CONGRESSIONAL RECORD—HOUSE

May 24, 1999

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H. R. 1496: Mr. Pitts, Mr. Souder, and Mr. Hilleary.
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H. R. 1627: Mr. Lucas of Kentucky, Mr. Spence, Mr. Foley, Mr. Sununu, Mr. Sisko, Mr. Deal of Georgia, Mr. Spratt, Mr. Cooksey, Mr. Thompson of Mississippi, Mr. Buchanan, Mr. Ryun of Kansas, Mr. Jones of North Carolina, and Mr. Houstetller.
H. R. 1598: Mr. Archer and Mr. McCollum.
H. R. 1620: Mr. Hilleary.
H. R. 1628: Mrs. Millie of Florida, Mr. Hastings of Florida, Mr. Deutsch, Mr. Shaw, and Mr. Wexler.
H. R. 1649: Mr. Linder.
H. R. 1650: Mr. Maloney of Connecticut and Ms. Danner.
H. R. 1659: Mr. Engel, Mr. Towns, Mr. Hinojosa, Mr. Watt of North Carolina, and Ms. Jackson-Lee of Texas.
H. R. 1665: Mr. Trafi cant, Mr. Wolf, and Mr. Dingell.
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H. R. 1772: Mr. Rahall, Mr. Forbes, Mr.莫斯, Mr. Gribbons, Mr. Good, and Mr. Shows.
H. R. 1777: Ms. Hooley of Oregon, Mr. Frost, and Mr. Shays.
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DELETIONS OF SPONSORS FROM PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

H. R. 1083: Mr. Crane.
H. R. 1660: Mr. Davis of Virginia.

H. J. Res. 33: Mr. Moran of Virginia

AMENDMENTS

Under clause 8 of rule XVIII, proposed amendments were submitted as follows:

H. R. 1259

OFFERED BY: Mr. Trafi cant

AMENDMENT No. 1: Add at the end the following new section:

SEC. 6. BUDGETARY TREATMENT OF THE OLD-AGE, SURVIVORS, AND DISABILITY INSURANCE PROGRAM AND THE HOSPITAL INSURANCE PROGRAM.

It is the sense of the Congress that—

(1) the moneys of the United States held for purposes of the old-age, survivors, and disability insurance program and the hospital insurance program maintained under the Social Security Act and related laws of the United States should always be held in separate and independent trust funds and should always be segregated from all other moneys of the United States.

(2) the receipts and disbursements of such programs (including revenues dedicated to such programs and effective payment of benefits, payment of administrative expenses, and payment of such amounts as may be necessary and appropriate to correct prior immortalization of the United States, or any officer or employee thereof, should ever be authorized to use, or to authorize the use of, such trust funds for any other purpose.

H. R. 1401

OFFERED BY: Mr. Trafi cant

AMENDMENT No. 2: At the end of title XXVIII (page 390, after line 196), insert the following new sections:

SEC. 8. DESIGNATION OF NAVAL FACILITY, GRIGGININO D’AVERSA, ITALY.

(a) DESIGNATION.—The facility of the United States Navy located in Gricignano d’Aversa, Italy, and known as the Naples Support Site in any law, regulation, map, document, record, or other paper of the United States Government as prepared under United States standards; and

(b) REFERENCES.—Any reference to the Naples Support Site in any law, regulation, map, document, record, or other paper of the United States shall be considered to be a reference to the “Thomas M. Foglietta Support Site”.

H. R. 1906

OFFERED BY: Mr. Roemer

AMENDMENT No. 1: Page 10, insert after line 9 the following (and redesignate the succeeding sections accordingly):

Sic 104. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, any amounts appropriated under this Act for Members’ Representational Allowances for the House of Representatives which remain after all payments are made under such Allowances for fiscal year 2000 shall be deposited in the Treasury and used for deficit reduction (or, if there is no Federal budget deficit, after all such payments have been made, for reducing the Federal debt, in such manner as the Secretary of the Treasury considers appropriate).

H. R. 1906

OFFERED BY: Mr. Bass

AMENDMENT No. 1: Insert before the short title the following new section:

SEC. . (a) LIMITATION.—None of the funds appropriated or otherwise made available by this Act may be used to award any new allocations under the market access program or to pay the salaries of personnel to award such allocations.

(b) CORRESPONDING REDUCTION IN FUNDS.—The amount otherwise provided by this Act under the headings “COMMODITY CREDIT CORPORATION FUND FOR NET REALIZED LOSSES” to reimburse the Commodity Credit Corporation for net realized losses sustained is hereby reduced by $90,000,000.

H. R. 1906

OFFERED BY: Mr. DeFazio

AMENDMENT No. 3: In the item relating to “SALARIES AND EXPENSES” under the heading “ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH INSPECTION SERVICE”, insert after the first dollar amount the following: “(reduced by $7,000,000)”.

H. R. 1906

OFFERED BY: Mr. DeFazio

AMENDMENT No. 4: Insert before the short title the following new section:

SEC. . None of the funds appropriated or otherwise made available by this Act for Wildlife Services Program operations to carry out the first section of the Act of May 2, 1931 (7 U.S.C. 426), may be used to conduct campaigns for the destruction of wild animals for the purpose of protecting livestock.

H. R. 1906

OFFERED BY: Mr. DeFazio

AMENDMENT No. 5: Insert before the short title the following new section:

SEC. . (a) LIMITATION.—None of the funds appropriated or otherwise made available by this Act for Wildlife Services Program operations to carry out the first section of the Act of March 2, 1931 (7 U.S.C. 426), may be used to conduct campaigns for the destruction of wild animals for the purpose of protecting livestock.

(b) CORRESPONDING REDUCTION IN FUNDS.—The amount otherwise provided by this Act for salaries and expenses under the heading “ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH INSPECTION SERVICE” is hereby reduced by $7,000,000.

H. R. 1906

OFFERED BY: Mrs. Mee of Florida

AMENDMENT No. 6: Add before the short title the following new section:

SEC. . After March 1, 2000, none of the funds appropriated or otherwise made available by this Act may be used by the Secretary of Agriculture to pay the salaries of personnel to award any new allocations under the market access program or to pay the salaries of personnel to award such allocations.

(1) to permit the importation of meat or meat food products under subsections (a) and (f) of section 20 of the Federal Meat Inspection Act (21 U.S.C. 603) from any foreign country with respect to which the Secretary has not made the determination, as is required by subsection (e) of such section, that the foreign country’s meat inspection requirements currently achieve a level of sanitary protection equivalent to that achieved under United States standards; and

(2) to permit the importation of poultry or poultry products under subsection (a) of section 17 of the Poultry Products Inspection Act (21 U.S.C. 571 et seq.) for sale, re-import, or shipment in interstate commerce for any purpose.
Act (21 U.S.C. 466) from any foreign country with respect to which the Secretary has not made the determination, as is required by subsection (d) of such section, that the foreign country's poultry inspection requirements currently achieve a level of sanitary protection equivalent to that achieved under United States standards.

H.R. 1906

OFFERED BY: MRS. MEEK OF FLORIDA

AMENDMENT No. 7: Add before the short title the following new section:

SEC. ____. After March 1, 2000, none of the funds appropriated or otherwise available by this Act may be used by the Secretary of Agriculture—

(1) to permit the importation of meat or meat food products under subsections (a) and (f) of section 20 of the Federal Meat Inspection Act (21 U.S.C. 620) from any foreign country in violation of subsection (f) of such section; and

(2) to permit the importation of poultry or poultry products under subsection (a) of section 17 of the Poultry Products Inspection Act (21 U.S.C. 466) from any foreign country in violation of subsection (d) of such section.

H.R. 1906

OFFERED BY: MR. MORAN OF KANSAS

AMENDMENT No. 8: Insert before the short title the following new section:

SEC. ____. None of the funds appropriated or otherwise made available by this Act may be used to implement the final rule of the Food Safety and Inspection Service of the Department of Agriculture entitled “Pathogen Reduction; Hazard Analysis and Critical Control Points (HACCP) Systems” with respect to very small establishments, as such establishments are defined in the rule.

H.R. 1906

OFFERED BY: MR. SANDERS

AMENDMENT No. 9: Insert before the short title the following new section:

SEC. ____. For an additional amount for the Department of Agriculture (consisting of an additional $7,000,000 for the commodity supplemental food program under the “Commodity Assistance Program”), $7,000,000.

H.R. 1906

OFFERED BY: MR. SANDERS

AMENDMENT No. 10: Insert before the short title the following new section:

SEC. ____. For an additional amount for the Department of Agriculture (consisting of an additional $5,000,000 for the commodity supplemental food program under the “Commodity Assistance Program”), $5,000,000.

H.R. 1906

OFFERED BY: MR. SANDERS

AMENDMENT No. 11: At the end of the bill (preceding the short title), Insert the following new section:

SEC. ____. The amounts otherwise provided by this Act are revised by increasing the amount for the Department of Agriculture (consisting of a $2,000,000 competitive grant program for elementary and secondary schools to work with local farmers to purchase locally-grown foods) and reducing the amount for “Foreign Agricultural Service and General Sales Manager”, by $2,000,000.

H.R. 1906

OFFERED BY: MR. SANDERS

AMENDMENT No. 12: Page 35, line 7 (relating to the rural community advancement program), insert after the dollar amount the following: “(reduced by $3,000,000)”.

H.R. 1906

OFFERED BY: MR. SANDERS

AMENDMENT No. 13: Page 53, line 7 (relating to ocean freight differential grants), insert after the dollar amount the following: “(reduced by $3,000,000)”.

H.R. 1906

OFFERED BY: MR. SANDERS

AMENDMENT No. 14: Page 53, line 7 (relating to the commodity assistance program), insert after the dollar amount the following: “(reduced by $10,000,000)”.

H.R. 1906

OFFERED BY: MR. SANDERS

AMENDMENT No. 15: Insert before the short title the following new section:

SEC. ____. None of the funds appropriated or otherwise made available by this Act to the Department of Agriculture may be used to pay the salaries and expenses of personnel who issue, under section 156 of the Agricultural Market Transition Act (7 U.S.C. 7272), any loans to sugar beet or sugar cane processors.

H.R. 1906

OFFERED BY: MR. TRAFICANT

AMENDMENT No. 16: Insert before the short title the following new sections:

SEC. ____. None of the funds appropriated or otherwise made available by this Act may be expended by an entity unless the entity agrees that in expending the assistance the entity will comply with sections 2 through 4 of the Act of March 3, 1933 (41 U.S.C. 10a–10c; popularly known as the “Buy American Act”).

SEC. ____. (a) PURCHASE OF AMERICAN-MADE EQUIPMENT AND PRODUCTS.—In the case of any equipment or products that may be purchased using financial assistance provided using funds appropriated or otherwise made available by this Act, it is the sense of the Congress that entities receiving such assistance should, in expending the assistance, purchase only American-made equipment and products.

(b) NOTICE TO RECIPIENTS OF ASSISTANCE.—In providing financial assistance using funds appropriated or otherwise made available by this Act, the Federal agency providing the assistance shall provide to each recipient of the assistance a notice describing the statement made in subsection (a) by the Congress.

SEC. ____. If it has been finally determined by a court or Federal agency that any person intentionally affixed a label bearing a “Made in America” inscription, or any inscription with the same meaning, to any product sold in or shipped to the United States that is not made in the United States, such person shall be ineligible to receive any contract or subcontract made with funds appropriated or otherwise made available by this Act, pursuant to the debarment, suspension, and ineligibility procedures described in section 9.400 through 9.409 of title 48, Code of Federal Regulations.