

amendment as fall within the jurisdiction of that committee pursuant to clause 1(r) rule X. Ordered to be printed.

TIME LIMITATION OF REFERRED BILL

Pursuant to clause 2 of rule XII the following action was taken by the Speaker:

H.R. 921. Referral to the Committee on Education and the Workforce extended for a period ending not later than December 17, 2005.

H.R. 972. Referral to the Committee on the Judiciary extended for a period ending not later than December 8, 2005.

H.R. 1631. Referral to the Committee on Ways and Means extended for a period ending not later than December 17, 2005.

H.R. 2829. Referral to the Committees on the Judiciary, Energy and Commerce, and the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence for a period ending not later than December 17, 2005.

H.R. 2830. Referral to the Committee on Ways and Means extended for a period ending not later than December 6, 2005.

H.R. 3699. Referral to the Committee on Resources extended for a period ending not later than December 17, 2005.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. HINCHEY:

H.R. 4387. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide a credit to individuals for charitable contributions of services; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. THOMAS:

H.R. 4388. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend certain expiring provisions, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MILLER of North Carolina (for himself and Mr. CONYERS):

H.R. 4389. A bill to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to exempt news stories, commentaries, and editorials distributed through the Internet from treatment as expenditures or electioneering communications under such Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. LANGEVIN (for himself, Mr. SHAYS, Mrs. MCCARTHY, Ms. CORRINE BROWN of Florida, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. CASE, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Ms. NORTON, and Ms. WOOLSEY):

H.R. 4390. A bill to ensure greater accountability by licensed firearms dealers; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. YOUNG of Alaska (for himself, Mr. SHUSTER, Mr. BAKER, Mr. BOUSTANY, Mr. JINDAL, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. MELANCON, and Mr. PICKERING):

H.R. 4391. A bill to authorize the President to provide disaster assistance for the repair, restoration, reconstruction, or replacement of a privately-owned power transmission facility damaged or destroyed by Hurricane Katrina or Hurricane Rita; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. ALLEN:

H.R. 4392. A bill to provide for the importation of pharmaceutical products under a compulsory license as provided for under the World Trade Organization; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BRADY of Texas:

H.R. 4393. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to clarify the application of section 584(h) of such Code; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. CASTLE (for himself, Mr. SCHWARZ of Michigan, Mr. BLUMENAUER, and Mr. COSTA):

H.R. 4394. A bill to alter the composition and terms of the Board of Directors of Amtrak, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. CONYERS:

H.R. 4395. A bill to amend titles XVIII and XIX of the Social Security Act to provide for an improved voluntary Medicare prescription drug benefit, to provide greater access to affordable pharmaceuticals, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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. CROWLEY (for himself and Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas):

H.R. 4396. A bill to establish the National Vaccine Authority within the Department of Health and Human Services; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. CROWLEY (for himself, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. BACA, and Mr. McNULTY):

H.R. 4397. A bill to ensure that the two top officials of the Federal Emergency Management Agency have extensive background in emergency or disaster relief; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. DAVIS of Alabama (for himself, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, and Mr. BISHOP of Georgia):

H.R. 4398. A bill to provide relief for African-American farmers filing claims in the cases of Pigford v. Veneman and Brewington v. Veneman; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Agriculture, 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. FITZPATRICK of Pennsylvania (for himself and Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania):

H.R. 4399. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to extend the annual enrollment periods of the Medicare prescription drug benefit program and under the Medicare Advantage program, and to suspend Medicare prescription drug late enrollment penalties for two years after the initial enrollment period; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and 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. FRANKS of Arizona (for himself, Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. AKIN, Mr. BARRETT of South Carolina, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. BEAUPREZ, Mr. BISHOP of Utah, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. CANTOR, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. CHOCOLA, Mr. COLE of Oklahoma, Mrs. JO ANN DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. EHLERS, Mr. FEENEY, Mr. FERGUSON, Ms. FOXX, Mr. GARRETT of New Jersey, Mr. GERLACH, Mr. GOODE, Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin, Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. HENSARLING, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. JINDAL, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Mr.

KING of Iowa, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. KLINE, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. MARCHANT, Mr. MCHENRY, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. MURPHY, Mrs. MUSGRAVE, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. NEUGEBAUER, Mr. PAUL, Mr. PENCE, Mr. PITTS, Mr. PUTNAM, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. RENZI, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. RYUN of Kansas, Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. SULLIVAN, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. TIBERI, Mr. WAMP, Mr. WELDON of Florida, and Mr. WILSON of South Carolina):

H.R. 4400. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for a credit which is dependent on enactment of State qualified scholarship tax credits and which is allowed against the Federal income tax for charitable contributions to education investment organizations that provide assistance for elementary and secondary education; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. GIBBONS:

H.R. 4401. A bill to provide for the conveyance of certain public lands in and around historic mining townsites in Nevada, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. HINCHEY (for himself and Mr. SANDERS):

H.R. 4402. A bill to establish the Hudson-Fulton-Champlain 400th Commemoration Commission, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. HULSHOF (for himself and Mr. TANNER):

H.R. 4403. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to clarify Congressional intent regarding the counting of residents in a nonhospital setting under the Medicare Program; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and 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. JEFFERSON:

H.R. 4404. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a credit against tax for qualified equity investments in companies affected by Hurricane Katrina; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. KAPTUR (for herself, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. GORDON, Mr. GRJALVA, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi, and Mr. FATTAH):

H.R. 4405. A bill to require that, in cases in which the annual trade deficit between the United States and another country is \$10,000,000,000 or more for 3 consecutive years, the President take the necessary steps to create a more balanced trading relationship with that country; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. KENNEDY of Minnesota:

H.R. 4406. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to establish a criminal penalty for defrauding individuals in connection with enrollment under a prescription drug plan or under the Medicare Advantage Program; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Energy and Commerce, and 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. KILDEE:

H.R. 4407. A bill to prohibit the entry into any bilateral or regional trade agreement, and to prohibit negotiations to enter into any such agreement, for a period of 2 years; to the Committee on Ways and Means.