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has been subscribed to in person and filed in duplicate with the Clerk of the House of Representatives by the following Members of the 105th Congress, pursuant to the provisions of 2 U.S.C. 25:

Honorable MARY BONO, Forty-fourth, California.

OATH OF OFFICE MEMBERS, RESIDENT COMMISSIONER, AND DELEGATES

The oath of office required by the sixth article of the Constitution of the United States, and as provided by section 2 of the act of May 13, 1884 (23 State. 22), to be administered to Members, Resident Commissioner, and Delegates of the House of Representatives, the text of which is carried in 5 U.S.C. 3331:

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Honorable BARBARA LEE, Ninth, California.

¶31.38 **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:

[Submitted April 17, 1998]

Mr. GOODLING: Committee on Education and the Workforce. H.R. 6. A bill to extend the authorization of programs under the Higher Education Act of 1965, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. No. 105-481). Referred to the Committee on the Whole House on the State of the Union.

[Submitted April 21, 1998]

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. H.R. 755. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow individuals to designate any portion of their income tax overpayments, and to make other contributions, for the benefit of units of the National Park System; with an amendment (Rept. No. 105-482 Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. H.R. 2376. A bill to reauthorize and

amend the National Fish and Wildlife Foundation Establishment Act; with an amendment (Rept. No. 105-483). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. H.R. 1522. A bill to extend the authorization for the National Historic Preservation Fund, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. No. 105-484). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. H.R. 3164. A bill to describe the hydrographic services functions of the Administrator of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. No. 105-485). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. MCCOLLUM: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 3565. A bill to amend Part L of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (Rept. No. 105-486). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. COBLE: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 3528. A bill to amend title 28, United States Code, with respect to the use of alternative dispute resolution processes in United States district courts, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. No. 105-487). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Ms. PRYCE of Ohio: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 407. Resolution providing for consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 111) proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States with respect to tax limitations (Rept. No. 105-488). Referred to the House Calendar.

¶31.39 **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. BARRETT of Wisconsin: H.R. 3693. A bill to amend title 11, United States Code, to limit the value of certain real and personal property that a debtor may elect to exempt under State or local law, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. GOSS: H.R. 3694. A bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1999 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; to the Committee on Intelligence (Permanent Select).

By Mr. HEFLEY (for himself and Mr. ABERCROMBIE) (both by request): H.R. 3695. A bill to authorize certain construction at military installations for fiscal year 1999, and for other purposes; to the Committee on National Security.

By Mr. HILL: H.R. 3696. A bill to designate the Federal Courthouse located at 316 North 26th Street in Billings, Montana, as the "James F. Battin Federal Courthouse"; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. LEVIN (for himself, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, and Mr. RANGEL):

H.R. 3697. A bill to enhance the Federal-State Extended Benefit program, to provide incentives to States to implement procedures that will expand eligibility for unemployment compensation, to strengthen administrative financing of the unemployment compensation program, to improve the solvency of State accounts in the Unemployment Trust Fund, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MATSUI (for himself and Mr. FAZIO of California):

H.R. 3698. A bill to provide for improved flood protection along the American River Watershed, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mrs. MORELLA (for herself and Ms. STABENOW):

H.R. 3699. A bill to amend the Family Violence Prevention and Services Act to reauthorize the national toll-free telephone domestic violence hotline; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. WYNN: H.R. 3700. A bill to amend title 31, United States Code, to require the provision of a written prompt payment policy to each subcontractor under a Federal contract and to require a clause in each subcontract under a Federal contract that outlines the provisions of the prompt payment statute and other related information; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

By Mr. WYNN: H.R. 3701. A bill to amend the Small Business Act to provide a penalty for the failure by a Federal contractor to subcontract with small businesses as described in its subcontracting plan, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Small Business.

¶31.40 **MEMORIALS**

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, memorials were presented and referred as follows:

280. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Senate of the State of Louisiana, relative to Senate Resolution No. 5 memorializing the Congress of the United States to support, and to urge and request the secretary of agriculture to incorporate, Option 1A as the pricing procedure in all federal milk marketing orders; to the Committee on Agriculture.

281. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Maine, relative to House Joint Resolution 1598 memorializing the Congress of the United States to resolve trade barriers between Maine and the Province of New Brunswick; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

¶31.41 **ADDITIONAL SPONSORS**

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

(Submitted April 17, 1998)

H.R. 6: Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. RIGGS, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mr. UPTON, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. CASTLE, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. ROEMER, Mr. ANDREWS, and Mr. HINOJOSA.

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H.R. 27: Mr. STRICKLAND.
H.R. 44: Mr. PICKERING, Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts, Mr. NORWOOD, Ms. KILPATRICK, and Mr. ENGEL.

H.R. 54: Mr. BOUCHER and Mrs. CAPPS.
H.R. 55: Mr. SAXTON and Mr. PALLONE.
H.R. 65: Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. ENGEL, and Mr. WATKINS.

H.R. 96: Mr. STUMP, Ms. STABENOW, and Mr. GEKAS.

H.R. 107: Mr. CALVERT, Mr. BAKER, Mr. HILLEARY, and Mr. DUNCAN.

H.R. 303: Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts and Ms. KILPATRICK.

H.R. 306: Mr. BLAGOJEVICH.
H.R. 339: Mr. COOK.

H.R. 450: Mr. ANDREWS.
H.R. 457: Mr. NETHERCUTT and Mr. LUTHER.

H.R. 623: Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts.
H.R. 633: Mr. LANTOS.

H.R. 738: Mr. ETHERIDGE and Mrs. MALONEY of New York.

H.R. 814: Mrs. MINK of Hawaii.