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801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Governmental Reform

Mr. SHUSTER: Committee on Transportation, a pair of Concurrent Resolution 91. Resolution authorizing the
use of the Capitol Grounds for a clinic to be conducted by the United States Luge Association (Rept. 106-171). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. SHUSTER: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. House Concurrent Resolution 106. Resolution authorizing the
Law Enforcement Torch Run for the 1999 Special Olympics World Games to be run through the Capitol Grounds (Rept. 106-172). Referred to the House.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources.

H.R. 898. A bill designating certain land in the San Isabel National Forest in the State of Colorado as the "Spanish Peaks Wilderness" (Rept. 106-173). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Public Bills and Resolutions

Mr. MYRICK: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 290. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 1401) to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 2000 and 2001 for military and veterans affairs. This year, the Inspector General of the Departments of Defense and the Interior, independent of the Budget and Accounting Act of 1921 and the Federal Accounting Standards Advisory Board, the allocations of Federal agencies by the President of the United States. To the Committee on Governmental Reform.

Mr. HERGER: Mr. MATSUI, Mr. CRANE, Mr. HERGER, Mr. M. BASS, and Mrs. ROUKE:

H.R. 2016. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide for the service-connected disabilities and dependency and indemnity compensation for survivors of such veterans, to authorize payment of these benefits at full rates for certain Filipinos who reside in the United States, to make improvements in veterans home loan guaranty programs, to make permanent the temporary authorities, to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

H.R. 2006. A bill to amend title I of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, to provide a 5-year extension for the Medicare Program; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

Mr. CHABOT (for himself, Ms. SLAUGHTER, and Mr. SHIMKUS):

H.R. 2011. A bill to establish the District of Columbia as the first category of long-distance trails to be known as National Discovery Trails and to authorize the American Discovery Trail as the first trail in that category; to the Committee on Resources.

H.R. 2009. A bill to apply the same quality standards to domestically manufactured handguns that are currently applied to imported handguns; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. CHRISTENSEN:

H.R. 111. A bill to establish the District Court of the Virgin Islands as a court under article III of the United States Constitution; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. DEUTSCH (for himself and Mr. WEXLER):

H.R. 12. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for coverage of prescription drugs under the Medicare Program; 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.

H.R. 8. A bill to apply the same quality standards to domestically manufactured handguns that are currently applied to imported handguns; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. ROY:

H.R. 2010. A bill to provide for the establishment of a National Firearms Injury Reporting System, and for grants to States for the study of injury caused by firearms; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. CHRISTENSEN:

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By Mr. DUNCAN:

H.R. 13. A bill to amend the Inspector General Act of 1978 to provide for the appointment of the Inspector General of the Department of Agriculture; to the Committee on Governmental Reform.

By Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey (for himself, Mr. BRINGLINGHAM and Mrs. ROSE)

H.R. 998. A bill to prohibit a State from imposing a discriminatory commuter tax on nonresidents; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. GONZALEZ:

H.R. 15. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide a 5-year extension for the work opportunity credit and the welfare-to-work credit; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. GUTIERREZ (for himself and Mrs. BROWN of Florida):

H.R. 10. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to repeal the provision of law requiring termination of the Advisory Committee on Minority Veterans as of December 31, 1999; to the Committee on Veterans’ Affairs.

By Mr. HERGER (for himself and Mr. POMBO):

H.R. 17. A bill to amend the Endangered Species Act of 1973 to enable Federal agencies to consider the preservation of threatened species and endangered species to rescue and relocate members of any of those species that would be taken in the course of certain construction, maintenance, or repair of Federal or non-Federal mammoth flood control levees; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. HOUTCHEN (for himself, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. HERGER, Mr. MATSU, Mr. CRANE, and Mr. ENGLISH):

H.R. 2587. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to simplify certain rules relating to the taxation of United States business operating abroad, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut (for herself, Mr. ENGLISH, Mrs. THURMAN,
H.R. 2025. A bill to amend the Department of Energy Organization Act to establish a Nuclear Security Administration and an Office of Under Secretary for National Security in the Department of Energy, to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Armed Services, and Science, 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. ROHRABACHER:

H.R. 3038. A bill to protect children; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, 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. HYDE:

H.R. 3039. A bill to combat youth violence and to protect children from violent crime; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. WELLER (for himself, Mr. CRANE, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. MCCURRY, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. COLLINS, and Mr. JEFFERSON):

H.R. 3038. A bill to provide for the establishment of a School Security Technology Center and to authorize grants for local school security programs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and the Workforce, and in addition to the Committee on 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. KING:

H.R. Res. 56. A joint resolution recognizing Commodore John Barry as the first flag officer of the United States Navy; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. ROHRABACHER:

H.J. Res. 57. A joint resolution disapproving the extension of nondiscriminatory treatment (normal trade relations treatment) to the products of the People’s Republic of China; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BLUMENAUER:

H. Con. Res. 125. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress in support of the development and use of firearms personalization technology; to the Committee on Government Reform, and in addition to the Committee on 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. BROWN of California (for himself and Mrs. MORELLA):

H. Res. 126. Concurrent resolution to honor the ExploraVision Awards Program and to encourage more students to participate in this innovative national student science competition; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. HASTINGS of Florida (for himself, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. CHABOT, Ms. LEE, and Mr. CUMMINGS):

H. Res. 199. A resolution to commend the signing of a cease-fire agreement and to urge a swift solution to the crisis in Sierra Leone; to the Committee on International Relations.

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by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. DEFAZIO:
H.R. 2051. A bill to amend title 49, United States Code, to require the Secretary of Transportation to investigate and hold public hearings in response to petitions claiming that air carriers are inadequately air carrier competition at airports; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. DEFAZIO (for himself and Mr. WALDEN of Oregon):
H.R. 2052. A bill to provide the State of Oregon with a role in decisions made on environmental restoration and waste management at the Department of Energy's Hanford Reservation; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. ENGEL (for himself and Mr. BOEHLEIT):
H.R. 2053. A bill to allow taxpayers to designate contributions to charity on their return of tax and to establish the Checkoff for Charity Commission to ensure that such contributions are paid to the designated charities; 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 committees concerned.

By Mr. ENGLISH (for himself, Mr. Ose, Ms. Pyle of Ohio, Mr. Rangel, Ms. Shays, Mr. Schiffer, Mr. Foley, Mr. Shaw, Mr. Gary Miller of California, Mr. Nethercutt, Mr. Sandlin, and Mr. Davis of Florida):
H.R. 2054. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to reduce for individuals the maximum rate of tax on unrecaptured section 1250 gain from 25 percent to 20 percent; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. ESHOO:
H.R. 2055. A bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to improve the safety of imported food, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. FORBES:
H.R. 2056. A bill to establish United States Government regulatory oversight of the nuclear energy industry; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. BLAGOJEVICH (for himself and Mrs. McCAIN of New York):
H.R. 2058. A bill to amend section 222(x) of title 18, United States Code, to prohibit the transfer to and possession of handguns, semi-automatic assault weapons, and large capacity ammunition feeding devices by individuals who are less than 21 years of age, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. TAINT (for himself and Mr. DOOLITTLE of California):
H.R. 2059. A bill to amend title I of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 to provide for a comprehensive assessment of veterans' cemeteries; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. STUMP (for himself, Mr. EVANS, Mr. QUINN, Mr. FLINNER, Mr. EVERETT, Ms. BROWN of Florida, and Mr. WOLF):
H.R. 2060. A bill to provide for a comprehensive assessment of veterans' cemeteries; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. WOLF:
H.R. 2067. A bill to require that, for purposes of the 2000 census, members of the Armed Forces conscripted to work on the Census that potential litigants may seek damages and attorney's fees; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. ISAKSON:
H.R. 2068. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a deduction for exercise expenses for the purpose of promoting health and fitness and the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. KING (for himself and Mr. STUPAK):
H.R. 2069. A bill to amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to extend the retroactive eligibility dates for financial assistance for higher education for spouses and dependent children of Federal, State, and local law enforcement officers who are killed in the line of duty; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. LIPINSKI (for himself and Mr. Cramer):
H.R. 2070. A bill to amend title 23, United States Code, and the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to make revenues from excise taxes imposed on fuel used in trains available for projects for the elimination of hazards of railway-highway crossings, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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. LUCAS of Kentucky:

By Mrs. MALONEY of New York (for herself and Mr. CASTLE):
H.R. 2072. A bill to amend the Right to Financial Privacy Act of 1978 with respect to financial exploitation of older or disabled individuals; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. MARKEY:
H.R. 2073. A bill to provide for a study of marketing practices of the firearms industry; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, 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. NEAL of Massachusetts:
H.R. 2074. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on instant print film; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. PICKERING (for himself, Mr. THOMPSON of California, and Mr. CHAMBLISS):
H.R. 2075. A bill to amend the Food Security Act of 1985 to authorize the annual enrollment of land in the wetlands reserve program, to extend the program through 2005, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin:
H.R. 2076. A bill to require that, for purposes of the 2000 census, members of the Armed Forces conscripted to work on the Census that potential litigants may seek damages and attorney's fees; to the Committee on the Judiciary.
lands in the State of South Dakota; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. TRAFICANT:

H.R. 3080. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to transport maximum security prisoners across State lines to prisons that are not classified to handle maximum security prisoners; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. UDALL of New Mexico (for himself, Mr. MARTIN of New York, Mr. MOORE, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. WU, Mr. HOLDEN, Ms. HOOLY of Oregon, and Mr. UDALL of Colorado):

H.R. 2821. A bill to provide for the appointment of an Assistant United States Attorney for each judicial district for the purpose of prosecuting firearms offenses; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. YOUNG of Alaska:

H.R. 3092. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to restore pension limits to equitable levels, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma:

H. Con. Res. 127. Concurrent resolution permitting the use of the rotunda of the Capitol for a ceremony to present a gold medal on behalf of Congress to Rosa Parks; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. GILMAN, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. MARTIN of New York, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. WEIXLER, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. HOEPFEL, Mr. NADLER, and Mr. WEINER:

H. Con. Res. 128. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress regarding the treatment of religious minorities in the Islamic Republic of Iran, and particularly the recent arrests of members of that country's Jewish community; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. BILBRAY (for himself and Mr. GREENWOOD):

H. Res. 201. A resolution recognizing the importance of consumption to each other to be organ and tissue donors; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Ms. KAPTRU (for herself, Mr. MOORE of Oregon, Ms. MALONEY of New York, Mrs. KELLY, Mrs. CAPPS, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Ms. LEE, Ms. WOOLSEY, Ms. MILLER-MCDONALD, Mrs. HART of Florida, Mr. FROST, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. REYES, Mrs. NORTHUP, Mr. FLETCHER, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Ms. HOOLY of Oregon, Mr. COSTELLO, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mrs. BERKLEY, Ms. STABENOW, Ms. DELAURA, Ms. RIVERS, Mr. FATTAL, Ms. LOFLOREN, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. CONVIER, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. BROWN of California, Ms. KILPATRICK, and Mr. SANDERS):

H. Res. 202. Resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the artwork displayed in the Capitol and in the office buildings of the House of Representatives should represent the contributions of women to American society; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin:

H. Res. 203. A resolution acknowledging the dedication and sacrifice made by the veterans who have lost their lives while serving as firefighters; to the Committee on Government Reform.