

LEE, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. FOGLIETTA, Mr. WALSH, Mr. BISHOP, Mr. WYNN, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. RUSH, and Mr. JEFFERSON):

H.J. Res. 57. Joint resolution to authorize the Ralph David Abernathy Memorial Foundation to establish a memorial in the District of Columbia or its environs; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. FATTAH (for himself, Mr. CONYERS, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. CRAMER, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. FROST, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. DELLUMS, Ms. NORTON, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. HINCHEY, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Mr. EVANS, Mr. OWENS, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. COYNE, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. SCOTT, Ms. WATERS, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. DIXON, Mr. WYNN, Mr. RUSH, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. JACKSON, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. FOGLIETTA, Mr. MILLER of California, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. FILNER, Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN, Mr. STOKES, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. JEFFERSON, Ms. SLAUGHTER, and Ms. MCKINNEY):

H. Con. Res. 27. Concurrent resolution recognizing the importance of African-American music to global culture and calling on the people of the United States to study, reflect on, and celebrate African-American music; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. CRANE (for himself, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, and Mr. WICKER):

H. Con. Res. 28. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress with respect to the right of all Americans to keep and bear arms in defense of life or liberty and in the pursuit of all other legitimate endeavors; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SANDERS (for himself and Mrs. MORELLA):

H. Con. Res. 29. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress that a national summit of sports, political, community, and media leaders should be promptly convened to develop a multifaceted action plan to deter acts of violence, especially domestic violence and sexual assault; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. SCHUMER (for himself, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. YATES, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. OWENS, Mr. FILNER, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. MANTON, and Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts):

H. Con. Res. 30. Concurrent resolution to commend the National Broadcast Co., and the Ford Motor Co., for broadcasting the film "Schindler's List" in its original, unedited version and without commercial interruption; to the Committee on Commerce.

¶14.21 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 34: Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. HORN, and Mr. THOMAS.

H.R. 81: Mr. BURTON of Indiana.

H.R. 85: Ms. NORTON, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. SABO, and Ms. JACKSON-LEE.

H.R. 87: Mr. COBURN.

H.R. 127: Mr. ADAM SMITH of Washington, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, and Mr. MENENDEZ.

H.R. 143: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mrs. KENNELLY of Connecticut, Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN, and Ms. LOFGREN.

H.R. 145: Mr. DOYLE, Mr. DELLUMS, and Ms. SLAUGHTER.

H.R. 148: Ms. SLAUGHTER.

H.R. 200: Mr. PALLONE, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. PACKARD, and Mr. HORN.

H.R. 203: Mr. BLUMENAUER.

H.R. 213: Mr. OWENS and Mr. BONIOR.

H.R. 218: Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. HAYWORTH, and Mrs. EMERSON.

H.R. 231: Mrs. THURMAN.

H.R. 281: Mrs. MALONEY of New York.

H.R. 290: Mr. RUSH, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. DEUTSCH, and Mr. EVANS.

H.R. 291: Ms. FURSE and Mr. RUSH.

H.R. 305: Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. HOBSON, Mr. WYNN, and Mr. KLECZKA.

H.R. 312: Mr. COBURN and Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma.

H.R. 339: Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. MURTHA, and Mr. HALL of Texas.

H.R. 367: Mr. MCKEON.

H.R. 386: Mr. LATOURETTE.

H.R. 399: Mr. RUSH and Mr. MARTINEZ.

H.R. 407: Ms. MOLINARI, Ms. NORTON, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. LEWIS of California, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. KLUG, and Mr. MCGOVERN.

H.R. 426: Mr. ROGERS, Mr. SNOWBARGER, and Mr. GALLEGLEY.

H.R. 446: Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. LEACH, Mr. DICKEY, Mr. TALENT, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. HEFNER, and Mr. CHABOT.

H.R. 450: Mr. KLECZKA.

H.R. 466: Mr. JACKSON, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. JONES, Mrs. CARSON, Mr. HALL of Ohio, Mr. CAPPS, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, and Mr. CANADY of Florida.

H.R. 481: Mr. DELLUMS and Mr. KLINK.

H.R. 482: Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. LARGENT, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, and Mrs. KELLY.

H.R. 498: Mr. NEY.

H.R. 528: Mr. ROGAN and Ms. JACKSON-LEE.

H.R. 539: Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 553: Mr. CONYERS, Mr. FROST, Mr. RUSH, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. SAWYER, Mr. WYNN, and Ms. SLAUGHTER.

H.R. 563: Mr. DOYLE, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. GIBBONS, Mr. NEY, Mr. HERGER, Mr. FROST, Mr. FILNER, Mr. EVANS, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. LIPINSKI, and Mr. ACKERMAN.

H.R. 566: Mr. FOGLIETTA.

H.R. 574: Mr. OWENS, Ms. WOOLSEY, and Mr. DAVIS of Illinois.

H.R. 586: Mr. BERMAN, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. EWING, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. KASICH, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. MINGE, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. NEUMANN, and Mr. TURNER.

H.R. 588: Mr. TALENT, Mr. WISE, and Mr. FARR of California.

H.R. 589: Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. CRANE, Mr. RADANOVICH, and Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 607: Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. RUSH, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. COOK, Mr. FALCOMVAEGA, Mr. STUMP, Mr. SISISKY, and Mr. GILMAN.

H.R. 611: Mr. DEFazio, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. SABO, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. FORBES, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. NADLER, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. QUINN, Mr. RAMSTAD, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. MOAKLEY, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. FAWELL, Ms. WOOLSEY, and Mr. LATOURETTE.

H.R. 615: Mr. ADAM SMITH of Washington, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. FORD, and Mr. ACKERMAN.

H.R. 619: Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. GILCHREST, Mr. THOMPSON, Mr. VENTO, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. GALLEGLEY, Mrs. LOWEY, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, and Mr. FOGLIETTA.

H.R. 630: Mr. ROYCE.

H.R. 638: Mr. CANADY of Florida, Ms. NORTON, Mr. BATEMAN, and Mr. STEARNS.

H.R. 640: Mr. BURR of North Carolina.

H.R. 674: Mr. CHAMBLISS, Ms. GRANGER, Mr. MCCREERY, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. LAMPSON, and Mr. FOLEY.

H.R. 680: Mr. DELLUMS.

H.R. 684: Mr. MORAN of Virginia.

H.R. 702: Mr. GEKAS.

H.R. 709: Mr. YOUNG of Alaska.

H.R. 716: Mr. NEY and Mr. LARGENT.

H.R. 751: Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, Mr. SKAGGS, and Ms. SLAUGHTER.

H.R. 753: Mr. DICKS, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. THOMPSON, Mr. POMEROY, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Ms. NORTON, Mr. SANDERS, and Mr. MCGOVERN.

H.R. 755: Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. CLEMENT, and Mr. LEACH.

H.R. 786: Mr. JENKINS, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. GORDON, Mrs. THURMAN, and Mr. SPRATT.

H.R. 789: Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska.

H.R. 791: Mr. MINGE.

H.R. 823: Mr. SCARBOROUGH and Mr. ROHR-ABACHER.

H.J. Res. 17: Mr. SANDERS and Mrs. MALONEY of New York.

H.J. Res. 54: Mr. COOKSEY, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, and Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania.

H. Con. Res. 4: Mr. RUSH, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, and Mr. PASTOR.

H. Con. Res. 6: Mr. ROYCE.

H. Con. Res. 13: Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. FLAKE, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. MCHUGH, and Mr. GREENWOOD.

H. Con. Res. 23: Mr. YATES, Mr. MINGE, Mr. PETRI, Ms. RIVERS, Mr. BROWN of California, Ms. LOFGREN, and Mr. DINGELL.

H. Res. 16: Mr. LAHOOD.

H. Res. 22: Mr. GEPHARDT and Mr. SHAYS.

H. Res. 37: Mr. SNYDER and Mr. BOEHLERT.

H. Res. 45: Ms. PELOSI, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Ms. NORTON, Mr. OLVER, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. LEACH, and Mr. FLAKE.

H. Res. 48: Mrs. NORTHUP and Ms. SLAUGHTER.

¶14.22 PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 1 of rule XXII,

8. The SPEAKER presented a petition of the town council of Bristol, RI, relative to the Pokanoket Tribe of the Wampanoag Nation; which was referred to the Committee on Resources.

¶14.23 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. 539: Mr. TOWNS, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. MARTINEZ, and Mr. FORD.

H.R. 615: Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 636: Mr. BURTON of Indiana.

MONDAY, MARCH 3, 1997 (15)

¶15.1 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

Washington, DC, March 3, 1997.

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

NEWT GINGRICH,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

¶15.2 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, announced he

had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Thursday, February 27, 1997.

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

¶15.3 COMMUNICATIONS

Pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(d), executive communications [final rules] submitted to the House pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1) during the period of May 22, 1996, through January 7, 1997, shall be treated as though received on March 3, 1997. Original dates of transmittal, numberings, and referrals to committee of those executive communications remain as indicated in the executive communication section of the relevant CONGRESSIONAL RECORDS of the 104th Congress.

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

2008. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Nevada: Final Authorization of State Hazardous Waste Management Program Revisions [FRL-5699-5] received February 28, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

2009. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Designation of Areas for Air Quality Planning Purposes: Ohio [OH54-2; FRL-5698-4] received February 28, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

2010. 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 State Implementation Plan for Colorado: Carbon Monoxide Attainment Demonstrations and Related SIP Elements for Denver and Longmont; Clean Air Act Reclassification; Oxygenated Gasoline Program [CO-001-0011; CO-001-0012; CO-001-0013; CO-001-0014; FRL-5692-3] received February 28, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

2011. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Regulation of Fuels and Fuel Additives: Adjustments to Individual Baselines for the Reformulated Gasoline and Anti-Dumping Programs [AMS-FRL-5696-2] received February 28, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

2013. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the 1997 "International Narcotics Control Strategy Report," pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2291(b)(2); to the Committee on International Relations.

2014. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, the Department of State, transmitting the President's determination regarding certification of the 32 major illicit narcotics producing and transit countries, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2291 (H. Doc. No. 105-50); to the Committee on International Relations and ordered to be printed.

2015. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a report of activities under the Freedom of Information Act for the calendar year 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(e); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2016. A letter from the Agency Freedom of Information Officer (1105), Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting a report of activities under the Freedom of Information Act for the calendar year 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2017. A letter from the Chairman, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System, transmitting a report of activities under the Freedom of Information Act for the calendar year 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(d); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2018. A letter from the Chairman, National Credit Union Administration, transmitting a report of activities under the Freedom of Information Act for the calendar year 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(d); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2019. A letter from the National Endowment for Democracy, transmitting a report of activities under the Freedom of Information Act for the calendar year 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(e); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2020. A letter from the Vice President and General Counsel, Overseas Private Investment Corporation, transmitting a report of activities under the Freedom of Information Act for the calendar year 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(e); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2021. A letter from the Chairman, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting a report of activities under the Freedom of Information Act for the calendar year 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(b); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

2022. A letter from the Deputy Associate Director for Compliance, Department of the Interior, 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.

2023. A letter from the Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Fisheries of the Northeastern United States; Northeast Multispecies Fishery; Framework Adjustment 16 [Docket No. 970214031-7031-01; I.D. 011697C] received March 3, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

2024. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Offshore Component Pollock in the Aleutian Islands Subarea [Docket No. 961107312-7021-02; I.D. 022197A] received March 3, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

2025. A letter from the Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration'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; Trip Limit Reduction [Docket No. 950725189-6245-04; I.D. 022697B] received March 3, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

2026. A letter from the Secretary of the Navy, transmitting the Department's report entitled "U.S. Navy Ship Solid Waste Compliance Plan for MARPOL Annex V Special Areas," pursuant to 33 U.S.C. 1903; jointly, to the Committees on National Security and Transportation and Infrastructure.

2027. A letter from the Assistant Attorney General for Administration, Department of Justice, transmitting the National Institute of Corrections' plan for Short-Term Improvements for the District of Columbia (D.C.) Department of Corrections, pursuant to Public

Law 104-134; jointly, to the Committees on Appropriations, the Judiciary, and Government Reform and Oversight.

¶15.4 MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

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

¶15.5 COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK—MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, laid before the House a communication, which was read as follows:

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, February 28, 1997.

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

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to the permission granted in Clause 5 of Rule III of the Rules of the U.S. House of Representatives, the Clerk received the following messages from the Secretary of the Senate on Friday, February 28, 1997 at 9:50 a.m.: that the Senate passed without amendment H.R. 668; and that the Senate appointed to the Coordinating Council on Juvenile Justice and Delinquency.

With warm regards,

ROBIN H. CARLE,
Clerk, House of Representatives.

¶15.6 ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, announced that pursuant to clause 4, rule I, the Speaker signed the following enrolled bills on the following dates:

On February 27, 1997:

H.R. 499. An Act to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service under construction at 7411 Barlite Boulevard in San Antonio, Texas, as the "Frank M. Tejada Post Office Building".

On February 28, 1997:

H.R. 668. An Act to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to reinstate the Airport and Airway Trust Fund excise taxes, and for other purposes.

¶15.7 SUBPOENA RESPONSE

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, laid before the House the following communication from the Sergeant-at-Arms:

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, February 27, 1997

Hon. NEWT GINGRICH,
Speaker, U.S. House of Representatives,
Washington, DC

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: This is to formally notify you pursuant to Rule L (50) of the rules of the House that I have been served with a subpoena issued by the United States District Court of the District of Columbia.

After consultation with the General Counsel, I have determined that compliance with the subpoena is consistent with the privileges and precedents of the House.

Sincerely,

PATRICIA ANN SCHAPP,
Office of the Sergeant at Arms.

¶15.8 MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT—SECOND SUPPLEMENTARY U.S.-CANADA SOCIAL SECURITY AGREEMENT

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