

By Mr. DEUTSCH (for himself, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. HEINEMAN, Mr. LIPINSKI, and Mr. FROST):

H.R. 2912. A bill to amend title I of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to require a 33 percent reduction in certain assistance to a State under such title unless public safety officers who retire as a result of injuries sustained in the line of duty continue to receive health insurance benefits; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania (for himself, Mr. CLINGER, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, and Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina):

H.R. 2913. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide that amounts collected with respect to the provision of health care at a Department of Veterans Affairs medical center may be retained by that medical center; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts:

H.R. 2914. A bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to clarify the authority of the Secretary of Education with respect to eligibility standards for short term educational programs; to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

By Mr. HAYES:

H.R. 2915. A bill to enhance support and work opportunities for families with children, reduce welfare dependence, and control welfare spending; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Agriculture, Economic and Educational Opportunities, Banking and Financial Services, Government Reform and Oversight, Commerce, the Judiciary, and International Relations, 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. KENNEDY of Rhode Island (for himself and Mr. REED):

H.R. 2916. A bill to amend title 46, United States Code, to ensure the safety of towing vessels; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Ms. NORTON:

H.R. 2917. A bill to authorize the Chief of Engineers of the Army Corps of Engineers to make capital improvements for the Washington Aqueduct, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. OWENS:

H.R. 2918. A bill to deny funds to educational programs that allow corporal punishment; to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

By Mr. QUINN:

H.R. 2919. A bill to amend the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act of 1980 to provide for the development and use of brownfields, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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. SMITH of Michigan (for himself, Mr. SOLOMON, and Mr. SHAYS):

H.R. 2920. A bill to limit the issuance of public debt obligations after December 31, 2001, and to impose maximum limits on the amount of the public debt limit; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. THURMAN (for herself, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. CANADY, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mrs. FOWLER, Mr. GOSS, Mr. JOHNSTON of Florida, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. MICA, Mr. PETERSON of

Florida, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. SHAW, Mr. STEARNS, and Mr. WELDON of Florida):

H.R. 2921. A bill to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act to provide that imported tomatoes are subject to packing standards contained in marketing orders issued by the Secretary of Agriculture, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, 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. TRAFICANT:

H.R. 2922. A bill to amend part Q of title I of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to ensure that Federal funds made available to hire or rehire law enforcement officers are used in a manner that produces a net gain of the number of law enforcement officers who perform nonadministrative public safety services; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. WATERS:

H.R. 2923. A bill to extend for 4 additional years the waiver granted to the Watts Health Foundation from the membership mix requirement for health maintenance organizations participating in the Medicare Programs; 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. FARR (for himself, Mr. HALL of Ohio, Mr. WARD, Mr. WALSH, Mr. PETRI, and Mr. SHAYS):

H.J. Res. 158. Joint resolution to recognize the Peace Corps on the occasion of its 35th anniversary and the Americans who have served as Peace Corps volunteers; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. MINGE (for himself, Mr. BLUTE, Mr. BROWDER, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. KLUG, Mr. LIPINSKI, Ms. MCKINNEY, and Mr. QUINN):

H. Con. Res. 137. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress that mediators should be used in discussions between Congress and the President to produce a balanced budget; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

By Mr. SOLOMON (for himself, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. COX, and Mr. ACKERMAN):

H. Con. Res. 138. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress regarding the movement toward democracy by the 21 million people of the Republic of China (Taiwan), and addressing the increasingly dangerous behavior of the People's Republic of China; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. STEARNS:

H. Con. Res. 139. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress that the George Washington University is important to the Nation and urging that the importance of the university be recognized and celebrated through regular ceremonies; to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

By Mr. TORRICELLI (for himself, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. ANDREWS, and Mr. BROWN of Ohio):

H. Con. Res. 140. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress with respect to the peace and security of Taiwan; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Ms. JACKSON-LEE (for herself, Mr. BONIOR, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mrs. COLLINS of Illinois, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. JACKSON, Mr. WISE, Mr. RICHARDSON, Mr. FAZIO

of California, Mr. STUDDS, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. EDWARDS, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. GEJDESON, Mr. MILLER of California, Mr. REED, Mr. STUPAK, Mrs. LINCOLN, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. HEFNER, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. GIBBONS, Mr. DELLUMS, Ms. LOFGREN, Mrs. SCHROEDER, Ms. MCCARTHY, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. PAYNE of New Jersey, Mr. OWENS, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. WYNN, Ms. WATERS, Mr. BERMAN, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. DOGGETT, and Mr. LUTHER):

H.Res. 354. Resolution relating to a question of the privileges of the House; to the Committee on Rules.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 240: Mr. PARKER and Mr. SAXTON.
 H.R. 447: Mr. FRAZER, Mr. FOGLIETTA, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. BEREUTER, and Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.
 H.R. 598: Mr. SHADEGG.
 H.R. 619: Mr. FOGLIETTA, Mr. OLVER, and Mr. MEEHAN.
 H.R. 620: Mr. FOGLIETTA.
 H.R. 784: Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. SCARBOROUGH, and Mr. BUNNING of Kentucky.
 H.R. 820: Mr. LARGENT and Mr. BAESLER.
 H.R. 995: Mr. GUNDERSON.
 H.R. 1023: Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas.
 H.R. 1078: Mr. JOHNSTON of Florida.
 H.R. 1202: Ms. LOFGREN and Mr. McNULTY.
 H.R. 1325: Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mr. JOHNSTON of Florida, and Ms. NORTON.
 H.R. 1400: Mr. HASTINGS of Florida and Mr. LIPINSKI.
 H.R. 1402: Mr. FATTAH.
 H.R. 1484: Mr. MENENDEZ.
 H.R. 1610: Mr. POMEROY.
 H.R. 1625: Mr. BARCIA of Michigan, Mr. SOUDER, and Mr. FORBES.
 H.R. 1627: Mr. BARCIA of Michigan.
 H.R. 1776: Mr. HEFNER.
 H.R. 1856: Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. HEFNER, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. WELDON of Florida, and Mr. BEVILL.
 H.R. 1900: Mr. CRAPO.
 H.R. 1955: Ms. JACKSON-LEE.
 H.R. 1963: Mrs. MINK of Hawaii.
 H.R. 2003: Mr. STARK and Mr. VOLKMER.
 H.R. 2009: Mr. BROWN of Ohio.
 H.R. 2019: Mr. ANDREWS and Mr. DUNCAN.
 H.R. 2181: Mr. PORTER.
 H.R. 2190: Mr. ORTON and Mr. ISTOOK.
 H.R. 2200: Mr. HAMILTON, Mr. SHADEGG, and Mr. HALL of Texas.
 H.R. 2246: Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. OWENS, and Mr. BISHOP.
 H.R. 2260: Mr. LEACH.
 H.R. 2270: Mr. HEFLEY.
 H.R. 2310: Mr. MARTINI.
 H.R. 2342: Mr. BISHOP.
 H.R. 2400: Mr. BISHOP and Mrs. MALONEY.
 H.R. 2406: Mr. SHAYS.
 H.R. 2416: Mr. SHAW and Mr. WAMP.
 H.R. 2450: Mr. COX.
 H.R. 2506: Mr. CONDIT.
 H.R. 2508: Mr. FRISA, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mr. CASTLE, and Mr. FORBES.
 H.R. 2534: Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. OLVER, and Mr. MEEHAN.
 H.R. 2579: Mr. WELLER, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Mr. BROWDER, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. PARKER, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. FRISA, and Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky.
 H.R. 2597: Mr. DIAZ-BALART and Mr. JOHNSTON of Florida.

H.R. 2651: Mr. GALLEGLY.
H.R. 2664: Mr. ROBERTS, Mrs. ROUKEMA, and Mr. STARK.

H.R. 2699: Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. SAWYER, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. LAFALCE, and Mr. GIBBONS.

H.R. 2713: Mr. MARTINI, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. LATOURETTE, and Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas.
H.R. 2714: Mr. TORRES.

H.R. 2764: Mr. BLILEY, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. STEARNS, and Mr. LEVIN.

H.R. 2779: Mr. BENTSEN, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. HAYES, and Mr. LARGENT.

H.R. 2798: Mr. NETHERCUTT and Mr. MINGE.
H.R. 2848: Mr. QUINN and Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas.

H.R. 2856: Mr. FARR.

H.R. 2894: Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. SCARBOROUGH, and Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania.

H. Con. Res. 134: Mr. BAKER of California, Mr. MICA, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. METCALF, and Mr. NEY.

H. Res. 263: Mr. BUNN of Oregon and Mr. MINGE.

H. Res. 346: Mr. WALSH.

H. Res. 348: Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. SKELTON, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. HERGER, Mr. BACHUS,

Mr. FOLEY, Mr. WELDON of PENNSYLVANIA, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. MCCRERY, Mr. BUNNING of Kentucky, and Mr. CALVERT.

AMENDMENTS

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

H.R. 2854

OFFERED BY: MR. SANDERS

AMENDMENT No. 1: At the end of title II, add the following new subtitle:

Subtitle C—Northeast Interstate Dairy Compact

SEC. 231. CONGRESSIONAL CONSENT FOR NORTHEAST INTERSTATE DAIRY COMPACT.

Congress consents to the Northeast Interstate Dairy Compact entered into among the States of Vermont, New Hampshire, Maine, Connecticut, Rhode Island, and Massachusetts, subject to the following conditions:

(1) COMPENSATION OF CCC.—Before the end of each fiscal year that a Compact price regulation is in effect, the Compact Commission shall compensate the Commodity Credit Cor-

poration for the cost of any purchases of milk and milk products by the Corporation that result from any projected increase in fluid milk production for the fiscal year within the Compact region in excess of the national average rate of production.

(2) MILK MARKET ORDER ADMINISTRATOR.—By agreement among the States and the Secretary of Agriculture, the Administrator shall provide technical assistance to the Compact Commission, and be reimbursed for assistance, with respect to the applicable milk marketing order issued under section 8c(5) of the Agricultural Adjustment Act (7 U.S.C. 608c(5)), reenacted with amendments by the Agricultural Marketing Agreement Act of 1937.

(3) TERMINATION AND RENEWAL.—The consent for the Compact—

(A) shall terminate on the date that is 5 years after the date of establishment of a Compact over-order price, subject to subparagraph (B); and

(B) may be renewed by Congress, without prior re-ratification by the States' legislatures.