

(H.R. 2900) to clarify and revise the small business exemption from the nutrition labeling requirements of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act and for other purposes.

When said bill 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 the bill was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

*Ordered.* That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

¶97.21 PERMISSION TO FILE REPORTS

On motion of Mr. HALL of Texas, by unanimous consent, the Committee on Science, Space, and Technology was granted permission until 5 p.m., Monday, August 30, 1993, to file reports on the bill (H.R. 2811) to authorize certain atmospheric, weather, and satellite programs and functions of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, and for other purposes; and the bill (H.R. 2820) to permit the prevailing party in a civil action in Federal court to recover attorneys's fees from the losing party.

¶97.22 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE TO SIGN ENROLLMENTS

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

*Washington, DC,  
August 6, 1993.*

I hereby designate the Honorable STENY H. HOYER to act as Speaker pro tempore to sign enrolled bills and joint resolutions until Wednesday, September 8, 1993.

THOMAS S. FOLEY,

*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

By unanimous consent, the designation was accepted.

¶97.23 PROVIDING FOR THE FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 2401

Mr. MOAKLEY, by direction of the Committee on Rules, reported (Rept. No. 103-223) the resolution (H. Res. 246) providing for the further consideration of the bill (H.R. 2401) to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1994 for military activities of the Department of Defense, to prescribe military personnel strengths for fiscal year 1994, and for other purposes.

When said resolution and report were referred to the House Calendar and ordered printed.

¶97.24 RECESS—6:38 P.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. KANJORSKI, pursuant to clause 12 of rule I, declared the House in recess at 6 o'clock and 38 minutes p.m., subject to the call of the Chair.

¶97.25 AFTER RECESS—10:35 P.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. KANJORSKI, called the House to order.

¶97.26 FURTHER MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A further message from the Senate by Mr. Hallen, one of its clerks, an-

nounced that the Senate had passed without amendment a concurrent resolution of the House of the following title:

H. Con. Res. 136. Concurrent resolution providing for an adjournment of the House from Friday, August 6, 1993, Saturday, August 7, 1993, Monday, August 9, 1993, or Tuesday, August 10, 1993, to Wednesday, September 8, 1993, and a recess or adjournment of the Senate from Friday, August 6, 1993, Saturday, August 7, 1993, or Sunday, August 8, 1993, to Tuesday, September 7, 1993.

¶97.27 SENATE BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION REFERRED

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

S. 1078. An Act to confirm the Federal relationship with the Jena Band of Choctaw Indians of Louisiana; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

S. 1283. An Act to amend the Technology-Related Assistance for Individuals With Disabilities Act of 1988 to improve the Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

S. 1284. An Act to amend the Developmental Disabilities Assistance and Bill of Rights Act to expand or modify certain provisions relating to programs for individuals with developmental disabilities, Federal assistance for priority area activities for individuals with developmental disabilities, protection and advocacy of individual rights, university affiliated programs, and projects of national significance, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

S.J. Res. 21. Joint resolution to designate the week beginning September 19, 1993 as "National Historically Black Colleges and Universities Week"; to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service.

¶97.28 ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Mr. ROSE, from the Committee on House Administration, reported that the 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. 631. An Act to designate certain lands in the State of Colorado as components of the National Wilderness Preservation System, and for other purposes.

¶97.29 SENATE ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

The SPEAKER announced his signature to enrolled bills and a joint resolution of the Senate of the following titles:

S. 1205. An Act to amend the Fluid Milk Promotion Act of 1990 to define fluid milk processors to exclude de minimis processors, and for other purposes;

S. 1273. An Act to facilitate recovery from the recent flooding of the Mississippi River and its tributaries by providing greater flexibility for depository institutions and their regulators, and for other purposes;

S. 1274. An Act to reduce the subsidy cost for the Guaranteed Business Loan Program of the Small Business Administration, and for other purposes; and

S.J. Res. 99. Joint resolution designating September 9, 1993, and April 21, 1994, each as "National D.A.R.E. Day."

¶97.30 BILLS PRESENTED TO THE PRESIDENT

Mr. ROSE, from the Committee on House Administration, reported that

that committee did August 3, 1997, present to the President, for his approval, bills of the House of the following titles:

H.R. 236. An Act to establish the Snake River Birds of Prey National Conservation Area in the State of Idaho, and for other purposes, and

H.R. 616. An Act to amend the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 to permit members of national securities exchanges to effect certain transactions with respect to accounts for which such members exercise investment discretion.

¶97.31 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted—

To Mr. DICKEY, for today;

To Mr. VOLKMER, for today after 4:15 p.m.; and

To Mr. DERRICK, for today after 2 p.m.

And then,

¶97.32 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. HOYER, pursuant to the provisions of House Concurrent Resolution 136, at 10 o'clock and 36 minutes p.m., the House adjourned until 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, September 8, 1993.

¶97.33 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. MONTGOMERY: Committee on Veterans' Affairs. H.R. 949. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to increase the amount of the loan guaranty for loans for the purchase or construction of homes, with amendments (Rept. No. 103-222). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. FROST: Committee on Rules. H. Res. 246. A resolution providing for further consideration of the bill (H.R. 2401) to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1994 for military activities of the Department of Defense, to prescribe military personnel strengths for fiscal year 1994, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 103-223). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. BROOKS: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 811. A bill to reauthorize the independent counsel law for an additional 5 years, and for other purposes, with an amendment (Rept. No. 103-224). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

¶97.34 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. MOORHEAD (for himself, Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. BLILEY, Mr. OXLEY, Mr. HAYES, Mrs. LLOYD, Mr. WALKER, and Mr. ZIMMER):

H.R. 2910. A bill to more fully and accurately inform the public concerning health, safety, and environmental risks, to improve consistency in the presentation of scientific information, and to enhance the scientific credibility of the regulatory decisions of the Environmental Protection Agency; jointly, to the Committees on Science, Space, and Technology and Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. DREIER:

H.R. 2911. A bill to authorize the President to establish an advisory commission to study