

to be eligible for the earned income credit; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MORAN of Kansas (for himself, Mr. POMEROY, Mr. RILEY, Mr. THUNE, Mr. GANSKE, Mr. SIMPSON, Mr. MOORE, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. KIND, Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. BEREU-TER, Mr. JOHNSON of Illinois, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. SESSIONS, and Mr. KEN-NEDY of Minnesota):

H.R. 923. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exclude from net earnings from self-employment certain payments under the conservation reserve program; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts (for himself, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. CAPUANO, and Mr. MARKEY):

H.R. 924. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exclude from gross income certain stipends paid as part of a State program under which individuals who have attained age 60 perform essentially volunteer services specified by the program; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts (for himself, Mr. MOAKLEY, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. FRANK, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. CAPUANO, and Mr. MARKEY):

H.R. 925. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exclude from gross income the value of certain real property tax reduction vouchers received by senior citizens who provide volunteer services under a State program; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts (for himself, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. FRANK, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. OLVER, and Mr. MARKEY):

H.R. 926. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to clarify that employees of a political subdivision of a State shall not lose their exemption from the hospital insurance tax by reason of the consolidation of the subdivision with the State; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. OBEY (for himself, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, and Mr. FRANK):

H.R. 927. A bill to provide for a tax reduction in the case of low economic growth; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on the Budget, 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 Ms. RIVERS:

H.R. 928. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to increase the income limitation applicable to heads of household for purposes of the Hope and Lifetime Learning credits and the interest deduction on education loans; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. SHAYS:

H.R. 929. A bill to amend the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States to provide separate subheadings for hair clippers used for animals; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. SUNUNU (for himself, Mr. WELLER, Mr. DEMINT, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. TOOMEY, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. OSE, Mr. BASS, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. TANCREDO, Mr. SCHAFFER, Mr. CANNON, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin, Mr. COX, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. OTTER, Mr. KIRK, and Ms. HART):

H.R. 930. A bill to modify the annual reporting requirements of the Social Security

Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. TANCREDO (for himself, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. WOLF, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. PITTS, Mr. CAMP, Mr. EVANS, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. MCNULTY, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Ms. RIVERS, Mr. BISHOP, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Ms. NORTON, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. UPTON, Mr. HEFLEY, and Mr. CLEMENT):

H.R. 931. A bill to facilitate famine relief efforts and a comprehensive solution to the war in Sudan; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. UDALL of Colorado (for himself and Mr. WU):

H.R. 932. A bill to provide scholarships for scientists and engineers to become certified as science, mathematics, and technology teachers in elementary and secondary schools; to the Committee on Science.

By Ms. WATERS (for herself, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Ms. LEE, Mr. FRANK, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Ms. PELOSI, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. CONYERS, and Mr. SANDERS):

H.R. 933. A bill to require certain actions with respect to the availability of HIV/AIDS pharmaceuticals and medical technologies in developing countries, including sub-Saharan African countries; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on International Relations, 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 Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas:

H.R. 934. A bill to amend title 5, United States Code, to establish election day in Presidential election years as a legal public holiday, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mrs. NORTHUP (for herself, Mr. BONILLA, Mr. AKIN, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. BARR of Georgia, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. BUYER, Mr. CANTOR, Mr. COLLINS, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. CULBERSON, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. DELAY, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. HERGER, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. KELLER, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. PAUL, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. PORTMAN, Mr. SCHAFFER, Mr. SKEEN, Mr. TANCREDO, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. WAMP, and Mr. GOODLATTE):

H.J. Res. 35. A joint resolution disapproving the rule of the Occupational Safety and Health Administration relating to ergonomics; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. SCHIFF (for himself, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. SIMMONS, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. DAVIS of Florida, Ms. BALDWIN, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. OLVER, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. STARK, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. MCNULTY, Mr. DICKS, and Ms. MCCOLLUM):

H. Con. Res. 52. Concurrent resolution condemning the destruction of pre-Islamic statues in Afghanistan by the Taliban regime; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. BALDACCI:

H. Con. Res. 53. Concurrent resolution directing the Clerk of the House of Representa-

tives and the Secretary of the Senate to compile and make available to the public the names of candidates for election to the House of Representatives and the Senate who agree to conduct campaigns in accordance with a Code of Election Ethics; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. CHAMBLISS (for himself, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. ROSS, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. RILEY, Mr. PICKERING, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. BISHOP, Mr. COBLE, Mr. REHBERG, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. CALLAHAN, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. GARY MILLER of California, and Mr. BALDACCI):

H. Con. Res. 54. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress regarding the importation of unfairly traded Canadian lumber; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. TAUSCHER (for herself, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. ROEMER, Mr. UPTON, Mr. KIND, Mr. CASTLE, Mr. DAVIS of Florida, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. FORD, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. ISRAEL, and Ms. SANCHEZ):

H. Con. Res. 55. Concurrent resolution to express the sense of Congress regarding the use of a safety mechanism to link long-term Federal budget surplus reductions with actual budgetary outcomes; to the Committee on the Budget.

By Mr. WELLER:

H. Con. Res. 56. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress regarding National Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. THUNE:

H. Res. 82. A resolution designating majority membership on certain standing committees of the House; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. NEY:

H. Res. 84. A resolution providing for the expenses of certain committees of the House of Representatives in the One Hundred Seventh Congress; to the Committee on House Administration.

## PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

Mr. GRAHAM introduced a bill (H.R. 935) to authorize the Secretary of Transportation to issue a certificate of documentation with appropriate endorsement for employment in the coastwise trade and fisheries for the vessel *Tokena*; which was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

## ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 24: Mr. GOODLATTE.

H.R. 25: Mr. HINCHEY and Mr. LANTOS.

H.R. 28: Mr. UDALL of Colorado and Mr. GUTIERREZ.

H.R. 42: Mr. SOUDER.

H.R. 51: Mr. CALVERT, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. STRICKLAND, Mr. GILCREST, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, and Mr. ISAKSON.

H.R. 65: Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky.

H.R. 68: Mr. MOORE and Mr. WHITFIELD.

H.R. 80: Mr. RUSH and Mr. STEARNS.

H.R. 82: Mr. RUSH.

H.R. 99: Mr. NORWOOD and Mr. HEFLEY.

H.R. 100: Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. WOLF, and Mr. COX.