EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

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

2690. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—West Indian Fruit Fly: Removal of Quarantined Area (Docket No. 00-110-3) received June 22, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2670. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting a request to make funds available for the Disaster Relief program of the Federal Emergency Management Agency; (H. Doc. No. 107–90); to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.


2674. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department’s final rule—Requirements for Testing Human Blood Donors for Endemic Encephalitis Due to Communicable Disease Agents (Docket No. 98N–0581) received June 22, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2675. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department’s final rule—General Requirements for Blood, Blood Components, and Blood Derivatives; Donor Notification (Docket No. 98N–0607) received June 22, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2676. A letter from the Deputy Director, Defense Security Cooperation Agency, transmitting notification concerning the Department of the Navy’s Proposed Letter(s) of Offer and Acceptance (LOA) to the Republic of Korea for defense articles and services (Transmittal No. 01–17), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 277b(b); to the Committee on International Relations.

2677. A letter from the Deputy Director, Defense Security Cooperation Agency, transmitting notification concerning the Department of the Army’s Proposed Letter(s) of Offer and Acceptance (LOA) to the Republic of Korea for defense articles and services (Transmittal No. 01–16), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 277b(b); to the Committee on International Relations.

2678. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the sale or lease of defense or defense services sold commercially under a contract to Taiwan (Transmittal No. DTC 02–01), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 277c(e); to the Committee on Foreign Operations and International Relations.

2679. A letter from the Deputy Legal Adviser for Treaty Affairs, Department of State, transmitting copies of international agreements, other than treaties, entered into by the United States, pursuant to 1 U.S.C. 1120; to the Committee on International Relations.

2680. A letter from the Director, Office of Personnel Policy, Department of the Interior, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Government Reform.

2681. A letter from the Director, Office of Personnel Policy, Department of the Interior, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Government Reform.

2682. A letter from the White House Liaison, Department of Education, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Government Reform.

2683. A letter from the White House Liaison, Department of Labor, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Government Reform.

2684. A letter from the Personnel Management Specialist, Department of Labor, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Government Reform.

2685. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency’s final rule—EPA Mail Addressing (2001); to the Committee on Resources.

2686. A letter from the Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, transmitting the report on the Administration of the Foreign Agents Registration Act covering the six months ended December 31, 2000, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 621; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

2687. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency’s final rule—Oil Pollution Prevention and Response; Non-Transportation-Related Facilities (FRL–7003–1) (RIN: 2050–AE54) received June 25, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2688. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service’s final rule—Eligibility requirements after denial of the earned income credit (TD 8953) (RIN: 1545–AV61) received June 22, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2689. A letter from the Committee for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Government Reform.

2690. A letter from the Committee for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Government Reform.

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. COMBEST: Committee on Agriculture. H.R. 2213. A bill to respond to the continuing economic crisis in the American agricultural producers; with an amendment (Rept. 107–111). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. CALLAHAN: Committee on Appropriations. H.R. 2311. A bill making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, and for other purposes (Rept. 107–112). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Ms. PAYNE of Ohio: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 179. Resolution providing for consideration of motions to suspend the rules (Rept. 107–113). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. SESSIONS: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 180. Resolution providing for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 2311) making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, and for other purposes (Rept. 107–114). 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. CALVERT (for himself, Mr. Lange of California, Mr. Balducci, Mr. Rohrabacher, and Mrs. Bono): H.R. 2309. A bill to amend the Small Business Act to provide loans to eligible small businesses to defray energy costs; to the Committee on Small Business.

By Mr. MURTHA: H.R. 2310. A bill to increase the rates of military basic pay for members of the uniformed services by providing a percentage increase of between 7.3 percent and 10.5 percent based on the members’ pay grade and years on active duty; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. CALLAHAN: H.R. 2311. A bill making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, and for other purposes.

By Mr. BOUCHER (for himself, Mr. Gifford, Mr. Foster, Mr. Holden, Mr. Petit, Mr. Winnie, and Mr. Schiffer): H.R. 2312. A bill to provide for protection of the flag of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. CRANE: H.R. 2313. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the income taxation of corporations, to impose a 10 percent tax on the earned income (and only the earned income) of individuals, to repeal the estate and gift taxes, to provide amnesty for all tax liability for prior taxable years, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. GRANGER (for herself and Ms. Cooksey): H.R. 2314. A bill to amend title I of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 to provide to participants and beneficiaries of group health plans access to obstetric and gynecological care; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. FLETCHER (for himself, Mr. Peters of Minnesota, Mrs. Peterson of Minnesota, Mr. Burton of Connecticut, Mr. Burrell of North Carolina, Mr. Thomas, Mr. Tauzin, Mr. Brown, Mr. Runyan, Ms. Cooksey, Mr. Weldon of Florida, Mr. Hayes, Mr. Pence, Mr. Flatts, Mr. Price of Georgia, Mr. Gooden, Mr. Goodson, Mr. Portman, Mr. Hoibon, Mr. Hilliard, Mr. Lewis of California, Mr. Baldacci, Mr. Rohrabacher, and Mrs. Bono): H.R. 2311. A bill making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, and for other purposes (Rept. 107–112). Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.
H. R. 2315. A bill to protect consumers in managed care plans and in other health coverage to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Education and the Workforce, and 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. RUILIEF.

H. R. 2316. A bill to make permanent the tax benefits enacted by the Economic Growth and Tax Relief Reconciliation Act of 2001; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. MILLER-MCDONALD (for herself, Mr. KING, Ms. OBERSTAR, Mr. HOUCK, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. JACKSON of Ohio, Mr. JOHNSON, Ms. BROWN of Florida, and Mr. CONVEY).

H. R. 2317. A bill to make permanent the provision of title 39, United States Code, under which the United States Postal Service is authorized to issue a special postage stamp in order to help provide funding for breast cancer research; to the Committee on Government Reform, and in addition to the Committees on Education and the Workforce, and 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. TIERNEY (for himself, Mr. Pallone, Mr. Pallone, Mr. Domino, Mr. Bono, Mr. Sarbanes, Ms. eds. Brown, Mr. Carper, Mr. Blumenthal, Mr. Baldacci, Mr. Bentsen, Mr. Cantor, Mr. Cooper, Mr. Delahunt, Mr. Goodlatte, Mr. Hoyer, Ms. Pelosi, Ms. Schakowsky, Mr. Miller of California, Mr. Delahunt, Mr. Waxman, Mr. Rush, Mr. Conyers, Mr. Jefferson, Mr. Stark, Mr. Filner, Mr. Honda, Mr. Israel, Mr. Cleaver, Mr. Conyers, Mr. Jefferson, Mr. Stark, and Mr. Filner).

H. R. 2318. A bill to amend the Outer Continental Shelf Lands Act to permanently prohibit the conduct of offshore drilling on the outer Continental Shelf in the Mid-Atlantic and North Atlantic planning areas; to the Committee on Resources.

By Ms. SANDERS of Vermont.

H. R. 2319. A bill to amend the Food Stamp Act of 1977 to limit the collection from individuals and businesses for the installation of certain wind energy property; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. GIFFT (for himself, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. MOLLHAN, Mrs. CAPITO, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. Lewis of Kentucky, Mr. PHILIPS, Ms. HART, Mr. STRICKLAND, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. TIBERI, and Mr. ROGERS of Kentucky).

H. R. 2322. A bill to authorize the Department of Energy programs to develop and implement an accelerated research and development program for advanced clean coal technologies for use in coal-based electricity generating facilities and to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide financial incentives to encourage new construction and energy efficiency and encourage the early commercial application of advanced clean coal technologies, so as to allow coal to help meet the growing need to the United States for the generation of reliable and affordable electricity; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on 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 Ms. WOOLSEY (for herself, Mr. HALL of Texas, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mrs. MCGovern, Mr. MATHISON, Mr. WU, Mr. BACA, Mr. BAIRD, Mr. BARTIA, Mr. ETHERIDGE, Mr. MORGAN, Mr. HOEFFEL, Mr. HONDA, Mr. ISRAEL, Ms. EULICE L JENNINGS of Texas, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Ms. LOFgren, Mr. MOORE, Ms. RIVERS, Mr. UALL of Colorado, and Mr. WERNER).

H. R. 2324. A bill to establish a balanced energy program for the United States that unlocks the potential of renewable energy and energy efficiency, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Science.

By Mr. LANTOS (for himself, Ms. MORELLA, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. MCGovern, Ms. LEE, Mr. SANDERS, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. WYNN, Mr. RIVERS, Mr. WERNER, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. MCNULTY, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. FRANK, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. PALLONE, Ms. PELSONI, Mr. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. CONVY, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. STARK, and Ms. WOOLSEY).

H. Con. Res. 173. Concurrent resolution expressing the concern of Congress regarding human rights, fundamental freedoms, and the plight of lesbian, gay, bisexuals, and transgendered (LGBT) individuals around the world; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. ANDREW MILLER of California (for himself, Mr. LARSEN, Mr. SKENNIN, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. FALAWARVA, Mr. GETHART, Mr. ROHRABACHER, Mr. BUTLER of Colorado, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. CANNON, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. BONOR, and Mr. KILDEE).

H. Con. Res. 174. Concurrent resolution authorizing the Rotunda of the Capitol to be used on July 26, 2001, for a ceremony to present Congressional Gold Medals to the original 29 Navajo Code Talkers; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Ms. PRYCE of Ohio.

H. Res. 179. A resolution providing for consideration of motions to suspend the rules.

By Mr. SESSIONS.

H. Res. 180. A resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2311) making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, and for other purposes.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H. R. 7: Mr. HALL of Texas.
H. R. 17: Ms. LOWEY.
H. R. 24: Mr. ROYCE.
H. R. 98: Mr. HOUCHICH and Mr. HERRGER.
H. R. 123: Mr. NY and Mr. WICKER.
H. R. 162: Mr. MEEHAN.
H. R. 168: Mr. LEACH.
H. R. 179: Mr. BRADY of Texas, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. STRICKLAND, and Mr. DEAL of Georgia.
H. R. 179: Mr. MCDERMOTT.
H. R. 218: Mr. OSH, Mr. MCGovern, and Mr. LEACH.
H. R. 264: Mr. BAIRD.
H. R. 265: Mr. FRANK and Ms. JACKSON-Lee of Texas.
H. R. 267: Ms. BONO and Ms. BEEKLY.
H. R. 280: Mr. RYAN of Kansas.
H. R. 293: Mr. WAXMAN.
H. R. 294: Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania.
H. R. 324: Mr. SUNUNU and Mr. KIRK.
H. R. 425: Ms. NAPOLITANO and Ms. CARSON of Indiana.
H. R. 448: Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas.
H. R. 519: Mr. LEACH.
H. R. 602: Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. SOUDER.
H. R. 612: Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. HOLT, and Mr. TAUZIN.
H. R. 631: Mr. HOSTETTLER.
H. R. 641: Ms. DELAURVO.
H. R. 656: Mr. PENCE.
H. R. 664: Mr. HOSKIN and Mr. THOMPSON of California.
H. R. 690: Ms. JACKSON-Lee of Texas.
H. R. 717: Mr. NADLER, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. FONSELLA, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. AKIN, Mr. SHADROG, Mr. FORBES, and Mr. RUSH.
H. R. 737: Mr. CLEMENT.
H. R. 739: Mr. LAFALCE.
H. R. 744: Mr. PICKERING.
H. R. 747: Mr. WU.
H. R. 760: Mr. DOOLITTLE and Mr. BONOR.
H. R. 774: Mr. GRAHAM.
H. R. 777: Mr. GRAHAM.
H. R. 778: Mr. LEVIN.
H. R. 781: Mr. MARKET and Mr. FATTAA.
H. R. 822: Mr. HALL of Ohio, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. BALLINGER, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. JENKINS, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. DICKS, Mr. SCHAFER, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. GORDON, Mr. LAWSON, Mr. PAVER, Mr. PHIL. Mr. RYUN of Kansas, and Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota.
H. R. 836: Mr. HASTINGS of Washington.
H. R. 949: Mr. CAPUCANO, Mr. FILNER, Mr. FRADONI, Mr. LATOUR, Mr. MANZULLO, and Mr. WATT of North Carolina.
H. R. 887: Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD.