

Washington, DC, October 14, 1998.

Hon. NEWT GINGRICH,
Speaker of the House, 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 the Office of the Chief Administrator has been served with a subpoena issued by the Superior Court of the District of Columbia.

After consultation with the General Counsel, I will make the determinations required by Rule L (50).

Sincerely,

KAY FORD,
Associate Administrator, Office
of Human Resources.

¶113.9 MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Mr. Lundregan, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate had passed without amendment a joint resolution of the House of the following title:

H.J. Res. 136. Joint resolution making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1999, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that the Senate had passed a bill of the following title, in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

S. 109. An Act to provide Federal housing assistance to Native Hawaiians.

¶113.10 SENATE BILL REFERRED

A bill of the Senate of the following title was taken from the Speaker's table and, under the rule, referred as follows:

S. 2476. An Act for the relief of Wei Jingsheng; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

¶113.11 ENROLLED BILL AND JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

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

H.R. 2431. An Act to express United States foreign policy with respect to, and to strengthen United States advocacy on behalf of, individuals persecuted in foreign countries on account of religion; to authorize United States actions in response to violations of religious freedom in foreign countries; to establish an Ambassador at Large for International Religious Freedom within the Department of State, a Commission on International Religious Freedom, and a Special Adviser on International Religious Freedom within the National Security Council; and for other purposes.

H.J. Res. 136. Joint resolution making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1999, and for other purposes.

¶113.12 SENATE ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

The SPEAKER announced his signature to enrolled bills of the Senate of the following titles:

S. 1892. An Act to provide that a person closely related to a judge of a court exercising judicial power under article III of the United States Constitution (other than the Supreme Court) may not be appointed as a judge of the same court, and for other purposes.

S. 1976. An Act to increase public awareness of the plight of victims of crime with

developmental disabilities, to collect data to measure the magnitude of the problem, and to develop strategies to address the safety and justice needs of victims of crime with developmental disabilities.

And then,

¶113.13 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. HUNTER, pursuant to the special order heretofore agreed to, at 3 o'clock and 3 minutes p.m., the House adjourned until 12:00 o'clock p.m. on Monday, October 19, 1998.

¶113.14 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. DREIER: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 604. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (S. 1132) to modify the boundaries of the Bandelier National Monument to include the lands within the headwaters of the Upper Alamo Watershed which drain into the Monument and which are not currently within the jurisdiction of a Federal land management agency, to authorize purchase or donation of those lands, and for other purposes, and for consideration of the bill (S. 2133) an act to preserve the cultural resources of the Route 66 corridor and to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to provide assistance (Rept. No. 105-823). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska. Committee on Resources. Monumental Abuse: The Clinton Administration's Campaign of Misinformation in the Establishment of the Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument (Rept. No. 105-824). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

¶113.15 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 October 20, 1998.

H.R. 2748. Referral to the Committee on the Judiciary extended for a period ending not later than October 20, 1998.

H.R. 3511. Referral to the Committee on Commerce extended for a period ending not later than October 20, 1998.

H.R. 3828. Referral to the Committees on Veterans' Affairs and Commerce extended for a period ending not later than October 20, 1998.

H.R. 3829. Referral to the Committees on Government Reform and Oversight, the Judiciary, and National Security extended for a period ending not later than October 20, 1998.

H.R. 3844. Referral to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure extended for a period ending not later than October 20, 1998.

H.R. 4023. Referral to the Committees on Commerce and Transportation and Infrastructure extended for a period ending not later than October 20, 1998.

H.R. 4377. Referral to the Committee on Commerce extended for a period ending not later than October 20, 1998.

¶113.16 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. SAM JOHNSON of Texas (for himself and Mr. MURTHA):

H.R. 4847. A bill to authorize the Disabled Veterans' LIFE Memorial Foundation to establish a memorial in the District of Columbia or its environs to honor veterans who became disabled while serving in the Armed Forces of the United States; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts (for himself and Ms. ROYBAL-AL-LARD):

H.R. 4848. A bill to amend the Fair Credit Reporting Act to allow any consumer to receive a free credit report annually from any consumer reporting agency; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. PALLONE:

H.R. 4849. A bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to establish therapeutic equivalence requirements for generic drugs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. SKAGGS:

H.R. 4850. A bill to designate as wilderness certain lands within Rocky Mountain National Park, in Colorado; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. LIVINGSTON:

H.J. Res. 136. A joint resolution making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1999, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations.

¶113.17 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 121: Mr. SALMON.

H.R. 590: Mr. MATSUI.

H.R. 902: Mr. THUNE, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. RAMSTAD, and Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 1401: Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin.

H.R. 2537: Mr. SPENCE.

H.R. 2817: Mr. HALL of Ohio, Mr. RADANO-VICH, Mr. TRAFICANT, and Mr. CUNNINGHAM.

H.R. 3779: Mr. PASTOR.

H.R. 3940: Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas.

H.R. 3946: Ms. LOFGREN.

H.R. 3956: Mr. DICKS.

H.R. 4036: Mr. BENTSEN and Mr. LAMPSON.

H.R. 4552: Mr. FILNER.

H.R. 4692: Ms. SLAUGHTER.

H.R. 4818: Mr. CLYBURN and Mrs. CLAYTON.

H.R. 4841: Mr. BLUNT.

H. Con. Res. 41: Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN.

H. Con. Res. 274: Mr. BROWN of California, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, and Ms. LOFGREN.

H. Con. Res. 347: Mr. PORTER, Mr. CUMMINGS, and Mr. TOWNS.

H. Res. 512: Mr. LUTHER.

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¶114.1 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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

WASHINGTON, DC,
October 19, 1998.

I hereby designate the Honorable EDWARD A. PEASE to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NEWT GINGRICH,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

¶114.2 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PEASE, announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Monday, October 16, 1998.

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

114.3 COMMUNICATIONS

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

11684. A letter from the the Acting Comptroller General, the General Accounting Office, transmitting a review of the President's third special impoundment message for fiscal year 1998, pursuant to 2 U.S.C. 685; (H. Doc. No. 105-325); to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

11685. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Health Affairs, Department of Defense, transmitting a report on the Department of Defense pharmacy programs to identify opportunities and obstacles for improving the cost-effectiveness, accessibility, and quality of pharmacy services for beneficiaries of the Uniformed Services; to the Committee on National Security.

11686. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting the consolidated annual report for Fiscal Years 1991-1994 for completed projects funded under Section 681(b)(A) of the Community Services Block Grant (CSBG) Act; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

11687. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting the 1998 report of Health, United States, compiled by the National Center for Health Statistics, and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 242m(a)(2)(D); to the Committee on Commerce.

11688. A letter from the Secretary, Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting an annual report to the President and to the Congress on the audit of the Telecommunications Development Fund, pursuant to 47 U.S.C. 614; to the Committee on Commerce.

11689. A letter from the Inspector General, Department of Defense, transmitting Audit Report, FY 1997 DOD Superfund Financial Transactions (Report Number 98-200); to the Committee on Commerce.

11690. A letter from the AMD-Performance Evaluation and Records Management, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Olney, Archer, Denison-Sherman and Azle, Texas; and Lawton, Oklahoma) [MM Docket No. 97-225; RM-9173; RM-9254] received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

11691. A letter from the AMD—Performance Evaluation and Records Management, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Station. (Arcadia, Ellington, & Marble Hill, Missouri, Carbondale & Steeleville, Illinois, and Tiptonville, Tennessee) [MM Docket No. 97-168 RM-9103 RM-9182] received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

11692. A letter from the AMD—Performance Evaluation and Records Management, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations, (Eastland and Baird, Texas) [MM Docket No. 97-242 RM-9192] received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

11693. A letter from the AMD—Performance Evaluation and Records Management, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b) Table of Al-

lotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Laramie and Rock River, Wyoming) [MM Docket No. 96-255 RM-8960 RM-9044] received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

11694. A letter from the AMD—Performance Evaluation and Records Management, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Freeport and Cedarville, Illinois) [MM Docket No. 97-67 RM-8996 RM-9079] received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

11695. A letter from the AMD—Performance Evaluation and Records Management, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Missoula, Montana) [MM Docket No. 98-106 RM-9277] received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

11696. A letter from the AMD—Performance Evaluation and Records Management, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b) Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Station. (Macon, Hampton and Roswell, Georgia) [MM Docket No. 98-18 RM-9204 RM-9326] received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

11697. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Minor Revision of Design Basis Accident Dose Limits for Independent Spent Fuel Storage and Monitored Retrievable Storage Installations (RIN: 3150-AF84) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

11698. A letter from the Deputy Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Investment Adviser Year 2000 Reports [Release No. IA-1769; IC-23476; File No. S7-20-98] (RIN: 32335-AH45) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

11699. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract to Greece [Transmittal No. DTC 69-98], pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

11700. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting notification of a proposed license for the export of major defense equipment sold commercially under a contract to the Singapore Ministry of Defense Army [Transmittal No. DTC 130-98], pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

11701. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract to Japan [Transmittal No. DTC 116-98], pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

11702. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed Manufacturing License Agreement with Greece [Transmittal No. DTC 91-98], pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

11703. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially

under a contract to Singapore [Transmittal No. DTC 129-98], pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

11704. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract to Japan [Transmittal No. DTC 143-98], pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

11705. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed Manufacturing License Agreement with Turkey [Transmittal No. DTC 88-98], pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

11706. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed Manufacturing License Agreement with the United Kingdom [Transmittal No. DTC 137-98], pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

11707. A letter from the Acting Comptroller General, General Accounting Office, transmitting List of all reports issued or released by the GAO in August 1998, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 719(h); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

11708. A letter from the Executive Director, Committee For Purchase From People Who Are Blind Or Severely Disabled, transmitting the Committee's final rule—Procurement List Additions and Deletions—received October 16, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

11709. A letter from the Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Atlantic Tuna Fisheries; Atlantic Bluefin Tuna; Closure [I.D. 092398B] received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

11710. A letter from the Secretary of the Interior, transmitting a report to Congress: Operations of Glen Canyon Dam, pursuant to Pub. L 102-575; to the Committee on Resources.

11711. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting notification that the President has authorized the admission of up to 78,000 refugees to the United States during FY 1999 [Presidential Determination No. 98-39], pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2601(c)(3); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

11712. A letter from the Director, Federal Bureau of Prisons, Department of Justice, transmitting the Department's final rule—Bureau of Prisons Central Office, Regional Offices, Institutions, and Staff Training Centers [BOP-1087-F] (RIN: 1120-AA82) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

11713. A letter from the Director, Federal Bureau of Prisons, Department of Justice, transmitting the Department's final rule—Non-Discrimination Toward Inmates [BOP-1077-F] (RIN: 1120-AA73) received October 16, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

11714. A letter from the Acting Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legislative Affairs, Department of Justice, transmitting a report entitled, "Report on Citizenship of Certain Legalized Aliens"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

11715. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Department's final rule—VISAS: Regulations Regarding Public Charge Requirements under the Immigration

and Nationality Act, as Amended [Public Notice 2903] received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

11716. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment of State waters for private aids to navigation in Wisconsin and Alabama [USCG-1998-3604] (RIN: 2115-AF50) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11717. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operation Regulations; Elizabeth River, South Branch, Portsmouth-Chesapeake, Virginia [CGD05-98-014] (RIN: 2115-AE47) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11718. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Safety Zone: Storrow Drive Connector Bridge (Central Artery Tunnel Project), Charles River, Boston, MA [CGD01-98-140] (RIN: 2115-AA97) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11719. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Safety Zone Regulations: Port of Guanica, Guanica, Puerto Rico [COTP San Juan 98-065] (RIN: 2115-AA97) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11720. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Pratt & Whitney Canada PW100 Series Turboprop Engines [Docket No. 97-ANE-33-AD; Amendment 39-10636; AD 98-14-02] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11721. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Dornier Model 328-100 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-59-AD; Amendment 39-10827; AD 98-21-18] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11722. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 29357; Amdt. No. 1893] (RIN: 2120-AA65) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11723. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; British Aerospace Jetstream Model 3101 Airplanes [Docket No. 98-CE-32-AD; Amendment 39-10822; AD 98-21-13] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11724. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; British Aerospace Jetstream Model 3101 Airplanes [Docket No. 98-CE-33-AD; Amendment 39-10823; AD 98-21-14] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11725. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Saab Model SAAB 2000 Series

Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-190-AD; Amendment 39-10828; AD 98-21-19] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11726. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 747 Series Airplanes Equipped with Pratt & Whitney Model JT9D-70 Engines [Docket No. 97-NM-185-AD; Amendment 39-10826; AD 98-21-17] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11727. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 29358; Amdt. No. 1894] (RIN: 2120-AA65) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11728. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Twin Commander Aircraft Corporation 500,680, 690, and 695 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 96-CE-54-AD; Amendment 39-10821; AD 98-08-25 R1] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11729. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Denison, IA; Correction [Airspace Docket No. 98-ACE-29] received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11730. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Repeat Intoxicated Driver Laws [Docket No. NHTSA-98-4537] (RIN: 2127-AH47) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11731. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operating Regulation; Buffalo Bayou, TX [CGD08-98-066] (RIN: 2115-AE47) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11732. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operating Regulation; Lafourche Bayou, LA [CGD08-98-064] (RIN: 2115-AE47) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11733. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operation Regulations; New Jersey Intra-coastal Waterway; Grassy Sound Channel [CGD05-98-083] (RIN: 2115-AE47) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11734. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Delaware River Safety Zone and Anchorage Regulations [CGD05-98-084] (RIN: 2115-AA98) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11735. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Time of Designation for Restricted Area R-2908, Pensacola, FL [Airspace Docket No. 97-ASO-9] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received October 15,

1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11736. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Realignment of Colored Federal Airway; AK [Airspace Docket No. 98-AAAL-6] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11737. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 737-700 and -800 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-272-AD; Amendment 39-10819; AD 98-21-11] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11738. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Pratt & Whitney Canada PW530A Series Turbofan Engines [Docket No. 98-ANE-58-AD; Amendment 39-10817; AD 98-17-10] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11739. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Aerospatiale Model ATR42-200 and -300 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 97-NM-266-AD; Amendment 39-10818; AD 98-21-10] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11740. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Fokker Model F27 Mark 050, 100, 200, 300, 400, 500, 600, and 700 Rough Field Version (RFV) Series Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-92-AD; Amendment 39-10810; AD 98-21-02] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11741. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; British Aerospace (Jetstream) Model 4101 Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-168-AD; Amendment 39-10811; AD 98-21-03] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11742. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Dornier Model 328-100 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-173-AD; Amendment 39-10812; AD 98-21-04] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11743. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; SOCATA-Groupe AEROSPATIALE Model TBM 700 Airplanes [Docket No. 98-CE-58-AD; Amendment 39-10824; AD 98-21-15] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11744. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Short Brothers Model SD3-30, SD3-60, SD3-60 SHERPA, and SD3 SHERPA Series Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-203-AD; Amendment 39-10813; AD 98-21-05] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11745. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; British Aerospace Model BAe 146-100A, -200A, and -300A Series Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-214-AD; Amendment 39-10814; AD 98-21-06] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11746. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Meade, KS [Airspace Docket No. 98-ACE-43] received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11747. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; British Aerospace Model Avro 146-RJ85A and RJ100A Series Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-235-AD; Amendment 39-10815; AD 98-21-07] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11748. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Ottumwa, IA [Airspace Docket No. 98-ACE-27] received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11749. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Clinton, IA [Airspace Docket No. 98-ACE-26] received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11750. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Magnetic Levitation Transportation Technology Deployment Program [FRA-98-4545] (RIN: 2130-AB29) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11751. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Use of Brokerage Firms as Depositories under the Capital Construction Fund Program [Docket No. MARAD-98-4433] (RIN: 2133-AB35) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11752. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—National Highway Traffic Safety Administration [Docket No. NHTSA-98-4532] (RIN: 2127-AH43) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11753. A letter from the Secretary of Transportation, transmitting a report to Congress covering the training grants program administered by the Research and Special Programs Administration (RSPA) for the fiscal years 1993-1996; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11754. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Classification of Certain Transactions Involving Computer Programs [TD 8785] (RIN: 1545-AU70) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

11755. A letter from the Secretary of Agriculture, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to reform enforcement provisions of the Housing Act of 1949; jointly to the Committees on Banking and Financial Services and the Judiciary.

11756. A letter from the Chairperson, Commission On Civil Rights, transmitting the reports, "Helping Employers Comply with the ADA," pursuant to Public Law 103-419, and a companion report, "Helping State and Local Governments Comply with the ADA"; jointly to the Committees on Education and the Workforce and the Judiciary.

11757. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting a report of the effectiveness of providing disease prevention and health promotion services to Medicare beneficiaries; jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and Commerce.

¶114.4 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE TO SIGN ENROLLMENTS

The SPEAKER laid before the House a communication, which was read as follows:

WASHINGTON, DC,
October 19, 1998.

I hereby designate the Honorable EDWARD A. PEASE to act as Speaker pro tempore to sign enrolled bills and joint resolutions through October 20, 1998.

NEWT GINGRICH,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent, the designation was accepted.

¶114.5 RECESS—12:03 P.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PEASE, pursuant to clause 12 of rule I, declared the House in recess at 12 o'clock and 3 minutes p.m., subject to the call of the Chair.

¶114.6 AFTER RECESS—9 P.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PEASE, called the House to order.

¶114.7 SUBMISSION OF CONFERENCE REPORT—H.R. 4328

Mr. LIVINGSTON submitted a conference report (Rept. No. 105-825) on the bill (H.R. 4328) making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes; together with a statement thereon, for printing in the Record under the rule.

¶114.8 FURTHER CONTINUING APPROPRIATIONS FY 1999

On motion of Mr. LIVINGSTON, by unanimous consent, the Committee on Appropriations was discharged from further consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 137) making further continuing appropriations for fiscal year 1999.

When said joint resolution was considered, read twice, ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, was read a third time by title, and passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said joint resolution was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

Ordered, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said joint resolution.

¶114.9 HOUR OF MEETING

On motion of Mr. LIVINGSTON, by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at

12:30 p.m. on Tuesday, October 20, 1998 for "morning-hour debate".

¶114.10 COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK—MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

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

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

Washington, DC, October 19, 1998.

Hon. NEWT GINGRICH,
The Speaker, 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, I have the honor to transmit a sealed envelope received from the White House on October 19, 1998 at 1:00 p.m. and said to contain a message from the President whereby he submits a Notice on the continuation of the national emergency with respect to significant narcotics traffickers centered in Colombia.

With warm regards,
ROBIN H. CARLE,
Clerk.

¶114.11 NATIONAL EMERGENCY WITH RESPECT TO DRUG TRAFFICKERS IN COLUMBIA

The Clerk then read the message from the President, as follows:

To the Congress of the United States:

Section 202(d) of the National Emergencies Act (50 U.S.C. 1622(d)) provides for the automatic termination of a national emergency unless, prior to the anniversary date of its declaration, the President publishes in the *Federal Register* and transmits to the Congress a notice stating that the emergency is to continue in effect beyond the anniversary date. In accordance with this provision, I have sent the enclosed notice to the *Federal Register* for publication, stating that the emergency declared with respect to significant narcotics traffickers centered in Colombia is to continue in effect for 1 year beyond October 21, 1998.

The circumstances that led to the declaration on October 21, 1995, of a national emergency have not been resolved. The actions of significant narcotics traffickers centered in Colombia continue to pose an unusual and extraordinary threat to the national security, foreign policy, and economy of the United States and to cause unparalleled violence, corruption, and harm in the United States and abroad. For these reasons, I have determined that it is necessary to maintain in force the broad authorities necessary to maintain economic pressure on significant narcotics traffickers centered in Colombia by blocking their property subject to the jurisdiction of the United States and by depriving them of access to the United States market and financial system.

WILLIAM J. CLINTON.

THE WHITE HOUSE, October 19, 1998.

By unanimous consent, the message was referred to the Committee on International Relations and ordered to be printed (H. Doc. 105-326).

¶114.12 SENATE BILL REFERRED

A bill of the Senate of the following title was taken from the Speaker's table and, under the rule, referred as follows:

S. 109. An Act to provide Federal housing assistance to Native Hawaiians; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

¶114.13 ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

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

H.R. 624. An Act to amend the Armored Car Industry Reciprocity Act of 1993 to clarify certain requirements and to improve the flow of interstate commerce.

H.R. 678. An Act to require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint coins in commemoration of Thomas Alva Edison and the 125th anniversary of Edison's invention of the light bulb, and for other purposes.

H.R. 700. An Act to remove the restriction on the distribution of certain revenue from the Mineral Springs parcel to certain members of the Agua Calientes Band of Cahuilla Indians.

H.R. 1021. An Act to provide for a land exchange involving certain National Forest System lands within the Routt National Forest in the State of Colorado.

H.R. 1197. An Act to amend title 35, United States Code, to protect patent owners against the unauthorized sale of plant parts taken from plants illegally reproduced, and for other purposes.

H.R. 1274. An Act to authorize appropriations for the National Institute of Standards and Technology for fiscal years 1998 and 1999, and for other purposes.

H.R. 1702. An Act to encourage the development of a commercial space industry in the United States, and for other purposes.

H.R. 1756. An Act to amend chapter 53 of title 31, United States Code, to require the development and implementation by the Secretary of the Treasury of a national money laundering and related financial crimes strategy to combat money laundering and related financial crimes, and for other purposes.

H.R. 1853. An Act to amend the Carl D. Perkins Vocational and Applied Technology Education Act.

H.R. 2000. An Act to amend the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act to make certain clarifications to the land bank protection provisions, and for other purposes.

H.R. 2186. An Act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to provide assistance to the National Historic Trails Interpretive Center in Casper, Wyoming.

H.R. 2281. An Act to amend title 17, United States Code, to implement the World Intellectual Property Organization Copyright Treaty and Performances and Phonograms Treaty, and for other purposes.

H.R. 2327. An Act to provide for a change in the exemption from the child labor provisions of the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 for minors who are 17 years of age and who engage in the operation of automobiles and trucks.

H.R. 2370. An Act to amend the Organic Act of Guam to clarify local executive and legislative provisions in such Act, and for other purposes.

H.R. 2616. An Act to amend title VI and X of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to improve and expand charter schools.

H.R. 2795. An Act to extend certain contracts between the Bureau of Reclamation

and irrigation contractors in Wyoming and Nebraska that receive water from Chendo Reservoir.

H.R. 2675. An Act to provide for the Office of Personnel Management to conduct a study and submit a report to Congress on the provision of certain options for universal life insurance coverage and additional death and dismemberment insurance under chapter 87 of title 5, United States Code, to improve the administration of such chapter, and for other purposes.

H.R. 2807. An Act to clarify restrictions under the Migratory Bird Treaty Act on baiting and to facilitate acquisition of migratory bird habitat, and for other purposes.

H.R. 3055. An Act to deem the activities of the Miccosukee Tribe on the Miccosukee Reserved Area to be consistent with the purposes of the Everglades National Park, and for other purposes.

H.R. 3069. An Act to extend the Advisory Council on California Indian Policy to allow the Advisory Council to advise Congress on the implementation of the proposals and recommendations of the Advisory Council.

H.R. 3332. An Act to amend the High-Performance Computing Act of 1991 to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1999 and 2000 for the Next Generation Internet program, to require the President's Information Technology Advisory Committee to monitor and give advice concerning the development and implementation of the Next Generation Internet program and to report to the President and the Congress on its activities, and for other purposes.

H.R. 3494. An Act to amend title 18, United States Code, to protect children from sexual abuse and exploitation, and for other purposes.

H.R. 3528. An Act 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.

H.R. 3687. An Act to authorize prepayment of amounts due under a water reclamation project contract for the Canadian River Project, Texas.

H.R. 3830. An Act to provide for the exchange of certain lands within the State of Utah.

H.R. 3874. An Act to amend the National School Lunch Act and the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 to provide children with increased access to food and nutrition assistance, to simplify program operations and improve program management, to extend certain authorities contained in those Acts through fiscal year 2003, and for other purposes.

H.R. 3903. An Act to provide for an exchange of lands located near Gustavus, Alaska, and for other purposes.

H.R. 4079. An Act to authorize the construction of temperature control devices at Folsom Dam in California.

H.R. 4151. An Act to amend chapter 47 of title 18, United States Code, relating to identity fraud, and for other purposes.

H.R. 4166. An Act to amend the Idaho Admission Act regarding the sale or lease of school land.

H.R. 4259. An Act to allow Haskell Indian Nations University and the Southwestern Indian Polytechnic Institute each to conduct a demonstration project to test the feasibility and desirability of new personnel management policies and procedures, and for other purposes.

H.R. 4293. An Act to establish a cultural training program for disadvantaged individuals to assist the Irish peace process.

H.R. 4309. An Act to provide a comprehensive program of support for victims of torture.

H.R. 4326. An Act to transfer administrative jurisdiction over certain Federal lands located within or adjacent to the Rogue

River National Forest and to clarify the authority of the Bureau of Land Management to sell and exchange other Federal lands in Oregon.

H.R. 4337. An Act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to provide financial assistance to the State of Maryland for a pilot program to develop measures to eradicate or control nutria and restore marshland damaged by nutria.

H.R. 4558. An Act to make technical amendments to clarify the provision of benefits for noncitizens, and to improve the provision of unemployment insurance, child support, and supplemental security income benefits.

H.R. 4566. An Act to make technical corrections to the National Capital Revitalization and Self-Government Improvement Act of 1997 with respect to the courts and court system of the District of Columbia.

H.R. 4655. An Act to establish a program to support a transition to democracy in Iraq.

H.R. 4660. An Act to amend the State Department Basic Authorities Act of 1956 to provide rewards for information leading to the arrest or conviction of any individual for the commission of an act, or conspiracy to act, of international terrorism, narcotics related offenses, or for serious violations of international humanitarian law relating to the Former Yugoslavia, and for other purposes.

H.R. 4679. An Act to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to clarify the circumstances in which a substance is considered to be a pesticide chemical for purposes of such Act, and for other purposes.

¶114.14 SENATE ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS SIGNED

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. PEASE, announced his signature to enrolled bills and joint resolutions of the Senate of the following titles:

S. 231. An Act to establish the National Cave and Karst Research Institute in the State of New Mexico, and for other purposes.

S. 890. An Act to dispose of certain Federal properties located in Dutch John, Utah, to assist the local government in the interim delivery of basic services to the Dutch John community, and for other purposes.

S. 1021. An Act to amend title 5, United States Code, to provide that consideration may not be denied to preference eligibles applying for certain positions in the competitive service, and for other purposes.

S. 1298. An Act to designate a Federal building located in Florence, Alabama, as the "Justice John McKinley Federal Building."

S. 1333. An Act to amend the Land and Water Conservation Fund Act of 1965 to allow national park units that cannot charge an entrance or admission fee to retain other fees and charges.

S. 2094. An Act to amend the Fish and Wildlife Improvement Act of 1978 to enable the Secretary of the Interior to more effectively use the proceeds of sales of certain items.

S. 2106. An Act to expand the boundaries of Arches National Park, Utah, to include portions of certain drainages that are under the jurisdiction of the Bureau of Land Management, and to include a portion of Fish Seep Draw owned by the State of Utah, and for other purposes.

S. 2193. An Act to implement the provisions of the Trademark Law Treaty.

S. 2232. An Act to establish the Little Rock Central High School National Historic Site in the State of Arkansas, and for other purposes.

S. 2240. An Act to establish the Adams National Historical Park in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and for other purposes.

S. 2246. An Act to amend the Act which established the Frederick Law Olmsted National Historic Site, in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, by modifying the boundary, and for other purposes.

S. 2285. An Act to establish a commission, in honor of the 150th Anniversary of the Seneca Falls Convention, to further protect sites of importance in the historic efforts to secure equal rights for women.

S. 2413. An Act prohibiting the conveyance of Woodland Lake Park tract in Apache-Sitgreaves National Forest in the State of Arizona unless the conveyance is made to the town of Pinetop-Lakeside or is authorized by an Act of Congress.

S. 2427. An Act to amend the Omnibus Parks and Public Lands Management Act of 1996 to extend the legislative authority for the Black Patriots Foundation to establish a commemorative work.

S. 2468. An Act to designate the Biscayne National Park Visitor Center as the Dante Fascell Visitor Center.

S. 2505. An Act to direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey title to the Tunnison Lab Hagerman Field Station in Gooding County, Idaho, to the University of Idaho.

S. 2561. An Act to amend the Fair Credit Reporting Act with respect to furnishing and using consumer reports for employment purposes.

S.J. 51. A joint resolution granting the consent of Congress to the Potomac Highlands Airport Authority Compact entered into between the States of Maryland and West Virginia.

S.J. 58. A joint resolution recognizing the accomplishments of Inspectors General since their creation in 1978 in preventing and detecting waste, fraud, abuse, and mismanagement, and in promoting economy, efficiency, and effectiveness in the Federal Government.

¶114.15 BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION 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 and a joint resolution of the House of the following titles:

On October 16, 1998:

H.R. 2431. To express United States foreign policy with respect to, and to strengthen United States advocacy on behalf of, individuals persecuted in foreign countries on account of religion; to authorize United States actions in response to violations of religious freedom in foreign countries; to establish an Ambassador at Large for International Religious Freedom within the Department of State, a Commission on International Religious Freedom, and a Special Advisor on International Religious Freedom within the National Security Council; and for other purposes.

H.R. 4112. Making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes.

H.J. Res. 136. Making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1999, and for other purposes.

And then,

¶114.16 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. LIVINGSTON, pursuant to the special order heretofore agreed to, at 9 o'clock and 4 minutes p.m., the House adjourned until 12:30 p.m. on Tuesday, October 20, 1998.

¶114.17 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. LIVINGSTON: Committee of conference. Conference report on H.R. 4328. A bill making appropriations for the Department of Transportation and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 105-825). Ordered to be printed.

¶114.18 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. MENENDEZ:

H.R. 4851. A bill to withhold voluntary proportional assistance for programs and projects of the International Atomic Energy Agency relating to the development and completion of the Bushehr nuclear power plant in Iran, and for other purposes; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. ARCHER:

H.R. 4852. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide that the transfer of property subject to a liability shall be treated in the same manner as the transfer of property involving an assumption of liability; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. MINK of Hawaii:

H.R. 4853. A bill to modify retroactively the residence requirement for transmission of citizenship to certain individuals born abroad before 1953 to one citizen parent and one alien parent; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. MINK of Hawaii:

H.R. 4854. A bill to declare certain Amerasians to be citizens of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts:

H.R. 4855. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to reinstate certain bonus and capital payment levels for rehabilitation hospital services under part A of the Medicare Program; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. LIVINGSTON:

H.J. Res. 137. A joint resolution making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1999, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations.

¶114.19 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 902: Mr. ISTOOK.
H.R. 2698: Mr. HINCHEY.
H.R. 2821: Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin.
H.R. 3915: Ms. KILPATRICK.
H.R. 4031: Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut.
H.R. 4127: Mr. ACKERMAN and Mr. FORD.
H.R. 4449: Mr. KLINK.
H.R. 4684: Mr. BACHUS.
H.R. 4843: Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts, Mr. WAXMAN, and Mr. SERRANO.
H Con. 328: Mr. MCGOVERN.
H Res. 483: Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD.
H. Res. 595: Mr. MILLER of California and Mr. SABO.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1998 (115)

¶115.1 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The House was called to order at 12:30 o'clock p.m. by the SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. HEFLEY, who laid before the House the following communication:

WASHINGTON, DC,

October 20, 1998.

I hereby designate the Honorable JOEL HEFLEY to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NEWT GINGRICH,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Whereupon, pursuant to the order of the House of Tuesday, January 21, 1997, Members were recognized for "morn-ing-hour debate".

¶115.2 RECESS—12:44 P.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. HEFLEY, pursuant to clause 12 of rule I, declared the House in recess until 2 o'clock p.m.

¶115.3 AFTER RECESS—2 P.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LATOURETTE, called the House to order.

¶115.4 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LATOURETTE, announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Monday, October 19, 1998.

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

¶115.5 COMMUNICATIONS

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

11758. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Mexican Fruit Fly Regulations; Addition of Regulated Area [Docket No. 98-082-2] received October 20, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

11759. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Veterinary Diagnostic Services User Fees [Docket No. 94-115-2] (RIN: 0579-AA70) received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

11760. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Validated Brucellosis-Free States; South Carolina [Docket No. 98-101-1] received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

11761. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Brucellosis in Cattle; State and Area Classifications; Mississippi [Docket No. 98-097-1] received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

11762. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Importation of Horses [Docket No. 95-054-3] received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

11763. A letter from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Fresh Bartlett Pears Grown in Oregon and Washington; Decreased Assessment Rate [Docket No. FV98-931-1 IFR] received October 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.