

H.R. 3396. A bill to establish standards of conduct for Department of Justice employees, and to establish a review board to monitor compliance with such standards; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. OBEY:

H.R. 3397. A bill to require an employer which is subject to the Worker Adjustment and Retraining Notification Act and who gives a notice of a plant closing to negotiate in good faith regarding possible means of using the plant and equipment for continued employment, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, 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. SESSIONS (for himself, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. SAM JOHNSON, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. BONILLA, Mr. COMBEST, Ms. GRANGER, Mr. HALL of Texas, and Mr. WELDON of Florida):

H.R. 3398. A bill to eliminate the requirement that fingerprints be supplied for background checks on volunteers; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SHAW (for himself and Mr. PAXON):

H.R. 3399. A bill to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to reform the financing of campaigns for election for Federal office, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Oversight, and in addition to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, 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. SLAUGHTER (for herself, Mr. ACKERMAN, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. FROST, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. MEEHAN, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. OWENS, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Ms. LOFGREN, and Mr. DEFAZIO):

H.R. 3400. A bill to amend the Child Care and Development Block Grant Act of 1990 to improve the availability of child care and development services during periods outside normal school hours, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. SPENCE:

H.R. 3401. A bill to suspend until December 31, 2002, the duty on parts for use in the manufacture of loudspeakers; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. SPENCE:

H.R. 3402. A bill to suspend until December 31, 2002, the duty on certain electrical transformers for use in the manufacture of audio systems; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. SPENCE:

H.R. 3403. A bill to suspend until December 31, 2002, the duty on loudspeakers not mounted in their enclosures; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. VISCLOSKY:

H.R. 3404. A bill to require additional public education, outreach, and participation with respect to the disposal of napalm and certain other materials owned or controlled by the Department of Defense, and for other purposes; to the Committee on National Security.

By Ms. WOOLSEY:

H.R. 3405. A bill to amend the child and adult care food program under the National School Lunch Act to revise the eligibility of private organizations under that program; to

the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. YOUNG of Alaska:

H.R. 3406. A bill to clarify the regulation of Alaskan Guide Pilots conducting air flights in the State of Alaska, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. GILMAN (for himself, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. ROHR-ABACHER, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. PAXON, Mr. OLVER, Mr. PAYNE, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. KING of New York, and Mr. HOYER):

H. Con. Res. 235. Concurrent resolution calling for an end to the violent repression of the legitimate rights of the people of Kosovo; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. METCALF (for himself, Mr. HYDE, Mr. BUNNING of Kentucky, Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma, Mr. NEUMANN, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mr. HERGER, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. TRAFICANT, and Mr. CHABOT):

H. Con. Res. 236. Concurrent resolution to express the sense of the Congress that any Executive order that infringes on the powers and duties of the Congress under article I, section 8 of the Constitution, or that would require the expenditure of Federal funds not specifically appropriated for the purpose of the Executive order, is advisory only unless enacted as law; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SMITH of New Jersey (for himself, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. WOLF, Mr. PORTER, Mr. HOYER, and Mr. MARKEY):

H. Con. Res. 237. Concurrent resolution voicing concern about the serious limitations on human rights and civil liberties in Belarus, including lack of compliance with Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe (OSCE) commitments, and urging the President to take these into consideration in his determination of most-favored-nation (MFN) status for Belarus; to the Committee on International Relations, 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. ENSIGN:

H. Res. 379. A resolution returning to the Senate the bill S. 104; considered and agreed to

By Mr. CANNON (for himself, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. COOK, Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. HERGER, Mrs. CHENOWETH, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. GIBBONS, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. MCINNIS, Mr. HEFLEY, Mr. SALMON, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. MCKEON, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. HILL, Mr. SKEEN, Mr. REDMOND, Mr. STUMP, Mr. KOLBE, and Mr. SMITH of Oregon):

H. Res. 380. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that no change in the water level of Lake Powell is justified or appropriate; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. MILLER of Florida (for himself, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. BLILEY, Mr. CANADY of Florida, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. FROST, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. SOLOMON, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mrs. FOWLER, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. ROHR-ABACHER, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. ROYCE, and Mrs. MYRICK):

H. Res. 381. A resolution expressing the sense of the Congress that the President should renegotiate the extradition treaty

with Mexico so that the possibility of capital punishment will not interfere with the timely extradition of criminal suspects from Mexico to the United States; to the Committee on International Relations.

¶14.18 PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 1 of Rule XXII,

Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania introduced A bill (H.R. 3407) to provide for the reliquidation of certain entries of self-tapping screws; which was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

¶14.19 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

- H.R. 59: Mr. WATKINS.
 H.R. 218: Mr. GREEN and Mr. PICKERING.
 H.R. 336: Mr. CALVERT.
 H.R. 371: Mr. LANTOS and Ms. WOOLSEY.
 H.R. 453: Mr. GILMAN.
 H.R. 612: Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. MCNULTY, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, and Mr. LAMPSON.
 H.R. 662: Mr. TIERNEY.
 H.R. 758: Mr. BATEMAN.
 H.R. 836: Mr. KILDEE.
 H.R. 919: Mrs. TAUSCHER.
 H.R. 970: Mr. HOBSON and Mr. SHAYS.
 H.R. 981: Mr. MATSUI, Mr. SERRANO, and Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York.
 H.R. 991: Mr. KIND of Wisconsin.
 H.R. 1117: Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. STUPAK, Ms. SANCHEZ, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. STOKES, Mr. CLAY, and Mr. ALLEN.
 H.R. 1126: Mr. RYUN and Mr. HERGER.
 H.R. 1151: Mr. RAHALL, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. HERGER, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. BISHOP, Mr. FROST, Mr. ALLEN, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. DOOLITTLE, and Mr. BALDACC.
 H.R. 1166: Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania and Mr. HOSTETTLER.
 H.R. 1231: Mr. MILLER of California, Mr. NEY, and Mr. WOLF.
 H.R. 1234: Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. THOMPSON, Mr. STOKES, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, and Mr. SANDERS.
 H.R. 1362: Mr. BROWN of California and Mr. LANTOS.
 H.R. 1415: Mr. BERMAN and Mr. BROWN of California.
 H.R. 1689: Mr. RILEY, Mr. ROGERS, Mr. NEUMANN, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. MCGOVERN, and Mr. LAZIO of New York.
 H.R. 1704: Mr. NEUMANN, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. SUNUNU, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. PARKER, and Mr. QUINN.
 H.R. 1711: Mr. ROYCE, Mr. CALLAHAN, Mr. JOHN, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. EHRLICH, and Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland.
 H.R. 1766: Ms. CARSON, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. DAVIS of Florida, Mr. ETHERIDGE, Mrs. FOWLER, Mr. HILL, Mrs. KENNELLY of Connecticut, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. REGULA, Mr. SPENCE, Mr. STOKES, Mr. STUMP, Mr. WISE, and Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania.
 H.R. 1870: Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts and Ms. PELOSI.
 H.R. 1995: Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. FATTAH, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. MCNULTY, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. MARKEY, and Mr. CLAY.
 H.R. 2009: Mr. WISE.
 H.R. 2154: Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD and Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA.
 H.R. 2224: Mr. FILNER, Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. BAESLER, Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts, Ms. WOOLSEY, and Mr. SHERMAN.
 H.R. 2228: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.
 H.R. 2351: Ms. NORTON, Mr. WYNN, Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts, and Mr. JACKSON.

H.R. 2431: Mr. CONDIT, Mr. WALSH, Mr. BILLIRAKIS, Mrs. MYRICK, and Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas.

H.R. 2499: Mr. PICKERING, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. MANZULLO, and Mr. HASTERT.

H.R. 2670: Mr. DAVIS of Florida.

H.R. 2718: Mr. CRAPO.

H.R. 2754: Ms. PELOSI.

H.R. 2760: Mrs. EMERSON.

H.R. 2829: Mr. DEFazio, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. PASCRELL, and Mr. ADAM SMITH of Washington.

H.R. 2870: Mr. SKAGGS and Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts.

H.R. 2876: Mr. DUNCAN.

H.R. 2884: Mr. CUNNINGHAM and Mr. TALENT.

H.R. 2912: Mr. PICKETT and Mr. BOSWELL.

H.R. 2914: Mr. DOOLEY of California and Mr. BILBRAY.

H.R. 2912: Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. REYES, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. OLVER, Mr. EWING, Mr. PICKETT, and Mr. HAYWORTH.

H.R. 2970: Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. STUPAK, and Mr. KINGSTON.

H.R. 2993: Mr. SKAGGS.

H.R. 3011: Mr. PAPPAS.

H.R. 3033: Mr. BONIOR and Mr. DAVIS of Florida.

H.R. 3039: Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. MASCARA, Mr. HAYWORTH, and Mr. REYES.

H.R. 3147: Mr. GUTKNECHT.

H.R. 3152: Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. JACKSON, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, and Mr. LANTOS.

H.R. 3156: Mr. CALVERT, Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN, Mr. TRAFICANT, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Ms. DELAURIO, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. CLAY, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. ADAM SMITH of Washington, Mr. DIXON, and Ms. WOOLSEY.

H.R. 3166: Mr. GIBBONS.

H.R. 3206: Mr. LEWIS of California and Mr. CRANE.

H.R. 3211: Mr. STRICKLAND, Mr. LIVINGSTON, Mr. MORAN of Kansas, Mr. DAN SCHAEFER of Colorado, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, and Mr. CALAHAN.

H.R. 3213: Mr. REYES.

H.R. 3246: Mr. SNOWBARGER and Mr. HEFLEY.

H.R. 3260: Mr. STUPAK, Mr. JOHNSON of Wisconsin, and Mr. NEY.

H.R. 3265: Mr. YATES, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. THUNE, Mr. JONES, Mr. WELLER, Mr. MCKEON, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. TAUZIN, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. MCCREERY, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. BRYANT, Mr. KOLBE, Mrs. NORTHUP, and Mr. HILLIARD.

H.R. 3281: Mr. BUNNING of Kentucky and Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky.

H.R. 3287: Mr. TIERNEY.

H.R. 3297: Mr. STUPAK.

H.R. 3304: Ms. LOFGREN and Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 3331: Mr. STEARNS and Mr. BACHUS.

H.J. Res. 89: Mr. BERMAN, Ms. SLAUGHTER, and Mr. TOWNS.

H.J. Res. 102: Mr. BENTSEN, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. LAZIO of New York, Mr. MATSUI, and Mrs. NORTHUP.

H.J. Res. 111: Mr. DAN SCHAEFER of Colorado and Mr. PORTMAN.

H. Con. Res. 28: Mr. COBURN.

H. Con. Res. 188: Mr. MCNULTY.

H. Con. Res. 203: Mr. LANTOS.

H. Con. Res. 209: Mr. BLILEY and Mr. DAVIS of Virginia.

H. Con. Res. 212: Mr. ROHRABACHER, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. LATHAM, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, and Mr. MCHUGH.

H. Con. Res. 226: Mr. LEACH, Mr. PAPPAS, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. MCKEON, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. GOSS, Mr. SKAGGS, Mr. HULSHOF, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. JONES, Mr. GREEN, Mr. ARCHER, Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts,

Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. BARCIA of Michigan, Mr. LINDER, Mr. BACHUS, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. THOMAS, Mr. LIVINGSTON, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. HEFLEY, Mr. LARGENT, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. GEKAS, Mr. GIBBONS, Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. CRANE, Mr. KIM, and Mr. SMITH of Michigan.

H. Con. Res. 227: Mr. HYDE, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, and Mr. ROHRABACHER.

H. Res. 304: Mr. CAMPBELL.

H. Res. 340: Mr. MATSUI.

H. Res. 363: Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. COYNE, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. PICKERING, Mr. EVANS, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, and Mr. COOKSEY.

H. Res. 375: Mr. GILMAN, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. JACKSON, Mr. CAMPBELL, and Mr. HEFLEY.

¶14.20 DELETIONS OF SPONSORS FROM PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, sponsor was deleted from the public bill as follows:

H.R. 2495: Ms. NORTON.

MONDAY, MARCH 9, 1998 (15)

¶15.1 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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

WASHINGTON, DC,

March 9, 1998.

I hereby designate the Honorable TODD TIAHRT 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. TIAHRT, announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Thursday, March 5, 1998.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule 1, 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 June 25, 1997 through January 27, 1998, were treated as though received on March 9, 1998. 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 105th Congress.

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

7765. A letter from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—General Regulations; Revision or Removal of Selected Sections [Docket No. FV97-900-1 FR] received March 5, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

7766. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Humane Treatment of Dogs and Cats; Temperature Requirements [Docket

et No. 95-078-3] (RIN: 0579-AA74) received March 5, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

7767. A letter from the Administrator, Farm Service Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Implementation of the Boll Weevil Eradication Loan Program (RIN: 0560-AE99) received March 4, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

7768. A letter from the Architect of the Capitol, transmitting the report of expenditures of appropriations during the period April 1, 1997 through September 30, 1997, pursuant to 40 U.S.C. 162b; to the Committee on Appropriations.

7769. A letter from the Under Secretary for Personnel and Readiness, Department of Defense, transmitting a letter stating that the Department's Defense Manpower Requirements Report for FY 1999 will be submitted by April 30, 1998; to the Committee on National Security.

7770. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Changes in Flood Elevation Determinations [Docket No. FEMA-7201] received March 2, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

7771. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—List of Communities Eligible for the Sale of Flood Insurance [Docket No. FEMA-7659] received March 2, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

7772. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Suspension of Community Eligibility [Docket No. FEMA-7660] received March 2, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

7773. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Final Flood Elevation Determinations [44 CFR Part 67] received March 2, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

7774. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Flood Mitigation Assistance (RIN: 3067-AC45) received March 2, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

7775. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—List of Communities Eligible for the Sale of Flood Insurance [Docket No. FEMA-7661] received March 2, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

7776. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Final Flood Elevation Determinations [44 CFR Part 67] received March 2, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

7777. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Suspension of Community Eligibility [Docket No. FEMA-7662] received March 2, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

7778. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Final Flood Elevation Determinations [44 CFR Part 67] received March 2, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.