

Members know I am in favor of privatization. I am a conservative Republican. But this corporatization of a Government function, of a core Government function, it is the Government's job to protect our individual rights. It has been part of our system since the founding of our country. This is not the way to privatize Government. We cannot do that, because that is the job of the Government.

Mr. Speaker, basically the patent examiners, and by the way, by making it a quasi-corporate structure, congressional oversight is taken back, but what also happens is that the patent examiners, these men and women who have dedicated themselves to a fair adjudication of American applications for patents, these people work hard and they struggle, and it is a tough job, but it is a judicial function, because they are making decisions as to who owns billions of dollars of technology.

These people are going to be stripped, they will be stripped of their civil service protection. This opens up everything to corruption. It opens it up to outside influences. Why are we doing this? Why are we doing this? If the patent office is corporatized, Bruce Lehman, the minister of harmonization with our laws with Japan, he is going to head the patent office, and he will be a virtual dictator of that office compared to what now it is, when we basically have it being part of the Government rather than a semi-private operation.

These changes are destructive. They will work against the best interests of the United States. It is transparent, the corruption that will be created, and the special interests from all over the world who will be trying to interfere with a system, a system which has served us so well and kept America ahead of the pack, ensured that the United States of America had a middle class, people who had decent lives because we had technology that permitted us to outcompete our adversaries economically and defeat our military adversaries when our country was in trouble.

H.R. 3460, the Steal American Technologies Act, that is the Moorhead-Schroeder bill, patent act, it must be defeated. The Rohrabacher substitute, which I will offer on the floor, which restores American patent rights, must be passed. It is something we have to do to protect the well-being of our citizens.

Huge companies have been opposed to this proposal. It is up to the American people. The American people have to weigh in, or huge corporations, multinational corporations, will have their way. So far we have the support of small business, the little guys, every small inventors organization in the country, even American universities. But the big corporations of the United States of America have weighed in because they have a vision of a global market, and who cares about the rights of the American people or the standard

of living of the American people. It is this global marketplace which is more important.

Mr. Speaker, we can make democracy work here. We can defeat the big guys if the little guys get together and make sure that they are contacting their Representatives in Washington and demanding that a piece of legislation so detrimental to our country's well-being, the Steal American Technologies Act, is defeated, H.R. 3460, and that the substitute that I am proposing, the Rohrabacher substitute, is placed in its stead.

Now is the time for us as Americans to stand together and tell the elites of the world we will never see our rights diminished by any kind of global vision. We will make sure that our children have a better life, because we are all the children, and all of Americans will always be the children, of Ben Franklin and Thomas Jefferson. We will never give up the rights that they gave us as their legacy.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to:

Mr. EMERSON (at the request of Mr. ARMEY) for today until 3 p.m., on account of attending his daughter's graduation.

Mr. MARTINI (at the request of Mr. ARMEY) until 2 p.m. today, on account of attending his daughter's graduation.

Mr. BASS (at the request of Mr. ARMEY) until 2:30 p.m. today, on account of attending a funeral.

Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina (at the request of Mr. ARMEY) for today until 5 p.m., on account of traveling to Greelyville, SC, to join the President in standing against arson attacks on places of worship.

SPECIAL ORDERS GRANTED

By unanimous consent, permission to address the House, following the legislative program and any special orders heretofore entered, was granted to:

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA) to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material:)

Ms. KAPTUR, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. VOLKMER, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, for 5 minutes, today.

Mrs. COLLINS of Illinois, for 5 minutes, today.

Ms. DELAURO, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. FILNER, for 5 minutes, today.

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. ROHRABACHER) to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material:)

Mr. MANZULLO, for 5 minutes each day, on June 18 and 19.

Mrs. KELLY, for 5 minutes each day, on June 13 and 19.

Mr. WAMP, for 5 minutes each day, on June 12 and 13.

Mr. GUTKNECHT, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. METCALF, for 5 minutes, today.

Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, for 5 minutes on June 13.

Mr. WELLER, for 5 minutes, today.

Ms. DUNN of Washington, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. HILLEARY, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. DORNAN, for 5 minutes, today.

EXTENSION OF REMARKS

By unanimous consent, permission to revise and extend remarks was granted to:

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA) and to include extraneous matter:)

Mr. DELLUMS.

Mr. HAMILTON.

Mr. GEJDENSON.

Mr. JACOBS.

Mr. RAHALL.

Ms. DELAURO.

Ms. NORTON.

Mr. TORRES.

Mr. VENTO.

Mr. LAFALCE.

Mr. REED.

Mr. PALLONE.

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. ROHRABACHER) and to include extraneous matter:)

Mr. KING.

Mr. BOEHLERT.

Mr. GRAHAM.

Mr. DELAY.

Mr. DAVIS.

Mr. ROHRABACHER.

Mr. SPENCE.

Mr. HOKE.

Mr. YOUNG of Florida.

Mrs. MORELLA.

Mr. NETHERCUTT.

Mr. BILIRAKIS.

Mr. CUNNINGHAM in two instances.

Mr. ALLARD.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska.

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. ROHRABACHER) and to include extraneous matter:)

Mr. GORDON.

Mr. PARKER.

Mr. DORNAN.

Mr. THOMPSON.

Mr. FARR of California.

Mr. KNOLLENBERG.

Mr. GILMAN.

Mrs. FOWLER.

Mr. LATHAM.

Mr. FLAKE.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. ROHRABACHER. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 11 o'clock and 59 minutes p.m.), the House adjourned until tomorrow, Thursday, June 13, 1996, at 10 a.m.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 2 of rule XXIV, executive communications were taken from

the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

3517. A letter from the Acting Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Spear-mint Oil Produced in the Far West; Revision of the Salable Quantity and Allotment Percentages for Class 1 (Scotch) Spearmint Oil the 1995-96 Marketing Year [Docket No. FV96-985-1FIR] (7 CFR Part 985) received June 11, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

3518. A letter from the Acting Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Honey Research, Promotion, and Consumer Information Order—Amendment of the Rules and Regulations to Add HTS Code for Flavored Honey [AMS-FV-96-701.FR] (7 CFR Part 1240) received June 11, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

3519. A letter from the Secretary of Defense, transmitting certification that the detail of 88 DOD personnel to other Federal agencies, under the DOD Counterdrug Detail Program, are in the national security interest of the United States, pursuant to Public Law 103-337, section 1011(c) (108 Stat. 2836); to the Committee on National Security.

3520. A letter from the Secretary of Defense, transmitting the Secretary's report entitled "Defense Nuclear Agency Long-Term Radiation Tolerant Microelectronics Program," pursuant to Public Law 104-106, section 217(c)(2) (110 Stat. 222); to the Committee on National Security.

3521. A letter from the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the Department's report entitled "Assessment of the Comprehensive Grant Program," pursuant to Public Law 101-625, section 509(i)(1) (104 Stat. 4193); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

3522. A letter from the Secretary of Education, transmitting final regulations—William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan Program; Institutional Eligibility Under the Higher Education Act of 1965, as Amended; Student Assistance General Provisions—received June 10, 1996, pursuant to 20 U.S.C. 1232(d)(1); to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

3523. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's final rule—William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan Program; Institutional Eligibility Under The Higher Education Act of 1965, As Amended; Student Assistance General Provisions (RIN: 1840-AC18) received June 10, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

3524. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Pennsylvania: Partial Approval of PM-10 Implementation Plan for the Liberty Borough Area of Allegheny County (FRL-5463-3) received June 11, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

3525. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Tennessee: Approval of Revisions to Process Gaseous Emission Standards for Total Reduced Sulfur Emissions from Kraft Mills (FRL-5519-6) received June 11, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

3526. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management and Information, Envi-

ronmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Quizalofop-P Ethyl Ester; Pesticide Tolerance and Feed Additive Regulation (FRL-5375-6) received June 11, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

3527. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Outer Continental Shelf Air Regulations Consistency Update for California (FRL-5515-7) received June 5, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

3528. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—48 CFR Parts 1501, 1509, 1510, 1515, 1532, 1552, and 1553 Acquisition Regulation (FRL-5516-4) received June 5, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

3529. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Prohibition on Gasoline Containing Lead or Lead Additives for Highway Use (FRL-5513-3) received June 5, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

3530. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Commonwealth of Pennsylvania: Revocation of Determination of Attainment of Ozone Standard by the Pittsburgh-Beaver Valley Ozone Nonattainment Area and Reinstatement of Applicability of Certain Reasonable Further Progress and Attainment Demonstration Requirements (FRL-5511-2) received June 5, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

3531. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Description of Areas for Air Quality Planning: State of Idaho; Correction to Boundary of the Power-Bannock Counties Particulate Matter Non-attainment Area to Exclude the Inkom Area (FRL-5515-1) received June 5, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

3532. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Pesticide Tolerance: 1-[[2-(2,4-Dichlorophenyl)-4-Propyl-1,3-Dioxolan-2-yl]Methyl]-1H-1,2,4-Triazole (FRL-5368-4) received June 5, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

3533. A letter from the Managing Director, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Definition of Markets for Purposes of the Cable Television Mandatory Television Broadcast Signal Carriage Rules—Implementation of Section 301(d) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996: Market Determinations [CS Docket No. 95-178] received June 11, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

3534. A letter from the Managing Director, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Implementation of Sections of the Cable Television Consumer Protection and Competition Act of 1992: Rate Regulation—Leased Commercial Access [MM Docket No. 92-266]; [CS Docket No. 96-60] received June 11, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

3535. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Administration's proposals for the reauthoriza-

tion of the National Institutes of Health; to the Committee on Commerce.

3536. A letter from the Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, transmitting notification of a cooperative framework to facilitate any future United States/United Kingdom cooperative activity in the advanced concept technology demonstration [ACTD] area (Transmittal No. 13-96) Received June 11, 1996, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2767(f); to the Committee on International Relations.

3537. A letter from the Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, transmitting notification concerning the Department of the Navy's proposed Letter(s) of Offer and Acceptance [LOA] to Brunei for defense articles and services (Transmittal No. 96-51) received June 11, 1996, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(b); to the Committee on International Relations.

3538. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Department's final rule—Shipping and Seamen (Bureau of Consular Affairs) (22 CFR Parts 81 through 88) [Public Notice 2406] received June 10, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on International Relations.

3539. A letter from the Director of Financial Management and Deputy Chief Financial Officer, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Secretary's revised semi-annual report on audit followup for the period April 1, 1995, through September 30, 1995, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

3540. A letter from the Chairman, Board of Directors, Corporation for Public Broadcasting, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the inspector general for the period October 1, 1995, through March 31, 1996, and the semiannual management report on audit followup for the same period, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

3541. A letter from the Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting notification that OPM has approved a proposal for a personnel management demonstration project for the Department of the Air Force, submitted by the Department of Defense, pursuant to Public Law 103-337, section 342(b) (108 Stat. 2721); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

3542. A letter from the Chairman, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting a copy of the annual report in compliance with the Government in the Sunshine Act during the calendar year 1995, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b(j); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

3543. A letter from the Chairman, Board of Directors, Tennessee Valley Authority, transmitting a copy of the annual report in compliance with the Government in the Sunshine Act during the calendar year 1995, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b(j); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

3544. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Powerless Flight (National Park Service, Appalachian National Science Trail) (RIN: 1024-AC23) received June 12, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

3545. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Conveyance of Freehold and Leasehold Interest, 36 CFR Part 17 (National Park Service) (RIN: 1024-AC27) received June 12, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

3546. A letter from the Program Management Officer, National Marine Fisheries Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Atlantic Swordfish Fishery; 1996 Quotas, Minimum Size, Adjustment [Docket No. 960314073-6145-02; I.D. 030896E] received June 11, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

3547. A letter from the Program Management Officer, National Marine Fisheries Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Atlantic Striped Bass Fishery; Atlantic Coastal Fisheries Cooperative Management; Consolidation and Revision of Regulations [Docket No. 950915230-6123-03; I.D. 022796D] received June 11, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

3548. A letter from the Assistant Attorney General of the United States, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation entitled the "Enhanced Prosecution and Punishment of Armed Dangerous Felons Act of 1996"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

3549. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of Class D Airspace; Minneapolis, Anoka, MN (Federal Aviation Administration) [RIN: 2120-AA66] (1996-0055) received June 10, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3550. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of Class E Airspace; Boone, IA—Docket No. 96-ACE-6 (Federal Aviation Administration) [RIN: 2120-AA66] (1996-0054) received June 10, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3551. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Use of Safety Belts and Motorcycle Helmets (National Highway Traffic Safety Administration and Federal Highway Administration) [Docket No. 92-40; Notice 3] (RIN: 2127-AG23) received June 10, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3552. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Highway Safety Program Standards—Applicability to Federally Administered Areas (National Highway Traffic Safety Administration and Federal Highway Administration) [NHTSA Docket No. 95-83; Notice 1] (RIN: 2127-AG10) received June 10, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3553. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Rules of Procedure for Invoking Sanctions under the Highway Safety Act of 1966 (National Highway Traffic Safety Administration and Federal Highway Administration) [Docket No. 96-02; Notice 2] (RIN: 2127-AG10) received June 10, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3554. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Safety Zone: San Francisco Bay, CA (United States Coast Guard) [COTP San Francisco Bay 96-003] (RIN: 2115-AA97) received June 10, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3555. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Safety Zone: Chesapeake Bay, Hampton Roads, Elizabeth River, Norfolk, VA (United States Coast Guard) [CGD05-96-038] (RIN: 2115-AA97) received June 10, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3556. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operation Regulations: Atlantic Intracoastal Waterway, FL (United States Coast Guard) [CGD07-95-057] (RIN: 2115-AE47) received June 10, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3557. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Airbus Industries Model A300, A310, and A300-600 Series Airplanes (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 93-NM-133-AD; Amendment 39-9658; AD 96-12-15] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received June 10, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3558. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Beech (Raytheon) Model BAe 125 Series 800A and 1000A, and Model Hawker 800 and 1000 Airplanes (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 95-NM-43-AD; Amendment 39-9660; AD 96-12-17] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received June 10, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3559. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Beech (Raytheon) Model BAe 125 Series 800A and Model Hawker 800 Airplanes (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 95-NM-122-AD; Amendment 39-9659; AD 96-12-16] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received June 10, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3560. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Dornier Model 328-100 Series Airplanes (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 96-NM-109-AD; Amendment 39-9655; AD 96-11-17] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received June 10, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3561. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Fokker Model F28 Mark 0100 Series Airplanes (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 95-NM-164-AD; Amendment 39-9662; AD 96-12-19] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received June 10, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3562. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Lockheed Model 382, 382B, 382E, 382F, and 382G Series Airplanes (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 95-NM-10-AD; Amendment 39-9663; AD 96-12-20] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received June 10, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3563. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Textron Lycoming Reciprocating Engines (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 93-ANE-48-AD; Amendment 39-9586; AD 96-09-10] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received June 10, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3564. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Dornier Model 328 Series Airplanes with Honeywell GP-300 Guidance Display Controller (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 96-NM-112-AD; Amendment 39-9656; AD 96-12-13] (RIN: 2120-AA64)

received June 10, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3565. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Cessna Aircraft Company 150 and A150 Series and Model 152 and A152 Airplanes (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 95-CE-14-AD; Amendment 39-9666; AD 96-12-23] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received June 10, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3566. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Fokker Model F28 Mark 0100 Series Airplanes (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 92-NM-71-AD; Amendment 39-9657; AD 96-12-14] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received June 10, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

3567. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulations Management, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's final rule—Investigation Regulations (RIN: 2900-A125) received June 11, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

3568. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulations Management, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's final rule—Information Law; Miscellaneous (RIN: 2900-A123) received June 11, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

3569. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Part III Administrative, Procedural, and Miscellaneous (Revenue Procedure 96-34) received June 11, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

3570. A letter from the Acting Director, Ballistic Missile Defense Organization, Department of Defense, transmitting a copy of Presidential Determination No. 96-27: United States-Israel Arrow Deployability Program, pursuant to Public Law 103-160, section 238(d)(2) (107 Stat. 1601); jointly, to the Committees on National Security and International Relations.

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. McCOLLUM: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 2803. A bill to amend the anti-car theft provisions of title 49, United States Code, to increase the utility of motor vehicle title information to State and Federal law enforcement officials, and for other purposes (Rept. 104-618). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. SOLOMON: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 453. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 3610) making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1997, and for other purposes (Rept. 104-619). Referred to the House Calendar.

TIME LIMITATION OF REFERRED BILL

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