

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. FIELDS of Texas (for himself, Mr. PORTER, Mr. OXLEY, Mr. MOORHEAD, Mr. SCHAEFER, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. GILLMOR, and Mr. FRISA):

H.R. 2979. A bill to ensure the financial self-sufficiency of public broadcasting, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. ROYCE:

H.R. 2980. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, with respect to stalking; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BAKER of Louisiana:

H.R. 2981. A bill to amend the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956 to provide investment opportunities for small bank holding companies; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. BEVILL:

H.R. 2982. A bill to direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey the Carbon Hill National Fish Hatchery to the State of Alabama; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. FOX:

H.R. 2983. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to restore the 10-percent investment credit; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. FOX (for himself, Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. DORNAN, and Mr. ZIMMER):

H.R. 2984. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend the research credit, to allow an alternative incremental research credit, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. FOX (for himself, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Ms. MOLINARI, Mr. DORNAN, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. STOCKMAN, Mr. POMEROY, and Mrs. KELLY):

H.R. 2985. 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, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Appropriations, 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. LEACH (for himself, Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. BACHUS, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. ROYCE, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. HEINEMAN, and Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma):

H.R. 2986. A bill to establish a criminal penalty for the production, sale, transportation, or possession of fictitious financial instruments purporting to be instruments issued by a public or private entity, to require forfeiture of counterfeit access devices, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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. MANTON:

H.R. 2987. A bill to declare a portion of Queens County, NY, to be nonnavigable waters of the United States; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. McKEON:

H.R. 2988. A bill to amend the Clean Air Act to provide that traffic signal synchronization projects are exempt from certain requirements of Environmental Protection Agency rules; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. SCHIFF (for himself, Mr. RICHARDSON, and Mr. SKEEN):

H.R. 2989. A bill to redesignate the Jemez Canyon Dam as the "Tamaya Dam"; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. SMITH of Michigan:

H.R. 2990. A bill to require congressional approval of proposed rules considered by the Congress to be significant rules; to the Committee on the Judiciary, 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. QUILLEN:

H.J. Res. 161. Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to secure the people's right to acknowledge God according to the dictates of conscience; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. FAZIO of California:

H. Res. 367. Resolution designating minority membership on certain standing committees of the House; considered and agreed to.

MEMORIALS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII,

203. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Legislature of the State of New Mexico, relative to land grant permanent funds; to the Committee on Resources.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 240: Mr. FRISA, Mr. FILNER, and Ms. LOFGREN.

H.R. 248: Mr. MORAN.

H.R. 310: Mr. PORTER.

H.R. 311: Mr. PORTER.

H.R. 312: Mr. ZIMMER.

H.R. 313: Mr. PORTER.

H.R. 528: Mr. HOYER.

H.R. 820: Mr. THOMPSON, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. COX, Mr. REGULA, and Mr. FILNER.

H.R. 833: Mrs. KELLY, Mr. DOOLEY, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. SABO, Mr. OLVER, Mr. BALDACC, and Mr. VENTO.

H.R. 862: Mr. BARCIA of Michigan.

H.R. 878: Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. KLINK, and Mr. TRAFICANT.

H.R. 892: Mr. LIVINGSTON, Mr. KING, and Mr. DELAY.

H.R. 938: Mr. CRAMER.

H.R. 941: Mr. HASTINGS of Florida.

H.R. 972: Mr. MINGE.

H.R. 1023: Mr. McNULTY and Mr. THOMPSON.

H.R. 1110: Mr. CAMP.

H.R. 1305: Mr. NADLER.

H.R. 1404: Mr. CANADY, Mr. COLEMAN, Mr. THOMPSON, and Ms. LOFGREN.

H.R. 1406: Mr. EHLERS, Mr. BALLENGER, Ms. RIVERS, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. FARR, Mr. MOLLOHAN, and Mr. WARD.

H.R. 1424: Mr. STOCKMAN.

H.R. 1462: Mr. DURBIN and Mr. QUILLEN.

H.R. 1484: Mr. TEJEDA.

H.R. 1496: Mr. MYERS of Indiana and Mr. McDADE.

H.R. 1514: Mr. THORNTON, Mr. CASTLE, Mr. STUDDS, Ms. MOLINARI, Mr. STOCKMAN, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mr. GOODLING, Mr. GEKAS, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. FRAZER, Mr. EDWARDS, Mr. BROWNBACK, Mr. LATHAM, Mr. WALSH, and Mr. TIAHRT.

H.R. 1560: Mr. THOMPSON.

H.R. 1583: Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts and Mr. WYNN.

H.R. 1619: Mr. GILMAN and Mr. QUILLEN.

H.R. 1625: Mr. BARTON of Texas and Mr. McCOLLUM.

H.R. 1711: Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. NEUMANN, Mr. KING, Mr. PETRI, Mr. ROGERS, Mr. TALENT, Mr. BAKER of California, and Mr. OXLEY.

H.R. 1791: Mr. BUNNING of Kentucky.

H.R. 1863: Mr. CAMPBELL and Mr. JACKSON.

H.R. 1920: Mr. GILMAN and Mr. WALSH.

H.R. 1946: Mr. REGULA, Mr. RIGGS, Mr. McCOLLUM, Mr. BUNNING of Kentucky, Mr. NORWOOD, and Mr. NUSSLE.

H.R. 1963: Mr. FAZIO of California.

H.R. 1965: Mr. FRANKS of Connecticut, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. OBERSTAR, and Mr. LAFALCE.

H.R. 1972: Mr. CALVERT, Mr. PARKER, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. KING, and Mr. LUTHER.

H.R. 1998: Mr. LINDER and Mr. JACOBS.

H.R. 2024: Ms. FURSE, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, and Mr. FOLEY.

H.R. 2080: Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. FROST, Mr. MANTON, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. PASTOR, and Mr. HASTINGS of Florida.

H.R. 2098: Mr. BONO and Mr. WELDON of Florida.

H.R. 2137: Ms. PRYCE.

H.R. 2138: Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. SKEEN, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. FROST, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. RICHARDSON, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mr. BURR, Mr. WYNN, Mr. McCOLLUM, Mr. COLEMAN, Mr. BEVILL, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. GOODLING, Mr. THORNTON, Mr. CHRYSLER, Mr. THOMPSON, Mr. FIELDS of Texas, Mr. BRYANT of Texas, Mr. NEY, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. BENTSEN, Mr. PETE GEREN of Texas, and Mr. BISHOP.

H.R. 2178: Mr. MARKEY, Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts, Mr. TRAFICANT, and Ms. NORTON.

H.R. 2200: Mr. STEARNS, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. EHRLICH, Mr. WICKER, Mr. BARR, and Mr. DORNAN.

H.R. 2202: Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. BEVILL, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mr. OBEY, and Mr. BROWDER.

H.R. 2234: Mr. GORDON.

H.R. 2240: Mr. BOUCHER and Mr. DELLUMS.

H.R. 2333: Mr. HANCOCK, Mr. LINDER, Mr. WARD, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. BARR and Mr. CAMP.

H.R. 2335: Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. CONDIT, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. COBLE, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. BUNNING of Kentucky, Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. PICKETT, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. WHITFIELD, and Mr. STEARNS.

H.R. 2391: Mr. PETRI, Mr. MCINTOSH, and Mr. GRAHAM.

H.R. 2411: Mr. POMEROY.

H.R. 2433: Mr. FARR and Mr. FOGLIETTA.

H.R. 2435: Mr. FATTAH, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. SOLOMON, and Mr. FRANKS of Connecticut.

H.R. 2472: Mr. FOGLIETTA, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, Mr. MEEK of Florida, Mr. LUTHER, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, and Mr. GEJDENSON.

H.R. 2475: Mr. POMEROY.

H.R. 2483: Mr. McCOLLUM.

H.R. 2497: Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mr. JACOBS, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. LINDER, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. LATHAM, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. ROBERTS, and Mr. HERGER.

H.R. 2508: Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. FARR, Mr. BARCIA of Michigan, Mr. DICKEY, Mr. HEINEMAN, and Mr. PORTER.

H.R. 2531: Mr. CASTLE and Mr. GOODLATTE.

H.R. 2578: Mr. WAXMAN and Ms. SLAUGHTER.
H.R. 2579: Mr. DOYLE, Mr. PORTER, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mrs. COLLINS of Illinois, Mr. CLYBURN, Mrs. KENNELLY, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. LEACH, Mr. WARD, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. WYNN, Mr. COBURN, Mr. METCALF, Mr. McHALE, Mr. STUDDS, Mr. KINGSTON, Ms. KAPTUR, and Mr. HOYER.

H.R. 2610: Mr. PORTMAN and Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland.

H.R. 2617: Mr. HOLDEN.

H.R. 2650: Mr. SOLOMON.

H.R. 2651: Mrs. COLLINS of Illinois, Mr. WALSH, Mr. HAYES, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. KILDEE, Ms. NORTON, and Mr. VENTO.

H.R. 2652: Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. EVANS, Ms. NORTON, Mr. COSTELLO, and Mr. MINGE.

H.R. 2655: Ms. MOLINARI and Mr. PAYNE of New Jersey.

H.R. 2697: Mr. LONGLEY, Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. YATES, Mr. DOYLE, and Mr. BERMAN.

H.R. 2740: Mr. FIELDS of Texas and Mr. CRANE.

H.R. 2777: Mr. STEARNS.

H.R. 2778: Mr. CHRYSLER, Mr. BAKER of Louisiana, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. MCHALE, Mr. LEACH, Mr. WICKER, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. SCARBOROUGH, Mr. THOMAS, and Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN.

H.R. 2807: Mr. DE LA GARZA, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. CONDIT, and Mr. STOCKMAN.

H.R. 2827: Mr. LEACH, Mr. FRAZER, Mrs. SCHROEDER, Mr. KILDEE, and Mr. NEY.

H.R. 2828: Mr. QUINN and Mr. SHADEGG.

H.R. 2853: Mr. EWING.

H.R. 2856: Mr. SMITH of New Jersey and Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey.

H.R. 2873: Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. PETERSON of Florida, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. FRAZER, and Mr. McDERMOTT.

H.R. 2874: Mr. GORDON, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. STUPAK, Ms. SLAUGHTER, and Mrs. SCHROEDER.

H.R. 2875: Mrs. KELLY, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. FOX, and Ms. NORTON.

H.R. 2896: Mr. KIM.

H.R. 2898: Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. BAKER of Louisiana, Mr. NEY, Mr. CHABOT, and Mr. HERGER.

H.R. 2912: Mr. HASTINGS of Florida and Mr. UNDERWOOD.

H.R. 2919: Mr. TRAFICANT and Mr. FRAZER.

H.R. 2937: Mrs. MEYERS of Kansas, Mr. HORN, and Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 2951: Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. CHABOT, and Mr. DOYLE.

H.R. 2959: Mr. LEVIN, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. TORRES, Mr. RUSH, Mr. CLAY, Mr. BONIOR, and Mr. PALLONE.

H.R. 2969: Mr. CHRISTENSEN.

H.J. Res. 114: Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts.

H. Con. Res. 51: Mr. DOYLE.

H. Con. Res. 134: Mr. CRAPO, Mr. MOORHEAD, Mr. SCHAEFER, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, and Mr. MYERS of Indiana.

PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 1 of rule XXII,

63. The SPEAKER presented a petition of the Rensselaer County Legislature, NY, relative to supporting legislation which would require an auction of the spectrum to incorporate television networks; which was referred to the Committee on Commerce.

AMENDMENTS

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

H.R. 2854

OFFERED BY: Mr. TRAFICANT

AMENDMENT No. 6. At the end of title V (page 139, after line 17), add the following:

SEC. . SENSE OF CONGRESS REGARDING PURCHASE OF AMERICAN-MADE EQUIPMENT AND PRODUCTS; REQUIREMENT REGARDING NOTICE.

(a) PURCHASE OF AMERICAN-MADE EQUIPMENT AND PRODUCTS.—In the case of any equipment or products that may be authorized to be purchased with financial assistance provided under this Act or amendments made by this Act, it is the sense of the Congress that persons receiving such assistance should, in expending the assistance, purchase only American-made equipment and products.

(b) NOTICE TO RECIPIENTS OF ASSISTANCE.—In providing financial assistance under this Act or amendments made by this Act, the Secretary of Agriculture shall provide to each recipient of the assistance a notice describing the statement made in subsection (a) by the Congress.