

Though voluntary, the pursuant to these goals must be the work of our Nation as a whole. Ten years ago this month, *A Nation At Risk* was released. Its warnings still ring true. It is time to act boldly. It is time to rekindle the dream that good schools offer.

I urge the Congress to take prompt and favorable action on this legislation.

WILLIAM J. CLINTON.

THE WHITE HOUSE, *April 21, 1993.*

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. KOPETSKI, by unanimous consent, referred the message, together with the accompanying papers, to the Committee on Education and Labor and ordered it to be printed (H. Doc. 103-70).

¶43.17 SUBPOENA

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. KOPETSKI, laid before the House a communication, which was read as follows:

WASHINGTON, DC,
April 21, 1993.

Hon. THOMAS S. FOLEY,
Speaker, House of Representatives,
Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: This is to notify you pursuant to Rule L (50) of the Rules of the House a member of my staff has been served with a subpoena issued by the General District Court of Fairfax County, Virginia.

After consultation with the General Counsel of the House, I have determined that compliance with the subpoena is not inconsistent with the privileges and precedents of the House.

With great respect, I am
Sincerely yours,

DONALD K. ANDERSON,
Clerk, House of Representatives.

¶43.18 SUBPOENA

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. KOPETSKI, laid before the House a communication, which was read as follows:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, April 12, 1993.

Hon. THOMAS FOLEY,
Capitol Building,
Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: This is to formally notify you pursuant to Rule L (50) of the Rules of the House that I have been served with a subpoena in a civil suit issued by the Circuit Court, Pinellas County, Florida.

After consultation with the General Counsel to the Clerk, I have determined that compliance with the subpoena is consistent with the privileges and procedures of the House.

Sincerely,

CURT WELDON,
Member of Congress.

¶43.19 SENATE ENROLLED JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

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

S.J. Res. 30. Joint resolution to designate the weeks of April 25 through May 2, 1993, and April 10 through 17, 1994, as "Jewish Heritage Week".

¶43.20 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to Mr. GEJDENSON, for today.

And then,

¶43.21 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. OBEY, pursuant to the special order heretofore agreed to, at 3 o'clock and 43 minutes p.m., the House adjourned until 12 o'clock noon on Monday, April 26, 1993.

¶43.22 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. 1189. A bill to entitle certain armored car crew members to lawfully carry a weapon in any State while protecting the security of valuable goods in interstate commerce in the service of an armored car company (Rept. No. 103-62). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. MONTGOMERY: Committee on Veterans' Affairs. H.R. 798. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to codify the rates of disability compensation for veterans with service-connected disabilities and the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation for survivors of such veterans as such rates took effect on December 1, 1992, with amendments (Rept. No. 103-63). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. MONTGOMERY: Committee on Veterans' Affairs. H.R. 1032. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide for improved and expedited procedures for resolving complaints of unlawful employment discrimination arising within the Department of Veterans Affairs, with amendments (Rept. No. 103-64). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

¶43.23 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. BERMAN:

H.R. 1803. A bill to authorize contributions to United Nations peacekeeping activities; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. KILDEE (for himself, Mr. FORD of Michigan, Mr. SAWYER, Mr. OWENS, Mrs. UNSOELD, Mr. ROEMER, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. GENE GREEN, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. STRICKLAND, Mr. PAYNE of New Jersey, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, Mr. MURPHY, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. BAESLER, and Mr. CLYBURN):

H.R. 1804. A bill to improve learning and teaching by providing a national framework for education reform; to promote the research, consensus building, and systemic changes needed to ensure equitable educational opportunities and high levels of educational achievement for all American students; to provide a framework for reauthorization of all Federal education programs; to promote the development and adoption of a voluntary national system of skill standards and certifications; and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. KILDEE:

H.R. 1805. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to provide a criminal penalty for dumping solid waste on certain Federal lands, to increase the fine for illegally cutting, developing, or transporting timber on Federal lands, and to establish programs to decrease the illegal dumping of solid waste on certain Federal lands; jointly, to the Committees on the Judiciary and Natural Resources.

By Mr. ANDREWS of Maine:

H.R. 1806. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exempt transportation on certain ferries from the excise tax on transportation of passengers by water; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. ANDREWS of Texas:

H.R. 1807. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide special rules for certain gratuitous transfers of employer securities for the benefit of employees; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. TORRES:

H.R. 1808. A bill to amend the Solid Waste Disposal Act to provide management standards and recycling requirements for spent lead-acid batteries; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

H.R. 1809. A bill to amend the Solid Waste Disposal Act to require producers and importers of newsprint to recycle a certain percentage of newsprint each year, to require the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to establish a recycling credit system for carrying out such recycling requirement, to establish a management and tracking system for such newsprint, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

H.R. 1810. A bill to amend the Solid Waste Disposal Act to require producers and importers of tires to recycle a certain percentage of scrap tires each year, to require the administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to establish a recycling credit system for carrying out such recycling requirement, to establish a management and tracking system for such tires, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska:

H.R. 1811. A bill to provide that requirements relating to transport of certain agricultural commodities and other items shall not apply to certain assistance provided to Russia; to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries.

H.R. 1812. A bill to amend the Food for Progress Act of 1985 to clarify the application of other laws to the agricultural commodities furnished under that act pursuant to the Vancouver Package; jointly, to the Committees on Ways and Means and Agriculture.

By Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland (for himself, Mr. DELAY, and Mr. COX):

H.R. 1813. A bill to provide that rates of basic pay for Members of Congress be adjusted in a manner that reflects the degree of success of efforts to reduce the Federal deficit without raising taxes; jointly, to the Committees on Post Office and Civil Service and House Administration.

By Mr. BILIRAKIS (for himself, Mr. ROWLAND, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. EMERSON, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. WALSH, Mr. SKEEN, Ms. BYRNE, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. SCOTT, Ms. NORTON, Miss COLLINS of Michigan, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. EVANS, Mr. GLICKMAN, and Mr. BLACKWELL):

H.R. 1814. A bill to direct the Secretary of Health and Human Services to provide for demonstration projects under the Medicaid Program to improve access to obstetric services in underserved areas, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. BREWSTER (for himself, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. ORTON, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. SARPALIUS, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. BARCIA, Mrs. VUCANOVICH, Mr. OXLEY, Mr. LAROCO, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. EMERSON, Mr. ZIMMER, Mr. SMITH of Oregon, Mr. PETE