

the Department's final rule—Antarctic Treaty Environmental Protection Protocol (Coast Guard) [CGD 97-015] (RIN: 2115-AF43) received June 26, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4013. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Puget Sound and adjacent waters, WA-regulated navigation (Coast Guard) [CGD13-97-003] (RIN: 2115-AE84) received June 26, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4014. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Equivalency of Caribbean Cargo Ship Safety Code (Coast Guard) [CGD 97-026] (RIN: 2115-ZZ01) received June 26, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4015. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Technical Amendments; Organizational Changes; Miscellaneous Editorial Changes and Conforming Amendments (Coast Guard) [CGD 97-023] (RIN: 2115-ZZ02) received June 26, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4016. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Hazardous Materials: Shipping Description and Packaging of Oxygen Generators; Extension of Effective Date and Corrections (Research and Special Programs Administration) [Docket No. HM-224A] (RIN: 2137-AD02) received June 26, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4017. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Availability of Interpretations of Hazardous Materials and Pipeline Safety Regulations; Correction (Research and Special Programs Administration) [Docket No. RSPA-97-2522 (RSP-3)] (RIN: 2137-AD00) received June 26, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4018. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Revision of Class E Airspace; Kodiak, AK (Federal Aviation Administration) [Airspace Docket No. 97-AAL-4] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received June 26, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4019. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of Class E Airspace; Driggs, Idaho (Federal Aviation Administration) [Airspace Docket No. 97-ANM-6] received June 26, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4020. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of Class E Airspace; University of Maryland, Baltimore, MD (Federal Aviation Administration) [Airspace Docket No. 97-AEA-023] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received June 26, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4021. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of Class E Airspace; Fort McHenry, MD (Federal Aviation Administration) [Airspace Docket No. 97-AEA-022] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received June 26, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4022. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting

the Department's final rule—Establishment of Class E Airspace; Centerville, MD (Federal Aviation Administration) [Airspace Docket No. 97-AEA-021] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received June 26, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4023. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of Class E Airspace; Sayre, PA (Federal Aviation Administration) [Airspace Docket No. 97-AEA-020] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received June 26, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4024. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 28943; Amdt. No. 1804] (RIN: 2120-AA65) received June 26, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4025. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 28944; Amdt. No. 1805] (RIN: 2120-AA65) received June 26, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4026. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 28942; Amdt. No. 1803] (RIN: 2120-AA65) received June 26, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4027. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment of Class D Airspace; Idaho Falls, Idaho (Federal Aviation Administration) [Airspace Docket No. 97-ANM-5] received June 26, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4028. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; de Havilland Model DHC-8-100 and -300 Series Airplanes (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 96-NM-73-AD; Amdt. 39-10055; AD 97-13-08] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received June 26, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4029. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; McDonnell Douglas Helicopter Systems Model MD-900 Helicopters (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 96-SW-35-AD; Amdt. 39-10056; AD 97-13-09] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received June 26, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4030. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Airbus Model A300-B2 and -B4 Series Airplanes, Excluding Model A300-600 Series Airplanes, Equipped with General Electric CF6-50 Series Engines or Pratt & Whitney JT9D-59A Engines (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 96-NM-165-AD; Amdt. 39-10050; AD 97-13-04] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received June 26, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4031. A letter from the Secretary of Transportation, transmitting a report on the Evaluation of the U.S. Department of Transportation State Infrastructure Bank Pilot Pro-

gram: Status as of February 28, 1997; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4032. A letter from the Secretary of Transportation, transmitting a report on Highway Signs for the National Highway System; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4033. A letter from the Secretary of Commerce, transmitting the "National Implementation Plan For Modernization Of The National Weather Service For Fiscal Year 1998," pursuant to Public Law 102-567, section 703(a) (106 Stat. 4304); to the Committee on Science.

4034. A letter from the Secretary of Veterans Affairs, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to amend sections 2306 and 2403 of title 38, United States Code, to authorize memorialization of deceased spouses and surviving spouses of veterans and deceased members of the Armed Forces whose remains are not available for interment; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

4035. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Last-In, First-Out Inventories [Rev. Rul. 97-28] received June 26, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

4036. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Treatment of Hong Kong and China [Notice 97-40] received June 26, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

4037. A letter from the Assistant Secretary of Defense, transmitting a letter notifying Congress that the report concerning the tax deductibility of nonreimbursable expenses incurred by members of Reserve components in connection with military service required by the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1997 will be submitted no later than July 31, 1997; jointly to the Committees on National Security and Ways and Means.

4038. A letter from the Administrator, Agency for International Development, transmitting a quarterly update report on development assistance program allocations for FY 1997, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2413(a); jointly to the Committees on International Relations and Appropriations.

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. BLILEY: Committee on Commerce. H.R. 1276. A bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1998 and 1999 for the research, development, and demonstration activities of the Environmental Protection Agency, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 105-99 Pt. 2). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. GOODLING: Committee on Education and the Workforce. H.R. 1818. A bill to amend the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act of 1974 to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1998, 1999, 2000, and 2001, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 105-155). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mrs. MYRICK: Committee on rules. House Resolution 178. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2016) making appropriations for military construction, family housing, and base realignment and closure for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1998, and for

other purposes (Rept. 105-156). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. MCCOLLUM: Committee on the Judiciary. House Concurrent Resolution 75. Resolution expressing the sense of the Congress that States should work more aggressively to attack the problem of violent crimes committed by repeat offenders and criminals serving abbreviated sentences (Rept. 105-157). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. MCCOLLUM: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 1847. A bill to improve the criminal law relating to fraud against consumers; with an amendment (Rep. 105-158). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. MCCOLLUM: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 1898. A bill to amend title 18 of the United States Code to penalize the rape of minors in Federal prisons. (Rept. 105-159). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. MCCOLLUM: Committee on the Judiciary. House Resolution 154. Resolution expressing the sense of the House that the Nation's children are its most valuable assets and that their protection should be the Nation's highest priority (Rept. 105-160). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. MCCOLLUM: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 103. A bill to expedite State reviews of criminal records of applicants for private security officer employment, and for other purposes (Rept. 105-161 Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

Mr. MCCOLLUM: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 1840. A bill to provide a law enforcement exception to the prohibition on the advertising of certain electronic devices (Rept. 105-162). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

REPORTED BILL SEQUENTIALLY REFERRED

Under clause 5 of rule X, the following action was taken by the Speaker:

H.R. 695. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to affirm the rights of U.S. persons to use and sell encryption and to relax export controls on encryption; with an amendment; referred to the Committees on Commerce, National Security, and the Permanent Select Committee on intelligence for a period ending not later than September 5, 1997, for consideration of such provisions of the bill and amendment reported by the Committee on the Judiciary as fall within the jurisdiction of those committees pursuant to clause 1(e) and (k), rule X and rule XLVIII, respectively.

TIME LIMITATION OF REFERRED BILL

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

H.R. 695. Referral to the Committee on International Relations extended for a period ending not later than July 25, 1997.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 5 of rule X and clause 4 of rule XXII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred as follows:

By Mr. THORNBERRY:

H.R. 2072. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exclude from gross income gain from oil and gas produced from certain recovered inactive wells; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. GOODLATTE:

H.R. 2073. A bill to prohibit fundraising at the White House and elsewhere; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

H.R. 2074. A bill to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to expedite the availability of reports submitted to the Federal Election Commission, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Oversight.

H.R. 2075. A bill to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to require the disclosure of certain information by persons conducting polls by telephone during campaigns for election for Federal office; to the Committee on House Oversight.

H.R. 2076. A bill to amend the National Voter Registration Act of 1993 to repeal the requirement that States provide for voter registration by mail and to require applicants for voter registration to provide a Social Security number and actual proof of U.S. citizenship, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Oversight.

By Mr. BROWN of California (for himself, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. FILNER, Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN, Mr. CLAY, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. OLVER, Mrs. TAUSCHER, and Mr. ACKERMAN):

H.R. 2077. A bill to establish a National Forest Preserve consisting of certain Federal lands in the Sequoia National Forest in the State of California to protect and preserve remaining Giant Sequoia ecosystems and to provide increased recreational opportunities in connection with such ecosystems; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. CAMPBELL (for himself, Mr. CANADY of Florida, and Mr. BOUCHER):

H.R. 2078. A bill to amend title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 to clarify the intent of Congress to hold individuals responsible for discriminatory acts committed by them in employment; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. CAMPBELL (for himself and Mr. EHLERS):

H.R. 2079. A bill to require implementation of an alternative program for providing a benefit or employment preference under Federal law; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. CAMPBELL (for himself and Mr. CANADY of Florida):

H.R. 2080. A bill to amend title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 to establish criminal liability for unlawful discrimination based on disparate treatment; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, 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 Mr. CANADY of Florida (for himself, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. OLVER, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. EVANS, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. FOLEY, Mrs. LOWEY, and Mr. FARR of California):

H.R. 2081. A bill to provide for an enumeration of family caregivers as part of the 2000 decennial census of population; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

By Mr. CLEMENT:

H.R. 2082. A bill to establish a Commission to conduct a comprehensive legal and factual study of the navigational, flood control, economic development, recreational, and economic impacts of the future structure, competitiveness, and financial viability of TVA, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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. COOK:

H.R. 2083. A bill to prohibit the shipment of spent nuclear fuel to the Goshute Indian reservation in Utah; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. DAVIS of Illinois:

H.R. 2084. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for maximum capital gains tax rate of 15, 22, and 30 percent for individuals; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. EVANS (for himself, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. STARK, Mr. SANDERS, Ms. KAPTUR, and Mr. BONIOR):

H.R. 2085. A bill to amend the Export-Import Bank Act of 1945 to ensure that the provision of assistance for exports to China is conditioned upon adherence to responsible conduct; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. GILLMOR (for himself, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. BONILLA, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. OXLEY, Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, and Mr. LEWIS of California):

H.R. 2086. A bill to amend the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 to limit the portion of the Superfund expended for administration, oversight, support, studies, design, investigations, monitoring, assessment, and evaluation, and enforcement activities; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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. GILLMOR:

H.R. 2087. A bill to amend the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 to require that polluters are responsible for the cleanup of hazardous substances, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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 Mrs. KELLY:

H.R. 2088. A bill to provide for the surviving spouse and dependent children of public safety officers who are killed in performance of their official duties, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. KILDEE (for himself and Mr. BONO):

H.R. 2089. A bill to authorize leases on the Cabazon Indian Reservation for terms not to exceed 99 years; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. LAZIO of New York (for himself, Mr. ENGEL, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. MILLER of California, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. PALLONE, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. MAS-CARA, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. MANTON, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, and Mr. MCGOVERN):

H.R. 2090. A bill ordering the preparation of a Government report detailing injustices suffered by Italian-Americans during World War II, and a formal acknowledgment of such injustices by the President; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. LINDER (for himself and Mr. NORWOOD):