BILLS CONTAINING PROVISIONS OF JURISDICTIONAL INTEREST TO THE COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

H.R. 1559 **Apr. 2, 2003**

MR. YOUNG OF FLORIDA

Making emergency wartime supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2003, and for other purposes.

(Contains provisions relating to unemployment compensation under the jurisdiction of the Committee on Ways and Means.)

Apr. 2, 2003. Committee on Appropriations reported an original measure, H.Rept. 108-55.
Apr. 2, 2003. H.Res. 172, providing 1 hour of general debate, and the previous question shall be considered as ordered without intervening motions except motion to recommit with or without instructions, waives all points of order against consideration of the bill, and is open to amendments, reported to the House.
Apr. 3, 2003. H.Res. 172 passed the House by voice vote.
Apr. 3, 2003. Passed the House, amended, by a vote of 414 yeas, 12 nays.
Apr. 7, 2003. Received in the Senate, and laid before the Senate by unanimous consent.
Apr. 7, 2003. Senate struck all after the enacting clause and inserted the text of S. 762 amended. Passed the Senate in lieu of S. 762 by unanimous consent.
Apr. 7, 2003. Senate insisted upon its amendment, and requested a conference with the House. Appointed as conferees: Senators Stevens, Cochran, Specter, Domenici, Bond, McConnell, Burns, Shelby, Gregg, Bennett, Campbell, Craig, Hutchison, DeWine, Brownback, Byrd, Inouye, Hollings, Leahy, Harkin, Mikulski, Reid, Kohl, Murray, Dorgan, Feinstein, Durbin, Johnson, and Landrieu.
Apr. 8, 2003. The House disagreed to the Senate Amendment and agreed to a conference.
Apr. 8, 2003. Motion made that the House instruct conferees. The instructions contained in the motion seek to require managers on the part of the House to recede to the Senate on section 409 of the Senate amendment, providing 26 weeks of additional temporary extended unemployment compensation for displaced airline related workers.
Apr. 8, 2003. On motion that the House instruct conferees agreed to by 265 yeas, 150 nays.
Apr. 8, 2003. The Speaker appointed as conferees: Representatives Young of Florida, Regula, Lewis of California, Rogers of Kentucky, Wolf, Kolbe, Walsh, Taylor of North Carolina, Hobson, Istook, Bonilla, Knollenberg, Kingston, Frelinghuysen, Obey, Murtha, Dicks, Sabo, Mollohan, Kaptur, Visclosky, Lowey, Serrano, Moran of Virginia, and Edwards.
Apr. 12, 2003. Conference report filed in the House. H.Rept. 108-76.
Apr. 12, 2003. The House agreed to the conference report by voice vote.
Apr. 12, 2003. Senate agreed to the conference report by unanimous consent.
Apr. 12, 2003. Cleared for White House.
Apr. 15, 2003. Presented to President.
Apr. 16, 2003. Approved. Public Law 108-11.

H.R. 1588 **Apr. 3, 2003**

MR. HUNTER (BY REQUEST) AND MR. SKELTON

To authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2004 for military activities of the Department of Defense, to prescribe military personnel strengths for fiscal year 2004, and for other purposes.

(Referred to the Committee on Armed Services.)

(Contains provisions relating to health benefits under the jurisdiction of the Committee on Ways and Means.)

May 16, 2003. Reported, amended, by the Committee on Armed Services. H.Rept. 108-106, pt.1.
May 20, 2003. H.Res. 245, providing 2 hours of general debate, and waives all points of order against consideration of the bill, and the amendment in the nature of a substitute now printed in the bill shall be considered as an original bill for the purpose of amendment and shall be considered as read, and waives all points of order against the amendment in the nature of a substitute, reported to the House. H.Rept. 108-120.
May 21, 2003. H.Res. 245 passed the House by a vote of 224 yeas, 200 nays.
May 21, 2003. Supplemental report filed by the Committee on Armed Services, H.Rept. 108-106, pt. 2.
May 22, 2003. The House adopted the amendment in the nature of a substitute as agreed to by the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.
May 22, 2003. Motion to recommit with instructions to Armed Services failed by a vote of 204 yeas, 224 nays.
May 22, 2003. Passed the House by a vote of 361 yeas, 68 nays.
May 22, 2003 The title of the measure was amended and agreed to without objection.
June 2, 2003. Received in the Senate.
June 4, 2003. Senate struck all after the enacting clause and inserted the text of S. 1050.
June 4, 2003. Passed the Senate, amended, the Senate insisted upon its amendment and requested a conference. Appointed as conferees: Senators Warner, McCain, Inhofe, Roberts, Allard, Sessions, Collins, Ensign, Talent, Chambliss, Graham, Dole, Cornyn, Levin, Kennedy, Byrd, Lieberman, Reed, Akaka, Nelson of Florida, Nelson of Nebraska, Dayton, Bayh, Clinton, and Pryor.
July 16, 2003. The House disagreed to the Senate amendment, and agreed to a conference.
July 16, 2003. The Speaker appointed as conferees - from the Committee on Armed Services for consideration of the House bill and the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Hunter, Weldon of Pennsylvania, Hefley, Sexton, McHugh, Everett, Bartlett of Maryland, McKeon, Thornberry, Hostettler, Jones of North Carolina, Ryun of Kansas, Gibbons, Hayes, Wilson of New Mexico, Calvert, Skelton, Spratt, Ortiz, Evans, Taylor of Mississippi, Abercrombie, Meehan, Reyes, Snyder, Turner of Texas, Sanchez, Loretta, and Cooper. From the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence for consideration of matters within the jurisdiction of that committee under clause 11 of rule X: Representatives Goss, Hoekstra, and Harman. From the Committee on Agriculture for consideration of secs. 1057 and 2822 of the House bill, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Goodlatte, Lucas of Oklahoma, and Stenholm. From the Committee on Education and the Workforce for consideration of secs. 544, 553, 563, 567, 907, 1046, 1501, 1502, and 1504-1506 of the House bill, and secs. 233, 351, 352, 368, 701, 1034, and 1036 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Castle, Kline, and Miller, George. From

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the Committee on Energy and Commerce for consideration of secs. 601, 3113, 3201, and 3517 of the House bill, and secs. 601, 701, 852, 3151, and 3201 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Tauzin, Barton of Texas, and Dingell. From the Committee on Financial Services for consideration of secs. 814 and 907 of the House bill, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Oxley, King of New York, and Maloney. From the Committee on Government Reform for consideration of secs. 315, 323, 551, 805, 822, 824, 828, 829, 1031, 1046, 1050, 1057, Title XI, Title XIV, secs. 2825 and 2826 of the House bill, and secs. 326 801, 811, 813, 822, 831-833, 841, 852, 853, 1013, 1035, 1102-1104, and 2824-2826 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Davis, Tom, Shays, Davis, Jo Ann, Putnam, Turner of Ohio, Waxman, Van Hollen, and Davis of Illinois. From the Select Committee on Homeland Security for consideration of sec. 1456 of the House bill, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Cox, Shadegg, and Thompson Mississippi. From the Committee on House Administration for consideration of sec. 564 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Ney, Mica, and Larson of Connecticut. From the Committee on International Relations for consideration of secs. 1047, 1201, 1202, 1209, Title XIII, secs. 3601, 3611, 3631, 3632, and 3634-3636 of the House bill, and secs. 323, 343, 921, 1201, 1202, 1204, 1205, 1207, 1208, Title XIII, and sec. 3141 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Hyde, Bereuter, and Lantos. From the Committee on the Judiciary for consideration of secs. 661-665 and 851-853 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Sensenbrenner, Smith of Texas, and Conyers. From the Committee on Resources for consideration of secs. 311, 317-319, 601, and 1057 of the House bill, and secs. 322, 330, and 601 of the Senate amendment and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Pombo, Gilchrest, Rehberg, Rahall, and Udall of New Mexico. From the Committee on Science for consideration of secs. 852 and 911 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Boehlert, Smith of Michigan, and Hall. From the Committee on Small Business for consideration of sec. 866 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Manzullo, Kelly, and Velazquez. From the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure for consideration of secs. 312, 601, 907, 1049, 1051, and 2824 of the House bill, and secs. 324, 601, and 2821 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Young of Arkansas, Petri, and Carson of Oklahoma. From the Committee on Veterans' Affairs for consideration of sec. 565 of the House bill, and secs. 644 and 707 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Smith of New Jersey, Bilirakis, and Filner. From the Committee on Ways and Means for consideration of sec. 701 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Thomas, McCrery, and Stark.

July 16, 2003. Motion to close portions of the conference agreed to by a vote of 398 yeas, 23 nays.
July 22, 2003. Conference held.
Nov. 7, 2003. Conference report filed in the House. H.Rept. 108-354.
Nov. 7, 2003. H.Res. 437, providing for consideration of the the conference report with 1 hour of general debate, reported to the House. H.Rept. 108-355.
Nov. 7, 2003. H.Res. 437 passed the House.
Nov. 7, 2003. Motion to recommit with instructions to the conference committee failed by a vote of 188 yeas, 217 nays.
Nov. 7, 2003. The House agreed to the conference report by a vote of 362 yeas, 40, nays.
Nov. 12, 2003. The Senate agreed to the conference report by a vote of 95 yeas, 3 nays.
Nov. 24, 2003. Approved. Public Law 108-136.

H.R. 2115 **May 15, 2003**

MR. YOUNG OF ALASKA, MR. MICA, MR. OBERSTAR, AND MR. DEFAZIO

To amend title 49, United States Code, to reauthorize programs for the Federal Aviation Administration, and for other purposes.

(Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.)

(Contains provisions provisions relating to extension of the general expenditure authority from the Airport and Airway Trust Fund which is under the jurisdiction of the Committee on Ways and Means.)

June 6, 2003. Reported, amended, by the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H. Rept. 108-143.
June 10, 2003. H. Res. 265, providing for 1 hour of general debate, and the previous question shall be considered as ordered without intervening motions except motion to recommit with or without instructions, all points of order against the bill are waived, it shall be in order to consider as an original bill for the purpose of amendment under the five-minute rule the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure now printed in the bill, as modified by the amendment printed in part A of the report of the Committee on Rules accompanying this resolution, reported to the House. H.Rept. 108-146. The rule made in order as part of the original text of H.R. 2215 an amendment recommended by the Committee on Ways and Means concerning the expenditures from the Airport and Airway Trust Fund.
June 11, 2003. Passed the House, amended, by a vote of 418 yeas, 8 nays.
June 12, 2003. Received in the Senate.
June 12, 2003. Senate struck all after the enacting clause and inserted the text of S. 824 amended.
June 12, 2003. Passed Senate, amended, by a vote of 94 yeas, 0 nays.
June 12, 2003. Senate insisted on its amendment, and requested a conference.
June 12, 2003. The Senate appointed conferees: Senators McCain, Stevens, Burns, Lott, Hutchison, Hollings, Inouye, Rockefeller, and Breaux.
July 15, 2003. The House disagreed to the Senate amendment, and agree to a conference by unanimous consent.
July 15, 2003 The Speaker appointed conferees - from the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure for consideration of the House bill and the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Young (AK), Mica, Ehlers, Hayes, Rehberg, Isakson, Oberstar, DeFazio, Boswell, and Holden.
July 15, 2003 The Speaker appointed conferees - from the Committee on Energy and Commerce for consideration of sec. 521 of the House bill and sec. 508 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Tauzin, Barton (TX), and Dingell.
July 15, 2003. The Speaker appointed conferees from the Committee on Government Reform for consideration of secs. 404 and 438 of the House bill and sec. 108 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Davis, Tom, Shays, and Waxman. From the Committee on the Judiciary for consideration of secs. 106, 301, 405, 505 and 507 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Sensenbrenner, Coble, and Conyers. From the Committee on Resources for consideration of secs. 204 and 409 of the House bill and sec. 201 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Pombo, Gibbons, and Rahall. The Speaker appointed conferees provided that Mr. Renzi is appointed in lieu of Mr. Pombo for consideration of sec. 409 of the House bill, and modifications committed to conference. From the Committee on Science for consideration of sec. 102 of the House bill and secs. 102, 104, 621, 622, 641, 642, 661, 662, 663, 667, and 669 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Boehlert, Rohrabacher, and Costello. From the Committee on Ways and Means for consideration of title VI of the House bill and title VII of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Thomas, Camp, and Rangel.
July 24, 2003. Conference held.
July 25, 2003. Conference report filed. H.Rept. 108-240.

Sept. 24, 2003. H.Res. 377, rule for consideration of the conference report, reported to the House. H.Rept. 108-284. Upon the adoption of this resolution, the conference report was hereby recommitted to the committee of conference.
Oct. 28, 2003. H.Res. 377 passed the House by a vote of 407 yeas, 0 nays.
Oct. 28, 2003. The House recommitted the conference report pursuant to H.Res. 377.
Oct. 29, 2003. Conference report repoorted to the House. H.Rept. 108-334.
Oct. 29, 2003. H.Res. 422, providing for consideration of the conference report, and provides that all points of order against the conference report and against its consideration are waived, and the conference report shall be considered as read when called up for consideration, reported to the House. H.Rept. 108-336.
Oct. 30, 2003. H.Res. 422 passed the House by a vote of 220 yeas, 199 nays.
Oct. 30, 2003, Conference report agreed to by a vote of 211 yeas, 207 nays.
Nov. 14, 17, 21, 2003. Conference report considered in Senate.
Nov. 17, 2003. Cloture was not invoked in the Senate by a vote of 45 yeas, 43 nays.
Nov. 17, 2003. Motion by Senator Frist to reconsider the vote by which cloture on the conference report was not invoked was entered in Senate by unanimous consent.
Nov. 21, 2003. Motion by Senator Frist to reconsider the vote by which cloture on the conference report was not invoked was withdrawn in Senate by unanimous consent.
Nov. 21, 2003. The Senate agreed to the conference report by unanimous consent.
Dec. 2, 2003. Presented to the President.
Dec. 12, 2003. Approved. Public Law 108-176.

H.R. 2555 — June 23, 2003

MR. ROGERS OF KENTUCKY

Making appropriations for the Department of Homeland Security for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes.

(Contains study required by Law reagarding the Oil Spill Liability Trust Fund).

June 23, 2003. Committee on Appropriations reported as an original measure. H.Rept. 108-169. ne 23, 2003. H.Res. 293, providig for consideration of H.R. 2555 with 1 hour of general debate, the previous question shall be considered as ordered without intervening motions except motion to recommit with or without instructions,and waiveing all points of order against its consideration, and the bill shall be read for amendment by paragraph, waiving points of order against provisions in the bill for failure to comply with sec. 501 of H. Con. Res. 95, (prohibiting advanced appropriations) and clause 2 of rule XXI (prohibiting unauthorized appropriations or legislative provisions in an appropriations bill), except as specified in the resolution, opening the bill to amendments, authorizing the Chair to accord priority in recognition to Members who have pre-printed their amendments in the Congressional Record, reported to the House. H.Rept. 108-175.
June 24, 2003. H.Res. 293 passed the House by a vote of 220 yeas, 197 nays.
June 24, 2003. Passed the House by a vote of 425 yeas, 2 nays.
June 25, 2003. Received in the Senate and referred to Senate Committee on Appropriations.
July 10, 2003 Reported,amended, from the Senate Committee on Appropriations. S. Rept. 108-86.
July 24, 2003. Passed Senate, amended, by a vote of 93 yeas, 1 nay.
July 24, 2003. Senate insisted upon its amendment and requested a a conference, appointed as conferees: Senators Cochran, Stevens, Specter, Domenici, McConnell, Shelby, Gregg, Campbell, Craig, Byrd, Inouye, Hollings, Leahy, Harkin, Mikulski, Kohl, and Murray.
Sept. 10, 2003. The House disagreed to the Senate amendment and agreed to a conference, without objection.
Sept. 10, 2003. Motion that the House instruct conferees agreed to by a ote of 347 yeas, 74 nays.
Sept. 10, 2003. The Speaker appointed conferees: Rogers of Kentucky, Young, Wolf, Latham, Emerson, Granger, Sweeney, Sherwood, Sabo, Price of North Carolina, Serrano, Roybal-Allard, Berry, Mollohan, and Obey.
Sept. 23, 2003. Conference report filed in the House. H.Rept. 108-280.
Sept. 23, 2003. H.Res. 374 providing for consideration of the conference report to H.R. 2555, waiving all points of order against the conference report and against its consideration, the report shall be considered as and against its consideration are waived. The conference read, reported to the House.
Sept. 24, 2003. H.Res. 374 passed the House by a voice vote. H.R. 2555.
Sept. 24, 2003. Motion to recommit with instructions to conference committee failed to pass the House by a vote of 198 yeas, 225 nays.
Sept. 24, 2003. House agreed to the conference report by a vote of 417 yeas, 8 nays.
Sept. 24, 2003. Senate agreed to the conference report by a voice vote.
Oct. 1, 2003. Approved. Public Law 108-90.

H.R. 2660 — July 8, 2003

MR. REGULA

Making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes.

(Contains provisions that would create a Medicare claims processing fee which is under the jurisdiction of the Committee on Ways and Means.)

July 8, 2003. The Committee on Appropriations reported an original measure, H.Rept. 108-188.
July 8, 2003. H.Res. 312, providing that the previous question shall be considered as ordered without intervening motions except motion to recommit with or without instructions, the rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill, provides that general debate shall be confined to the bill, and waives all points of order against provisions in the bill, and legislation is open to amendments, reported to the House. H.Rept. 108-192.
July 9, 2003. H.Res. 312 passed the House by voice vote.
July 10, 2003. Passed the House, amended, by a vote of 215 yeas, 208 nays.
July 11, 2003. Received in the Senate.
Sept. 10, 2003. Passed the Senate, amended, by a vote of 94 yeas, 0 nays. The Senate insisted on its amendment and asked for a conference.

H.R. 2673 — July 9, 2003

MR. BONILLA

Making appropriations for Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes.

(Contains provisions relating to negotiations within the World Trade Organization and cash pension regulations under the jurisdiction of the Committee on Ways and Means.)

July 9, 2003. Committee on Appropriations reported an original measure, H.Rept. 108-193.
July 14, 2003. Passed the House, amended, by a vote of 347 yeas, 64 nays.
July 15, 2003. Received in the Senate.
Nov. 5, 2003. Considered by Senate.
Nov. 6, 2003. Passed the Senate, amended, by a vote of 93 yeas, 1 nay.
Nov. 6, 2003. The Senate insisted upon its amendment and requested a conference. Appointed as conferees: Senators Benett, Cochran, Specter, Bond, McConnell, Burns, Craig, Brownback, Stevens, Kohl, Harkin, Dorgan, Feinstein, Durbin, Johnson, Landrieu, and Byrd.
Nov. 17, 2003. The Senate appointed additional conferees from the Committee on Appropriations: Senators Domenici, Shelby, Gregg, Campbell, Hutchison, DeWine, Inouye, Hollings, Leahy, Mikulski, Reid, and Murray.
Nov. 18, 2003. The House disagree to the Senate amendment, and agree to a conference, without objection.

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Nov. 18, 2003. The Speaker appointed conferees: Representatives Young of Florida, Regula, Lewis of California, Wolf, Walsh, Hobson, Bonilla, Kingston, Frelinghuysen, Nethercutt, Latham, Goode, LaHood, Obey, Murtha, Mollohan, Kaptur, Serrano, DeLauro, Hinchey, Farr, Boyd, and Fattah.
Nov. 25, 2003. Conference report filed. H. Rept. 108-401.
Dec. 8, 2003. H.Res. 473, providing that all points of order against the conference report and against its consideration are waived, reported to the House. H. Rept. 108-402.
Dec. 8, 2003. H.Res. 473 passed the House by a vote of 216 yeas, 189 nays.
Dec. 8, 2003. The House agreed to the conference report by a vote of 242 yeas, 176 nays.
Dec. 9, 2003 Conference report considered in Senate.

H.R. 2691 **July 10, 2003**

MR. TAYLOR OF NORTH CAROLINA

Making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, and for other purposes.

(Contains revenue provision to create a fee to provide a pilot porgram)

July 10, 2003. The Committee on Appropriations reported an original measure, H.Rept. 108-195.
July 15, 2003. H.Res. 319 providing for consideration of H.R. 2691 with 1 hour of general debate, the previous question shall be considered as ordered without intervening motions except motion to recommit with or without instructions, the rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill which is open to amendments, reported to the house. H.Rept. 108-209.
July 16, 2003. H.Res. 319 passed House by a vote of 232 yeas, 189 nays.
July 17, 2003. Passed the House by a vote of 268 yeas, 152 nays.
July 17, 2003. Motion to reconsider laid on the table agreed to without objection.
July 21, 2003. Received in the Senate.
Sept. 23, 2003. Passed Senate, amended, by voice vote.
Sept. 23, 2003. Senate insisted upon its amendment and requested a conference. Appointed as conferees Senators: Burns, Stevens, Cochran, Domenici, Bennett, Gregg, Campbell, Brownback, Dorgan, Byrd, Leahy, Hollings, Reid, Feinstein, and Mikulski.
Oct. 1, 2003. The House disagreed to the Senate amendment and agreed to a conference without objection.
Oct. 1, 2003. Motion made that the House instruct conferees, and agreed to y a vote of 259 yeas, 165 nays.
Oct. 1, 2003. The Speaker appointed conferees Representatives Taylor of e, North Carolina, Regula, Kolbe, Nethercutt, Wamp, Peterson of Pennsylvania, Sherwood, Crenshaw, Young of Florida, Dicks, Murtha, Moran of Virginia, Hinchey, Olver, and Obey.
Oct. 28, 2003. Conference report filed. H.Rept. 108-330.
Oct. 28, 2003. H.Res. 418, providing for consideration of the conference report with 1 hour of general debate reported to the House. H.Rept. 108-333.
Oct. 29, 2003. H.Res. 418 passed the House by a vote of 289 yeas, 136 nays.
Oct. 30, 2003. House agreed to the conference report by a vote of 216 yeas, 205 nays.
Nov. 3, 2003. Senate agreed to the conference report by a vote of 87 yeas, 2 nays.
Nov. 10, 2003. Approved. Public Law 108-108.

H.R. 3030 **Sept. 5, 2003**

MR. OSBORNE, MR. BOEHNER, MR. CASTLE, MR. UPTON, AND MR. WILSON OF SOUTH CAROLINA

To amend the Community Service Block Grant Act to provide for quality improvements.

(Referred to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.)

(The Miller amendment agreed to during consideration in the House, contains provisions that would extend unemployment benefits through the Community Services Block Grant Act, which is under the jurisdiction of the Committee on Ways and Means.)

Oct. 10, 2003. Reported, amended, by the Committee on Education and the Workforce. H.Rept. 108-310.
Feb. 3, 2004. H.Res. 513, providing 1 hour of general debate, and previous question shall be considered as ordered without intervening motions except motion to recommit with or without instructions; the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Education and the Workforce now printed in the bill shall be considered as an original bill for the purpose of amendment under the five-minute rule; and specified amendments are in order, reported to the House. H.Rept. 108-412.
Feb. 4, 2004. H.Res. 513 passed the House.
Feb. 4, 2004. Amendment offered by Mr. George Miller agreed to by a vote of 227 yeas 179 nays.
Feb. 4, 2004. Passed the House, amended, by a voice vote.
Feb. 5, 2004. Referred to the Senate Committee on Labor and Human Resources.

H.R. 3550 **Nov. 20, 2003**

MR. YOUNG OF ALASKA, MR. OBERSTAR, MR. PETRI, MR. LIPINSKI, MR. BOEHLERT, MR. RAHALL, MR. COBLE, MR. DEFAZIO, MR. DUNCAN, MR. COSTELLO, MR. GILCHREST, MS. NORTON, MR. MICA, MR. NADLER, MR. HOEKSTRA, MR. MENENDEZ, MR. QUINN, MS. CORRINE BROWN OF FLORIDA, MR. EHLERS, MR. FILNER, MR. BACHUS, MS. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON OF TEXAS, MR. LATOURETTE, MR. TAYLOR OF MISSISSIPPI, MRS. KELLY, MS. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, MR. BAKER, MR. CUMMINGS, MR. NEY, MR. BLUMENAUER, MR. LOBIONDO, MRS. TAUSCHER, MR. MORAN OF KANSAS, MR. PASCRELL, MR. GARY G. MILLER OF CALIFORNIA, MR. BOSWELL, MR. BEREUTER, MR. HOLDEN, MR. ISAKSON, MR. LAMPSON, MR. HAYES, MR. BAIRD, MR. SIMMONS, MS. BERKLEY, MRS. CAPITO, MR. HONDA, MR. BROWN OF SOUTH CAROLINA, MR. LARSEN OF WASHINGTON, MR. JOHNSON OF ILLINOIS, MR. CAPUANO, MR. REHBERG, MR. WEINER, MR. PLATTS, MS. CARSON OF INDIANA, MR. GRAVES, MR. HOEFFEL, MR. KENNEDY OF MINNESOTA, MR. THOMPSON OF CALIFORNIA, MR. SHUSTER, MR. BISHOP OF NEW YORK, MR. BOOZMAN, MR. MICHAUD, MR. CHOCOLA, MR. DAVIS OF TENNESSEE, MR. BEAUPREZ, MR. BURGESS, MR. BURNS, MR. PEARCE, MR. GERLACH, MR. MARIO DIAZ-BALART OF FLORIDA, MR. PORTER, MR. MATHESON, MR. CARSON OF OKLAHOMA, MR. BERRY, MRS. JONES OF OHIO, MR. LAHOOD, MR. EVANS, MR. GUTIERREZ, MR. FROST, MR. LANTOS, MR. ANDREWS, MR. TERRY, MS. LEE, MR. DAVIS OF ILLINOIS, MR. GORDON, MS. HOOLEY OF OREGON, MR. CROWLEY, MR. RUSH, MR. ENGEL, MR. RANGEL, MS. SCHAKOWSKY, MR. WU, MR. GRIJALVA, MR. ALEXANDER, MR. EMANUEL, MR. FRANK OF MASSACHUSETTS, MR. DELAHUNT, MR. MCNULTY, MR. NEAL OF MASSACHUSETTS, MR. DAVIS OF ALABAMA, MRS. MCCARTHY OF NEW YORK, MR. BRADY

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OF PENNSYLVANIA, MR. SMITH OF WASHINGTON, MR. ALLEN, MR. ABERCROMBIE, MS. LORETTA SANCHEZ OF CALIFORNIA, MR. LUCAS OF KENTUCKY, MR. INSLEE, MR. SANDLIN, MR. TAUZIN, MR. MCGOVERN, MR. UPTON, MR. HASTINGS OF FLORIDA, MR. MCDERMOTT, MR. KILDEE, MR. MARKEY, MRS. MALONEY, MR. CLAY, MR. MEEKS OF NEW YORK, MR. MEEK OF FLORIDA, MR. CARDIN, MR. VAN HOLLEN, MR. TOWNS, MR. GONZALEZ, MR. CARDOZA, MR. BACA, MR. DOYLE, MR. MORAN OF VIRGINIA, MR. ENGLISH, MR. RUPPERSBERGER, MR. GREEN OF TEXAS, MR. KANJORSKI, MR. OWENS, MR. PAYNE, MR. ROSS, MR. HOLT, MR. STRICKLAND, MR. ORTIZ, MS. LINDA T. SANCHEZ OF CALIFORNIA, MR. WATT, MS. ROYBAL-ALLARD, MR. BERMAN, MS. PELOSI, MS. DEGETTE, MR. KUCINICH, AND MR. BECERRA

To authorize funds for Federal-aid highways, highway safety programs, and transit programs, and for other purposes.

Nov. 20, 2003. Referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.
Mar. 29, 2004. Reported, amended, by the Committee on Transportation. H.Rept. 108-452, pt.1.

Mar. 29, 2004. Referred jointly and sequentially to the House Committees on Education and the Workforce, Energy and Commerce, the Judiciary, Resources, and Science a period ending not later than March 29, 2004 for consideration of such provisions of the bill and amendment as fall within the jurisdictions of those committees pursuant to clause 1, rule X.
Mar. 29, 2004. Committees on Education and the Workforce, Energy and Commerce, the Judiciary, Resources, and Science discharged.

Apr. 1, 2004. H. Res. 593, providing that the previous question shall be considered as ordered without intervening motions except motion to recommit with or without instructions. The amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure now printed in the bill, modified by the amendments printed in part A of the report of the Committee on Rules accompanying this resolution, shall be considered as adopted in the House and in the Committee of the Whole. Measure will be considered read. Specified amendments are in order. The rule provides for H.R. 3971 as reported from the Committee on Ways and Means to be be incorporated into H.R. 3550. H.Res. 593 reported to the House. H.Rept. 108-456.
Apr. 1, 2004. H.Res. 593 passed the House by voice vote.
Apr. 1, 2004. Considered pursuant to a previous order.
Apr. 1, 2004. Amendment, modified by unanimous consent, and provided for in H.Res. 593 agreed to by voice vote.
Apr. 2, 2004. Motion made to recommit with instructions to Transportation Committee.
Apr. 2, 2004. A point of order was raised against the motion to recommit with instructions. It was stated the motion to recommit violates Section 302(f) of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974. Sustained by the Chair.
Apr. 2, 2004. Point of order sustained against the motion to recommit with instructions.
Apr. 2, 2004. A motion was made to recommit with instructions to Transportation Committee.
Apr. 2, 2004. The House proceeded with ten minutes of debate on the motion to recommit with instructions.
Apr. 2, 2004. Motion to recommit with instructions failed by a vote of 198 yeas, 225 nays.
Apr. 2, 2004. Passed the House, amended, by a vote of 357 yeas, 65 nays.
Apr. 2, 2004. Motion to reconsider laid on the table agreed to without objection.
Apr. 8, 2004. Received in the Senate.
May 19, 2004. Measure laid before the Senate by unanimous consent.
May 19, 2004 Senate struck all after the enacting clause and inserted the text of S. 1072 amended.
May 19, 2004. Passed the Senate, amended, by unanimous consent.
May 19, 2004. Senate insisted upon its amendment and requested a conference. Appointed as conferees: Senators Inhofe, Warner, Bond, Voinovich, Grassley, Hatch, Nickles, Lott, Shelby, McCain, McConnell, Jeffords, Reid, Graham, Lieberman, Boxer, Daschle, Hollings, Sarbanes, Baucus, and Conrad.
June 3, 2004. The House disagreed to the Senate amendment, and agreed to a conference.
June 3, 2004. The Speaker appointed conferees - from the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure for consideration of the House bill (except Title IX) and the Senate amendment (except Title V), and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Young of Alaska, Petri, Boehlert, Coble, Duncan, Mica, Hoekstra, Ehlers, Bachus, LaTourette, Miller, Gary, Rehberg, Beauprez, Oberstar, Rahall, Lipinski, DeFazio, Costello, Norton, Nadler, Menendez, Brown, Corrine, Filner, and Ms. Eddie Bernice Johnson of Texas. From the Committee on the Budget for consideration of secs. 8001-8003 of the House bill, and Title VI of the Senate amendment, and modifications committeed to conference: Representatives Nussle, Shays, and Spratt. From the Committee on Education and the Workforce for consideration of secs. 1602 and 3030 of the House bill, and secs. 1306, 3013, 3032, and 4632 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Ballenger, Biggert, and Miller, George. From the Committee on Energy and Commerce for consideration of provisions in the House bill and Senate amendment relating to Clean Air Act provisions of transportation planning contained in sec. 6001 of the House bill, and secs. 3005 and 3006 of the Senate amendment; and secs. 1202, 1824, 1828, and 5203 of the House bill, and secs. 1501, 1511, 1522, 1610-1619, 3016, 3023, 4108, 4151, 4152, 4155-4159, 4162, 4172, 4173, 4424, 4481, 4482, 4484, 4662, 8001, and 8002 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Barton of Texas, Pickering, and Dingell. From the Committee on Government Reform for consideration of sec. 1802 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Davis, Tom, Schrock, and Waxman. From the Committee on the Judiciary for consideration of secs. 1105, 1207, 1602, 1812, 2011, 3023, 4105, 4108, 4201, 4202, 4204, 5209, 5501, 6001, 6002, 7012, 7019-7022, and 7024 of the House bill, and secs. 1512, 1513, 1802, 3006, 3022, 3030, 4104, 4110, 4174, 4226, 4231, 4234, 4265, 4307, 4308, 4315, 4424, 4432, 4440-4442, 4445, 4447, 4462, 4463, 4633, and 4661 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Sensenbrenner, Smith of Texas, and Conyers. From the Committee on Resources for consideration of secs. 1117, 3021, 6002, and 6003 of the House bill and secs. 1501, 1502, 1505, 1511, 1514, 1601, 1603, 3041, and 4521-4528 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Pombo, Gibbons, and Kind. From the Committee on Rules for consideration of secs. 8004 and 8005 of the House bill, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Dreier, Sessions, and Frost. From the Committee on Science for consideration of secs. 2001, 3013, 3015, 3034, 4112, and Title V of the House bill, and Title II, secs. 3014, 3015, 3037, 4102, 4104, 4237, and 4461 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Gilchrest, Neugebauer, and Gordon. From the Committee on Ways and Means for consideration of Title IX of the House bill, and Title V of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Thomas, McCrery, and Rangel. Conferee for consideration of the House bill and Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representative DeLay.
June 14, 2004. Conference held.

H.R. 4200 **Apr. 22, 2004**

MR. HUNTER (BY REQUEST) AND MR. SKELTON

To authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2005 for military activities of the Department of Defense, to prescribe military personnel strengths for fiscal year 2005, and for other purposes.

(Referred to the House Committee on Armed Services.)

(Members of the Ways and Means Committee were named conferees; contains
provisions relating to mileage deduction.)

May 14, 2004. Reported, amended, by the Committee on Armed Services. H.Rept. 108-491, pt. 1.
May 19, 2004. H.Res. 648, providing for 2 hours of general debate, and the previous question shall be considered as ordered without intervening motions except motion to recommit with or without instructions, and it shall be in order to consdier as an original bill for the purpose of amendment under the five-minute rule the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Armed Services now printed in the bill, reported to the House. H.Rept. 108-499.
May 19, 2004. H.Res. 648 passed the House by a vote of 220 yeas, 205 nays.
May 19, 2004. Considered by the House.
May 20, 2004. Motion to recommit with instructions failed by a vote of 202 yeas, 224 nays.
May 20, 2004. Passed the House by a vote of 391 yeas, 34 nays.
May 20, 2004. The title of the measure was amended, and. agreed to without objection.
May 21, 2004. Received in the Senate.
June 23, 2004. The Senate struck all after the struck all after the enacting clause and inserted the text of S. 2400 amended.
June 23, 2004. Passed the Senate, amended, by unanimous consent.
June 24, 2004. The Senate insisted upon its amendment, and requested a conference. Appointed as Conferees Senators: Warner, McCain, Inhofe, Roberts, Allard, Sessions, Collins, Ensign, Talent, Chambliss, Graham, Dole, Cornyn, Levin, Kennedy, Byrd, Lieberman, Reed, Akaka, Nelson of Florida, Nelson of Nebraska, Dayton, Bayh, Clinton, and Pryor.
Sept. 28, 2004. The House disagreed to the Senate amendment, and agree to a conference.
Sept. 28, 2004. Motion made that the House instruct conferees, to instruct the conferees to agree to the provisions contained in title XXXIV of the Senate amendment (relating to the enhancement of local law enforcement and the prohibition of hate crimes).
Sept. 28, 2004 On motion that the House instruct conferees agreed to by a vote of 213 yeas, 186 nays.
Sept. 28, 2004, Motion made to close portions of the conference agreed to by a vote of 396 yeas, 0 nays.
Sept. 28, 2004, The Speaker appointed conferees - from the Committee on Armed Services for consideration of the House bill and the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Hunter, Weldon of Pennsylvania, Hefley, Saxton, McHugh, Everett, Bartlett of Maryland, McKeon, Thornberry, Hostettler, Jones of North Carolina, Ryun of Kansas, Gibbons, Hayes, Wilson of New Mexico, Calvert, Simmons, Skelton, Spratt, Ortiz, Evans, Taylorof Mississippi, Abercrombie, Meehan, Reyes, Snyder, Turner of Texas, of Washington, Sanchez, Loretta, and Hill. From the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence for consideration of matters within the jurisdiction of that committee under clause 11 of rule X: Representatives Hoekstra, LaHood, and Harman. From the Committee on Agriculture for consideration of sec. 1076 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Goodlatte, Burns, and Stenholm. From the Committee on Education and the Workforce for consideration of secs. 590, 595, 596, 904, and 3135 of the House bill, and secs. 351, 352, 532, 533, 707, 868, 1079, 3143, and 3151-3157 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Castle, Johnson, Sam, and Bishop (NY). From the Committee on Energy and Commerce for consideration of secs. 596, 601, 3111, 3131, 3133 and 3201 of the House bill, and secs. 321-323, 716, 720, 1084-1089, 1091, 2833, 3116, 3119, 3141, 3142, 3145, 3201, and 3503 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Barton of Texas, Upton, and Dingell. From the Committee on Government Reform for consideration of secs. 801, 806, 807, 825, 1061, 1101-1104, 2833, 2842, and 2843 of the House bill, and secs. 801, 805, 832, 851, 852, 869, 870, 1034, 1059B, 1091, 1101, 1103-1107, 1110, 2823, 2824, 2833, and 3121 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Davis, Tom, Shays, and Waxman. From the Committee on House Administration for consideration of secs. 572 and 1065 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Ney, Ehlers, and Larson of Connecticut. From the Committee on International Relations for consideration of secs. 811, 1013, 1031, 1212, 1215, Title XIII, secs. 1401-1405, 1411, 1412, 1421, and 1422 of the House bill, and secs. 1014, 1051-1053, 1058, 1059A, 1059B, 1070, Title XII, secs. 3131 and 3132 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Hyde, Leach, and Lantos. From the Committee on the Judiciary for consideration of secs. 551, 573, 616, 652, 825, 1075, 1078, 1105, 2833, 2842, and 2843 of the House bill, and secs. 620, 842, 1063, 1068, 1074, 1080-1082, 1101, 1106, 1107, 2821, 2823, 2824, 3143, 3146, 3151-3157, 3401-3410 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Sensenbrenner, Smith of Texas, and Conyers. From the Committee on Resources for consideration of secs. 601 and 2834 of the House bill, and sec. 1076 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Pombo, Walden of Oregon, and Inslee. From the Committee on Science for consideration of sec. 596 of the House bill and secs. 1034, 1092, and Title XXXV of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Boehlert, Smith of Michigan, and Gordon. From the Committee on Small Business for consideration of secs. 807 and 3601 of the House bill, and secs. 805, 822, 823, 912, and 1083 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Manzullo, Kelly, and Velazquez. From the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure for consideration of secs. 555, 558, 596, 601, 905, 1051, 1063, 1072, and 3502 of the House bill, and secs. 321, 323, 325, 717, 1066, 1076, 1091, 2828, 2833-2836, and Title XXXV of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Young of Alaska, Duncan, and Capuano. From the Committee on Veterans' Affairs for consideration of secs. 2810 and 2831 of the House bill, and secs. 642, 2821, and 2823 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Smith of New Jersey, Brown of South Carolina, and Michaud. From the Committee on Ways and Means for consideration of sec. 585 of the House bill, and sec. 653 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representativs Shaw, Camp, and Rangel.
Sept. 29, 2004. Conference held.
Oct. 8, 2004. Conference report reported to the House. H.Rept. 108-767.
Oct. 8, 2004. H.Res. 843 providing for consideration of the conference report reported to the House. H.Rept. 108-769.
Oct. 8, 2004. H.Res. 843 passed the House by voice vote.
Oct. 8, 2004. Considered by the House.
Oct. 9, 2004. The House agreed to the conference report by a vote of 359 yeas, 14 nays.
Oct. 9, 2004. The Senate agreed to the conference by unanimous consent.
Oct. 21, 2004. Presented to the President.
Oct. 28, 2004. Approved. Public Law 108-375.

H.R. 4548 **June 14, 2004**

MR. GOSS

To authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2005 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.

(Referred to the Committee on Intelligence.)

(Contains Social Security and tax provisions under the jurisdiction of the Ways and Means Committee.)

June 21, 2004. Reported, amended, by the Committee on Intelligence. H.Rept. 108-558.
June 22, 2004. H.Res. 686, providing for 1 hour of general debate, and the revious question shall be considered as ordered without intervening motions except motion to recommit with or without instructions, reported to the House. H.Rept. 108-561.
June 23, 2004. H.Res. 686 passed the House by a vote of 220 yeas, 200 nays.
June 23, 2004. Motion to recommit with instructions failed by a vote of 197 yeas, 224 nays.
June 23, 2004. Passed the House, amended, by a vote of 360 yeas, 61 nays.
June 24, 2004. Received in the Senate, and referred to the Senate Committee on Intelligence.
Oct. 11, 2004. The Senate Committee on Intelligence discharged by unanimous consent.
Oct. 11, 2004. The Senate incorporated S. 2386 in this measure as an amendment, and passed the bill by unanimous consent.
Oct. 16, 2004. The Senate insisted upon its amendment.
Dec. 7, 2004. The House disagreed to the Senate amendment, and requested a conference. The Speaker appointed conferees - from the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence for consideration of the House bill and the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Hoekstra, Boehlert, Gibbons, LaHood, Cunningham, Burr, Everett, Gallegly, Collins, Davis, Jo Ann, Thornberry, Harman, Hastings of Florida, Reyes, Boswell, Peterson of Minnesota, Cramer, Eshoo, Holt, and Ruppersberger. From the Committee on Armed Services for consideration of defense tactical intelligence and related activities: Representatives Hunter, Weldon of Pennsylvania, and Skelton.
Dec. 7, 2004. Conference report filed in the House. H.Rept. 108-798.
Dec. 7, 2004 Mr. Hoekstra asked unanimous consent for consideration of the conference report, H. Rept. 108-798.
Dec. 7, 2004. The House agreed to the conference report without objection.
Dec. 8, 2004. Senate agreed to the conference report by unanimous consent.
Dec. 8, 2004. Cleared for White House.

H.R. 4567 **June 15, 2004**

MR. ROGERS OF KENTUCKY

Making appropriations for the Department of Homeland Security for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2005, and for other purposes.

(Contains provisions relating involving overtime pay for U.S. Customs and Border Protection employees.)

June 15, 2004. Reported as an original measure by the Committee on Appropriations. H.Rept. 108-541.
June 15, 2004. H.Res. 675, providing 1 hour of general debate, and the previous question shall be considered as ordered without intervening motions except motion to recommit with or without instructions, and the bill is open to amendments, reported to the House. H.Rept. 108-545.
June 16, 2004 Rule H. Res. 675 passed House by a vote of 234 yeas, 197 nays.
June 17, 2004. Considered by the House.
June 18, 2004. Passed the House, amended, by a vote of 400 yeas, 5 nays.
June 21, 2004. Received in the Senate.
Sept. 8, 2004. Considered by Senate.
Sept. 9, 2004. Considered by Senate.
Sept. 10, 2004. Considered by Senate.
Sept. 13, 2004. Considered by Senate.
Sept. 14, 2004. Senate struck all after the enacting clause and inserted the text of S. 2537 amended. Passed the Senate in lieu of S. 2537 by a vote of 93 yeas, 0 nays.
Sept. 14, 2004. The Senate insisted upon its amendment, and. requested a conference. Appointed as conferees: Senators Cochran, Stevens, Specter, Domenici, McConnell, Shelby, Gregg, Campbell, Craig, Byrd, Inouye, Hollings, Leahy, Harkin, Mikulski, Kohl, and Murray.
Sept. 20, 2004. Senate requested return of papers.
Sept. 30, 2004. Message received in Senate: Returned to Senate pursuant to the request of the Senate.
Sept. 30, 2004. Papers returned to Senate.
Oct. 5, 2004. Senate returned papers to House.
Oct. 7, 2004. The House disagreed to the Senate amendment, and agree to a conference.
Oct. 7, 2004. Motion made that the House instruct conferees. agreed to by a vote of 395 yeas, 16 nays.
Oct. 7, 2004. The Speaker appointed conferees: Representatives Rogers of Kentucky, Young of Florida, Wolf, Wamp, Latham, Emerson, Granger, Sweeney, Sherwood, Sabo, Price of North Carolina, Serrano, Roybal-Allard, Berry, Mollohan, and Obey.
Oct. 7, 2004. Conference held.
Oct. 9, 2004. Conference report filed in the House. H.Rept. 108-774.
Oct. 9, 2004. House agreed to the conference report by a vote of 368 yeas, 0 nays.
Oct. 9, 2004. Conference report considered in Senate.
Oct. 11, 2004. Senate agreed to the conference report by voice vote.
Oct. 13, 2004. Presented to the President.
Oct. 18, 2004. Approved. Public Law 108-334.

H.R. 4613 **June 18, 2004**

MR. LEWIS OF CALIFORNIA

Making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2005, and for other purposes.

(Rule providing for consideration of the legislation (H.Res. 683) incorporates an increase in the public debt into the text of the legislation.)

June 18, 2004. Reported to the House. H.Rept. 108-553
June 21, 2004. H.Res. 683, providing 1 hour of general debate, the previous question shall be considered as ordered without intervening motions except motion to recommit with or without instructions, the amendment printed in the report of the Committee on Rules accompanying this resolution shall be considered as adopted in the House and in the Committee of the Whole, the measure will be read by paragraph, the bill is open to amendments, and upon the adoption of this resolution it shall be in order, any rule of the House to the contrary notwithstanding, to consider concurrent resolutions providing for adjournment of the House and Senate during the month of July. H.Rept. 108-559.
June 22, 2004. H.Res. 683 passed the House by a vote of 221 yeas, 197 nays.
June 22, 2004. Passed the House, amended, by a vote of 403 yeas, 17 nays.
June 22, 2004. Motion to reconsider laid on the table agreed to without objection.
June 23, 2004. Received in the Senate.

H.R. 4818 **July 13, 2004**

MR. KOLBE

Making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2005, and for other purposes.

(Nine appropriation bills were incorporated into H.R. 4818 during Conference. The conference report included a provision which would allow appropriators and their staff to access tax returns.)

July 13, 2004. Committee on Appropriations reported an original measure. H.Rept. 108-599.
July 14, 2004. H.Res. 715, providing for 1 hour of general debate, and the previous question shall be considered as ordered without intervening motions except motion to recommit with or without instructions, and a specified amendment is in order, reported to the House. H.Rept. 108-604.
July 15, 2004. H.Res. 715 passed the House by voice vote..
July 15, 2004. Passed the House, amended, by a vote of 365 yeas, 41 nays.
Sept. 23, 2004. Laid before the Senate by unanimous consent.
Sept. 23, 2004. Senate struck all after the enacting clause and inserted the text of S. 2812 amended. Passed the Senate in lieu of S. 2812 by voice vote.
Sept. 23, 2004. Senate insisted upon its amendment, and requested a conference. The Senate appointed conferees: Senators McConnell, Specter, Gregg, Shelby, Bennett, Campbell, Bond, DeWine, Stevens, Leahy, Inouye, Harkin, Mikulski, Durbin, Johnson, Landrieu, and Byrd.
Nov. 16, 2004. The House disagreed to the Senate amendment, and agree to a conference. The Speaker appointed conferees from the Subcommittee on Foreign Operations, Export Financing, and Related Programs of the Committee on Appropriations, for consideration of the House bill and the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Kolbe, Knollenberg, Lewis of California, Wicker, Bonilla, Vitter, Kirk, Crenshaw, Lowey, Jackson of Illinois, Kilpatrick, Rothman, and Kaptur. From the Committee on Appropriations for considertaion of the House bill and the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Young of Florida, Regula, Hobson, Obey, and Visclosky.
Nov. 17, 2004. Conferees agreed to file conference report.
Nov. 20, 2004, Conference report filed in the House. H.Rept. 108-792.
Nov. 20, 2004 Conference report considered under the provisions of H. Res. 866.
Nov. 20, 2004. Conference report agreed to in the House by a vote of 344 yeas, 51 nays.
Nov. 20, 2004. The Senate agreed to the conference report by a vote of 65 yeas, 30 nays.
Nov. 20, 2004. Held at the desk.

H.R. 5025 **Sept. 8, 2004**

MR. ISTOOK

Making appropriations for the Departments of Transportation and Treasury, and independent agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2005, and for other purposes.

(Section 642 of the bill would allow debt collection by withholding federal tax refunds or garnishing Social Security benefits.)

Sept. 8, 2004 . Reported as an original measure from Appropriations Committee. H.Rept. 108-671.
Sept. 14, 2004. H.Res. 770, providing for 1 hour of general debate, and the previous question shall be considered as ordered without intervening motions except motion to recommit with or without instructions, and the bill is open to amendments, reported to the House. H.Rept. 108-686.
Sept. 14, 2004. H.Res. 770 passed the House by voice vote.
Sept. 14, 2004. Considered by the House.
Sept. 15, 2004. Considered as unfinished business.
Sept. 21, 2004. Considered as unfinished business.
Sept. 22, 2004. Considered as unfinished business.
Sept. 22, 2004. Motion to recommit with instructions failed by a vote of 201 yeas, 210 nays.
Sept. 22, 2004. Passed the House, amended, by a vote of 397 yeas, 12 nays.
Sept. 29, 2004. Received in the Senate.

H.J. Res. 2 **Jan. 7, 2003**

MR. YOUNG OF FLORIDA

Making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2003, and for other purposes.

(Referred to the House Committee on Appropriations.)

Jan. 7, 2003. H.Res. 15, providing for 1 hour of general debate, previous question shall be considered as ordered without intervening motions except motion to recommit with or without instructions; all points of order against consideration of the bill are waived, reported to House, H.Rept 108-2.
Jan. 8, 2003. H.Res. 15 passed the House by voice vote.
Jan. 8, 2003. Passed the House by voice vote.
Jan. 23, 2003. Passed the Senate, amended, by a vote of 69 yeas, 29 nays.
Jan. 23, 2003. Senate insisted upon its amendment, and requested a conference. Appointed as conferees Senators: Stevens, Cochran, Specter, Domenici, Bond, McConnell, Burns, Shelby, Gregg, Bennett, Campbell, Craig, Hutchison, DeWine, Brownback, Byrd, Inouye, Hollings, Leahy, Harkin, Mikulski, Reid, Kohl, Murray, Dorgan, Feinstein, Durbin, Johnson, and Landrieu.
Jan. 29, 2003. House disagreed to Senate amendment, and agreed to a conference. The Speaker appointed as conferees Representative: Young of Florida, Regula, Rogers of Kentucky, Wolf, Kolbe, Walsh, Taylor of North Carolina, Hobson, Istook, Bonilla, Knollenberg, Kingston, Obey, Murtha, Dicks, Sabo, Mollohan, Kaptur, Visclosky, Lowey, Serrano, and Moran of Virginia.
Feb. 4, 2003. The Speaker appointed additional conferees: Lewis of California and Hoyer.
Feb. 13, 2003. Conference report filed in the House H.Rept. 108-10.
Feb. 13, 2003. H.Res. 71, providing 1 hour of general debate, and waiving all points of order against the conference report and against its consideration, and provides that the conference report shall be considered as read, finally, it provides that upon adoption of the conference

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report the House shall be considered to have adopted H. Con. Res. 35, reported to the House. H.Rept. 108-11.
Feb. 13, 2003. H.Res. 71 passed the House by voice vote.
Feb. 13, 2003. The House agreed to the conference report by a vote of 338 yeas, 83 nays.
Feb. 13, 2003. Senate agreed to the conference report by a vote of 76 yeas, 20 nays.
Feb. 19, 2003. Presented to President.
Feb. 20, 2003. Approved. Public Law 108-7.

H.J. Res. 51 **Apr. 11, 2003**

Increasing the statutory limit on the public debt.

Apr. 11, 2003. The Chair announced that pursuant to Rule XXVII, as a result of the adoption by the House and the Senate of the conference report on H.Con. Res. 95 (Congressional Budget), H.J. Res. 51, increasing the statutory limit on the public debt, has been engrossed and is deemed to have passed the House.
Apr. 11, 2003. Received in the Senate.
May 23, 2003. Passed the Senate without amendment by a vote of 53 yeas, 44 nays.
May 27, 2003. Approved. Public Law 108-24.

H.J. Res. 63 **July 8, 2003**

MR. LEACH (BY REQUEST), MR. POMBO, MR. RAHALL, MR. HYDE, MR. LANTOS, AND MR. FALEOMAVAEGA

To approve the "Compact of Free Association, as amended between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Federated States of Micronesia," and the "Compact of Free Association, as amended between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Republic of the Marshall Islands," and otherwise to amend Public Law 99-239, and to appropriate for the purposes of amended Public Law 99-239 for fiscal years ending on or before September 30, 2023, and for other purposes.

(Referred to the Committee on International Relations, and in addition to the Committee on Resources, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker.)

(Contains tariff and import provisions under the jurisdiction of the Committee on Ways and Means.)

Sept. 4, 2003. Reported, amended, by the Committee on International Relations. H.Rept. 108-262, pt. 1.
Sept. 4, 2003. Committee on Resources granted an extension for further consideration ending not later than Sept. 15, 2003.
Sept. 4, 2003. Referred sequentially to the Committee on the Judiciary for a period ending not later than Sept. 15, 2003 for consideration of such provisions of the bill and amendment as fall within the jurisdiction of that committee pursuant to clause 1(k), rule X.
Sept. 15, 2003. Reported, amended, by the Committee on Resources. H.Rept. 108-262, pt. 2.
Sept. 15, 2003. Reported, amended, by the Committee on Judiciary. H.Rept. 108-262, pt. 3.
Oct. 28, 2003. Passed the House, under suspension of the rules, amended, by voice vote.
Nov. 6, 2003. Passed the Senate, amended, by unanimous consent.
Nov. 20, 2003. Motion made to suspend the rules and agree to the Senate amendments.
Nov. 20, 2003. The House, under suspension of the rules, agreed to the Senate amendments, by a vote of 417 yeas, 2 nays.
Dec. 17, 2003. Approved. Public Law 108-188.

H. Con. Res. 95 **Mar. 17, 2003**

MR. NUSSLE

Establishing the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 2004 and setting forth appropriate budgetary levels for fiscal years 2003 and 2005 through 2013.

Mar. 17, 2003. The Committee on the Budget reported as an original measure. H.Rept. 108-37.
Mar. 19, 2003. H.Res. 151, providing 3 hours of general debate and the previous question shall be considered as ordered without intervening motions except motion to recommit with or without instructions, and providing three hours of general debate with two hours equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on the Budget and one hour on economic goals and policies, and specifing amendments that are in order, and providing that the amendment in the nature of a substitute specified in part A of the Rules Committee report accompanying the resolution shall be considered as adopted in the House and in the Committee of the Whole, and makes in order only those amendments printed in part B of the Rules Committee report which may be offered, reported to the House. H.Rept. 108-44.
Mar. 20, 2003. H.Res. 151 passed the House.
Mar. 20, 2003. Amendment in the nature of a substitute reported by the House Committee on Rules.
Mar. 20, 2003. On agreeing to the Rules amendment, agreed to without objection.
Mar. 21, 2003. Considered as unfinished business.
Mar. 21, 2003. Passed the House by a vote of 215 yeas, 212 nays. Agreed to by the Yeas and Nays: 215 - 212 (Roll no. 82).
Mar. 21, 2003. Received in the Senate.
Mar. 26, 2003. Measure laid before Senate by unanimous consent.
Mar. 26, 2003. Senate struck all after the enacting clause and inserted the text of S. Con. Res. 23 amended. Passed Senate in lieu of S. Con. Res. 23 by unanimous consent.
Mar. 26, 2003. Senate insisted upon its amendment, and requested a conference.
Mar. 26, 2003. The Senate appointed as conferees: Senators Nickles, Domenici, Grassley, Gregg, Conrad, Hollings, and Sarbanes.
Apr. 1, 2003. The House disagree to the Senate amendment, and agree to a conference without objection.
Apr. 1, 2003. Motion that the House instruct conferees, the instructions contained in the motion seek to require the managers on the part of of the House to eliminate the reconciliation instruction to the Committee on Agriculture, the Committee on Education and the Workforce, the Committee on Energy and Commerce, the Committee on Transporation and Infrastructure, the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, and the Committee on Ways and Means contained in section 201(b) of the House resolution; (2) to recede to the Senate on section 319 (entitled "Reserve Fund to Strengthen Social Security") of the Senate amendment; and (3) to adjust the revenue levels by the amounts needed to offset the cost of the instructions set forth in paragraphs (1) and (2), without resulting in any increase in the deficit or reduction in surplus for any fiscal year covered by the resolution.
Apr. 1, 2003. On motion that the House instruct conferees agreed to by a vote of 399 yeas, 22 nays.
Apr. 1, 2003. The Speaker appointed as conferees for consideration of the House concurrent resolution and the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Nussle, Shays, and Spratt.
Apr. 10, 2003. Conference report filed H.Rept. 108-71.
Apr. 10, 2003. H.Res. 191, providing for consideration of the conference report reported to the House. H.Rept. 108-72.
Apr. 11, 2003. H.Res. 191 passed the House.
Apr. 11, 2003. House agreed to the conference report by a vote of 216 yeas, 211 nays.
Apr. 11, 2003. Senate agreed to the conference report by a vote of 51 yeas, 50 nays.

S. 1 **June 11, 2003**

MR. FRIST, MR. GRASSLEY, MR. BAUCUS, MS. SNOWE, AND MR. HATCH

To amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to make improvements in the medicare program, to provide prescription drug coverage under the medicare program, and for other purposes.

June 13, 2003. Reported amended to the Senate. No written report.
June 16, 2003. Measure laid before Senate by unanimous consent.
June 17, 18, 19, 20, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 2003. Considered by Senate.
June 27, 2003. Passed the Senate, with an amendment and an amendment to the Title by a vote of 76 yeas, 21 nays.
July 7, 2003. Senate incorporated this measure in H.R. 1 as an amendment and passed H.R. 1 in lieu of S. 1 by unanimous consent.

(See H.R. 1 for further action.)

S. 15 **Mar. 11, 2003**

MR. GREGG, MR. FRIST, MR. ALEXANDER, MR. WARNER, MR. ENZI, MR. SESSIONS, MR. ROBERTS, MR. GRAHAM OF SOUTH CAROLINA, MR. BOND, MR. INHOFE, MR. STEVENS, AND MR. FITZGERALD

To amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for the payment of compensation for certain individuals with injuries resulting from the administration of smallpox countermeasures, to provide protections and countermeasures against chemical, radiological, or nuclear agents that may be used in a terrorist attack against the United States, and to improve immunization rates by increasing the distribution of vaccines and improving and clarifying the vaccine injury compensation program.

(Section 9 of the bill provides for application of Section 1867 of the Social Security Act, known as the Examination and Treatment for Emergency Medical Conditions and Women In Labor Act. Section 9 allows hospitals and other providers to transfer unstable patients during a declared emergency period or pursuant to a state emergency preparedness plan by waiving hospital requirements under Medicare.)

March 19, 2003. Committee on Health, Education, Labor and Pensions ordered reported with an amendment in the nature of a substitute.
March 25, 2003. Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions reported, with an amendment, without a written report.
May 19, 2004. Passed the Senate, with an amendment and an amendment to the title, by a vote of 99 yeas, 0 nays.
May 20, 2004. Received in the House.
July 14, 2004. Considered in the House by unanimous consent, and passed by a vote of 414 yeas, 2 nays.
July 21. Approved Public Law 108-276.

S. 23 **Jan. 7, 2003**

MR. FITZGERALD, MRS. CLINTON, MR. NICKLES, MRS. CANTWELL, MR. SPECTER, MR. KENNEDY, MS. COLLINS, MR. DASCHLE, MR. GREGG, MR. DURBIN, MR. GRASSLEY, MR. SARBANES, MRS. BOXER, MR. SCHUMER, MR. BAUCUS, MR. BAYH, MS. MIKULSKI, MRS. MURRAY, AND MR. NELSON OF FLORIDA

To provide for a 5-month extension of the Temporary Extended Unemployment Compensation Act of 2002 and for a transition period for individuals receiving compensation when the program under such Act ends.

Jan. 7, 2003. Passed the Senate by unanimous consent.
Jan. 7, 2003. Received in the House.
Jan. 7, 2003. H.Res. 14, providing 1 hour of general debate, previous question shall be considered as ordered without intervening motions except motion to recommit with or without instructions; waives all points of order against consideration of the bill; measure will be considered read and is closed to amendments, reported to House. H.Rept. 108-1.
Jan. 8, 2003. H.Res. 14 passed the House by voice vote.
Jan. 8, 2003. Motion to commit with instructions to Ways and Means failed by a vote of 202 yeas, 224 nays.
Jan. 8, 2003. Passed the House by a vote of 416 yeas, 4 nays.
Jan. 8, 2003. Approved. Public Law 108-1.

S. 671 **Mar. 20, 2003**

MR. GRASSLEY

To amend the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States to modify temporarily certain rates of duty, to make other technical amendments to the trade laws, and for other purposes.

Mar. 20, 2003. Senate Committee on Finance reported an original measure. S. Rept. 108-28.
Mar. 4, 2004. Senate incorporated this measure in H.R. 1047 as an amendment and passed H.R. 1047 in lieu by unanimous consent.

(See H.R. 1047 for further action.)

S. Con. Res. 95 **Mar. 5, 2004**

MR. NICKLES

Setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 2005 and including the appropriate budgetary levels for fiscal years 2006 through 2009.

Mar. 5, 2004. Senate Committee on the Budget reported an original measure, no written report filed.
Mar. 12, 2004. Passed the Senate, amended, by a vote of 51 yeas, 45 nays.
Mar. 16, 2004. Received in the House.
Mar. 29, 2004. The House considered by unanimous consent.
Mar. 29, 2004. The House struck all after the enacting clause and inserted in lieu thereof the provisions of a similar measure H.Con.Res. 383.
Mar. 29, 2004. The House agreed to the resolution without objection.
Mar. 30, 2004. The House insist upon its amendment, and request a conference.
Mar. 30, 2004. Motion that the House instruct conferees, instructions contained in the motion seek to require the managers on the part of the House to agree to the pay-as-you-go enforcement provisions within the scope of the conference regarding direct spending increases and tax cuts in the House and Senate. In complying with this instruction, such managers shall be instructed to recede to the Senate on the provisions contained in section 408 of the Senate concurrent resolution (relating to pay-as-you-go point of order regarding all legislation increasing the deficit as a result of spending increases and tax cuts), failed by a vote of 209 yeas, 209 nays.
Mar. 30, 2004. The Speaker appointed conferees for consideration of the Senate concurrent resolution and the House amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Representatives Nussle, Portman, and Spratt.
Mar. 31, 2004. The Senate disagreed to the House amendment and agreed to a conference. The Senate appointed conferees: Senators Nickles, Domenici, Grassley, Gregg, Conrad, Hollings, and Sarbanes.
Mar. 31, 2004 Conference held.
May 5, 2004. Motion that the House instruct conferees, the instructions contained in the motion seek to require the managers on the part of the House to agree to the pay-as-you-go enforcement provisions within the scope of the conference regarding direct spending increases and tax cuts in the House and Senate by receding to the Senate on the provisions contained in section 408 of the Senate concurrent resolution (relating to the pay-as-you-go point of order regarding all legislation increasing the deficit a a result of direct spending increases and tax cuts), failed by a vote of 208 yeas, 215 nays.
May 11, 2004. Motion that the House instruct conferees failed by a vote of 207 yeas, 211 nays.

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May 18, 2004. Motion that the House instruct conferees. the instructions contained in the motion seek to require the managers on the part of the House to, within the scope of the conference, reject provisions that provide for an increase in the statutory debt limit, failed by voice vote.

May 19, 2004. Conference report filed in the House. H.Rept. 108-498.

May 19, 2004. H.Res. 649, providing for consideration of the conference report to S.Con.Res. 95 with 1 hour of general debate, and upon adoption in the House of the conference report, and until a concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 2005 has been adopted by the Congress the provisions of the conference report and its joint explanatory statement shall have force and effect in the House and for purposes for title III of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974, the conference report shall be considered adopted by the Congress. Nothing in this section may be construed to engage rule XXVII, reported to the House. H.Rept. 108-500.

May 19, 2004. H.Res. 649 passed the House by a vote of 220 yeas, 204 nays.

May 19, 2004. The House agreed to the conference report by a vote of 216 yeas, 213 nays.