Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Service's final rule—Fisheries Off West Coast States and in the Western Pacific; West Coast Salmon Fisheries; Closures from the Oregon-California Border to Humboldt South Jetty, CA, and from the U.S.-Canadian Border to Leadbetter Point, WA [Docket No. 960126016-6121-04; I.D. 090396B] received September 12, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5100. A letter from the Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Service's final rule—Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Pollock by Vessels Using Nonpelagic Trawl Gear in the Bering Sea and Aleutian Island Area [Docket No. 960129019-6019-01; I.D. 090696F] received September 12, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5101. A letter from the Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Service's final rule—Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Scallop Fishery; Closure in Registration Area H [Docket No. 960502124–6190–02; I.D. 082796E] received September 12, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5102. A letter from the Director, Office of Surface Mining, transmitting the Office's final rule—Alaska Regulatory Program [AK-004-FOR; Alaska Amendment IV] received September 12, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5103. A letter from the Assistant Secretary of the Army (Civil works), Department of the Army, transmitting a report recommending authorization of a deep-draft navigation project at Port Fourchon, Lafourche Parish, LA; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5104. A letter from the Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, transmitting the Department's final rule—Removal of 28 CFR Part 25—Recommendations to the President on Civil Aeronautics Board Decisions [AG Order No. 2002–95] (RIN: 1105–AA41) received September 11, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5105. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Last-in, First-out Inventories (Revenue Ruling 96-22) received September 12, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5106. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Combination of Combined Taxable Income Under the Profit Split Method When the Possession Product is a Component Product or an End-Product Form for Purposes of the Possessions Credit Under Section 936 (RIN: 1545–AR18) received September 12, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and

Means. 5107. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Excise Taxes on Excess Benefit Transactions Engaged in by Certain Tax-Exempt Organizations (Notice 96-

46) received September 12, 1996, pursuant to 5

U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5108. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Private Inurement Expressly Prohibited for Section 501(c)(4) Organizations (Notice 96-47) received September 12, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5109. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Tax-Exempt Organization Information Returns—Requirement to Provide Copies to the Public and Increases in Certain Penalties (Notice 96–48) received September 12, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5110. A letter from the Chairman, Railroad Retirement Board, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to amend the Railroad Retirement Act to conform the statute of limitations with respect to the creditability of compensation under that act to the statute of limitations with respect to the payment of taxes under the Railroad Retirement Tax Act and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5111. A letter from the Chair of the Board, Office of Compliance, transmitting notice of issuance of final regulations for publication in the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD, pursuant to Public Law 104–1, section 304(d)(1) (109 Stat 30); jointly, to the Committees on House Oversight and Economic and Educational Opportunities.

## 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. MYERS: Committee of conference. Conference report on H.R. 3816. A bill making appropriations for energy and water development for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997, and for other purposes (Rept. 104–782). Ordered to be printed.

Mr. GOODLING: Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities. H.R. 3876. A bill to amend the Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act of 1974 to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000; and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 104–783). Referred to the Committee of the WholeHouse on the State of the Union.

Mr. MOORHEAD: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 3460. A bill to establish the Patent and Trademark Office as a Government corporation, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 104–784). Referred to the Committee of the WholeHouse on the State of the Union.

# TIME LIMITATION OF REFERRED BILL

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

H.R. 2740. Referral to the Committee on Commerce extended for a period ending not later than September 20, 1996.

#### 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. BILBRAY (for himself, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. HERGER, Mr. MOORHEAD, Mr. RIGGS, Mr. BONO, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. MCKEON, Mrs. SEASTRAND, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. BAKER of California, Mr. CALVERT, and Mr. DREIER):

H.R. 4062. A bill to authorize appropriations to reimburse States for costs of educating certain illegal alien students; to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

By Mr. LAZIO of New York (for himself and Mr. BAKER of California):

H.R. 4063. A bill to provide for adjustments to the conforming loan limits for the Federal National Mortgage Association and the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation and to the maximum mortgage limit for the single family mortgage insurance program of the Department of Housing and Urban Development that more accurately reflect the changes in housing costs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. KLINK (for himself and Mr. DOYLE):

DOYLE):
H.R. 4064. A bill to amend the Department of Housing and Urban Development Act to provide for the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development to notify and consult with the unit of general local government within which an assisted multifamily housing project is to be located before providing any low-income housing assistance for the project; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. GEPHARDT (for himself, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. STARK, Mr. MILLER of California, Mr. DEFAZIO, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. SPRATT, Mr. PAYNE of New Jersey, Mr. MARKEY, and Mr. LEWIS of Georgia):

H.R. 4005. A bill to require prior congressional approval before the President supports the admission of the People's Republic of China into the World Trade Organization, and to provide for the withdrawal of the United States from the World Trade Organization if China is accepted into the WTO without the support of the United States; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Rules, 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. BAKER of California: H.R. 4066. A bill to direct the Secretary of the Navy to transfer the U.S.S. *Missouri* (BB-63) to the U.S.S. *Missouri* Allied Forces Memorial, San Francisco, CA; to the Committee on National Security.

By Mr. GALLEGLY (for himself, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, and Mr. KILDEE): H.R. 4067. A bill to provide for representation of the Northern Mariana Islands by a nonvoting Delegate in theHouse of Representatives; to the Committee on Re-

By Mr. STUMP (for himself, Mr. Montgomery, Mr. Spence, Mr. Evans, Mr. Everett, Mr. Edwards, Mr. Buyer, Mr. Tejeda, and Mr. Hefley):

H.R. 4068. A bill to establish a demonstration project to provide that the Department of Veterans Affairs may receive Medicare reimbursement for health care services provided to certain Medicare-eligible veterans; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, and in addition to the Committees on Commerce, and 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. BENTSEN:

H.R. 4069. A bill to amend the Social Security Act to establish the teaching hospital and graduate medical education trust fund, and for other purposes; 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. GORDON (for himself, Mr. BRY-ANT of Tennessee, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. FORD, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. QUILLEN, Mr. TANNER, and Mr. WAMP):

H.R. 4070. A bill to designate the Federal building located in Cookeville, TN, as the "L. Clure Morton United States Post Office and Courthouse"; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut:

H.R. 4071. A bill to amend the small Business Act to assist the development of small business concerns owned and controlled by women, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Small Business.

By Mr. NETHERCUTT (for himself, Mr. ROBERTS, and Mr. HASTINGS of Wash-

ington):

H.R. 4072. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide that the alternative minimum tax shall not apply to installment sales of farm property; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. PORTMAN (for himself, Mr. Chabot, Mr. Stokes, Mr. Regula, Mr. Jefferson, Mr. Cremeans, Mr. Bunning of Kentucky, Mr. Torricelli, Mr. Hobson, Mr. LaTourette, Mr. Hoke, Mr. Kasich, Mr. Sawyer, Mr. Hall of Ohio, Mr. Watts of Oklahoma, Mr. Boehner, Ms. Pryce, Mr. Traficant, Mr. Ney, Mr. Oxley, Mr. Jacobs, Mr. Zimmer, Mr. Lipinski, Mr. Evans, and Mr. Towns)

H.R. 4073. A bill to authorize the National Park Service to coordinate programs with, provide technical assistance to, and enter into cooperative agreements with, the National Underground Railroad Freedom Center in Cincinnati, OH, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. REED:

H.R. 4074. A bill to require that jewelry imported from another country be indelibly marked with the country of origin; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. STARK:

H.R. 4075. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and title XVIII of the Social Security Act to establish a program of assistance for essential community providers of health care services, to establish a program to update and maintain the infrastructure requirements of safety net hospitals, and to require States to develop plans for the allocation and review of expenditures for the capital-related costs of health care services; 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. WILLIAMS:

H.R. 4076. A bill to establish a commission to make recommendations on the appropriate size of membership of the House of

Representatives and the method by which Representatives are elected; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. YOUNG of Alaska (for himself and Mr. Brewster):

H.R. 4077. A bill to clarify hunting prohibitions and provide for wildlife habitat under the Migratory Bird Treaty Act; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. BEREUTER (for himself and Mr. BERMAN):

H. Con. Res. 213. Concurrent resolution concerning the urgent need to improve the living standards of those South Asians living in the Ganges and the Brahmaputra river basin; to the Committee on International Relations, and in addition to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services, 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. SMITH of Washington:

H. Con. Res. 214. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress that a patient has certain rights regarding medical care that should be protected by law; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. MILLER of California:

H. Res. 521. Resolution to express the sense of the House regarding the outstanding achievements of NetDay96; to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

### PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 1 of rule XXII.

Mr. TAUZIN introduced a bill (H.R. 4078) to authorize the Secretary of Transportation to issue a certificate of documentation with appropriate endorsement for employment in the coastwise trade for the vessel *Regent Rainbow;* which was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

#### ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 43: Mr. MANTON.

H.R. 218: Mr. MURTHA, Mr. BORSKI, and Mr. SHADEGG.

H.R. 878: Mr. DAVIS.

H.R. 972: Mr. MOAKLEY.

H.R. 1023: Mr. BILIRAKIS.

H.R. 1961: Mr. CAMPBELL.

 $H.R.\ 1711:\ Mr.\ BARR$  and  $Mr.\ HASTINGS$  of Washington.

H.R. 1805: Mr. DAVIS.

H.R. 2009: Ms. NORTON, Mr. EVANS, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mrs. CALYTON, Mr. CUMMINGS, and Mr. RANGEL.

 $H.R.\ 2011;$  Mr. Hutchinson and Mrs. Myrick.

 $H.R.\ 2416:\ Mr.\ FATTAH,\ Mr.\ CUNNINGHAM,$  and  $Mr.\ CASTLE.$ 

H.R. 2757: Mr. SAXTON, Mr. SOUDER, and Mr. McHugh.

H.R. 2930: Mr. WELDON Of Florida.

 $\mbox{H.R. 3077: Mr. SMITH of New Jersey and Mr. Rangel.}$ 

H.R. 3142: Ms. HARMAN.

H.R. 3187: Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, and Mr. BRYANT of Texas.

H.R. 3199: Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky.

H.R. 3217: Mr. BOEHLERT.

H.R. 3226: Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. NADLER, and Mr. BERMAN.

H.R. 3355: Mr. MASCARA.

H.R. 3374: Mr. MATSUI.

 $H.R.\ 3433;\ Mr.\ DICKEY$  and  $Mr.\ LIPINSKI.$ 

H.R. 3514: Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mr. BACHUS, and Mr. DICKEY.

H.R. 3565: Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 3609: Mr. EVANS and Mrs. LOWEY.

H.R. 3621: Mr. TORKILDSEN.

 $\rm H.R.$  3690: Mr. Coble, Mr. Combest, Mr. Hefley, Mr. Livingston, Mr. McIntosh, and Mr. Bono.

H.R. 3691: Mr. YATES and Mr. STARK.

 $H.R.\ 3714;\ Mr.\ HAYWORTH,\ Mr.\ PETERSON of Minnesota, and Mr.\ KANJORSKI.$ 

H.R. 3775: Mr. DICKEY and Mr. SHADEGG.

H.R. 3798: Mr. HEINEMAN.

H.R. 3839: Mr. MASCARA, Mr. SKAGGS, Mr. CLEMENT, and Mr. HALL of Ohio.

 $\mbox{H.R.}$  3840: Mr. CAMP, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. HOKE, Mr. SCARBOROUGH, and Mr. COBURN.

 $H.R.\ 3842;\ Mr.\ KENNEDY$  of Massachusetts and Mrs. Morella.

H.R. 3849: Mr. LARGENT.

H.R. 3856: Mr. TRAFICANT.

 $H.R.\ 3860:\ Mr.\ HILLIARD,\ Mr.\ DELLUMS,\ Mr.\ FRAZER,\ and\ Mr.\ CONYERS.$ 

 $H.R.\ 3923;\ Mr.\ DINGELL,\ Mr.\ HALL\ of\ Ohio,\ Mr.\ MEEHAN,\ and\ Mr.\ PAYNE\ of\ Virginia.$ 

H.R. 3937: Mr. HEINEMAN. H.R. 3939: Mr. BACHUS.

H.R. 3959: Mr. BACHUS. H.R. 3959: Mr. ROEMER.

H.R. 4000: Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. MASCARA, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. WARD, Mr. MEEHAN, and

Mr. Tanner. H.R. 4027: Mr. Bereuter and Mr. Lipinski.

H.R. 4028: Mr. EHLERS.

H.R. 4039: Mr. BENTSEN.

 $H.R.\ 4047;\ Mr.\ Coburn,\ Ms.\ Pelosi,\ Mr.\ Borski,\ and\ Mr.\ Bentsen.$ 

 $H.R.\ 4052;\ Mr.\ Barrett$  of Wisconsin.

H.J. Res. 191: Mr. Fox.

H. Con. Res. 51: Mr. McIntosh.

H. Con. Res. 128: Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. LEACH, Mr. BROWDER, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. FILNER, Mr. FROST, Mr. TORRICELLI, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. BONIOR, and Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts.

H. Con. Res. 190: Mr. Cox.

H. Con. Res. 199: Mr. REED.

H. Con. Res. 212: Mr. TORRICELLI.