

H.R. 2631: Mr. PAYNE and Mr. McNULTY.
 H.R. 2644: Mr. FILNER and Mr. OBEY.
 H.R. 2655: Mr. HALL of Texas and Mr. ROYCE.
 H.R. 2722: Mr. BLUMENAUER.
 H.R. 2738: Mr. SANDERS.
 H.R. 2749: Mr. CRAMER.
 H.R. 2814: Mr. SHERMAN.
 H.R. 2882: Ms. BALDWIN.
 H.R. 2888: Mr. HORN.
 H.R. 2895: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Ms. LEE, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. GUTIERREZ, and Mr. THOMPSON of California.
 H.R. 2966: Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. COBURN, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. McHUGH, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. UNDERWOOD, and Mr. WHITFIELD.
 H.R. 2969: Ms. BALDWIN.
 H.R. 3044: Mr. KILDEE.
 H.R. 3058: Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. ENGEL, and Mr. WOLF.
 H.R. 3073: Mr. GILLMOR.
 H.R. 3076: Mr. KINGSTON and Mr. BARR of Georgia.
 H.R. 3087: Ms. BERKLEY.
 H.R. 3088: Mr. COBURN, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. PITTS, and Mr. LARGENT.
 H.R. 3091: Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. VENTO, Mr. MINGE, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. CLAY, and Mr. SMITH of New Jersey.
 H.R. 3110: Mr. EVANS.
 H.R. 3115: Mr. SPRATT and Mr. DEMINT.
 H.R. 3139: Mr. WAXMAN and Ms. SCHAKOWSKY.
 H.R. 3142: Ms. RIVERS.
 H.R. 3143: Mr. OWENS.
 H.R. 3144: Mr. FARR of California, Mr. DICKS, Mr. FILNER, Mr. DIXON, Mr. KIND, Ms. MILLENDER-McDONALD, and Ms. PELOSI.
 H.R. 3150: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY.
 H.R. 3170: Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. LINDER, and Mr. SCHAFFER.
 H.R. 3193: Mr. REYES.
 H.J. Res. 55: Mr. BLILLEY.
 H.J. Res. 56: Mr. HOUGHTON.
 H. Con. Res. 62: Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. TURNER, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. ADERHOLT, and Mr. STEARNS.
 H. Con. Res. 100: Mr. INSLEE.
 H. Con. Res. 200: Ms. MCKINNEY.
 H. Con. Res. 205: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. McHUGH, Mrs. BIGGERT, Mr. FROST, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Mr. WAXMAN, and Mr. GUTIERREZ.
 H. Con. Res. 206: Mr. ENGEL and Ms. MCKINNEY.
 H. Con. Res. 209: Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. KLECZKA, Ms. LEE, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. FALOMAVAEGA, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Mr. NADLER, and Ms. BALDWIN.
 H. Con. Res. 212: Mr. HAYES, Mr. ROGAN, Mr. RYUN of Kansas, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. HANSEN, Mrs. BONO, Mr. BURR of North Carolina, Mr. KUYKENDALL, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. BEUTER, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. TALENT, Mr. GIBBONS, Mr. SHERWOOD, Mr. RILEY, Mr. PITTS, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. McKEON, and Mr. ISAKSON.
 H. Con. Res. 218: Mr. BURR of North Carolina, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. SPRATT, Mr. TALENT, Mr. DIXON, Mr. MCGOVERN, and Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island.
 H. Res. 298: Mr. TOOMEY, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. DUNCAN, and Mr. GOODE.
 H. Res. 325: Mr. PAYNE.
 H. Res. 340: Mr. MEEKS of New York and Mr. ENGEL.

¶125.42 DELETIONS OF SPONSORS FROM PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

H.R. 872: Mr. HASTINGS of Washington.
 H.R. 1300: Mr. WEINER.
 H.R. 1832: Mr. MEEKS of New York.
 H.R. 2891: Mr. MORAN of Virginia.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 1999 (126)

The House was called to order by the SPEAKER.

¶126.1 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Wednesday, November 3, 1999.

Mr. McNULTY, 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. McNULTY 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.

¶126.2 COMMUNICATIONS

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

5176. A letter from the Acting Executive Director, Commodity Futures Trading Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Order Granting the London Clearing House's Petition for an Exemption Pursuant to Section 4(c) of the Commodity Exchange Act—received November 3, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

5177. A letter from the Acting Executive Director, Commodity Futures Trading Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Foreign Futures and Options Transactions—received November 3, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

5178. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel, Office of Student Financial Assistance, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's final rule—Student Assistance General Provisions (RIN: 1845-AA07) received November 3, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

5179. A letter from the Associate Chief, Wireless Telecommunications Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Revision of the Commission's Rules To Ensure Compatibility with Enhanced 911 Emergency Calling Systems [CC Docket No. 94-102 RM-8143] received November 3, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

5180. A letter from the Assistant Legal Adviser for Treaty Affairs, Department of State, transmitting Copies of international agreements, other than treaties, entered into by the United States, pursuant to 1 U.S.C. 112b(a); to the Committee on International Relations.

5181. A letter from the Assistant Secretary For Legislative Affairs, Department of

State, transmitting the "Initial Report of the United States of America to the UN Committee Against Torture"; to the Committee on International Relations.

5182. A letter from the Administrator, General Services Administration, transmitting the "1999 Fair Act Inventory of the General Services Administration"; to the Committee on Government Reform.

5183. A letter from the Director, Office of Surface Mining, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—North Dakota Regulatory Program [ND-038-FOR, Amendment No. XXVII] received November 3, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5184. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator For Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Revisions to Recordkeeping and Reporting Requirements [Docket No. 981224323-9226-02; I.D. 120198B] (RIN: 0648-AL23) received November 3, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5185. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Pollock by Vessels Catching Pollock for Processing by the Inshore Component in the Bering Sea Subarea [Docket No. 990304063-9063-01; I.D. 102699D] received November 3, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5186. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Eurocopter France Model AS332C, L, and L1 Helicopters [Docket No. 98-SW-59-AD; Amendment 39-11390; AD 99-22-12] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 1, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5187. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; British Aerospace Model BAe 146 and Avro 146-RJ Series Airplanes [Docket No. 99-NM-27-AD; Amendment 39-11389; AD 99-22-11] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 1, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5188. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Bell Helicopter Textron Canada (BHTC) Model 407 Helicopters [Docket No. 99-SW-07-AD; Amendment 39-11391; AD 99-22-12] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 1, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5189. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Pratt & Whitney JT8D-200 Series Turbofan Engines [Docket No. 92-ANE-15; Amendment 39-11392; AD 99-22-14] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 1, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5190. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Revision of Class E Airspace; Beaumont, TX [Airspace Docket No. 99-ASW-25] received November 1, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5191. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Revi-

sion of Class E Airspace; Hebronville, TX [Airspace Docket No. 99-ASW-24] received November 1, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5192. A letter from the Deputy Executive Secretary to the Department, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule—Medicare Program; Revisions to Payment Policies Under the Physician Fee Schedule for Calendar Year 2000 [HCFA-1065-FC] (RIN: 0938-AJ61) received November 3, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and Commerce.

¶126.3 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 bill and a concurrent resolution of the House of the following titles:

H.R. 609. An Act to amend the Export Apple and Pear Act to limit the applicability of the Act to apples.

H. Con. Res. 102. Concurrent resolution celebrating the 50th anniversary of the Geneva Conventions of 1949 and recognizing the humanitarian safeguards these treaties provide in times of armed conflict.

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

H.R. 434. An Act to authorize a new trade and investment policy for sub-Saharan Africa.

The message also announced that the Senate insists upon its amendments to the bill (H.R. 434) "An Act to authorize a new trade and investment policy for sub-Saharan Africa," requests a conference with the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon, and appoints Mr. ROTH, Mr. GRASSLEY, Mr. LOTT, Mr. HELMS, Mr. MOYNIHAN, Mr. BAUCUS, and Mr. BIDEN to be the conferees on the part of the Senate.

The message also announced that the Senate has passed bills of the following titles in which concurrence of the House is requested.

S. 185. An Act to establish a Chief Agricultural Negotiator in the Office of the United States Trade Representative.

S. 580. An Act to amend title IX of the Public Health Service Act to revise and extend the Agency for Healthcare Policy and Research.

S. 688. An Act to amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to reauthorize the Overseas Private Investment Corporation.

S. 1232. An Act to provide for the correction of retirement coverage errors under chapters 83 and 84 of title 5, United States Code.

¶126.4 ORDER OF BUSINESS—PROVIDING FOR DISAGREEING TO THE AMENDMENT OF THE SENATE AND AGREEING TO A CONFERENCE ON H.R. 3194

Mr. GOSS, by unanimous consent, *Ordered*, That it may be in order at any time for the Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations or his designee to move that the House take from the Speaker's table the bill (H.R. 3194) making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in

whole or in part against revenues of said District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000, and for other purposes; with the Senate amendment thereto, disagree to the Senate amendment, and agree to the conference requested by the Senate.

¶126.5 ORDER OF BUSINESS—PROVIDING FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF H.J. RES. 75

Mr. GOSS, by unanimous consent, *Ordered*, That it may be in order at any time, without intervention of any point of order, to consider in the House the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 75) making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2000, and for other purposes, that the joint resolution be debatable for one hour equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations, and that the previous question otherwise be considered as ordered to passage without intervening motion except one motion to recommit.

¶126.6 UNFINISHED BUSINESS—APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. OSE, pursuant to clause 8, rule XX, announced the unfinished business to be the question on agreeing to the Chair's approval of the Journal of Wednesday, November 3, 1999.

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

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

Mr. McNULTY 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 346
Nays 65

¶126.7 [Roll No. 563] YEAS—346

Abercrombie	Bono	Cox
Ackerman	Boswell	Coyne
Andrews	Boucher	Cramer
Archer	Boyd	Crowley
Armey	Brady (TX)	Cubin
Bachus	Brown (FL)	Cummings
Baker	Bryant	Cunningham
Baldacci	Burton	Danner
Baldwin	Buyer	Davis (IL)
Ballenger	Callahan	Davis (VA)
Barr	Calvert	Deal
Barrett (NE)	Camp	DeGette
Barrett (WI)	Campbell	Delahunt
Bartlett	Canady	DeLauro
Barton	Cannon	DeLay
Bass	Capps	DeMint
Bateman	Capuano	Deutsch
Becerra	Cardin	Diaz-Balart
Bentsen	Carson	Dicks
Berkley	Castle	Dingell
Berman	Chabot	Dixon
Biggert	Chambliss	Doggett
Bilirakis	Clayton	Dooley
Bishop	Clement	Doolittle
Blagojevich	Clyburn	Dreier
Bliley	Coble	Duncan
Blumenauer	Coburn	Dunn
Blunt	Collins	Edwards
Boehlert	Combest	Ehlers
Boehner	Condit	Ehrlich
Bonilla	Conyers	Engel
Bonior	Cook	Eshoo

Etheridge	Lazio	Ros-Lehtinen
Everett	Leach	Rothman
Ewing	Lee	Roukema
Farr	Levin	Roybal-Allard
Fletcher	Lewis (CA)	Royce
Foley	Lewis (KY)	Rush
Forbes	Linder	Ryan (WI)
Ford	Lofgren	Ryun (KS)
Fossella	Lowe	Salmon
Fowler	Lucas (KY)	Sanchez
Frank (MA)	Lucas (OK)	Sanders
Franks (NJ)	Luther	Sandin
Frelinghuysen	Maloney (CT)	Sanford
Frost	Maloney (NY)	Sawyer
Gallegly	Manzullo	Saxton
Ganske	Martinez	Schakowsky
Gejdenson	Mascara	Scott
Gekas	Matsui	Sensenbrenner
Gephardt	McCarthy (MO)	Serrano
Gilchrest	McCarthy (NY)	Shadegg
Gillmor	McCollum	Shaw
Gilman	McCrery	Shays
Gonzalez	McGovern	Sherman
Goode	McHugh	Sherwood
Goodlatte	McInnis	Shimkus
Goodling	McIntosh	Shows
Gordon	McIntyre	Shuster
Goss	McKeon	Simpson
Graham	McKinney	Sisisky
Granger	Meehan	Skeen
Green (TX)	Menendez	Skelton
Greenwood	Metcalf	Smith (MI)
Gutierrez	Mica	Smith (NJ)
Hall (OH)	Millender-	Smith (TX)
Hall (TX)	McDonald	Smith (WA)
Hansen	Miller (FL)	Snyder
Hastings (FL)	Miller, Gary	Souder
Hastings (WA)	Miller, George	Spence
Hayes	Minge	Spratt
Hayworth	Mink	Stabenow
Herger	Moakley	Stearns
Hill (IN)	Moran (KS)	Stenholm
Hinchey	Moran (VA)	Stump
Hinojosa	Morella	Sununu
Hobson	Nader	Sweeney
Hoefel	Napolitano	Talent
Hoekstra	Neal	Tanner
Holden	Nethercutt	Tauscher
Holt	Ney	Tauzin
Hooley	Northup	Taylor (NC)
Horn	Norwood	Terry
Hostettler	Nussle	Thomas
Houghton	Obey	Thornberry
Hoyer	Oliver	Thune
Hyde	Ortiz	Thurman
Inslee	Ose	Tiahrt
Isakson	Owens	Tierney
Istook	Oxley	Toomey
Jackson (IL)	Packard	Towns
Jefferson	Pascrell	Trafficant
Jenkins	Paul	Turner
John	Pease	Udall (CO)
Johnson (CT)	Pelosi	Upton
Johnson, Sam	Peterson (PA)	Velazquez
Jones (NC)	Petri	Vento
Jones (OH)	Pickering	Vitter
Kaptur	Pitts	Walden
Kelly	Pombo	Walsh
Kennedy	Pomeroy	Wamp
Kildee	Porter	Watt (NC)
Kilpatrick	Portman	Watts (OK)
Kind (WI)	Price (NC)	Waxman
King (NY)	Pryce (OH)	Weiner
Kingston	Quinn	Weldon (FL)
Klecza	Radanovich	Weldon (PA)
Knollenberg	Rangel	Wexler
Kolbe	Regula	Weygand
Kuykendall	Reyes	Whitfield
LaFalce	Reynolds	Wilson
LaHood	Rivers	Wolf
Lampson	Rodriguez	Woolsey
Lantos	Roemer	Wynn
Largent	Rogers	Young (FL)
LaTourette	Rohrabacher	

NAYS—65

Aderholt	Dickey	Jackson-Lee
Allen	English	(TX)
Baird	Evans	Johnson, E. B.
Barcia	Fattah	Klink
Berry	Filner	Kucinich
Bilbray	Gibbons	Latham
Borski	Green (WI)	Lewis (GA)
Brady (PA)	Gutknecht	Lipinski
Brown (OH)	Hefley	LoBiondo
Chenoweth-Hage	Hill (MT)	Markey
Clay	Hilleary	McDermott
Costello	Hilliard	McNulty
Crane	Hutchinson	Meeks (NY)
DeFazio		Moore