

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, OSCE PARLIAMENTARY ASSEMBLY, U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN JULY 5 AND JULY 8, 1997—

Continued

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem ¹		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²
Hon. Louise McIntosh Slaughter	7/5	7/8	Poland		834.00		(?)				834.00
Hon. Judy Wolverton	7/5	7/8	Poland		834.00		(?)				634.00
Hon. Marlene Kaufmann	7/5	7/8	Poland		1,112.00		(?)				1,112.00
Hon. Erika Schlager	7/5	7/8	Poland		834.00		(?)				708.51
Hon. Ron McNamara	7/5	7/8	Poland		834.00		(?)				789.00
Hon. Mark Gage	7/5	7/8	Poland		834.00		(?)				691.50
Hon. Caroline Cooper	7/5	7/8	Poland		834.00		(?)				622.00
Hon. Cliff Kupchan	7/5	7/8	Poland		834.00		(?)				624.00
Committee total					14,456.00						13,466.01

¹ Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.

² If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.

HENRY HYDE, Aug. 6, 1997.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

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

5155. 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.

5156. A letter from the Acting Comptroller General, General Accounting Office, transmitting a list of all reports issued or released in August 1997, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 719(h); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

5157. A letter from the Executive Director, National Capital Planning Commission, transmitting a report of activities under the Freedom of Information Act for the calendar years 1992-1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(d); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

5158. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's "Major" final rule—Migratory Bird Hunting; Final Frameworks for Late-Season Migratory Bird Hunting Regulations (RIN: 1018-AE14) received September 22, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5159. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Weighted Average Interest Rate Update [Notice 97-51] received September 22, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5160. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Partner's Distributive Share [Revenue Ruling 97-38] received September 22, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

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 references to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. SENSENBRENNER: Committee on Science. H.R. 2429. A bill to reauthorize the Small Business Technology Transfer Program through fiscal year 2000; with an amendment (Rept. 105-259 Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

Mr. LIVINGSTON: Committee on Appropriations. Report on the revised subdivision totals for fiscal year 1998 (Rept. 105-260). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. H.R. 1948. A bill to provide for the exchange of lands within Admiralty Island National Monument, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 105-261). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. House Concurrent Resolution 131. Resolution expressing the sense of Congress regarding the ocean; with amendments (Rept. 105-262). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. MCINNIS: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 238. Resolution waiving points of order against the conference report to accompany the bill (H.R. 2209) making appropriations for the legislative branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1998, and for other purposes (Rept. 105-263). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. DREIER: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 239. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2267) making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the judiciary, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1998, and for other purposes (Rept. 105-264). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. YOUNG of Florida: Committee of Conference. Conference report on H.R. 2266. A bill making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1998, and for other purposes (Rept. 105-265). Ordered to be printed.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. H.R. 1787. A bill to assist in the conservation of Asian elephants by supporting and providing financial resources for the conservation programs of nations within the range of Asian elephants and projects of persons with demonstrated expertise in the conservation of Asian elephants; with an amendment (Rept. 105-266 Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

TIME LIMITATION OF REFERRED BILL

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

H.R. 1787. Referral to the Committee on International Relations extended for a period ending not later than October 6, 1997.

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:

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By Mr. ARCHER (for himself, Mr. HULSHOF, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. THOMAS, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. NUSSLE, Ms. DUNN of Washington, and Mr. LEVIN):

H.R. 2513. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to restore and modify the provision of the Taxpayer Relief Act of 1997 relating to exempting active financing income from foreign personal holding company income and to provide for the nonrecognition of gain on the sale of stock in agricultural processors to certain farmers' cooperatives; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on the Budget, 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. TORRES:
H.R. 2514. A bill to authorize the President to award a congressional gold medal to the family of the late Raul Julia, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. SMITH of Oregon (for himself, Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. BISHOP, Mr. CALLAHAN, Mrs. EMERSON, and Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania):

H.R. 2515. A bill to address the declining health of forests on Federal lands in the United States through a program of recovery and protection consistent with the requirements of existing public land management and environmental laws, to establish a program to inventory, monitor, and analyze public and private forests and their resources, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, and in addition to the Committee on Resources, 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. SHUSTER (for himself, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. PETRI, and Mr. RAHALL):

H.R. 2516. A bill to extend the Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act of 1991 through March 31, 1998; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. RILEY (for himself, Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. SCARBOROUGH, Mr. HILL, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. SALMON, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. COOKSEY, Mr. BRADY, Mr. THUNE, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. WAMP, and Mr. CHRISTENSEN):

H.R. 2517. A bill to eliminate automatic pay adjustments for Members of Congress; to