

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS,
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Under clause 8 of rule XII, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

7623. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Ports Designated for Exportation of Horses; Dayton, OH [Docket No. 99-102-2] received April 11, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

7624. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—John's Disease in Domestic Animals; Interstate Movement [Docket No. 98-037-2] received April 11, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

7625. A letter from the Acting Director, Defense Procurement, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule—Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement; Foreign Acquisition [DFARS Case 98-D028] received April 11, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Armed Services.

7626. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Changes in Flood Elevation Determinations—received April 11, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

7627. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Changes in Flood Elevation Determinations [Docket No. FEMA-7312] received April 11, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

7628. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Changes in Flood Elevation Determinations [Docket No. FEMA-7316] received April 11, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

7629. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Final Flood Elevation Determinations—received April 11, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

7630. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule—Medical Devices; Reclassification of 28 Preamendments Class III Devices into Class II [Docket No. 99N-0035] received April 12, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

7631. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule—Clinical Chemistry Devices; Classification of the Biotinidase Test System [Docket No. 00P-0931] received April 12, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

7632. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule—

Medical Devices; Information Processing Procedures; Obtaining, Submitting, Executing, and Filing of Forms: Change of Addresses [Docket No. 00N-0784] received April 12, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

7633. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Rock Sole by Catcher Vessels Using Trawling Gear in the Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands [Docket No. 991228352-0012-02; I.D. 040500A] received April 12, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

7634. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 13-322, "Money Transmitters Act of 2000" received May 16, 2000, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

7635. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 13-329, "District of Columbia Emancipation Day Temporary Amendment Act of 2000" received May 16, 2000, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

7636. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 13-320, "John Wilson Campaign Fund Transfer Amendment Act of 2000" received May 16, 2000, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

7637. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-338, "Attendance and School Safety Temporary Act of 2000" received May 16, 2000, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

7638. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-337, "Workforce Investment Implementation Act of 2000" received May 16, 2000, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

7639. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-336, "School Governance Companion Amendment Act of 2000" received May 16, 2000, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

7640. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-344, "Omnibus Police Reform Amendment Act of 2000" received May 16, 2000, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

7641. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-333, "Long-Term Care Insurance Temporary Amendment Act of 2000" received May 16, 2000, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

7642. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-329, "Choice in Drug Treatment Act of 2000" received May 16, 2000, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

7643. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 13-327, "Alcoholic Beverage Control New Grocery Store Development Temporary Amendment Act of 2000" received May 16, 2000, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-

233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

7644. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 13-335, "Electricity Tax Act of 2000" received May 16, 2000, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

7645. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-326, "Elimination of Unlicensed Group Residential Facilities Temporary Act of 2000" received May 16, 2000, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

7646. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 13-325, "Moratorium on Conversion of Existing Public Schools into Charter Schools Temporary Amendment Act of 2000" received May 16, 2000, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

7647. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-324, "Approval of the Extension of the Term of District Cablevision Limited Partnership Franchise Act of 2000" received May 16, 2000, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

7648. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 13-323, "Closing of Public Alleys in Square 252 S.O. 98-144 Act of 2000" received May 16, 2000, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

7649. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-321, "Tobacco Settlement Model Act of 2000" received May 16, 2000, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

7650. A letter from the Executive Director, Committee For Purchase From People Who Are Blind Or Severely Disabled, transmitting the Committee's final rule—Procurement List Additions—received April 11, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

7651. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Trade Commission, transmitting the Fiscal Year 1999 Performance Report; to the Committee on Government Reform.

7652. A letter from the Secretary of State, transmitting the first Annual Performance Report; to the Committee on Government Reform.

7653. A letter from the Vice President, Communications, Tennessee Valley Authority, transmitting the Statistical Summary for Fiscal Year 1999, pursuant to 16 U.S.C. 831h(a); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7654. A letter from the Deputy General Counsel, Small Business Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Business Loan Program—received April 11, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Small Business.

7655. A letter from the Deputy General Counsel, Small Business Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Liquidation of Collateral, Sale of Loans—received April 11, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Small Business.

7656. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Installment Sales by Accrual Method Taxpayers [Notice 2000-

26] received April 11, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

7657. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Coordinated Issue: Gaming Industry The Applicable Recovery Period Under I.R.C. 168(a) For Slot Machines, Video Lottery Terminals And Gaming Furniture, Fixtures and Equipment—received April 11, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

7658. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Determination of Issue Price in the Case of Certain Debt Instruments Issued for Property—received April 12, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

7659. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Taxation of Fringe Benefits [Rev. Ruling 2000-13] received April 12, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

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. SKEEN: Committee on Appropriations. H.R. 4461. A bill making appropriations for Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration and Related Agencies programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001, and for other purposes (Rept. 106-619). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. GOSS: Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence. H.R. 4392. A bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2001 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government, the Community Management Account, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 106-620). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

[May 17 (Legislative Day of May 16), 2000]

Mrs. MYRICK: Committee on Rues. House Resolution 503. Resolution providing for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 4205) to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2001 for military activities of the Department of Defense and for military construction, to prescribe military personnel strengths for fiscal year 2001, and for other purposes (Rept. 106-621). Referred to the House Calendar.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

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

H.R. 4460. A bill to amend the Internet Tax Freedom Act to extend the moratorium applicable to State and local taxes on Internet access and electronic commerce, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SKEEN:

H.R. 4461. A bill making appropriations for Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and

Drug Administration and Related Agencies programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001, and for other purposes.

By Mr. BACHUS (for himself, Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri, Mr. ISTOOK, and Mr. DELAHUNT):

H.R. 4462. A bill to provide for the simplification of sales and use taxes on interstate commerce and to ensure that such taxes are equitably applied; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Rules, 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 Mrs. BONO (for herself, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. TALENT, Mr. WATKINS, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. SISISKY, Mr. DUNCAN, and Ms. GRANGER):

H.R. 4463. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow the empowerment zone employment credit for additional empowerment zones and enterprise communities and to increase funding for such zones and communities; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. DAVIS of Illinois (for himself, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Ms. BERKLEY, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. PHELPS, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. PASCRELL, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. MOORE, and Mrs. JONES of Ohio):

H.R. 4464. A bill to amend the Small Business Act to authorize the Administrator of the Small Business Administration to make grants and to enter into cooperative agreements to encourage the expansion of business-to-business relationships and the provision of certain information; to the Committee on Small Business.

By Mr. HAYES:

H.R. 4465. A bill to provide for reciprocal trade in textile and apparel goods between the United States and other countries, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HAYES:

H.R. 4466. A bill to provide for certain additional benefits for individuals receiving trade adjustment assistance; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HEFLEY:

H.R. 4467. A bill to amend the Federal Deposit Insurance Act to require periodic cost of living adjustments to the maximum amount of deposit insurance available under such act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. HUTCHINSON (for himself, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. MICA, Mr. SNYDER, Mr. ROGAN, Mr. DICKEY, Mr. JENKINS, Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. MORAN of Kansas, Mr. DICKS, Mr. CALVERT, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, Mr. PICKERING, Mr. BERRY, Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin, Mr. DOOLEY of California, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. WAMP, and Mr. BRADY of Texas):

H.R. 4468. A bill to authorize the Drug Enforcement Administration to provide reimbursements for expenses incurred to remediate methamphetamine laboratories, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut (for herself, Mr. CAMP, and Mr. ENGLISH):

H.R. 4469. A bill to provide more child support money to families leaving welfare, to simplify the rules governing the assignment and distribution of child support collected by States on behalf of children, to improve the collection of child support, to promote mar-

riage, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on the Judiciary, and 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. RANGEL:

H.R. 4470. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide that the excise tax on air transportation shall not apply to amounts paid for mileage credits for individuals residing outside the United States; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. SANFORD (for himself, Mr.

LEACH, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. DOOLEY of California, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. CONDIT, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. PAUL, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. WEYGAND, Mr. VENTO, Mr. BALDACCIO, Mr. NEY, Mr. RANGEL, Ms. ESHOO, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, Mr. HALL of Ohio, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. CLAY, Mr. HILLIARD, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. LARSON, Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi, Mr. SHOWS, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. OWENS, Mr. MOAKLEY, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. SANDLIN, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. OLVER, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. BACA, Mr. CAPUANO, Ms. DANNER, Mr. MATSUI, Ms. LEE, Mr. PORTER, Mr. STRICKLAND, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. CRAMER, and Mr. MORAN of Kansas):

H.R. 4471. A bill to allow travel between the United States and Cuba; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. STEARNS (for himself and Mr. HOSTETTLER):

H.R. 4472. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a deduction for amounts paid for health insurance and prescription drug costs of individuals; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. WYNN (for himself and Mr. RUSH):

H.R. 4473. A bill to amend the National Telecommunications and Information Administration Organization Act to establish a program to distribute funds to State educational agencies to advance the use of technology to effectively teach our students computer skills and improve the general educational performance of students, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, and 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. KUYKENDALL (for himself, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. BATEMAN, Mr. HORN, Mr. SCARBOROUGH, and Mr. UNDERWOOD):

H. Con. Res. 327. Concurrent resolution honoring the service and sacrifice during periods of war by members of the United States merchant marine; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. PORTER (for himself, Mr. LAN-TOS, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. SMITH of New