

H.R. 2306: Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, Mr. REYES, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. HINOJOSA, Ms. SANCHEZ, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. CLAY, Mr. DIXON, Mr. WYNN, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. WATT of North Carolina, Mr. CONYERS, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Ms. WATERS, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. MEEKS of New York, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Ms. LEE, Mr. HILLIARD, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. BISHOP, Ms. CARSON, Mr. PAYNE, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. OWENS, Mr. ORTIZ, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. FORD, Mr. JEFFERSON, Ms. MCKINNEY, and Mr. RUSH.

H.R. 2308: Mr. REGULA, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. WOLF, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mrs. CAPPS, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. FOLEY, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. RANGEL, and Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon.

H.R. 2318: Mr. MCINNIS.

H.R. 2341: Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. FROST, and Mr. DAVIS of Illinois.

H. J. Res. 56: Mr. GILMAN.

H. Con. Res. 30: Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas.

H. Con. Res. 34: Mr. CONYERS and Mr. RAHALL.

H. Con. Res. 57: Mr. BLILEY, Mr. SHOWS, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Mr. TRAFICANT, and Mr. Scott.

H. Con. Res. 58: Mr. HOLDEN.

H. Con. Res. 77: Mrs. KELLY.

H. Con. Res. 79: Mr. SPRATT, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. DREIER, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, and Mrs. WILSON.

H. Con. Res. 80: Mr. MCNULTY, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. BONIOR, Mrs. MORELLA, and Mr. PAYNE.

H. Con. Res. 100: Ms. PELOSI, Mr. STARK, Mrs. BONO, Mr. TALENT, and Ms. ESHOO.

H. Con. Res. 101: Mr. LATOURETTE.

H. Con. Res. 113: Mrs. THURMAN.

H. Con. Res. 117: Mr. GILMAN.

H. Con. Res. 119: Mr. WYNN.

H. Con. Res. 121: Ms. KAPTUR.

H. Con. Res. 130: Ms. CARSON.

H. Con. Res. 132: Mr. ENGLISH, Ms. CARSON, Ms. BROWN of Florida, and Ms. MCKINNEY.

H. Con. Res. 133: Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey.

H. Con. Res. 134: Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. WYNN, Mr. FROST, and Mr. GUTIERREZ.

H. Con. Res. 139: Mr. HOFFFEL, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. SHERWOOD, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, and Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas.

H. Con. Res. 140: Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. KLECZKA, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. ACKERMAN, and Mr. DAVIS of Florida.

H. Res. 16: Mr. METCALF.

H. Res. 17: Mr. BRADY of Texas.

H. Res. 115: Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin.

H. Res. 181: Mr. CAMPBELL.

H. Res. 208: Mr. BISHOP, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. REYES, Mr. FROST, Mr. STUPAK, and Ms. LEE.

H. Res. 214: Mr. ENGLISH.

H. Res. 219: Mr. FARR of California, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. BECERRA, Ms. WOOLSEY, Ms. WATERS, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, and Mr. FROST.

¶72.38 PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 3 of rule XII, petitions and papers were laid on the clerk's desk and referred as follows:

21. The SPEAKER presented a petition of Evergreen Union School District, California, relative to Resolution No. 16-98/99 petitioning the Congress to appropriate funds for IDEA to the full authorized level of funding for 40 percent of the excess costs of providing

special education and related services; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

22. Also, a petition of Corning Union High School of Tehama County, CA, relative to Resolution No. 212 petitioning Congress to restore parity to students by appropriating funds for IDEA to the full authorized level of funding; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

23. Also, a petition of Richfield School District, Corning, California, relative to Resolution No. 48 petitioning the California Legislature and the Governor to continue current levels of state funding for special education and permit increased federal funding for IDEA; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

24. Also, a petition of Hughes-Elizabeth Lakes School District, Lake Hughes, California, relative to Resolution No. 7-98-99 petitioning Congress, the California Legislature and the Governor to restore parity between students by continuing current statutory levels of funding for special education and to permit increased federal funding of IDEA; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

25. Also, a petition of LaSalle County Board, LaSalle Illinois, relative to Resolution 99-227 petitioning the Senate and the House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress to enact legislation requiring all governmental posts to fly the flag of the United States at half staff to honor all those individuals who died as the result of their service at Pearl Harbor on December 7, 1941 and urging all Americans to do likewise; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 30, 1999 (73)

¶73.1 APPOINTMENT OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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

WASHINGTON, DC,
June 30, 1999.

I hereby appoint the Honorable JAMES T. WALSH to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

J. DENNIS HASTERT,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

¶73.2 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. WALSH, announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Tuesday, June 29, 1999.

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

¶73.3 COMMUNICATIONS

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

2799. A letter from the Acting Director, Defense Security Cooperation Agency, transmitting notification concerning the Department of the Navy's Proposed Letter(s) of Offer and Acceptance (LOA) to Egypt for defense articles and services (Transmittal No. 99-21), pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on International Relations.

2800. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the annual report concerning defense articles that were licensed for export under section 38 of the Arms Export Control Act during Fiscal Year 1998; to the Committee on International Relations.

2801. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State,

transmitting the Department's final rule—Schedule of Fees for Consular Services, Department of State and Overseas Embassies and Consulates—received May 25, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on International Relations.

2802. A letter from the Program Analyst, Office of the Chief Counsel, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 767 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 97-NM-51-AD; Amendment 39-11185; AD 99-11-14] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received June 4, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2803. A letter from the Senior Attorney, Federal Highway Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Credit Assistance for Surface Transportation Projects [OST Docket No. OST-99-5728] (RIN: 2125-AE49) received May 27, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2804. A letter from the Program Analyst, Office of the Chief Counsel, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 747-400 Series Airplanes Powered by Pratt & Whitney PW4000 Engines [Docket No. 97-NM-89-AD; Amendment 39-11183; AD 99-11-12] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received June 4, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2805. A letter from the Program Analyst, Office of the Chief Counsel, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; General Electric Aircraft Engines CF34 Series Turbofan Engines [Docket No. 98-ANE-19-AD; Amendment 39-11179; AD 99-11-08] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received June 4, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2806. A letter from the Program Analyst, Office of the Chief Counsel, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 747 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-223-AD; Amendment 39-11186; AD 99-11-15] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received June 4, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2807. A letter from the Program Analyst, Office of the Chief Counsel, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Cessna Aircraft Company Model 402C Airplanes [Docket No. 99-CE-21-AD; Amendment 39-11184; AD 99-11-13] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received June 4, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2808. A letter from the Chief, Regs and Admin Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operation Regulations; Lake Champlain, NY & VT [CGD01-98-032] (RIN: 2115-AE47) received May 27, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2809. A letter from the Chief, Regs and Admin Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Safety Zone: Chelsea Street Bridge Fender System Repair, Chelsea River, Chelsea, MA [CGD1-99-053] (RIN: 2115-AA97) received May 27, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2810. A letter from the Chief, Regs and Admin Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operating Regulation; Falgout Canal, LA [CGD08-99-035] received

May 27, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2811. A letter from the Chief, Regs and Admin Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operating Regulation; Massalina Bayou, Florida [CGD08-99-033] (RIN: 2115-AE47) received May 27, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2812. A letter from the Chief, Regs and Admin Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operating Regulation; Muskingum River, Ohio [CGD08-99-020] (RIN: 2115-AE47) received May 27, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2813. A letter from the Chief, Regs and Admin Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operation Regulation; Gulf Intracoastal Waterway, Harvey Canal, LA [CGD08-99-029] received May 27, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2814. A letter from the Chief, Regs and Admin Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Mandatory Ship Reporting Systems [USCG-1999-5525] (RIN: 2115-AF82) received May 27, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2815. A letter from the Chief, Regs and Admin Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Anchorage Ground; Safety Zone; Speed Limit; Tongass Narrows and Ketchikan, AK [CGD17-99-002] (RIN: 2115-AF81) received May 27, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2816. A letter from the Chief, Regs and Admin Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Safety Zone; San Pedro Bay, CA [COTP Los Angeles-Long Beach, CA; 99-003] (RIN: 2115-AA97) received May 27, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

¶73.4 PROVIDING FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 1218

Mrs. MYRICK, by direction of the Committee on Rules, called up the following resolution (H. Res. 233):

Resolved, That upon the adoption of this resolution it shall be in order without intervention of any point of order to consider in the House the bill (H.R. 1218) to amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit taking minors across State lines in circumvention of laws requiring the involvement of parents in abortion decisions. The bill shall be considered as read for amendment. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the bill to final passage without intervening motion except: (1) two hours of debate equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on the Judiciary; and (2) one motion to recommit.

When said resolution was considered.

After debate,

On motion of Mrs. MYRICK, the previous question was ordered on the resolution to its adoption or rejection and under the operation thereof, the resolution was agreed to.

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

¶73.5 CHILD CUSTODY PROTECTION

On motion of Mr. CANADY, pursuant to House Resolution 233, the House considered the bill (H.R. 1218) to amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit taking minors across State lines in circumvention of laws requiring the involvement of parents in abortion decisions.

When said bill was considered and read twice.

After debate,

Pursuant to said resolution, the previous question was ordered.

The bill was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, was read a third time by title.

Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas moved to recommit the bill to the Committee on the Judiciary with instructions to report the bill back to the House forthwith with the following amendment:

Page 4, after line 11 insert the following:

(3) The prohibitions of this section do not apply with respect to conduct by an adult sibling or grandparent, or by a minister, rabbi, pastor, priest, or other religious leader of the minor.

After debate,

By unanimous consent, the previous question was ordered on the motion to recommit with instructions.

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House recommit said bill with instructions?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BURR, announced that the nays had it.

Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas objected to the vote on the ground that a quorum was not present and not voting.

A quorum not being present,

The roll was called under clause 6, rule XX, and the call was taken by electronic device.

When there appeared { Yeas 164
Nays 268

¶73.6 [Roll No. 260] YEAS—164

Abercrombie	DeGette	Hoyer
Ackerman	Delahunt	Inslee
Allen	DeLauro	Jackson (IL)
Andrews	Deutsch	Jackson-Lee
Baird	Dicks	(TX)
Baldacci	Dingell	Jefferson
Baldwin	Dixon	Johnson (CT)
Barrett (WI)	Doggett	Johnson, E. B.
Becerra	Dooley	Jones (OH)
Bentsen	Edwards	Kennedy
Berkley	Engel	Kilpatrick
Berman	Eshoo	Kind (WI)
Biggert	Etheridge	Lampson
Bishop	Evans	Lantos
Blagojevich	Farr	Larson
Blumenauer	Fattah	Lee
Boehler	Filner	Levin
Boucher	Ford	Lewis (GA)
Brady (PA)	Frank (MA)	Lofgren
Brown (FL)	Frost	Lowey
Brown (OH)	Gejdenson	Luther
Campbell	Gephardt	Maloney (CT)
Capps	Gilchrest	Maloney (NY)
Capuano	Gilman	Markey
Cardin	Gonzalez	Matsui
Carson	Green (TX)	McCarthy (MO)
Castle	Greenwood	McCarthy (NY)
Clay	Gutierrez	McDermott
Clayton	Hastings (FL)	McGovern
Clyburn	Hilliard	McKinney
Conyers	Hinchee	Meehan
Coyne	Hinojosa	Meek (FL)
Crowley	Hoefel	Meeks (NY)
Cummings	Holt	Menendez
Davis (IL)	Hooley	Millender
DeFazio	Horn	McDonald

Miller, George	Roybal-Allard	Thompson (MS)
Minge	Rush	Thurman
Mink	Sabo	Tierney
Moore	Sanchez	Towns
Moran (VA)	Sanders	Udall (CO)
Morella	Sandlin	Udall (NM)
Nadler	Sawyer	Velazquez
Napolitano	Schakowsky	Vento
Olver	Scott	Visclosky
Owens	Serrano	Waters
Pallone	Shays	Watt (NC)
Pastor	Sherman	Waxman
Payne	Sisisky	Weiner
Pelosi	Slaughter	Wexler
Pickett	Smith (WA)	Wise
Porter	Stabenow	Woolsey
Price (NC)	Stark	Wu
Rangel	Strickland	Wynn
Rodriguez	Tauscher	
Rothman	Thompson (CA)	

NAYS—268

Aderholt	Frelinghuysen	Metcalf
Archer	Galleghy	Mica
Armey	Ganske	Miller (FL)
Bachus	Gekas	Miller, Gary
Baker	Gibbons	Moakley
Ballenger	Gillmor	Mollohan
Barcia	Goode	Moran (KS)
Barr	Goodlatte	Murtha
Barrett (NE)	Goodling	Myrick
Bartlett	Gordon	Neal
Barton	Goss	Nethercutt
Bass	Graham	Ney
Bateman	Granger	Northup
Bereuter	Green (WI)	Norwood
Berry	Gutknecht	Nussle
Bilbray	Hall (OH)	Oberstar
Bilirakis	Hall (TX)	Obey
Bliley	Hansen	Ortiz
Blunt	Hastings (WA)	Ose
Boehner	Hayes	Oxley
Bonilla	Hayworth	Packard
Bonior	Hefley	Pascrell
Bono	Herger	Paul
Borski	Hill (IN)	Pease
Boswell	Hill (MT)	Peterson (MN)
Boyd	Hilleary	Peterson (PA)
Brady (TX)	Hobson	Petri
Bryant	Hoekstra	Phelps
Burr	Holden	Pickering
Burton	Hostettler	Pitts
Buyer	Houghton	Pombo
Callahan	Hulshof	Pomeroy
Calvert	Hunter	Portman
Camp	Hutchinson	Pryce (OH)
Canady	Hyde	Quinn
Cannon	Isakson	Radanovich
Chabot	Istook	Rahall
Chambliss	Jenkins	Ramstad
Chenoweth	John	Regula
Clement	Johnson, Sam	Reyes
Coble	Jones (NC)	Reynolds
Coburn	Kanjorski	Riley
Collins	Kaptur	Rivers
Combest	Kasich	Roemer
Condit	Kelly	Rogan
Cook	Kildee	Rogers
Cooksey	King (NY)	Rohrabacher
Costello	Kingston	Ros-Lehtinen
Cox	Kleczka	Roukema
Cramer	Klink	Royce
Crane	Knollenberg	Ryan (WI)
Cubin	Kolbe	Ryun (KS)
Cunningham	Kucinich	Salmon
Danner	Kuykendall	Sanford
Davis (FL)	LaFalce	Saxton
Davis (VA)	LaHood	Scarborough
Deal	Largent	Schaffer
DeLay	Latham	Sensenbrenner
DeMint	LaTourette	Sessions
Diaz-Balart	Lazio	Shadegg
Dickey	Leach	Shaw
Doolittle	Lewis (CA)	Sherwood
Doyle	Lewis (KY)	Shimkus
Dreier	Linder	Shows
Duncan	Lipinski	Shuster
Dunn	LoBiondo	Simpson
Ehlers	Lucas (KY)	Skeen
Ehrlich	Lucas (OK)	Skelton
Emerson	Manzullo	Smith (MI)
English	Mascara	Smith (NJ)
Everett	McCollum	Smith (TX)
Everly	McCrery	Snyder
Fletcher	McHugh	Souder
Foley	McInnis	Spence
Forbes	McIntosh	Spratt
Fossella	McIntyre	Stearns
Fowler	McKeon	Stenholm
Franks (NJ)	McNulty	Stump

Stupak	Thune	Weldon (FL)
Sununu	Tiahrt	Weldon (PA)
Sweeney	Toomey	Weller
Talent	Trafigant	Weygand
Tancredo	Turner	Whitfield
Tanner	Upton	Wicker
Tauzin	Vitter	Wilson
Taylor (MS)	Walden	Wolf
Taylor (NC)	Walsh	Young (AK)
Terry	Wamp	Young (FL)
Thomas	Watkins	
Thornberry	Watts (OK)	

NOT VOTING—2

Brown (CA)	Martinez
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So the motion to recommit with instructions was not agreed to.

The question being put, *viva voce*, Will the House pass said bill?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BURR, announced that the yeas had it.

Mr. CANADY demanded a recorded vote on passage of said bill, which demand was supported by one-fifth of a quorum, so a recorded vote was ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the	{	Yeas	270
affirmative		Nays	159

¶73.7 [Roll No. 261] AYES—270

Aderholt	Dingell	Kanjorski
Archer	Doolittle	Kasich
Armey	Doyle	Kelly
Bachus	Dreier	Kildee
Baker	Duncan	King (NY)
Ballenger	Dunn	Kingston
Barcia	Ehlers	Klecicka
Barr	Ehrlich	Klink
Barrett (NE)	Emerson	Knollenberg
Bartlett	English	Kolbe
Barton	Etheridge	Kucinich
Bateman	Everett	Kuykendall
Bereuter	Ewing	LaFalce
Berry	Fletcher	LaHood
Bilbray	Foley	Largent
Bilirakis	Forbes	Latham
Bishop	Fossella	LaTourette
Biiley	Fowler	Lazio
Blunt	Franks (NJ)	Leach
Boehner	Frelinghuysen	Lewis (KY)
Bonilla	Gallely	Linder
Bonior	Ganske	Lipinski
Bono	Gekas	LoBiondo
Borski	Gibbons	Lucas (KY)
Boswell	Gillmor	Manzullo
Boyd	Goode	Mascara
Brady (TX)	Goodlatte	McCollum
Bryant	Goodling	McCrery
Burr	Gordon	McHugh
Burton	Goss	McInnis
Buyer	Graham	McIntosh
Callahan	Granger	McIntyre
Calvert	Green (WI)	McKeon
Camp	Gutknecht	McNulty
Canady	Hall (OH)	Metcalf
Cannon	Hall (TX)	Mica
Chabot	Hansen	Miller (FL)
Chambliss	Hastings (WA)	Miller, Gary
Chenoweth	Hayes	Minge
Clement	Hayworth	Moakley
Coble	Hefley	Mollohan
Coburn	Herger	Moran (KS)
Collins	Hill (IN)	Murtha
Combest	Hill (MT)	Myrick
Condit	Hilleary	Neal
Cook	Hilliard	Nethercutt
Cooksey	Hobson	Ney
Costello	Hoekstra	Northup
Cox	Holden	Norwood
Cramer	Horn	Nussle
Crane	Hostettler	Oberstar
Cubin	Hulshof	Obey
Cunningham	Hunter	Ortiz
Danner	Hutchinson	Ose
Davis (FL)	Hyde	Oxley
Davis (VA)	Isakson	Packard
Deal	Istook	Pascarell
DeLay	Jenkins	Pease
DeMint	John	Peterson (MN)
Diaz-Balart	Johnson, Sam	Peterson (PA)
Dickey	Jones (NC)	Petri

Phelps	Schaffer	Tauzin
Pickering	Sensenbrenner	Taylor (MS)
Pitts	Sessions	Taylor (NC)
Pombo	Shadegg	Terry
Pomeroy	Shaw	Thomas
Portman	Sherwood	Thornberry
Pryce (OH)	Shimkus	Thune
Quinn	Shows	Tiahrt
Radanovich	Shuster	Toomey
Rahall	Simpson	Trafigant
Ramstad	Skeen	Turner
Regula	Skelton	Upton
Reyes	Smith (MI)	Vento
Reynolds	Smith (NJ)	Vitter
Riley	Smith (TX)	Walden
Roemer	Snyder	Walsh
Rogan	Souder	Wamp
Rogers	Spence	Watkins
Rohrabacher	Spratt	Watts (OK)
Ros-Lehtinen	Stearns	Weldon (FL)
Roukema	Stenholm	Weldon (PA)
Royce	Strickland	Weller
Ryan (WI)	Stump	Weygand
Ryun (KS)	Stupak	Whitfield
Salmon	Sununu	Wicker
Sandlin	Sweeney	Wilson
Sanford	Talent	Wolf
Saxton	Tancredo	Young (AK)
Scarborough	Tanner	Young (FL)

NOES—159

Abercrombie	Gephardt	Moran (VA)
Ackerman	Gilchrest	Morella
Allen	Gilman	Nadler
Andrews	Gonzalez	Napolitano
Baird	Green (TX)	Olver
Baldacci	Greenwood	Owens
Baldwin	Gutierrez	Pallone
Barrett (WI)	Hastings (FL)	Pastor
Bass	Hinchey	Paul
Becerra	Hinojosa	Payne
Bentsen	Hoeffel	Pelosi
Berkley	Holt	Pickett
Berman	Hooley	Porter
Biggett	Houghton	Price (NC)
Blagojevich	Hoyer	Rangel
Blumenauer	Inslee	Rivers
Boehler	Jackson (IL)	Rodriguez
Boucher	Jackson-Lee	Rothman
Brady (PA)	(TX)	Roybal-Allard
Brown (FL)	Jefferson	Rush
Brown (OH)	Johnson (CT)	Sabo
Campbell	Johnson, E. B.	Sanchez
Capps	Jones (OH)	Sanders
Capuano	Kaptur	Sawyer
Cardin	Kennedy	Schakowsky
Carson	Kilpatrick	Scott
Castle	Kind (WI)	Serrano
Clay	Lampson	Shays
Clayton	Lantos	Sherman
Clyburn	Larson	Sisisky
Conyers	Lee	Slaughter
Coyne	Levin	Smith (WA)
Crowley	Lewis (GA)	Stabenow
Cummings	Lofgren	Stark
Davis (IL)	Lowe	Tauscher
DeFazio	Luther	Thompson (CA)
DeGette	Maloney (CT)	Thompson (MS)
Delahunt	Maloney (NY)	Thurman
DeLauro	Markey	Tierney
Deutsch	Matsui	Towns
Dicks	McCarthy (MO)	Udall (CO)
Dixon	McCarthy (NY)	Udall (NM)
Doggett	McDermott	Velazquez
Dooley	McGovern	Velosky
Edwards	McKinney	Waters
Engel	Meehan	Watt (NC)
Eshoo	Meek (FL)	Waxman
Evans	Meeks (NY)	Weiner
Farr	Menendez	Wexler
Fattah	Millender-	Wise
Finer	McDonald	Woolsey
Frank (MA)	Miller, George	Wu
Frost	Mink	Wynn
Gejdenson	Moore	

NOT VOTING—5

Brown (CA)	Lewis (CA)	Martinez
Ford	Lucas (OK)	

So the bill was passed.

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

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

¶73.8 PROVIDING FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 66

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, by direction of the Committee on Rules, called up the following resolution (H. Res. 230):

Resolved, That at any time after the adoption of this resolution the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 2(b) of rule XVIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for consideration of the bill (H.R. 66) to preserve the cultural resources of the Route 66 corridor and to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to provide assistance. The first reading of the bill shall be dispensed with. General debate shall be confined to the bill and shall not exceed one hour equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Resources. After general debate the bill shall be considered for amendment under the five-minute rule. It shall be in order to consider as an original bill for the purpose of amendment under the five-minute rule the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Resources now printed in the bill. Each section of the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute shall be considered as read. During consideration of the bill for amendment, the Chairman of the Committee of the Whole may accord priority in recognition on the basis of whether the Member offering an amendment has caused it to be printed in the portion of the Congressional Record designated for that purpose in clause 8 of rule XVIII. Amendments so printed shall be considered as read. The Chairman of the Committee of the Whole may: (1) postpone until a time during further consideration in the Committee of the Whole a request for a recorded vote on any amendment; and (2) reduce to five minutes the minimum time for electronic voting on any postponed question that follows another electronic vote without intervening business, provided that the minimum time for electronic voting on the first in any series of questions shall be 15 minutes. At the conclusion of consideration of the bill for amendment the Committee shall rise and report the bill to the House with such amendments as may have been adopted. Any Member may demand a separate vote in the House on any amendment adopted in the Committee of the Whole to the bill or to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the bill and amendments thereto to final passage without intervening motion except one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

When said resolution was considered.

After debate,

On motion of Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, the previous question was ordered on the resolution to its adoption or rejection and under the operation thereof, the resolution was agreed to.

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

¶73.9 PROVIDING FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 791

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, by direction of the Committee on Rules, called up the following resolution (H. Res. 232):

Resolved, That at any time after the adoption of this resolution the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 2(b) of rule XVIII, declare the

House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for consideration of the bill (H.R. 791) to amend the National Trails System Act to designate the route of the War of 1812 British invasion of Maryland and Washington, District of Columbia, and the route of the American defense, for study for potential addition to the national trails system. The first reading of the bill shall be dispensed with. General debate shall be confined to the bill and shall not exceed one hour equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Resources. After general debate the bill shall be considered for amendment under the five-minute rule. It shall be in order to consider as an original bill for the purpose of amendment under the five-minute rule the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Resources now printed in the bill. The committee amendment in the nature of a substitute shall be considered as read. During consideration of the bill for amendment, the chairman of the Committee of the Whole may accord priority in recognition on the basis of whether the Member offering an amendment has caused it to be printed in the portion of the Congressional Record designated for that purpose in clause 8 of rule XVIII. Amendments so printed shall be considered as read. The chairman of the Committee of the Whole may: (1) postpone until a time during further consideration in the Committee of the Whole a request for a recorded vote on any amendment; and (2) reduce to five minutes the minimum time for electronic voting on any postponed question that follows another electronic vote without intervening business, provided that the minimum time for electronic voting on the first in any series of questions shall be 15 minutes. At the conclusion of consideration of the bill for amendment the Committee shall rise and report the bill to the House with such amendments as may have been adopted. Any Member may demand a separate vote in the House on any amendment adopted in the Committee of the Whole to the bill or to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the bill and amendments thereto to final passage without intervening motion except one motion to recommend with or without instructions.

When said resolution was considered.

After debate,

On motion of Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, the previous question was ordered on the resolution to its adoption or rejection and under the operation thereof, the resolution was agreed to.

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

¶73.10 PROVIDING FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 592

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, by direction of the Committee on Rules, called up the following resolution (H. Res. 231):

Resolved, That at any time after the adoption of this resolution the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 2(b) of rule XVIII, declare the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for consideration of the bill (H.R. 592) to redesignate Great Kills Park in the Gateway National Recreation Area as "World War II Veterans Park at Great Kills". The first reading of the bill shall be dispensed with. General debate shall be confined to the bill and shall not exceed one hour equally di-

vided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Resources. After general debate the bill shall be considered for amendment under the five-minute rule. It shall be in order to consider as an original bill for the purpose of amendment under the five-minute rule the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on Resources now printed in the bill. The committee amendment in the nature of a substitute shall be considered as read. Points of order against the committee amendment for failure to comply with clause 7 of rule XVI are waived. During consideration of the bill for amendment, the Chairman of the Committee of the Whole may accord priority in recognition on the basis of whether the Member offering an amendment has caused it to be printed in the portion of the Congressional Record designated for that purpose in clause 8 of rule XVIII. Amendments so printed shall be considered as read. The Chairman of the Committee of the Whole may: (1) postpone until a time during further consideration in the Committee of the Whole a request for a recorded vote on any amendment; and (2) reduce to five minutes the minimum time for electronic voting on any postponed question that follows another electronic vote without intervening business, provided that the minimum time for electronic voting on the first in any series of questions shall be 15 minutes. At the conclusion of consideration of the bill for amendment the Committee shall rise and report the bill to the House with such amendments as may have been adopted. Any Member may demand a separate vote in the House on any amendment adopted in the Committee of the Whole to the bill or to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the bill and amendments thereto to final passage without intervening motion except one motion to recommend with or without instructions.

When said resolution was considered.

After debate,

On motion of Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, the previous question was ordered on the resolution to its adoption or rejection and under the operation thereof, the resolution was agreed to.

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

¶73.11 ROUTE 66 PRESERVATION

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. STEARNS, pursuant to House Resolution 230 and rule XVIII, declared the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 66) to preserve the cultural resources of the Route 66 corridor and to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to provide assistance.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. STEARNS, by unanimous consent, designated Mr. BONILLA as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole; and after some time spent therein,

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. STEARNS, assumed the Chair.

When Mr. BONILLA, Chairman, pursuant to House Resolution 230, reported the bill back to the House with an amendment adopted by the Committee.

The previous question having been ordered by said resolution.

The following amendment, reported from the Committee of the Whole

House on the state of the Union, was agreed to:

Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert:

SECTION 1. DEFINITIONS.

In this Act, the following definitions apply:

(1) ROUTE 66 CORRIDOR.—The term "Route 66 corridor" means structures and other cultural resources described in paragraph (3), including—

(A) lands owned by the Federal Government and lands owned by a State or local government within the immediate vicinity of those portions of the highway formerly designated as United States Route 66; and

(B) private land within that immediate vicinity that is owned by persons or entities that are willing to participate in the programs authorized by this Act.

(2) CULTURAL RESOURCE PROGRAMS.—The term "Cultural Resource Programs" means the programs established and administered by the National Park Service for the benefit of and in support of preservation of the Route 66 corridor, either directly or indirectly.

(3) PRESERVATION OF THE ROUTE 66 CORRIDOR.—The term "preservation of the Route 66 corridor" means the preservation or restoration of structures or other cultural resources of businesses, sites of interest, and other contributing resources that—

(A) are located within the land described in paragraph (1);

(B) existed during the route's period of outstanding historic significance (principally between 1926 and 1970), as defined by the study prepared by the National Park Service and entitled "Special Resource Study of Route 66", dated July 1995; and

(C) remain in existence as of the date of enactment of this Act.

(4) SECRETARY.—The term "Secretary" means the Secretary of the Interior, acting through the Cultural Resource Programs at the National Park Service.

(5) STATE.—The term "State" means a State in which a portion of the Route 66 corridor is located.

SEC. 2. MANAGEMENT.

(a) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary, in collaboration with the entities described in subsection (c), shall facilitate the development of guidelines and a program of technical assistance and grants that will set priorities for the preservation of the Route 66 corridor.

(b) DESIGNATION OF OFFICIALS.—The Secretary shall designate officials of the National Park Service stationed at locations convenient to the States to perform the functions of the Cultural Resource Programs under this Act.

(c) GENERAL FUNCTIONS.—The Secretary shall—

(1) support efforts of State and local public and private persons, nonprofit Route 66 preservation entities, Indian tribes, State Historic Preservation Offices, and entities in the States for the preservation of the Route 66 corridor by providing technical assistance, participating in cost-sharing programs, and making grants;

(2) act as a clearinghouse for communication among Federal, State, and local agencies, nonprofit Route 66 preservation entities, Indian tribes, State historic preservation offices, and private persons and entities interested in the preservation of the Route 66 corridor; and

(3) assist the States in determining the appropriate form of and establishing and supporting a non-Federal entity or entities to perform the functions of the Cultural Resource Programs after those programs are terminated.

(d) AUTHORITIES.—In carrying out this Act, the Secretary may—

(1) enter into cooperative agreements, including (but not limited to) cooperative agreements for study, planning, preservation, rehabilitation, and restoration related to the Route 66 corridor;

(2) accept donations of funds, equipment, supplies, and services as appropriate;

(3) provide cost-share grants for projects for the preservation of the Route 66 corridor (but not to exceed 50 percent of total project costs) and information about existing cost-share opportunities;

(4) provide technical assistance in historic preservation and interpretation of the Route 66 corridor; and

(5) coordinate, promote, and stimulate research by other persons and entities regarding the Route 66 corridor.

(e) PRESERVATION ASSISTANCE.—

(1) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary shall provide assistance in the preservation of the Route 66 corridor in a manner that is compatible with the idiosyncratic nature of the Route 66 corridor.

(2) PLANNING.—The Secretary shall not prepare or require preparation of an overall management plan for the Route 66 corridor, but shall cooperate with the States and local public and private persons and entities, State historic preservation offices, nonprofit Route 66 preservation entities, and Indian tribes in developing local preservation plans to guide efforts to protect the most important or representative resources of the Route 66 corridor.

SEC. 3. RESOURCE TREATMENT.

(a) TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM.—

(1) PROGRAM REQUIRED.—The Secretary shall develop a program of technical assistance in the preservation of the Route 66 corridor and interpretation of the Route 66 corridor.

(2) PROGRAM GUIDELINES.—As part of the technical assistance program under paragraph (1), the Secretary shall establish guidelines for setting priorities for preservation needs for the Route 66 corridor. The Secretary shall base the guidelines on the Secretary's standards for historic preservation.

(b) PROGRAM FOR COORDINATION OF ACTIVITIES.—

(1) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary shall coordinate a program of historic research, curation, preservation strategies, and the collection of oral and video histories of events that occurred along the Route 66 corridor.

(2) DESIGN.—The program under paragraph (1) shall be designed for continuing use and implementation by other organizations after the Cultural Resource Programs are terminated.

SEC. 4. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.

There are authorized to be appropriated \$10,000,000 for the period of fiscal years 2000 through 2009 to carry out the purposes of this Act.

The bill, as amended, was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, was read a third time by title.

The question being put, *viva voce*, Will the House pass said bill?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. STEARNS, announced that the yeas had it.

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

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

¶73.12 NATIONAL HISTORIC TRAIL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. STEARNS, pursuant to House Resolution 232 and rule XVIII, declared the

House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 791) to amend the National Trails System Act to designate the route of the War of 1812 British invasion of Maryland and Washington, District of Columbia, and the route of the American defense, for study for potential addition to the national trails system.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. STEARNS, by unanimous consent, designated Mr. BONILLA as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole; and after some time spent therein,

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. STEARNS, assumed the Chair.

When Mr. BONILLA, Chairman, pursuant to House Resolution 231, reported the bill back to the House with an amendment adopted by the Committee.

The previous question having been ordered by said resolution.

The following amendment, reported from the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union, was agreed to:

Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert:

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the "Star-Spangled Banner National Historic Trail Study Act of 1999".

SEC. 2. FINDINGS.

Congress finds that—

(1) the British invasion of Maryland and Washington, District of Columbia, during the War of 1812 marks a defining period in the history of our Nation, the only occasion on which the United States of America has been invaded by a foreign power;

(2) the Star-Spangled Banner National Historic Trail traces the arrival of the British fleet in the Patuxent River in Calvert County and St. Mary's County, Maryland, the landing of British forces at Benedict, the sinking of the Chesapeake Flotilla at Pig Point in Prince George's County and Anne Arundel County, Maryland, the American defeat at the Battle of Bladensburg, the siege of the Nation's Capital, Washington, District of Columbia (including the burning of the United States Capitol and the White House), the British naval diversions in the upper Chesapeake Bay leading to the Battle of Caulk's Field in Kent County, Maryland, the route of the American troops from Washington through Georgetown, the Maryland Counties of Montgomery, Howard, and Baltimore, and the city of Baltimore, Maryland, to the Battle of North Point, and the ultimate victory of the Americans at Fort McHenry on September 14, 1814, where a distinguished Maryland lawyer and poet, Francis Scott Key, wrote the words that captured the essence of our national struggle for independence, words that now serve as our national anthem, the Star-Spangled Banner; and

(3) the designation of this route as a national historic trail—

(A) would serve as a reminder of the importance of the concept of liberty to all who experience the Star-Spangled Banner National Historic Trail; and

(B) would give long overdue recognition to the patriots whose determination to stand firm against enemy invasion and bombardment preserved this liberty for future generations of Americans.

SEC. 3. DESIGNATION OF TRAIL FOR STUDY.

Section 5(c) of the National Trails System Act (16 U.S.C. 1244(c)) is amended—

(1) by redesignating paragraph (36) (as added by section 3 of the El Camino Real

Para Los Texas Study Act of 1993 (107 Stat. 1497)) as paragraph (37) and in subparagraph (C) by striking "determine" and inserting "determine";

(2) by designating the paragraphs relating to the Old Spanish Trail and the Great Western Scenic Trail as paragraphs (38) and (39), respectively; and

(3) by adding at the end the following:

"(40) STAR-SPANGLED BANNER NATIONAL HISTORIC TRAIL.—

"(A) IN GENERAL.—The Star-Spangled Banner National Historic Trail, tracing the War of 1812 route from the arrival of the British fleet in the Patuxent River in Calvert County and St. Mary's County, Maryland, the landing of the British forces at Benedict, the sinking of the Chesapeake Flotilla at Pig Point, the American defeat at the Battle of Bladensburg, the siege of the Nation's Capital, Washington, District of Columbia (including the burning of the United States Capitol and the White House), the British naval diversions in the upper Chesapeake Bay leading to the Battle of Caulk's Field in Kent County, Maryland, the route of the American troops from Washington through Georgetown, the Maryland Counties of Montgomery, Howard, and Baltimore, and the city of Baltimore, Maryland, to the Battle of North Point, and the ultimate victory of the Americans at Fort McHenry on September 14, 1814.

"(B) AFFECTED AREAS.—The trail crosses 8 counties within the boundaries of the State of Maryland, the city of Baltimore, Maryland, and Washington, District of Columbia.

"(C) COORDINATION WITH OTHER CONGRESSIONALLY MANDATED ACTIVITIES.—The study under this paragraph shall be undertaken in coordination with the study authorized under section 603 of the Omnibus Parks and Public Lands Management Act of 1996 (16 U.S.C. 1a-5 note; 110 Stat. 4172) and the Chesapeake Bay Gateways and Watertrails Network authorized under the Chesapeake Bay Initiative Act of 1998 (16 U.S.C. 461 note; 112 Stat. 2961). Such coordination shall extend to any research needed to complete the studies and any findings and implementation actions that result from the studies and shall use available resources to the greatest extent possible to avoid unnecessary duplication of effort.

"(D) DEADLINE FOR STUDY.—Not later than 2 years after funds are made available for the study under this paragraph, the study shall be completed and transmitted with final recommendations to the Committee on Resources in the House of Representatives and the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources in the Senate."

The bill, as amended, was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, was read a third time by title.

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House pass said bill?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. STEARNS, announced that the yeas had it.

So the bill was passed.

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

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

¶73.13 PERMISSION TO FILE REPORT

On motion of Mr. GOODLING, by unanimous consent, the Committee on Education and the Workforce was granted permission until 3:00 p.m. on Friday, July 9, 1999, to file a report on the bill (H.R. 1995) to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act

of 1965 to empower teachers, improve student achievement through high-quality professional development for teachers, reauthorize the Reading Excellence Act, and for other purposes.

¶73.14 WORLD WAR II VETERANS PARK AT GREAT KILLS

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. STEARNS, pursuant to House Resolution 231 and rule XVIII, declared the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 592) to redesignate Great Kills Park in the Gateway National Recreation Area as "World War II Veterans Park at Great Kills".

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. STEARNS, by unanimous consent, designated Mr. BONILLA as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole; and after some time spent therein,

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. STEARNS, assumed the Chair.

When Mr. BONILLA, Chairman, pursuant to House Resolution 231, reported the bill back to the House with an amendment adopted by the Committee.

The previous question having been ordered by said resolution.

The following amendment, reported from the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union, was agreed to:

Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert:

SECTION 1. DESIGNATION OF PORTION OF GATEWAY NATIONAL RECREATION AREA AS WORLD WAR VETERANS PARK AT MILLER FIELD.

Section 3(b) of Public Law 92-592 (16 U.S.C. 460cc-2(b)) is amended—

(1) by inserting "(1)" after "(b)"; and
(2) by adding at the end the following new paragraph:

"(2) The portion of the Staten Island Unit of the recreation area known as Miller Field is hereby designated as 'World War Veterans Park at Miller Field'. Any reference to such Miller Field in any law, regulation, map, document, record, or other paper of the United States shall be considered to be a reference to 'World War Veterans Park at Miller Field'."

The bill, as amended, was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, was read a third time by title.

The question being put, viva voce,
Will the House pass said bill?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. STEARNS, announced that the yeas had it.

So the bill was passed.

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

By unanimous consent, the title was amended so as to read: "An Act to designate a portion of Gateway National Recreation Area as 'World War Veterans Park at Miller Field'."

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

¶73.15 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.

¶73.16 MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT—
GENERALIZED SYSTEM OF
PREFERENCES REGARDING GABON AND
MONGOLIA

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

To the Congress of the United States:

The Generalized System of Preferences (GSP) offers duty-free treatment to specified products that are imported from designated beneficiary developing countries. The GSP is authorized by title V of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended.

I have determined, based on a consideration of the eligibility criteria in title V, that Gabon and Mongolia should be added to the list of beneficiary developing countries under the GSP.

I have also determined that the suspension of preferential treatment for Mauritania as a beneficiary developing country under the GSP, as reported in my letters to the Speaker of the House and President of the Senate of June 25, 1993, should be ended. I had determined to suspend Mauritania from the GSP because Mauritania had not taken or was not taking steps to afford internationally recognized worker rights. I have determined that circumstances in Mauritania have changed and that, based on a consideration of the eligibility criteria in title V, preferential treatment under the GSP for Mauritania as a least-developed beneficiary developing country should be restored.

This message is submitted in accordance with the requirements of title V of the Trade Act of 1974.

WILLIAM J. CLINTON.

THE WHITE HOUSE, June 30, 1999.

By unanimous consent, the message, together with the accompanying papers, was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered to be printed (H. Doc. 106-88).

¶73.17 RECESS—7:40 P.M.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. COOKSEY, pursuant to clause 12 of rule I, declared the House in recess at 7 o'clock and 40 minutes p.m., subject to the call of the Chair.

¶73.18 AFTER RECESS—10:18 P.M.

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

¶73.19 WAIVING POINTS OF ORDER
AGAINST THE CONFERENCE REPORT TO
H.R. 775

Mr. SESSIONS, by direction of the Committee on Rules, reported (Rept. No. 106-213) the resolution (H. Res. 234) waiving points of order against the conference report to accompany the bill (H.R. 775) to establish certain procedures for civil actions brought for damages relating to the failure of any device or system to process or otherwise deal with the transition from the year 1999 to the year 2000, and for other purposes.

When said resolution and report were referred to the House Calendar and ordered printed.

¶73.20 PROVIDING FOR THE
CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 10

Mr. SESSIONS, by direction of the Committee on Rules, reported (Rept. No. 106-214) the resolution (H. Res. 235) providing for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 10) to enhance competition in the financial services industry by providing a prudential framework for the affiliation of banks, securities firms, and other financial service providers, and for other purposes.

When said resolution and report were referred to the House Calendar and ordered printed.

¶73.21 PROVIDING FOR THE
CONSIDERATION OF A CONCURRENT
RESOLUTION—ADJOURNMENT OF THE
TWO HOUSES

Mr. SESSIONS, by direction of the Committee on Rules, reported (Rept. No. 106-215) the resolution (H. Res. 236) providing for the consideration of the concurrent resolution providing for adjournment of the House and Senate for the Independence Day district work period.

When said resolution and report were referred to the House Calendar and ordered printed.

And then,

¶73.22 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. SESSIONS, at 10 o'clock and 19 minutes p.m., the House adjourned.

¶73.23 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 234. Resolution waiving points of order against the conference report to accompany the bill (H.R. 775) to establish certain procedures for civil actions brought for damages relating to the failure of any device or system to process or otherwise deal with the transition from the year 1999 to the year 2000, and for other purposes (Rept. No. 106-213). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. SESSIONS: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 235. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 10) to enhance competition in the financial services industry by providing a prudential framework for the affiliation of banks, securities firms, and other financial service providers, and for other purposes. (Rept. No. 106-214). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. REYNOLDS: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 236. Resolution providing for consideration of a concurrent resolution providing for adjournment of the House and Senate for the Independence Day district work period (Rept. No. 106-215). Referred to the House Calendar.

¶73.24 PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. DEAL of Georgia (for himself, Mr. BOYD, Ms. DUNN, Mr. TURNER, Mr.

PETERSON of Pennsylvania, and Mr. THOMPSON of California):

H.R. 2389. A bill to restore stability and predictability to the annual payments made to States and counties containing National Forest System lands and public domain lands managed by the Bureau of Land Management for use by the counties for the benefit of public schools, roads, and other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, and in addition to the Committee on Resources, 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. MARTINEZ (for himself, Mr. CLAY, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. OWENS, Mr. PAYNE, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. ROEMER, Mr. SCOTT, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. KIND, Ms. SANCHEZ, Mr. FORD, Mr. KUCINICH, and Mr. WU):

H.R. 2390. A bill to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to create small, manageable, accountable classrooms with qualified teachers; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and in addition to the Committee on Armed Services, 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. JACKSON of Illinois (for himself, Mr. NORWOOD, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. WU, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. STARK, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. FILNER, Mr. FALCOMA, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. HINCHAY, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. FORD, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Ms. LEE, Ms. PELOSI, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. SCOTT, Ms. NORTON, Mr. CLAY, Mr. OWENS, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. WYNN, Mr. RUSH, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. MEEKS of New York, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Ms. WATERS, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, Mr. BISHOP, Ms. CARSON, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. REYES, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. DIXON, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. WATT of North Carolina, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. NADLER, Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. LANTOS, Ms. KAPTUR, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. ORTIZ, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, and Mr. BECERRA):

H.R. 2391. A bill to establish a National Center for Research on Domestic Health Disparities; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. TALENT (for himself, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mrs. KELLY, and Ms. VELAZQUEZ):

H.R. 2392. A bill to amend the Small Business Act to extend the authorization for the Small Business Innovation Research Program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Small Business, and in addition to the Committee on Science, 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. BAIRD:

H.R. 2393. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide disaster relief for homeowners; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. CHAMBLISS:

H.R. 2394. A bill to provide wage parity for certain Department of Defense prevailing rate employees in Georgia; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. COMBEST (for himself, Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. EWING, Mr. SCHAFER, Mrs. CHENOWETH, Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma, Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mr. ROEMER, Mr. ETHERIDGE, Mr. EVANS, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. JENKINS, Mr. THUNE, Mr. OSE, Mr. DICKEY, and Mr. LAHOOD):

H.R. 2395. A bill to amend the Agricultural Market Transition Act to extend through fiscal year 2002 the authority for the advance payment, in full, of the payments required under production flexibility contracts; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. CUNNINGHAM (for himself, Mr. GOSS, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. PITTS, Mr. COLLINS, Mr. RILEY, Mr. PAUL, Mr. GARY MILLER of California, and Mr. TIAHRT):

H.R. 2396. A bill to provide that the Davis-Bacon Act shall not apply to contracts for the construction and repair of schools and libraries; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Ms. DELAURO (for herself, Mr. GEPHARDT, Ms. NORTON, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Ms. PELOSI, Mrs. LOWEY, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. OLVER, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. FROST, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. STARK, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. NADLER, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. MCNULTY, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. LUTHER, Mr. LANTOS, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. ALLEN, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. BALDACCIO, Mr. WEYGAND, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. MEEHAN, Ms. ESHOO, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. SHOWS, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. BROWN of California, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. WYNN, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. WEINER, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. HOEFFEL, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. FORD, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. INSLEE, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. STRICKLAND, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. PHELPS, Mr. COYNE, Mr. HOYER, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. FALCOMA, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. PALLONE, Ms. LEE, Mr. PASTOR, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. VENTO, Ms. CARSON, Mr. MOORE, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. KLECZKA, Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. SNEYDER, Mr. FILNER, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. BAIRD, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. LARSON, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Ms. WATERS, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. HINCHAY, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. WATT of North Carolina, Mr. UDALL of New Mexico,

Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. HOLT, Mr. WU, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Ms. SANCHEZ, Mr. RUSH, Mr. DEUTSCH, Ms. LOFGREN, and Mr. CLYBURN):

H.R. 2397. A bill to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to provide more effective remedies to victims of discrimination in the payment of wages on the basis of sex, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. DELAY:

H.R. 2398. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to clarify certain existing limitations on private business use of facilities financed with tax-exempt bonds; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. GEKAS:

H.R. 2399. A bill to establish a commission to recommend a strategy for the global eradication of disease; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut:

H.R. 2400. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to modify the low-income housing credit; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. LAZIO (for himself, Mr. LEACH, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, and Mr. SHERMAN):

H.R. 2401. A bill to amend the U.S. Holocaust Assets Commission Act of 1998 to extend the period by which the final report is due and to authorize additional funding; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky (for himself, Mr. ENGLISH, Ms. DUNN, Mr. CAMP, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. PAUL, and Mrs. NORTHUP):

H.R. 2402. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to establish a 15-year recovery period for franchise property, to provide a shorter recovery period for the depreciation of certain leasehold improvements, to allow capital gain treatment on the transfer of a franchise in connection with the transfer of an existing business, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MANZULLO:

H.R. 2403. A bill to provide for payment in December 1999 of Social Security benefits otherwise payable in January 2000; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MURTHA:

H.R. 2404. A bill to protect the privacy of individuals by ensuring the confidentiality of information contained in their medical records and health-care-related information, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, 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. PELOSI (for herself, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. BENTSEN, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. BORSKI, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. CLAY, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. DEFAZIO, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. DELAHUNT, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. DIXON, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. FALCOMA, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. FROST, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. HINCHAY, Mr. HORN, Mrs. JACKSON of Illinois, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mrs. KELLY, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Ms. LOFGREN, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. MCGOVERN, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. MEEHAN, Mrs. MEEK of Florida,

Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. NADLER, Ms. NORTON, Mr. OLVER, Ms. RIVERS, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. SERRANO, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. STARK, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. TOWNS, Ms. WATERS, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. WEINER, Mr. WEXLER, Ms. WOOLSEY, and Mr. WYNN):

H.R. 2405. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to promote activities for the prevention of additional cases of infection with the virus commonly known as HIV; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. RANGEL (for himself, Mr. STARK, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. COYNE, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. TANNER, Mr. BECERRA, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. DOGGETT, and Mr. REYES):

H.R. 2406. A bill to reauthorize the Trade Adjustment Assistance program through fiscal year 2001; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. RIVERS:

H.R. 2407. A bill to amend the Toxic Substances Control Act to establish certain requirements regarding the approval of facilities for the disposal of polychlorinated biphenyls, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

H.R. 2408. A bill to require the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to prescribe a rule that prohibits the importation for disposal of polychlorinated biphenyls at concentrations of 50 parts per million or greater; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. RODRIGUEZ:

H.R. 2409. A bill to amend the National Trails System Act to designate El Camino Real de los Tejas as a National Historic Trail; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. ROGAN (for himself, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. GRAHAM, Mrs. BONO, and Mr. CANNON):

H.R. 2410. A bill to amend the Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act of 1994 to earmark not less than \$150,000,000 for grants to reduce drug-related transactions and drug use in the one-mile areas surrounding elementary and secondary schools; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. ROYCE:

H.R. 2411. A bill to abolish the Department of Energy; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Armed Services, Science, Government Reform, Rules, and Resources, 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. SOUDER:

H.R. 2412. A bill to designate the Federal building and United States courthouse located at 1300 South Harrison Street in Fort Wayne, Indiana, as the "E. Ross Adair Federal Building and United States Courthouse"; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma:

H. Res. 237. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives with regard to fibromyalgia; to the Committee on Commerce.

73.25 MEMORIALS

Under clause 3 of rule XII, memorials were presented and referred as follows:

148. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Missouri, relative to Senate Concurrent Resolution

No. 14 memorializing the President of the United States and Missouri's Congressional delegation to recognize the effort and resources expended by Missouri to promote and protect its interest throughout the litigation and negotiation of claims against the tobacco industry; to the Committee on Commerce.

149. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Maine, relative to H.P. 1157 memorializing the President of the United States and the Congress to pass the important and far-reaching legislation that would help the elderly and, in turn, all Americans; jointly to the Committees on Commerce and Ways and Means.

73.26 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 8: Mr. COBURN, Mr. DELAY, and Mr. FOSSELLA.

H.R. 82: Mr. DEUTSCH and Mr. OBERSTAR.

H.R. 116: Mr. THOMPSON of California.

H.R. 215: Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 323: Mr. DEAL of Georgia and Mr. WAMP.

H.R. 380: Mrs. KELLY and Mr. SISISKY.

H.R. 407: Mr. TANCREDO.

H.R. 413: Mr. BERMAN.

H.R. 525: Mr. UDALL of New Mexico, Mr. PASTOR, and Ms. BALDWIN.

H.R. 681: Mr. HERGER.

H.R. 725: Mr. POMEROY and Mr. PRICE of North Carolina.

H.R. 732: Mrs. TAUSCHER and Ms. CARSON.

H.R. 743: Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma.

H.R. 750: Mr. WATT of North Carolina.

H.R. 765: Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. BRYANT, and Mr. GORDON.

H.R. 776: Mr. FATTAH.

H.R. 815: Mr. HASTERT, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. FOLEY, and Mr. CANADY of Florida.

H.R. 828: Mr. COSTELLO.

H.R. 876: Mr. KOLBE.

H.R. 900: Mr. WEINER and Mr. MARTINEZ.

H.R. 925: Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. HALL of Ohio, Ms. STABENOW, and Mr. MURTHA.

H.R. 997: Mr. SANDERS, Mr. LUTHER, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. KLINK, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. WISE, and Mr. SISISKY.

H.R. 1006: Mr. CRANE.

H.R. 1081: Mr. UDALL of New Mexico.

H.R. 1082: Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts.

H.R. 1105: Mrs. CAPPS.

H.R. 1106: Mr. ISAKSON.

H.R. 1127: Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas.

H.R. 1130: Mrs. KELLY, Mr. BALDACCI, and Mr. PASTOR.

H.R. 1163: Mr. SANDERS, Mr. WU, Mr. MCGOVERN, and Mr. GUTIERREZ.

H.R. 1168: Mr. GIBBONS and Mr. MURTHA.

H.R. 1190: Mr. MORAN of Virginia and Mr. COSTELLO.

H.R. 1195: Mr. WATKINS, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. DIXON, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. HOBSON, Mr. RADANOVICH, and Mr. PICKETT.

H.R. 1332: Mr. CAPUANO.

H.R. 1358: Mr. KUYKENDALL and Mr. DUNCAN.

H.R. 1433: Mr. FOLEY and Mr. GREEN of Texas.

H.R. 1463: Mrs. ROUKEMA.

H.R. 1478: Ms. WATERS, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. GUTIERREZ, and Mr. TRAFICANT.

H.R. 1487: Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. GOSS, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. HILL of Montana, Mr. WALDEN of Oregon, Mr. HEFLEY, and Mr. SCHAFFER.

H.R. 1503: Mr. GARY MILLER of California and Mr. BERUTER.

H.R. 1525: Mr. DIXON, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr.

GEORGE MILLER of California, and Mr. GEJDENSON.

H.R. 1531: Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas and Mr. PASTOR.

H.R. 1592: Mr. QUINN, Mr. PICKERING, and Mr. PHELPS.

H.R. 1598: Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. BOEHNER, and Mr. MORAN of Virginia.

H.R. 1620: Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. JENKINS, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. ROGAN, and Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina.

H.R. 1622: Mr. LUTHER, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. SHAYS, and Mr. CASTLE.

H.R. 1629: Mr. KLINK, Mr. PAYNE, and Mr. HAYES.

H.R. 1660: Mr. CLAY, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. LARSON, Mr. VENTO, Mr. HOFFFEL, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. EVANS, Mr. CRAMER, Ms. LEE, Mr. HOYER, and Mr. FALBOMAVAEGA.

H.R. 1702: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY.

H.R. 1786: Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri, Mr. HOLT, and Mr. PASTOR.

H.R. 1792: Mrs. THURMAN.

H.R. 1798: Mr. UPTON.

H.R. 1837: Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. GIBBONS, Mr. OSE, Mr. COOK, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Ms. BERKLEY, and Mr. COMBEST.

H.R. 1842: Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York.

H.R. 1848: Mr. MCGOVERN and Mr. SNYDER.

H.R. 1849: Ms. LEE, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. COOK, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. CUMMINGS, Ms. SANCHEZ, and Mr. McDERMOTT.

H.R. 1867: Mrs. EMERSON.

H.R. 1922: Mr. STUMP.

H.R. 1932: Mr. HILL of Montana, Mr. LAMPSON, and Mr. BLAGOJEVICH.

H.R. 1933: Mr. PITTS.

H.R. 1950: Mr. FROST and Mr. LAFALCE.

H.R. 1977: Mrs. THURMAN.

H.R. 1990: Mr. NEY.

H.R. 1998: Mr. SABO and Mr. CANADY of Florida.

H.R. 1999: Mr. HAYWORTH.

H.R. 2015: Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. FROST, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, and Mr. GEJDENSON.

H.R. 2028: Mr. BRADY of Texas and Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas.

H.R. 2060: Mr. LAHOOD.

H.R. 2088: Mr. SANFORD.

H.R. 2097: Mrs. KELLY, Mr. KING, Mr. STUMP, Mr. REGULA, and Mr. CUNNINGHAM.

H.R. 2120: Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. DIXON, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. LAMPSON, Ms. LEE, Ms. LOFGREN, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Ms. NORTON, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. SAWYER, Ms. SLAUGHTER, and Mr. WEINER.

H.R. 2121: Mr. HOLT, Mr. SAWYER, and Ms. MCKINNEY.

H.R. 2136: Mr. ENGLISH.

H.R. 2156: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY.

H.R. 2159: Ms. DUNN.

H.R. 2172: Mr. SOUDER and Mr. GARY MILLER of California.

H.R. 2221: Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. SOUDER, and Mr. PITTS.

H.R. 2243: Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. TANCREDO, and Mr. HALL of Texas.

H.R. 2260: Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. GIBBONS, Mr. MORAN of Kansas, Mr. COBLE, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. TALENT, Mr. TAUZIN, Mr. NORWOOD, and Mr. JONES of North Carolina.

H.R. 2265: Mr. SHAYS, Mr. QUINN, Mr. BOEHLETT, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. NADLER, and Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

H.R. 2277: Mr. THOMPSON of California, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. DIXON, and Mrs. NAPOLITANO.

H.R. 2283: Mr. WYNN, Mr. ANDREWS, and Mr. STUPAK.

H.R. 2286: Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island and Mr. BARCIA.
 H.R. 2301: Mr. NORWOOD.
 H.R. 2355: Mr. FOLEY.
 H.J. Res. 48: Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. DICKEY, Mr. ROGAN, and Mr. WATKINS.
 H. Con. Res. 38: Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Mr. SANDLIN, and Mrs. CHRISTENSEN.
 H. Con. Res. 62: Mr. LOBIONDO.
 H. Con. Res. 70: Mr. FILNER, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. BENTSEN, and Mr. TURNER.
 H. Con. Res. 78: Ms. PELOSI and Mr. DAVIS of Illinois.
 H. Con. Res. 117: Mr. PORTER and Mr. DEUTSCH.
 H. Con. Res. 118: Mr. STUPAK, Mr. McNULTY, and Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut.
 H. Con. Res. 128: Mr. SHAW, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, and Mr. SHAYS.
 H. Con. Res. 130: Mr. SHERMAN.
 H. Con. Res. 145: Mr. DIXON, Mr. MEEKS of New York, Mr. ROEMER, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. BERMAN, and Mr. MCGOVERN.
 H. Res. 41: Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma.
 H. Res. 146: Ms. LOFGREN and Mr. SANDLIN.
 H. Res. 187: Mr. HOLT and Mr. PORTER.
 H. Res. 214: Mr. HALL of Texas.

¶73.27 PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 3 of rule XII, petitions and papers were laid on the clerk's desk and referred as follows:

26. The SPEAKER presented a petition of Kirkwood Elementary School District, Tehama, CA, relative to Resolution No. 98/99-06 petitioning Congress, to continue statutory levels of state funding for special education and to permit increased federal funding for IDEA; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

27. Also, a petition of Dixon Unified School District, Dixon, California, relative to Resolution 99-1148 petitioning Congress to pay 40 percent of the costs of special education or remove federal mandates requiring the provision of these services; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

28. Also, a petition of Municipal Council of the Borough of Ringwood, New Jersey, relative to Resolution No. 99-141 petitioning Congress to request federal assistance in committing Joanne Chesimard returned to jail in the United States, and support H. Con. Res 254; to the Committee on International Relations.

29. Also, a petition of the Municipal Council of the Township of Woodbridge, NJ, relative to House Resolution 1168 petitioning Congress to enact H.R. 1168; jointly to the Committees on Science and Transportation and Infrastructure.

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¶74.1 APPOINTMENT OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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

WASHINGTON, DC,
 July 1, 1999.

I hereby appoint the Honorable THOMAS W. EWING to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

J. DENNIS HASTERT,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

¶74.2 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. EWING, announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Wednesday, June 30, 1999.

Ms. ESHOO, pursuant to clause 1, rule I, objected to the Chair's approval of the Journal.

The question being put, viva voce, Will the House agree to the Chair's approval of said Journal?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. EWING, announced that the yeas had it.

Ms. ESHOO objected to the vote on the ground that a quorum was not present and not voting.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. EWING, pursuant to clause 8, rule XX, announced that the vote would be postponed until later today.

The point of no quorum was considered as withdrawn.

¶74.3 COMMUNICATIONS

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

2817. A letter from the Acting Executive Director, Commodity Futures Trading Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Recordkeeping—received June 4, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2818. A letter from the Acting Executive Director, Commodity Futures Trading Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Economic and Public Interest Requirements for Contract Market Designation—received June 4, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2819. A letter from the Acting Executive Director, Commodity Futures Trading Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Representations and Disclosures Required by Certain IBs, CPOs and CTAs—received June 3, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2820. A letter from the Under Secretary, Rural Development, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Community Programs Guaranteed Loans (RIN: 0575-AC17) received May 20, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2821. A letter from the Manager, Federal Crop Insurance Corporation, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Group Risk Plan of Insurance (RIN: 0563-AB06) received June 14, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2822. A letter from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Program to Assess Organic Certifying Agencies [Docket Number LS-99-04] (RIN: 0581-AB58) received June 14, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2823. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of the Treasury, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to authorize the transfer of certain resources to the Enhanced Structural Adjustment Facility/Heavily Indebted Poor Countries Trust Fund; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

2824. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP); Determining the Write-Your-Own Expense Allowance (RIN: 3067-AC92) received June 4, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

2825. A letter from the General Counsel, National Credit Union Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Share Insurance and Appendix—received June 14, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C.

801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

2826. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's final rule—Special Education—Training and Information for Parents of Children with Disabilities—received June 7, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

2827. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's final rule—William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan Program (RIN: 1840-AC57) received June 7, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

2828. A letter from the Acting Assistant General Counsel for Regulatory Law, Department of Energy, transmitting the Department's final rule—Alternative Fuel Transportation Program; Biodiesel Fuel Use Credit [Docket No. EE-RM-99-BIOD] (RIN: 1904-AB-00) received June 1, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

2829. 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 June 7, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

2830. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Retirement Thrift Investment Board, transmitting the Board's final rule—Expansion and Continuation of Thrift Savings Plan Eligibility; Death Benefits; Methods of Withdrawing Funds from the Thrift Savings Plan; and Miscellaneous Regulations—received June 7, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

2831. A letter from the Director, Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Determination of Endangered Status for the Plant *Eriogonum apricum* (inclusive of vars. *apricum* and *prostratum*) (Ione Buckwheat) and Threatened Status for the Plant *Arctostaphylos myrtilifolia* (Ione Manzanita) (RIN: 1018-AE25) received May 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

2832. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Migratory Bird Hunting; Withdrawal of Regulations Designed to Reduce the Mid-Continent Light Goose Population (RIN: 1018-AF05) received June 14, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

2833. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Commerce, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation which would reauthorize and amend the National Marine Sanctuaries Act; to the Committee on Resources.

2834. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Bycatch Rate Standards for the Second Half of 1999 [Docket No. 961107312-7021-02; I.D. 052499E] received June 7, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

2835. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Deep-water Species Fishery by Vessels using Trawl Gear in the Gulf of Alaska [Docket