

House adjourned until Tuesday, January 17, 1995 at 9:30 a.m.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 2 of rule XXIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

143. A letter from the Director, the Office of Management and Budget, transmitting the cumulative report on rescissions and deferrals of budget authority as of December 1, 1994, pursuant to 2 U.S.C. 685(e) (H. Doc. No. 104-18); to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

144. A letter from the Under Secretary of Defense, transmitting a report of a violation of the Anti-Deficiency Act which occurred in the Department of the Army, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1517(b); to the Committee on Appropriations.

145. A letter from the Deputy Secretary of Defense, transmitting a report pursuant to section 6 of Public Law 103-378; to the Committee on National Security.

146. A letter from the Deputy Secretary of Defense, transmitting a report pursuant to section 132 of Public Law 103-337, the National Defense Authorization Act for fiscal year 1995; to the Committee on National Security.

147. A letter from the Deputy Secretary of Defense, transmitting certification that live-fire testing of the B-1 Conventional Mission Upgrade Program [CMUP] would be unreasonably expensive and impractical, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 2366(c)(1); to the Committee on National Security.

148. A letter from the Secretary of Defense, transmitting certification that the total cost for the planning design, construction, and installation of (building) equipment for the renovation of the Pentagon reservation will not exceed \$1,128,000,000; to the Committee on National Security.

149. A letter from the Director, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting the Agency's report entitled, "A Unified Nation Program for Floodplain Management," pursuant to section 1302(c) of the Nation Flood Insurance Act of 1968; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

150. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Thrift Supervision, transmitting the Office's report to Congress on implementation of the Community Reinvestment Act of 1977, as amended, pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 2904; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

151. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's second annual report to Congress on programs in achieving the performance goals referenced in the Prescription Drug User Fee Act of 1992 [PDUFA], pursuant to section 104(a) of the Prescription Drug User Fee Act of 1992; to the Committee on Commerce.

152. A letter from the Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, transmitting the Department of the Army's proposed lease of defense articles to the United Nations for use in Bosnia (Transmittal No. 8-95), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2796a(a); to the Committee on International Relations.

153. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a copy of Presidential Determination No. 95-11, authorizing the furnishing of assistance from the emergency refugee and migration assistance fund to meet the urgent needs of refugees in the New Independent States [NIS] of the former Soviet

Union, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2601(c)(3); to the Committee on International Relations.

154. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Department's report pursuant to title VIII of Public Law 101-246, the Foreign Relations Authorization Act, as amended; to the Committee on International Relations.

155. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a report on the steps the administration has taken to ensure that the goals of section 322 of the Foreign Relations Authorization Acts of 1992 and 1993 (which deals with the Arab boycott of Israel) are being met; to the Committee on International Relations.

156. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a report on the outstanding expropriation claims in Nicaragua of United States persons; to the Committee on International Relations.

157. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a copy of Presidential Determination No. 95-7: Resumption of U.S. Drug Interdiction Assistance to the Government of Colombia; to the Committee on International Relations.

158. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a copy of Presidential Determination No. 95-9: Resumption of U.S. Drug Interdiction Assistance to the Government of Peru; to the Committee on International Relations.

159. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting notification that the Department of State will utilize the certification procedures of section 565(a)(3) of Public Law 103-236 at the U.S. Consulate General in Jerusalem; to the Committee on International Relations.

160. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Secretary's report to Congress on the participation or involvement of members of the Haitian Government in human rights violations between December 15, 1990, and December 15, 1994, pursuant to Public Law 103-423, section 4; to the Committee on International Relations.

161. A letter from the Secretary, Mississippi River Commission, Department of the Army, transmitting a copy of the annual report in compliance with the Government in the Sunshine Act during the calendar year 1994, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b(j); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

162. A letter from the Executive Director, Martin Luther King, Jr. Federal Holiday Commission, transmitting the annual report under the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act for fiscal year 1994, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

163. A letter from the Director, OPM, President's Pay Agent, transmitting a report justifying the reasons for the extension of locally-based comparability payments to categories of positions that are in more than one executive agency, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 5304(h)(2)(C); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

164. A letter from the Inspector General, Smithsonian Institution, transmitting the Institution's 5-year strategic plan for fiscal years 1995 through 1999; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

165. A letter from the Secretary of Energy, transmitting notification that the report required pursuant to section 308 of title III of the Energy Conservation and Production

Act, as amended by section 101 of the Energy Policy Act of 1992 will be submitted by February 1, 1995; jointly, to the Committees on Commerce and Banking and Financial Services.

166. A letter from the Secretaries of the Interior and Energy, and Director, National Science Foundation, transmitting the Fourth Annual Report on the U.S. Continental Scientific Drilling Program, pursuant to 41 U.S.C. 31 note; jointly, to the Committees on Resources and Science.

167. A letter from the Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting a final report on the study and technology demonstration program concerned with contaminated bottom sediments in the Great Lakes, pursuant to section 118(c)(7) of the Clean Water Act; jointly, to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure and Science.

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. SOLOMON: Committee on Rules. H.R. 5. A bill to curb the practice of imposing unfunded Federal mandates on States and local governments, to ensure that the Federal Government pays the costs incurred by those governments in complying with certain requirements under Federal statutes and regulations, and to provide information on the cost of Federal mandates on the private sector, and for other purposes; with amendments (Rept. 104-1, Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 5 of rule X and clause 4 of rule XXII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred as follows:

By Mr. DEFAZIO (for himself, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. ABERCROBIE, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. EVANS, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. KLINK, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. MILLER of California, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi, Mr. TRAFICANT, and Ms. VELÁZQUEZ):

H.R. 499. A bill to require the withdrawal of the United States from the North American Free-Trade Agreement, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BALLENGER (for himself, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. DELAY, Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. ARCHER, Mr. BAKER of California, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. BASS, Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. BONO, Mr. BURR, Mr. CANADY, Mr. COBLE, Mr. COX, Mr. CRANE, Mr. DORNAN, Mr. DREIER, Mr. FAWELL, Mr. FUNDERBURK, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. GOODLING, Mr. GOSS, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. HANCOCK, Mr. HERGER, Mr. HEFLEY, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. LINDER, Mr. LIVINGSTON, Mr. MCKEON, Mr. MOORHEAD, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. PORTER, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. ROGERS, Mr. SCHAEFER, Mr. SKEEN, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. WOLF, and Mr. CHRISTENSEN):