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 H.R. 2651: Mr. LUCAS and Mrs. VUCANOVICH.
 H.R. 2727: Mr. WELDON of Florida.
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 H.R. 2892: Mr. DURBIN and Mr. MOAKLEY.
 H.R. 2951: Mrs. MORELLA.
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 H.R. 3803: Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, Mr. DAVIS, Ms. NORTON, and Mr. OXLEY.
 H.R. 3836: Mr. FOX.
 H.R. 3837: Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. FROST, Mrs. THURMAN, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. TORRES, Mr. FLAKE, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, and Ms. SLAUGHTER.
 H.R. 3849: Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. MCKEON, and Mr. DORNAN.
 H.R. 3853: Mr. GORDON and Mr. CRAMER.
 H.R. 3863: Mr. GUNDERSON, Mr. MASCARA, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. DELLUMS, and Mr. UPTON.
 H.R. 3889: Mr. BONO, Mr. CALVERT, Mrs. SEASTRAND, Mr. BAKER of California, Mr. MOORHEAD, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. PACKARD, and Mr. POMBO.
 H.R. 3905: Mr. BLUTE, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, and Ms. SLAUGHTER.
 H.R. 3923: Mr. RAHALL, Ms. MOLINARI, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. WELLER, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. FRISA, and Mr. CRAMER.
 H.R. 3927: Mr. GONZALEZ, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. BRYANT of Texas, Mr. BALDACCIO, Mr. FRAZER, Ms. NORTON, Mr. GILMAN, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, and Mrs. SCHROEDER.
 H.R. 3939: Mr. BEREUTER.
 H.R. 3952: Mrs. MINK of Hawaii.
 H.R. 3966: Mr. NEY, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. DINGELL, and Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA.
 H.R. 4006: Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. PETRI, and Mr. LUCAS.
 H.J. Res. 97: Ms. KAPTUR.
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 H. Con. Res. 10: Mr. CALVERT.
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 H. Con. Res. 51: Mr. TRAFICANT and Mr. STUMP.
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 H. Con. Res. 195: Ms. FURSE, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. SABO, Mr. DEFAZIO, and Mr. MANTON.
 H. Con. Res. 200: Mr. RAHALL, Mr. ACKERMAN, and Ms. SLAUGHTER.
 H. Res. 449: Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. JOHNSTON of Florida, Mrs. MYRICK, and Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma.

H. Con. Res. 470: Mr. ACKERMAN and Mr. BAKER of Louisiana.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 1996 (103)

¶103.1 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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

WASHINGTON, DC,
 September 9, 1996.

I hereby designate the Honorable HOWARD COBLE to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NEWT GINGRICH,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

¶103.2 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. COBLE, announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Thursday, September 5, 1996.

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

¶103.3 COMMUNICATIONS

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

4892. A letter from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Irish Potatoes Grown in Colorado; Assessment Rate [Docket No. FV96-948-1 FIR] received August 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

4893. A letter from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—United States Standards for Grades of Frozen Cauliflower [FV-91-329] received August 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

4894. A letter from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Sweet Onions Grown in the Walla Walla Valley of Southeast Washington and Northeast Oregon; Establishment of Handler Reporting Requirements and Interest Charges on Overdue Assessment Payments [FV96-956-1 FR] received August 28, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

4895. A letter from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Idaho-Eastern Oregon Onions; Assessment Rate [Docket No. FV96-958-2 FIR] received August 23, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

4896. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Importation of Horses [Docket No. 95-079-2] received August 23, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

4897. A letter from the Administrator, Food and Nutrition Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Determination of Eligibility for Free Meals by Summer Food Service Program Sponsors and Free and Reduced Price Meals by Child and Adult Care Food Program Institutions (RIN: 0584-AB17) received August 8, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

4898. A letter from the Chief, Natural Resources Conservation Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Wetlands Reserve Program (RIN: 0578-AA16) received August 9, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

4899. A letter from the Secretary of Agriculture, transmitting the authorization of implementation of the Northeast Interstate Dairy Compact, pursuant to Public Law 104-127, section 147; to the Committee on Agriculture.

4900. A letter from the Secretary of Transportation, transmitting a report of a violation of the Anti-Deficiency Act which occurred in the Coast Guard's AC&I appropriations for fiscal years 1992 and 1993, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1417(b); to the Committee on Appropriations.

4901. A letter from the Under Secretary of Defense, transmitting a report of a violation of the Anti-Deficiency Act—Department of the Navy violation, case number 96-04, in the Standard Missile Medium Range Program, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1517(b); to the Committee on Appropriations.

4902. A letter from the Under Secretary of Defense, transmitting a report of a violation of the Anti-Deficiency Act—Department of the Navy violation, case number 96-10, in the Phalanx close-in weapons system, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1517(b); to the Committee on Appropriations.

4903. A letter from the Under Secretary of Defense, transmitting a report of a violation of the Anti-Deficiency Act—Department of the Navy violation, case number 96-01, in the fiscal year 1995 operation and maintenance, Navy [O&M,N] appropriation at the suballotment level, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1517(b); to the Committee on Appropriations.

4904. A letter from the Under Secretary of Defense, transmitting a report of a violation of the Anti-Deficiency Act—Department of the Navy violation, case number 94-08, in the fiscal year 1990 operation and maintenance, Navy Reserve appropriation, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1517(b); to the Committee on Appropriations.

4905. A letter from the Under Secretary of Defense, transmitting a report of a violation of the Anti-Deficiency Act—Department of the Navy violation, case number 95-01, in the fiscal year 1990 operation and maintenance, Navy [O&M,N] appropriation, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1517(b); to the Committee on Appropriations.

4906. A letter from the Principal Deputy Under Secretary of Defense (Comptroller), Department of Defense, transmitting notification that the Secretary has invoked the authority granted by 41 U.S.C. 3732 to authorize the military departments to incur obligations in excess of available appropriations for clothing, subsistence, forage, fuel, quarters, transportation, or medical and hospital supplies, pursuant to 41 U.S.C. 11; to the Committee on National Security.

4907. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a report on the transfer of property to the Republic of Panama under the Panama Canal Treaty of 1977 and related agreements, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 3784(b); to the Committee on National Security.

4908. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs and Public Liaison, Department of the Treasury, transmitting a copy of the 16th monthly report as required by the Mexican Debt Disclosure Act of 1995, pursuant to Public Law 104-6, section 404(a) (109 Stat. 90); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

4909. A letter from the Assistant to the Board, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, transmitting the Board's final rule—Loans in Areas Having Special Flood Hazards [Regulation H, Docket No. R-0897] received August 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

4910. A letter from the Assistant to the Board, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, transmitting the Board's final rule—Risk Based Capital Standards: Market

Risk [Regulations H and Y; Docket No. R-0884] received August 29, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

4911. A letter from the Comptroller of the Currency, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule—Risk-Based Capital Standards: Market Risk [Docket No. 96-18] (RIN: 1557-AB14) received September 3, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

4912. A letter from the Comptroller of the Currency, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule—Loans in Areas Having Special Flood Hazards [Docket No. 96-20] (RIN: 1557-AB47) received August 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

4913. A letter from the Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Farm Credit Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Loans in Areas Having Special Flood Hazards (RIN: 3052-AB57) received August 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

4914. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Housing Finance Board, transmitting the Board's annual report on the low-income housing and community development activities of the Federal Home Loan Bank System for 1995, pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1422b; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

4915. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Housing Finance Board, transmitting the Board's 1995 annual report, pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1422b; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

4916. A letter from the Attorney-Advisor, Federal Register Certifying Officer, Financial Management Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Delivery of Checks and Warrants to Addresses Outside the United States, its Territories and Possessions (RIN: 1510-AA55) received August 8, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

4917. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Management and Budget, transmitting OMB's estimate of the amount of change in outlays or receipts, as the case may be, in each fiscal year through fiscal year 2002 resulting from passage of H.R. 3734, pursuant to Public Law 101-508, section 13101(a) (104 Stat. 1388-582); to the Committee on the Budget.

4918. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's final rule—Indian Fellowship and Professional Development Programs (RIN: 1810-AA79) received August 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

4919. A letter from the Assistant Secretary of Labor for Mine Safety and Health, Department of Labor, transmitting the Department's final rule—Final Policy on Examination of Working Places (30 CFR Parts 56 and 57) received September 4, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

4920. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Energy, transmitting the Department's final rule—Patent Waiver Regulation (10 CFR Part 784) received August 13, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4921. A letter from the Deputy Administrator, Drug Enforcement Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Removal of Exemption for Certain Pseudoephedrine Products Marketed Under the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (FD&C Act) [DEA-138F] (RIN: 1117-AA32) received September 6, 1996, pursuant to 5

U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4922. A letter from the Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's report entitled "Assessment of International Air Pollution Prevention and Control Technology," pursuant to Public Law 101-549, section 901(3) (104 Stat. 2706); to the Committee on Commerce.

4923. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plan for New Mexico—Albuquerque/Bernalillo County: General Conformity Rules [FRL-5549-9] received September 9, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4924. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans for Louisiana: General Conformity Rule [FRL-5549-7] received September 9, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4925. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Clean Air Act Approval and Promulgation of PM10 State Implementation Plan for Colorado; Telluride; Revisions to the Maintenance Demonstration [FRL-5607-6] received September 9, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4926. A letter from the Managing Director, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations (Dearing, Kansas) [MM Docket No. 95-121] received August 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4927. A letter from the Managing Director, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Policy and Rules Concerning the Interstate, Interexchange Marketplace; Implementation of Section 254(g) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended [CC Docket No. 96-61] received August 29, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4928. A letter from the Managing Director, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations (Macomb, Illinois) [MM Docket No. 96-87] received August 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4929. A letter from the Managing Director, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations (Apalachicola, Monticello, Perry, Quincy, Springfield, Trenton, and Woodville, Florida) [MM Docket No. 95-82] received August 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4930. A letter from the Managing Director, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Interconnection and Resale Obligations Pertaining to Commercial Mobile Radio Services [CC Docket No. 94-54] received August 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4931. A letter from the Managing Director, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Implementation of Sections of the Cable Television Consumer Protection and Competition Act of 1992; Cable Pricing Flexibility [MM Docket No. 92-266; CS Docket No. 96-157] received August 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4932. A letter from the Managing Director, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations (Hopkinsville, Kentucky) [MM Docket No. 96-106] received September 4, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4933. A letter from the Managing Director, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations (Hartfield, Arkansas) received September 4, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4934. A letter from the Managing Director, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, Colorado; Brewster, Kansas) [MM Docket No. 94-134 received September 4, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4935. A letter from the Managing Director, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Rule-making to Amend Parts 1, 2, 21, and 25 of the Commission's Rules to Redesignate the 27.5-29.5 GHz Frequency Band, to Reallocate the 29.5-30.0 GHz Frequency Band, to Establish Rules and Policies for Local Multipoint Distribution Service and for Fixed Satellite Services [CC Docket No. 92-297] received, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4936. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the 61st annual report of the Commission including information required by the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, and the Communications Satellite Act of 1962, pursuant to 47 U.S.C. 154(k); to the Committee on Commerce.

4937. A letter from the Secretary, Federal Trade Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Regulations Under the Comprehensive Smokeless Tobacco Health Education Act of 1986 (16 CFR Part 307) received August 29, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4938. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy Management Staff, Office of Policy, Food and Drug Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Food Labeling: Health Claims; Sugar Alcohols and Dental Caries [Docket No. 95P-0003] received August 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4941. A letter from the Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, transmitting the quarterly reports in accordance with sections 36(a) and 26(b) of the Arms Export Control Act, the March 24, 1979, report by the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and the seventh report by the Committee on Government Operations for the third quarter of fiscal year 1996, April 1, 1996, April 1, 1996-June 30, 1996, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(a); to the Committee on International Relations.

4942. A letter from the Acting Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, transmitting notification concerning the Department of the Navy's proposed letter(s) of offer and acceptance [LOA] to Brunei for defense articles and services (Transmittal No. 96-73), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(b); to the Committee on International Relations.

4943. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting notification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially to Turkey (Transmittal No. DTC-36-96), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

4944. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting notification of a proposed manufacturing license agreement for production of major military equipment with Japan (Transmittal No. DTC-56-96), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(d); to the Committee on International Relations.

4945. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting notification of a proposed manufacturing license agreement for production of major military equipment with Japan (Transmittal No. DTC-59-96), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(d); to the Committee on International Relations.

4946. A letter from the Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting the Office's report entitled "Physicians Comparability Allowances," pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 5948(j)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4947. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 11-392, "Reorganization Plan No. 5 for the Department of Human Services and Department of Corrections Temporary Act of 1996" received September 6, 1996, pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4948. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 11-374, "Public Assistance Fair Hearing Procedures Temporary Amendment Act of 1996" received September 6, 1996, pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4949. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 11-384, "Preservation of Residential Neighborhoods Against Nuisances Temporary Act of 1996", received September 6, 1996, pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4950. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 11-381, "District of Columbia Housing Authority Temporary Amendment Act of 1996", received September 6, 1996, pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4951. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 11-380, "Real Property Tax Reassessment Temporary Act of 1996", received September 6, 1996, pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4952. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 11-391, "Drug Paraphernalia Amendment Act of 1996", received September 6, 1996, pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4953. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 11-386, "Cable Television Franchise Amendment Act of 1996", received September 6, 1996, pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4954. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 11-389, "Health and Hospitals Public Benefit Corporation Act of 1996" received September 6, 1996, pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4955. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 11-340, "Alcoholic Beverage Underage Penalties Amendment Act of 1996" received September 6, 1996, pursuant to D.C.

Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4956. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 11-348, "Emergency Assistance Clarification Amendment Act of 1996" received September 6, 1996, pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4957. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 11-371, "Lottery Games Amendment Act of 1996" received September 6, 1996, pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4958. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 11-372, "Testing of District Government Drivers of Commercial Motor Vehicles for Alcohol and Controlled Substances Temporary Amendment Act of 1996" received September 6, 1996, pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4959. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 11-378, "Paternity Acknowledgment and Gas Station Advisory Board Re-establishment Temporary Act of 1996" received September 6, 1996, pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4960. A letter from the Director of Central Intelligence, Central Intelligence Agency, transmitting a report of activities under the Freedom of Information Act for the calendar year 1995, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(d); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4961. A letter from the Executive Director, Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Handicapped, transmitting the Committee's final rule—Additions to the Procurement List [96-003] received September 6, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4962. A letter from the Executive Director, Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled, transmitting the Committee's final rule—Additions to the Procurement List [I.D. 96-001] received August 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4963. A letter from the Executive Director, Committee for Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled, transmitting the Committee's final rule—Additions to the Procurement List [I.D. 96-002] received September 4, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4965. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator for Acquisition Policy, General Services Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Federal Acquisition Regulation; Payment by Electronic Funds Transfer [FAC 90-42; FAR Case 91-118] (RIN: 9000-AG49) received September 4, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4966. A letter from the Director, Office of Management and Budget, transmitting the Office's final rule—Executive, Management, and Supervisory Development (RIN: 3602-AF96) received September 3, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4967. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Management and Budget, transmitting a report entitled "The Information Resources Management (IRM) Plan of the Federal Government" for fiscal year 1995, pursuant to 44 U.S.C. 3514; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4968. A letter from the Deputy Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting

the Office's final rule—Prevailing Rate Systems; Abolishment of Marion, IN, Non-appropriated Fund Wage Area (RIN: 3206-AH60) received September 6, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4969. A letter from the Secretary of Labor, transmitting a report of activities under the Freedom of Information Act for the calendar year 1995, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(d); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4970. A letter from the Secretary of Transportation, transmitting the Secretary's Management Report, October 1, 1995—March 31, 1996, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 9106; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4971. A letter from the Chairman, Board of Directors, Tennessee Valley Authority, transmitting a report of activities under the Freedom of Information Act for the calendar year 1995, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(d); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4973. A letter from the Vice Chairman, Federal Election Commission, transmitting proposed regulations governing electronic filing of reports by political committees, pursuant to 2 U.S.C. 438(d)(1); to the Committee on House Oversight.

4975. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Land and Minerals Management, Department of the Interior, transmitting the annual report on royalty management and collection activities for Federal and Indian mineral leases in 1994 and 1995, pursuant to 30 U.S.C. 237; to the Committee on Resources.

4976. A letter from the Deputy Associate Director for Compliance, Minerals Management Service, transmitting notification of proposed refunds of excess royalty payments in OCS areas, pursuant to 43 U.S.C. 1339(b); to the Committee on Resources.

4977. A letter from the Acting Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Limes and Avacados Grown in Florida; Suspension of Certain Volume Regulations and Reporting Requirements [Docket No. FV-95-911-2 FIR] received September 5, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

4978. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—1996-97 Refuge-Specific Hunting and Sport Fishing Regulations (RIN: 1018-AD76) received August 29, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

4979. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Lassen Volcanic National Park (National Park Service) (RIN: 1024-AC52) received September 3, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

4980. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Migratory Bird Hunting; Migratory Bird Hunting Regulations on Certain Federal Indian Reservations and Ceded Lands for the 1996-97 Early Season (RIN: 1018-AD69) received August 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

4981. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Addition of Ten National Wildlife Refuges to the List of Open Areas for Hunting and/or Sport Fishing in Arkansas, Illinois, Indiana, Louisiana, Missouri, Mississippi, and Nebraska (RIN: 1018-AD77) received August 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

4982. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Migratory Bird Hunting; Early Seasons and Bag and Possession Limits for Certain Migratory Game Birds in the Contiguous United States, Alaska, Hawaii, Puerto Rico, and the Virgin Islands (RIN: 1018-AD69) received August 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

4983. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Secretary for Land and Minerals Management, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Alaska Occupancy and Use; Alaska Homestead Settlement (RIN: 1004-AC90) received September 6, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

4984. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Department's final rule—Fisherman's Protective Act Guaranty Fund Procedures [Public Notice 2425] received August 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

4985. A letter from the Director, Minerals Management Service, transmitting the decision document for the proposed 5-Year Outer Continental Shelf [OCS] Oil and Gas Leasing Program for 1997-2002, pursuant to Public Law 91-190, section 102(s)(c); to the Committee on Resources.

4986. A letter from the Acting Program Management Officer, National Marine Fisheries Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Fisheries of the Caribbean, Gulf of Mexico, and South Atlantic; Golden Crab Fishery Off the Southern Atlantic States; Initial Regulations; OMB Control Numbers [Docket No. 950316075-6222-03; I.D. 022696A] (RIN: 0648-AH86) received September 3, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

4987. A letter from the Acting Program Management Officer, National Marine Fisheries Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Fisheries of the Northeastern United States; Summer Flounder and Scup Fisheries; Amendment 8 [Docket No. 960520141-6221-02; I.D. 042696A] (RIN: 0648-AH05) received September 3, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

4988. A letter from the Director, Office of Fisheries Conservation and Management, National Marine Fisheries Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Fisheries of the Caribbean, Gulf of Mexico, and South Atlantic; Coastal Migratory Pelagic Resources of the Gulf of Mexico and South Atlantic; Closure [Docket No. 950725189-5260-02; I.D. 082096G] received September 3, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

4989. A letter from the Director, Office of Fisheries Conservation and Management, National Marine Fisheries Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Atlantic Tuna Fisheries; Fishery Closure [I.D. 081596C] received August 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

4990. A letter from the Acting Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—The Fishing Capacity Reduction Initiative (FCRI); Final Program Notice and Announcement of Availability of Federal Assistance [Docket No. 95106161159-6230-04; I.D. 082096I] (RIN: 0648-ZA16) received August 26, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

4991. A letter from the Director, Office of Surface Mining, transmitting the Office's final rule—Ohio Regulatory Program [OH-238-FOR, No. 72] received August 26, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

4992. A letter from the Director, Office of Surface Mining, transmitting the Office's

final rule—Utah Regulatory Program [SPATS No. UT-034] received August 28, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

4993. A letter from the Director, Office of Surface Mining, transmitting the Office's final rule—Virginia Regulatory Program [VA-108-FOR] received August 26, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

4994. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary of Commerce and Acting Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule—Service of Process; Testimony by Employees and the Production of Documents in Legal Proceedings (RIN: 0651-XX07) received August 7, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

4995. A letter from the Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, transmitting the Department's final rule—Motor Vehicle Theft Prevention Act Program Regulations [OJP No. 1081] (RIN: 1121-AA38) received September 3, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

4996. A letter from the Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, transmitting the Department's report on the use of Federal electronic surveillance laws, pursuant to Public Law 104-132, section 810(b) (110 Stat. 1312); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

4997. A letter from the Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, transmitting the Department's final rule—Grants To Encourage Arrest Policies [OJP No. 1019] (RIN: 1121-AA35) received September 3, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

4998. A letter from the Commissioner, Immigration and Naturalization Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Introduction of New Employment Authorization Document [INS No. 1399-96] (RIN: 1115-AB73) received August 29, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

4999. A letter from the Deputy Executive Director, Reserve Officers Association, transmitting the association's financial audit for the period ending March 31, 1996, pursuant to 36 U.S.C. 1101(41) and 1103; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

5001. A letter from the Secretary of Transportation, transmitting the Department's study on tanker navigation safety standards; Evaluation of Oil Tanker Routing, pursuant to Public Law 101-380, section 411(c) (104 Stat. 516); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5002. A letter from the Secretary of Transportation, transmitting the Department's overview to the report of the commercial feasibility of high-speed ground transportation, pursuant to Public Law 102-240, section 1036(c)(1) (105 Stat. 1983); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5003. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations; Intermodal Transportation (Federal Highway Administration) [FHWA Docket No. MC-93-17] (RIN: 2125-AD14) received August 16, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5004. A letter from the Administrator, Federal Aviation Administration, transmitting the supplemental report to Congress on 1993 DOD military base closures and realignments, pursuant to Public Law 102-581, section 107; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5005. A letter from the Chairman, Surface Transportation Board, transmitting the

Board's final rule—Regulations Governing Fees for Service Performed in Connection With Licensing and Related Services—1996 Update (STB Ex Parte No. 542) received August 16, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5006. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulations Management, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's final rule—Schedule for Rating Disabilities; Respiratory System (RIN: 2900-AE94) received September 3, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

5007. A letter from the Chief Counsel, Bureau of the Public Debt, transmitting the Bureau's final rule—Regulations Governing Book-Entry Treasury Bonds, Notes and Bills [Department of the Treasury Circular, Public Debt Series, No. 2-86] received August 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5008. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Weighted Average Interest Rate Update (Notice 96-43) received September 4, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5009. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Modifications of Bad Debts and Dealer Assignments of National Principal Contracts (RIN: 1545-AT14) received August 21, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5010. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Employee Plans and Exempt Organizations; Requests for Certain Determination Letters and Applications For Recognition of Exemption (Announcement No. 96-92) received September 4, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5011. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—1996 Section 43 Inflation Adjustment (Notice 96-41) received September 4, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5012. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—1996 Marginal Production Rates (Notice 96-42) received September 4, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5013. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Determination of Interest Rate (Revenue Ruling 96-44) received September 4, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5014. A letter from the Chief of Staff, Social Security Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Living in the Same Household and the Lump-Sum Death Payment (RIN: 0960-AE20) received August 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5015. A letter from the Chairman, U.S. International Trade Commission, transmitting a copy of the 86 quarterly report on trade between the United States and China, the successor states to the former Soviet Union and other title IV countries during January-March 1996, pursuant to 19 U.S.C. 2440; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5016. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Migratory Bird Harvest Information Program (RIN: 1018-AD08) re-

ceived August 27, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5017. A letter from the Secretary of Energy, transmitting a report on the reasons why it will require more than 1 year to implement plans that are responsive to Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board recommendations with respect to public health and safety at DOE defense nuclear facilities, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 2286d(f); jointly, to the Committees on Commerce and National Security.

5018. A letter from the Secretary of Defense, transmitting notification that the Department proposes to obligate up to \$20 million of the fiscal year 1994 cooperative threat reduction [CTR] funding for the Defense Enterprise Fund and up to \$29.0 million of the fiscal year 1996 CTR funding for a missile material storage facility [FMSF], pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 5955; jointly, to the Committees on International Relations and National Security.

5019. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, certification that Honduras has adopted a regulatory program governing the incidental taking of certain sea turtles, pursuant to Public Law 101-162, section 609(b)(2) (103 Stat. 1038); jointly, to the Committees on Resources and Appropriations.

5020. A letter from the Administrator, Health Care Financing Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Medicare Program: Special Enrollment Periods and Waiting Period (RIN: 0938-AH33) received August 8, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly, to the Committees on Ways and Means and Commerce.

5021. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule—Medicare and Medicaid Programs; Requirements for Physician Incentive Plans in Prepaid Health Care Organizations [OMC-101-FC] (RIN: 0938-AF74) received September 4, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly, to the Committees on Ways and Means and Commerce.

5022. A letter from the Deputy Secretary of Defense, transmitting a report on Improved Access to Military Health Care of Covered Beneficiaries Entitled to Medicare, pursuant to Public Law 104-106, section 746; jointly, to the Committee on National Security, Ways and Means, Commerce, and Government Reform and Oversight.

¶103.4 MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Ms. McDevitt, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate had passed with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested, a bill of the House of the following title:

H.R. 3666. An Act making appropriations for the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, boards, commissions, corporations, and offices for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that the Senate insists upon its amendments to the bill (H.R. 3666) "An Act making appropriations for the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, boards, commissions, corporations, and offices for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997, and for other purposes," requests a conference with the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon, and appoints Mr. BOND, Mr. BURNS, Mr. STEVENS, Mr. SHELBY, Mr. BEN-

NETT, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. HATFIELD, Ms. MIKULSKI, Mr. LEAHY, Mr. JOHNSTON, Mr. LAUTENBERG, Mr. KERREY, and Mr. BYRD, to be the conferees on the part of the Senate.

The message also announced that the Senate had passed bills and a concurrent resolution of the following titles in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

S. 1972. An Act to amend the Older Americans Act of 1965 to improve the provisions relating to Indians, and for other purposes;

S. 1970. An Act to amend the National Museum of the American Indian Act to make improvements in the Act, and for other purposes; and

S. Con. Res. 14. Concurrent resolution urging the President to negotiate a new base rights agreement with the Government of Panama to permit United States Armed Forces to remain in Panama beyond December 31, 1999.

The message also announced that pursuant to the provisions of Senate Concurrent Resolution 47 (104th Congress), the Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, appoints the following Senators to the Joint Congressional Committee on Inaugural Ceremonies: The Senator from Mississippi [Mr. LOTT]; the Senator from Virginia [Mr. WARNER]; and the Senator from Kentucky [Mr. FORD].

¶103.5 SENATE BILLS AND CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REFERRED

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

S. 1970. An Act to amend the National Museum of the American Indian Act to make improvements in the Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Oversight, and in addition to the Committee on Resources, 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.

S. 1972. An Act to amend the Older Americans Act of 1965 to improve the provisions relating to Indians, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities; and

S. Con. Res. 14. Concurrent resolution urging the President to negotiate a new base rights agreement with the Government of Panama to permit United States Armed Forces to remain in Panama beyond December 31, 1999; to the Committee on International Relations.

¶103.6 BILLS PRESENTED TO THE PRESIDENT

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

On September 5, 1996:

H.R. 3754. An Act making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997, and for other purposes.

On September 6, 1996:

H.R. 740. An Act to confer jurisdiction on the United States Court of Federal Claims with respect to land claims of Pueblo of Isleta Indian Tribe;

H.R. 3269. An Act to amend the Impact Aid program to provide for a hold-harmless with

respect to amounts of payments relating to the Federal acquisition of real property, and for other purposes;

H.R. 3517. An Act making appropriations for military construction, family housing, and base realignment and closure for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997, and for other purposes; and

H.R. 3845. An Act making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997, and for other purposes.

And then,

¶103.7 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mrs. SCHROEDER, pursuant to the special order agreed to on September 5, 1996, at 12 o'clock and 10 minutes p.m., the House adjourned until 12:30 p.m. on Tuesday, September 10, 1996.

¶103.8 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. 2275. A bill to reauthorize and amend the Endangered Species Act of 1973; with an amendment (Rept. No. 104-778, Pt. 1). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. H.R. 2693. A bill to require the Secretary of Agriculture to make a minor adjustment in the exterior boundary of the Hells Canyon Wilderness in the States of Oregon and Idaho to exclude an established Forest Service road inadvertently included in the wilderness (Rept. No. 104-779). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

¶103.9 TIME LIMITATION OF REFERRED BILL

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

[The following action occurred on September 6, 1996]

H.R. 2740. Referral to the Committee on Commerce extended for a period ending not later than September 13, 1996.

[Submitted September 9, 1996]

H.R. 2275. Referral to the Committee on Agriculture extended for a period ending not later than September 9, 1996.

¶103.10 DISCHARGE OF COMMITTEE

[The following action occurred on September 6, 1996]

Pursuant to clause 5 of rule X the Committee on Banking and Financial Services discharged from further consideration. H.R. 2145 referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

[Submitted September 9, 1996]

Pursuant to clause 5 of rule X the Committee on Agriculture discharged from further consideration. H.R. 2275 referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.