

logical warfare agents as a result of the Persian Gulf conflict; to the Committee on National Security.

By Mr. METCALF:

H.R. 4132. A bill to require that a portion of the amounts made available for housing programs for the homeless be used for housing for homeless veterans; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

¶112.11 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 3715: Mr. BOEHNER.

H.R. 3753: Mr. LATHAM and Mr. LIGHTFOOT.
H. Con. Res. 21: Mr. FROST.

H. Res. 30: Mr. SABO, Mr. BAKER of California, and Mr. SKELTON.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 1996 (113)

¶113.1 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The House was called to order at 10:30 a.m. by the SPEAKER pro tempore, Mrs. VUCANOVICH, who laid before the House the following communication:

WASHINGTON, DC,
September 24, 1996.

I hereby designate the Honorable BARBARA F. VUCANOVICH to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NEWT GINGRICH,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

¶113.2 MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Ms. McDevitt, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

S. 1044. An Act to amend title III of the Public Health Service Act to consolidate and reauthorize provisions relating to health centers, and for other purposes.

S. 2101. An Act to provide educational assistance to the dependents of Federal law enforcement officials who are killed or disabled in the performance of their duties.

The message also announced that the Senate agrees to the amendment of the House to the bill (S. 1507) "An Act to provide for the extension of the Parole Commission to oversee cases of prisoners sentenced under prior law, to reduce the size of the Parole Commission, and for other purposes."

¶113.3 "MORNING HOUR" DEBATES

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

¶113.4 RECESS—10:44 A.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mrs. VUCANOVICH, pursuant to clause 12 of rule I, declared the House in recess at 10 o'clock and 44 minutes until 12 o'clock noon.

¶113.5 AFTER RECESS—12:00 NOON

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

¶113.6 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Ms. GREENE, announced she had examined

and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Monday, September 23, 1996.

Mr. BALLENGER, pursuant to clause 1, rule I, objected to the Chair's approval of the Journal.

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House agree to the Chair's approval of said Journal?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Ms. GREENE, announced that the yeas had it.

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

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Ms. GREENE, pursuant to clause 5, rule I, announced that the vote would be postponed until later today.

The point of no quorum was considered as withdrawn.

¶113.7 COMMUNICATIONS

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

5273. A letter from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Domestic Dates Produced or Packed in Riverside County, California; Assessment Rate [Docket No. FV96-987-1 IFR] received September 24, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

5274. A letter from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Almonds Grown in California; Assessment Rate [Docket No. FV96-981-2 FIR] received September 24, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

5275. A letter from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Vidalia Onions Grown in Georgia; Assessment Rate [Docket No. FV96-955-1 IFR] received September 24, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

5276. A letter from the Chief, Programs and Legislation Division, Office of Legislative Liaison, Department of the Air Force, transmitting notification that the commander of Kessler Air Force Base [AFB], MS, has conducted a cost comparison study to reduce the cost of operating the grounds maintenance function, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 2304 note; to the Committee on National Security.

5277. A letter from the Secretary of the Board, National Credit Union Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Community Development Revolving Loan Program for Credit Loans (12 CFR Part 701 and 705) received September 24, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

5278. A letter from the Secretary of the Board, National Credit Union Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Organization and Operations of Federal Credit Unions (12 CFR Parts 701, 709 and 741) received September 24, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

5279. A letter from the Secretary of the Board, National Credit Union Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Management Official Interlocks (12 CFR Part 711) received September 24, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

5280. A letter from the Secretary of the Board, National Credit Union Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Supervisory Committee Audits and Verifications (12 CFR Part 701) received September 23, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C.

801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

5281. A letter from the Secretary of the Board, National Credit Union Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Loans in Areas Having Special Flood Hazards (RIN: 3052-AB57) received September 23, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

5282. A letter from the Director, Office of Management and Budget, transmitting OMB's estimate of the amount of discretionary new budget authority and outlays for the current year, if any and the budget year provided by H.R. 3517 and H.R. 3754, pursuant to Public Law 101-508, Section 13101(a) (104 Stat. 1388-578); to the Committee on the Budget.

5283. A letter from the Secretary of the Commission, Consumer Product Safety Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Standard for the Flammability of Children's Sleepware: Sizes 0 Through 6XT, Standard for the Flammability of Children's Sleepware: Sizes 7 Through 14 (16 CFR Parts 1615 and 1616) received September 16, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

5284. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy Management Staff, Office of Policy, Food and Drug Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Current Good Manufacturing Practices for Blood and Blood Components: Notification of Consignees Receiving Blood and Blood Components at Increased Risk for Transmitting HIV Infection [Docket No. 91N-0152] (RIN: 0910-AA05) received September 16, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

5285. A letter from the Chairman, Nuclear Waste Technical Review Board, transmitting the Board's report entitled "Disposal and Storage of Spent Nuclear Fuel—Finding the Right Balance," pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 10268; to the Committee on Commerce.

5286. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting notification of the removal of items from the U.S. munitions list, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2778(f); to the Committee on International Relations.

5287. 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 Italy (Transmittal No. DTC-67-96), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(d); to the Committee on International Relations.

5288. 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; Final Frameworks for Late-Season Migratory Bird Hunting (RIN: 1018-AD69) received September 24, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5289. A letter from the Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Pollock in Statistical Area 620 of the Gulf of Alaska [Docket No. 960129018-6018-01; I.D. 091896A] received September 24, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5290. A letter from the Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Fisheries Off West Coast States and in the Western Pacific; West Coast Salmon Fisheries; Closure from the Oregon-California Border to Humboldt South Jetty, CA [Docket No. 960126016-6121-04] received September 24, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5291. A letter from the National President, Women's Army Corps Veterans' Association,