

THURSDAY, MARCH 11, 1999 (21)

The House was called to order by the SPEAKER.

¶21.1 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Wednesday, March 10, 1999.

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

¶21.2 COMMUNICATIONS

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

975. A letter from the Administrator, Farm Service Agency, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Implementation of Preferred Lender Program and Streamlining of Guaranteed Loan Regulations (RIN: 0560-AF38) received February 22, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

976. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting a request for an FY 1999 supplemental appropriation for the Department of the Interior; (H. Doc. No. 106—39); to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

977. A letter from the Federal Register Liaison Officer, Office of Thrift Supervision, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule—Risk-Based Capital Standards: Construction Loans on Presold Residential Properties; Junior Liens on 1- to 4-Family Residential Properties; and Investments in Mutual Funds. Leverage Capital Standards: Tier 1 Leverage Ratio [Docket No. 98-125] (RIN: 1550-AB1) received February 26, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

978. A letter from the Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Rule 701—Exempt Offerings Pursuant to Compensatory Arrangements [Release No. 33-7645; File No. S7-5-98] (RIN: 3235-AH21) received February 26, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

979. A letter from the Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Revision of Rule 504 of Regulation D, the "Seed Capital" Exemption [Release No. 33-7644; S7-14-98] (RIN: 3235-AH35) received February 26, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

980. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of Presidential Determination No. 99-16 in connection with the U.S. contribution to the Korean Peninsula Energy Development Organization ("KEDO"); to the Committee on International Relations.

981. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Pollock in Statistical Area 620 of the Gulf of Alaska [Docket No. 981222314-8321-02; I.D. 021699B] received February 22, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

982. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Regulated Navigation Area; Air Clearance Restrictions at the Entrance to Lakeside Yacht Club and the Northeast Approach to Burke Lakefront Airport in Cleveland Harbor, OH [CGD09-97-

002] (RIN: 2115-AE84) received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

983. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operation Regulation; Lower Grand River, LA [CGD08-99-008] (RIN: 2115-AE47) received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

984. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Special Local Regulations: Greenwood Lake Powerboat Classic, Greenwood Lake, New Jersey [CGD01-98-125] (RIN: 2115-AE46) received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

985. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Safety Zone: Sunken Fishing Vessel CAPE FEAR, Buzards Bay Entrance [CGD01 99-008] (RIN: 2115-AA97) received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

986. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Safety Zone: Scharfman Batmitzvah Fireworks, East River, Newtown Creek, New York [CGD01-99-004] (RIN: 2115-AA97) received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

987. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operation Regulations; River Rouge (Short Cut Canal), Michigan [CGD09-98-055] (RIN: 2115-AE47) received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

988. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Allison Engine Company Model AE 3007A and AE 3007A1/1 Turbofan Engines, Correction [Docket No. 98-ANE-14; Amendment 39-11017; AD 99-03-03] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

989. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Allison Engine Company, Inc. AE 2100A, AE 2100C, and AE 2100D3 Series Turbofan Engines, Correction [Docket No. 98-ANE-83; Amendment 39-11023; AD 99-03-09] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

990. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; British Aerospace Jetstream Models 3101 and 3201 Airplanes [Docket No. 98-CE-76-AD; Amendment 39-11046; AD 99-04-21] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

991. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 737 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-148-AD; Amendment 39-11048; AD 99-04-23] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

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

Directives; Airbus Model A330 and A340 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 97-NM-316-AD; Amendment 39-11041; AD 99-04-16] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

993. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Airbus Model A300-600 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-301-AD; Amendment 39-11043; AD 99-04-18] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

994. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 777 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-320-AD; Amendment 39-11044; AD 99-04-19] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

995. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Saab Model SAAB SF340A and SAAB 340B Series Airplanes [Docket No. 97-NM-236-AD; Amendment 39-11042; AD 99-04-17] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

996. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Empresa Brasileira de Aeronautica S.A. (EMBRAER) Model EMB-145 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-317-AD; Amendment 39-10904; AD 98-24-19] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

997. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; El Dorado, KS [Airspace Docket No. 99-ACE-5] received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

998. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Dubuque, IA [Airspace Docket No. 98-ACE-58] received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

999. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Fort Madison, IA [Airspace Docket No. 98-ACE-57] received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1000. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace Kirksville, MO [Airspace Docket No. 99-ACE-9] received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1001. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace Springfield, MO [Airspace Docket No. 99-ACE-8] received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1002. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Newton, KS [Airspace Docket No. 99-ACE-3] received February 23,

1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1003. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Perry, IA [Airspace Docket No. 98-ACE-52] received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1004. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Boonville, MO [Airspace Docket No. 99-ACE-6] received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1005. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Selinsgrove, PA [Airspace Docket No. 98-AEA-45] received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1006. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Leadville, CO [Airspace Docket No. 98-ANM-08] received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1007. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Rockland, ME [Airspace Docket No. 98-ANE-95] received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1008. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—IFR Altitudes; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 29467; Amdt. No. 414] received February 23, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

21.3 COMMITTEE RESIGNATION—MAJORITY

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mrs. EMERSON laid before the House the following communication, which was read as follows:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, Washington, DC, March 10, 1999.

Hon. J. DENNIS HASTERT, Speaker of the House, The Capitol, Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Having accepted an appointment to the Committee on the Judiciary, I must hereby regretfully resign from the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

Sincerely,

SPENCER BACHUS, Member of Congress.

By unanimous consent, the resignation was accepted.

21.4 COMMITTEE ELECTION—MAJORITY

Mr. GOODLING, by unanimous consent, submitted the following privileged resolution (H. Res. 108):

Resolved, That the following named Members be, and they are hereby, elected to the following standing committees of the House of Representatives:

Committee on the Judiciary: Mr. SCARBOROUGH of Florida.

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Mr. BAKER of Louisiana.

When said resolution was considered and agreed to.

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

21.5 EDUCATION FLEXIBILITY PARTNERSHIP

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mrs. EMERSON, pursuant to House Resolution 100 and rule XVIII, declared the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for the further consideration of the bill (H.R. 800) to provide for education flexibility partnerships.

Mr. WELLER, Acting Chairman, assumed the chair; and after some time spent therein,

21.6 RECORDED VOTE

A recorded vote by electronic device was ordered in the Committee of the Whole on the following amendment submitted by Mr. SCOTT:

In section 4(c) (of H.R. 800, as reported), after "Secretary", insert "or a State educational agency".

At the end of section 4(c)(1)(G) (of H.R. 800, as reported), strike "and".

After subparagraph (H) of section 4(c) of H.R. 800, as reported, insert the following:

(I) in the case of a school that participates in a schoolwide program under section 1114 of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, the eligibility requirements of such section if such a school serves a school attendance area in which less than 35 percent of the children are from low-income families; and

It was decided in the { Yeas 195 negative } { Nays 223

21.7 [Roll No. 40] AYES—195

- Abercrombie, Ackerman, Allen, Andrews, Baird, Baldacci, Baldwin, Barcia, Barrett (WI), Bentsen, Bereuter, Berkley, Berman, Berry, Bishop, Blumenauer, Bonior, Borski, Boswell, Boucher, Brady (PA), Brown (CA), Brown (FL), Brown (OH), Capuano, Cardin, Carson, Clay, Clayton, Clement, Clyburn, Condit, Conyers, Costello, Coyne, Cramer, Crowley, Cummings, Danner, Davis (FL), Davis (IL), DeFazio, DeGette, DeLauro, Deutsch, Dicks, Dingell, Dixon, Doggett, Dooley, Doyle, Edwards, Engel, Eshoo, Etheridge, Evans, Farr, Filner, Ford, Frank (MA), Gejdenson, Gephardt, Gonzalez, Gordon, Green (TX), Gutierrez, Hall (OH), Hall (OH), Hastings (FL), Hill (IN), Hilliard, Hinchey, Hinojosa, Holden, Holt, Hooley, Hoyer, Insee, Jackson (IL), Jackson-Lee (TX), Jefferson, Johnson, E. B., Jones (OH), Kanjorski, Kennedy, Kildee, Kilpatrick, Kind (WI), Kleczka, Klink, Kucinich, LaFalce, Lamson, Lantos, Larson, Lee, Levin, Lewis (GA), Lofgren, Lowey, Lucas (KY), Luther, Maloney (CT), Maloney (NY), Markey, Mascara, Matsui, McCarthy (MO), McCarthy (NY), McDermott, McGovern, McIntyre, McKinney, McNulty, Meehan, Meek (FL), Meeks (NY), Menendez, Millender, McDonald, Miller, George, Minge, Mink, Moakley, Mollohan, Moore, Moran (VA), Murtha, Nadler, Napolitano, Neal, Oberstar, Obey, Olver, Ortiz, Owens, Pallone, Pascrell, Pastor, Payne, Pelosi, Peterson (MN), Phelps, Pickett, Pomeroy, Price (NC), Rahall, Rivers, Rodriguez, Roemer, Rothman, Roybal-Allard, Rush, Sabo, Sanchez, Sanders, Aderholt, Archer, Arney, Bachus, Baker, Ballenger, Barr, Bartlett, Barton, Bass, Bateman, Biggett, Bilirakis, Biiley, Blunt, Boehlert, Boehner, Bonilla, Bono, Boyd, Brady (TX), Bryant, Burr, Burton, Buyer, Callahan, Calvert, Camp, Campbell, Canady, Cannon, Castle, Chabot, Chambliss, Chenoweth, Coble, Coburn, Collins, Combest, Cook, Cooksey, Crane, Cuban, Cunningham, Davis (VA), Deal, DeLay, DeMint, Diaz-Balart, Dickey, Doolittle, Dreier, Duncan, Dunn, Ehlers, Ehrlich, Emerson, English, Everett, Ewing, Fletcher, Foley, Forbes, Fossella, Fowler, Franks (NJ), Frelinghuysen, Gallegly, Ganske, Gekas, Gibbons, Gilchrest, Gillmor, Gilman, Goode, Goodlatte, Goodling, Goss, Graham, Granger, Green (WI), Greenwood, Gutknecht, Hall (TX), Hansen, Hastings (WA), Hayes, Hayworth, Hefley, Herger, Hill (MT), Hilleary, Hobson, Hoeffel, Hoekstra, Horn, Hostettler, Houghton, Hulshof, Hunter, Hutchinson, Hyde, Isakson, Istook, Jenkins, Johnson (CT), Johnson, Sam, Jones (NC), Kasich, Kelly, King (NY), Kingston, Knollenberg, Kolbe, Kuykendall, LaHood, Largent, Latham, LaTourette, Lazio, Leach, Lewis (CA), Lewis (KY), Linder, Lipinski, LoBiondo, Lucas (OK), Manullo, Dunn, McCollum, McHugh, McInnis, McIntosh, McKeon, Metcalf, Mica, Miller (FL), Miller, Gary, Moran (KS), Morella, Myrick, Nethercutt, Northup, Norwood, Nussle, Ose, Oxley, Packard, Paul, Pease, Peterson (PA), Petri, Pickering, Pitts, Pombo, Porter, Portman, Pryce (OH), Quinn, Radanovich, Ramstad, Regula, Reynolds, Riley, Rogan, Rogers, Rohrabacher, Ros-Lehtinen, Roukema, Royce, Ryan (WI), Ryan (KS), Salmon, Sanford, Saxton, Scarborough, Schaffer, Sensenbrenner, Sessions, Shadegg, Shaw, Shays, Sherwood, Shimkus, Shuster, Simpson, Skeen, Smith (MI), Smith (NJ), Smith (TX), Smith (WA), Souder, Spence, Stearns, Stump, Sununu, Sweeney, Talent, Tancredo, Tauzin, Taylor (MS), Taylor (NC), Terry, Thomas, Thornberry, Thune, Tiahrt, Toomey, Upton, Walden, Walsh, Wamp, Watkins, Watts (OK), Weldon (FL), Weldon (PA), Weller, Whitfield, Wickner, Wilson, Wolf, Young (AK), Young (FL)

- Owens, Pallone, Pascrell, Pastor, Payne, Pelosi, Peterson (MN), Phelps, Pickett, Pomeroy, Price (NC), Rahall, Rivers, Rodriguez, Roemer, Rothman, Roybal-Allard, Rush, Sabo, Sanchez, Sanders, Sandlin, Sawyer, Schakowsky, Scott, Serrano, Sherman, Shows, Sisisky, Skelton, Slaughter, Snyder, Spratt, Stabenow, Stark, Stenholm, Strickland, Stupak, Tanner, Tauscher, Thompson (CA), Thompson (MS), Thurman, Tierney, Towns, Traficant, Turner, Udall (CO), Udall (NM), Velazquez, Vento, Visclosky, Waters, Watt (NC), Waxman, Weiner, Wexler, Weygand, Wise, Woolsey, Wu, Wynn

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- Aderholt, Archer, Arney, Bachus, Baker, Ballenger, Barr, Bartlett, Barton, Bass, Bateman, Biggett, Bilirakis, Biiley, Blunt, Boehlert, Boehner, Bonilla, Bono, Boyd, Brady (TX), Bryant, Burr, Burton, Buyer, Callahan, Calvert, Camp, Campbell, Canady, Cannon, Castle, Chabot, Chambliss, Chenoweth, Coble, Coburn, Collins, Combest, Cook, Cooksey, Crane, Cuban, Cunningham, Davis (VA), Deal, DeLay, DeMint, Diaz-Balart, Dickey, Doolittle, Dreier, Duncan, Dunn, Ehlers, Ehrlich, Emerson, English, Everett, Ewing, Fletcher, Foley, Forbes, Fossella, Fowler, Franks (NJ), Frelinghuysen, Gallegly, Ganske, Gekas, Gibbons, Gilchrest, Gillmor, Gilman, Goode, Goodlatte, Goodling, Goss, Graham, Granger, Green (WI), Greenwood, Gutknecht, Hall (TX), Hansen, Hastings (WA), Hayes, Hayworth, Hefley, Herger, Hill (MT), Hilleary, Hobson, Hoeffel, Hoekstra, Horn, Hostettler, Houghton, Hulshof, Hunter, Hutchinson, Hyde, Isakson, Istook, Jenkins, Johnson (CT), Johnson, Sam, Jones (NC), Kasich, Kelly, King (NY), Kingston, Knollenberg, Kolbe, Kuykendall, LaHood, Largent, Latham, LaTourette, Lazio, Leach, Lewis (CA), Lewis (KY), Linder, Lipinski, LoBiondo, Lucas (OK), Manullo, Dunn, McCollum, McHugh, McInnis, McIntosh, McKeon, Metcalf, Mica, Miller (FL), Miller, Gary, Moran (KS), Morella, Myrick, Nethercutt, Northup, Norwood, Nussle, Ose, Oxley, Packard, Paul, Pease, Peterson (PA), Petri, Pickering, Pitts, Pombo, Porter, Portman, Pryce (OH), Quinn, Radanovich, Ramstad, Regula, Reynolds, Riley, Rogan, Rogers, Rohrabacher, Ros-Lehtinen, Roukema, Royce, Ryan (WI), Ryan (KS), Salmon, Sanford, Saxton, Scarborough, Schaffer, Sensenbrenner, Sessions, Shadegg, Shaw, Shays, Sherwood, Shimkus, Shuster, Simpson, Skeen, Smith (MI), Smith (NJ), Smith (TX), Smith (WA), Souder, Spence, Stearns, Stump, Sununu, Sweeney, Talent, Tancredo, Tauzin, Taylor (MS), Taylor (NC), Terry, Thomas, Thornberry, Thune, Tiahrt, Toomey, Upton, Walden, Walsh, Wamp, Watkins, Watts (OK), Weldon (FL), Weldon (PA), Weller, Whitfield, Wickner, Wilson, Wolf, Young (AK), Young (FL)