

7147. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting the notification that the Department of Health and Human Services is allotting emergency funds made available under section 2602(e) of the Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Act of 1981 to all states, territories and tribes; jointly to the Committees on Education and the Workforce and Commerce.

7148. A letter from the Deputy Executive Secretary, Center for Health Plans and Providers, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule—Medicare Program; Medicare Inpatient Disproportionate Share Hospital (DSH) Adjustment Calculation: Change in the Treatment of Certain Medicaid Patient Days in States with 1115 Expansion Waivers [HCFA-1124-IFC] (RIN: 0938-AJ92) received February 28, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and Commerce.

#### 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 reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. SMITH of Texas: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 3244. A bill to combat trafficking of persons, especially into the sex-trade, slavery, and slavery-like conditions in the United States and countries around the world through prevention, through prosecution and enforcement against traffickers, and through protection and assistance to victims of trafficking; with an amendment (Rept. 106-487, Pt. 2). Ordered to be printed.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. House Resolution 443. Resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives with regard to the centennial of the raising of the United States flag in American Samoa; with an amendment (Rept. 106-582). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. H.R. 1509. A bill to authorize the Disabled Veterans' LIFE Memorial Foundation to establish a memorial in the District of Columbia or its environs to honor veterans who became disabled while serving in the Armed Forces of the United States (Rept. 106-583). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. H.R. 2932. A bill to authorize the Golden Spike/Crossroads of the West National Heritage Area; with an amendment (Rept. 106-584). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. H.R. 3293. A bill to amend the law that authorized the Vietnam Veterans Memorial to authorize the placement within the site of the memorial of a plaque to honor those Vietnam veterans who died after their service in the Vietnam war, but as a direct result of that service; with an amendment (Rept. 106-585). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. SHUSTER: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 1901. A bill to designate the United States border station located in Pharr, Texas, as the "Kika de la Garza United States Border Station" (Rept. 106-586). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. SHUSTER: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 1729. A bill to designate the Federal facility located at 1301 Emmet Street in Charlottesville, Virginia, as the "Pamela B. Gwin Hall" (Rept. 106-587). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. SHUSTER: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 1571. A bill to designate the Federal building under construction at 600 State Street in New Haven, Connecticut, as the "Merrill S. Parks, Jr., Federal Building" (Rept. 106-588). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. SHUSTER: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 1405. A bill to designate the Federal building located at 143 West Liberty Street, Medina, Ohio, as the "Donald J. Pease Federal Building" (Rept. 106-589). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. SHUSTER: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 3171. A bill to direct the Administrator of General Services to convey a parcel of land in the District of Columbia to be used for construction of the National Health Museum, and for other purposes; with amendments (Rept. 106-590). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. SHUSTER: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 3069. A bill to authorize the Administrator of General Services to provide for redevelopment of the Southeast Federal Center in the District of Columbia; with an amendment (Rept. 106-591). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

#### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. HYDE: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 3646. A bill for the relief of certain Persian Gulf evacuees (Rept. 106-580). Referred to the Private Calendar.

Mr. HYDE: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 3363. A bill for the relief of Akal Security, Incorporated (Rept. 106-581). Referred to the Private Calendar.

#### PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. PAUL:

H.R. 4265. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to waive the employee portion of Social Security taxes imposed on individuals who have been diagnosed as having cancer or a terminal disease; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. GILMAN (for himself, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. COX, Mr. SPENCE, and Mr. KNOLLENBERG):

H.R. 4266. A bill to amend the North Korea Threat Reduction Act of 1999 to prohibit the assumption by the United States Government of liability for nuclear accidents that may occur at nuclear reactors provided to North Korea; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. HYDE (for himself, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. GEKAS, and Mr. NADLER):

H.R. 4267. A bill to amend the Internet Tax Freedom Act to impose a permanent moratorium on State and local taxes on Internet access; to extend for 5 years the duration of the moratorium applicable to multiple and discriminatory taxes on the electronic commerce; to impose a 5-year moratorium on sales of digitized goods and products (and their counterparts); to encourage States to adopt a Uniform Sales and Use Tax, and for

other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. STUMP (for himself, Mr. EVANS, Mr. QUINN, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. SPENCE, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. EVERETT, Ms. CARSON, Mr. BUYER, Mr. REYES, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. SNYDER, Mr. MORAN of Kansas, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mrs. CHENOWETH-HAGE, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. MCKEON, Mr. GIBBONS, Mr. SIMPSON, and Mr. BAKER):

H.R. 4268. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to increase amounts of educational assistance for veterans under the Montgomery GI Bill and to enhance programs providing educational benefits under that title, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. SMITH of Texas:

H.R. 4269. A bill to extend for one year the authorization for the visa waiver pilot program under section 217 of the Immigration and Nationality Act; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. KILDEE (for himself, Mr. UPTON, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. TOWNS, and Mr. KNOLLENBERG):

H.R. 4270. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide incentives for the production, sale, and use of highly fuel-efficient, advanced-technology motor vehicles and to amend the Energy Policy Act of 1992 to undertake an assessment of the relative effectiveness of current and potential methods to further encourage the development of the most fuel efficient vehicles for use in interstate commerce in the United States; 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. EHLERS (for himself, Mrs. BIGGERT, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. BRADY of Texas, Mr. COOK, Mr. GILCHREST, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. HOLT, Mr. JENKINS, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. KUYKENDALL, Mr. PORTER, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mr. SWEENEY, Mr. UPTON, and Mrs. WILSON):

H.R. 4271. A bill to establish and expand programs relating to science, mathematics, engineering, and technology education, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Science, 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. EHLERS (for himself, Mrs. BIGGERT, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. BRADY of Texas, Mr. COOK, Mr. GILCHREST, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. HOLT, Mr. JENKINS, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. KUYKENDALL, Mr. PORTER, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mr. SWEENEY, Mr. UPTON, and Mrs. WILSON):

H.R. 4272. A bill to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to establish and expand programs relating to science, mathematics, engineering, and technology education, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. EHLERS (for himself, Mrs. BIGGERT, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. BRADY of Texas, Mr. COOK, Mr. GILCHREST,