whether they be of man-made proportions or of a natural occurrence?
Mr. Speaker, we should all pray that those who are in need of assistance at this hour receive it as quickly as possible, but we should also hold those accountable who are responsible for making sure that that assistance is available in a timely manner.

**FURTHER MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

A further message from the Senate by Ms. Curtis, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate has passed without amendment a bill of the House of the following title:

H.R. 3645. An Act making emergency supplemental appropriations to meet immediate needs arising from the consequences of Hurricane Katrina, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2005, and for other purposes.

**APPOINTMENT OF HON. MAC THORNBERY TO ACT AS SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE TO SIGN ENROLLED BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS THROUGH SEPTEMBER 6, 2005**

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker:

WASHINGTON, DC, SEPTEMBER 2, 2005.

I hereby appoint the Honorable Mac Thornberry to act as Speaker pro tempore to sign enrolled bills and joint resolutions through September 6, 2005.

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

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, the appointment is approved.

There was no objection.

**SPECIAL ORDERS GRANTED**

By unanimous consent, permission to address the House, following the legislative program and any special orders heretofore entered, was granted to:

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. Kucinich) to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material:)

Mr. Kucinich, for 5 minutes, today.
Mr. Wexler, for 5 minutes, today.
Ms. Zoe Lofgren of California, for 5 minutes, today.
Mrs. Jones of Ohio, for 5 minutes, today.
Mr. Schiff, for 5 minutes, today.
Mr. Baird, for 5 minutes, today.
Mr. Nadler, for 5 minutes, today.
Mr. Markey, for 5 minutes, today.
Mr. Engel, for 5 minutes, today.
Mr. Buppersberger, for 5 minutes, today.
Mr. Butterfield, for 5 minutes, today.
Mr. Oberstar, for 5 minutes, today.
Ms. Kilpatrick of Michigan, for 5 minutes, today.
Mr. Miller of North Carolina, for 5 minutes, today.
Ms. Watson, for 5 minutes, today.
Mr. Cummings, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. STRICKLAND, for 5 minutes, today.
(All the Members (at the request of Mr. Shays) to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material:)

Mr. Blunt, for 5 minutes, today.
Mr. Gibson, for 5 minutes, today.
Mr. Shays, for 5 minutes, today.
Ms. Harris, for 5 minutes, today.
Mrs. Capito, for 5 minutes, today.
Mr. Burgess, for 5 minutes, today.
Mr. English of Pennsylvania, for 5 minutes, today.
Mr. Wamp, for 5 minutes, today.
Mr. Smith of New Jersey, for 5 minutes, today.
Mr. Kirk, for 5 minutes, today.
Mr. Simmons, for 5 minutes, today.
Ms. Ros-Lehtinen, for 5 minutes, today.
Mr. Daniel E. Lungren of California, for 5 minutes, today.
(All the Members (at the request of Mr. Shays) to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material:)

Mr. Gordon, for 5 minutes, today.

**ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED**

Mr. Tranadhal, Clerk of the House, reported and found truly enrolled bills of the House of the following titles, which were thereupon signed by the Speaker:

H.R. 3. An act to authorize funds for Federal-aid highways, highway safety programs, and transit programs, and for other purposes.
H.R. 6. An act to ensure jobs for our future with secure, affordable, and reliable energy.
H.R. 132. An act to provide for the establishment of a controlled substance monitoring program in each State.
H.R. 3512. An act to provide an extension of administrative expenses for highway, highway safety, motor carrier safety, transit, and other programs funded out of the Highway Trust Fund pending enactment of a law reauthorizing the Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century.

**BILL PRESENTED TO THE PRESIDENT**

Jeff Tranadhal, Clerk of the House reports that on July 29, 2005 he presented to the President of the United States, for his approval, the following bill:

H.R. 1132. To provide for the establishment of the 21st Century.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Mr. STRICKLAND. Mr. Speaker, pursuant to Senate Concurrent Resolution 51, 109th Congress, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to.
The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to Senate Concurrent Resolution 51, 109th Congress, the House stands adjourned until 2 p.m. on Tuesday, September 6, 2005.

Thereupon, (at 3 o’clock and 57 minutes p.m.), pursuant to Senate Concurrent Resolution 51, the House adjourned until Tuesday, September 6, 2005, at 2 p.m.

**EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.**

Under clause 8 of rule XII, executive communications were taken from the Speaker’s table and referred as follows:

3591. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting requests for emergency FY 2005 supplemental appropriations for the Departments of Homeland Security and Defense; (H. Doc. No. 109–52); to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

3592. A letter from the Under Secretary for Acquisition, Technology and Logistics, Department of Defense, transmitting certified materials supplied to the Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission, pursuant to Public Law 101–510, section 2903(c)(6) and 2914(b)(1); to the Committee on Armed Services.

3593. A letter from the Under Secretary for Acquisition, Technology and Logistics, Department of Defense, transmitting certified materials supplied to the Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission, pursuant to Public Law 101–510, section 2903(c)(6) and 2914(b)(1); to the Committee on Armed Services.

3594. A letter from the Under Secretary for Acquisition, Technology and Logistics, Department of Defense, transmitting certified materials supplied to the Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission, pursuant to Public Law 101–510, section 2903(c)(6) and 2914(b)(1); to the Committee on Armed Services.

3595. A letter from the Under Secretary for Acquisition, Technology and Logistics, Department of Defense, transmitting certified materials supplied to the Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission, pursuant to
to Public Law 101–510, section 2903(c)(6) and 2914(b)(1); to the Committee on Armed Services.

3596. A letter from the Under Secretary for Acquisition, Technology and Logistics, Department of Defense, transmitting certified materials supplied to the Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission, pursuant to Public Law 101–510, section 2903(c)(6) and 2914(b)(1); to the Committee on Armed Services.

3597. A letter from the Under Secretary for Acquisition, Technology and Logistics, Department of Defense, transmitting certified materials supplied to the Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission, pursuant to Public Law 101–510, section 2903(c)(6) and 2914(b)(1); to the Committee on Armed Services.

3598. A letter from the Under Secretary for Acquisition, Technology and Logistics, Department of Defense, transmitting certified materials supplied to the Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission, pursuant to Public Law 101–510, section 2903(c)(6) and 2914(b)(1); to the Committee on Armed Services.

3599. A letter from the Under Secretary for Acquisition, Technology and Logistics, Department of Defense, transmitting certified materials supplied to the Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission, pursuant to Public Law 101–510, section 2903(c)(6) and 2914(b)(1); to the Committee on Armed Services.

3600. A letter from the Under Secretary for Acquisition, Technology and Logistics, Department of Defense, transmitting certified materials supplied to the Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission, pursuant to Public Law 101–510, section 2903(c)(6) and 2914(b)(1); to the Committee on Armed Services.

3601. A letter from the Under Secretary for Acquisition, Technology and Logistics, Department of Defense, transmitting certified materials supplied to the Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission, pursuant to Public Law 101–510, section 2903(c)(6) and 2914(b)(1); to the Committee on Armed Services.

3602. A letter from the Under Secretary for Acquisition, Technology and Logistics, Department of Defense, transmitting certified materials supplied to the Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission, pursuant to Public Law 101–510, section 2903(c)(6) and 2914(b)(1); to the Committee on Armed Services.

3603. A letter from the Under Secretary for Acquisition, Technology and Logistics, Department of Defense, transmitting certified materials supplied to the Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission, pursuant to Public Law 101–510, section 2903(c)(6) and 2914(b)(1); to the Committee on Armed Services.
REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON
PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

[Omitted from the Record of July 29, 2005]

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. BARTON: Committee on Energy and Commerce. H.R. 1640. A bill to ensure jobs for our future with secure and reliable energy, with an amendment (Rept. 109-216 Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

DISCHARGE OF COMMITTEES

[Omitted from the Record of July 29, 2005]

Under clause 2 of rule XII:

The Committees on Energy and Commerce, Resources and Transportation and Infrastructure discharged from further consideration H.R. 610. Ordered to be printed.

The Committee on Homeland Security discharged from further consideration H.R. 889. Ordered to be printed.

The Committees on Science, Resources, Education and the Workforce, Transportation and Infrastructure, Financial Services, and Agriculture discharged from further consideration H.R. 1640. Ordered to be printed.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. LEWIS of California:

H.R. 3645. A bill making emergency supplemental appropriations to meet immediate needs arising from the consequences of Hurricane Katrina, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2005, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 215: Mr. LEACH.
H.R. 224: Mr. RYAN of Ohio.
H.R. 521: Mr. CAMP and Mr. RYAN of Ohio.
H.R. 660: Mrs. CAPITO and Mr. Mollohan.
H.R. 1079: Mr. Mollohan.
H.R. 1182: Mr. WEXLER.
H.R. 1806: Mrs. Napolitano.
H.R. 2238: Mr. DeFAZIO, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. McDermott, Ms. SOLIS, Mr. JOHNSON of Illinois, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. SMITH of Washington, and Mr. Tiberi.
H.R. 2394: Mr. ANDREWS.
H.R. 2398: Mr. HOLDEN.
H.R. 3144: Mr. HAYWORTH.
H.R. 3196: Ms. LEE.
H. Res. 360: Mr. BOUSTANY, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. MACK, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. FALIKOMAVAOA, Mr. FOSSELLA, and Mr. ISSA.
H. Res. 375: Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. DeFAZIO, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. McGovern, Mr. HOLT, Mr. FULNER, Mr. WYNN, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. Cummings, Mr. MEEKS of New York, Mr. LEACH, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. CLEAVLER, Ms. MOORE of Wisconsin, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. NADLER, Ms. CORRINE Brown of Florida, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, and Mr. UDALL of Colorado.