

Ordered. That the Clerk notify the Senate thereof.

¶117.86 PERMISSION TO FILE REPORT

On motion of Mr. GILCHREST, by unanimous consent, the Committee on Resources was granted permission until 5 p.m., Friday, October 11, 1996, to file a report H.R. 2041, the Guam War Restitution Act, as amended.

¶117.87 SENATE BILLS REFERRED

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

S. 737. An Act to extend the deadlines applicable to certain hydroelectric projects, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

S. 2153. An Act to designate the United States Post Office building located in Brewer, Maine, as the "Joshua Lawrence Chamberlain Post Office Building", and for other purposes; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

¶117.88 ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mr. THOMAS, from the Committee on House Oversight, reported that the committee had examined and found truly enrolled bills of the House of the following titles, which were thereupon signed by the Speaker:

H.R. 657. An Act to extend the deadline under the Federal Power Act applicable to the construction of three hydroelectric projects in the State of Arkansas.

H.R. 680. An Act to extend the time for construction of certain FERC licensed hydro projects.

H.R. 1014. An Act to authorize extension of time limitation for a FERC-issued hydroelectric license.

H.R. 1290. An Act to reinstate the permit for, and extend the deadline under the Federal Power Act applicable to the construction of, a hydroelectric project in Oregon, and for other purposes.

H.R. 1335. An Act to provide for the extension of a hydroelectric project located in the State of West Virginia.

H.R. 1366. An Act to authorize the extension of time limitation for the FERC-issued hydroelectric license for the Mt. Hope Waterpower Project.

H.R. 1791. An Act to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to make certain technical corrections relating to physicians' services.

H.R. 2501. An Act to extend the deadline under the Federal Power Act applicable to the construction of a hydroelectric project in Kentucky, and for other purposes.

H.R. 2630. An Act to extend the deadline for commencement of construction of a hydroelectric project in the State of Illinois.

H.R. 2695. An Act to extend the deadline under the Federal Power Act applicable to the construction of certain hydroelectric projects in the State of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 2773. An Act to extend the deadline under the Federal Power Act applicable to the construction of 2 hydroelectric projects in North Carolina, and for other purposes.

H.R. 2816. An Act to reinstate the license for, and extend the deadline under the Federal Power Act applicable to the construction of, a hydroelectric project in Ohio, and for other purposes.

H.R. 2869. An Act to extend the deadline for commencement of construction of a hydroelectric project in the State of Kentucky.

H.R. 3259. An Act to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1997 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government, the Community Management Account, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System, and for other purposes.

H.R. 3546. An Act to direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey the Walhalla National Fish Hatchery to the State of South Carolina.

H.R. 3877. An Act to designate the United States Post Office building in Camden, Arkansas, as the "Honorable David H. Pryor Post Office Building".

¶117.89 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:

H.R. 3068. An Act to accept the request of the Prairie Island Indian Community to revoke their charter of incorporation issued under the Indian Reorganization Act.

H.R. 2660. An Act to increase the amount authorized to be appropriated to the Department of the Interior for the Tensas River National Wildlife Refuge, and for other purposes.

H.R. 2594. An Act to amend the Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act to reduce the waiting period for benefits payable under that Act, and for other purposes.

H.R. 2508. An Act to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to provide for improvements in the process of approving and using animal drugs, and for other purposes.

¶117.90 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted—

To Ms. WATERS, for today; and

To Mrs. FOWLER, for today.

And then,

¶117.91 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. FOX, pursuant to the special order heretofore agreed to, at 11 o'clock and 42 minutes p.m., the House adjourned until 2 o'clock p.m. on Monday, September 30, 1996.

¶117.92 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. HYDE: Committee on the Judiciary, H.R. 3307. A bill to amend title 5, United States Code, to provide for a limitation on sanctions imposed by agencies and for other purposes; with amendments (Rept. No. 104-859). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources, H.R. 2392. A bill to amend the Umatilla Basin Project Act to establish boundaries for irrigation districts within the Umatilla Basin, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. No. 104-860). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. CLINGER: Committee on Government Reform and Oversight, Federal Government Management: Examining Government Performance As We Near the Next Century (Rept. No. 104-861). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. CLINGER: Committee on Government Reform and Oversight, Investigation into the White House and Department of Justice on Security of FBI Background Investigation Files (Rept. No. 104-862). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. LIVINGSTON: Committee of Conference, Conference report on H.R. 3610. A bill making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 104-863). Ordered to be printed.

Mr. BLILEY: Committee of Conference, Conference report on H.R. 3005. A bill to amend the Federal securities laws in order to promote efficiency and capital information in the financial markets, and to amend the Investment Company Act of 1940 to promote more efficient management of mutual funds, protect investors, and provide more effective and less burdensome regulation (Rept. No. 104-864). Ordered to be printed.

Mr. BLILEY: Committee on Conference, H.R. 2976. A bill to prohibit health plans from interfering with health care provider communications with their patients; (Rept. No. 104-865 Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

¶117.93 TIME LIMITATION OF REFERRED BILL

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

H.R. 2976. Referral to the Committees on Ways and Means, Economic and Educational Opportunities, and Government Reform and Oversight for a period ending not later than October 2, 1996.

¶117.94 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. BROWN of California (for himself, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. MILLER of California, and Mr. EVANS):

H.R. 4274. A bill to require the Commissioner of Social Security and the Secretary of the Treasury to develop and implement measures to eliminate and prevent mismatching of earnings information maintained by the Social Security Administration and the Internal Revenue Service resulting in underpayment of social security benefits; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. GOODLING (for himself, Mr. ROBERTS, and Mr. MILLER of California):

H.R. 4275. A bill to provide funding for the nutrition education and training program authorized under the Child Nutrition Act of 1966, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities, and in addition to the Committee on Agriculture, 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. EWING:

H.R. 4276. A bill to amend the Commodity Exchange Act to provide a conditional exemption for certain transactions involving professional markets, to clarify the effect of the designation of a board of trade as a contract market, to simplify the process for the making effective of contract market rules, to regulate audit trail requirements, to establish cost-benefit analysis requirements, and to combat fraud in transactions in or involving foreign currency, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. GREENWOOD (for himself, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. BURR, Mr. TOWNS, Mr.

KLUG, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, and Mr. HALL of Texas):

H.R. 4277. A bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to allow for additional deferred effective dates for approval of applications under the new drugs provisions, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. LIVINGSTON:

H.R. 4278. A bill making omnibus consolidated appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997, and for other purposes; considered and passed pursuant to the order of the House.

By Mr. ACKERMAN:

H.R. 4279. A bill to direct the Secretary of Transportation to determine the feasibility of placing bar codes on passenger motor vehicles to facilitate the tracing of stolen vehicles, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. THOMAS:

H.R. 4280. A bill to amend title 44, United States Code, to establish the Joint Committee on Information, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Oversight, and in addition to the Committees on Government Reform and Oversight, and Rules, 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. YOUNG of Alaska (for himself, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, and Mr. GALLEGLY):

H.R. 4281. A bill to provide a process leading to full self-government for Puerto Rico; to the Committee on Resources, and in addition to the Committee on Rules, 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. BATEMAN:

H.R. 4282. A bill to amend the National Defense Authorization Act for fiscal year 1993 to make a technical correction relating to the provision of Department of Defense Assistance to local educational agencies; to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities, and in addition to the Committee on National Security, 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. LATOURETTE:

H.R. 4283. A bill to provide for ballast water management to prevent the introduction and spread of nonindigenous species into the waters of the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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.

By Mr. HOYER (for himself, Mr. EDWARDS, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. SAWYER, Mr. WYNN, Mr. BENTSEN, Ms. MCCARTHY, Mr. DOOLEY, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. DICKS, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. FROST, Mr. SCOTT, Mr. MORAN, and Mr. RICHARDSON):

H.R. 4284. A bill to prohibit certain abortions; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. COX (for himself, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. GINGRICH, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. DELAY, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. LIVINGSTON, Mr. ARCHER, Mr. KASICH, Mr. PAXON, Ms. MOLINARI, Mr. CLINGER, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. GOSS, Mr. HORN, Mr. STENHOLM, Ms. HARMAN, Mr. CONDIT, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. POSHARD, Mr. MONTGOMERY, Mr. ROSE, Mr. PETE GEREN of Texas, Mr.

ALLARD, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. BAKER of California, Mr. BAKER of Louisiana, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. BARR, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. BASS, Mr. BATEMAN, Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. BLILEY, Mr. BLUTE, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. BONILLA, Mr. BONO, Mr. BROWNBACK, Mr. BRYANT of Tennessee, Mr. BUNNING of Kentucky, Mr. BURR, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. BUYER, Mr. CALLAHAN, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. CAMP, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. CANADY, Mr. CASTLE, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mrs. CHENOWETH, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. CHRYSLER, Mr. COBLE, Mr. COBURN, Mr. COLLINS of Georgia, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. COOLEY, Mr. CRANE, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. CREMEANS, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mr. DICKEY, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. DORNAN, Mr. DREIER, Mr. DUNCAN, Ms. DUNN of Washington, Mr. EHLERS, Mr. EHRlich, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. EWING, Mr. FLANAGAN, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. FOX, Mr. FIELDS of Texas, Mr. FORBES, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, Mr. FRANKS of Connecticut, Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, Mr. FRISA, Mr. FUNDERBURK, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. GANSKE, Mr. GEKAS, Mr. GILCREST, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. GOODLING, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. GREENWOOD, Ms. GREENE of Utah, Mr. GUNDERSON, Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mr. HANCOCK, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. HAYES, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. HEFLEY, Mr. HERGER, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. HOKE, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. HYDE, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. ISTOOK, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. SAM JOHNSON, Mr. JONES, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. KIM, Mr. KING, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. KLUG, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. LATHAM, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. LAUGHLIN, Mr. LAZIO of New York, Mr. LEACH, Mr. LEWIS of California, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. LIGHTFOOT, Mr. LINDER, Mr. LONGLEY, Mr. LUCAS, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. MCCRERY, Mr. MCDADE, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. MCINNIS, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. MCKEON, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. MARTINI, Mr. METCALF, Mrs. MEYERS of Kansas, Mr. MICA, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. MOORHEAD, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. NEUMANN, Mr. NEY, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. OXLEY, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. PARKER, Mr. PETRI, Mr. POMBO, Mr. PORTMAN, Ms. PRYCE, Mr. QUINN, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. RIGGS, Mr. ROBERTS, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Ms. ROSLEHTINEN, Mr. ROTH, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. SALMON, Mr. SANFORD, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. SCARBOROUGH, Mr. SCHAEFER, Mr. SCHIFF, Mrs. SEASTRAND, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. SHAW, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. SHUSTER, Mr. SKEEN, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mrs. SMITH of Washington, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. SPENCE, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. STOCKMAN, Mr. STUMP, Mr. TALENT, Mr. TATE, Mr. TAUZIN, Mr. THOMAS, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. TORKILDSEN, Mr. UPTON, Mrs. VUCANOVICH, Mr. WALKER, Mr. WALSH, Mr. WAMP, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. WELLER, Mr. WHITE, Mr.

WICKER, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. WOLF, and Mr. ZIMMER):

H.R. 4285. A bill to amend the Congressional Budget and Impoundment Control Act of 1974 to reform the budget process, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Budget, and in addition to the Committees on Government Reform and Oversight, Appropriations, and Rules, 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. ACKERMAN:

H.R. 4286. A bill to amend the Anti Car Theft Act of 1992 to provide for the establishment of a toll-free telephone number for the reporting of stolen and abandoned passenger motor vehicles, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

H.R. 4287. A bill to require the Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration to address the aircraft noise problems of Queens and the northshore of Long Island, NY; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. BARTON of Texas (for himself, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. BONO, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. GINGRICH, Mr. MCCRERY, Mr. REGULA, Mr. TAUZIN, Mr. THORNBERRY, and Mr. WISE):

H.R. 4288. A bill to encourage the increased use of domestic natural gas as a transportation fuel, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure, Ways and Means, National Security, 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 Mr. BEREUTER:

H.R. 4289. A bill to provide a more effective remedy for inadequate trade benefits extended to the United States by other countries and for restrictions on free emigration imposed by other countries; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Rules, 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. BROWN of California:

H.R. 4290. A bill to amend title V of the Trade Act of 1974 to add to the eligibility criteria for the generalized system of preferences full cooperation with the United States in preventing illegal drug traffic and the entry of illegal drugs into the United States; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

H.R. 4291. A bill to provide for the multilateral negotiation of Western Hemisphere environmental, labor, and agricultural standards, to implement as U.S. negotiating objectives in any free trade area negotiations pursuant to the Free Trade Agreement for the Americas certain threshold protections regarding enforceable worker rights, agricultural standards, and environmental quality, and to implement a corresponding, comprehensive multilateral dispute resolution mechanism to investigate, adjudicate, and render binding, enforceable judgments against any unfair trade practices arising within the Western Hemisphere free trade area, including those involving the systematic denial or practical nullification of certain threshold protections of worker rights, agricultural standards, and environmental quality; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

H.R. 4292. A bill to provide a comprehensive program of adjustment assistance to workers displaced as a result of any program, project, or activity carried out under Federal law; to the Committee on Economic

and Educational Opportunities, and in addition to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure, and 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. BROWNBACK (for himself, Mr. ALLARD, and Mr. HOKE):

H.R. 4293. A bill to amend title 31, United States Code, to provide for public disclosure of the amounts of Federal funds used to conduct field examinations of appropriation estimates; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

By Mr. COOLEY:

H.R. 4294. A bill to prohibit further extension or establishment of any national monument in Oregon without full public participation and an express act of Congress, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. CRAPO:

H.R. 4295. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to transfer certain facilities of the Minidoka Project to the Burley Irrigation District, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Ms. DELAURO (for herself, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. FOGLIETTA, Mr. MORAN, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. PALLONE, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. LOBIONDO, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. NADLER, Ms. ESHOO, Mrs. MALONEY, Ms. NORTON, Mrs. CLAYTON, and Ms. SLAUGHTER):

H.R. 4296. A bill to require that health plans provide coverage for a minimum hospital stay for mastectomies and lymph node dissection of the treatment of breast cancer; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. DELAY:

H.R. 4297. A bill to give all American electricity consumers the right to choose among competitive providers of electricity in order to secure lower electricity rates, higher quality services, and a more robust U.S. economy, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. ENSIGN:

H.R. 4298. A bill to provide for a special Medicare part B enrollment period and a special Medigap open enrollment period for certain military retirees and dependents; to the Committee on Commerce, 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. FRANKS of New Jersey (for himself, Mr. HERGER, Mr. BILBRAY, and Mrs. MEYERS of Kansas):

H.R. 4299. A bill to regulate the use by interactive computer services of Social Security account numbers and related personally identifiable information; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Ms. FURSE:

H.R. 4300. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to assure the availability of health insurance coverage for children in the individual market in a manner similar to guaranteed availability of individual health insurance coverage for certain previously covered individuals under the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. GOODLING:

H.R. 4301. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide that elected tax collectors shall be treated as self-employed for certain purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. GUNDERSON:

H.R. 4302. A bill to consolidate within the Department of Agriculture all inspection activities regarding livestock and poultry carcasses, seafood, meat products, poultry prod-

ucts, and seafood products to provide for the improved inspection of those articles and products; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Ms. HARMAN (for herself and Mr. CAMPBELL):

H.R. 4303. A bill to authorize appropriations to reimburse States for costs of educating certain illegal alien students; to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

By Mr. HOKE:

H.R. 4304. A bill to restore equal educational opportunity; to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, 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. JOHNSON of South Dakota (for himself and Mr. MINGE):

H.R. 4305. A bill to amend the research provisions of the Fund for Rural America to include the development and promotion of precision agriculture and precision agriculture technologies among the purposes for which research, extension, and education grants may be provided; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts (for himself and Mr. MILLER of California):

H.R. 4306. A bill to enhance international security by using the resources and expertise of the international financial institutions and the United Nations to redirect world military spending to human development; to the Committee on International Relations, and in addition to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services, 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. KENNEDY of Massachusetts (for himself, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. MORAN, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. EVANS, and Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts):

H.R. 4307. A bill to prohibit the importation of soccer balls manufactured or assembled with child labor; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on International Relations, 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 (for herself, Mr. SKAGGS, Mr. FROST, Mr. YATES, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. TORRICELLI, Mr. NADLER, Mr. MANTON, Mr. SCHUMER, and Mr. PALLONE):

H.R. 4308. A bill to reestablish the Office of Noise Abatement and Control in the Environmental Protection Agency; 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 Mrs. LOWEY:

H.R. 4309. A bill to provide interest subsidies for new school construction and renovation projects; to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities, and in addition to the Committee on Commerce, 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. MCCOLLUM:

H.R. 4310. A bill to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to establish the Presidential Debate Commission on an ongoing basis and to amend the Internal Rev-

enue Code of 1986 to reduce the amount of funds provided under such act for party nominating conventions for any party whose nominee for President or Vice President does not participate in any debate scheduled by the Commission, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Oversight.

H.R. 4311. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow penalty-free withdrawals from IRA's for certain purposes, to increase the amount of tax deductible IRA contributions, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

H.R. 4312. A bill to revitalize the tourism industry and to provide airport security, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committees on Commerce, Ways and Means, the Judiciary, and International Relations, 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. MEYERS of Kansas:

H.R. 4313. A bill to amend the Small Business Act to strengthen existing protections for small business participation in Federal contracting opportunities, to provide for assessments of the impacts on small businesses of the steadily increasing use of contract bundling by the procurement activities of the various Federal agencies, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Small Business, 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. MOORHEAD (for himself and Mr. HYDE):

H.R. 4314. A bill to make improvements in the operation and administration of the Federal courts, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. OWENS (for himself, Ms. NORTON, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. FRAZER, Mr. YATES, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. PAYNE of New Jersey, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. KILDEE, and Mrs. MINK of Hawaii):

H.R. 4315. A bill to provide patients with information and rights to promote better health care; to the Committee on Commerce, 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. PALLONE:

H.R. 4316. A bill to amend the Federal Power Act to provide a moratorium on the retail wheeling of electric energy until the Clean Air Act is amended to reduce significantly certain transboundary air pollution, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

H.R. 4317. A bill relating to disposal of contaminated dredged materials in the Port of New York-New Jersey; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. PETRI:

H.R. 4318. A bill to provide for a system of guaranteeing the deposits and certain other liabilities of depository institutions through a self-regulating system of cross-guarantees, to protect taxpayers against deposit insurance losses, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, 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. SANFORD:

H.R. 4319. A bill to provide for the establishment of uniform accounting systems, ac-

counting standards, and accounting reporting systems in the Federal Government, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

By Mr. SCHUMER:

H.R. 4320. A bill to amend the Truth in Lending Act to require a credit card issuer to disclose only 1 annual percentage rate of interest in any preapproved application or solicitation to open a credit card account under an open end consumer credit plan, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

H.R. 4321. A bill to enhance and protect retirement savings; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities, 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. SCHUMER (for himself and Mr. CUMMINGS):

H.R. 4322. A bill to amend the Violent Crime Control and Law Enforcement Act of 1994; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SCHUMER (for himself and Ms. SLAUGHTER):

H.R. 4323. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to make higher education more affordable by providing tax benefits to individuals who save for, or pay for, higher education; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. SCHUMER:

H.R. 4324. A bill to improve the program of block grants to States for temporary assistance for needy families; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. SCHUMER (for himself, Mr. CAMPBELL, and Mr. SHAYS):

H.R. 4325. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide hospitals extend fair visitor privileges to non-family members; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. TORRICELLI:

H.R. 4326. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit interactive computer services from releasing to the public certain private information; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. WHITE (for himself and Mr. HORN):

H.R. 4327. A bill to establish a temporary commission to recommend reforms in the laws relating to elections for Federal office; to the Committee on House Oversight, and in addition to the Committee on Rules, 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. WHITE:

H.R. 4328. A bill to enhance the competitiveness of the United States and promote foreign commerce generally through the creation of the U.S. Trade Administration as an independent establishment in the executive branch of the Government; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Banking and Financial Services, Government Reform and Oversight, International Relations, and Commerce, 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 Ms. PRYCE:

H.J. Res. 197. Joint resolution waiving certain enrollment requirements with respect to any bill or joint resolution of the 104th Congress making general or continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1997; considered and passed.

By Mr. ARMEY:

H.J. Res. 198. Joint resolution appointing the day for the convening of the first session of the 105th Congress and the day for the

counting in Congress of the electoral votes for President and Vice President cast in December 1996; considered and passed.

By Mr. SHUSTER:

H. Con. Res. 229. Concurrent resolution directing the Secretary of the Senate to make corrections in the enrollment of S. 1004; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. ARMEY:

H. Con. Res. 230. Concurrent resolution providing for the sine die adjournment of the second session of the 104th Congress; considered and agreed to.

By Mrs. LOWEY (for herself, Mr. GILMAN, Mrs. KELLY, and Mr. ENGEL):

H. Con. Res. 231. Concurrent resolution condemning anti-semitic vandalism in Westchester County, NY; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

H. Res. 551. Resolution relating to early organization of the House of Representatives for the 105th Congress; pursuant to House Resolution 546, considered as having been adopted.

H. Res. 552. Resolution providing for the printing of the revised edition of the Rules and Manual of the House of Representatives for the 105th Congress; pursuant to House Resolution 546, considered as having been adopted.

By Mr. CRANE:

H. Res. 554. Resolution returning to the Senate the bill H.R. 400 and the Senate amendment thereto; considered and agreed to.

¶117.95 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 1317: Mr. CAMP and Mr. WELLER.
 H.R. 1560: Mr. BORSKI.
 H.R. 2152: Mr. BACHUS.
 H.R. 2237: Mrs. THURMAN.
 H.R. 2396: Mr. PICKETT, Mr. PAYNE of Virginia, Mr. ENSIGN, and Mrs. VUCANOVICH.
 H.R. 2746: Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. SERRANO, and Mr. PORTER.
 H.R. 2962: Ms. SLAUGHTER.
 H.R. 2976: Mr. PICKETT, Mr. BONIOR, and Mr. GILCHREST.
 H.R. 3011: Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. SAM JOHNSON, and Mr. BAKER of Louisiana.
 H.R. 3142: Mr. ORTON.
 H.R. 3163: Mr. NETHERCUTT.
 H.R. 3252: Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. DEFAZIO, and Mr. BORSKI.
 H.R. 3332: Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. PAYNE of New Jersey, Mr. OWENS, Mr. FOGLIETTA, Mr. WATT of North Carolina, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. WYNN, and Mrs. MALONEY.
 H.R. 3631: Mr. CUMMINGS.
 H.R. 3654: Mr. DUNCAN.
 H.R. 3713: Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. LANTOS, Mrs. SCHROEDER, and Mr. SERRANO.
 H.R. 3714: Mrs. CLAYTON and Mrs. LOWEY.
 H.R. 3731: Mr. BAKER of Louisiana.
 H.R. 3737: Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. WAMP, Mr. TANNER, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. FROST, Mr. FLAKE, Mr. LAFALCE, and Mr. PASTOR.
 H.R. 3747: Mr. SPRATT and Mr. BISHOP.
 H.R. 3775: Mr. ORTIZ, Mr. CHAMBLISS, and Mr. BISHOP.
 H.R. 3787: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.
 H.R. 3817: Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland.
 H.R. 3839: Mr. SERRANO.
 H.R. 3849: Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania.
 H.R. 3857: Mr. MILLER of California.
 H.R. 3961: Mr. CONDIT.
 H.R. 3991: Mrs. CLAYTON.
 H.R. 3992: Ms. KAPTUR.
 H.R. 4001: Mr. DELLUMS.
 H.R. 4019: Ms. HARMAN.
 H.R. 4027: Mr. LAZIO of New York.
 H.R. 4031: Mr. KIM and Mrs. SEASTRAND.
 H.R. 4047: Mrs. CLAYTON and Ms. KAPTUR.
 H.R. 4052: Ms. SLAUGHTER and Mrs. CLAYTON.

H.R. 4058: Mr. KILDEE, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. FILLNER, Mr. DELLUMS, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. BOUCHER, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. MANTON, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mrs. LOWEY, and Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA.

H.R. 4065: Mr. EVANS, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, and Mr. BORSKI.

H.R. 4066: Mrs. VUCANOVICH.

H.R. 4068: Mr. ORTON.

H.R. 4071: Ms. NORTON, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. CONYERS, and Ms. BROWN of Florida.

H.R. 4072: Mr. EWING, Mr. COX, and Mr. SMITH of Texas.

H.R. 4077: Mrs. CHENOWETH.

H.R. 4093: Mrs. ROUKEMA and Mr. PALLONE.

H.R. 4102: Mr. CAMP.

H.R. 4117: Mr. STARK, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. ENGEL, and Mr. FROST.

H.R. 4124: Mr. STUPAK.

H.R. 4131: Ms. FURSE, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. GUTIERREZ, and Mr. ORTIZ.

H.R. 4149: Mr. NUSSLE and Mr. BENTSEN.

H.R. 4178: Mr. BAESLER.

H.R. 4262: Mr. HOYER.

H.R. 4264: Ms. FURSE.

H.J. Res. 174: Mr. SALMON.

H. Con. Res. 190: Ms. FURSE.

H. Con. Res. 210: Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. WALSH, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. SISISKY, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. EVANS, Mr. TEJEDA, Mr. WARD, Mr. JACOBS, and Mr. MCHALE.

H. Con. Res. 215: Mr. SCHUMER, and Mr. PORTER.

H. Res. 510: Mr. GILMAN and Mr. GOSS.

H. Res. 518: Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. FATTAH, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. FLAKE, Mr. RUSH, Mr. WATT of North Carolina, Mr. CLAY, Mr. STOKES, Ms. WOOLSEY, Ms. NORTON, Mr. FORD, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. HINCHEY, Ms. FURSE, Mr. OWENS, Mr. BECERRA, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. WARD, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. FARR, Mr. MARKEY, Mrs. MALONEY, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. RICHARDSON, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. TEJEDA, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. HOYER, and Mr. FROST.

H. Res. 519: Mr. GOSS.

H. Res. 542: Ms. SLAUGHTER.

¶117.96 DELETIONS OF SPONSORS FROM PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

H.R. 4148: Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska.

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¶118.1 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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

WASHINGTON, DC.

September 30, 1996.

I hereby designate the Honorable ROBERT S. WALKER to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NEWT GINGRICH,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

¶118.2 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. WALKER, announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Saturday, September 28, 1996.

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

¶118.3 COMMUNICATIONS

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