

¶103.11 PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 5 of rule X and clause 4 of rule XXII,

Ms. WATERS introduced a bill (H.R. 4038) to approve a previously disapproved amendment to the Sentencing Guidelines relating to criminal sentences for cocaine offenses; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

¶103.12 MEMORIALS

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

240. By the SPEAKER: Memorial of the General Assembly of the State of Colorado, relative to House Joint Resolution 96-1022 extending condolences to the people of the Ukraine on the 10th anniversary of the Chernobyl disaster; to the Committee on International Relations.

241. Also, memorial of the General Assembly of the State of Colorado, relative to House Joint Resolution 96-1006 designating John L. "Jack" Swigert be honored and memorialized by a statue in the U.S. Capitol; to the Committee on House Oversight.

¶103.13 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 1100: Ms. MCKINNEY.

H.R. 1591: Mr. NADLER and Mr. MILLER of California.

H.R. 2450: Mr. GUNDERSON.

H.R. 2470: Mr. CRANE.

H.R. 2618: Mr. FARR.

H.R. 3142: Mr. DOOLITTLE, Ms. GREENE of Utah, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mr. MARTINI, Mr. SHADEGG, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. DIXON, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. LOBIONDO, and Mr. HASTINGS of Washington.

H.R. 3292: Ms. LOFGREN.

H.R. 3355: Mr. ACKERMAN.

H.R. 3588: Mr. OBERSTAR.

H.R. 3796: Ms. SLAUGHTER.

H.R. 3873: Mr. BRYANT of Texas.

H.R. 3917: Ms. SLAUGHTER.

H. Res. 30: Mr. TANNER, Mr. FRAZER, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. LUCAS, and Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1996 (104)

¶104.1 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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

WASHINGTON, DC,
September 10, 1996.

I hereby designate the Honorable BILL BARRETT to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NEWT GINGRICH,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

¶104.2 MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Ms. MCDEVITT, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate had passed without amendment a bill of the House of the following title:

H.R. 4018. An Act to make technical corrections in the Federal Oil and Gas Royalty Management Act of 1982.

The message also announced that the Senate has passed a bill of the following title in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

S. 1324. An Act to amend the Public Health Service Act to revise and extend the solid-organ procurement and transplantation programs, and the bone marrow donor program, and for other purposes.

¶104.3 "MORNING HOUR" DEBATES

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, pursuant to the order of the House of Friday, May 12, 1995, recognized Members for "morning hour" debates.

¶104.4 RECESS—12:41 P.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, pursuant to clause 12 of rule I, declared the House in recess at 12 o'clock and 41 minutes p.m., until 2:00 p.m.

¶104.5 AFTER RECESS—2:00 P.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Ms. GREENE, called the House to order.

¶104.6 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Ms. GREENE, announced she had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Monday, September 9, 1991.

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

¶104.7 COMMUNICATIONS

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

4939. A letter from the Secretary of Energy, transmitting the Department's 34th quarterly report to Congress on the status of Exxon and stripper well oil overcharge funds as of March 31, 1996; to the Committee on Commerce.

4940. A letter from the U.S. Court of Appeals, District of Columbia Circuit, transmitting an opinion of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit (94-1558—Engine Manufacturers Association, on Behalf of Certain of Its Members versus Environmental Protection Agency); to the Committee on Commerce.

4964. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Employment Standards, Department of Labor, transmitting the Department's rule—Affirmative Action and Nondiscrimination Obligations of Contractors and Subcontractors Regarding Individuals with Disabilities, Disabled Veterans and Veterans of the Vietnam Era; Approval of Information Collection Requirements and OMB Control Numbers (RIN: 1215-AA62, 1215-AA76) received August 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4972. A letter from the U.S. Court of Appeals, District of Columbia Circuit, transmitting an opinion of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit (95-5057—Scott Armstrong, et al. versus Executive Office of the President); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4974. A letter from the Director, Financial Services, Library of Congress, transmitting the activities of the Capitol preservation fund for the first 9 months of fiscal year 1996, which ended on June 30, 1996, and comparable data for the same period of the previous fiscal year; to the Committee on House Oversight.

5000. A letter from the U.S. Court of Appeals, District of Columbia Circuit, transmitting an opinion of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit (92-3133—United States of America versus

Rochell Ardall Crowder); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

5023. A letter from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Milk in the Black Hills, South Dakota, Marketing Area; Termination of the Order [DA-96-12] received September 9, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

5024. A letter from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Assessment Rates for Specified Market Orders [Docket No. FV96-927-2 IFR] received September 9, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

5025. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Scrapie Indemnification Program [Docket No. 96-042-1] received September 9, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

5026. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule—Native American Programs (RIN: 0970-AB37) received September 3, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

5027. A letter from the Deputy Executive Director and Chief Operating Officer, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, transmitting the Corporation's final rule—Allocation of Assets in Single-Employer Plans; Interest Rate for Valuing Benefits (29 CFR Part 4044) received September 10, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

5028. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Consumer Information Regulations, Uniform Tire Quality Grading Standards (RIN: 2127-AF17) received September 5, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

5029. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Grande Fiesta Italiana Fireworks, Hempstead Harbor, New York (U.S. Coast Guard) [CGD01-96-109] (RIN: 2115-AA97) received September 5, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

5030. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Modernization of Examination Methods (U.S. Coast Guard) [CGD 94-029] (RIN: 2115-AE94) received September 5, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

5031. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Procedures for Abatement of Highway Traffic Noise and Construction Noise (Federal Highway Administration) [FHWA Docket No. 96-26] (RIN: 2125-AD97) received September 5, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

5032. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Pilot State Highway Safety Program (National Highway Traffic Safety Administration) [NHTSA Docket No. 93-55, Notice 4] (RIN: 2127-AF94) received September 5, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

5033. A letter from the Deputy Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Technical Amendments to Rule Relating to Payments for the Distribution of Shares by a Registered Open-End Management Investment Company (RIN: 3235-AG59) received September 10, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.