

journal to meet at 12:30 p.m. on Tuesday, May 12, 1998, for "morning-hour debate".

#### ¶41.18 HOUR OF MEETING

On motion of Mr. GOSS, by unanimous consent,

*Ordered*, That when the House adjourns on Tuesday, May 12, 1998, it adjourn to meet at 9 o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, May 13, 1998, for the purpose of receiving in the Hall of the House former Members of Congress.

#### ¶41.19 ORDER OF BUSINESS—RECESS

On motion of Mr. GOSS, by unanimous consent,

*Ordered*, That at any time on Wednesday, May 13, 1998, the Speaker may declare a recess, subject to the call of the Chair, for the purpose of receiving in the Hall of the House former Members of Congress.

#### ¶41.20 CALENDAR WEDNESDAY BUSINESS DISPENSED WITH

On motion of Mr. GOSS, by unanimous consent,

*Ordered*, That business in order for consideration on Wednesday, May 13, 1998, under clause 7, rule XXIV, the Calendar Wednesday rule, be dispensed with.

#### ¶41.21 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted—

To Mr. MCHUGH, for today after 2 p.m.;

To Mr. DIXON, for today;

To Mr. DOYLE, for today; and

To Mr. PARKER, for today and balance of the week.

And then,

#### ¶41.22 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. ROHRBACHER, pursuant to the special order heretofore agreed to at 7 o'clock and 7 minutes p.m., the House adjourned until 2 o'clock p.m. on Monday, May 11, 1998.

#### ¶41.23 REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 1 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. ARCHER: Committee on Ways and Means. H.R. 1023. A bill to provide for compassionate payments with regard to individuals with blood-clotting disorders, such as hemophilia, who contracted human immunodeficiency virus due to contaminated blood products, and for other purposes; with amendments (Rept. No. 105-465 Pt. 2). *Ordered* to be printed.

Mr. SOLOMON: Committee on Rules. H.R. 3534. A bill to improve congressional deliberation on proposed Federal private sector mandates, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. No. 105-515). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. H.R. 2416. A bill to provide for the transfer of certain rights and property to the United States Forest Service in exchange for a payment to the occupant of such property, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. No. 105-516). Referred to the Com-

mittee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. SHUSTER: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 2730. A bill to designate the Federal building located at 309 North Church Street in Dyersburg, Tennessee, as the "Jere Cooper Federal Building" (Rept. No. 105-517). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. SHUSTER: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 2225. A bill to designate the Federal Building and United States Courthouse to be constructed on Las Vegas Boulevard between Bridger Avenue and Clark Avenue in Las Vegas, Nevada, as the "Lloyd D. George Federal Building and United States Courthouse" (Rept. No. 105-518). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. SHUSTER: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 3453. A bill to designate the Federal Building and post office located at 100 East B Street, Casper, Wyoming, as the "Dick Cheney Federal Building" (Rept. No. 105-519). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. SHUSTER: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 3295. A bill to designate the Federal Building located at 1301 Clay Street in Oakland, California, as the "Ronald V. Dellums Federal Building" (Rept. No. 105-520). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. SHUSTER: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. House Concurrent Resolution 255. A resolution authorizing the use of the Capitol Grounds for the Greater Washington Soap Box Derby; with an amendment (Rept. No. 105-521). Referred to the House Calendar.

#### ¶41.24 TIME LIMITATION OF REFERRED BILL

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

H.R. 1965. Referral to the Committees on Ways and Means and Commerce extended for a period ending not later than, June 19, 1998.

#### ¶41.25 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. SHUSTER (for himself, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, and Mr. WISE) (all by request):

H.R. 3805. A bill to authorize activities under the Federal railroad safety laws for fiscal years 1999 through 2002, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. WOLF:

H.R. 3806. A bill to establish an Office of Religious Persecution Monitoring, to provide for the imposition of sanctions against countries engaged in a pattern of religious persecution, and for other purposes; to the Committee on International Relations, and in addition to the Committees on the Judiciary, Banking and Financial Services, 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. KNOLLENBERG (for himself, Mrs. EMERSON, and Mr. KLINK):

H.R. 3807. A bill to prohibit the use of Federal funds to implement the Kyoto Protocol to the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change unless or until the Senate has given its advice and consent to ratification of the Kyoto Protocol and to clarify the authority of Federal agencies with respect to the regulation of the emissions of carbon dioxide; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. UPTON (for himself, Ms. RIVERS, Mr. EHLERS, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. CAMP, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. BARCIA of Michigan, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. COBLE, and Mr. BLILEY):

H.R. 3808. A bill to designate the United States Post Office located at 47526 Clipper Drive in Plymouth, Michigan, as the "Carl D. Pursell Post Office"; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

By Mr. CRANE (for himself, Mr. SHAW, and Mr. HASTERT):

H.R. 3809. A bill to authorize appropriations for the United States Customs Service for fiscal years 1999 and 2000, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey:

H.R. 3810. A bill to designate the United States Post Office located at 202 Center Street in Garwood, New Jersey, as the "James T. Leonard, Sr. Post Office"; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

By Mr. HYDE (for himself and Mr. HOYER):

H.R. 3811. A bill to establish felony violations for the failure to pay legal child support obligations, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BLUNT (for himself and Mr. COBURN):

H.R. 3812. A bill to amend title 49, United States Code, to permit State and local governments to adopt or continue in force speed limits for trains lower than Federal speed limits; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. CLAY (for himself, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. FORD, Mr. SAWYER, Mr. RUSH, Mr. DELAHUNT, Ms. LOFGREN, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. ANDREWS, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. KILDEE, Ms. WATERS, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, Mr. SCOTT, Mr. PAS-TOR, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, and Mr. KUCINICH):

H.R. 3813. A bill to assist certain urban and rural local educational agencies that have a high concentration of children from low-income families; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. EWING:

H.R. 3814. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for coverage under the Medicare Program of insulin pumps as items of durable medical equipment; 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. SAM JOHNSON (for himself, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. DOOLEY of California, and Mr. BENTSEN):

H.R. 3815. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for a medical innovation tax credit for clinical testing research expenses attributable to academic medical centers and other qualified hospital research organizations; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. LIPINSKI:

H.R. 3816. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow the deduction for contributions to medical savings accounts, and the deduction for health insurance costs, to employees of small employers that do not offer any group health plan to their employees; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MEEHAN (for himself and Mr. BRYANT):