

the Senate (S. 349) to provide for the disclosure of lobbying activities to influence the Federal Government, and for other purposes; together with a statement thereon, for printing in the Record under the rule.

¶113.20 MODIFICATION OF CONFEREES—  
S. 1569

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PENNY, by unanimous consent and pursuant to clause 6(f) of rule X, announced the following modifications in the appointment of conferees on the part of the House to the conference with the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the bill of the Senate (S. 1569) to amend the Public Health Service Act to revise and extend programs relating to the health of individuals who are members of minority groups, and for other purposes, as follows:

As additional conferees from the Committee on Ways and Means for consideration of titles VI and VII of the Senate bill, and modifications committed to conference:

Messrs. GIBBONS, FORD of Tennessee, and ARCHER.

*Ordered.* That the Clerk notify the Senate of the foregoing appointments.

¶113.21 SUBPOENA

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

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
COMMITTEE ON ENERGY AND COMMERCE,  
*Washington, DC, September 22, 1994.*

Hon. THOMAS S. FOLEY,  
*Speaker, U.S. House of Representatives,*  
*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 received a subpoena for testimony issued by the United States District Court for the District of Columbia.

After appropriate consultation, I have determined that compliance with the subpoena is inconsistent with the privileges and precedents of the House.

Sincerely,

JOHN D. DINGELL,  
*Chairman, Subcommittee on*  
*Oversight and Investigations.*

¶113.22 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION  
REFERRED

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

S.J. Res. 221. Joint resolution to express the sense of the Congress in commemoration of the 75th anniversary of Grand Canyon National Park; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

¶113.23 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

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

And then,

¶113.24 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. LEWIS of California, at 8 o'clock and 21 minutes p.m., the House adjourned.

¶113.25 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. 4865. A bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act, the Public Health Service Act, and the Orphan Drug Act to revise the provisions of such acts relating to orphan drugs; with an amendment (Rept. No. 103-746). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. MURTHA: Committee of Conference. Conference report on H.R. 4650. A bill making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1995, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 103-747). Ordered to be printed.

Mr. STUDDS: Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries, H.R. 4924. A bill to assist in the conservation of rhinoceros and tigers by supporting and providing financial resources for the conservation programs of nations whose activities directly or indirectly affect rhinoceros and tiger populations, and of the CITES Secretariat (Rept. No. 103-748). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. GORDON: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 547. Resolution waiving points of order against the conference report to accompany the bill (H.R. 4602) making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1995, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 103-749). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. BRYANT: Committee of Conference. Conference report on S. 349. An act to provide for the disclosure of lobbying activities to influence the Federal Government, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 103-750). Ordered to be printed.

Mr. DINGELL: Committee on Energy and Commerce, H.R. 4864. A bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to authorize a device application fee, and for other purposes, with an amendment; (Rept. No. 103-751). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. CARR: Committee of conference. Conference report on H.R. 4556. A bill making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1995, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 103-752). Ordered to be printed.

¶113.26 SUBSEQUENT ACTION ON A  
REPORTED BILL SEQUENTIALLY  
REFERRED

Under clause 5 of rule X the following action was taken by the Speaker:

The Committees on Science, Space, and Technology and the Judiciary discharged from further consideration of H.R. 3392; H.R. 3392 referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

¶113.27 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. LEHMAN:

H.R. 5099. A bill to amend the Reclamation States Emergency Drought Relief Act of 1991 to provide a loan to the Madera-Chowchilla Power Authority; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. CHAPMAN (for himself, Mr. McCloskey, Mr. Montgomery, Mr.

SKELTON, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. THOMAS of Wyoming, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. CLINGER, Mr. WILSON, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. TAUZIN, Mr. VOLKMER, Mr. BREWSTER, Mr. WISE, Mrs. UNSOELD, and Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas);

H.R. 5100. A bill to repeal the ban on semi-automatic assault weapons and the ban on large capacity ammunition feeding devices; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. LIVINGSTON:

H.R. 5101. A bill to amend title 28, United States Code, to provide that a reasonable attorney's fee shall be awarded as a part of the cost to prevailing plaintiffs in Federal civil actions; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. McCANDLESS (for himself and Mr. FISH):

H.R. 5102. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, with respect to certain crimes relating to Congressional Medals of Honor; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. McCLOSKEY:

H.R. 5103. A bill to amend title 31, United States Code, to provide for an Executive Director of the General Accounting Office Personnel Appeals Board, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Post Office and Civil Service.

By Mrs. MEEK of Florida:

H.R. 5104. A bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to require each State plan for medical assistance under such title to impose nondiscrimination requirements on hospitals and nursing facilities receiving funds under the plan; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

H.R. 5105. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to impose nondiscrimination requirements on hospitals and skilled nursing facilities as a condition of participation in the Medicare Program; jointly, to the Committees on Ways and Means and Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. SAXTON:

H.R. 5106. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide an exclusion from gross income for amounts contributed by an employer to medical incentives accounts of employees; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. WILLIAMS:

H.R. 5107. A bill to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to provide for the study of Rock Creek in the State of Montana for potential addition to the national wild and scenic rivers system, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. STEARNS:

H. Con. Res. 297. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress that President Clinton should ask for the resignation of Joycelyn Elders as Surgeon General of the Public Health Service; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

H. Res. 548. Resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that aviators who meet the qualification standards of the Air Forces Escape and Evasion Society should be granted recognition for meritorious service by the Department of Defense; to the Committee on Armed Services.

¶113.28 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 9: Mr. DELLUMS.

H.R. 326: Ms. SCHENK, Mr. SISISKY, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. MCHALE, Mr. ORTON, Mr. ROWLAND, Mr. JOHNSON of South Dakota, Mrs. BYRNE, Mr. LAUGHLIN, Mr. MATSUI, and Mr. WATT.

H.R. 559: Mr. MILLER of California.

H.R. 1366: Mr. CHAPMAN.

H.R. 1517: Mr. McCLOSKEY.

H.R. 1671: Mr. FILNER.

H.R. 1843: Mr. DEFazio and Mr. STUMP.