A bill to amend certain Federal civil rights statutes to prevent the involuntary application of arbitration to claims that arise from unlawful employment discrimination based on race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, or disability, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, 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. NEAL of Massachusetts (for himself, Mr. MOAKLEY, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. OLVER, Mr. TIERNEY, and Mr. CAPUANO):

H.R. 873. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to clarify that employees of a political subdivision of a State shall not lose their exemption from the hospital insurance tax by reason of the consolidation of the subdivision with the State; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. PORTER (for himself, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. SANFORD, Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. SHAYS, and Mr. SMITH of Michigan):

H.R. 874. A bill to reform Social Security by creating individual Social Security retirement accounts; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. RUSH (for himself, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. NADLER, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. FORD, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mrs. CHRISTIAN-CHRISTENSEN, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. FROST, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. HILLIARD, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. KUCINICH, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, and Mr. SMITH of New Jersey):

H.R. 875. A bill to provide for programs to develop and implement integrated cockroach management programs in urban communities that are effective in reducing health risks to inner city residents, especially children, suffering from asthma and asthma-related illnesses; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. SAXTON (for himself, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. FROST, Mr. STUMP, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. BAKER, Mr. BACHUS, and Mr. CHABOT):

H.R. 876. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to increase the maximum amount of contributions to individual retirement accounts and the amounts of adjusted gross income at which the IRA deduction phases out for active participants in pension plans, and to allow penalty-free distributions from individual retirement accounts and

401(k) plans for certain purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. STEARNS (for himself and Mrs. MORELLA):

H.R. 877. A bill to provide for the comparable treatment of Federal employees and Members of Congress and the President during a period in which there is a Federal Government shutdown; to the Committee on Government Reform, and in addition to the Committee on House Administration, 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. TIAHRT (for himself, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. PAUL, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. SALMON, Mr. STUMP, Mr. SHADEGG, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. BUYER, Mr. COBURN, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. COLLINS, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. EHRLICH, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. BLUNT, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. BARR of Georgia, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, and Mr. RYUN of Kansas):

H.R. 878. A bill to amend the National and Community Service Act of 1990 to repeal the National Service Trust Program under which certain persons who perform national or community service receive stipends and educational awards for such services; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Ms. WOOLSEY:

H.R. 879. A bill to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to exempt licenses in the instructional television fixed service from competitive bidding; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. STUMP (for himself, Mr. EVANS, Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. FILNER, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. SPENCE, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. BUYER, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. QUINN, Ms. CARSON, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. REYES, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. SNYDER, Mr. MORAN of Kansas, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. SHOWS, Mrs. CHENOWETH, Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. MCKEON, Mr. GIBBONS, Mr. SIMPSON, Mr. COBLE, Mr. HUNTER, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, Mr. SAXTON, and Mr. CUNNINGHAM):

H.J. Res. 34. A joint resolution congratulating and commending the Veterans of Foreign Wars; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. RUSH (for himself, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. EVANS, Mr. FORD, Mr. HINCHEY, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. SHOWS, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Ms. LEE, Ms. NORTON, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. STARK, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. WYNN, Mr. GONZALEZ, and Mr. BONIOR):

H. Con. Res. 38. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress that a commemorative postage stamp should be issued honoring Paul Leroy Robeson, and that the Citizens' Stamp Advisory Committee should recommend to the Postmaster General in 1999, that such a stamp be issued; to the Committee on Government Reform.

113.25 PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

Mr. MCINTYRE introduced a bill (H.R. 880) for the relief of Rabon Lowry; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

¶13.26 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 13: Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. GILMAN, and Mr. GANSKE.

H.R. 17: Mr. BRYANT.

H.R. 38: Mr. PICKETT.

H.R. 40: Mr. PASTOR, Mrs. CHRISTIAN-CHRISTENSEN, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, and Mr. DIXON.

H.R. 49: Mr. CLEMENT.

H.R. 50: Mr. COBLE.

H.R. 70: Mr. SWEENEY, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma, Mr. LAZIO, and Mr. PICKETT.

H.R. 72: Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi, and Mr. HAYWORTH.

H.R. 104: Mr. SENSENBRENNER and Mr. TERRY.

H.R. 105: Mr. SENSENBRENNER.

H.R. 106: Mr. SENSENBRENNER.

H.R. 107: Mr. SENSENBRENNER.

H.R. 108: Mr. SENSENBRENNER and Mr. TRAFICANT.

H.R. 133: Mr. HOFFEL and Mr. BASS.

H.R. 148: Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. BARCIA, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. HORN, Mr. WEINER, and Mr. LAMPSON.

H.R. 216: Ms. KILPATRICK.

H.R. 220: Mr. TIAHRT.

H.R. 315: Mr. CONYERS and Ms. DELAURO.

H.R. 323: Mr. BONIOR, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. ETHERIDGE, and Mr. MCGOVERN.

H.R. 352: Mr. HALL of Texas and Mr. SIMPSON.

H.R. 355: Mr. RAHALL, Mr. DICKEY, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. FILNER, Mr. JOHN, and Mr. MCGOVERN.

H.R. 373: Mr. GARY MILLER of California.

H.R. 380: Mr. WYNN, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. HOYER, Mr. PITTS, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. ROTHMAN, and Mr. PICKETT.

H.R. 408: Mr. DINGELL, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. MINGE, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. LUTHER, Mr. TAUZIN, and Mr. SANDLIN.

H.R. 415: Mr. ENGEL.

H.R. 464: Mrs. BONO, Mr. SWEENEY, Mr. EHLERS, Mr. DELAY, Mr. MICA, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mrs. KELLY, and Mr. DOOLITTLE.

H.R. 488: Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin and Mr. MOORE.

H.R. 492: Mr. MICA, Mr. MCINTYRE, and Mr. COLLINS.

H.R. 506: Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. REYES, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. PICKETT, and Ms. BALDWIN.

H.R. 537: Mr. KASICH.

H.R. 543: Mr. GARY MILLER of California.

H.R. 544: Mr. FILNER, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. SHOWS, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. PASTOR, and Mr. KOLBE.

H.R. 586: Mr. KING of New York, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, and Mr. WOLF.

H.R. 620: Mr. HOLT.

H.R. 623: Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota.

H.R. 647: Mr. TANCREDO.

H.R. 681: Mr. LEVIN, Mr. MCGOVERN, and Mr. HAYWORTH.

H.R. 685: Mr. PHELPS and Mr. MINGE.

H.R. 707: Mr. TERRY, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. NADLER, and Ms. BERKLEY.

H.R. 719: Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. FORD, and Mr. DEFAZIO.

H.R. 725: Mr. McNULTY, Mr. STARK, and Mr. RANGEL.

H.R. 730: Mr. FORD and Mr. BONIOR,

H.R. 756: Mr. ARMEY.

H.R. 763: Mr. SMITH of Michigan and Mr. SHOWS.

H.R. 774: Mr. UDALL of New Mexico.

H. Con. Res. 8: Mr. McNULTY and Mr. PICKETT.

H. Con. Res. 14: Ms. DANNER, Mr. SKELTON, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. THUNE, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. ADERHOLT, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. LEACH, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. PEASE, and Mr. SHIMKUS.

H. Con. Res. 29: Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mr. RILEY, Mr. CANADY of Florida, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. HILL of Montana, and Mr. GRAHAM.

H. Con. Res. 34: Mr. CARDIN, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. BATEMAN, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. WOLF, Mr. JENKINS, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. FROST, Mr. FORD, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. HALL of Ohio, and Mr. MORAN of Virginia.

H. Res. 34: Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. LUTHER, Mr. KUYKENDALL, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. MOORE, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, and Mr. INSLEE.

H. Res. 41: Mr. RANGEL, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. MCGOVERN, and Mr. MOORE.

¶13.27 PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 3 of rule XII, petitions and papers were laid on the clerk's desk and referred as follows:

2. The SPEAKER presented a petition of the Estate of Jurgen Wanderlich, relative to a demand for damages for the estate of Jurgen Wanderlich, resulting from the Cavalese, Italy tragedy; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

3. Also, a petition of the Estate of Egon Uwe Renkewitz, relative to a demand for damages for the estate of Egon Uwe Renkewitz, resulting from the Cavalese, Italy tragedy; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

4. Also, a petition of the Estate of Michael Potschke, relative to a demand for damages for the estate of Michael Potschke, resulting from the Cavalese, Italy tragedy; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

5. Also, a petition of the Estate of Irene Annelie Urban, relative to a demand for damages for the estate of Irene Annelie Urban, resulting from the Cavalese, Italy tragedy; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

6. Also, a petition of the Estate of Dieter Frank Blumenfeld, relative to a demand for damages for the estate of Dieter Frank Blumenfeld, resulting from the Cavalese, Italy tragedy; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

7. Also, a petition of the Estate of Harald Urban, relative to a demand for damages for the estate of Harald Urban, resulting from the Cavalese, Italy tragedy; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

8. Also, a petition of the Estate of Marina Mandy Renkewitz, relative to a demand for damages for the estate of Marina Mandy Renkewitz, resulting from the Cavalese, Italy tragedy; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

¶13.28 DELETIONS OF SPONSORS FROM PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsor was deleted from the public bill as follows:

H.R. 434: Mr. STRICKLAND.

MONDAY, MARCH 1, 1999 (14)

¶14.1 APPOINTMENT OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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

WASHINGTON, DC,

March 1, 1999.

I hereby appoint the Honorable EDWARD A. PEASE to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

J. DENNIS HASTERT,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

¶14.2 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PEASE, announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Thursday, February 25, 1999.

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

¶14.3 COMMUNICATIONS

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

767. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting requests for emergency FY 1999 supplemental appropriations for the Department of Agriculture; (H. Doc. No. 106-32); to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

768. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of the Treasury, transmitting a draft bill to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to produce currency, postage stamps, and other security documents at the request of foreign governments, and security documents at the request of the individual States or any political subdivision thereof, on a reimbursable basis, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

769. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Quality Assurance Guidance Document—Model Quality Assurance Project Plan for the PM2.5 Ambient Air Monitoring Program at State and Local Air Monitoring Stations (SLAMS)—received February 17, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

770. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Quality Assurance Guidance Document—Method Compendium—PM 2.5 Mass Weighing Laboratory Standard Operating Procedures for the Performance Evaluation Program—received February 17, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

771. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Quality Assurance Guidance Document—Method Compendium—Field Standard Operating Procedures for the PM 2.5 Performance Evaluation Program—received February 17, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

772. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Implementation Plan—PM2.5 Federal Reference Method Performance Evaluation Program—received February 17, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

773. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Guideline on Ozone Monitoring Site Selection—received February 17, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

774. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Guidance for