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H.R. 873. A bill to amend the Helium Act to require the Secretary of the Interior to sell Federal real and personal property held in connection with activities carried out under the Helium Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Ms. DANNER:

H.R. 874. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the increase in tax on commercial aviation fuel which is scheduled to take effect on October 1, 1995; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. PETE GEREN of Texas:

H.R. 875. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for waiver of the Medicare part B late enrollment penalty for certain military retirees and dependents who live near closed military bases and to establish a special enrollment period for such persons under Medicare part B; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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. GUTIERREZ:

H.R. 876. A bill to provide that the pay of members of Congress shall be reduced until the minimum wage is raised to at least \$5.15 an hour, and that such a reduction shall be equal to an adjustment in the Employment Cost Index; to the Committee on House Oversight, and in addition to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities, 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. JOHNSON of South Dakota (for himself, Mr. WILLIAMS, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. RICHARDSON, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, and Mr. MILLER of California):

H.R. 877. A bill to establish a Wounded Knee National Tribal Park, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. LIGHTFOOT (for himself and Mr. STUPAK):

H.R. 878. A bill to amend title I of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to encourage States to enact a Law Enforcement Officers' Bill of Rights, to provide standards and protection for the conduct of internal police investigations, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. OLVER (for himself and Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts):

H.R. 879. A bill to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to provide grants for projects that demonstrate technologies and methods for reducing discharges from combined sewer overflows into navigable waters of interstate significance; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. PARKER:

H.R. 880. A bill to require the Secretary of the Army to carry out such activities as are necessary to stabilize the bluffs along the Mississippi River in the vicinity of Natchez, MS, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Ms. PRYCE (for herself, Mr. ROEMER, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. BILLIRAKIS, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mr. DOGGETT, Mr. EMERSON, Mr. FILNER, Mr. FOGLIETTA, Mrs. FOWLER, Mr. FROST, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. JOHNSTON of Florida, Mr. KING, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. MCHALE, Mr. MCHUGH, Mrs. MALONEY, Ms. MOLINARI, Mr. MORAN, Mr. QUINN, Ms. RIVERS, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. UNDERWOOD, and Mr. DEUTSCH):

H.R. 881. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow employers a credit for a portion of the expenses of providing dependent care services to employees; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. QUINN:

H.R. 882. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to require the establishment of mammography quality standards to be applicable to the performance of mammograms by the Department of Veterans Affairs; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. RANGEL:

H.R. 883. A bill to lift the trade embargo on Cuba, and for other purposes; to the Committee on International Relations, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, Commerce, and Government Reform and Oversight, 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. RICHARDSON:

H.R. 884. A bill to authorize appropriations for a retirement incentive for certain employees of National Laboratories; to the Committee on National Security, 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. SERRANO (for himself and Mr. RANGEL):

H.R. 885. A bill to designate the U.S. Post Office building located at 153 East 110th Street, New York, NY, as the "Oscar Garcia Rivera Post Office Building"; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

By Mr. WISE:

H.R. 886. A bill to reform the program of aid to families with dependent children; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Economic and Educational Opportunities, and Commerce, 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. ZIMMER (for himself and Mr. KLUG):

H.R. 887. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to require the Secretary of Energy to sell the naval petroleum reserves since such reserves are no longer necessary for the national security of the United States; to the Committee on National Security, 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. ARCHER:

H. Res. 67. Resolution providing amounts for the expenses of the Committee on Ways and Means in the 104th Congress; to the Committee on House Oversight.

By Mr. ROBERTS:

H. Res. 68. Resolution providing amounts for the expenses of the Committee on Agriculture in the 104th Congress; to the Committee on House Oversight.

By Mr. BLILEY:

H. Res. 70. Resolution providing amounts for the expenses of the Committee on Commerce in the 104th Congress; to the Committee on House Oversight.

By Mr. GOODLING:

H. Res. 71. Resolution providing amounts for the expenses of the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities in the 104th Congress; to the Committee on House Oversight.

By Mr. HYDE:

H. Res. 72. Resolution providing amounts for the expenses of the Committee on the Judiciary in the 104th Congress; to the Committee on House Oversight.

By Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut (for herself and Mr. MCDERMOTT):

H. Res. 73. Resolution providing amounts for the expenses of the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct in the 104th Congress; to the Committee on House Oversight.

By Mrs. MEYERS of Kansas:

H. Res. 74. Resolution providing amounts for the expenses of the Committee on Small Business in the 104th Congress; to the Committee on House Oversight.

By Mr. SHUSTER:

H. Res. 75. Resolution providing amounts for the expenses of the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure in the 104th Congress; to the Committee on House Oversight.

By Mr. SOLOMON (for himself and Mr. MOAKLEY):

H. Res. 76. Resolution providing amounts for the expenses of the Committee on Rules in the 104th Congress; to the Committee on House Oversight.

By Mr. SPENCE:

H. Res. 77. Resolution providing amounts for the expenses of the Committee on National Security in the 104th Congress; to the Committee on House Oversight.

By Mr. STUMP:

H. Res. 78. Resolution providing amounts for the expenses of the Committee on Veterans' Affairs in the 104th Congress; to the Committee on House Oversight.

MEMORIALS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII,

15. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota, relative to memorializing the Congress of the United States to continue its progress at reducing the Federal deficit and provide to the State of Minnesota information on the impact that a balanced Federal budget will have on Minnesota; jointly, to the Committees on the Judiciary and Government Reform and Oversight.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 7: Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. MOORHEAD, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. SCARBOROUGH, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. WALKER, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. LIVINGSTON, Mr. SAM JOHNSON, Mr. COLLINS of Georgia, Mrs. SEASTRAND, Mr. ROBERTS, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. McKEON, Mr. HEFLEY, and Mr. SCHAEFER.

H.R. 44: Mr. CUNNINGHAM and Mr. DELLUMS.

H.R. 65: Mr. RAHALL, Mr. FAZIO of California, Mr. WYNN, Ms. LOWEY, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. COLEMAN, Mr. FIELDS of Texas, and Mr. JEFFERSON.

H.R. 76: Mr. MORAN.
 H.R. 96: Mr. GEJDENSON, Ms. LOWEY, Mr. SERRANO, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. OWENS, Mr. FROST, Mr. FILNER, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. EVANS, Mr. HINCHEY, Ms. NORTON, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. FOGLIETTA, and Mr. NADLER.
 H.R. 103: Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. DAVIS, and Mr. FLAKE.
 H.R. 104: Mr. UNDERWOOD.
 H.R. 107: Mr. GILLMOR.
 H.R. 109: Mr. LEACH.
 H.R. 139: Mr. SANDERS.
 H.R. 215: Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. SHAW, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. PAXON, Mr. ZIMMER, and Mr. LINDER.
 H.R. 218: Mr. RAMSTAD and Mr. ENSIGN.
 H.R. 303: Mr. FLANAGAN, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. FAZIO of California, Mr. WYNN, Ms. LOWEY, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. COLEMAN, Mr. FIELDS of Texas, and Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina.
 H.R. 305: Mr. ENGEL, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. KLECZKA, Ms. FURSE, Mr. SISISKY, and Mr. SHAYS.
 H.R. 359: Mr. LAUGHLIN, Mr. SANFORD, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. STOCKMAN, Mr. SANDERS, and Mr. SHAYS.
 H.R. 426: Mr. SKEEN, Mr. BISHOP, and Ms. DANNER.
 H.R. 450: Mr. CRAMER, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. HAYES, Mr. MINGE, Mr. PICKETT, Mr. ROSE, Mr. SKELTON, Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. TANNER, Mr. TAUZIN, Mrs. THURMAN, and Mr. SISISKY.
 H.R. 469: Mr. HALL of Texas.
 H.R. 490: Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. FIELDS of Texas, and Mr. SKEEN.
 H.R. 512: Mr. ACKERMAN.
 H.R. 571: Ms. DUNN of Washington, Mr. DOOLITTLE, and Mr. SCHUMER.
 H.R. 587: Mr. Fox, Mr. ROYCE, and Mr. FORBES.
 H.R. 592: Mrs. MEYERS of Kansas.
 H.R. 656: Mr. FORBES.
 H.R. 698: Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. HOSTETTLER, and Mr. SCHIFF.
 H.R. 753: Mr. HORN, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. UPTON, and Mr. LINDER.
 H.R. 768: Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas.
 H.R. 788: Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. MCKEON, Mr. BAKER of California, and Mr. LIVINGSTON.
 H.R. 789: Ms. PRYCE, Mr. LIGHTFOOT, Mr. CALVERT, and Mr. DURBIN.
 H.J. Res. 48: Mr. ANDREWS and Mrs. WALDHOLTZ.

DELETIONS OF SPONSORS FROM PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, sponsors were deleted from public bills and resolutions as follows:

[Omitted from the Record of February 7, 1995]

H.J. Res. 2: Mr. ALLARD.

[Submitted February 9, 1995]

H.R. 3: Mr. GORDON.

H.R. 76: Mr. BEREUTER.

H.J. Res. 3: Mr. RIGGS and Mr. COBURN.

AMENDMENTS

Under clause 6 of rule XXIII, proposed amendments were submitted as follows:

H.R. 667

OFFERED BY: MR. BURTON OF INDIANA

AMENDMENT NO. 31: Page 7, line 18, after "general" insert "including a requirement that any funds used to carry out the programs under section 501(a) shall represent

the best value for the state governments at the lowest possible cost and employ the best available technology.

H.R. 667

OFFERED BY: MR. LATOURETTE

AMENDMENT NO. 32: Page 2, line 20, after "aliens" insert "and for the establishment of community-based correction programs".

Page 10, after line 10, insert the following (and redesignate any subsequent paragraphs accordingly):

"(3) community-based correction programs means electronic monitoring of nonviolent misdemeanants and intensive or enhanced probation supervision for nonviolent felons."

H.R. 667

OFFERED BY: MR. SCOTT

AMENDMENT NO. 33: Add at the end the following:

TITLE V—REPORTING OF DEATHS OF PERSONS IN CUSTODY IN JAILS

SEC. 501. REPORTING OF DEATHS OF PERSONS IN CUSTODY IN JAILS.

(A) IN GENERAL.—In order to provide information needed to determine whether possible Federal civil rights violations have occurred, the Attorney General shall, in such form and manner as the Attorney General determines, and under such regulations as the Attorney General shall prescribe, require that the appropriate public authorities report promptly to the Attorney General the death of each individual who dies in custody while in a municipal or county jail, State prison, or other similar place of confinement. Each such report shall include the cause of death and all other facts relevant to the death reported, which the person so reporting shall have the duty to make a good faith effort to ascertain.

(b) ANNUAL REPORT.—The Attorney General shall annually publish a report containing—

(1) the number of deaths in each institution for which a report was filed during the relevant reporting period;

(2) the cause of death and time of death for each death so reported; and

(3) such other information about the death as the Attorney General deems relevant.

H.R. 667

OFFERED BY: MR. SCOTT

AMENDMENT NO. 34: Page 2, strike line 4 and all that follows through the matter preceding line 1, page 12 and insert the following:

TITLE I—PRISON GRANT PROGRAM

SEC. 1. GRANT PROGRAM.

Title V of the Violent Crime Control and Law Enforcement Act of 1994 is amended to read as follows:

"TITLE V—PRISON GRANTS

"SEC. 501. AUTHORIZATION OF GRANTS.

"The Attorney General is authorized to provide grants to eligible States and to eligible States organized as a regional compact to build, expand, and operate space in correctional facilities in order to increase the prison bed capacity in such facilities for the confinement of persons convicted of a serious violent felony and to build, expand, and operate temporary or permanent correctional facilities, including facilities on military bases, for the confinement of convicted nonviolent offenders and criminal aliens for the purpose of freeing suitable existing prison space for the confinement of persons convicted of a serious violent felony.

"SEC. 502. GENERAL GRANTS.

"In order to be eligible to receive funds under this title, a State or States organized as a regional compact shall submit an application to the Attorney General that provides assurances that such State since 1993 has—

"(1) increased the percentage of convicted violent offenders sentenced to prison.

"(2) increased the average prison time actually to be served in prison by convicted violent offenders sentenced to prison.

"SEC. 503. SPECIAL RULES.

"Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraphs (1) through (2) of section 502, a State shall be eligible for grants under this title, if the State, not later than the date of the enactment of this title—

"(1) practices indeterminate sentencing; and

"(2) the average times served in such State for the offenses of murder, rape, robbery, and assault exceed, by 10 percent or greater, the national average of times served for such offenses.

"SEC. 504. FORMULA FOR GRANTS.

"To determine the amount of funds that each eligible State or eligible States organized as a regional compact may receive to carry out programs under section 502, the Attorney General shall apply the following formula:

"(1) \$500,000 or 0.40 percent, whichever is greater shall be allocated to each participating State or compact, as the case may be; and

"(2) of the total amount of funds remaining after the allocation under paragraph (1), there shall be allocated to each State or compact, as the case may be, an amount which bears the same ratio to the amount of remaining funds described in this paragraph as the population of such State or compact, as the case may be, bears to the population of all the States.

"SEC. 505. ACCOUNTABILITY.

"(a) FISCAL REQUIREMENTS.—A State or States organized as a regional compact that receives funds under this title shall use accounting, audit, and fiscal procedures that conform to guidelines which shall be prescribed by the Attorney General.

"(b) REPORTING.—Each State that receives funds under this title shall submit an annual report, beginning on January 1, 1996, and each January 1 thereafter, to the Congress regarding compliance with the requirements of this title.

"(c) ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS.—The administrative provisions of sections 801 and 802 of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 shall apply to the Attorney General in the same manner as such provisions apply to the officials listed in such sections.

"SEC. 506. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.

"(a) IN GENERAL.—There are authorized to be appropriated to carry out this title—

"(1) \$497,500,000 for fiscal year 1996;

"(2) \$830,000,000 for fiscal year 1997;

"(3) \$2,027,000,000 for fiscal year 1998;

"(4) \$2,160,000,000 for fiscal year 1999; and

"(5) \$2,253,100,000 for fiscal year 2000.

"(b) LIMITATIONS ON FUNDS.—

"(1) USES OF FUNDS.—Funds made available under this title may be used to carry out the purposes described in section 501(a).

"(2) NONSUPPLANTING REQUIREMENT.—Funds made available under this section shall not be used to supplant State funds, but shall be used to increase the amount of funds that would, in the absence of Federal funds, be made available from State sources.

"(3) ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS.—Not more than three percent of the funds available under this section may be used for administrative costs.

"(4) MATCHING FUNDS.—The Federal share of a grant received under this title may not exceed 75 percent of the costs of a proposal as described in an application approved under this title.