AFTER RECESS

The recess having expired, the House was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. Dreier) at 3 o'clock and 46 minutes a.m.

REPORT ON RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF H.J. RES. 82, FURTHER CONTINUING APPROPRIATIONS, FISCAL YEAR 2000, AND H.J. RES. 83, FURTHER CONTINUING APPROPRIATIONS, FISCAL YEAR 2000

Mr. GOSS, from the Committee on Rules, submitted a privileged report (Rept. No. 106–460) on the resolution (H. Res. 386) providing for consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 82) making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2000, and for other purposes, and for consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 83) making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2000, and for other purposes, which was referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed.

REPORT ON RESOLUTION WAIVING POINTS OF ORDER AGAINST CONFERENCE REPORT ON H.R. 3194, CONSOLIDATED APPROPRIATIONS AND DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 2000

Mr. GOSS, from the Committee on Rules, submitted a privileged report (Rept. No. 106–481) on the resolution (H. Res. 386) waiving points of order against the conference report to accompany the bill (H.R. 3194) making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000, and for other purposes, which was referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed.

REPORT ON RESOLUTION WAIVING POINTS OF ORDER AGAINST CONFERENCE REPORT ON H.R. 1180, TICKET TO WORK AND WORK INCENTIVES IMPROVEMENT ACT OF 1999

Mr. GOSS, from the Committee on Rules, submitted a privileged report (Rept. No. 106–482) on the resolution (H. Res. 387) waiving points of order against the conference report to accompany the bill (H.R. 1180) to amend the Social Security Act to expand the availability of health care coverage for working individuals with disabilities, to establish a Ticket to Work and Self-Sufficiency Program in the Social Security Administration to provide such individuals with meaningful opportunities to work, and for other purposes, which was referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed.

CONGRESSIONAL RECORD—HOUSE 30119

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to:

Mr. McIntyre (at the request of Mr. Gephardt) for Tuesday, November 16, 1999, on account of family medical reasons.

Mr. Wise (at the request of Mr. Gephardt) for today on account of surgery.

SPECIAL ORDERS GRANTED

By unanimous consent, permission to address the House, following the legislative program and any special orders heretofore entered, was granted to:

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. McNulty) to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material:)

Mr. Davis of Illinois, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. Maloney of Connecticut, for 5 minutes, today.

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. Paul) to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material:)

Mr. Paul, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. Fossella, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. Tancredo, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. Rohrabacher, for 5 minutes, today.

(The following Member (at her own request) to revise and extend her remarks and include extraneous material:)

Mrs. Morella, for 5 minutes.

ENROLLED JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

Mr. Thomas, from the Committee on House Administration, reported that that committee did on this day adjourn.

H.J. Res. 80. Joint resolution making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2000, and for other purposes.

JOINT RESOLUTION PRESENTED TO THE PRESIDENT

Mr. Thomas, from the Committee on House Administration, reported that that committee did on this day present to the President, for his approval, a joint resolution of the House of the following title, which was thereupon signed by the Speaker:

H.J. Res. 80. Joint resolution making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2000, and for other purposes.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Gooss. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 3 o'clock and 48 minutes a.m.), the House adjourned until today, Thursday, November 18, 1999, at 10 a.m.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 8 of rule X, executive communications were taken from the Speaker’s desk and referred as follows:

5390. A letter from the Administrator, Farm Service Agency, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department’s final rule—Providing Notice to Delinquent Farm Loan Program Borrowers of the Potential for Cross-Servicing (RIN: 0560–AF89) received November 16, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

5391. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department’s final rule—Mediterranean Fruit Fly; Removal of Quarantined Area (Docket No. 98–083–7) received November 16, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

5392. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department’s final rule—User Fees; Agricultural Quarantine and Inspection Services (Docket No. 98–073–2) (RIN: 0579–AB05) received November 16, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.


5394. A letter from the Secretary of Agriculture, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to reform the state inspection of meat and poultry in the United States; to the Committee on Agriculture.

5395. A letter from the Acting Director, Defense Procurement, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department’s final rule—Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement—Comprehensive Subcontracting Plans (DFARS Case 99–D306) received November 12, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Armed Services.


5397. A letter from the Acting Director, Defense Procurement, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department’s final rule—Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement—Debarment Investigation and Report (DFARS Case 99–D304) received November 12, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Armed Services.

5398. A letter from the Acting Director, Defense Procurement, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department’s final rule—Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement—Subcontracting Goals for Purchases Benefiting People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled (DFARS Case 99–D304) received November 12, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Armed Services.

5399. A letter from the Secretary of Defense, transmitting the approved retirement
and advancement to the grade of vice admiral
of a Senator, Oliver; to the Committee on Armed Services.
4500. A letter from the Federal Register Li
sion Officer, Regulations and Legislation Division, Department of the Treasury, trans
4501. A letter from the Federal Register Li
sion Officer, Regulations and Legislation Division, Department of the Treasury, trans
mitting the Department’s final rule—Inter
4502. A letter from the Acting Executive Di
tor, Emergency Oil and Gas Guaranteed Loan Board, transmitting the Board’s final rule—Emergency Oil and Gas Guaranteed Loan Program (RIN: 3003–ZA40) received No
vember 10, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.
4503. A letter from the Managing Director,
Office of the General Counsel, Federal Hous
Finance Board, transmitting the Board’s final rule—Allocation of Joint and Several Liability on Consolidated Obligations Among the Federal Home Loan Banks [No. 99–51] (RIN: 3009–AA78) received November 16, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.
4504. A letter from the Director, Executive Office of the President, transmitting Con
gressional Budget Office and Office of Man
agement and Budget estimates under the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, pursuant to Public Law 105–33 section 10205(2) (111 Stat. 703); to the Committee on the Budget.
4505. A letter from the Under Secretary, Food, Nutrition and Consumer Services, De
partment of Agriculture, transmitting the Department’s final rule—National School Lunch and Childminder Breakfast, and Child and Adult Care Food Program: Amendments to the Infant Meal Pattern (RIN: 0584–AB81) received November 12, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.
4506. A letter from the Director, Corporate Policy and Research Department, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, transmitting the Corporation’s final rule—Allocation of Assets in Single-Employer Plans; Interest Assumptions for Valuing Benefits—received November 16, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.
4507. A letter from the Environmental Pro
tection Agency, transmitting a report on the Benefits and Costs of the Clean Air Act, 1990 to 2010; to the Committee on Commerce.
4508. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, trans
mitting the Agency’s final rule—Approval of Municipalities in States with Designated Facilities and Pollutants: Indiana (IN94–1a; FRL–6476–9) received November 16, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.
4509. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting a report on telemedicine; to the Committee on Commerce.
4510. A letter from the Acting Director, De
fense Security Cooperation Agency, trans
mitting notification concerning the Depart
ment’s intent to propose a Generalized System of Preferences (GSP) List; to the Committee on the Judiciary.
5411. A letter from the Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, Department of Defense, transmitting a copy of Transmittal No. DTC 103–99, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(b)(5); to the Committee on International Relations.
5412. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed li
ence for the export of defense articles or de
fense services sold commercially under a contract to Russia, Ukraine, Norway, United Kingdom, and Cayman Islands [Transmittal No. DTC 124–99], pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.
5413. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed Manufacturing License Agreement with Can
ada [Transmittal No. DTC 103–99], pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(d); to the Committee on International Relations.
5414. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed Manufacturing License Agreement with Can
ada [Transmittal No. DTC 103–99], pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(d); to the Committee on International Relations.
5415. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed Manufacturing License Agreement with Can
ada [Transmittal No. DTC 103–99], pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(d); to the Committee on International Relations.
5416. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed Manufacturing License Agreement with Can
ada [Transmittal No. DTC 103–99], pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(d); to the Committee on International Relations.
5417. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Maritime Commission, transmitting the Annual Inventory of Commercial Activities for 1999; to the Committee on Government Reform.
5418. A letter from the Executive Director for Operations, Nuclear Regulatory Commis
ion, transmitting a copy of the “Performance of Commercial Activities Inventory”; to the Committee on Government Reform.
5419. A letter from the Executive Director, Securities and Exchange Commission, trans
mitting the Commission’s commercial ac
tivities inventory as required under the Fed
eral Activities Inventory Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Government Reform.
5420. A letter from the Director, Small Business Administration, trans
mitting the Inventory of Commercial Activities for the year 1998; to the Committee on Government Reform.
5421. A letter from the Director, Trade and Development Agency, transmitting informa
tion on their audit and internal management of the Agency; to the Committee on Government Reform.
5422. A letter from the Independent Coun
tel, transmitting the fifth annual report for the Office of the Independent Counsel, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. 595(a)(2); to the Committee on the Judiciary.
Mr. YOUNG of Florida: Committee of Conference report on H.R. 1180. A bill to make appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000, and for other purposes (Rept. 106-479). Ordered to be printed.

Mr. YOUNG of Florida: Committee of Conference report to accompany the bill (H.R. 3194). A bill making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000, and for other purposes (Rept. 106-479). Ordered to be printed.

Mr. GOSS: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 385. Resolution providing for consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 82) making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2000, and for other purposes, and for consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 83) making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2000, and for other purposes (Rept. 106-480). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. LINDER: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 386. Resolution waiving points of order against the conference report to accompany the bill (H.R. 3194) making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000, and for other purposes (Rept. 106-481). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 387. Resolution waiving points of order against the conference report to accompany the bill (H.R. 1180) to amend the Social Security Act to expand the availability of health care coverage for working individuals with disabilities, to establish a pilot program for examining the possible relationship between workplace exposure to radiation and hazardous materials and illnesses or health conditions, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and 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. SHUSTER (for himself, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. PETTI, and Mr. RA- HALL):

H.R. 3421. A bill to amend title 49, United States Code, to establish the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. BILLBRAY (for himself, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. THOMPSON of California, and Mr. BEYAR):

H.R. 3422. A bill to establish the Medicare telemedicine program, to provide grants for the development of telehealth networks, and for other purposes; 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. YOUNG of Florida:

H.R. 3421. A bill making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. YOUNG of Florida:

H.R. 3422. A bill making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. YOUNG of Florida:

H.R. 3423. A bill making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. YOUNG of Florida:

H.R. 3424. A bill making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. YOUNG of Florida:

H.R. 3425. A bill making miscellaneous appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. THOMAS:

H.R. 3426. A bill to amend titles XVIII, XIX, and XXI of the Social Security Act to make corrections and refinements in the Medicare, Medicaid, and State children’s health programs, to repeal the Balanced Budget Act of 1997; 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. SMITH of New Jersey (for himself, Mr. MCKINNEY, Mr. GILMAN, and Mr. GLENNENSON):

By Mr. YOUNG of Florida:

G. Clerk, Operations, Office of the Chair, House Rules Committee, for printing and reference to the proper committee.