

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. DREIER: Committee on Rules, House Resolution 151. Resolution waiving points of order against the conference report to accompany the bill (H.R. 1158) making emergency supplemental appropriations for additional disaster assistance and making rescissions for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1995, and for other purposes (Rept. 104-126). Referred to the House Calendar.

SUBSEQUENT ACTION ON A REPORTED BILL

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

The Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union discharged, and referred to the Committee on Science for a period ending not later than June 30, 1995, H.R. 1175 for consideration of such provisions of the bill and amendment as fall within the jurisdiction of the Committee on Science pursuant to clause 1(n), rule X.

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. CRANE (for himself and Mr. RANGEL):

H.R. 1654. A bill to renew the Generalized System of Preferences; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. COMBEST:

H.R. 1655. A bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1996 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the U.S. Government, the Community Management Account, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Intelligence (Permanent Select).

By Ms. FURSE (for herself and Mr. NETHERCUTT):

H.R. 1656. A bill to provide for an increase in funding for the conduct and support of diabetes-related research by the National Institutes of Health; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. GONZALEZ (by request):

H.R. 1657. A bill to restructure and modernize the Federal Home Loan Bank System; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. HUNTER:

H.R. 1658. A bill to enhance border security in the vicinity of San Diego, CA, through the construction and improvement of physical barriers at the U.S. border and through the forward deployment of Border Patrol agents to the border; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. MOORHEAD (for himself and Mrs. SCHROEDER):

H.R. 1659. A bill to amend title 35, United States Code, to establish the Patent and Trademark Office as a Government corporation, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts:

H.R. 1660. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to eliminate the marriage penalty under the one-time exclusion of gain on the sale of a principal residence by an individual who has attained age 55; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. SHAW:

H.R. 1661. A bill to permit partnership and S corporations to elect taxable years other than required years; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. SHAW (for himself, Mrs. KENNELLY, Mr. MCCRERY, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. ZIMMER, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. GEPHARDT, Mr. GOSS, Mr. MOAKLEY, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. TORKILDSEN, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. RICHARDSON, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. CLYBURN, and Mr. NADLER):

H.R. 1662. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide a credit against income tax to individuals who rehabilitate historic homes or who are the first purchasers of rehabilitated historic homes for use as a principal residence; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. SKEEN (for himself, Mr. SCHAEFER, and Mr. CRAPO):

H.R. 1663. A bill to amend the Waste Isolation Pilot Plant Land Withdrawal Act; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on National Security, 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. STARK:

H.R. 1664. A bill to provide for demonstration projects to test whether enrollment in the supplemental security income program can be significantly increased by offering nonprofit organizations financial incentives to engage in outreach; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

H.R. 1665. A bill to amend the Social Security Act to provide for findings of presumptive disability under title II of such act in the same manner and to the same extent as is currently applicable under title XVI of such act; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on 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. STUPAK:

H.R. 1666. A bill to amend the act of October 21, 1970, establishing the Sleeping Bear Dunes National Lakeshore to permit certain persons to continue to use and occupy certain areas within the lakeshore, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. CALLAHAN (for himself, Mr. STUMP, Mr. EVERETT, and Mr. TRAFICANT):

H.J. Res. 88. Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to provide that no person born in the United States be a U.S. citizen on account of birth in the United States unless a parent is a U.S. citizen at the time of the birth; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. YOUNG of Alaska:

H. Con. Res. 68. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress that Federal tax law should be clarified to allow a reasonable charitable tax deduction for the reasonable and necessary expenses of Alaska Native subsistence whaling captains; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. TORRES:

H. Res. 152. Resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the President should develop a strategy to bring the United States back into active and full membership in the United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization; to the Committee on International Relations.

MEMORIALS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, memorials were presented and referred as follows:

83. By the SPEAKER: Memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Hawaii, relative to an integrated pest management control program to prevent the spread of the Brown Tree Snake; to the Committee on Agriculture.

84. Also, memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Hawaii, relative to urging the U.S. Department of Agriculture to consider the effect of and exclude the State of Hawaii from Federal legislation that would have a detrimental impact on Hawaii's environment; to the Committee on Agriculture.

85. Also, memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Hawaii, relative to urging the U.S. Department of Agriculture to exclude Hawaii from any Federal legislation that would create exceptions from the Honeybee Act of 1922, as amended; to the Committee on Agriculture.

86. Also, memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Hawaii, relative to memorializing the Congress of the United States to propose and submit to the several States an amendment to the Constitution of the United States that would provide that no Federal tax shall be imposed for the period before the date of the enactment of the retroactive tax; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 70: Mr. DORNAN.

H.R. 72: Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mrs. THURMAN, and Mr. CANADY.

H.R. 73: Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mrs. THURMAN, and Mr. CANADY.

H.R. 89: Mr. KLUG.

H.R. 103: Mr. BONIOR, Mr. NADLER, and Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota.

H.R. 109: Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, and Mr. HASTINGS of Florida.

H.R. 236: Mr. PAYNE of New Jersey.

H.R. 240: Mr. BEVILL and Mr. STUPAK.

H.R. 333: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

H.R. 353: Mr. HASTINGS of Florida and Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO.

H.R. 390: Mr. ANDREWS.

H.R. 399: Mr. VISCLOSKEY and Mr. BOUCHER.

H.R. 468: Mrs. RIVERS, Mr. STEARNS, and Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma.

H.R. 598: Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. STOCKMAN, Mr. COBURN, Mr. WELDON of Florida, and Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota.

H.R. 677: Mr. COYNE, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, and Mr. GEJDENSON.

H.R. 682: Mr. HOSTETTLER.

H.R. 733: Ms. ESHOO and Mr. FARR.

H.R. 783: Mr. HASTINGS of Florida and Mr. BUYER.

H.R. 789: Mr. LOBIONDO.

H.R. 892: Mr. STUMP, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. HEFLEY, and Mrs. CHENOWETH.

H.R. 950: Mrs. MINK of Hawaii.

H.R. 966: Mrs. KELLY, Mr. FRAZER, Mr. EVANS, and Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey.

H.R. 969: Mr. JACOBS, Mr. MINETA, Mr. MEEHAN, Mrs. MORELLA, and Ms. VELAZQUEZ.

H.R. 972: Mr. CALLAHAN.

H.R. 973: Mr. CALLAHAN.

H.R. 1021: Mr. VISCLOSKEY.

H.R. 1023: Mr. CUNNINGHAM and Mr. VISCLOSKEY.

H.R. 1090: Mr. QUILLLEN and Mr. STEARNS.

H.R. 1104: Mr. BROWNBACK, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, and Mr. CRAPO.

H.R. 1118: Mr. KINGSTON.
 H.R. 1119: Mr. CALVERT, Mr. CAMP, and Mrs. MORELLA.
 H.R. 1138: Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts and Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania.
 H.R. 1229: Ms. ESHOO and Ms. LOWEY.
 H.R. 1242: Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. HOKE, Mr. JEFFERSON, and Mr. CRAMER.
 H.R. 1272: Ms. LOWEY and Mr. MARTINEZ.
 H.R. 1299: Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. KLECZKA, and Mr. MORAN.
 H.R. 1352: Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. GORDON, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. EHLERS, Mr. CASTLE, Mr. UPTON, Mr. CHRYSLER, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. SISISKY, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. MCDADE, Mr. WOLF, Ms. PRYCE, Mr. JACOBS, and Mr. HAYES.
 H.R. 1385: Mr. FILNER.
 H.R. 1448: Mr. PETE GEREN of Texas and Mr. MORAN.
 H.R. 1540: Mr. HUNTER, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mrs. COLLINS of Illinois, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. WOLF, Mr. WALSH, and Mr. HOLDEN.
 H.R. 1542: Mr. WELLER, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. POSHARD, and Mr. EVANS.
 H.R. 1560: Mr. MARTINEZ and Mr. VISLOSKY.
 H.R. 1578: Mr. HASTINGS of Florida.
 H.R. 1594: Mr. LINDER, Mr. ZIMMER, Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. ARCHER, Mr. HAYWORTH, and Mr. HANCOCK.
 H.R. 1627: Mr. HAYES and Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota.
 H. Con. Res. 8: Mr. SAXTON.
 H. Con. Res. 12: Ms. DUNN of Washington.
 H. Con. Res. 63: Ms. DUNN of Washington and Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania.
 H. Con. Res. 66: Mr. HANCOCK, Mr. FORBES, Mr. CRANE, Mr. FUNDERBURK, Mr. FAWELL, Mr. NORWOOD, and Mr. BURR.

DELETIONS OF SPONSORS FROM PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

H. Con. Res. 32: Mr. McNULTY.

AMENDMENTS

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

H.R. 1561

OFFERED BY: MR. GILMAN

(Committee Amendment in the Nature of a Substitute)

AMENDMENT No. 1: Strike all after the enacting clause and insert the following:

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

This Act may be cited as the "American Overseas Interests Act of 1995".

SEC. 2. ORGANIZATION OF ACT INTO DIVISIONS; TABLE OF CONTENTS.

(a) DIVISIONS.—This Act is organized into three divisions as follows:

(1) Division A—Consolidation of Foreign Affairs Agencies.

(2) Division B—Foreign Relations Authorizations.

(3) Division C—Foreign Assistance Authorizations.

(b) TABLE OF CONTENTS.—The table of contents for this Act is as follows:

Sec. 1. Short title.

Sec. 2. Organization of Act into divisions; table of contents.

DIVISION A—CONSOLIDATION OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS AGENCIES

TITLE I—GENERAL PROVISIONS

Sec. 101. Short title.

Sec. 102. Congressional findings.

Sec. 103. Purposes.

Sec. 104. Definitions.

TITLE II—UNITED STATES ARMS CONTROL AND DISARMAMENT AGENCY

CHAPTER 1—GENERAL PROVISIONS

Sec. 201. Effective date.

Sec. 202. References in title.

CHAPTER 2—ABOLITION OF UNITED STATES ARMS CONTROL AND DISARMAMENT AGENCY AND TRANSFER OF FUNCTIONS TO SECRETARY OF STATE

Sec. 211. Abolition of United States Arms Control and Disarmament Agency.

Sec. 212. Transfer of functions to Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 3—REORGANIZATION OF DEPARTMENT OF STATE RELATING TO FUNCTIONS TRANSFERRED UNDER THIS TITLE

Sec. 221. Reorganization plan.

Sec. 222. Coordinator for arms control and disarmament.

CHAPTER 4—CONFORMING AMENDMENTS

Sec. 241. References.

Sec. 242. Repeal of establishment of agency.

Sec. 243. Repeal of positions and offices.

Sec. 244. Transfer of authorities and functions under the Arms Control and Disarmament Act to the Secretary of State.

Sec. 245. Conforming amendments.

TITLE III—UNITED STATES INFORMATION AGENCY

CHAPTER 1—GENERAL PROVISIONS

Sec. 301. Effective date.

CHAPTER 2—ABOLITION OF UNITED STATES INFORMATION AGENCY AND TRANSFER OF FUNCTIONS TO SECRETARY OF STATE

Sec. 311. Abolition of United States Information Agency.

Sec. 312. Transfer of functions to Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 3—REORGANIZATION OF DEPARTMENT OF STATE RELATING TO FUNCTIONS TRANSFERRED UNDER THIS TITLE

Sec. 321. Reorganization plan.

Sec. 322. Principal officers.

CHAPTER 4—CONFORMING AMENDMENTS

Sec. 341. References.

Sec. 342. Abolition of Office of Inspector General of the United States Information Agency and transfer of functions to Office of Inspector General of the Department of State.

Sec. 343. Amendments to title 5.

Sec. 344. Amendments to United States Information and Educational Exchange Act of 1948.

Sec. 345. Amendments to the Mutual Educational and Cultural Exchange Act of 1961 (Fulbright-Hays Act).

Sec. 346. International broadcasting activities.

Sec. 347. Television broadcasting to Cuba.

Sec. 348. Radio broadcasting to Cuba.

Sec. 349. National Endowment for Democracy.

Sec. 350. United States scholarship program for developing countries.

Sec. 351. Fawcett Fellowship Board.

Sec. 352. National Security Education Board.

Sec. 353. Center for Cultural and Technical Interchange between North and South.

Sec. 354. East-West Center.

Sec. 355. Mission of the Department of State.

Sec. 356. Consolidation of administrative services.

Sec. 357. Grants.

Sec. 358. Ban on domestic activities.

Sec. 359. Conforming repeal to the Arms Control and Disarmament Act.

Sec. 360. Repeal relating to procurement of legal services.

Sec. 361. Repeal relating to payment of subsistence expenses.

Sec. 362. Conforming amendment to the Seed Act.

Sec. 363. International Cultural and Trade Center Commission.

Sec. 364. Foreign Service Act of 1980.

Sec. 365. Au pair programs.

Sec. 366. Exchange program with countries in transition from totalitarianism to democracy.

Sec. 367. Edmund S. Muskie Fellowship program.

Sec. 368. Implementation of convention on cultural property.

Sec. 369. Mike Mansfield Fellowships.

TITLE IV—AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

CHAPTER 1—GENERAL PROVISIONS

Sec. 401. Effective date.

Sec. 402. References in title.

CHAPTER 2—ABOLITION OF THE AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND TRANSFER OF FUNCTIONS TO SECRETARY OF STATE

Sec. 411. Abolition of Agency for International Development and the International Development Cooperation Agency.

Sec. 412. Transfer of functions to Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 3—REORGANIZATION OF DEPARTMENT OF STATE RELATING TO FUNCTIONS TRANSFERRED UNDER THIS TITLE

Sec. 421. Reorganization plan.

Sec. 422. Principal officers.

CHAPTER 4—CONFORMING AMENDMENTS

Sec. 441. References.

Sec. 442. Abolition of Office of Inspector General of the Agency for International Development and transfer of functions to Office of Inspector General of the Department of State.

Sec. 443. Abolition of Chief Financial Officer of the Agency for International Development and transfer of functions to Chief Financial Officer Department of State.

Sec. 444. Amendments to title 5, United States Code.

Sec. 445. Public Law 480 program.

TITLE V—TRANSITION

Sec. 501. Reorganization authority.

Sec. 502. Transfer and allocation of appropriations and personnel.

Sec. 503. Incidental transfers.

Sec. 504. Effect on personnel.

Sec. 505. Voluntary separation incentives.

Sec. 506. Savings provisions.

Sec. 507. Property and facilities.

Sec. 508. Authority of Secretary to facilitate transition.

Sec. 509. Recommendations for additional conforming amendments.

Sec. 510. Final report.

Sec. 511. Severability.

DIVISION B—FOREIGN RELATIONS AUTHORIZATIONS

TITLE XX—GENERAL PROVISIONS

Sec. 2001. Short title.

Sec. 2002. Definitions.

TITLE XXI—AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS FOR DEPARTMENT OF STATE AND CERTAIN INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS FUNCTIONS AND ACTIVITIES

CHAPTER 1—AUTHORIZATIONS OF APPROPRIATIONS

Sec. 2101. Administration of Foreign Affairs.