

¶70.24 PROVIDING FOR THE
CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 2403

Mr. BEILENSEN, by direction of the Committee on Rules, called up the following resolution (H. Res. 201):

Resolved, That at any time after the adoption of this resolution the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 1(b) of rule XXIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2403) making appropriations for the Treasury Department, the United States Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain Independent Agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1994, and for other purposes. The first reading of the bill shall be dispensed with. Points of order against consideration of the bill for failure to comply with clause 7 of rule XXI are waived. General debate shall be confined to the bill and shall not exceed one hour equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations. After general debate the bill shall be considered for amendment under the five-minute rule. Points of order under clause 2 or 6 of rule XXI against provisions in the bill are waived except as follows: beginning with "Provided" on page 17, line 2, through "Code:" on line 5; beginning on page 19, line 22, through page 20, line 16; and beginning on page 62, line 22, through page 63, line 2. Where points of order are waived against only part of a paragraph, a point of order against matter in the balance of the paragraph may be applied only within the balance of the paragraph and not against the entire paragraph. It shall be in order to consider the amendment printed in the report of the Committee on Rules accompanying this resolution if offered by a named proponent or a designee. That amendment shall be considered as read, shall be debatable for the time specified in the report equally divided and controlled by its proponent and an opponent, and shall not be subject to amendment. All points of order against the amendment printed in the report are waived. At the conclusion of consideration of the bill for amendment the Committee shall rise and report the bill to the House with such amendments as may have been adopted. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the bill and amendments thereto to final passage without intervening motion except one motion to recommit.

The question being put, *viva voce*, Will the House now consider said resolution?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. McNULTY, announced that two-thirds of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

So, the House decided to consider said resolution.

After debate,

On motion of Mr. BEILENSEN, the previous question was ordered on the resolution to its adoption or rejection, and under the operation thereof, 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.

¶70.25 TREASURY AND POSTAL SERVICE
APPROPRIATIONS

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. McNULTY, pursuant to House Resolution 201 and rule XXIII, declared the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the

Union for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 2403) making appropriations for the Treasury Department, the United States Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain Independent Agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1994, and for other purposes.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. McNULTY, by unanimous consent, designated Mr. STUDDS as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole; and after some time spent therein,

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. INSLEE, assumed the Chair.

When Mr. STUDDS, Chairman, reported that the Committee, having had under consideration said bill, had come to no resolution thereon.

¶70.26 MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT—
U.S.-LATVIA FISHERY AGREEMENT

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

To the Congress of the United States:

In accordance with the Magnuson Fishery Conservation and Management Act of 1976 (Public Law 94-265; 16 U.S.C. 1801 *et seq.*), I transmit herewith an Agreement between the Government of the United States of America and the Government of the Republic of Latvia Concerning Fisheries off the Coasts of the United States, with annex, signed at Washington on April 8, 1993. The agreement constitutes a governing international fishery agreement within the requirements of Section 201(c) of the Act.

United States fishing industry interests have urged prompt consideration of this agreement to take advantage of opportunities for seasonal cooperative fishing ventures. I recommend that the Congress give favorable consideration to this agreement at an early date.

WILLIAM J. CLINTON.

THE WHITE HOUSE, June 17, 1993.

By unanimous consent, the message, together with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries and ordered to be printed (H. Doc. 103-102).

¶70.27 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION AND
CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS REFERRED

A joint resolution and concurrent resolution of the Senate of the following titles were taken from the Speaker's table and, under the rule, referred as follows:

S.J. Res. 71. Joint resolution to designate June 5, 1993, as "National Trails Day"; to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service.

S. Con. Res. 29. Concurrent resolution relating to the Asia Pacific Economic Cooperation organization; to the Committees on Foreign Affairs and Ways and Means.

¶70.28 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted—

To Mr. FIELDS of Texas, for today;

To Mr. MCDADE, for today; and

To Mr. THOMAS of Wyoming, for today after 4:30 p.m. and June 18.

And then,

¶70.29 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, at 6 o'clock and 56 minutes p.m., the House adjourned.

¶70.30 REPORTS OF COMMITTEE 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. BEVILL: Committee on Appropriations. H.R. 2445. A bill making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1994, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 103-135). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. HEFNER: Committee on Appropriations. H.R. 2446. A bill making appropriations for military construction for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1994, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 103-136). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. BEILENSEN: Committee on Rules. H. Res. 201. Resolution providing for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 2403) making appropriations for the Treasury Department, the U.S. Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1994, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 103-137). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. DINGELL: Committee on Energy and Commerce. H.R. 2243. A bill to amend the Federal Trade Commission Act to extend the authorization of appropriations in such act, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 103-138). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. MINETA: Committee on Public Works and Transportation. H.R. 168. A bill to designate the Federal building to be constructed between Gay and Market Streets and Cumberland and Church Avenues in Knoxville, TN, as the "Howard H. Baker, Jr. United States Courthouse" (Rept. No. 103-139). Referred to the House Calendar.

¶70.31 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. GONZALEZ (for himself and Mr. LEACH):

H.R. 2443. A bill to provide for the equitable disposition of distributions that are held by a bank or other intermediary as to which the beneficial owners are unknown or whose addresses are unknown, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs.

By Mr. ALLARD (for himself and Mr. BUNNING):

H.R. 2444. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 with respect to the deductibility of certain home office expenses; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BEVILL:

H.R. 2445. A bill making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1994, and for other purposes.

By Mr. HEFNER:

H.R. 2446. A bill making appropriations for military construction for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1994, and for other purposes.

By Mr. BEILENSEN (for himself and Mrs. MORELLA):

H.R. 2447. A bill to amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to establish and strengthen policies and programs for the

early stabilization of world population through the global expansion of reproductive choice, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. MARKEY (for himself, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. SWIFT, and Mr. HASTERT):

H.R. 2448. A bill to improve the accuracy of radon testing products and services, to increase testing for radon, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. COSTELLO:

H.R. 2449. A bill to establish an inter-agency task force to conduct a study regarding the problems affecting smaller cities in the United States and recommend actions to alleviate such problems; to the Committee on Government Operations.

By Mr. DURBIN (for himself, Mr. EVANS, and Mr. VOLKMER):

H.R. 2450. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Army to provide shoreline projects to maintain certain flood control projects on the Mississippi and Iowa Rivers; to the Committee on Public Works and Transportation.

By Mr. KENNEDY (for himself, Mr. EVANS, Mr. BUYER, Mr. GUTIERREZ, and Mr. CLEMENT):

H.R. 2451. A bill to provide for the establishment of a specialized environmental medical unit to investigate the possible health effects of environmental and chemical exposures of U.S. military personnel in the Persian Gulf war and for related civilian purposes; jointly, to the Committees on Armed Services and Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. KLECZKA:

H.R. 2452. A bill relating to the tariff treatment of certain agglomerated cork products; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MACHTLEY:

H.R. 2453. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide tax incentives to encourage the conversion of the defense industry to commercial endeavors, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

H.R. 2454. A bill to increase the efficiency of Government procurement; jointly, to the Committees on Government Operations and the Judiciary.

By Mr. OWENS (for himself, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. KLINK, Mr. PAYNE of New Jersey, Mrs. UNSOELD, Mr. REED, Mr. WILLIAMS, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. CLAY, and Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA):

H.R. 2455. A bill to help local school systems achieve goal six of the national education goals, which provides that by the year 2000, every school in America will be free of drugs and violence and will offer a disciplined environment conducive to learning, by ensuring that all schools are safe and free of violence; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. PAYNE of New Jersey:

H.R. 2456. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 in order to provide an incentive for business to invest in pollution abatement property and related assets; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. PELOSI (for herself, Mr. FAZIO, Mr. HAMBURG, and Mr. MILLER of California):

H.R. 2457. A bill to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a salmon captive broodstock program; to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries.

70.32 MEMORIALS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, memorials were presented and referred as follows:

202. By the SPEAKER: Memorial of the Legislature of the State of Nebraska, relative to Social Security; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

203. Also, memorial of the Legislature of the State of Michigan, relative to low income housing tax credit; to the Committee of Ways and Means.

204. Also, memorial of the Senate of the State of New York, relative to health care costs; jointly, to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Ways and Means.

205. Also, memorial of the Legislature of the State of Nebraska, relative to the Nevada test site; jointly, to the Committees on Science, Space, and Technology; Armed Services; and Education and Labor.

70.33 PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 1 of rule XXII,

Mr. CLINGER introduced a bill (H.R. 2458) for the relief of Livio B. Colosimo; which was referred to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

70.34 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 81: Mr. PETERSON of Florida, Mr. PAS-TOR, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. SABO, Mr. JOHNSTON of Florida, and Mr. DEAL.

H.R. 136: Mr. BATEMAN, Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. EMERSON, Mr. ROGERS, and Mr. GORDON.

H.R. 162: Mr. MCINNIS, Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, Mr. RIDGE, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, and Mr. POMEROY.

H.R. 349: Mr. HOAGLAND.

H.R. 350: Mr. DIXON, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. NEAL of North Carolina, Ms. SCHENK, and Ms. SHEPHERD.

H.R. 436: Mr. RIDGE, Mrs. BENTLEY, Mr. BLUTE, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. SCOTT, Mr. TUCKER, and Mrs. MEYERS of Kansas.

H.R. 441: Mr. MEEHAN.

H.R. 467: Mr. DE LUGO and Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD.

H.R. 509: Mr. SENSENBRENNER.

H.R. 535: Mr. KLUG.

H.R. 624: Mr. SWETT, Mr. CASTLE, and Mr. PAXON.

H.R. 667: Mr. YOUNG of Florida and Mr. BAKER of California.

H.R. 749: Mr. KIM.

H.R. 758: Mr. COBLE.

H.R. 789: Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mr. SARPALUIS, Mr. TEJEDA, Mr. WILSON, Mr. MINETA, and Mr. HILLIARD.

H.R. 833: Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD.

H.R. 911: Mr. BILBRAY and Mr. BONILLA.

H.R. 1141: Mr. BORSKI and Mr. GILCHREST.

H.R. 1156: Mr. MARTINEZ.

H.R. 1206: Mr. SCOTT and Mr. SERRANO.

H.R. 1251: Mr. SCHIFF.

H.R. 1270: Mr. SMITH of New Jersey.

H.R. 1295: Mr. GORDON, Ms. ENGLISH of Arizona, Mr. VISLOSKEY, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. HEFNER, and Mrs. MORELLA.

H.R. 1296: Mr. LAUGHLIN and Mr. BRYANT.

H.R. 1389: Mr. ENGEL.

H.R. 1392: Mr. HYDE, Mr. DOOLITTLE, and Mr. CRANE.

H.R. 1394: Mr. BONIOR.

H.R. 1428: Mr. KINGSTON.

H.R. 1504: Mr. MEEHAN and Mr. LEHMAN.

H.R. 1539: Mr. ROMERO-BARCELÓ.

H.R. 1553: Mr. MAZZOLI.

H.R. 1697: Mr. FOGLIETTA, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. HYDE, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. WHITTEN, and Mr. MCCREERY.

H.R. 1747: Mr. PAXON.

H.R. 1753: Mr. MFUME, Mr. CONYERS, and Mr. SLATTERY.

H.R. 1754: Mr. MFUME.

H.R. 1755: Mr. MFUME and Mr. CONYERS.

H.R. 1767: Mr. KLINK.

H.R. 1769: Mr. UPTON.

H.R. 1818: Ms. NORTON.

H.R. 1872: Mr. ZELIFF and Mr. BEREUTER.

H.R. 1898: Mr. INHOFE, Mr. BAKER of California, Mr. SOLOMON, and Mr. KOLBE.

H.R. 1916: Mr. REED, Ms. THURMAN, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. OLVER, Mr. MOAKLEY, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. TORKILDSEN, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. LAUGHLIN, and Mr. FILNER.

H.R. 1925: Ms. PELOSI, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, and Ms. NORTON.

H.R. 1950: Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. GINGRICH, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. BAKER of California, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. POMBO, and Mr. DOOLITTLE.

H.R. 1976: Mrs. MEYERS of Kansas.

H.R. 2004: Mr. JEFFERSON and Mrs. LLOYD.

H.R. 2025: Ms. WOOLSEY.

H.R. 2033: Mr. WASHINGTON.

H.R. 2079: Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. MORAN, and Mr. ACKERMAN.

H.R. 2094: Ms. MALONEY.

H.R. 2124: Mr. ZELIFF.

H.R. 2135: Mr. MINGE, Mr. FROST, Mr. HOAGLAND, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, and Mr. UPTON.

H.R. 2140: Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts.

H.R. 2152: Ms. BACCHUS of Florida, Mr. JOHNSTON of Florida, Mr. WILSON, Mr. GILCHREST, and Mr. FOGLIETTA.

H.R. 2154: Ms. THURMAN, Mr. MINGE, Mr. LANCASTER, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mr. KLINK, Mr. DEAL, Mr. STRICKLAND, Mr. HASTINGS, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. VOLKMER, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELÓ, Mr. RICHARDSON, Mr. GORDON, Mr. WASHINGTON, and Mr. CRAMER.

H.R. 2287: Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. LEWIS of California, Mr. BAESLER, Mr. PAXON, and Mr. ZELIFF.

H.R. 2331: Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts and Mr. GUTIERREZ.

H.R. 2354: Mr. SOLOMON.

H.R. 2365: Mr. SHARP, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. GILCHREST, Mr. HOAGLAND, Mr. OWENS, and Mr. RAMSTAD.

H.R. 2375: Mr. FILNER.

H.R. 2414: Mr. BUYER.

H.R. 2421: Mr. LANCASTER and Mr. BALLENGER.

H.R. 2434: Mr. GOSS.

H.R. 2441: Mr. BLUTE, Mr. TORKILDSEN, and Mr. EVANS.

H.J. Res. 61: Mr. COX, Mr. HYDE, Mr. MCCANDLESS, Mrs. MEYERS of Kansas, Mr. PACKARD, and Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi.

H.J. Res. 86: Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mr. PAXON, Mr. FISH, Mr. FRANKS of Connecticut, Mr. GUNDERSON, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. HUTTO, Mr. HYDE, Mr. HALL of Ohio, Mr. INHOFE, and Mr. GOODLING.

H.J. Res. 111: Mr. KLUG, Mr. BAESLER, Mr. BUNNING, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. SCOTT, and Ms. DELAURO.

H.J. Res. 131: Mr. TORKILDSEN, Ms. THURMAN, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. BATEMAN, and Ms. BYRNE.

H.J. Res. 165: Ms. THURMAN and Mr. BUNNING.

H.J. Res. 178: Mr. ORTON and Mr. GILMAN.

H.J. Res. 188: Ms. MALONEY, Mr. BAKER of California, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. BARCIA of Michigan, Mrs. MEYERS of Kansas, Mr. TORRES, Ms. FOWLER, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. PAYNE of Virginia, Mr. SANGMEISTER, Mr. SAXTON, and Mr. MOLLOHAN.

H.J. Res. 198: Mr. STUPAK and Mr. BARCIA of Michigan.

H.J. Res. 204: Mr. SISISKY, Mr. FROST, Mr. VENTO, Mr. KOPETSKI, Mr. MOLLOHAN, and Mr. TORRICELLI.

H. Con. Res. 73: Mr. MARTINEZ and Mr. SERRANO.

H. Con. Res. 98: Mr. EDWARDS of California, Mr. MINETA, Mr. KYL, Mr. FAZIO, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. JACOBS, Mr. MACHTLEY, Mr. TORRES, Mr. DOOLEY, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. MATSUI, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. MILLER of California, Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. BACCHUS of Florida, Ms. SCHENK, and Mr. CONDIT.