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¶27.42 BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION

On motion of Mr. THOMAS, by unanimous consent, the Committee on House Administration was discharged from further consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 27) providing for the reappointment of Dr. Hanna H. Gray as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.

When said joint resolution was considered, read twice, ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, was read a third time by title, and passed.

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

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

¶27.43 BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION

On motion of Mr. THOMAS, by unanimous consent, the Committee on House Administration was discharged from further consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 28) providing for the reappointment of Wesley S. Williams, Jr. as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.

When said joint resolution was considered, read twice, ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, was read a third time by title, and passed.

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

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

¶27.44 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to Mr. STUPAK, for today and balance of the week.

And then,

¶27.45 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. CUNNINGHAM, at 11 o'clock and 15 minutes p.m., the House adjourned.

¶27.46 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. KASICH: Committee on the Budget. House Concurrent Resolution 68. Resolution establishing the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 2000 and setting forth appropriate budgetary levels for each of fiscal years 2001 through 2009 (Rept. No. 106-73). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. LEACH: Committee on Banking and Financial Services. H.R. 10. A bill to enhance competition in the financial services industry by providing a prudential frame-

work for the affiliation of banks, securities firms, and other financial service providers, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. No. 106-74 Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. H.R. 154. A bill to provide for the collection of fees for the making of motion pictures, television productions, and sound tracks in National Park System and National Wildlife Refuge System units, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. No. 106-75). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the union.

Mr. GOSS: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 125. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 1141) making emergency supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes (Rep. 106-76). Referred to the House Calendar.

¶27.47 TIME LIMITATION OF REFERRED BILL

Pursuant to clause 5 of rule X the following action was taken by the Speaker:

H.R. 10. Referral to the Committee on Commerce extended for a period ending not later than May 14, 1999.

¶27.48 PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. EVANS (for himself, Mr. FILNER, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. DOYLE, Ms. CARSON, Mr. REYES, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. SHOWS, Ms. BERKLEY, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Ms. DANER, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. LAFALCE, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. STRICKLAND, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. OLVER, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. KLINK, and Ms. MCKINNEY):

H.R. 1214. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide for an enhanced quality assurance program within the Veterans Benefits Administration; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. KLECZKA (for himself, Mr. HERGER, Mr. MATSUI, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. BERMAN, Mrs. BONO, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. DIXON, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. PAUL, Mr. FROST, Mr. FILNER, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. OBHEY, and Mr. OSE):

H.R. 1215. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 with respect to the eligibility of veterans for mortgage revenue bond financing, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. LATOURETTE (for himself, Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. LEACH, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mrs. BONO, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. MINGE, Mr. NEY, Mr. SAWYER, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. RUSH, Mr. OLVER, Mr. STRICKLAND, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. KING, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. VENTO, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. ENGLISH, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. HORN, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. METCALF, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. MOORE, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. LUTHER, Mr. WELLER, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. HILL of Indiana, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. CUMMINGS, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. KLINK, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. MALONEY of

Connecticut, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. HOLDEN, Ms. DELAURO, Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. OXLEY, and Mr. TANNER):

H.R. 1216. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide that pay adjustments for nurses and certain other health-care professionals employed by the Department of Veterans Affairs shall be made in the same manner as is applicable to Federal employees generally and to revise the authority for the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to make further locality pay adjustments for those employees; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. JEFFERSON (for himself, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. BERREUTER, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. BISHOP, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. BRYANT, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. CAPUANO, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. CLAY, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. COYNE, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. DELAHUNT, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. DICKS, Mr. DIXON, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. ETHERIDGE, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. FILNER, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. FORBES, Mr. FORD, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. FROST, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. GOODE, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. HALL of Ohio, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. HINCHEY, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, Mr. HOYER, Mr. INSLEE, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. KILDEE, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. LIPINSKI, Ms. LOFGREN, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. MCINTYRE, Mr. MASCARA, Ms. MATSUI, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. MOAKLEY, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. NADLER, Mr. NEY, Ms. NORTON, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. OLVER, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. PAYNE, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. SAWYER, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. SISISKY, Mr. SKELTON, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. SPRATT, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. STARK, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. TURNER, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. WATKINS, Mr. WATT of North Carolina, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. WEYGAND, Mr. WISE, Mr. WOLF, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. WYNN, Mr. RUSH, and Mr. STRICKLAND):

H.R. 1217. A bill to amend title II of the Social Security Act to provide that the reductions in Social Security benefits which are required in the case of spouses and surviving spouses who are also receiving certain Government pensions shall be equal to the amount by which the total amount of the combined monthly benefit (before reduction) and monthly pension exceeds \$1,200; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN (for herself, Mr. BARCIA, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mrs. FOWLER, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. CANADY of Florida, Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Mr. GOSS, Mr. MICA, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. SCARBOROUGH, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. DELAY, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. HYDE, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. CRANE, Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. PITTS, Mr. COX, Mr. BLILEY, Mr.

OBERSTAR, Mr. WALSH, Mr. DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. FORBES, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. WOLF, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. RAHALL, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. HALL of Ohio, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. SALMON, Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mr. HEFLEY, Mr. HILL of Montana, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. ROGAN, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. FOSSELLA, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. GOODE, Mr. RYUN of Kansas, Mr. BURR of North Carolina, Mr. DEMINT, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mr. JOHN, Mr. MCINTYRE, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. BRYANT, Mr. SCHAFER, Mr. TALENT, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. MCCREARY, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. BERRY, Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. PICKERING, Mr. KING, Mr. TERRY, Mr. METCALF, Mr. TANCREDO, Mr. GARY MILLER of California, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. LINDER, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. CAMP, Mr. BARR of Georgia, Mr. POMBO, Mr. COOK, Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin, Mr. FLETCHER, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. DICKEY, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. COBURN, Mr. EHLERS, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. RILEY, Mr. LATHAM, Mr. PORTMAN, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. JENKINS, Mr. SHAD-EGG, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. MCKEON, Mr. BATEMAN, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. BRADY of Texas, Mr. NEY, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. THUNE, and Mr. WHITFIELD):

H.R. 1218. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit taking minors across State lines in circumvention of laws requiring the involvement of parents in abortion decisions; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. MALONEY of New York (for herself, Mr. GEKAS, Mr. HORN, Mr. NADLER, Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. KUCINICH, and Mr. FILNER):

H.R. 1219. A bill to amend the Office of Federal Procurement Policy Act and the Miller Act, relating to payment protections for persons providing labor and materials for Federal construction projects; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Government Reform, 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. ANDREWS (for himself, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, and Mr. GREENWOOD):

H.R. 1220. A bill to direct the Secretary of Defense to provide financial assistance to the Tri-State Maritime Safety Association of Delaware, New Jersey, and Pennsylvania for use for maritime emergency response on the Delaware River; to the Committee on Armed Services, and in addition to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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. UPTON (for himself, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Ms. ESHOO, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr.

RANGEL, Mr. LEACH, Mr. STARK, Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, Mr. BENTSEN, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. NEY, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. CAMP, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Ms. PELOSI, Ms. BERKLEY, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, and Mr. CLAY):

H.R. 1221. A bill to provide assistance for poison prevention and to stabilize the funding of regional poison control centers; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. BALDACCI (for himself, Mr. KLECZKA, and Mr. SANDERS):

H.R. 1222. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to make certain changes related to payments for graduate medical education under the Medicare Program; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Commerce, 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. BLAGOJEVICH:

H.R. 1223. A bill to provide grants to 10 high-need local educational agencies or eligible consortium to establish or expand National Teachers Academies to serve as national models for teacher training, development, and recruitment and to facilitate high-quality curriculum development; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. CARDIN (for himself, Mr. STARK, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. LEVIN, and Mr. BENTSEN):

H.R. 1224. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for comprehensive financing for graduate medical education; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Commerce, 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. COBLE:

H.R. 1225. A bill to authorize funds for the payment of salaries and expenses of the Patent and Trademark Office, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. EVANS:

H.R. 1226. A bill to direct the Secretary of Defense to eliminate the backlog in satisfying requests of former members of the Armed Forces for the issuance or replacement of military medals and decorations; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. EVANS (for himself, Mr. FILNER, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Ms. NORTON, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. PASTOR, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. RUSH, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. COYNE, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. MASCARA, Mr. TIERNEY, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. FALCOMA, Mr. OLVER, Mr. VENTO, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. KLINK, Mr. GEPHARDT, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. STRICKLAND, and Ms. BERKLEY):

H.R. 1227. A bill to provide for the debarment or suspension from Federal procurement and nonprocurement activities of persons that violate certain labor and safety laws; to the Committee on Government Reform, 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. FILNER:

H.R. 1228. A bill to amend the retirement provisions of title 5, United States Code, to extend to inspectors of the Immigration and Naturalization Service, revenue officers of the Internal Revenue Service, and certain others, the same treatment as is accorded to law enforcement officers; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. GEJDENSON (for himself, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. METCALF, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. RAHALL, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. FROST, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. MCINNIS, and Mr. LATOURETTE):

H.R. 1229. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to expand the types of equipment which may be acquired with tax-exempt financing by volunteer fire departments and to provide a comparable treatment for emergency medical service organizations; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. GIBBONS:

H.R. 1230. A bill to require the Secretary of the Interior to make reimbursement for certain damages incurred as a result of bonding regulations adopted by the Bureau of Land Management on February 28, 1997, and subsequently determined to be in violation of Federal law; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. GIBBONS:

H.R. 1231. A bill to direct the Secretary of Agriculture to convey certain National Forest lands to Elko County, Nevada, for continued use as a cemetery; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. HANSEN (for himself and Mr. MEEHAN):

H.R. 1232. A bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to permit the Secretary of Health and Human Services to waive recoupment of Federal government Medicaid claims to tobacco-related State settlements if the State uses a portion of those funds for programs to reduce the use of tobacco products and to assist in the economic diversification of tobacco farming communities; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mrs. LOWEY (for herself and Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York):

H.R. 1233. A bill to regulate interstate commerce by providing a Federal cause of action against firearms manufacturers, dealers, and importers for the harm resulting from gun violence; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. GARY MILLER of California (for himself, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. BENTSEN, Mr. FOLEY, Ms. DUNN, Mr. FORBES, Mr. TANCREDO, Mr. TERRY, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. THORNBERRY, and Mr. BOEHLERT):

H.R. 1234. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the excise tax on telephone and other communications services; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California:

H.R. 1235. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to enter into contracts with the Solano County Water Agency, California, to use Solano Project facilities for impounding, storage, and carriage of nonproject water for domestic, municipal, industrial, and other beneficial purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. RANGEL:

H.R. 1236. A bill to designate the headquarters building of the Department of Housing and Urban Development in Washington, DC, as the Robert C. Weaver Federal Building; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. SAXTON (for himself, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. GILCHREST, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. PALLONE, and Mr. SHAYS):

H.R. 1237. A bill to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to permit grants for the national estuary program to be used for the development and implementation of a comprehensive conservation and management plan, to reauthorize appropriations to carry out the program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Ms. SLAUGHTER:

H.R. 1238. A bill to combat the crime of international trafficking and to protect the rights of victims; to the Committee on International Relations, 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. VENTO (for himself, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. FORBES, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. SHAYS, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, Mr. COYNE, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. LEACH, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. CAMPBELL, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. NADLER, Mr. MARKEY, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. WAXMAN, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. DAVIS of Florida, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. WYNN, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Ms. RIVERS, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. WEYGAND, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. CARDIN, Ms. NORTON, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. STARK, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. CLAY, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. HOLDEN, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. HOLT, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. FILNER, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. KIND, Mr. MENENDEZ, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. DIXON, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. EVANS, Mr. BALDACCII, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. INSLEE, Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. SABO, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. HALL of Ohio, Ms. WATERS, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Ms. SANCHEZ, Mr. PORTER, Mrs. LOWEY, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. SAWYER, Mr. HOEFFEL, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. MOORE, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. OLVER, Mr. MINGE, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. BOUCHER, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. LUTHER, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mrs. CAPPs, Mr. OBEY, Mr. CAPUANO, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, and Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut):

H.R. 1239. A bill to designate certain lands in Alaska as wilderness; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. TRAFICANT:

H.R. 1240. A bill to amend the Professional Boxing Safety Act of 1996 to require that the scores of each judge be made public after each round; 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 Ms. WATERS:

H.R. 1241. A bill to amend the Controlled Substances Act and the Controlled Substances Import and Export Act to eliminate mandatory minimum penalties relating to crack cocaine offenses; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Commerce, 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. LANTOS (for himself, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. GEJDENSON, and Mr. BEREU-TER):

H. Con. Res. 67. A concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress that freedom of the news media and freedom of expression are vital to the development and consolidation of democracy in Russia and that the United States should actively support such freedoms; to the Committee on International Relations, and in addition to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services, 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. CAMPBELL:

H. Res. 126. A resolution providing for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 417) to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to reform the financing of campaigns for elections for Federal office; to the Committee on Rules.

By Mr. FILNER:

H. Res. 127. A resolution acknowledging the achievements of the late Robert Condon and the Rolling Readers USA program he founded in advancing children's literacy; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. SMITH of New Jersey (for himself, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. KING, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. MENENDEZ, and Mr. WALSH):

H. Res. 128. A resolution condemning the murder of human rights lawyer Rosemary Nelson and calling for the protection of defense attorneys in Northern Ireland; to the Committee on International Relations.

¶27.49 PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

Mr. SCARBOROUGH introduced A bill (H.R. 1242) for the relief of Mary Yaros; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

¶27.50 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 5: Mrs. FOWLER, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. POMBO, Mr. LUCAS of Kentucky, Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. LINDER, Mrs. EMERSON, Ms. DANNER, Mr. FILNER, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. FROST, Mr. BISHOP, and Mr. SHADEGG.

H.R. 14: Mr. SOUDER.

H.R. 17: Mr. NUSSLE.

H.R. 27: Mrs. NORTHUP.

H.R. 38: Mr. NORWOOD and Mrs. CHENOWETH.
H.R. 40: Mrs. CLAYTON, Ms. NORTON, and Mr. PAYNE.

H.R. 44: Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. TANCREDO, and Mr. RILEY.

H.R. 45: Mr. DICKEY, Mr. BISHOP, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, and Mr. RYUN of Kansas.

H.R. 48: Mr. COX.

H.R. 49: Mr. SHOWS.

H.R. 50: Mr. ADERHOLT.

H.R. 65: Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mr. TANCREDO, Mr. FORBES, Mr. MCCRERY, and Mr. RILEY.

H.R. 71: Mr. PAUL.

H.R. 72: Mr. SCARBOROUGH.

H.R. 86: Mr. ISAKSON.

H.R. 116: Ms. BERKLEY and Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut.

H.R. 152: Mr. PICKERING.

H.R. 165: Mr. GILMAN.

H.R. 197: Mr. RYUN of Kansas, Mr. MOORE, and Mr. TIAHRT.

H.R. 208: Mr. WOLF.

H.R. 219: Mr. MCINTOSH.

H.R. 254: Mr. LARGENT and Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 274: Mrs. MALONEY of New York.

H.R. 275: Mr. POMBO and Mr. GARY MILLER of California.

H.R. 303: Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mr. TANCREDO, Mr. MCCRERY, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. RILEY, Mr. GEJDENSON, and Mr. COLLINS.

H.R. 306: Ms. BERKLEY, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. KIND, Mr. KUCINICH, and Mr. LANTOS.

H.R. 351: Mr. BRADY of Texas and Mr. REYES.

H.R. 357: Mrs. BIGGERT.

H.R. 371: Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma and Mr. MCGOVERN.

H.R. 383: Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. FORBES, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. GARY MILLER of California, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. BALDACCII, and Mr. SHOWS.

H.R. 413: Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. BILBRAY, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Ms. NORTON, Mr. COOK, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. MARTINEZ, Ms. BERKLEY, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. BALDACCII, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. DIXON, and Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina.

H.R. 423: Mr. DOOLEY of California, Mr. JOHN, Mr. POMBO, and Mr. HERGER.

H.R. 430: Mr. NUSSLE.

H.R. 483: Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi.

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H.R. 546: Mr. WICKER.

H.R. 550: Mr. SHOWS.

H.R. 566: Ms. BERKLEY and Mr. HILL of Indiana.

H.R. 570: Mr. FORBES.

H.R. 573: Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN: Mrs. BIGGERT, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mrs. FOWLER, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mrs. CHENOWETH, Mr. GEPHARDT, Mr. FLETCHER, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Ms. DANNER, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. MINGE, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. KIND, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. DOOLEY of California, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. DELAY, and Mr. PICKERING.

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H.R. 576: Mr. JEFFERSON and Ms. BERKLEY.

H.R. 577: Mr. HILL of Montana.

H.R. 654: Mr. LUTHER.

H.R. 664: Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. LARSON, and Mr. HASTINGS of Florida.

H.R. 674: Mr. JOHN.

H.R. 686: Mr. REYES, Mr. HINOJOSA, and Mr. GREEN of Texas.

H.R. 699: Mr. FILNER, Mr. SANDERS, and Ms. KILPATRICK.

H.R. 743: Mr. DIAZ-BALART and Mr. GOODE.

H.R. 750: Mr. THORNBERRY.

H.R. 773: Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. LEACH, Mr. PHELPS, and Ms. BERKLEY.

H.R. 783: Mr. CALLAHAN, Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, and Mr. DOYLE.

H.R. 784: Mr. DOYLE, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. CALVERT, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mr. ENGLISH, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. REYES, Mr.