

LUGO, Mr. SCHAEFER, Ms. HORN, Mr. FAZIO, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. KOSTMAYER, Mr. McMILLEN of Maryland, Mr. ESPY, Mrs. PATTERSON, Mrs. UNSOELD, Mr. McGRATH, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. VOLKMER, Mr. BUSTAMANTE, Mr. GUARINI, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. TOWNS, Mrs. BENTLEY, Mr. DICKS, Mr. OWENS of Utah, Mr. TRAXLER, Mr. WOLF, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. BLILEY, Mr. RITTER, Mr. SAVAGE, Mr. PETERSON of Florida, Mr. FLAKE, Mr. COX of Illinois, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. WASHINGTON, Mr. MILLER of Washington, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. MFUME, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. DWYER of New Jersey, Mr. SOLARZ, Mr. DONNELLY, Mr. ECKART, Mr. GILCHREST, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. MAVROULES, Mr. BROOMFIELD, Mr. BREWSTER, Mr. STUDDS, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. HAMILTON, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. HATCHER, Mr. EDWARDS of Texas, Mr. GUNDERSON, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. ROBERTS, Mr. MILLER of Ohio, Mr. LAGOMARSINO, Mr. GALLO, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. ANDREWS of New Jersey, Mr. SWETT, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. ROWLAND, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. TORRICELLI, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. CHANDLER, Mr. MARTIN, Mr. LEVINE of California, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. REED, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. MOORHEAD, Mr. DICKINSON, Ms. SLAUGHTER of New York, Mr. McDADE, Mr. BLAZ, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. NOWAK, Mr. REGULA, Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Mr. CRANE, Mr. KLUG, Ms. COLLINS of Michigan, Mrs. BOXER, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, and Mr. HUBBARD.

- H. Con. Res. 177: Ms. PELOSI.
- H. Con. Res. 180: Mrs. UNSOELD.
- H. Con. Res. 182: Mr. ROWLAND and Mr. SANGMEISTER.
- H. Con. Res. 220: Mr. MRAZEK, Mr. KOPETSKI, Mr. ROYBAL, Mr. PENNY, Mr. WHEAT, Mr. PERKINS, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. FAZIO, Mr. JOHNSTON of Florida, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. HAYES of Illinois, Mr. SAVAGE, and Mr. WASHINGTON.
- H. Con. Res. 224: Mr. AUCOIN and Ms. SLAUGHTER.
- H. Con. Res. 227: Mr. EVANS.
- H. Con. Res. 232: Mr. BILBRAY.
- H. Con. Res. 233: Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. VOLKMER, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. SENBRENNER, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. MORAN, Mr. WOLF, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. ROHRBACHER, and Mr. STUMP.
- H. Con. Res. 236: Mr. PANETTA, Mr. KOPETSKI, and Mr. DEFAZIO.
- H. Con. Res. 245: Mr. SMITH of Florida and Mr. SANDERS.
- H. Con. Res. 257: Mr. BAKER, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. EMERSON, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. HORTON, Mr. KOLTER, Mr. STARK, Mr. STUDDS, and Mr. DE LUGO.
- H. Con. Res. 263: Mr. LAGOMARSINO, Mr. VENTO, Mr. TORRES, and Mr. DELLUMS.
- H. Res. 155: Mr. OWENS of Utah, Mr. LANCASTER, Mr. CAMPBELL of Colorado, and Mr. McCLOSKEY.
- H. Res. 302: Mr. DEFAZIO and Mr. KLECZKA.

8.27 DELETIONS OF SPONSORS FROM PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, sponsors were deleted from public bills and resolutions as follows:

- H.R. 4046: Mr. LEWIS of Florida.
- H.J. Res. 323: Mr. MCCURDY.

8.28 PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 1 of rule XXII,

139. The SPEAKER presented a petition of the Western Governors' Association, Denver, CO, relative to the Department of the Interior inspector general audit authority; which was referred to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1992 (9)

9.1 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The House was called to order by the SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. HOYER, who laid before the House the following communication:

WASHINGTON, DC,
February 5, 1992.

I hereby designate the Honorable STENY H. HOYER to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

THOMAS S. FOLEY,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

9.2 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. HOYER, announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Tuesday, February 4, 1992.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal was approved.

9.3 COMMUNICATIONS

Executive and other communications, pursuant to clause 2, rule XXIV, were referred as follows:

2792. A letter from the Director, Office of Management and Budget and Director, Congressional Budget Office, transmitting a joint report containing the technical assumptions to be used in preparing estimates of national defense function outlays for fiscal year 1993, pursuant to Public Law 102-190, section 1002(b); to the Committee on Armed Services.

2793. A letter from the Director, National Institutes of Health, transmitting a copy of the 14th annual report of National Institutes of Health Program in Biomedical and Behavioral Nutrition Research and Training for fiscal year 1990, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 288b(c); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2794. A letter from the Deputy Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, transmitting the Department of the Air Forces's proposed lease of defense articles to Australia (Transmittal No. 06-92), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2796a(a); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

2795. A letter from the Administration, General Services Administration, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to improve the acquisition system; to the Committee on Government Operations.

2796. A letter from the Deputy Associate Director for Collection and Disbursement, Department of the Interior, transmitting notice of proposed refunds of excess royalty payments in OCS areas, pursuant to 43 U.S.C. 1339(b); to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs.

2797. A letter from the Deputy Associate Director for Collection and Disbursement, Department of the Interior, transmitting notice of proposed refunds of excess royalty payments in OCS areas, pursuant to 43 U.S.C. 1339(b); to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs.

2798. A letter from the Chief Justice, Supreme Court of the United States, transmitting a copy of the report of the Proceedings of the Judicial Conference of the United States held on September 23-24, 1991, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. 331; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

2799. A letter from the Adjutant General, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, transmitting the financial audit for the fiscal year ended August 31, 1991, together with the auditor's opinion, pursuant to 36 U.S.C. 1101(47), 1103; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

2800. A letter from the Comptroller General, General Accounting Office, transmit-

ting the results of the audit of the Export-Import Bank of the United States' financial statements as of September 30, 1990 and 1989, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 9106(a); jointly, to the Committees on Government Operations and Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs.

9.4 MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Mr. Hallen, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate had passed with amendment a bill of the House of the following title:

H.R. 4095. An Act to increase the number of weeks for which benefits are payable under the Emergency Unemployment Compensation Act of 1991, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that the Senate had passed a bill of the following title, in which the concurrence of the House is requested.

S. 2184. An Act to establish the Morris K. Udall Scholarship and Excellence in National Environmental Policy Foundation, and for other purposes.

9.5 PRIVILEGES OF THE HOUSE

Mr. GEPHARDT rose to a question of the privileges of the House and submitted the following resolution (H. Res. 340):

Whereas recent press accounts have recited allegations involving the Office of the Postmaster: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Committee on House Administration shall conduct a thorough investigation of the operation and management of the Office of the Postmaster and report its findings and recommendations back to the House as soon as may be practicable, but in no event later than May 30, 1992.

When said resolution was considered. After debate,

On motion of Mr. GEPHARDT, the previous question was ordered on the resolution to its adoption or rejection.

The question being put, viva voce, Will the House now order the previous question?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. MURTHA, announced that the yeas had it.

Mr. LEWIS of California objected to the vote on the ground that a quorum was not present and not voting.

A quorum not being present, The roll was called under clause 4, rule XV, and the call was taken by electronic device.

When there appeared

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| { | Yeas | 253 |
| | Nays | 162 |

9.6 [Roll No. 5] YEAS—253

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| Ackerman | Bonior | Condit |
| Alexander | Borski | Conyers |
| Anderson | Boucher | Cooper |
| Andrews (ME) | Boxer | Costello |
| Andrews (NJ) | Brewster | Cox (IL) |
| Andrews (TX) | Brooks | Coyne |
| Annunzio | Browder | Cramer |
| Anthony | Brown | Darden |
| Applegate | Bruce | de la Garza |
| Aspin | Bryant | DeFazio |
| Atkins | Bustamante | DeLauro |
| AuCoin | Byron | Dellums |
| Bacchus | Campbell (CO) | Derrick |
| Barnard | Cardin | Dicks |
| Beilenson | Carper | Dingell |
| Bennett | Carr | Dixon |
| Berman | Chapman | Donnelly |
| Bevill | Clement | Dooley |
| Bilbray | Collins (IL) | Dorgan (ND) |

Downey
Durbin
Dwyer
Early
Eckart
Edwards (TX)
Engel
English
Erdreich
Espy
Evans
Fascell
Fazio
Feighan
Flake
Foglietta
Ford (MI)
Ford (TN)
Frank (MA)
Frost
Gejdenson
Gephardt
Geren
Gibbons
Glickman
Gonzalez
Gordon
Guarini
Hall (OH)
Hall (TX)
Hamilton
Harris
Hatcher
Hayes (IL)
Hayes (LA)
Hefner
Hertel
Hoagland
Hochbrueckner
Horn
Hoyer
Hubbard
Huckaby
Hughes
Jefferson
Jenkins
Johnson (SD)
Johnston
Jones (GA)
Jones (NC)
Jontz
Kanjorski
Kaptur
Kennedy
Kennelly
Kildee
Klecza
Kopetski
Kostmayer
LaFalce
Lancaster
LaRocco
Laughlin
Lehman (CA)
Lehman (FL)

Levin (MI)
Lewis (GA)
Lipinski
Lloyd
Long
Lowey (NY)
Luken
Manton
Martinez
Matsui
Mavroules
Mazzoli
McCloskey
McCurdy
McDermott
McHugh
McMillen (MD)
McNulty
Mfume
Miller (CA)
Mineta
Mink
Moakley
Mollohan
Montgomery
Moody
Moran
Murphy
Murtha
Nagle
Natcher
Neal (MA)
Neal (NC)
Nowak
Oakar
Oberstar
Obey
Olin
Olver
Ortiz
Orton
Owens (NY)
Owens (UT)
Pallone
Panetta
Parker
Pastor
Patterson
Payne (NJ)
Payne (VA)
Pease
Pelosi
Penny
Perkins
Peterson (FL)
Peterson (MN)
Pickett
Pickle
Poshard
Price
Rahall
Rangel
Ray
Reed
Richardson

Roe
Roemer
Rose
Rostenkowski
Rowland
Roybal
Russo
Sabo
Sanders
Sangmeister
Saralius
Savage
Sawyer
Scheuer
Schroeder
Schumer
Serrano
Sharp
Sikorski
Sisisky
Skaggs
Skelton
Slattery
Slaughter
Smith (FL)
Smith (IA)
Solarz
Spratt
Staggers
Stallings
Stark
Stokes
Studds
Swift
Synar
Tallon
Tanner
Tauzin
Taylor (MS)
Thornton
Torres
Torricelli
Towns
Traficant
Traxler
Unsoeld
Valentine
Vento
Visclosky
Volkmer
Washington
Waxman
Weiss
Wheat
Williams
Wilson
Wise
Wyden
Yates
Yatron

Michel
Miller (OH)
Molinari
Moorhead
Morella
Myers
Nichols
Nussle
Oxley
Packard
Paxon
Petri
Porter
Pursell
Quillen
Ramstad
Ravenel
Regula
Rhodes
Ridge
Riggs

Rinaldo
Ritter
Roberts
Rogers
Rohrabacher
Ros-Lehtinen
Roth
Roukema
Santorum
Saxton
Schaefer
Schiff
Schulze
Sensenbrenner
Shaw
Shays
Shuster
Skeen
Smith (NJ)
Smith (OR)
Smith (TX)

Snowe
Solomon
Spence
Stearns
Stump
Sundquist
Taylor (NC)
Thomas (WY)
Upton
Vander Jagt
Vucanovich
Walker
Walsh
Weber
Weldon
Wolf
Wylie
Young (AK)
Young (FL)
Zeliff
Zimmer

Manton
Martinez
Matsui
Mavroules
Mazzoli
McCloskey
McCurdy
McDermott
McHugh
McMillen (MD)
McNulty
Mfume
Miller (CA)
Mineta
Mink
Moakley
Mollohan
Montgomery
Moody
Moran
Murphy
Murtha
Nagle
Natcher
Neal (MA)
Neal (NC)
Nowak
Oakar
Oberstar
Obey
Olin
Olver
Ortiz
Orton
Owens (NY)
Owens (UT)
Pallone
Panetta
Parker
Pastor
Patterson

Payne (NJ)
Payne (VA)
Pease
Pelosi
Penny
Perkins
Peterson (FL)
Peterson (MN)
Pickett
Pickle
Poshard
Price
Rahall
Rangel
Ray
Reed
Richardson
Roe
Roemer
Rose
Rostenkowski
Rowland
Roybal
Russo
Sabo
Sanders
Sangmeister
Saralius
Savage
Sawyer
Scheuer
Schroeder
Schumer
Serrano
Sharp
Sikorski
Sisisky
Skaggs
Skelton
Slattery
Slaughter

Smith (FL)
Smith (IA)
Solarz
Spratt
Staggers
Stallings
Stark
Stenholm
Stokes
Studds
Sweet
Swift
Synar
Tallon
Tanner
Tauzin
Taylor (MS)
Thornton
Torres
Torricelli
Towns
Traficant
Traxler
Unsoeld
Valentine
Vento
Visclosky
Volkmer
Washington
Waxman
Weiss
Wheat
Williams
Wilson
Wise
Wolpe
Wyden
Yates
Yatron
Young (FL)

NOT VOTING—19

Clay Johnson (TX) Mrazek
Coleman (TX) Kolter Thomas (CA)
Dannemeyer Lantos Thomas (GA)
Dymally Levine (CA) Waters
Edwards (CA) Markey Whitten
Gaydos Miller (WA)
Hutto Morrison

So the previous question on the resolution was ordered.

The question being put, viva voce, Will the House agree to said resolution?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. MURTHA, announced that the yeas had it.

Mr. GEPHARDT demanded that the vote be taken by the yeas and nays, which demand was supported by one-fifth of the Members present, so the yeas and nays were ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the affirmative { Yeas 254
Nays 160

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[Roll No. 6]
YEAS—254

NAYS—162
Allard
Allen
Archer
Armey
Baker
Ballenger
Barrett
Barton
Bateman
Bentley
Bereuter
Bilirakis
Bliley
Boehlert
Boehner
Broomfield
Bunning
Burton
Callahan
Camp
Campbell (CA)
Chandler
Clinger
Coble
Coleman (MO)
Combest
Coughlin
Cox (CA)
Crane
Cunningham
Davis
DeLay
Dickinson

Doolittle
Dornan (CA)
Dreier
Duncan
Edwards (OK)
Emerson
Ewing
Fawell
Fields
Fish
Franks (CT)
Gallegly
Gallo
Gekas
Gilchrest
Gillmor
Gingrich
Goodling
Goss
Gradison
Grandy
Green
Gunderson
Hammerschmidt
Hancock
Hansen
Cox (CA)
Hastert
Hefley
Henry
Herger
Hobson
Holloway

Abercrombie
Ackerman
Alexander
Anderson
Andrews (ME)
Andrews (NJ)
Andrews (TX)
Annunzio
Anthony
Applegate
Aspin
Atkins
Aucoin
Bacchus
Barnard
Beilenson
Bennett
Berman
Bevill
Bilbray
Blackwell
Bonior
Borski
Boucher
Boxer
Brewster
Brooks
Browder
Brown
Bruce
Bryant
Bustamante
Byron
Campbell (CO)
Cardin
Carper
Carr
Chapman
Clement
Collins (IL)
Collins (MI)
Condit
Conyers
Cooper

Costello
Cox (IL)
Coyne
Cramer
Darden
de la Garza
DeFazio
DeLauro
Dellums
Derrick
Dicks
Dingell
Dixon
Donnelly
Dooley
Dorgan (ND)
Downey
Durbin
Dwyer
Early
Eckart
Edwards (TX)
Engel
Jontz
English
Erdreich
Espy
Evans
Fascell
Fazio
Feighan
Flake
Foglietta
Ford (MI)
Ford (TN)
Frank (MA)
Gejdenson
Gephardt
Geren
Gibbons
Glickman
Gonzalez
Gordon
Guarini
Hall (OH)

Hall (TX)
Hamilton
Harris
Hatcher
Hayes (IL)
Hayes (LA)
Hefner
Hertel
Hoagland
Hochbrueckner
Horn
Hoyer
Hubbard
Huckaby
Hughes
Jacobs
Jefferson
Jenkins
Johnson (SD)
Johnston
Jones (GA)
Jones (NC)
Jontz
Kanjorski
Kaptur
Kennedy
Kennelly
Kildee
Klecza
Kopetski
Kostmayer
LaFalce
Lancaster
LaRocco
Laughlin
Lehman (CA)
Lehman (FL)
Levin (MI)
Lewis (GA)
Lipinski
Lloyd
Long
Lowey (NY)
Luken

NAYS—160
Allard
Allen
Archer
Armey
Baker
Ballenger
Barton
Bateman
Bentley
Bereuter
Bilirakis
Bliley
Boehlert
Boehner
Broomfield
Bunning
Burton
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Campbell (CA)
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Petri
Porter
Pursell
Quillen
Ramstad
Ravenel
Regula
Rhodes
Hobson
Holloway
Hopkins
Horton
Houghton
Hunter
Hyde
Inhofe
Ireland
James
Johnson (CT)
Kasich
Klug
Kolbe
Kyl
Lagomarsino
Leach
Lent
Lewis (CA)
Lewis (FL)
Lightfoot
Livingston
Lowery (CA)
Machtley
Marlenee
Martin
McCandless
McCollum
McCrery
McDade
McEwen
McGrath
McMillan (NC)
Meyers
Michel
Miller (OH)
Miller (WA)
Molinari
Moorhead
Morella
Myers
Nichols
Nussle
Oxley
Packard

NOT VOTING—20

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| Barrett | Gaydos | Morrison |
| Clay | Hutto | Mrazek |
| Coleman (TX) | Johnson (TX) | Thomas (CA) |
| Dannemeyer | Kolter | Thomas (GA) |
| Dymally | Lantos | Waters |
| Edwards (CA) | Levine (CA) | Whitten |
| Frost | Markey | |

So the resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said resolution was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

9.8 PRIVILEGES OF THE HOUSE

Mr. LEWIS of California rose to a question of the privileges of the House and submitted the following resolution (H. Res. 341):

Resolved, That (a)(1) there is created a Select Committee to Investigate Allegations Concerning the House Post Office (hereinafter referred to as the "select committee"), to be composed of 10 members, 5 to be appointed by the Speaker and 5 by the minority leader, with each designating a cochairman from his 5 appointments. Any reference in this resolution to action taken by the cochairmen shall require the agreement of both cochairmen. Any vacancy occurring in the membership of the select committee shall be filled in the same manner in which the original appointment was made.

(2) The select committee shall conduct a full and complete investigation and study, and make such findings as are warranted, respecting the following allegations and matters:

(A) Theft of Post Office moneys or property by Post Office employees.

(B) Use or distribution of illegal drugs by Post Office employees.

(C) Coverup of improper or illegal conduct of Post Office employees by their supervisors or other superiors.

(D) Conduct of Members of the House in their dealings with the Post Office.

(E) Oversight of Post Office accounts and activities by existing committees of the House or entities responsible for the same.

(F) All matters related, directly or indirectly, to subparagraphs (A) through (E).

(3) The select committee shall make recommendations to the Speaker and minority leader regarding the implementation of an improved system of oversight to prevent the repetition of improper or illegal conduct in funds.

(4) The select committee shall report to the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct evidence of improper or illegal conduct it finds by any Member, officer, or employee of the House.

(b) One-third of the members of the select committee shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business other than the reporting of a matter, which shall require a majority of the select committee to be actually present, except that the select committee may designate a lesser number, but not less than two, as a quorum for the purpose of holding hearings to take testimony. The select committee may sit while the House is reading a measure for amendment under the five-minute rule. The rules of the House shall govern the select committee where not inconsistent with this resolution. The select committee shall adopt additional written rules, which shall be public, to govern its procedures, which shall not be inconsistent with this resolution or the rules of the House. Such rules may govern the conduct of the depositions, interviews, and hearings of the select committee, including the persons present. Such rules shall provide for the protection of classified information from unauthorized disclosure.

(c) The select committee is authorized to sit and act during the present Congress at such times and places within the United States, whether the House is in session, has recessed, or has adjourned; and to require, by subpoena or otherwise, the attendance and testimony of such witnesses, the furnishing of information by interrogatory, and the production of such books, records, correspondence, memoranda, papers, documents, vouchers, audit reports, calendars, recordings, data compilations from which information can be obtained, tangible objects, and other things and information of any kind as it deems necessary. Unless otherwise determined by the select committee, the cochairmen, or the select committee shall authorize and issue subpoenas. Subpoenas shall be issued under the seal of the House and attested by the Clerk, and may be served by any person designated by the cochairmen or any member. The select committee may request investigations, reports, and other assistance from any agency of the legislative branch of the Federal Government.

(d) The select committee shall determine a method whereby each cochairman shall preside at alternate meetings and hearings of the select committee. All meetings and hearings of the select committee shall be conducted in open session, unless a majority of members of the select committee voting, there being in attendance a majority of select committee members, vote to close a meeting or hearing.

(e) The cochairmen, may employ and fix the compensation of such clerks, experts, consultants, technicians, attorneys, investigators, and clerical and stenographic assistants as they consider necessary to carry out the purposes of this resolution. The select committee shall be deemed a committee of the House for all purposes of law. The select committee may reimburse the members of its staff for travel, subsistence, and other necessary expenses incurred by them in the performance of the duties vested in the select committee, other than expenses in connection with meetings of the select committee held in the District of Columbia.

(f) Unless otherwise determined by the select committee, the cochairmen may authorize the taking of affidavits and of depositions pursuant to notice or subpoena by at least 2 Members, under oath administered by a Member or a person otherwise authorized by law to administer oaths. Depositions shall be deemed to be taken in executive session.

(g) The select committee shall be authorized to respond to any judicial or other process, or to make any applications to court, upon consultation with the Speaker consistent with rule L.

(h) The select committee shall provide other committees and Members of the House with access to information and proceedings, consistent with rule XLVIII(7)(c). However, the select committee may direct that particular matters or classes of matter shall not be made available to any person by its members, staff, or others, or may impose any other restriction.

(i) By July 1, 1992, the select committee shall report to the House the status of its investigation. With respect to this and any other report of the select committee, including its final report, which shall be reported to the House by September 1, 1992, the report may be accompanied by supplemental, additional, or minority views.

(j) The select committee shall take no action that would impede any criminal investigation or proceeding instituted by the United States Attorney General or other Federal agency or entity.

(k) At the conclusion of the existence of the select committee all records of the select committee shall become the records of the Clerk.

Mr. GEPHARDT moved to lay the resolution on the table.

The question being put, *viva voce*, Will the House lay the resolution on the table?

The SPEAKER *pro tempore*, Mr. MURTHA, announced that the yeas had it.

Mr. LEWIS of California demanded a recorded vote on laying the resolution on the table, which demand was supported by one-fifth of a quorum, so a recorded vote was ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the affirmative { Yeas 250
Nays 161

9.9 [Roll No. 7]

AYES—250

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| Abercrombie | Ford (TN) | Moran |
| Ackerman | Frank (MA) | Murphy |
| Alexander | Frost | Murtha |
| Anderson | Cejdenson | Nagle |
| Andrews (ME) | Gephardt | Natcher |
| Andrews (NJ) | Geren | Neal (MA) |
| Andrews (TX) | Gibbons | Neal (NC) |
| Annunzio | Glickman | Nowak |
| Anthony | Gonzalez | Oakar |
| Applegate | Gordon | Oberstar |
| Aspin | Guarini | Obey |
| Atkins | Hall (OH) | Olin |
| AuCoin | Hall (TX) | Olver |
| Bacchus | Hamilton | Ortiz |
| Barnard | Harris | Orton |
| Beilenson | Hatcher | Owens (NY) |
| Berman | Hayes (IL) | Owens (UT) |
| Bevill | Hayes (LA) | Pallone |
| Bilbray | Hefner | Panetta |
| Blackwell | Hertel | Parker |
| Bonior | Hoagland | Pastor |
| Borski | Hochbrueckner | Patterson |
| Boucher | Horn | Payne (NJ) |
| Boxer | Hoyer | Payne (VA) |
| Brewster | Hubbard | Pease |
| Brooks | Huckaby | Pelosi |
| Browder | Hughes | Penny |
| Brown | Jacobs | Perkins |
| Bruce | Jefferson | Peterson (FL) |
| Bryant | Jenkins | Peterson (MN) |
| Bustamante | Johnson (SD) | Pickett |
| Byron | Johnston | Pickle |
| Campbell (CO) | Jones (GA) | Poshard |
| Cardin | Jones (NC) | Price |
| Carper | Jontz | Rahall |
| Chapman | Kanjorski | Rangel |
| Clement | Kaptur | Ray |
| Collins (IL) | Kennedy | Reed |
| Collins (MI) | Kennelly | Richardson |
| Condit | Kildee | Roe |
| Conyers | Kleczka | Roemer |
| Cooper | Kopetski | Rose |
| Costello | Kostmayer | Rostenkowski |
| Cox (IL) | LaFalce | Rowland |
| Coyne | Lancaster | Roybal |
| Cramer | LaRocco | Russo |
| Darden | Laughlin | Sabo |
| de la Garza | Lehman (CA) | Sanders |
| DeFazio | Lehman (FL) | Sangmeister |
| DeLauro | Levin (MI) | Sarpaluis |
| Dellums | Lewis (GA) | Savage |
| Derrick | Lipinski | Sawyer |
| Dicks | Lloyd | Scheuer |
| Dingell | Long | Schroeder |
| Dixon | Lowe (NY) | Schumer |
| Donnelly | Luken | Serrano |
| Dooley | Manton | Sharp |
| Dorgan (ND) | Martinez | Sikorski |
| Downey | Matsui | Sisisky |
| Durbin | Mavroules | Skaggs |
| Dwyer | Mazzoli | Skelton |
| Early | McCloskey | Slattery |
| Eckart | McCurdy | Slaughter |
| Edwards (TX) | McDermott | Smith (FL) |
| Engel | McHugh | Smith (IA) |
| English | McMillen (MD) | Solarz |
| Erdreich | McNulty | Spratt |
| Espy | Mfume | Staggers |
| Evans | Miller (CA) | Stallings |
| Fascell | Mink | Stark |
| Fazio | Moakley | Stenholm |
| Feighan | Mollohan | Stokes |
| Flake | Montgomery | Studds |
| Foglietta | Moody | Swett |

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| Swift | Traficant | Wheat |
| Synar | Traxler | Williams |
| Tallon | Unsold | Wilson |
| Tanner | Valentine | Wise |
| Tauzin | Vento | Wolpe |
| Taylor (MS) | Visclosky | Wyden |
| Thornton | Volkmer | Yates |
| Torres | Washington | Yatron |
| Torrice | Waxman | |
| Towns | Weiss | |

NOES—161

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|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Allard | Gradison | Packard |
| Allen | Grandy | Paxon |
| Archer | Green | Petri |
| Armey | Gunderson | Porter |
| Baker | Hammerschmidt | Quillen |
| Ballenger | Hancock | Ramstad |
| Barrett | Hansen | Ravenel |
| Barton | Hastert | Regula |
| Bateman | Hefley | Rhodes |
| Bennett | Henry | Ridge |
| Bentley | Herger | Riggs |
| Bereuter | Hobson | Rinaldo |
| Bilirakis | Holloway | Ritter |
| Bliley | Hopkins | Roberts |
| Boehlert | Horton | Rogers |
| Boehner | Houghton | Rohrabacher |
| Broomfield | Hunter | Ros-Lehtinen |
| Bunning | Hyde | Roth |
| Burton | Inhofe | Roukema |
| Callahan | Ireland | Santorum |
| Camp | James | Saxton |
| Campbell (CA) | Johnson (CT) | Schaefer |
| Chandler | Kasich | Schiff |
| Clinger | Klug | Schulze |
| Coble | Kolbe | Sensenbrenner |
| Coleman (MO) | Kyl | Shaw |
| Combust | Lagomarsino | Shays |
| Coughlin | Leach | Shuster |
| Cox (CA) | Lent | Skeen |
| Crane | Lewis (CA) | Smith (NJ) |
| Cunningham | Lewis (FL) | Smith (OR) |
| Davis | Livingston | Smith (TX) |
| DeLay | Lowery (CA) | Snowe |
| Dickinson | Machtley | Solomon |
| Doolittle | Marlenee | Spence |
| Dornan (CA) | Martin | Stearns |
| Dreier | McCandless | Stump |
| Duncan | McCollum | Sundquist |
| Edwards (OK) | McCrery | Taylor (NC) |
| Emerson | McDade | Thomas (WY) |
| Ewing | McEwen | Upton |
| Fawell | McGrath | Vander Jagt |
| Fields | McMillan (NC) | Vucanovich |
| Fish | Meyers | Walker |
| Franks (CT) | Michel | Walsh |
| Gallegly | Miller (OH) | Weber |
| Gallo | Miller (WA) | Weldon |
| Gekas | Molinari | Wolf |
| Gilchrist | Moorhead | Wylie |
| Gillmor | Morella | Young (AK) |
| Gilman | Myers | Young (FL) |
| Gingrich | Nichols | Zeliff |
| Goodling | Nussle | Zimmer |
| Goss | Oxley | |

NOT VOTING—23

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| Carr | Hutto | Morrison |
| Clay | Johnson (TX) | Mrazek |
| Coleman (TX) | Kolter | Pursell |
| Dannemeyer | Lantos | Thomas (CA) |
| Dymally | Levine (CA) | Thomas (GA) |
| Edwards (CA) | Lightfoot | Waters |
| Ford (MI) | Markey | Whitten |
| Gaydos | Mineta | |

So the motion to lay the resolution on the table was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said motion was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

19.10 PRIVILEGES OF THE HOUSE

Mr. MCEWEN rose to a question of the privileges of the House and submitted the following resolution (H. Res. 342):

Whereas on January 10, 1992, the chief counsel of the House Committee on Foreign Affairs wrote to the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of New York requesting leniency in the sentencing of Mr. Dirk Stoffberg, a convicted arms dealer, on grounds that he had provided the committee

with evidence regarding the so-called "October Surprise;"

Whereas the chief counsel's letter was sent on committee letterhead purporting to be on behalf of the "House Committee on Foreign Affairs . . . in an ongoing investigation;"

Whereas the U.S. District Court consequently granted the request for a reduced sentence on grounds that, "Comity between independent branches of government suggests the desirability of assisting Congress in its important work where there is no strong conflict with a court's other sentencing responsibilities;"

Whereas the Federal District judge further indicated in his sentencing "Memorandum and Order" that, "were it not for the intervention of Congress," the defendant would have been sentenced to a longer term of imprisonment "because he threatened violence during the course of his criminal activity;"

Whereas neither the House, the Committee on Foreign Affairs nor any subcommittee thereof has ever authorized an investigation into the "October Surprise" allegations;

Whereas the House Bipartisan Legal Advisory Group has not authorized any intervention in the sentencing proceeding on behalf of the House or any of its committees;

Whereas at the time the chief counsel's letter was submitted to the U.S. District Court a resolution authorizing a special task force investigation into the "October Surprise" allegations was still pending in the House and had not yet been acted upon;

Whereas the misrepresentations of the position of the House and its committees in a judicial proceeding by an employee affects the rights of the House collectively, its dignity, and the integrity of its proceedings, and thereby raised a question of the privileges of the House under Rule IX: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the House Bipartisan Legal Advisory Group (consisting of the Speaker, the majority and minority leaders, and the majority and minority whips) is hereby authorized and directed to inquire fully into the facts and circumstances surrounding the intervention by the chief counsel of the House Committee on Foreign Affairs in the sentencing of Mr. Dirk Stoffberg by the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of New York and to submit to the House at the earliest practicable date, but not later than 45 legislative days after the adoption of this resolution, its findings thereon together with any actions taken or recommendations made in response to such incident or to prevent the recurrence of such unauthorized interventions in judicial proceedings by House Members, officers, or employees.

When said resolution was considered. During debate,

19.11 WORDS TAKEN DOWN

Mr. LIVINGSTON addressed the House and, during the course of his remarks,

Mr. FASCELL demanded that certain words be taken down.

The Clerk read the words taken down as follows:

The criminal justice of this country is in danger when elected officials can tamper with the judicial system. And in this case, that is exactly what happened.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. MURTHA, held the words taken down were in order, and said:

"The Chair will rule that since the gentleman from Louisiana is generically speaking and not specifically alleging improper conduct by any individual Member, the words are in order, in the context of this resolution."

Mr. LIVINGSTON was permitted to proceed in order.

Mr. LIVINGSTON, by unanimous consent, requested that the word "elected" be stricken from the Congressional Record.

After further debate,

Mr. GEPHARDT moved to lay the resolution on the table.

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House lay the resolution on the table?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. MURTHA, announced that the yeas had it.

On a division demanded by Mr. WALKER, there appeared, yeas—13, nays—8.

Mr. WALKER objected to the vote on the ground that a quorum was not present and not voting.

A quorum not being present,

The roll was called under clause 4, rule XV, and the call was taken by electronic device.

When there appeared { Yeas 249
Nays 160

19.12 [Roll No. 8] YEAS—249

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| Abercrombie | Edwards (TX) | Lipinski |
| Ackerman | Engel | Lloyd |
| Alexander | English | Long |
| Anderson | Erdreich | Lowey (NY) |
| Andrews (ME) | Espy | Luken |
| Andrews (TX) | Evans | Manton |
| Annunzio | Fascell | Martinez |
| Anthony | Fazio | Matsui |
| Applegate | Feighan | Mavroules |
| Aspin | Flake | Mazzoli |
| Atkins | Foghtetta | McCloskey |
| AuCoin | Ford (MI) | McDermott |
| Bacchus | Ford (TN) | McHugh |
| Barnard | Frank (MA) | McMillen (MD) |
| Beilenson | Frost | McNulty |
| Bennett | Gejdenson | Mfume |
| Berman | Gephardt | Miller (CA) |
| Bevill | Geren | Mineta |
| Bilbray | Gibbons | Mink |
| Blackwell | Glickman | Moakley |
| Bonior | Gonzalez | Mollohan |
| Borski | Gordon | Montgomery |
| Boucher | Guarini | Moody |
| Boxer | Hall (OH) | Moran |
| Brewster | Hall (TX) | Murphy |
| Brooks | Hamilton | Murtha |
| Browder | Harris | Nagle |
| Brown | Hatcher | Natcher |
| Bruce | Hayes (IL) | Neal (MA) |
| Bryant | Hefner | Neal (NC) |
| Bustamante | Hertel | Nowak |
| Byron | Hoagland | Oakar |
| Campbell (CO) | Hochbrueckner | Oberstar |
| Cardin | Horn | Obey |
| Carper | Hoyer | Olin |
| Carr | Hubbard | Olver |
| Chapman | Huckaby | Ortiz |
| Clement | Hughes | Orton |
| Collins (IL) | Jacobs | Owens (NY) |
| Collins (MI) | Jefferson | Owens (UT) |
| Condit | Jenkins | Pallone |
| Conyers | Johnson (SD) | Panetta |
| Cooper | Johnston | Parker |
| Costello | Jones (GA) | Pastor |
| Cox (IL) | Jones (NC) | Patterson |
| Coyne | Jontz | Payne (NJ) |
| Cramer | Kanjorski | Payne (VA) |
| Darden | Kaptur | Pease |
| de la Garza | Kennedy | Pelosi |
| DeLauro | Kennelly | Penny |
| Dellums | Kildee | Perkins |
| Derrick | Kleczka | Peterson (FL) |
| Dicks | Kopetski | Peterson (MN) |
| Dingell | Kostmayer | Pickett |
| Dixon | LaFalce | Pickle |
| Donnelly | Lancaster | Poshard |
| Dooley | LaRocco | Price |
| Dorgan (ND) | Laughlin | Rahall |
| Downey | Lehman (CA) | Rangel |
| Durbin | Lehman (FL) | Ray |
| Dwyer | Levin (MI) | Reed |
| Early | Lewis (GA) | Richardson |

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| Roe | Skelton | Torricelli |
| Roemer | Slattery | Towns |
| Rose | Slaughter | Trafficant |
| Rostenkowski | Smith (FL) | Traxler |
| Rowland | Smith (IA) | Unsoeld |
| Roybal | Solarz | Valentine |
| Russo | Spratt | Vento |
| Sabo | Staggers | Visclosky |
| Sanders | Stallings | Volkmer |
| Sangmeister | Stenholm | Washington |
| Sarpalius | Stokes | Waters |
| Savage | Studds | Waxman |
| Sawyer | Swett | Weiss |
| Scheuer | Swift | Wheat |
| Schroeder | Synar | Williams |
| Schumer | Tallon | Wilson |
| Serrano | Tanner | Wise |
| Sharp | Tauzin | Wolpe |
| Sikorski | Taylor (MS) | Wyden |
| Sisisky | Thornton | Yates |
| Skaggs | Torres | Yatron |

NAYS—160

| | | |
|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Allard | Green | Petri |
| Allen | Gunderson | Porter |
| Archer | Hammerschmidt | Pursell |
| Armey | Hancock | Quillen |
| Baker | Hansen | Ramstad |
| Ballenger | Hastert | Ravenel |
| Barrett | Hefley | Regula |
| Barton | Henry | Rhodes |
| Bateman | Herger | Ridge |
| Bereuter | Hobson | Riggs |
| Bilirakis | Holloway | Rinaldo |
| Bliley | Hopkins | Ritter |
| Boehlert | Horton | Roberts |
| Boehner | Houghton | Rogers |
| Broomfield | Hunter | Rohrabacher |
| Bunning | Hyde | Ros-Lehtinen |
| Burton | Inhofe | Roth |
| Callahan | Ireland | Roukema |
| Camp | James | Santorum |
| Campbell (CA) | Johnson (CT) | Saxton |
| Chandler | Kasich | Schaefer |
| Clinger | Klug | Schiff |
| Coble | Kolbe | Schulze |
| Coleman (MO) | Kyl | Sensenbrenner |
| Combest | Lagomarsino | Shaw |
| Coughlin | Leach | Shays |
| Cox (CA) | Lent | Shuster |
| Crane | Lewis (CA) | Skeen |
| Cunningham | Lewis (FL) | Smith (NJ) |
| Davis | Livingston | Smith (OR) |
| DeLay | Lowery (CA) | Smith (TX) |
| Dickinson | Machtley | Snowe |
| Doolittle | Marlenee | Solomon |
| Dornan (CA) | Martin | Spence |
| Dreier | McCandless | Stearns |
| Duncan | McCollum | Stump |
| Edwards (OK) | McCrery | Sundquist |
| Emerson | McDade | Taylor (NC) |
| Ewing | McEwen | Thomas (WY) |
| Fawell | McGrath | Upton |
| Fields | McMillan (NC) | Vander Jagt |
| Fish | Meyers | Vucanovich |
| Franks (CT) | Michel | Walker |
| Galleghy | Miller (OH) | Walsh |
| Gallo | Miller (WA) | Weber |
| Gekas | Molinari | Weldon |
| Gilchrist | Moorhead | Wolf |
| Gillmor | Morella | Wylie |
| Gilman | Myers | Young (AK) |
| Gingrich | Nichols | Young (FL) |
| Goodling | Nussle | Zeliff |
| Goss | Oxley | Zimmer |
| Gradison | Packard | |
| Grandy | Paxon | |

NOT VOTING—25

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| Andrews (NJ) | Gaydos | McCurdy |
| Bentley | Hayes (LA) | Morrison |
| Clay | Hutto | Mrazek |
| Coleman (TX) | Johnson (TX) | Stark |
| Dannemeyer | Kolter | Thomas (CA) |
| DeFazio | Lantos | Thomas (GA) |
| Dymally | Levine (CA) | Whitten |
| Eckart | Lightfoot | |
| Edwards (CA) | Markey | |

So the motion to lay the resolution on the table was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said motion was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

9.13 PROVIDING FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF H. RES. 258

Mr. DERRICK, by direction of the Committee on Rules, called up the following resolution (H. Res. 303):

Resolved, That upon adoption of this resolution it shall be in order to consider in the House the resolution (H. Res. 258) creating a Task Force of Members of the Foreign Affairs Committee to Investigate Certain Allegations Concerning the Holding of Americans as Hostages by Iran in 1980. The amendment recommended by the Committee on Rules, as modified by the amendment recommended by the Committee on House Administration, now printed in the resolution shall be considered as having been adopted. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the resolution and amendments thereto to final adoption without intervening motion except: (1) one hour of debate on the resolution, to be equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Rules; and (2) the amendment printed in the report of the Committee on Rules accompanying this resolution, if offered by Representative Michel of Illinois or his designee, which shall be debatable for not to exceed thirty minutes, equally divided and controlled by the proponent and a Member opposed thereto, and all points of order against said amendment are hereby waived.

When said resolution was considered. After debate,

On motion of Mr. DERRICK, the previous question was ordered on the resolution to its adoption or rejection.

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House now order the previous question?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, announced that the nays had it.

Mr. DERRICK objected to the vote on the ground that a quorum was not present and not voting.

A quorum not being present,

The roll was called under clause 4, rule XV, and the call was taken by electronic device.

When there appeared { Yeas 251
Nays 161

9.14 [Roll No. 9] YEAS—251

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| Abercrombie | Bustamante | Edwards (TX) |
| Ackerman | Byron | Engel |
| Alexander | Campbell (CO) | English |
| Anderson | Cardin | Erdreich |
| Andrews (ME) | Carper | Espy |
| Andrews (NJ) | Carr | Evans |
| Andrews (TX) | Chapman | Fascell |
| Annunzio | Clement | Fazio |
| Anthony | Collins (IL) | Feighan |
| Applegate | Collins (MI) | Flake |
| Aspin | Condit | Foglietta |
| Atkins | Conyers | Ford (MI) |
| AuCoin | Cooper | Ford (TN) |
| Bacchus | Costello | Frank (MA) |
| Barnard | Cox (IL) | Frost |
| Beilenson | Coyne | Gejdenson |
| Bennett | Cramer | Gephardt |
| Berman | Darden | Geren |
| Bevill | DeLauro | Gibbons |
| Bilbray | Dellums | Glickman |
| Blackwell | Derrick | Gonzalez |
| Bonior | Dicks | Gordon |
| Borski | Dingell | Guarini |
| Boucher | Dixon | Hall (OH) |
| Boxer | Donnelly | Hall (TX) |
| Brewster | Dooley | Hamilton |
| Brooks | Dorgan (ND) | Harris |
| Browder | Downey | Hatcher |
| Brown | Durbin | Hayes (IL) |
| Bruce | Dwyer | Hayes (LA) |
| Bryant | Early | Hefner |

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| Hertel | Mollohan | Savage |
| Hoagland | Montgomery | Sawyer |
| Hochbrueckner | Moody | Scheuer |
| Horn | Moran | Schroeder |
| Hoyer | Murphy | Schumer |
| Hubbard | Murtha | Serrano |
| Huckaby | Nagle | Sharp |
| Hughes | Natcher | Sikorski |
| Jefferson | Neal (MA) | Sisisky |
| Jenkins | Neal (NC) | Skaggs |
| Johnson (SD) | Nowak | Skelton |
| Johnston | Oakar | Slattery |
| Jones (GA) | Oberstar | Slaughter |
| Jones (NC) | Obey | Smith (FL) |
| Jontz | Olin | Smith (IA) |
| Kanjorski | Olver | Solarz |
| Kaptur | Ortiz | Spratt |
| Kennedy | Orton | Staggers |
| Kennelly | Owens (NY) | Stallings |
| Kildee | Owens (UT) | Stenholm |
| Klecza | Pallone | Stokes |
| Kopetski | Panetta | Studds |
| Kostmayer | Parker | Swett |
| LaFalce | Pastor | Swift |
| Lancaster | Patterson | Synar |
| LaRocco | Payne (NJ) | Tallon |
| Laughlin | Payne (VA) | Tanner |
| Lehman (CA) | Pease | Tauzin |
| Lehman (FL) | Pelosi | Taylor (MS) |
| Levin (MI) | Penny | Thornton |
| Lewis (GA) | Perkins | Torres |
| Lipinski | Peterson (FL) | Torricelli |
| Lloyd | Peterson (MN) | Towns |
| Long | Pickett | Trafficant |
| Lowey (NY) | Pickle | Traxler |
| Luken | Poshard | Unsoeld |
| Manton | Price | Valentine |
| Markey | Rahall | Vento |
| Martinez | Rangel | Visclosky |
| Matsui | Ray | Volkmer |
| Mavroules | Reed | Washington |
| Mazzoli | Richardson | Waters |
| McCloskey | Roe | Waxman |
| McCurdy | Roemer | Weiss |
| McDermott | Rose | Wheat |
| McHugh | Rostenkowski | Williams |
| McMillen (MD) | Rowland | Wilson |
| McNulty | Roybal | Wise |
| Mfume | Russo | Wolpe |
| Miller (CA) | Sabo | Wyden |
| Mineta | Sanders | Yates |
| Moakley | Sangmeister | Yatron |
| | Sarpalius | |

NAYS—161

| | | |
|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Allard | Gallo | McCollum |
| Allen | Gekas | McCrery |
| Archer | Gilchrist | McDade |
| Armey | Gillmor | McEwen |
| Baker | Gilman | McGrath |
| Ballenger | Gingrich | McMillan (NC) |
| Barrett | Goodling | Meyers |
| Barton | Goss | Michel |
| Bateman | Gradison | Miller (OH) |
| Bentley | Grandy | Miller (WA) |
| Bereuter | Green | Molinari |
| Bilirakis | Gunderson | Moorhead |
| Bliley | Hammerschmidt | Morella |
| Boehlert | Hancock | Myers |
| Boehner | Hansen | Nichols |
| Broomfield | Hastert | Nussle |
| Bunning | Hefley | Oxley |
| Burton | Henry | Packard |
| Callahan | Herger | Paxon |
| Camp | Hobson | Petri |
| Campbell (CA) | Holloway | Porter |
| Chandler | Hopkins | Pursell |
| Clinger | Horton | Quillen |
| Coble | Houghton | Ramstad |
| Coleman (MO) | Hunter | Ravenel |
| Combest | Hyde | Regula |
| Coughlin | Inhofe | Rhodes |
| Cox (CA) | Jacobs | Ridge |
| Crane | James | Riggs |
| Cunningham | Johnson (CT) | Rinaldo |
| Davis | Kasich | Ritter |
| DeLay | Klug | Roberts |
| Dickinson | Kolbe | Rogers |
| Doolittle | Kyl | Rohrabacher |
| Dornan (CA) | Lagomarsino | Ros-Lehtinen |
| Dreier | Leach | Roth |
| Duncan | Lent | Roukema |
| Edwards (OK) | Lewis (CA) | Santorum |
| Emerson | Lewis (FL) | Saxton |
| Ewing | Livingston | Schaefer |
| Fawell | Lowery (CA) | Schiff |
| Fields | Machtley | Schulze |
| Fish | Marlenee | Sensenbrenner |
| Franks (CT) | Martin | Shaw |
| Galleghy | McCandless | Shays |

Shuster
Skeen
Smith (NJ)
Smith (OR)
Smith (TX)
Snowe
Solomon
Spence
Stearns

Stump
Sundquist
Taylor (NC)
Thomas (WY)
Upton
Vander Jagt
Vucanovich
Walker
Walsh

Weber
Weldon
Wolf
Wylie
Young (AK)
Young (FL)
Zeliff
Zimmer

Parker
Pastor
Patterson
Payne (NJ)
Payne (VA)
Pease
Pelosi
Penny
Perkins
Peterson (FL)
Peterson (MN)

Sangmeister
Sarpalius
Savage
Sawyer
Scheuer
Schroeder
Schumer
Serrano
Sharp
Sikorski
Sisisky

Tanner
Tauzin
Taylor (MS)
Thornton
Torres
Torricelli
Towns
Traficant
Traxler
Unsoeld
Valentine

NOT VOTING—22

Clay
Coleman (TX)
Dannemeyer
de la Garza
DeFazio
Dymally
Eckart
Edwards (CA)

Gaydos
Hutto
Ireland
Johnson (TX)
Kolter
Lantos
Levine (CA)
Lightfoot

Morrison
Mrazek
Stark
Thomas (CA)
Thomas (GA)
Whitten

Pickett
Poshard
Price
Rahall
Rangel
Ray
Reed
Richardson
Roe
Roemer
Rose
Rostenkowski
Rowland
Roybal
Russo
Sabo
Sanders

Skaggs
Skelton
Slattery
Slaughter
Smith (FL)
Smith (IA)
Solarz
Spratt
Staggers
Stallings
Stenholm
Stokes
Studds
Swett
Swift
Synar
Tallon

Vento
Visclosky
Volkmer
Washington
Waters
Waxman
Weiss
Wheat
Williams
Wilson
Wise
Wolpe
Wyden
Yates
Yatron

So the previous question on the resolution was ordered.

The question being put, viva voce, Will the House agree to said resolution?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, announced that the yeas had it.

Mr. WALKER demanded that the vote be taken by the yeas and nays, which demand was supported by one-fifth of the Members present, so the yeas and nays were ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the affirmative { Yeas 247 Nays 158

¶9.15 [Roll No. 10] YEAS—247

Abercrombie
Ackerman
Alexander
Anderson
Andrews (ME)
Andrews (NJ)
Andrews (TX)
Annunzio
Anthony
Applegate
Aspin
Atkins
AuCoin
Bacchus
Barnard
Beilenson
Bennett
Berman
Bevill
Billbray
Bonior
Borski
Boucher
Boxer
Brewster
Brooks
Browder
Brown
Bruce
Bryant
Bustamante
Byron
Campbell (CO)
Cardin
Carper
Carr
Chapman
Clement
Collins (IL)
Collins (MI)
Condit
Conyers
Cooper
Costello
Cox (IL)
Coyne
Cramer
Darden
DeLauro
Dellums
Derrick
Dicks
Dingell
Dixon
Donnelly

Dooley
Dorgan (ND)
Downey
Durbun
Dwyer
Early
Edwards (TX)
Engel
English
Erdreich
Espy
Evans
Fascell
Fazio
Feighan
Flake
Foglietta
Ford (MI)
Ford (TN)
Frank (MA)
Gejdenson
Gephardt
Geren
Gibbons
Glickman
Gonzalez
Gordon
Guarini
Hall (OH)
Hamilton
Harris
Hatcher
Hayes (IL)
Hayes (LA)
Hefner
Hertel
Hoagland
Hochbrueckner
Horn
Hoyer
Hubbard
Huckaby
Hughes
Jacobs
Jefferson
Jenkins
Johnson (SD)
Johnston
Jones (GA)
Jones (NC)
Jontz
Kanjorski
Kaptur
Kennedy
Kennelly

Kildee
Klecza
Kopetski
Kostmayer
LaFalce
Lancaster
LaRocco
Laughlin
Lehman (CA)
Lehman (FL)
Levin (MI)
Lewis (GA)
Lipinski
Lloyd
Long
Lowey (NY)
Manton
Markey
Martinez
Matsui
Mavroules
Mazzoli
McCloskey
McCurdy
McDermott
McHugh
McMillen (MD)
McNulty
Mfume
Miller (CA)
Mineta
Mink
Moakley
Mollohan
Montgomery
Moody
Moran
Murphy
Murtha
Nagle
Natcher
Neal (MA)
Neal (NC)
Nowak
Oakar
Oberstar
Obey
Olin
Olver
Ortiz
Orton
Owens (NY)
Owens (UT)
Pallone
Panetta

NAYS—158

Allard
Allen
Archer
Baker
Ballenger
Barrett
Barton
Bateman
Bentley
Bereuter
Bilirakis
Bliley
Boehlert
Boehner
Broomfield
Bunning
Burton
Callahan
Camp
Campbell (CA)
Chandler
Clinger
Coble
Coleman (MO)
Combest
Coughlin
Lent
Cox (CA)
Crane
Cunningham
Davis
Dickinson
Doolittle
Dornan (CA)
Dreier
Duncan
Edwards (OK)
Emerson
Ewing
Fawell
Fields
Fish
Franks (CT)
Gallegly
Gallo
Gekas
Gilchrist
Gillmor
Gilman
Gingrich
Goodling
Goss
Gradison
Grandy

NOT VOTING—29

Army
Blackwell
Clay
Coleman (TX)
Dannemeyer
de la Garza
Johnson (TX)
DeLay
Dymally
Eckart

Petri
Porter
Pursell
Quillen
Ramstad
Ravenel
Regula
Rhodes
Ridge
Riggs
Rinaldo
Ritter
Roberts
Rogers
Rohrabacher
Ros-Lehtinen
Roth
Roukema
Santorum
Saxton
Schaefer
Schiff
Schulze
Sensenbrenner
Shaw
Shays
Shuster
Skeen
Smith (NJ)
Smith (OR)
Smith (TX)
Snowe
Solomon
Spence
Stearns
Stump
Sundquist
Taylor (NC)
Thomas (WY)
Upton
Vander Jagt
Vucanovich
Walker
Walsh
Weber
Weldon
Wolf
Morella
Myers
Nichols
Nussle
Oxley
Packard
Paxon

Edwards (CA)
Frost
Gaydos
Hall (TX)
Hutto
Ireland
Johnson (TX)
Kolter
Lantos
Levine (CA)

was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

¶9.16 MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

A message in writing from the President of the United States was communicated to the House by Mr. McCathran, one of his secretaries.

¶9.17 COMMITTEE ELECTION—MAJORITY

Mr. HOYER, by direction of the Democratic Caucus, submitted the following privileged resolution (H. Res. 344):

Resolved, The following named Members be and they are hereby elected to the following standing committees of the House of Representatives:

Committee on Veterans Affairs: Bob Clement, of Tennessee.

Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries: Lucien Blackwell of Pennsylvania.

When said resolution was considered and agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said resolution was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

¶9.18 OCTOBER SURPRISE

Mr. DERRICK, pursuant to House Resolution 303, called up the following resolution (H. Res. 258):

Resolved, That (1) There is hereby created a Task Force of Members of the House Committee on Foreign Affairs to Investigate Certain Allegations Concerning the Holding of Americans as Hostages by Iran in 1980, to be composed of thirteen Members of the House Committee on Foreign Affairs to be appointed by the Speaker, one of whom he shall designate as chairman. The Speaker shall, with respect to the Republican Members of the Task Force, make such appointments upon consultation with the Republican Leader. Any vacancy occurring in the membership of the Task Force shall be filled in the same manner in which the original appointment was made. The Task Force is, with respect to the matters described below, authorized and directed to conduct a full and complete investigation and study, and to make such findings as are warranted, including, where appropriate, a finding that no credible evidence can be found to support particular allegations. The Task Force is further authorized and directed to make such recommendations to the Committee on Foreign Affairs as the Task Force deems appropriate, including those concerning the amendment of existing legislation or the enactment of new legislation. The Task Force shall fulfill these functions with respect to the following matters:

(a) Communications by or on behalf of the 1980 Reagan Presidential Campaign, or individuals representing or associated with that campaign, with any person or persons representing or associated with the Iranian Government or those persons with Iran holding Americans as Hostages during 1979 and 1980;

(b) Any attempt or proposal to attempt, by the 1980 Reagan Presidential Campaign or persons representing or associated with that campaign, to delay the release of the Americans held as hostages in Iran;

(c) Any activity by the 1980 Reagan Presidential Campaign to acquire or disseminate any information relating to actions being taken or considered by the United States Government in an effort to obtain the release of the Americans being held as hostages in Iran;

(d) Any sale or other transmittal of arms, spare parts or other assistance to Iran, in

So the resolution was agreed to.
A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said resolution was agreed to

1980 or thereafter, by any person or nation, intended to delay the release of the American held as Hostages by Iran, and any approval, acquiescence or knowledge of such sales or transmittals by the 1980 Reagan Presidential Campaign or persons representing or associated with that campaign; and

(e) Any actions taken to keep any communications or actions as described above, if any such communications or actions took place, from being revealed to the Government of the United States or the American people.

(2) One-third of the members of the Task Force shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business other than the reporting of a matter, which shall require a majority of the Task Force to be actually present, except that the Task Force may designate a lesser number, but not less than two, as a quorum for the purpose of holding hearings to take testimony. When a quorum for any particular purpose is present, general proxies may be counted for that purpose. The Task Force may sit while the House is reading a measure for amendment under the five-minute rule. The rules of the House shall govern the Task Force where not inconsistent with this resolution. The Task Force shall adopt additional written rules, which shall be public, to govern its procedures, which shall not be inconsistent with this resolution or the rules of the House. Such rules may govern the conduct of the depositions, interviews, and hearings of the Task Force, including the persons present. Such rules shall provide for the protection of classified information from unauthorized disclosure.

(3) The Task Force is authorized to sit and act during the present Congress at such times and places within the United States, including any Commonwealth or possession thereof, or in any other country, whether the House is in session, or has adjourned; to require, by subpoena or otherwise, the attendance and testimony of such witnesses, the furnishing of information by interrogatory, and the production of such books, records, correspondence, memoranda, papers, documents, calendars, recordings, data compilations from which information can be obtained, tangible objects, and other things and information of any kind as it deems necessary, including all intelligence materials however classified, White House materials, campaign materials, materials of present and former government officials and materials pertaining to unvouchered expenditures or concerning communications interceptions or surveillance; and to obtain evidence in other appropriate countries with the cooperation of their governments and by letters rogatory, commissions, field depositions and other appropriate mechanisms. Unless otherwise determined by the Task Force the chairman, upon consultation with the ranking Republican member, on the Task Force, shall authorize and issue subpoenas. Subpoenas shall be issued under the seal of the House and attested by the Clerk, and may be served by any person designated by the chairman or any member. The Task Force may request investigations, reports, and other assistance from any agency of the executive, legislative, and judicial branches of the Federal Government.

(4) The chairman, or in his absence a member designated by the chairman, shall preside at all meetings and hearings of the Task Force. All meetings and hearings of the Task Force shall be conducted in open session, unless a majority of members of the Task Force voting, there being in attendance the requisite number required for the purpose of hearings to take testimony, vote to close a meeting or hearing.

(5) The Chairman, upon consultation with the ranking Republican member, may employ and fix the compensation of such clerks,

experts, consultants, technicians, attorneys, investigators, and clerical and stenographic assistants as it considers necessary to carry out the purposes of this resolution. The Task Force shall be deemed a committee of the House for all purposes of law, including House Rule XI (2)(n), and sections 6005, 1505, and 1621 of title 18, section 192 of title 2, 1754(b)(1)(B)(ii) of title 22, and section 734(a) of title 31, United States Code. The Task Force may reimburse the members of its staff for travel, subsistence, and other necessary expenses incurred by them in the performance of the duties vested in the Task Force, other than expenses in connection with meetings of the Task Force held in the District of Columbia.

(6) Unless otherwise determined by the Task Force the chairman, upon consultation with the ranking Republican member, or the Task Force, may authorize the taking of affidavits, and of depositions pursuant to notice or subpoena, by a Member or by designated staff, under oath administered by a Member or a person otherwise authorized by law to administer oaths. Disposition and affidavit testimony shall be deemed to have been taken in Washington, DC, before the Task Force once filed there with the clerk of the Task Force for the Task Force's use. Depositions shall be deemed to be taken in Executive Session.

(7) The Task Force shall be authorized to respond to any judicial or other process, or to make any applications to court, upon consultation with the Speaker consistent with rule L.

(8) The Task Force shall provide other committees and Members of the House with access to information and proceedings, consistent with rule XLVIII(7)(c): Provided, That the Task Force may direct that particular matters or classes of matter shall not be made available to any person by its members, staff, or others, or may impose any other restriction. The Task Force may require its staff to enter nondisclosure agreements and its chairman, in consultation with the ranking Republican member, may require others, such as counsel for witnesses, to do so: Provided further, That the Task Force shall, as appropriate, provide access to information and proceedings to the Speaker, the Majority Leader, the Republican Leader, and their appropriately cleared and designated staff.

(9) Authorized expenses of the Task Force for investigations and studies, including for the procurement of the services of individual consultants or organizations thereof, and for training of staff, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the House upon vouchers signed by the chairman and approved by the Chairman of the Committee on House Administration.

(10) By July 1, 1992, the Task Force shall report to the House the status of its investigation. With respect to this and any other report of the Task Force, including its final report, the report shall be accompanied by supplemental or additional minority views.

(11) At the conclusion of the existence of the Task Force all records of the Task Force shall become the records of the Committee on Foreign Affairs except for those records relating to intelligence matters which shall, upon the Task Force's designation, become the records of the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence.

Pursuant to House Resolution 303, the amendment recommended by the Committee on Rules, as modified by the amendment recommended by the Committee on House Administration was considered as adopted.

Pending consideration of said resolution,

19.19 POINT OF ORDER

Mr. MCEWEN made a point of order against the resolution, and said:

"Mr. Speaker, House rule XI, clause 5(a) provides that whenever a committee, commission or other entity is to be granted authorization for the payment from the contingent fund of the House of its expenses in any year, 'such authorization initially shall be procured by one primary expense resolution for the committee, commission or other entity.'

"The rule goes on to require that 'any such primary expense resolution reported to the House shall not be considered in the House unless a printed report on that resolution' shall 'state the total amount of the funds to be provided to the committee, commission or other entity under the primary expense resolution for all anticipated activities and programs * * *'

"Mr. Speaker, it is my assumption that this resolution, which was reported by the House Administration and authorizes the payment of expenses from the contingent fund, is the primary expense resolution for the task force. And yet the committee report on this resolution, House Report 102-296, part II, does not 'state the total amount of funds to be provided' as required by rule XI, clause 5(a).

"If, on the other hand, it is argued that House Resolution 258 is not a primary expense resolution, then it is not in order since House rule XI, clause 5(a) requires that whenever any entity such as this task force is to be granted authorization for the payment of expenses from the contingent fund, and I quote, 'such authorization initially shall be procured by one primary expense resolution for the committee, commission or other entity.' In other words, this resolution is not in order until after a primary expense resolution has been adopted by this House."

Mr. DERRICK was recognized to speak to the point of order and said:

"Mr. Speaker, under clause 5(c), the funds will be provided to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and they will, in turn, provide the funds to the subcommittee, I mean to the committee that we are establishing."

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. OBEY, overruled the point of order, and said:

"The gentleman from Ohio, in a point of order, suggests to the House that under rule XI, clause 5(a), there needs to be a total amount stated in the report of the Committee on House Administration for funding of the task force, and the Chair would simply point out that the primary expense resolution for the Committee on Foreign Affairs and all other committees will be reported to the House later this year.

"As the gentleman from South Carolina has attempted to point out to the House, clause 5(c) of rule XI reads as follows:

"The preceding provisions of this clause do not apply to—

'(1) any resolution providing for the payment from the contingent fund of the House of sums necessary to pay compensation for staff services performed for, or to pay other expenses of, any committee, commission or other entity at any time from and after the beginning of any year and before the date of adoption by the House of the primary expense resolution providing funds to pay the expenses of that committee, commission or other entity for that year;

"It is the ruling of the Chair at this time that the task force comes under that exception. The task force is a sub-unit of the Committee on Foreign Affairs and not a separate entity.

"The point of order is, therefore, overruled."

Mr. WALKER appealed the ruling of the Chair.

Mr. DERRICK moved to lay the appeal on the table.

The question being put, *viva voce*, Will the House lay on the table the appeal of the ruling of the Chair?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. OBEY, announced that the yeas had it.

On a division demanded by Mr. WALKER, there appeared, yeas—19, nays—21.

Mr. DERRICK objected to the vote on the ground that a quorum was not present and not voting.

A quorum not being present,

The roll was called under clause 4, rule XV, and the call was taken by electronic device.

When there appeared { Yeas 227
Nays 150

19.20 [Roll No. 11]
YEAS—227

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| Abercrombie | de la Garza | Huckaby |
| Ackerman | DeLauro | Hughes |
| Alexander | Dellums | Jefferson |
| Anderson | Derrick | Johnston |
| Andrews (ME) | Dicks | Jones (NC) |
| Andrews (NJ) | Dixon | Jontz |
| Andrews (TX) | Donnelly | Kanjorski |
| Anunzio | Dooley | Kaptur |
| Anthony | Dorgan (ND) | Kennedy |
| Applegate | Durbin | Kennelly |
| Aspin | Dwyer | Kildee |
| Atkins | Early | Kleczka |
| AuCoin | Edwards (TX) | Kopetski |
| Bacchus | Engel | Kostmayer |
| Barnard | English | LaFalce |
| Beilenson | Erdreich | LaRocco |
| Bennett | Espy | Laughlin |
| Berman | Evans | Lehman (CA) |
| Bevill | Fascell | Lehman (FL) |
| Bilbray | Fazio | Levin (MI) |
| Blackwell | Feighan | Lewis (GA) |
| Bonior | Flake | Lipinski |
| Borski | Ford (MI) | Lloyd |
| Boucher | Ford (TN) | Long |
| Boxer | Frank (MA) | Lowey (NY) |
| Brewster | Frost | Luken |
| Brooks | Gejdenson | Manton |
| Browder | Gephardt | Markey |
| Brown | Geren | Martinez |
| Bruce | Gibbons | Matsui |
| Bryant | Glickman | Mavroules |
| Bustamante | Gonzalez | Mazzoli |
| Byron | Gordon | McCurdy |
| Campbell (CO) | Guarini | McDermott |
| Cardin | Hall (OH) | McHugh |
| Carper | Hall (TX) | McNulty |
| Carr | Hamilton | Mfume |
| Clement | Harris | Mineta |
| Collins (IL) | Hatcher | Mink |
| Collins (MI) | Hayes (IL) | Moakley |
| Condit | Hayes (LA) | Mollohan |
| Cooper | Hefner | Montgomery |
| Costello | Hoagland | Moody |
| Cox (IL) | Hochbrueckner | Moran |
| Coyne | Horn | Murphy |
| Cramer | Hoyer | Murtha |
| Darden | Hubbard | Nagle |

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| Natcher | Rangel |
| Neal (MA) | Ray |
| Neal (NC) | Reed |
| Nowak | Richardson |
| Oakar | Roe |
| Obey | Roemer |
| Olin | Rose |
| Olver | Rostenkowski |
| Ortiz | Rowland |
| Orton | Roybal |
| Owens (NY) | Sanders |
| Pallone | Sangmeister |
| Panetta | Sarpalius |
| Parker | Savage |
| Pastor | Sawyer |
| Patterson | Scheuer |
| Payne (NJ) | Schroeder |
| Payne (VA) | Schumer |
| Pease | Serrano |
| Pelosi | Sikorski |
| Penny | Sisisky |
| Perkins | Skaggs |
| Peterson (FL) | Skelton |
| Peterson (MN) | Slattery |
| Pickett | Slaughter |
| Pickle | Smith (FL) |
| Poshard | Solarz |
| Price | Spratt |
| Rahall | Stallings |

NAYS—150

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| Allard | Gradison | Nussle |
| Allen | Grandy | Packard |
| Archer | Green | Paxon |
| Armey | Gunderson | Petri |
| Baker | Hammerschmidt | Porter |
| Ballenger | Hancock | Quillen |
| Barrett | Hansen | Ramstad |
| Barton | Hastert | Ravenel |
| Bateman | Hefley | Regula |
| Bentley | Henry | Rhodes |
| Bereuter | Herger | Ridge |
| Bilirakis | Hobson | Riggs |
| Bliley | Holloway | Rinaldo |
| Boehlert | Hopkins | Roberts |
| Boehner | Horton | Rohrabacher |
| Broomfield | Houghton | Ros-Lehtinen |
| Burton | Hunter | Roth |
| Callahan | Hyde | Roukema |
| Camp | Inhofe | Santorum |
| Campbell (CA) | James | Saxton |
| Chandler | Johnson (CT) | Schaefer |
| Clinger | Kasich | Schiff |
| Coble | Klug | Sensenbrenner |
| Combust | Kolbe | Shays |
| Coughlin | Kyl | Shuster |
| Cox (CA) | Lagomarsino | Skeen |
| Crane | Leach | Smith (NJ) |
| Cunningham | Lewis (CA) | Smith (OR) |
| DeLay | Lewis (FL) | Smith (TX) |
| Dickinson | Livingston | Snowe |
| Doollittle | Lowery (CA) | Solomon |
| Dornan (CA) | Machtley | Spence |
| Dreier | Marlenee | Stearns |
| Duncan | Martin | Stump |
| Edwards (OK) | McCandless | Sundquist |
| Emerson | McCollum | Taylor (NC) |
| Ewing | McCrery | Thomas (WY) |
| Fawell | McDade | Upton |
| Fields | McEwen | Vander Jagt |
| Fish | McGrath | Vucanovich |
| Franks (CT) | McMillan (NC) | Walker |
| Galleghy | Meyers | Walsh |
| Gallo | Michel | Weber |
| Gekas | Miller (OH) | Weldon |
| Gilchrist | Miller (WA) | Wolf |
| Gillmor | Molinari | Wylie |
| Gilman | Moorhead | Young (AK) |
| Gingrich | Morella | Young (FL) |
| Goodling | Myers | Zeliff |
| Goss | Nichols | Zimmer |

NOT VOTING—57

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| Bunning | Hutto | Mrazek |
| Chapman | Ireland | Oberstar |
| Clay | Jacobs | Owens (UT) |
| Coleman (MO) | Jenkins | Oxley |
| Coleman (TX) | Johnson (SD) | Pursell |
| Conyers | Johnson (TX) | Ritter |
| Dannemeyer | Jones (GA) | Rogers |
| Davis | Kolter | Russo |
| DeFazio | Lancaster | Sabo |
| Dingell | Lantos | Schulze |
| Downey | Lent | Shaw |
| Dymally | Levine (CA) | Smith (IA) |
| Eckart | Lightfoot | Staggers |
| Edwards (CA) | McCloskey | Stark |
| Foglietta | McMillen (MD) | Swett |
| Gaydos | Miller (CA) | Synar |
| Hertel | Morrison | |

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| Thomas (CA) | Torres | Valentine |
| Thomas (GA) | Towns | Whitten |

So the motion to lay the appeal on the table was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said motion was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

After debate,

Mr. MICHEL submitted the following amendment in the nature of a substitute:

Strike all after the resolving clause and insert in lieu thereof the following:

That there is hereby established in the House of Representatives a Task Force of members of the Committee on Foreign Affairs to investigate certain allegations concerning the holding of Americans as hostages by Iran in 1980 (hereinafter referred to as the "task force").

FUNCTIONS

SEC. 2. The task force is authorized and directed to conduct a full and complete investigation of—

(a) Any attempt, or proposal to attempt, by the 1980 presidential campaign of then Governor Reagan, and/or the 1980 presidential campaign of then President Carter, or persons representing or associated with those campaigns, or the United States Government, to affect the timing of the release of the Americans held as hostages in Iran;

(b) Any attempt by then President Carter, or his Administration, to affect the timing of the release of the Americans held as hostages in Iran;

(c) Any actions taken to keep any attempt, or proposal to attempt, to affect the timing of the release of the Americans held as hostages in Iran, as described in (a) or (b) above, if any such attempts or proposed attempts took place, from being revealed to the Government of the United States or to the American people.

APPOINTMENT AND MEMBERSHIP

SEC. 3. (a) The task force shall be composed of 13 Members of the House who shall be appointed by the Speaker from the membership of the Committee on Foreign Affairs, one of whom he shall designate as chairman, and the minority members of which shall be appointed upon the recommendation of the minority leader.

(b) Any vacancy occurring in the membership of the task force shall be filled in the same manner in which the original appointment was made.

AUTHORITY AND PROCEDURES

SEC. 4. (a) For purposes of carrying out this resolution the task force is authorized to sit and act during the present Congress at such times and places within the United States, including any commonwealth or possession thereof, or in any other country, whether the House is in session (including while the House is sitting for amendment under the five-minute rule), has recessed, or has adjourned, and to hold hearings as it deems necessary.

(b) The provisions of clauses 1, 2, and 3 of rule XI of the Rules of the House of Representatives, shall apply to the task force, except that—

(1) no vote by any member of the task force may be cast by proxy; and

(2) the task force shall not delegate to the chairman the power to authorize subpoenas.

(c)(1) the chairman, upon consultation with the ranking minority members, may authorize the taking of affidavits, and of depositions pursuant to notice or subpoena, by a Member or by designated staff, under oath administered by a Member, there being at least two members of the task force

present including at least one member and one staff person from the minority.

(2) Affidavit and deposition testimony shall be deemed to have been taken in Washington, D.C. before the task force once filed with the Clerk of the task force for the task force's use, and shall be deemed to have been taken in executive session.

(3) The provisions of clause 2(g)(2) of rule XI requiring a committee vote to close hearings to the public shall not apply with respect to the taking of affidavit and deposition testimony in executive session.

(d) Pursuant to its authority under House Rules to require by subpoena or otherwise the testimony of witnesses and the production of certain materials, the task force may use such authority to obtain any relevant intelligence materials, however classified, White House materials of President Carter and President Reagan, campaign materials, materials of present and former government officials and materials pertaining to unvouchered expenditures or concerning communications interceptions or surveillance; and to obtain evidence in other appropriate countries with the cooperation of their governments.

(e) The task force shall be authorized to respond to judicial or other process, or to make any applications to court, upon consultation with the Speaker consistent with Rule L.

(f)(1) The task force shall provide in its written rules procedures for the protection of classified information from unauthorized disclosure.

(2) The task force shall provide other committees and Members of the House with access to information and proceedings, consistent with rule XLVIII, clause 7(c)(2); *Provided*, That the task force may direct that particular matters of classes of matter shall not be made available to any person by its members, staff, or others, and may impose any other restriction.

(3) The task force may require its staff to enter nondisclosure agreements, and its chairman, in consultation with the ranking minority member, may require others, such as counsel for witnesses, to do so.

(4) The Committee on Standards of Official Conduct may investigate any unauthorized disclosure of such classified information by a Member, officer or employee of the House or other covered person upon request of the task force.

(5) If, at the conclusion of its investigation, the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct determines that there has been a significant unauthorized disclosure, it shall report its findings to the House and recommend appropriate sanctions for the Member, officer, employee, or other covered person consistent with rule XLVIII, clause 7(e), and any committee restriction, including nondisclosure agreements.

(6) Classified information received by the task force shall not be disclosed publicly by any Member, officer, or employee of the House, except pursuant to the procedure specified in rule XLVIII, clause 7(b) for which purpose the task force shall be the select committee to which the rule refers.

ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS

SEC. 5. (a) Authorized expenses of the task force for investigations and studies, including for the procurement of the services of individual consultants or organizations thereof, and for the training of staff, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the House upon vouchers signed by the chairman and approved by the Chairman of the Committee on House Administration, except such payments may not exceed \$300,000.

(b) In carrying out its functions under this resolution, the task force is authorized—

(1) to appoint, either on a permanent basis or as experts or consultants, such staff as the task force considers necessary;

(2) to prescribe the duties and responsibilities of such staff;

(3) to fix the compensation of such staff;

(4) to terminate the employment of any such staff as the task force deems appropriate; and

(5) to reimburse members of the task force and its staff for travel, subsistence, and other necessary expenses incurred by them in the performance of their duties and responsibilities for the task force, other than expenses in connection with any meeting of the task force held in the District of Columbia.

(c) The task force and all authority granted in this resolution shall expire thirty days after the filing of the report of the task force.

(d) The task force shall be deemed a committee of the House for all purposes of law, including sections 6005, 1505, and 1621 of title 18, section 192 of title 2, 1754(b)(1)(B)(ii) of title 22, and section 734(a) of title 31, United States Code.

(e) The task force may request investigations, reports, and other assistance from any agency of the executive, legislative and judicial branches of the Federal government.

REPORT AND RECORDS

SEC. 6. (a)(1) The task force shall report to the House as soon as practicable during the present Congress but not later than six months after the date of adoption of this resolution, the results of its investigation and study, together with such recommendations as it deems advisable.

(2) Not more than 45 days prior to the expiration of the six-month period referred to in paragraph (1), but prior to the expiration of such period, the task force may file an interim report detailing the progress made to date, the costs incurred by the inquiry, and the need for extending the inquiry.

(3) At any time after the filing of such interim report it shall be in order in the House to consider as privileged a resolution introduced and offered by the chairman of the task force, or his designee, extending the period of the inquiry to a date certain which shall be specified in the resolution. If the resolution is adopted the task force shall have until the date specified in the resolution to file its final report. If the resolution is not adopted, the task force shall file its final report as soon as practicable thereafter but in no event later than 15 calendar days after such vote.

(b) Any such report which is made when the House is not in session shall be filed with the Clerk of the House.

(c) Any such report shall be referred to the committee or committees which have jurisdiction over the subject matter thereof.

(d) The records, files and materials of the task force shall become the records of the Committee on Foreign Affairs except for those records relating to intelligence matters which shall become the records of the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence.

After debate,

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House agree to said amendment?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. OBEY, announced that the nays had it.

Mr. MICHEL objected to the vote on the ground that a quorum was not present and not voting.

A quorum not being present,

The roll was called under clause 4, rule XV, and the call was taken by electronic device.

When there appeared { Yeas 158
Nays 249

9.21

[Roll No. 12]

YEAS—158

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| Allard | Gradison | Paxon |
| Allen | Grandy | Petri |
| Archer | Green | Porter |
| Army | Gunderson | Pursell |
| Baker | Hammerschmidt | Quillen |
| Ballengier | Hancock | Ramstad |
| Barrett | Hansen | Ravenel |
| Barton | Hastert | Regula |
| Bateman | Hefley | Rhodes |
| Bentley | Henry | Ridge |
| Bereuter | Herger | Riggs |
| Bilirakis | Hobson | Rinaldo |
| Bliley | Holloway | Ritter |
| Boehlert | Hopkins | Roberts |
| Boehner | Horton | Rogers |
| Broomfield | Houghton | Rohrabacher |
| Bunning | Hunter | Ros-Lehtinen |
| Burton | Hyde | Roth |
| Callahan | Inhofe | Roukema |
| Camp | James | Saxton |
| Campbell (CA) | Johnson (CT) | Schaefer |
| Chandler | Kasich | Schiff |
| Clinger | Klug | Schulze |
| Coble | Kolbe | Sensenbrenner |
| Coleman (MO) | Kyl | Shaw |
| Combest | Lagomarsino | Shays |
| Coughlin | Leach | Shuster |
| Cox (CA) | Lent | Skeen |
| Crane | Lewis (CA) | Smith (NJ) |
| Cunningham | Lewis (FL) | Smith (OR) |
| Davis | Livingston | Smith (TX) |
| DeLay | Lowery (CA) | Snowe |
| Dickinson | Machtley | Solomon |
| Doolittle | Marlenee | Spence |
| Dornan (CA) | Martin | Stearns |
| Dreier | McCandless | Stump |
| Duncan | McCollum | Sundquist |
| Edwards (OK) | McCrery | Taylor (NC) |
| Emerson | McEwen | Thomas (WY) |
| Ewing | McGrath | Upton |
| Fawell | McMillan (NC) | Vander Jagt |
| Fields | Meyers | Vucanovich |
| Fish | Michel | Walker |
| Franks (CT) | Miller (OH) | Walsh |
| Galleghy | Miller (WA) | Weber |
| Gallo | Molinari | Weldon |
| Gekas | Moorhead | Wolf |
| Gilchrest | Morella | Wylie |
| Gillmor | Myers | Young (AK) |
| Gilman | Nichols | Young (FL) |
| Gingrich | Nussle | Zeliff |
| Goodling | Oxley | Zimmer |
| Goss | Packard | |

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| Abercrombie | Collins (IL) | Gibbons |
| Ackerman | Collins (MI) | Glickman |
| Alexander | Condit | Gonzalez |
| Anderson | Conyers | Gordon |
| Andrews (ME) | Cooper | Guarini |
| Andrews (NJ) | Costello | Hall (OH) |
| Andrews (TX) | Cox (IL) | Hall (TX) |
| Annunzio | Coyne | Hamilton |
| Anthony | Darden | Harris |
| Applegate | de la Garza | Hatcher |
| Aspin | DeLauro | Hayes (LL) |
| Atkins | Dellums | Hayes (LA) |
| AuCoin | Derrick | Hefner |
| Bacchus | Dicks | Hertel |
| Barnard | Dingell | Hoagland |
| Beilenson | Dixon | Hochbrueckner |
| Bennett | Donnelly | Horn |
| Berman | Dooley | Hoyer |
| Bevill | Dorgan (ND) | Hubbard |
| Bilbray | Downey | Huckaby |
| Blackwell | Durbin | Hughes |
| Bonior | Dwyer | Jacobs |
| Borski | Early | Jefferson |
| Boucher | Edwards (TX) | Jenkins |
| Boxer | Engel | Johnson (SD) |
| Brewster | English | Johnston |
| Brooks | Erdreich | Jones (CA) |
| Browder | Espy | Jones (NC) |
| Brown | Evans | Jontz |
| Bruce | Fascell | Kanjorski |
| Bryant | Fazio | Kaptur |
| Bustamante | Feighan | Kennedy |
| Byron | Foglietta | Kennelly |
| Campbell (CO) | Ford (TN) | Kildee |
| Cardin | Frank (MA) | Kleczka |
| Carper | Frost | Kopetski |
| Carr | Gejdenson | Kostmayer |
| Chapman | Gephardt | LaFalce |
| Clement | Geran | Lancaster |

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| LaRocco | Orton | Sisisky | Fazio | Martinez | Rowland | Rahall | Schiff | Taylor (MS) |
| Laughlin | Owens (NY) | Skaggs | Feighan | Matsui | Roybal | Ramstad | Schulze | Taylor (NC) |
| Lehman (CA) | Owens (UT) | Skelton | Foglietta | Mavroules | Russo | Ravenel | Sensenbrenner | Thomas (WY) |
| Lehman (FL) | Pallone | Slattery | Ford (MI) | Ford (MI) | Sabo | Ray | Shaw | Upton |
| Levin (MI) | Panetta | Slaughter | Ford (TN) | Ford (TN) | Sanders | Regula | Shays | Valentine |
| Lewis (GA) | Parker | Smith (FL) | Frank (MA) | Frank (MA) | McCurdy | Rhodes | Shuster | Vander Jagt |
| Lipinski | Pastor | Smith (IA) | Frost | Frost | McDermott | Ridge | Skeen | Volkmer |
| Lloyd | Patterson | Solarz | Gejdenson | McHugh | McHugh | Riggs | Skelton | Vucanovich |
| Long | Payne (NJ) | Spratt | Gephardt | McMillen (MD) | Scheuer | Rinaldo | Smith (NJ) | Walker |
| Lowe (NY) | Payne (VA) | Staggers | Gibbons | Mfume | Schroeder | Ritter | Smith (OR) | Walsh |
| Manton | Pease | Stallings | Glickman | Miller (CA) | Schumer | Roberts | Smith (TX) | Weber |
| Markey | Pelosi | Stenholm | Gonzalez | Mineta | Serrano | Rogers | Snowe | Weldon |
| Martinez | Penny | Stokes | Gordon | Mink | Sharp | Rohrabacher | Solomon | Wilson |
| Matsui | Perkins | Studds | Guarini | Moakley | Sikorski | Ros-Lehtinen | Spence | Wolf |
| Mavroules | Peterson (FL) | Sweet | Hall (OH) | Mollohan | Sisisky | Roth | Stearns | Wylie |
| Mazzoli | Peterson (MN) | Swift | Hamilton | Moody | Skaggs | Roukema | Stenholm | Young (AK) |
| McCloskey | Pickett | Synar | Hatcher | Moran | Slattery | Sangmeister | Stump | Young (FL) |
| McCurdy | Pickle | Tallon | Hayes (IL) | Murphy | Slamther | Saxton | Sundquist | Zeliff |
| McDermott | Poshard | Tanner | Hefner | Murtha | Smith (FL) | Schaefer | Tauzin | Zimmer |
| McHugh | Price | Tauzin | Hertel | Nagle | Smith (IA) | | | |
| McMillen (MD) | Rahall | Taylor (MS) | Hoagland | Natcher | Solarz | | | |
| McNulty | Rangel | Thornton | Hochbrueckner | Neal (MA) | Spratt | Clay | Hutto | Morrison |
| Mfume | Ray | Torres | Horn | Neal (NC) | Staggers | Coleman (TX) | Ireland | Mrazek |
| Miller (CA) | Reed | Torricelli | Hoyer | Nowak | Stallings | Dannemeyer | Johnson (TX) | Santorum |
| Mineta | Richardson | Towns | Hubbard | Oakar | Stokes | DeFazio | Kolter | Stark |
| Mink | Roe | Trafigant | Hughes | Oberstar | Studds | Dymally | Lantos | Thomas (CA) |
| Moakley | Roemer | Traxler | Jacobs | Obey | Swett | Eckart | Levine (CA) | Thomas (GA) |
| Mollohan | Rose | Unsoeld | Jefferson | Olin | Swift | Edwards (CA) | Lightfoot | Whitten |
| Montgomery | Rostenkowski | Valentine | Jenkins | Olver | Synar | Flake | Luken | |
| Moody | Rowland | Vento | Johnson (SD) | Ortiz | Tallon | Gaydos | McDade | |
| Moran | Roybal | Visclosky | Johnston | Orton | Tanner | | | |
| Murphy | Russo | Volkmer | Jones (GA) | Owens (NY) | Thornton | | | |
| Murtha | Sabo | Washington | Jones (NC) | Owens (UT) | Torres | | | |
| Nagle | Sanders | Waters | Jontz | Pallone | Torricelli | | | |
| Natcher | Sangmeister | Waxman | Kanjorski | Panetta | Towns | | | |
| Neal (MA) | Sarpalius | Weiss | Kaptur | Pastor | Trafigant | | | |
| Neal (NC) | Savage | Wheat | Kennedy | Payne (NJ) | Traxler | | | |
| Nowak | Sawyer | Williams | Kennelly | Payne (VA) | Unsoeld | | | |
| Oakar | Scheuer | Wilson | Kildee | Pease | Vento | | | |
| Oberstar | Schroeder | Wise | Klecza | Pelosi | Visclosky | | | |
| Obey | Schumer | Wolpe | Kopetski | Peterson (FL) | Washington | | | |
| Olin | Serrano | Wyden | Kostmayer | Peterson (MN) | Waters | | | |
| Olver | Sharp | Yates | LaFalce | Pickett | Waxman | | | |
| Ortiz | Sikorski | Yatron | Lancaster | Pickle | Weiss | | | |
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| | | | Laughlin | Price | Williams | | | |
| | | | Lehman (FL) | Rangel | Wise | | | |
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| Clay | Ford (MI) | Luken |
| Coleman (TX) | Gaydos | McDade |
| Cramer | Hutto | Morrison |
| Dannemeyer | Ireland | Mrazek |
| DeFazio | Johnson (TX) | Santorum |
| Dymally | Kolter | Stark |
| Eckart | Lantos | Thomas (CA) |
| Edwards (CA) | Levine (CA) | Thomas (GA) |
| Flake | Lightfoot | Whitten |

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| Allard | Edwards (OK) | Klug |
| Allen | Emerson | Kolbe |
| Anthony | English | Kyl |
| Archer | Erdreich | Lagomarsino |
| Army | Ewing | Leach |
| Baker | Fawell | Lehman (CA) |
| Ballenger | Fields | Lent |
| Barrett | Fish | Lewis (CA) |
| Barton | Franks (CT) | Lewis (FL) |
| Bateman | Gallegly | Lipinski |
| Bentley | Gallo | Livingston |
| Bereuter | Gekas | Lloyd |
| Bilirakis | Geren | Loverly (CA) |
| Bliley | Gilchrist | Machtley |
| Boehlert | Gillmor | Marlenee |
| Boehner | Gilman | Martin |
| Brooks | Gingrich | McCandless |
| Broomfield | Goodling | McCollum |
| Bunning | Goss | McCrery |
| Burton | Gradison | McEwen |
| Byron | Grandy | McGrath |
| Callahan | Green | McMillan (NC) |
| Camp | Gunderson | McNulty |
| Campbell (CA) | Hall (TX) | Meyers |
| Campbell (CO) | Hammerschmidt | Michel |
| Carper | Hancock | Miller (OH) |
| Chandler | Hansen | Miller (WA) |
| Clinger | Harris | Molinari |
| Coble | Hastert | Montgomery |
| Coleman (MO) | Hayes (LA) | Moorhead |
| Combest | Hefley | Morella |
| Condit | Henry | Myers |
| Costello | Herger | Nichols |
| Coughlin | Hobson | Nussle |
| Cox (CA) | Holloway | Oxley |
| Cramer | Hopkins | Packard |
| Carr | Horton | Parker |
| Cunningham | Houghton | Patterson |
| Davis | Huckaby | Paxon |
| DeLay | Hunter | Penny |
| Dickinson | Hyde | Perkins |
| Doollittle | Inhofe | Petri |
| Dornan (CA) | James | Porter |
| Dreier | Johnson (CT) | Pursell |
| Duncan | Kasich | Quillen |

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So the amendment in the nature of a substitute was not agreed to.

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House agree to said resolution, as amended?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. OBEY, announced that the yeas had it.

Mr. SOLOMON demanded that the vote be taken by the yeas and nays, which demand was supported by one-fifth of the Members present, so the yeas and nays were ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the affirmative { Yeas 217
Nays 192

¶9.22 [Roll No. 13] YEAS—217

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| Abercrombie | Bonior | Darden |
| Ackerman | Borski | de la Garza |
| Alexander | Boucher | DeLauro |
| Anderson | Boxer | Dellums |
| Andrews (ME) | Brewster | Derrick |
| Andrews (NJ) | Browder | Dicks |
| Andrews (TX) | Brown | Dingell |
| Annunzio | Bruce | Dixon |
| Applegate | Bryant | Donnelly |
| Aspin | Bustamante | Dooley |
| Atkins | Cardin | Dorgan (ND) |
| AuCoin | Carr | Downey |
| Bacchus | Chapman | Durbin |
| Barnard | Clement | Dwyer |
| Beilenson | Collins (IL) | Early |
| Bennett | Collins (MI) | Edwards (TX) |
| Berman | Conyers | Engel |
| Bevill | Cooper | Espy |
| Bilbray | Cox (IL) | Evans |
| Blackwell | Coyne | Fascell |

So the resolution, as amended, was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said resolution, as amended, was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

¶9.23 TASK FORCE TO INVESTIGATE CERTAIN ALLEGATIONS CONCERNING THE HOLDING OF AMERICANS AS HOSTAGES BY IRAN

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. OBEY, by unanimous consent and pursuant to the provisions of House Resolution 235, on behalf of the Speaker, appointed to the Task Force of Members of the Foreign Affairs Committee to Investigate Certain Allegations Concerning the Holding of Americans as Hostages by Iran in 1980 the following Members:

- Mr. HAMILTON of Indiana, chairman;
- Mr. SOLARZ of New York;
- Mr. GEJDENSON of Connecticut;
- Mr. TORRICELLI of New Jersey;
- Mr. DYMALLY of California;
- Mr. BERMAN of California;
- Mr. FEIGHAN of Ohio;
- Mr. WEISS of New York;
- Mr. HYDE of Illinois;
- Mr. LEACH of Iowa;
- Mr. GOSS of Florida;
- Mr. BEREUTER of Nebraska; and
- Ms. SNOWE of Maine.

¶9.24 ADJOURNMENT OVER

On motion of Mr. GEPHARDT, by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet on Friday, February 7, 1992, that when the House adjourns on Friday, February 7, 1992, it adjourn to meet on Tuesday, February 11, 1992, that when the House adjourns on Tuesday, February 11, 1992, it adjourn to meet on Friday, February 14, 1992, and that when the House adjourns on Friday, February 14, 1992, it adjourn to meet on Tuesday, February 18, 1992.

¶9.25 GIRL SCOUTS OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA 80TH ANNIVERSARY DAY

On motion of Mr. SAWYER, by unanimous consent, the Committee on Post

Office and Civil Service was discharged from further consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 343) to designate March 12, 1992, as "Girl Scouts of the United States of America 80th Anniversary Day".

When said joint resolution was considered, read twice, ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, was read a third time by title, and passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said joint resolution was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

Ordered. That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said joint resolution.

¶9.26 NATIONAL WOMEN AND GIRLS IN SPORTS DAY

On motion of Mr. SAWYER, by unanimous consent, the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service was discharged from further consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 395) designating February 6, 1992, as "National Women and Girls in Sports Day".

When said joint resolution was considered, read twice, ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, was read a third time by title, and passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said joint resolution was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

Ordered. That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said joint resolution.

¶9.27 IRISH-AMERICAN HERITAGE MONTH

On motion of Mr. SAWYER, by unanimous consent, the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service was discharged from further consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 350) designating March 1992 as "Irish-American Heritage Month".

When said joint resolution was considered, read twice, ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, was read a third time by title, and passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said joint resolution was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

Ordered. That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said joint resolution.

¶9.28 MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT—ECONOMIC REPORT

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. ORTON, laid before the House a message from the President, which was read as follows:

To the Congress of the United States:

1991 was a challenging year for the American economy. Output was stagnant and unemployment rose. The recession, which began in the third quarter of 1990, following the longest peacetime expansion in the Nation's history, continued into 1991. The high oil prices and the uncertainty occasioned by events in the Persian Gulf were quickly resolved with the successful completion of Operation Desert Storm early in the year. Most analysts expected a sustained recovery to follow. Indeed,

signs of a moderate expansion began to appear in the spring. Industrial production and consumer spending rose for several months. By the late summer, however, the economy flattened out and was sluggish through the rest of the year.

Our recent economic problems are a reminder that even a well-functioning economy faces the risk of temporary setbacks from external shocks or other disturbances. Market economies, such as the United States, are continually restructuring in response to technological changes and external events. Occasionally, structural imbalances develop that can interrupt economic growth. The American economy experienced an unusual confluence of such imbalances in recent years, for example in the financial and real estate sectors, and in household, corporate, and governmental debt. At the same time, a major reallocation of resources from defense to other sectors has been under way. Not least, the lagged effects of a relatively tight monetary policy coupled with problems in the availability of credit, especially for small and medium-sized businesses, dampened economic growth.

The U.S. economy, however, remains the largest and strongest in the world. The American people enjoy the highest standard of living on earth. American productivity is second to none. With less than 5 percent of the world's population, American produces a quarter of the world's output.

As we move into 1992, the fundamental conditions to generate economic growth are falling into place. Interest rates are at their lowest levels in decades and should help boost investment and consumer spending. Inflation is down and expected to remain relatively low. Generally lean inventories imply that increases in demand will be met mainly from new production, which will generate gains in employment and income. America's international competitive position has improved, as evidenced by record levels of exports.

Nevertheless, the United States faces serious economic challenges: To speed, strengthen, and sustain economic recovery; and, simultaneously, to provide a firmer basis for long-term growth in productivity, income, and employment opportunities. In both my State of the Union Address and my fiscal 1993 Budget, I presented a comprehensive program to encourage short-term recovery and long-term growth. I have already taken steps to accelerate job-creating Federal spending, to adjust income tax withholding that will add about \$25 billion to the economy over the next year, and to renew the attack on excessive regulation and redtape that hamper business formation and expansion and job creation. I will also continue to support a monetary policy that keeps inflation and interest rates low while providing adequate growth of money and credit to support a healthy economic expansion.

Most of my program will require congressional action. In addition to the ex-

ecutive actions I have already announced, my immediate agenda includes:

- Investment incentives to promote economic growth: a reduction in capital gains tax rates; a 15-percent investment tax allowance; and an improved alternative minimum tax.

- Incentives to help revive real estate: a \$5,000 tax credit for first-time homebuyers; penalty-free withdrawals from individual retirement accounts for first-time homebuyers; low-income housing credits; tax preferences for mortgage revenue bonds; a modified passive loss tax rule; and a tax deduction for losses on the sale of a personal residence.

My intermediate and longer term agenda includes:

- Investment in the future: record levels of spending for Head Start and anticrime and drug abuse programs; a comprehensive Job Training 2000 initiative, which will enhance the skills and flexibility of our work force; record levels of spending for research and development and infrastructure; record spending on math and science education; and Enterprise Zones.

- Pro-family initiatives: an increase in the personal tax exemption for families with children; new flexible individual retirement accounts for health, education, and first home purchases; and tax deductibility of interest paid on student loans.

- Comprehensive health reform: vital cost containment measures and tax credits for the purchase of health insurance.

Also before the Congress is an urgent unfinished agenda that I proposed earlier, including financial sector reform to make our banking system safer, sounder, and more internationally competitive; the America 2000 education reforms necessary to meet the national education goals, produce a new generation of American schools, and provide the choice and competition that will promote better performance and strengthen accountability; the National Energy Strategy to meet our Nation's energy needs through a combination of enhanced production, diversification of sources, and conservation, thereby enhancing our energy security; and legal reforms to reduce the litigiousness that unnecessarily adds to costs and stifles innovation and productivity.

Successful completion of the Uruguay Round of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade and a North American free-trade agreement remain major priorities. I also urge congressional action on the Enterprise for the Americas Initiative. These market-opening initiatives will spur growth and create jobs.

My program can be accommodated within the limits established in the budget agreement of 1990. I am also asking the Congress for budget process reforms: a line-item veto and caps on

so-called mandatory programs to control the growth of government spending. Maintaining fiscal discipline is essential to reallocating resources toward investment in the future.

These proposals are described in detail in the fiscal 1993 Budget, and in legislative proposals I am forwarding to the Congress. The Annual Report of the Council of Economic Advisers, which accompanies this Report, discusses the strengths of the U.S. economy and the challenges it faces in the short run and the long run. It also explains how my comprehensive economic growth proposals are designed to move us toward a more prosperous America.

GEORGE BUSH.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *February 5, 1992.*

The message, together with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Joint Economic Committee and ordered to be printed (H. Doc. 102-177).

¶9.29 ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Mr. ROSE, from the Committee on House Administration, reported that that committee had examined and found truly enrolled a bill of the House of the following title, which was thereupon signed by the Speaker:

H.R. 4095. An Act to increase the number of weeks for which benefits are payable under the Emergency Unemployment Compensation Act of 1991, and for other purposes.

¶9.30 SENATE ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

The SPEAKER announced his signature to an enrolled bill of the Senate of the following title:

S. 1415. An Act to provide for additional membership on the Library of Congress Trust Fund Board, and for other purposes.

¶9.31 BILL PRESENTED TO THE PRESIDENT

Mr. ROSE, from the Committee on House Administration, reported that that committee did on the following date present to the President, for his approval, a bill of the House of the following title:

On February 4, 1992:

H.R. 1989. An Act to authorize for the National Institute of Standards and Technology and the Technology Administration of the Department of Commerce, and for other purposes.

¶9.32 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted—

To Mr. JOHNSON of Texas, for today; and

To Mr. LIGHTFOOT, for today after 3:15 p.m.

And then,

¶9.33 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. ENGEL, pursuant to the special order heretofore agreed to, at 10 o'clock and 37 minutes p.m., the House adjourned until 11 o'clock a.m. on Friday, February 7, 1992.

¶9.34 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. DINGELL: Committee on Energy and Commerce. H.R. 3490. A bill to protect the public interest and the future development of interstate pay-per-call technology by providing for the regulation and oversight of the applications and growth of the pay-per-call industry, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 102-430). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House in the State of the Union.

¶9.35 PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 5 of rule X and clause 4 of rule XXII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred as follows:

By Mr. BLAZ:

H.R. 4164. A bill to provide for the transfer of excess land to the Government of Guam, and for other purposes; jointly, to the Committees on Interior and Insular Affairs, Armed Services, and Government Operations.

By Mr. McCURDY:

H.R. 4165. A bill to reorganize the U.S. Intelligence Community, and for other purposes; jointly, to the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence and the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. DARDEN:

H.R. 4166. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow penalty-free withdrawals from an individual's individual retirement account for use by such individual or the children of such individual in acquiring a first home, and to provide that a parent's guarantee of a loan to his child shall not be a gift for gift tax purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. ENGLISH:

H.R. 4167. A bill to amend the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 to require certain States to contribute to other States' shares of cleanup costs; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. TORRICELLI (for himself, Mr. FASCELL, Mr. GUARINI, Mr. LAGOMARSINO, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. McCURDY, Mr. SMITH of Florida, Mr. SOLARZ, Mr. RICHARDSON, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, and Mr. GOSS:

H.R. 4168. A bill to promote a peaceful transition to democracy in Cuba through the application of appropriate pressures on the Cuban Government and support for the Cuban people; jointly, to the Committees on Foreign Affairs; Ways and Means; Post Office and Civil Service; Energy and Commerce; Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs; and Merchant Marine and Fisheries.

By Mr. GUNDERSON (for himself and Mr. OWENS of Utah):

H.R. 4169. A bill to establish a Council on Interjurisdictional Rivers Fisheries and to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a pilot test of the Mississippi Interstate Cooperative Resource Agreement; to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries.

By Mr. VENTO (for himself and Mr. WYLIE):

H.R. 4170. A bill to amend the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956, the Revised Statutes of the United States, and the Federal Deposit Insurance Act to provide for interstate banking and branching, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. HASTERT:

H.R. 4171. A bill to extend the deadline under the Federal Power Act applicable to the construction of a hydroelectric project in the State of Illinois; to Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. LIPINSKI (for himself, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. SAVAGE, and Mr. SANGMEISTER):

H.R. 4172. A bill making supplemental appropriations to the Department of Transportation for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1992, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. LIPINSKI:

H.R. 4173. A bill to impose restrictions on the importation into, and the sale within, the United States of certain motor vehicles; to increase the efficiency of domestic motor vehicle manufacturers; and for other purposes; jointly, to the Committees on Ways and Means and Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. POSHARD:

H.R. 4174. A bill to prohibit Members of the House of Representatives from using official funds for the production or mailing of newsletters; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. ROE (for himself, Mr. ANDERSON, Mr. MINETA, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. NOWAK, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. APPLEGATE, Mr. DE LUGO, Mr. SAVAGE, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. KOLTER, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. HAYES of Louisiana, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. JONES of Georgia, Mr. LAUGHLIN, Mr. GEREN of Texas, Mr. SANGMEISTER, Mr. POSHARD, Mr. BREWSTER, Mrs. COLLINS of Michigan, Ms. NORTON, and Mr. FORD of Michigan):

H.R. 4175. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Commerce to make grants to State and local governments for infrastructure projects in distressed areas, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Public Works and Transportation.

By Mr. SARPALIUS (for himself, Mr. DE LA GARZA, Mr. STENHOLM, and Mr. COMBEST):

H.R. 4176. A bill to amend title 11 of the United States Code with respect to avoiding certain liens that impair exempt property; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SHAW:

H.R. 4177. A bill to temporarily suspend the duty on metal oxide varistors; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. SLAUGHTER (for herself, Ms. OAKAR, Mrs. MINK, Mrs. SCHROEDER, Ms. PELOSI, Ms. NORTON, Mrs. UNSOELD, Ms. DELAURO, Mrs. LLOYD, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. VENTO, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. WELDON, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. SCHEUER, and Mr. RANGEL):

H.R. 4178. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for a program to carry out research on the drug known as diethylstilbestrol, to educate health professionals and the public on the drug, and to provide for certain longitudinal studies regarding individuals who have been exposed to the drug; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. SMITH of Oregon:

H.R. 4179. A bill to establish a fund for the planning and preparation of salvage timber sales and subsequent reforestation activities on lands administered by the Bureau of Land Management; to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs.

By Mr. TALLON:

H.R. 4180. A bill to recognize the organization known as "Wildlife Action, Inc."; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. WOLPE (for himself, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. RINALDO, and Mr. GALLO):

H.R. 4181. A bill to provide support to States which require and encourage utilities to provide process-oriented energy efficiency technology assistance to certain industries; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. FAWELL:
H.R. 4182. A bill to reduce \$17,160,600,000 from appropriations for fiscal year 1992; to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. HAMMERSCHMIDT:
H.R. 4183. A bill to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act by designating certain rivers in the State of Arkansas as components of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs.

By Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts (for himself, Mr. EARLY, Mr. MOAKLEY, Mr. OLVER, Mr. DONNELLY, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. MAVROULES, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. STUDDS, Mr. ATKINS, and Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts):
H.R. 4184. A bill to designate the Department of Veterans Affairs medical center located in Northampton, MA, as the "Edward P. Boland Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Center"; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. OBEY (for himself, Mr. PASTOR, and Mr. RHODES):
H.R. 4185. A bill entitled, "The Morris K. Udall Scholarship and Excellence in National Environmental and Native American Public Policy Act of 1992"; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. RAHALL (for himself and Mr. SHARP):
H.R. 4186. A bill to amend the Mineral Leasing Act to facilitate the development of coalbed methane gas; to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs.

By Mr. RIDGE:
H.R. 4187. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to encourage immediate investments in new manufacturing and other productive equipment by temporarily allowing an investment tax credit to taxpayers who increase the amount of such investments; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. ROHRABACHER:
H.R. 4188. A bill to designate the Federal building located at 501 West Ocean Boulevard in Long Beach, CA, as the "Glenn M. Anderson Federal Building"; to the Committee on Public Works and Transportation.

By Mr. TRAFICANT:
H.R. 4189. A bill to transfer amounts appropriated for foreign aid to revenue sharing and education programs; jointly, to the Committees on Appropriations, Government Operations, Education and Labor, and Rules.

By Mr. WISE:
H.R. 4190. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide incentives for investors in oil and gas exploration; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. DOOLITTLE:
H.J. Res. 404. Joint resolution designating the week of June 1 through June 7, 1992, as "National Polio Awareness Week"; to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service.

By Mr. HAYES of Louisiana (for himself and Mr. TAUZIN):
H.J. Res. 405. Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to protect cultural and linguistic rights; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. MEYERS of Kansas:
H.J. Res. 406. Joint resolution to designate the month of May 1992 as "National Huntington's Disease Awareness Month"; to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service.

H.J. Res. 407. Joint resolution designating June 11, 1992, as "National Alcoholism and Drug Abuse Counselors Day"; to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service.

By Mr. TRAFICANT (for himself and Mr. DYMALLY):
H.J. Res. 408. Joint resolution designating October 25, 1992, as "National Arab-American Day"; to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service.

By Mr. TRAFICANT:
H.J. Res. 409. Joint resolution designating January 16, 1993, as "National Good Teen Day"; to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service.

By Mr. DELLUMS:
H. Con. Res. 273. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress regarding the U.N. peace plan in the western Sahara; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. MACHTLEY:
H. Con. Res. 274. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress that any economic recovery or tax relief package enacted by the Congress should include a correction of the "notch" problem in Social Security benefits; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. GEPHARDT:
H. Res. 340. Resolution directing the Committee on House Administration to investigate the operation and management of the Office of the Postmaster; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. LEWIS of California:
H. Res. 341. Resolution creating a Select Committee to Investigate Certain Allegations Concerning the House Post Office; which was laid on the table.

By Mr. McEWEN:
H. Res. 342. Resolution presenting a question of the privileges of the House; which was laid on the table.

By Mr. MOAKLEY (for himself and Mr. SOLOMON):
H. Res. 343. Resolution providing amounts from the contingent fund of the House for expenses of investigations and studies by the Committee on Rules in the second session of the One Hundred Second Congress; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. HOYER:
H. Res. 344. Resolution electing majority membership to standing committees of the House; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. MILLER of California:
H. Res. 345. Resolution providing amounts from contingent fund of the House for expenses of investigations and studies by the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs in the second session of the One Hundred Second Congress; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. POSHARD:
H. Res. 346. Resolution regarding the international trade policies and actions of the United States; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. SANTORUM (for himself, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. DORNAN of California, Mr. RIGGS, Mr. NUSSLE, Mr. LEWIS of Florida, Mr. CAMP, and Mr. OLIN):
H. Res. 347. Resolution limiting the mileage allowance rates for Members, officers, and employees of the House of Representatives to the rates generally applicable to Government employees; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mrs. SCHROEDER:
H. Res. 348. Resolution providing amounts from the contingent fund of the House for expenses of investigations and studies by the Select Committee on Children, Youth, and Families in the second session of the One Hundred Second Congress; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. RANGEL:
H. Res. 349. Resolution providing amounts from the contingent fund of the House for expenses of investigations and studies by the Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse and Control in the second session of the One Hundred Second Congress; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mrs. UNSOELD (for herself, Mr. SIKORSKI, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. DEFazio, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. BEILENSON, Mr. JONTZ, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. STUDDS, Mr.

SWIFT, Mr. ATKINS, Mrs. BOXER, Mr. RAVENEL, Mr. MILLER of California, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. LEVINE of California, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. COOPER, Mr. AUCOIN, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. SCHEUER, Mr. MORAN, Mrs. MINK, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mrs. SCHROEDER, Mr. KOPETSKI, Mr. SYNAR, Mr. TANNER, Mr. LEHMAN of Florida, Mr. WOLPE, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. OLVER, Mr. HUGHES, Mr. ZIMMER, Mr. PANETTA, Mr. GILCHREST, Mr. MILLER of Washington, Mr. WEISS, Mr. JOHNSTON of Florida, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. PALLONE, Ms. HORN, Mr. FAZIO, Mr. HOYER, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. McMILLEN of Maryland, Mr. BONIOR, and Mr. SKAGGS):

H. Res. 350. Resolution urging the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to accelerate the scheduled phaseout of ozone-destroying substances in the United States as required pursuant to the Clean Air Act Amendments of 1990; calling on the President to urge the contracting parties to the Montreal protocol to modify the protocol in order to accelerate the phaseout of such substances; and for other purposes based on scientific findings concerning the degradation of the stratospheric ozone layer; jointly, to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Foreign Affairs.

9.36 PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 1 of rule XXII,
Mr. REED introduced a private bill (H.R. 4191) to clear certain impediments to the licensing of the vessel *Southern Yankee* for employment in the coastwise trade of the United States; which was referred to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries.

9.37 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

- H.R. 85: Mr. McNULTY.
- H.R. 118: Mr. GUARINI, Mr. LENT, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. RIGGS, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. MOORHEAD, Mr. CAMPBELL of California, Mr. HERGER, Mr. DREIER of California, and Mr. ALEXANDER.
- H.R. 123: Mr. BARNARD, Mr. JAMES, and Mr. LENT.
- H.R. 394: Mr. ROHRABACHER, Mr. McMILLEN of Maryland, Ms. HORN, Mrs. LLOYD, Mr. DORGAN of North Dakota, Mr. FLAKE, Mr. PORTER, Mrs. UNSOELD, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. KOPETSKI, Ms. LONG, Mr. SWETT, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. BROWDER, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. SIKORSKI, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. BACCHUS, Mr. ALEXANDER, Mr. WASHINGTON, Mr. ANDREWS of Maine, Mr. HOAGLAND, Mr. APPLEGATE, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. WHEAT, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. LAROCCO, Mr. THORNTON, and Mr. BROWN.
- H.R. 489: Mr. DREIER of California.
- H.R. 501: Mr. DYMALLY and Mr. MOLLOHAN.
- H.R. 583: Mr. MURPHY.
- H.R. 602: Mr. HUBBARD.
- H.R. 643: Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota and Mr. COSTELLO.
- H.R. 659: Mr. WOLPE.
- H.R. 722: Mr. OWENS of New York, Mr. DOOLITTLE, and Mr. MFUME.
- H.R. 723: Mr. OWENS of New York and Mr. MFUME.
- H.R. 919: Mr. ROTH.
- H.R. 951: Mr. PARKER, Mr. BAKER, and Mr. LAGOMARSINO.
- H.R. 962: Mr. LANTOS.
- H.R. 967: Mr. BROWN, Mr. TOWNS, and Mr. LANTOS.

- H.R. 1004: Mr. RITTER.
H.R. 1145: Mr. ANDREWS of Maine Mr. MARKEY, Mr. LEWIS of California, Mr. GILCHREST Mr. TORRES, and Mr. OLVER.
H.R. 1218: Mr. DOWNEY.
H.R. 1330: Mr. SENSENBRENNER.
H.R. 1348: Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. PENNY, and Mr. LENT.
H.R. 1439: Mr. SKEEN and Mr. SMITH of Oregon.
H.R. 1450: Mr. WISE and Mr. COBLE.
H.R. 1456: Mr. WYLIE.
H.R. 1473: Mr. SPENCE.
H.R. 1485: Mr. LOWERY of California, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. MARTIN, Mr. IRELAND, and Mr. KOLTER.
H.R. 1516: Mr. NEAL of North Carolina, Mr. SMITH of Oregon, and Mr. HUCKABY.
H.R. 1522: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mrs. MORELLA, and Mr. SPENCE.
H.R. 1536: Mr. LIGHTFOOT and Mr. KOLTER.
H.R. 1546: Mr. JOHNSON of Texas and Mr. RAY.
H.R. 1547: Mr. PENNY, Mr. WILSON, and Mr. LEWIS of Florida.
H.R. 1570: Mr. LIVINGSTON, Mr. LEVINE of California, and Mr. SPENCE.
H.R. 1602: Mr. HAYES of Illinois.
H.R. 1733: Mr. FEIGHAN.
H.R. 1755: Mr. MCCANDLESS.
H.R. 1900: Mr. ENGEL.
H.R. 1992: Mr. ENGEL.
H.R. 2152: Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. McMILLEN of Maryland, and Mr. YATES.
H.R. 2233: Mr. JOHNSON of South Dakota.
H.R. 2407: Mr. GUARINI, Mr. CAMPBELL of California, Mr. HOAGLAND, Mr. MOODY, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. COX of Illinois, Mr. RIGGS, and Mr. SPRATT.
H.R. 2492: Mrs. KENNELLY.
H.R. 2561: Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota.
H.R. 2590: Mr. ENGEL.
H.R. 2614: Mr. HENRY and Mr. SANDERS.
H.R. 2782: Mr. LEVINE of California, Mr. STARK, Mr. VISLOSKEY, Mr. GAYDOS, and Mr. LAFALCE.
H.R. 2797: Mr. ANDREWS of New Jersey, Mr. APPLIGATE, Mrs. BOXER, Mr. COX of California, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. DWYER of New Jersey, Mr. FASCELL, Mr. GILCHREST, Mr. HAYES of Illinois, Mr. MORAN, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. SAWYER, Mr. SKAGGS, Ms. WATERS, and Mr. WAXMAN.
H.R. 2830: Mr. CHANDLER.
H.R. 2854: Mr. SIKORSKI.
H.R. 2867: Mr. PAXON.
H.R. 2872: Mr. GRANDY.
H.R. 2945: Mr. TRAFICANT and Mr. UPTON.
H.R. 3112: Mr. DAVIS.
H.R. 3146: Mr. JOHNSON of Texas.
H.R. 3171: Mr. EMERSON.
H.R. 3198: Mr. ROTH, Mr. ESPY, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. EMERSON, and Mr. MCGRATH.
H.R. 3217: Mr. RAMSTAD and Mr. PAXON.
H.R. 3250: Mr. RAY, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. GAYDOS, and Mr. POSHARD.
H.R. 3253: Mr. DORGAN of North Dakota and Mr. STAGGERS.
H.R. 3281: Mr. BROWN.
H.R. 3380: Mr. GINGRICH, Mr. COLEMAN of Missouri, and Mr. DAVIS.
H.R. 3413: Mr. WILSON.
H.R. 3438: Mr. DORNAN of California.
H.R. 3439: Mr. DORNAN of California.
H.R. 3440: Mr. DORNAN of California.
H.R. 3441: Mr. DORNAN of California.
H.R. 3442: Mr. DORNAN of California.
H.R. 3464: Mr. OWENS of New York.
H.R. 3493: Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. FRANKS of Connecticut, Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. RIGGS, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. BLILEY, Mr. NUSSLE, Mr. LENT, Mr. GILMAN, Mrs. MEYERS of Kansas, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. RHODES, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. KLUG, and Mr. BOEHNER.
H.R. 3544: Mr. AUCCOIN, Mr. TORRES, Mr. WILSON, Mr. CLAY, Mr. FORD of Tennessee, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. DELLUMS, and Mr. REED.
H.R. 3553: Mr. WHEAT and Mrs. SCHROEDER.
H.R. 3557: Mr. DEFazio.
H.R. 3560: Mr. MAZZOLI, Mr. MURPHY, Mr. GORDON, and Mr. RAMSTAD.
H.R. 3561: Mr. SANTORUM, Ms. ROSLEHTINEN, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. SMITH of Texas, and Mr. LEWIS of Florida.
H.R. 3599: Mr. DANNEMEYER.
H.R. 3609: Mr. THOMAS of Wyoming.
H.R. 3654: Mr. ALLEN, Mr. BARRETT, Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. HOBSON, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. NICHOLS, Mr. SCHAEFER, Mr. SKEEN, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mrs. VUCANOVICH, and Mr. WOLF.
H.R. 3726: Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. EVANS, and Mr. PERKINS.
H.R. 3732: Mr. KOSTMAYER, Mr. JOHNSON of South Dakota, Mr. SWIFT, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. AUCCOIN, Mr. VENTO, Mr. MRAZEK, Mrs. COLLINS of Michigan, Mr. HAYES of Louisiana, Mr. FLAKE, Mr. ESPY, Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. ROE, Mr. FORD of Michigan, Mr. FAZIO, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. MCCLOSKEY, Mr. WHITTEN, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. GONZALEZ, and Mr. REED.
H.R. 3741: Mr. MORAN, Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. MONTGOMERY, Mr. ATKINS, Mr. HUGHES, Mr. CHAPMAN, and Ms. MOLINARI.
H.R. 3781: Mr. KLUG and Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota.
H.R. 3809: Mr. MFUME, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. KOLTER, Mr. DOWNEY, Mr. ROE, Mr. YATES, Mr. MILLER of Washington, Mr. PARKER, Mrs. MINK, and Mr. EVANS.
H.R. 3844: Mr. DELLUMS and Mr. HAYES of Illinois.
H.R. 3887: Mr. NUSSLE.
H.R. 3891: Mr. BOEHNER.
H.R. 3954: Mr. BARTON of Texas.
H.R. 3956: Mr. TORRES.
H.R. 3975: Mr. ANDREWS of Maine, Mr. MORAN, Mr. COSTELLO, and Mr. DWYER of New Jersey.
H.R. 3988: Mr. DAVIS.
H.R. 4016: Mr. DORGAN of North Dakota, Mr. HUGHES, and Mrs. LLOYD.
H.R. 4034: Mr. FEIGHAN, Mr. LEHMAN of Florida, Mr. MRAZEK, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. YATES, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. BEILENSEN, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. FROST, Mr. SCHEUER, and Mr. McNULTY.
H.R. 4045: Mr. BONIOR, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. WOLPE, and Mr. JONES of Georgia.
H.R. 4051: Mr. POSHARD and Mr. FORD of Michigan.
H.R. 4073: Mr. FUSTER, Mr. MFUME, Ms. OAKAR, Mr. SAVAGE, Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. FLAKE, and Mr. FROST.
H.R. 4083: Mr. SARPALIUS, Mr. CHAPMAN, Mr. SAVAGE, Mr. FROST, Mr. ANNUNZIO, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. HEFNER, Mr. EDWARDS of Texas, and Mr. OWENS of New York.
H.R. 4089: Mr. MONTGOMERY, Mr. McCURDY, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. McMILLEN of Maryland, Mr. LENT, Mr. BACCHUS, Mr. LEWIS of Florida, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. HENRY, Mr. WALSH, and Mr. ESPY.
H.R. 4093: Mr. PENNY, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. EWING, Mr. HUCKABY, Mr. DANNEMEYER, and Mr. GILLMOR.
H.R. 4123: Mr. McMILLAN of North Carolina, Ms. SLAUGHTER and Mr. UPTON.
H.R. 4130: Mr. ARMEY, Mr. JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. ROBERTS, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. ZIMMER, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. GALLEGLY, and Mr. PURSELL.
H.R. 4131: Mr. CHAPMAN, Mr. EDWARDS of Texas, Mr. LAUGHLIN, Mr. TALLON, and Mr. RAVENEL.
H.R. 4150: Mr. YOUNG of Alaska.
H.J. Res. 15: Mr. DICKINSON.
H.J. Res. 121: Mr. COYNE, Mr. LEWIS of Florida, Ms. LONG, Mr. GALLO, Mr. MONTGOMERY, Mr. BENNETT, Mr. BATEMAN, Mr. FLAKE, Mr. ANNUNZIO, Mr. DICKS, Mr. BROWDER, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. STARK, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. VANDER JAGT, Mr. BEVILL, Mr. MCGRATH, Mr. MCCLOSKEY, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. HORTON, Mr. STUMP, Mr. RIGGS, Mr. McMILLEN of Maryland, Mr. WALSH, Ms. OAKAR, Mr. ERDREICH, Mrs. COLLINS of Illinois, Mr. KOLTER, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. EMERSON, Mr. HATCHER, Mr. THOMAS of Georgia, Mr. PURSELL, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. CAMP, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. PARKER, Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Mr. NOWAK, Mr. QUILLEN, Mr. SKEEN, Mr. HARRIS, Mr. WILSON, Mr. SISISKY, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. YATES, Mr. HUGHES, Mr. JENKINS, Mr. RAHALL, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. LEHMAN of Florida, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mrs. LLOYD, Mr. SABO, Mr. RANGEL, and Ms. PELOSI.
H.J. Res. 272: Mr. COMBEST, Mr. LEWIS of California, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. MARTIN, Mr. MCCLOSKEY, Mr. ANTHONY, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. DICKINSON, Mr. ROTH, Mr. SHARP, Mr. CALLAHAN, Mr. WOLF, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. MOODY, Mr. ROWLAND, Mr. LANCASTER, Mr. HEFNER, Mr. COOPER, Mr. BATEMAN, Mr. CARPER, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. BROWN, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. GINGRICH, Mr. PARKER, Mr. DAVIS, Mr. SLATTERY, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. VOLKMER, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. SISISKY, Mr. MCEWEN, Mr. HERGER, Mr. REGULA, Mr. PICKLE, Mr. CHANDLER, Mr. GALLO, Mr. BENNETT, Mr. HAYES of Illinois, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. ROBERTS, Mr. FAZIO, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. STUMP, Mr. PAYNE of New Jersey, Mr. VANDER JAGT, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. HATCHER, Mr. COX of Illinois, Mr. FEIGHAN, Mr. HARRIS, Mr. FAWELL, Mr. CONDIT, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. SKELTON, Mr. UPTON, Mr. PETRI, Mr. MORRISON, Mr. EDWARDS of Texas, Mr. SABO, Mr. SMITH of Oregon, Mr. STAGGERS, and Mr. LAGOMARSINO.
H.J. Res. 290: Mrs. SCHROEDER and Mr. NEAL of North Carolina.
H.J. Res. 318: Mr. SYNAR, Mr. MURPHY, Mr. SAWYER, Mr. VATRON, Mr. MCCREY, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. VANDER JAGT, Mr. BUNNING, Mr. HORTON, Mr. LEVIN of Michigan, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. FLAKE, Mr. STUDDS, Mr. LIVINGSTON, Mr. PAYNE of New Jersey, Ms. LONG, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. THOMAS of Georgia, and Mr. BLAZ.
H.J. Res. 351: Mr. PENNY, Mr. SABO, Mr. KOLTER, and Mrs. UNSOELD.
H.J. Res. 369: Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. JOHNSON of South Dakota, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. FROST, Ms. NORTON, Mr. HOYER, Mr. KYL, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. FAZIO, Mr. PAYNE of Virginia, Mr. HALL of Texas, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. MCGRATH, Mr. BACCHUS, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. SUNDQUIST, Mr. JOHNSTON of Florida, and Mr. FIELDS.
H.J. Res. 378: Mr. KOPETSKI, Mr. FROST, and Mr. CARR.
H.J. Res. 385: Mr. HORTON, Mr. VENTO, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. HATCHER, Mr. MCGRATH, Mr. MORAN, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. BATEMAN, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. HUNTER, and Mr. ROE.
H.J. Res. 390: Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. EVANS, Mr. ROE, Mr. HOYER, Mr. DAVIS, Mr. BLILEY, Mr. DE LUGO, Mr. DOWNEY, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. MOORHEAD, Mr. LEVINE of California, Mr. HENRY, Mr. DIXON, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. WYLIE, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. GEKAS, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. LEWIS of Florida, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. FORD of Tennessee, Mr. FAZIO, Mr. DE LA GARZA, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. PAYNE of New Jersey, Mrs. LOWEY of New York, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. GUARINI, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. NUSSLE, Mr. FASCELL, Mr. SHAW, Mr. SERRANO, and Mr. ANDREWS of Maine.
H.J. Res. 392: Mr. SAVAGE, Mr. BACCHUS, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. HORTON, Mr. HEFNER, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. McMILLEN of Maryland, Mr. FUSTER, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. SKEEN, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. EMERSON, Mr. RAVENEL, and Mr. PARKER.
H.J. Res. 395: Mr. BATEMAN, Mr. ROE, Mr. WHEAT, Mr. SHAW, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. PORTER, Mr. SIKORSKI, and Mr. DINGELL.
H. Con. Res. 180: Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts.

H. Con. Res. 194: Mr. RIDGE and Mr. COX of California.

H. Con. Res. 205: Mr. STOKES.

H. Con. Res. 225: Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. SANTORUM, Mr. WOLF, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. FAWELL, Mr. HEFLEY, and Mr. KLUG.

H. Res. 215: Mr. BOEHNER and Mr. KLUG.

H. Res. 314: Mr. PAXON.

H. Res. 322: Mrs. PATTERSON, Mr. KOSTMAYER, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. FEIGHAN, Mr. DANNEMEYER, Mr. GOSS, Mr. GUNDERSON, Mr. HYDE, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. SMITH of Florida, and Mr. SCHEUER.

H. Res. 323: Mr. DORGAN of North Dakota.

H. Res. 332: Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. WALKER, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. IRELAND, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. FAWELL, Mr. PAXON, Mr. SANDERS, and Mr. KLUG.

9.38 DELETIONS OF SPONSORS FROM PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, sponsors were deleted from public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 2824: Mrs. VUCANOVICH.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1992 (10)

10.1 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The House was called to order by the SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LAUGHLIN, who laid before the House the following communication:

WASHINGTON, DC,
February 7, 1992.

I hereby designate the Honorable GREG LAUGHLIN to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

THOMAS S. FOLEY,
Speaker, House of Representatives.

10.2 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LAUGHLIN, announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of February 5, 1992.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal was approved.

And then,

10.3 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. SMITH of Florida, pursuant to the special order agreed to on February 5, 1992, at 12 o'clock and 15 minutes p.m., the House adjourned until 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, February 11, 1992.

10.4 PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 5 of rule X and clause 4 of rule XXII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred as follows:

By Mr. JACOBS (for himself, Mr. LEVIN of Michigan, and Mr. DORGAN of North Dakota):

H.R. 4192. A bill to amend the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 to provide for truth in budgeting with respect to intragovernmental transactions involving trust funds; jointly, to the Committees on Government Operations and Rules.

By Mrs. BENTLEY:

H.R. 4193. A bill to prohibit the President from entering into or carrying out a country-to-country agreement to allow production of the Patriot missile system by another country; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. BURTON of Indiana (for himself, Mr. TRAXLER, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. LEVIN of Michigan, and Mr. FORD of Michigan):

H.R. 4194. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow individuals a temporary refundable credit for the purchase of a new domestic passenger vehicle; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. DICKINSON:

H.R. 4195. A bill to direct the Secretary of Transportation to carry out a limited access highway project in the vicinity of Dothan, AL; to the Committee on Public Works and Transportation.

By Mr. HARRIS:

H.R. 4196. A bill to prohibit the Secretary of Veterans Affairs from carrying out the rural health care initiative; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. IRELAND (for himself and Mr. GUNDERSON):

H.R. 4197. A bill to amend the Small Business Act to provide additional loan assistance to small business, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Small Business.

By Mr. JONES of North Carolina (for himself, Mr. STUDDS, Mr. LENT, Mr. DAVIS, Mr. HORTON, Mr. ANDERSON, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. DORNAN of California, Mr. AUCOIN, Mr. EVANS, Mr. TALLON, Mr. WALSH, Mr. BATEMAN, Mr. HUTTO, Mr. BLAZ, Mr. HUBBARD, and Mr. HOCHBRUECKNER):

H.R. 4198. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Service Code of 1986 to exempt vessels of 100 gross tons or less from the tax on transportation of persons by water; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. KOLTER:

H.R. 4199. A bill to direct the Administrator of General Services to review existing House of Representatives motor vehicle leases and to require that future leasing be conducted through the General Services Administration; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. MICHEL (for himself and Mr. ARCHER):

H.R. 4200. A bill to create jobs, promote economic growth, and encourage savings, investment, and home ownership; jointly, to the Committees on Ways and Means, Government Operations, Education and Labor, the Judiciary, and Post Office and Civil Service.

By Mr. KOSTMAYER:

H.R. 4201. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 with respect to the treatment of certain real property under the special estate tax valuation provisions for certain farm and other real property; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HOAGLAND (for himself, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. NEAL of North Carolina, Mr. WYLIE, Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. RIDGE, Mr. FLAKE, Mr. LAROCCO, Mr. ORTON, Mr. FAZIO, Mr. KYL, Mr. SPRATT, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. PRICE, Mr. KOPETSKI, and Mr. DOOLEY):

H.R. 4202. A bill to provide for nationwide banking and branching; to the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. MARKEY (for himself, Mr. MOAKLEY, Mr. STUDDS, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. MAVROULES, Mr. ATKINS, Mr. EARLY, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. OLVER, and Mr. DONNELLY):

H.R. 4203. A bill to amend the Emergency Unemployment Compensation Act of 1991 to correct certain inconsistencies between State and Federal unemployment compensation rules and assure that all eligible individuals will receive full unemployment benefits; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. MEYERS of Kansas:

H.R. 4204. A bill to recognize the organization known as the Shepherd's Centers of America, Inc., to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. OBERSTAR:

H.R. 4205. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to permit Federal firearms licensees to conduct firearms business at out-of-State gun shows; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SANDERS (for himself, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. MCGRATH, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. STAGGERS, Mr. OWENS of New York, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Mr. PAYNE of New Jersey, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. LEHMAN of Florida, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. MFUME, Mr. MURPHY, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. FASCELL, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. HORTON, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. KOLTER, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. SAVAGE, Mr. EVANS, Mr. ROGERS, Mr. MILLER of California, Mr. ANDREWS of Maine, Mr. DONNELLY, Mr. ANDREWS of New Jersey, Mr. MRAZEK, Mr. TORRES, Ms. OAKAR, Mr. SANGMEISTER, Mr. SCHEUER, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. LEVINE of California, Ms. WATERS, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. HAYES of Illinois, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. WISE, Mr. FLAKE, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. MAZZOLI, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. ROYBAL, Mr. RANGEL, and Mr. FROST):

H.R. 4206. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for the establishment or support by States of registries regarding cancer, to provide for a study regarding the elevated rate of mortality for breast cancer in certain States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. SNOWE (for herself, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. GRANDY, Mr. BOEHNER, and Mr. PALLONE):

H.R. 4207. A bill to amend title 23, United States Code, to repeal a penalty for non-compliance by States with a program requiring the use of safety belts and motorcycle helmets; to the Committee on Public Works and Transportation.

By Mr. STARK (for himself, Mr. JONTZ, and Mr. BROWN):

H.R. 4208. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to deny the benefits of certain export subsidies in the case of exports of certain unprocessed timber; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. SYNAR (for himself, Mr. BREWSTER, Mr. EDWARDS of Oklahoma, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. INHOFE, and Mr. MCCURDY):

H.R. 4209. A bill to amend the act entitled "An Act conferring jurisdiction on certain courts of the United States to hear and render judgment in connection with certain claims of the Cherokee Nation of Oklahoma," approved December 23, 1982; jointly, to the Committees on Interior and Insular Affairs and the Judiciary.

By Mr. ASPIN:

H. Res. 351. Resolution providing amounts from the contingent fund of the House for expenses of investigations and studies by the Committee on Armed Services in the 2d session of the 102d Congress; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. BROWN:

H. Res. 352. Resolution providing amounts from the contingent fund of the House for expenses of investigations and studies by the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology in the 2d session of the 102d Congress; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. DE LA GARZA:

H. Res. 353. Resolution providing amounts from the contingent fund of the House for ex-