

H.R. 1720: Mr. FROST, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, Mr. WEINER, and Ms. SCHAKOWSKY.  
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 H.R. 1726: Mr. FROST, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, Mr. WEINER, and Ms. SCHAKOWSKY.  
 H.R. 1731: Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. LARGENT, and Mr. THOMPSON of California.  
 H.R. 1732: Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota.  
 H.R. 1750: Mr. BLAGOJEVICH.  
 H.R. 1791: Mrs. THURMAN.  
 H.R. 1827: Mr. CALVERT.  
 H.R. 1830: Mr. PASTOR.  
 H.R. 1840: Mr. IASAKSON.  
 H.R. 1841: Mr. MCGOVERN.  
 H.R. 1850: Mr. BORSKI.  
 H.R. 1886: Mr. SANDLIN.  
 H.R. 1885: Mr. BALDACCI.  
 H.R. 1887: Ms. PELSOL, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, and Mr. SHERMAN.  
 H.R. 1907: Mr. DOOLEY of California.  
 H.R. 1912: Mr. WOLF.  
 H.R. 1929: Mr. GUTIERREZ.  
 H.R. 1932: Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. BISHOP, Mr. COOK, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. NADLER, and Mr. GUTIERREZ.  
 H.R. 1976: Mr. KUYKENDALL.  
 H.R. 2004: Mr. SHOWS.  
 H.R. 2028: Mr. POMBO, Mr. PAUL, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Mr. DEMINT, Mr. TANCREDO, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. CHABOT, and Mr. TERRY.  
 H.R. 2056: Mr. ENGLISH and Mr. CANNON.  
 H.R. 2124: Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. PAUL and Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania.  
 H.R. 2202: Mr. DINGELL, Mr. SANDERS and Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA.  
 H.R. 2204: Mr. KUCINICH.  
 H.R. 2221: Mr. SUNUNU, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. POMBO, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Mr. MANZULLO and Mr. WHITEFIELD.  
 H.R. 2258: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY.  
 H.R. 2260: Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas and Mr. UPTON.  
 H.R. 2282: Mr. CANADY of Florida and Ms. DANNER.  
 H.R. 2283: Mr. SHOWS.  
 H.R. 2306: Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island.  
 H.R. 2337: Ms. RIVERS.  
 H.R. 2386: Mr. CONYERS.  
 H.R. 2405: Mr. LEE and Mr. OWENS.  
 H.R. 2418: Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. FROST, Mr. BENTSEN, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. WALDEN of Oregon, Mr. BACHUS, and Mr. KLEZKA.  
 H.R. 2419: Mrs. NORTHUP, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. FOLEY, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. SUNUNU, Mrs. KELLY, and Mr. METCALF.  
 H.R. 2436: Mr. BLILEY and Mr. SHOWS.  
 H.R. 2444: Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island.  
 H.R. 2456: Mr. GIBBONS.  
 H.R. 2470: Mr. HILLIARD.  
 H.R. 2488: Mr. CRANE, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. MCINNIS, and Mr. HILL of Montana.  
 H.R. 2499: Ms. KAPTUR.  
 H.J. Res. 41: Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. BENTSEN, Mr. BISHOP, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. BOUCHER, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. CLAY, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. DAVIS of Florida, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. DOOLEY of California, Mr. EDWARDS, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. EVANS, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. FILNER, Mr. FORD, Mr. FROST, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. HOEFFEL, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, Mr. HORN, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. KIND, Mr. LAN-

TOS, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. MEHAN, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Ms. MILLENDER-McDONALD, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mrs. MORELLA, Ms. NORTON, Mr. OWENS, Mr. PASCARELL, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELÓ, Mr. RUSH, Mr. SABO, Ms. SANCHEZ, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. SISISKY, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. STARK, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. VENTO, Ms. WATERS, Mr. WATT of North Carolina, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. WEXLER, and Ms. WOOLSEY.  
 H.J. Res. 46: Mr. SESSIONS.  
 H.J. Res. 55: Mr. CALVERT.  
 H. Con. Res. 57: Ms. ESHOO.  
 H. Con. Res. 62: Mr. GOODE, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. SABO, Mr. MCGOVERN, and Mr. DUNCAN.  
 H. Con. Res. 79: Mr. BARTON of Texas and Mr. STEARNS.  
 H. Con. Res. 110: Mr. JENKINS, Mr. ETHERIDGE, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. NADLER, Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, Mrs. WILSON, Mr. PASTOR, and Mr. TIAHRT.  
 H. Con. Res. 124: Mr. RUSH and Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN.  
 H. Con. Res. 134: Mr. RUSH and Mr. SANDLIN.  
 H. Con. Res. 146: Mr. ENGLISH.  
 H. Res. 208: Mr. OWENS.  
 H. Res. 214: Ms. DANNER and Mr. GILCHREST.

**THURSDAY, JULY 15, 1999 (78)**

The House was called to order by the SPEAKER.

¶78.1 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Wednesday, July 14, 1999.

Mr. GIBBONS, 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 announced that the yeas had it.

Mr. GIBBONS objected to the vote on the ground that a quorum was not present and not voting.

The SPEAKER 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.

¶78.2 COMMUNICATIONS

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

3047. A letter from the President and Chairman, Export-Import Bank, transmitting notification of a transaction which involves U.S. exports to a private company in the energy sector of Russia; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

3048. A letter from the Special Assistant to the Chief, Mass Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Lordsburg and Hurley, New Mexico) [MM Docket No. 98-222 RM-9407] received July 9, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

3049. A letter from the Special Assistant to the Chief, Mass Media Bureau, Federal Com-

munications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (SHELBY and Dutton, Montana) [MM Docket No. 99-63 RM-9398] received July 9, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.  
 3050. A letter from the Special Assistant to the Chief, Mass Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Madison, Indiana) [MM Docket No. 98-105 RM-9295] received July 9, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

3051. A letter from the Special Assistant of the Chief, Mass Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.606(b), Table of Allotments, TV Broadcast Stations. (El Dorado and Camden, Arkansas) [MM Docket No. 99-45 RM-9401] received July 9, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

3052. A letter from the Special Assistant to the Chief, Mass Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Giddings and Buda, Texas) [MM Docket No. 99-69 RM-9468] received July 9, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

3053. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Fiscal Year 1996 report on the administration of the Maternal and Child Health Program; to the Committee on Commerce.

3054. A letter from the Under Secretary for Export Administration, Department of Commerce, transmitting notification that the Department of Commerce, in consultation with the Department of State, is imposing on the Portuguese Colony of Macau certain foreign policy-based export controls; to the Committee on International Relations.

3055. A letter from the Ambassador, Embassy of the State of Qatar, transmitting a letter from Mr. Mohamed bin Mubarak Al-Kholiefi, Speaker of the Advisory Council of the State of Qatar; to the Committee on International Relations.

3056. A letter from the Executive Director, District of Columbia Financial Responsibility and Management Assistance Authority, transmitting a Resolution and Order Approving Fiscal Year 2000 Financial Plan and Budget; to the Committee on Government Reform.

3057. A letter from the Secretary, Judicial Conference of the United States, transmitting the Biennial Survey of Article III Judgeship Needs in the U.S. courts of appeals and the U.S. district courts; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

3058. A letter from the Office of the Attorney General, transmitting a report containing a recommendation for continuing authorization of the State Criminal Alien Assistance Program; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

3059. A letter from the Program Analyst, Office of the Chief Counsel, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Dassault Model 2000, 900EX, and Mystere Falcon 900 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 99-NM-63-AD; Amendment 39-11218; AD 99-14-07] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received July 9, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3060. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting a report on participation, assignment, and amounts of extra billing in the Medicare program; jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and Commerce.