

Ranking Member Clay and all the members of these committees for the many courtesies extended to me during my service on these two panels.

While I am honored to serve as the newest member of the Commerce Committee, I look forward to also returning to my assignment on the International Relations Committee where I have been a member for more than seven years.

Thank you for your assistance with this matter.

Sincerely,

ELIOT L. ENGEL,
Member of Congress.

By unanimous consent, the resignation was accepted.

¶44.8 COMMITTEE RESIGNATION—
MINORITY

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

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, April 22, 1996.

Hon. NEWT GINGRICH,
Speaker, House of Representatives, Capitol Building, Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: This letter serves as my formal resignation from the House Committee on Small Business. This resignation is effective as of the date of this letter.

Sincerely,

BENNIE G. THOMPSON,
Member of Congress.

By unanimous consent, the resignation was accepted.

¶44.9 COMMITTEES ELECTION—MINORITY

Mr. FAZIO, by direction of the Democratic Caucus, submitted the following privileged resolution (H. Res. 408):

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

To the Committee on the Budget, Sander Levin of Michigan; Bennie Thompson of Mississippi; to the Committee on Commerce, Eliot Engel of New York; to the Committee on Small Business, Jesse Jackson, Jr. of Illinois; Juanita Millender-McDonald of California; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, Juanita Millender-McDonald of California.

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.

¶44.10 BILLS PRESENTED TO THE
PRESIDENT

Mr. THOMAS, from the Committee on House Oversight, reported that that committee did on the following date present to the President, for his approval, bills of the House of the following titles:

On April 19, 1996:

H.R. 255. An Act to designate the Federal Justice Building in Miami, Florida, as the "James Lawrence King Federal Justice Building";

H.R. 869. An Act to designate the Federal building and United States courthouse located at 125 Market Street in Youngstown, Ohio, as the "Thomas D. Lambros Federal Building and United States Courthouse";

H.R. 1804. An Act to designate the United States Post Office-Courthouse located at

South 6th and Rogers Avenue, Fort Smith, Arkansas, as the "Judge Isaac C. Parker Federal Building";

H.R. 2415. An Act to designate the United States Customs Administrative Building at the Yeleta/Zaragosa Port of Entry located at 797 South Zaragosa Road in El Paso, Texas, as the "Timothy C. McCaghren Customs Administrative Building"; and

H.R. 2556. An Act to designate the Federal building located at 345 Middlefield Road in Menlo Park, California, and known as the Earth Sciences and Library Building, as the "Vincent E. McKelvey Federal Building."

On April 22, 1996:

H.R. 3034. An Act to designate the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act to extend for two months the authority for promulgating regulations under the act.

And then,

¶44.11 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. GOSS, pursuant to the special order agreed to on Thursday, April 18, 1996, at 2 o'clock and 15 minutes p.m., the House adjourned until 12:30 p.m., on Tuesday, April 23, 1996.

¶44.12 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. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. H.R. 1772. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to acquire certain interests in the Waihee Marsh for inclusion in the Oahu National Wildlife Refuge Complex; with an amendment (Rept. No. 104-528). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. H.R. 1836. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to acquire property in the town of East Hampton, Suffolk County, NY, for inclusion in the Amagansett National Wildlife Refuge (Rept. No. 104-529). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

¶44.13 PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. BATEMAN (for himself and Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi) (both by request):

H.R. 3281. A bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1997 for certain maritime programs of the Department of Transportation, and for other purposes; to the committee on National Security.

H.R. 3282. A bill to authorize expenditures for fiscal year 1997 for the operation and maintenance of the Panama Canal, and for other purposes; to the Committee on National Security, and in addition to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. MORAN (for himself, Mrs. MORELLA, and Mr. DAVIS):

H.R. 3283. A bill to require the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to issue a regulation that consolidates all environmental laws administered by the Agency and health and safety laws applicable to the construction, maintenance, and operation of aboveground storage tanks,

and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. HYDE:

H.J. Res. 173. Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to protect the rights of victims of crime; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

H.J. Res. 174. Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to protect the rights of victims of crime; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. FAZIO of California:

H. Res. 408. Resolution designating minority membership on certain standing committees of the House; considered and agreed to.

¶44.14 PRIVATE BILL

Under clause 1 of rule XXII,

Mr. LONGLEY introduced a bill (H.R. 3284) for the relief of Nancy B. Wilson; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

¶44.15 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 324: Mr. MEEHAN.

H.R. 447: Ms. DELAURO.

H.R. 835: Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. THOMPSON, and Mrs. COLLINS of Illinois.

H.R. 1023: Mr. HASTERT, Mr. SCHAEFER, and Mr. MONTGOMERY.

H.R. 2745: Mr. PAYNE of Virginia and Mr. CLEMENT.

H.R. 2749: Mr. NEY and Mr. BLILEY.

H.R. 2996: Mr. TORKILDSSEN.

H.R. 3002: Mr. LATHAM.

H.R. 3107: Mr. WARD, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, Ms. FURSE, Mr. MCCREERY, Mr. REED, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. CAMPBELL, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. BENTSEN, and Mrs. ROUKEMA.

H.R. 3139: Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. TOWNS, Ms. MOLINARI, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. MCNULTY, and Mr. HINCHEY.

H.R. 3213: Mr. WALSH.

H.R. 3246: Mr. TORRES, Mr. STARK, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, and Mr. RANGEL.

H.R. 3265: Mr. MCHALE, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. METCALF, and Mr. HINCHEY.

TUESDAY, APRIL 23, 1996 (45)

¶45.1 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO
TEMPORE

The House was called to order at 12:30 p.m. by the SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. FUNDERBURK, who laid before the House the following communication:

WASHINGTON, DC,
April 23, 1996.

I hereby designate the Honorable DAVID FUNDERBURK to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NEWT GINGRICH,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, pursuant to the order of the House of Friday, May 12, 1995, Members were recognized for "morning hour" debates.

¶45.2 RECESS-1:25 P.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. FUNDERBURK, pursuant to clause 12 of rule I, declared the House in recess until 2:00 p.m.

¶45.3 AFTER RECESS-2:00 P.M.

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

¶45.4 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. UPTON, announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Monday, April 22, 1996.

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

¶45.5 COMMUNICATIONS

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

2435. A letter from the Chief of Legislative Affairs, Department of the Navy, transmitting notification that the Department of the Navy intends to offer transfers by grant of two vessels to the Government of Greece, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 7307(b)(2); to the Committee on National Security.

2436. A letter from the Chief of Legislative Affairs, Department of the Navy, transmitting notification that the Department of the Navy intends to offer transfer by grant of one vessel to the Government of Portugal, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 7307(b)(2); to the Committee on National Security.

2437. A letter from the Secretary of Transportation, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation entitled the "Maritime Administration Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1997," pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1110; to the Committee on National Security.

2438. A letter from the Comptroller of the Currency, transmitting the Department's final rule—Uniform Rules of Practice and Procedure (RIN: 1557-AB43), pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

2439. A letter from the Secretary of Education, transmitting notice of final schedule of arbitration fees and expenses—Vending Facility Program for the Blind on Federal and Other Property, pursuant to 20 U.S.C. 1232(d)(1); to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

2440. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's final rule—Title I, Part C—Education of Migrant Children (RIN: 1830-ZA03), pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

2441. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's report on the notice of selection criteria, selection procedures, and application procedures for challenge grants for technology in education, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(B); to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

2442. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's report on the notice of final funding priorities for Jacob K. Javits Gifted and Talented Students Education Program, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(B); to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

2443. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's report on the notice of final funding priorities for Fund for the Improvement of Education Program, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(B); to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

2444. A letter from the Assistant Legal Adviser for Treaty Affairs, Department of State, transmitting copies of international agreements, other than treaties, entered into by the United States, pursuant to 1 U.S.C.

112b(a); to the Committee on International Relations.

2445. A letter from the Comptroller General of the United States, transmitting the list of all reports issued or released in March 1996, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 719(h); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2446. A letter from the Executive Director, Advisory Council on Historic Preservation, transmitting the annual report under the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act for fiscal year 1995, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2447. A letter from the Chairman, National Capital Planning Commission, transmitting the annual report under the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act for fiscal year 1995, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2448. A letter from the Chairman, National Capital Planning Commission, transmitting the 1995 annual report in compliance with the Inspector General Act Amendments of 1988, pursuant to Public Law 100-504, section 104(a) (102 Stat. 2525); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2449. A letter from the Executive Director, Neighborhood Reinvestment Corporation, transmitting a copy of the annual report in compliance with the Government in the Sunshine Act during the calendar year 1995, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b(j); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2450. A letter from the President and CEO, U.S. Enrichment Corporation, transmitting the annual report under the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act for fiscal year 1995, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2451. A letter from the Clerk, U.S. House of Representatives, transmitting list of reports pursuant to clause 2, rule III of the Rules of the House of Representatives, pursuant to Rule III, clause 2, of the Rules of the House (H. Doc. No. 104-199); to the Committee on House Oversight and ordered to be printed.

2452. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Electronic Filing of International Air Passenger Service Rules (RIN: 2105-AC23), pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2453. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Medals of Honor (RIN: 2105-AC41), pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2454. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—National Security Information (RIN: 2105-AC40), pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2455. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Use of the Official Seal (RIN: 2105-AC39), pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2456. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Staff Assignments and Review of Actions Under Assignments (RIN: 2105-AC38), pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2457. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Release of Internal Staff Memoranda Relating to Public Meetings of the Civil Aeronautics Board (RIN: 2105-AC42), pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2458. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Aviation Economic Rules: Correcting Obsolete References (RIN: 2105-AC46), pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2459. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule—Revenue Procedure 96-30, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2460. A letter from the Secretary of Labor, transmitting the Department's report to Congress on the number of training waivers issued under section 231(c)(1) of the Trade Act of 1974 to workers determined eligible for trade readjustment allowances [TRA], pursuant to section 231(c)(3) of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2461. A letter from the Chairman, Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board, transmitting the Board's sixth annual report to Congress on health and safety activities; jointly, to the Committees on National Security and Commerce.

2462. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Thrift Supervision, transmitting the Office's 1995 annual consumer report to Congress, pursuant to public Law 101-73, Section 301, (103 Stat. 279); jointly, to the Committees on Banking and Financial Services and Commerce.

2463. A letter from the Physician Payment Review Commission, transmitting the Commission's 1996 annual report, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 1395w-1(c)(1)(D); jointly, to the Committees on Ways and Means and Commerce.

2464. A letter from the Assistant Secretary of the Army, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation entitled the "Water Resources Development Act of 1996"; jointly, to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure, Resources, Commerce, and Banking and Financial Services.

¶45.6 ORDER OF BUSINESS—
CONSIDERATION OF THE VETO
MESSAGE ON H.R. 1561

On motion of Mr. GILMAN, by unanimous consent,

Ordered. That further consideration of the veto message on the bill (H.R. 1561) to consolidate the foreign affairs agencies of the United States; to authorize appropriations for the Department of State and related agencies for fiscal years 1996 and 1997; to responsibly reduce the authorizations of appropriations for United States foreign assistance programs for fiscal years 1996 and 1997, and for other purposes; be postponed until Tuesday, April 30, 1996.

¶45.7 CORRECTIONS CALENDAR

Pursuant to clause 4, rule XIII, The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. UPTON, directed the Corrections Calendar to be called.

When,

¶45.8 AMERICAN INDIAN AND ALASKA
NATIVE CULTURE

The Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union was discharged from further consideration of the bill (H.R. 3049) to amend section 1505 of the Higher Education Act of 1965 to provide for the continuity of the Board of Trustees of the Institute of American Indian and Alaska Native Culture and Arts Development.

When said bill was considered and read twice.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. UPTON, pursuant to clause 4 of rule XIII, recognized Mr. NORWOOD and Mr. KILDEE, each for 30 minutes.

After debate,

Pursuant to clause 4 of rule XIII, the previous question on the bill was considered as ordered.

The bill was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, was read a third time by title.

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House pass said bill?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. UPTON, announced that three-fifths of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

So, three-fifths of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the bill was passed.

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

By unanimous consent, the title was amended so as to read: "An Act to amend section 1505 of the Higher Education Amendments of 1986 to provide for the continuity of the Board of Trustees of the Institute of American Indian and Alaska Native Culture and Arts Development."

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

¶45.9 HISTORICALLY BLACK SCHOOLS GRANT PROGRAM

The Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union was discharged from further consideration of the bill (H.R. 3055) to amend section 326 of the Higher Education Act of 1965 to permit continued participation by Historically Black Graduate Professional Schools in the grant program authorized by that section.

When said bill was considered and read twice.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. UPTON, pursuant to clause 4 of rule XIII, recognized Mr. NORWOOD and Mr. CLAY, each for 30 minutes.

After debate,

Pursuant to clause 4 of rule XIII, the previous question on the bill was considered as ordered.

The bill was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, was read a third time by title.

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House pass said bill?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. UPTON, announced that three-fifths of the Members present had voted in the affirmative.

So, three-fifths of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the bill was 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.

¶45.10 CONFEREE RESIGNATION—H.R. 3019

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

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, April 23, 1996.

Hon. NEWT GINGRICH,
The Speaker, House of Representatives, Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: I hereby resign as a conferee for the entire bill, H.R. 3019, the omnibus appropriations measure for Fiscal 1996. I intend to remain a conferee for the Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education portion of the bill.

Thanking you and with best regards, I am
Sincerely yours,

STENY H. HOYER.

By unanimous consent, the resignation was accepted.

¶45.11 CHANGE OF CONFEREE—H.R. 3019

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. UPTON, by unanimous consent, appointed Mr. STOKES as a conferee on the primary panel on the part of the House to the conference with the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses on the amendment of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 3019) making appropriations for fiscal year 1996 to make a further downpayment toward a balanced budget, and for other purposes, vice, Mr. HOYER, resigned; and reappointed Mr. STOKES as a conferee on the part of the House for consideration of section 101(c) of the House bill and section 101(d) of the Senate amendment and modifications committed to conference.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the Senate thereof.

¶45.12 MERCURY-CONTAINING AND RECHARGEABLE BATTERY MANAGEMENT

Mr. OXLEY moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 2024) to phase out the use of mercury in batteries and provide for the efficient and cost-effective collection and recycling or proper disposal of used nickel cadmium batteries, small sealed lead-acid batteries, and certain other batteries, and for other purposes; as amended.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. UPTON, recognized Mr. OXLEY and Mr. PALLONE, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

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

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

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

¶45.13 ORDER OF BUSINESS—DEBATE TIME—H.R. 1965

On motion of Mr. SAXTON, by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That during consideration today of the bill (H.R. 1965) to reau-

thorize the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972, and for other purposes, under suspension of the rules, debate shall be limited to 60 minutes, equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Resources, or their designees.

¶45.14 COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT

Mr. SAXTON moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 1965) to reauthorize the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972; as amended.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. UPTON, pursuant to the foregoing order, recognized Mr. SAXTON and Mr. MILLER of California, each for 30 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

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

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

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. UPTON, pursuant to clause 5, rule I, announced that further proceedings on the motion were postponed.

The point of no quorum was considered as withdrawn.

¶45.15 COOPERATIVE FISHERIES MANAGEMENT

Mr. TORKILDSEN moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 2160) to authorize appropriations to carry out the Interjurisdictional Fisheries Act of 1986 and the Anadromous Fish Conservation Act; as amended.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, MR. UPTON, recognized Mr. TORKILDSEN and Mr. STUDDS, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

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

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

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. UPTON, pursuant to clause 5, rule I, announced that further proceedings on the motion were postponed.

The point of no quorum was considered as withdrawn.

¶45.16 WAIHEE MARSH INCLUSION

Mr. SAXTON moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 1772) to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to acquire certain interests in the Waihee Marsh for inclusion in the Oahu National Wildlife Refuge Complex; as amended.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. UPTON, recognized Mr. SAXTON and Mr. STUDDS, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

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

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

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. UPTON, pursuant to clause 5, rule I, announced that further proceedings on the motion were postponed.

The point of no quorum was considered as withdrawn.

¶45.17 AMAGANSETT WILDLIFE REFUGE

Mr. LONGLEY moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 1836) to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to acquire property in the town of East Hampton, Suffolk County, New York, for inclusion in the Amangansett National Wildlife Refuge.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. UPTON, recognized Mr. LONGLEY and Mr. STUDDS, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill?

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

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

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

¶45.18 TENSAS RIVER REFUGE FUNDING

Mr. JONES moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 2660) to increase the amount authorized to be appropriated to the Department of the Interior for the Tensas River National Wildlife Refuge; as amended.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. UPTON, recognized Mr. JONES and Mr. STUDDS, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

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

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

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

¶45.19 NORTH PLATTE REFUGE BOUNDARIES

Mr. METCALF moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 2679) to re-

vis the boundary of the North Platte National Wildlife Refuge.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. UPTON, recognized Mr. METCALF and Mr. STUDDS, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill?

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

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

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

¶45.20 PRAYER RALLY

Mr. GILCHREST moved to suspend the rules and agree to the following concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 166) authorizing the use of the Capitol Grounds for the Washington for Jesus 1996 prayer rally:

Whereas One Nation Under God, Inc. has sponsored two previous prayer rallies entitled Washington for Jesus in the city of Washington and plans a third such event over a two-day period on April 29 and 30, 1996; Whereas public assembly for giving thanks and praying for the United States is a tradition in this Nation dating from before the Nation's founding and commemorated each year by a national Thanksgiving holiday; and

Whereas the Washington for Jesus prayer rally provides for the peaceable assembly and public expression of peoples of all faiths to pray and give thanks for the United States: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring),

SECTION. 1. USE OF CAPITOL GROUNDS FOR WASHINGTON FOR JESUS 1996 PRAYER RALLY.

(a) IN GENERAL.—One Nation Under God, Inc. (in this resolution referred to as the "sponsor") shall be permitted to sponsor a public event (in this resolution referred to as the "event") over a two-day period on April 29 and 30, 1996 (plus one day before and one day after the event to fully accommodate for setup, takedown, and cleanup).

(b) TERMS AND CONDITIONS.—The event shall be free of any admission charge to the public and arranged so as not to interfere with the needs of Congress, subject to conditions to be prescribed by the Architect of the Capitol and the Capitol Police Board. The sponsor shall assume full responsibility for all expenses and liabilities incident to all activities associated with the event.

(c) STRUCTURES AND EQUIPMENT.—For the purposes of this resolution, the sponsor is authorized to erect upon the Capitol Grounds such stage, sound amplification devices, and related structures and equipment as may be required to conduct the event, subject to approval of the Architect of the Capitol.

(d) ADDITIONAL ARRANGEMENTS.—The Architect of the Capitol and the Capitol Police Board are authorized to make any such additional arrangements as may be necessary to carry out the event consistent with good order, public health, safety, and protection of the Capitol and the Capitol Grounds.

SEC. 2. SPONSORSHIP OR ENDORSEMENT.

Nothing contained in this resolution shall be construed as an endorsement of the spon-

sor or the event (or any related activities or expressions, religious or otherwise). The sponsor shall not represent either directly or indirectly that this resolution or any activity carried out under this resolution in any way constitutes approval or endorsement by the United States Government, or any of its agencies, of any activity or expression, religious or otherwise, of the sponsor or the event.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. UPTON, recognized Mr. GILCHREST and Mr. OBERSTAR, each for 20 minutes.

After debate,

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House suspend the rules and agree to said concurrent resolution?

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

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said concurrent resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said concurrent resolution was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

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

¶45.21 H.R. 1965—UNFINISHED BUSINESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. UPTON, pursuant to clause 5, rule I, announced the unfinished business to be the motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 1965) to reauthorize the Coastal Zone Management Act of 1972; as amended.

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

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

Mr. LONGLEY 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 407
Nays 0

¶45.22 [Roll No. 127] YEAS—407

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Archer	Bilirakis	Buyer
Armey	Bishop	Callahan
Bachus	Bliley	Calvert
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Baker (LA)	Boehner	Canady
Baldacci	Boniilla	Cardin
Ballenger	Bonior	Castle
Barcia	Bono	Chabot
Barrett (NE)	Borski	Chambliss
Barrett (WI)	Boucher	Chapman
Bartlett	Brewster	Chenoweth
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Frank (MA)
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Johnson, E. B.
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Ros-Lehtinen
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Roybal-Allard
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Slaughter
Smith (MI)
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Smith (TX)
Smith (WA)
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Spence
Spratt
Stark
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Stockman
Stokes
Studds
Stump
Stupak
Talent
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Upton
Velazquez

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Watts (OK)
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Weldon (FL)
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Hall (OH)
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Hancock
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Hastings (FL)
Hastings (WA)
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Johnson, E. B.
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Mascara
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McCarthy
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McHale
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McKeon
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Meehan
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Metcalf
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Miller (CA)
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Mollohan
Montgomery
Moorhead

NOT VOTING—25

Allard
Barr
Bryant (TX)
Collins (IL)
Coyne
de la Garza
Doyle
English
Fattah

Flake
Foglietta
Ford
Goodling
Greenwood
Hastings (WA)
Hutchinson
Inglis
Jefferson

McDade
Menendez
Rush
Shuster
Thompson
Torricelli
Wilson

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

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

¶45.23 H.R. 2160—UNFINISHED BUSINESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. UPTON, pursuant to clause 5, rule I, announced the further unfinished business to be the motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 2160) to authorize appropriations to carry out the Interjurisdictional Fisheries Act of 1986 and the Anadromous Fish Conservation Act; as amended.

The question being put, viva voce, Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

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

Mr. LONGLEY demanded a recorded vote on passage of said bill, as amended, 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 { Yeas 406
affirmative { Nays 0

¶45.24 [Roll No. 128]
AYES—406

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Baker (LA)
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Barrett (NE)
Barrett (WI)
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Bilirakis
Bishop
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Bono
Borski
Boucher
Brewster
Browder
Brown (CA)
Brown (FL)
Brown (OH)

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Bryant (TN)
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Dornan
Dreier
Duncan
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Edwards
Ehlers
Ehrlich
Emerson
Engel
Ensign
Eshoo
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Everett
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Fields (LA)
Fields (TX)
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Flanagan
Forbes
Fowler
Fox
Frank (MA)
Franks (CT)
Franks (NJ)
Frelinghuysen
Frisa
Frost
Funderburk
Furse
Gallegly
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Gekas
Gephardt
Geren
Gibbons
Gilchrest
Gillmor
Gilman
Gonzalez
Goodlatte
Gordon
Goss
Graham
Green (TX)
Greene (UT)
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Hall (OH)
Hall (TX)
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Hancock
Hansen
Harman
Hastert
Hastings (FL)
Hastings (WA)
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Hefley
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Moorhead

Tanner	Upton	Weldon (PA)
Tate	Velazquez	Weller
Tauzin	Vento	White
Taylor (MS)	Visclosky	Whitfield
Taylor (NC)	Volkmer	Wicker
Tejeda	Vucanovich	Williams
Thomas	Walker	Wise
Thornberry	Walsh	Wolf
Thornton	Wamp	Woolsey
Thurman	Ward	Wynn
Tiahrt	Waters	Yates
Torkildsen	Watt (NC)	Young (AK)
Torres	Watts (OK)	Young (FL)
Towns	Waxman	Zeliff
Traficant	Weldon (FL)	Zimmer

NOT VOTING—26

Allard	Foglietta	Menendez
Bryant (TX)	Foley	Rush
Buyer	Ford	Shuster
Collins (IL)	Goodling	Smith (MI)
Coyne	Greenwood	Smith (WA)
de la Garza	Hutchinson	Thompson
Doyle	Inglis	Torricelli
Fattah	Jefferson	Wilson
Flake	McDade	

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

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

45.25 MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

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

45.26 H.R. 1772—UNFINISHED BUSINESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. UPTON, pursuant to clause 5, rule I, announced the further unfinished business to be the motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 1772) to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to acquire certain interests in the Waihee Marsh for inclusion in the Oahu National Wildlife Refuge Complex; as amended.

The question being put, *viva voce*, Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

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

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

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

45.27 PROVIDING FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 2715

Mr. GOSS, by direction of the Committee on Rules, reported (Rept. No. 104-532) the resolution (H. Res. 409) providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2715) to amend chapter 35 of title 44, United States Code, popularly known as the Paperwork Reduction Act, to minimize the burden of Federal

paperwork demands upon small businesses, educational and nonprofit institutions, Federal contractors, State and local governments, and other persons through the sponsorship and use of alternative information technologies.

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

45.28 PROVIDING FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 1675

Mr. GOSS, by direction of the Committee on Rules, reported (Rept. No. 104-533) the resolution (H. Res. 410) providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 1675) to amend the National Wildlife Refuge System Administration Act of 1966 to improve the management of the National Wildlife Refuge System, and for other purposes.

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

45.29 MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT—NATIONAL EMERGENCY WITH RESPECT TO DRUG TRAFFICKING IN COLUMBIA

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

To the Congress of the United States:

I hereby report to the Congress on the developments concerning the national emergency with respect to significant narcotics traffickers centered in Colombia that was declared in Executive Order No. 12978 of October 21, 1995. This report is submitted pursuant to section 401(c) of the National Emergencies Act, 50 U.S.C. 1641(c), and section 204(c) of the International Emergency Economic Powers Act (IEEPA), 50 U.S.C. 1703(c).

1. On October 21, 1995, I signed Executive Order No. 12978, "Blocking Assets and Prohibiting Transactions with Significant Narcotics Traffickers" (the "Order") (60 Fed. Reg. 54579, October 24, 1995). The Order blocks all property subject to U.S. jurisdiction in which there is any interest of four significant foreign narcotics traffickers who are principals in the so-called Cali drug cartel centered in Colombia. They are listed in the annex to the Order. In addition, the Order blocks the property and interests in property of foreign persons determined by the Secretary of the Treasury, in consultation with the Attorney General and the Secretary of State, (a) to play a significant role in international narcotics trafficking centered in Colombia or (b) to materially assist in or provide financial or technological support for, or goods or services in support of, the narcotics trafficking activities of persons designated in or pursuant to the Order. In addition the Order blocks all property and interests in property subject to U.S. jurisdiction of persons determined by the Secretary of the Treasury in consultation with the Attorney General and the Secretary of State, to be owned or controlled by, or to act for or on behalf of, persons designated in or pursuant to the Order (collectively "Specially Des-

ignated Narcotics Traffickers" or "SDNTs").

The Order further prohibits any transaction or dealing by a United States person or within the United States in property or interests in property of SDNTs, and any transaction that evades or avoids, has the purpose of evading or avoiding, or attempts to violate, the prohibitions contained in the Order.

Designations of foreign persons blocked pursuant to the Order are effective upon the date of determination by the Director of the Department of the Treasury's Office of Foreign Assets Control (FAC) acting under authority delegated by the Secretary of the Treasury. Public notice of blocking is effective upon the date of filing with the Federal Register, or upon prior actual notice.

2. On October 24, 1995, the Department of the Treasury issued a notice containing 76 additional names of persons determined to meet the criteria set forth in Executive Order No. 12978 (60 Fed. Reg. 54582-84, October 24, 1995). A copy of the notice is attached to this report.

The Department of the Treasury issued another notice adding the names of one additional entity and three additional individuals, as well as expanded information regarding addresses and pseudonyms, to the List of SDNTs on November 29, 1995 (60 Fed. Reg. 61288-89). A copy of this notice is attached to this report.

3. On March 8, 1996, FAC published a notice in the Federal Register adding the names of 138 additional individuals and 60 entities designated pursuant to the Order, and revising information for 8 individuals on the list of blocked persons contained in the notices published on November 29, 1995, and October 24, 1995 (61 Fed. Reg. 9523-28). A copy of the notice is attached to this report. The FAC, in coordination with the Attorney General and the Secretary of State, is continuing to expand the list of Specially Designated Narcotics Traffickers, including both organizations and individuals, as additional information is developed.

4. On October 22, 1995, FAC disseminated details of this program to the financial, securities, and international trade communities by both electronic and conventional media. This information was updated on November 29, 1995, and again on March 5, 1996. In addition to bulletins to banking institutions via the Federal Reserve System and the Clearing House Inter-bank Payments System (CHIPS), individual notices were provided to all State and Federal regulatory agencies, automated clearing houses, and State and independent banking associations across the country. The FAC contacted all major securities industry associations and regulators, posted electronic notices to 10 computer bulletin boards and 2 fax-on-demand services, and provided the same material to the U.S. Embassy in Bogota for distribution to U.S. companies operating in Colombia.

5. There were no funds specifically appropriated to implement this program. The expenses incurred by the Federal Government in the 6-month period from October 21, 1995, through April 20, 1996, that are directly attributable to the exercise of powers and authorities conferred by the declaration of the national emergency with respect to Significant Narcotics Traffickers are estimated at approximately \$500,000 from previously appropriated funds. Personnel costs were largely centered in the Department of the Treasury (particularly in the Office of Foreign Assets Control, the Office of the General Counsel, and the U.S. Customs Service), the Department of Justice, and the Department of State.

6. Executive Order No. 12978 provides this Administration with a new tool for combating the actions of significant foreign narcotics traffickers centered in Colombia, and the unparalleled violence, corruption, and harm that they cause in the United States and abroad. The Order is designed to deny these traffickers the benefit of any assets subject to the jurisdiction of the United States and to prevent United States persons from engaging in any commercial dealings with them, their front companies, and their agents. Executive Order No. 12978 demonstrates the U.S. commitment to end the scourge that such traffickers have wrought upon society in the United States and beyond.

The magnitude and the dimension of the problem in Colombia—perhaps the most pivotal country of all in terms of the world's cocaine trade—is extremely grave. I shall continue to exercise the powers at my disposal to apply economic sanctions against significant foreign narcotics traffickers and their violent and corrupting activities as long as these measures are appropriate, and will continue to report periodically to the Congress on significant developments pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1703(c).

WILLIAM J. CLINTON.

THE WHITE HOUSE, April 23, 1996.

By unanimous consent, the message, together with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on International Relations and ordered to be printed (H. Doc. 104-200).

¶45.30 PROVIDING FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF H.J. RES. 175

Mr. DREIER, by direction of the Committee on Rules, reported (Rept. No. 104-534) the resolution (H. Res. 411) providing for consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res 175) making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1996, and for other purposes.

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

¶45.31 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted—

To Mr. UNDERWOOD for today and balance of the week;

To Mrs. COLLINS of Illinois, for today; and

To Mr. FIELDS of Texas, for April 17. And then,

¶45.32 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. KINGSTON, at 10 o'clock and 45 minutes p.m., the House adjourned.

¶45.33 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. BLILEY: Committee on Commerce. H.R. 2024. A bill to phase out the use of mercury in batteries and provide for the efficient and cost-effective collection and recycling or proper disposal of used nickel cadmium batteries, small sealed lead-acid batteries, and certain other batteries, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. No. 104-530). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. H.R. 1823. A bill to amend the Central Utah Project Completion Act to direct the Secretary of the Interior to allow for prepayment of repayment contracts between the United States and the Central Utah Water Conservancy District dated December 28, 1965, and November 26, 1985, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. No. 104-531). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. LINDER: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 409. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2715) to amend chapter 35 of title 44, United States Code, popularly known as the Paperwork Reduction Act, to minimize the burden of Federal paperwork demands upon small businesses, educational and nonprofit institutions, Federal contractors, State and local governments, and other persons through the sponsorship and use of alternative information technologies (Rept. No. 104-532). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. GOSS: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 410. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 1675) to amend the National Wildlife Refuge System Administration Act of 1966 to improve the management of the National Wildlife Refuge System, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 104-533). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. DREIER: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 411. Resolution providing for consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 175) making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1996, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 104-534). Referred to the House Calendar.

¶45.34 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. MONTGOMERY:

H.R. 3285. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to restore the authority of the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to establish research corporations at medical centers in the Veterans Health Administration; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Ms. MOLINARI (for herself, Mr. ARCHER, Mr. BUNNING of Kentucky, Ms. PRYCE, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. TIAHRT, and Mr. SHAW):

H.R. 3286. A bill to help families defray adoption costs, and to promote the adoption of minority children; to the Committee on Ways and Means for a period ending not later than May 3, 1996, and in addition to the Committees on Resources and Economic and

Educational Opportunities for a period ending not later than April 30, 1996, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska:

H.R. 3287. A bill to direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey the Crawford National Fish Hatchery to the city of Crawford, NE; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. BROWDER:

H.R. 3288. A bill to direct that funds appropriated to the Department of Defense for fiscal year 1996 for certain medical research relating to illnesses suffered by veterans who served in the Persian Gulf war shall be obligated in accordance with peer review procedures of the Food and Drug Administration; to the Committee on National Security.

H.R. 3289. A bill to grant jurisdiction to the States over new gambling activities conducted on Indian lands; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. COOLEY (for himself, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. HANSEN, and Mr. REGULA):

H.R. 3290. A bill to authorize appropriations for the Bureau of Land Management for each of the fiscal years 1997 through 2002; to the Committee on Resources.

By Ms. DUNN of Washington:

H.R. 3291. A bill to require the President to submit a separately identified appropriation request to provide priority funding for the national parks of the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

By Mr. HINCHEY (for himself, Mr. FILLNER, Mr. DEFazio, and Mr. DELLUMS):

H.R. 3292. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for coverage of qualified acupuncturist services under part B of the Medicare Program, and to amend title 5, United States Code, to provide for coverage of such services under the Federal Employees Health Benefits Program; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, and Government Reform and Oversight, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mrs. LOWEY:

H.R. 3293. A bill to amend title XIV of the Public Health Service Act (commonly known as the Safe Drinking Water Act) to establish a screening program for estrogenic substances; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. MORAN (for himself, Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts, Mr. FRAZER, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Ms. NORTON, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. BRYANT of Texas, Mr. WILSON, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. RANGEL, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. SANDERS, and Ms. MCKINNEY):

H.R. 3294. A bill to amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to withhold U.S. assistance from countries determined to be violating the human rights of working children, and for other purposes; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mrs. MORELLA:

H.R. 3295. A bill to amend title 5, United States Code, to extend the treatment currently afforded to Federal judges under the Federal Employees Group Life Insurance Program to certain other judicial officials, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. NETHERCUTT (for himself, Mr. CALVERT, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. WELLER, Ms. DUNN of Washington, Mr. BERUETER, and Mr. SKEEN):

H.R. 3296. A bill to amend the Family and Medical Leave Act of 1993 to apply the same employer requirements to all persons; to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities, and in addition to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. OBERSTAR:

H.R. 3297. A bill to provide for improved access to and use of the Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

H.R. 3298. A bill to provide for the establishment of the Voyageurs National Park Intergovernmental Council, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO (for himself and Mr. UNDERWOOD):

H.R. 3299. A bill to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to allow certain States, including the territories of the United States, to apply for waivers from secondary treatment requirements for certain ocean discharges, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. SMITH of New Jersey (for himself, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, and Mr. DORNAN):

H.R. 3300. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to prohibit the Department of Defense from selling, renting, or otherwise providing sexually explicit material to any individual; to the Committee on National Security.

By Ms. WATERS:

H.R. 3301. A bill to amend the Community Reinvestment Act of 1977 to require consideration of a depository institution's record with regard to the number and amount of fees imposed by the institution on consumer accounts and consumer transactions, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

H.R. 3302. A bill to amend the Federal Deposit Insurance Act to provide additional deposit insurance coverage for accounts at depository institutions which reduce net fee income in any year by 50 percent or more, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania (for himself and Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island):

H.R. 3303. A bill to establish a national oceanographic partnership program to promote the national goals of assuring national security, advancing economic development, protecting quality of life, and strengthening science education through oceanographic research and development; to the Committee on Resources, and in addition to the Committees on National Security, and Science, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. WELDON of Florida:

H.R. 3304. A bill to amend the Water Resources Development Act of 1986 and the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to authorize expenditures from the harbor maintenance trust fund for certain beach erosion projects; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. LIVINGSTON:

H.J. Res. 175. Joint resolution making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1996, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations, and in addition to the Committees on Banking and Fi-

ancial Services, and the Budget, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

45.35 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

- H.R. 72: Mr. GIBBONS.
- H.R. 206: Mr. FARR.
- H.R. 448: Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania.
- H.R. 449: Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania.
- H.R. 940: Mr. HALL of Ohio.
- H.R. 973: Mr. HAYES.
- H.R. 1202: Mr. DORNAN.
- H.R. 1210: Mr. DEFAZIO and Mr. MASCARA.
- H.R. 1500: Mr. FAWELL.
- H.R. 1627: Mr. CAMPBELL.
- H.R. 1692: Mr. FOX.
- H.R. 1693: Mr. FOX.
- H.R. 1694: Mr. FOX.
- H.R. 1695: Mr. FOX.
- H.R. 1713: Mr. NEY.
- H.R. 1776: Mr. FOGLIETTA, Mr. CONDIT, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. TORRICELLI, Mr. MCCREERY, and Mr. EHRLICH.
- H.R. 1889: Mr. CAMPBELL, Ms. WOOLSEY, and Mrs. LOWEY.
- H.R. 1893: Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania.
- H.R. 2011: Mr. RAMSTAD and Mr. JACKSON.
- H.R. 2024: Mr. WELLER.
- H.R. 2026: Mr. CARDIN, Mr. MANTON, Mr. BREWSTER, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. OBERSTAR, Ms. FURSE, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. HERGER, Mr. GIBBONS, and Mr. MOAKLEY.
- H.R. 2128: Mr. SAM JOHNSON and Mr. BLILEY.
- H.R. 2193: Mr. COLEMAN, Mr. MCKEON, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. ORTIZ, and Mr. COMBEST.
- H.R. 2270: Mr. CALVERT.
- H.R. 2342: Mr. ROHRBACHER.
- H.R. 2548: Mr. MONTGOMERY, Mr. ORTON, Mr. MANZULLO, and Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN.
- H.R. 2651: Ms. WATERS, Mr. ENSIGN, and Mr. JACKSON.
- H.R. 2724: Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. YATES, Mr. MARKEY, and Mr. BROWN of Ohio.
- H.R. 2725: Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. YATES, Mr. MARKEY, and Mr. BROWN of Ohio.
- H.R. 2795: Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania.
- H.R. 2796: Mr. GREEN of Texas and Mr. GORDON.
- H.R. 2803: Mr. HAMILTON.
- H.R. 2807: Mr. MANTON, Mr. FRAZER, and Mr. GILMAN.
- H.R. 2820: Mrs. FOWLER and Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania.
- H.R. 2910: Mr. LIPINSKI and Ms. NORTON.
- H.R. 2933: Mr. JOHNSON of South Dakota.
- H.R. 2968: Mr. BAKER of Louisiana.
- H.R. 2978: Mr. FAZIO of California.
- H.R. 3059: Mr. BORSKI and Mr. ENGEL.
- H.R. 3067: Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. DEUTSCH, and Mr. BEREUTER.
- H.R. 3119: Mr. NEY.
- H.R. 3142: Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. COLLINS of Georgia, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. HERGER, Mr. EVERETT, and Mr. PASTOR.
- H.R. 3149: Mr. CAMP.
- H.R. 3195: Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. CLYBURN, and Mr. SPRATT.
- H.R. 3226: Mrs. MORELLA.
- H.R. 3246: Ms. DELAURO.
- H.R. 3261: Ms. FURSE and Mr. ORTAN.
- H.R. 3267: Mrs. KELLY, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. NADLER, Mr. BOEHLERT, and Mr. COBLE.
- H.J. Res. 127: Mr. ALLARD.
- H. Con. Res. 10: Mr. JOHNSON of South Dakota.
- H. Con. Res. 47: Mr. OBEY, Mr. JOHNSON of South Dakota, Mr. BRYANT of Texas, and Ms. DELAURO.
- H. Con. Res. 50: Mr. EMERSON.
- H. Con. Res. 154: Mr. LAZIO of New York, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. LEWIS of California, Mr. JACKSON, Mr.

BALLENGER, Mr. TATE, Mrs. FOWLER, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. ZELIFF, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. BLUTE, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. MORAN, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. ORTON, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. HYDE, Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. PAYNE of New Jersey, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, and Ms. DELAURO.

H. Res. 49: Mr. WAXMAN and Mr. BEREUTER.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24, 1996 (46)

46.1 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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

WASHINGTON, DC,
April 24, 1996.

I hereby designate the Honorable GEORGE P. RADANOVICH to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NEWT GINGRICH,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

46.2 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. RADANOVICH, announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Tuesday, April 23, 1996.

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

46.3 COMMUNICATIONS

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

2465. A letter from the Acting Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Grading and Inspection, General Specification for Approved Plants and Standards for Grades of Dairy Products; United States Standards for Nonfat Dry Milk (DA-93-03 FR), pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2466. A letter from the Acting Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Olives Grown in California and Imported Olives; Establishment of Limited Use Olive Grade and Size Requirements During the 1995-96 Crop Year (FV-95-932-1), pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2467. A letter from the Acting Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Hazelnuts Grown in Oregon and Washington; Order Further Amending Marketing Order (FV-94-982-1 FR), pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2468. A letter from the Acting Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Milk in the Central Arizona Marketing Area; Suspension (DA-96-03 FR), pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2469. A letter from the Acting Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Limes and Avocados Grown in Florida; Suspension of Certain Volume Regulations and Reporting Requirements (FV-95-911-2 IFR), pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2470. A letter from the Acting Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Winter Pears Grown in Oregon, Washington, and