

But to return to welfare, I think there are principles in our welfare reform bill that are very, very important. The first one is the able-bodied should work. The second one is that there should be time limits. We do not want to see one generation after another generation, four or five generations, caught in welfare.

Another idea that is very important is that for those welfare recipients who are under the age of 18, there should be strong incentives for them to continue and stay in school. You do not receive benefits unless you are living with an adult and unless you are in school because, if you do not stay in school, there is very little chance that you are ever going to get out of the trap of the welfare system.

So I think there are a lot of good things that we have been trying to do. I would like to go to one thing, though, and that relates to what we are talking about in terms of cuts. An example is the most recent HHS appropriations bill, where for the Department of Education we increased funding this year by roughly \$2.4 billion. That was somewhere between a 4- and a 5-percent increase.

Now, within that we shifted some of the funds around. We took it out of the Washington bureaucracy and we gave it back to the States and the local areas. That is crucial because, when we talk about education, I want to see an increased teacher-student ratio, and I want to see a decreased bureaucrat-teacher or bureaucrat-student ratio. And that is what we are trying to do here. We are trying to get power back to the States, to the local areas.

People can do jobs better when government is closest to them. We want to do it in a responsible way, and I think that I am very optimistic with the progress we have made.

I will just yield back to the gentleman for a final closing statement.

Mr. SHAYS. This Republican majority is working to get our financial house in order and balance the Federal budget. We are looking to save our trust funds for future generations, and we are also looking to transform our caretaking social, corporate and agricultural welfare state into a caring opportunity society. In the process we are looking to bring power, money and influence out of Washington and bring it back to local communities.

In the process we are looking to empower people who are in our communities. So it is an effort that we are working hard at. Very candidly, we are not looking at the polls. If Abraham Lincoln had looked at the polls, we would not be one Nation, under God, indivisible. We would be two nations very much divided. For us the polls simply do not matter. What matters is our kids.

Mr. Rabin, the former prime minister of Israel, said you and I, politicians, are elected by adults to represent the children. And frankly that is what this is all about, representing the children.

Mr. GANSKE. I am happy to join the gentleman I think on some of the principles that we want to accomplish. We want to accomplish an opportunity society. We want to help make government smaller and more responsive to the citizens. And we basically want safer and sounder families. I am happy to join my colleague in his work.

Mr. SHAYS. I appreciate my colleague for that and thank you, Mr. Speaker, for taking the time to listen to us. With that we yield back the balance of our time however short it may be.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. BROWNBACK. Mr. Speaker, earlier today I was unavoidably detained because of surgery on my son. The surgery went very well, but I was not able to be in town; therefore, I missed votes.

If I had been here, I would have voted "nay" on rollcall vote 332, I would have voted "yea" on rollcall vote 333, I would have voted "yea" on rollcall vote 334, I would have voted "yea" on rollcall vote 335, I would have voted "yea" on rollcall vote 336 and, I would have voted "yea" on rollcall vote 337.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to:

Mr. YOUNG of Florida (at the request of Mr. ARMEY), for today and the balance of the week, on account of medical reasons.

Mr. EVERETT (at the request of Mr. ARMEY), for today, on account of official business.

Mr. MANZULLO (at the request of Mr. ARMEY), for today, on account of illness in the family.

Mrs. MORELLA (at the request of Mr. ARMEY), for today, on account of personal reasons.

Mr. NETHERCUTT (at the request of Mr. ARMEY), for today, on account of attending a funeral.

Mrs. LINCOLN (at the request of Mr. GEPHARDT), for today and the balance of the week, on account of medical reasons.

Mrs. MINK of Hawaii (at the request of Mr. GEPHARDT), for today, on account of a death in the family.

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. PALLONE) to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material:)

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

Ms. NORTON, for 5 minutes, today.

Mrs. CLAYTON, for 5 minutes, today.

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

Mr. STOCKMAN, for 5 minutes on July 24.

Mr. BURTON of Indiana, for 5 minutes each day, on today and July 23, 24, 25, and 26.

Mr. MCINTOSH, for 5 minutes on July 25.

Mr. MICA, for 5 minutes each day, on today and July 25.

Mr. DUNCAN, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. KINGSTON, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. GEKAS, for 5 minutes, today.

EXTENSION OF REMARKS

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

Mr. TRAFICANT, and to include therein extraneous material, notwithstanding the fact that it exceeds two pages of the RECORD and is estimated by the Public Printer to cost \$1,033.

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

Ms. HARMON.

Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts.

Mr. MANTON.

Mr. MILLER of California.

Mr. STOKES.

Mr. HILLIARD.

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

Mr. QUINN.

Mr. FORBES.

Mr. DUNCAN.

Mr. WOLF.

Mr. PORTER.

Mr. SPENCE.

Mr. PACKARD.

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

Mr. MOAKLEY.

Mrs. COLLINS of Illinois.

Mr. GOODLING.

Mr. TRAFICANT.

Ms. FURSE.

Mr. BARCIA.

BILL PRESENTED TO THE PRESIDENT

Mr. THOMAS, from the Committee on House Oversight, reported that that committee did on the following date present to the President, for his approval, a bill of the House of the following title:

On July 18, 1996:

H.R. 743. An act to amend the National Labor Relations Act to allow labor management cooperative efforts that improve economic competitiveness in the United States to continue to thrive, and for other purposes.

ADJOURNMENT

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

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 9 o'clock and 41 minutes p.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until Tuesday, July 23, 1996, at 9 a.m. for morning hour debates.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS,
ETC.

Under clause 2 of rule XXIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

4217. A letter from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Nectarines and Fresh Peaches Grown in California; Assessment Rate [Docket No. FV96-916-1 IFR] received July 22, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

4218. A letter from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—United States Standards for Grades of Frozen Green and Frozen Wax Beans [FV-95-326] received July 22, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

4219. A letter from the Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Oranges and Grapefruit Grown in the Lower Rio Grande Valley in Texas; Assessment Rate [Docket No. FY96-906-1 IFR] received July 22, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

4220. A letter from the Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Farm Credit Administration, transmitting the annual report to the Administration for calendar year 1995, pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 2252(a)(3); to the Committee on Agriculture.

4221. A letter from the Director, Defense Procurement, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule—Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement; Comprehensive Subcontracting Plans [DFARS Case 96-D304] received July 22, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on National Security.

4222. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the Department's final rule—Sale of HUD-Held Multifamily Mortgages [Docket No. FR-3970-F-02] (RIN: 2502-AG59) received July 22, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

4223. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the Department's final rule—Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program: Small Cities and Insular Areas; Final Rule [Docket No. FR-4048-F-1] (RIN: 2506-AB81) received July 22, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

4224. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the Department's final rule—Public Housing Management Assessment Program—Conforming Change [Docket No. FR-3447-F-02] (RIN: 2577-AA89) received July 22, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

4225. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the Department's final rule—Indian HOME Program Streamlining [Docket No. FR-3567-I-1] (RIN: 2577-AB35) received July 22, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

4226. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the Department's final rule—Single Family Miscellaneous Amendments, Clarifications, and Corrections [Docket No. FR-3977-F-01] (RIN: 2501-AG61) received July 22, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

4227. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the Department's final rule—Supplemental Standards of Ethical Conduct for Employees of the Department of Housing and Urban Development [Docket No. FR-3331-F-01] (RIN: 2501-AB55, 3209-AA15) received July 22, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

4228. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the Department's final rule—Streamlining Mortgage Requirements [Docket No. FR-3957-F-02] (RIN: 2502-AG57) received July 22, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

4229. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the Department's final rule—Community Development Work Study Program; Amendments [Docket No. FR-3902-F-01] (RIN: 2528-AA05) received July 22, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

4230. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the Department's final rule—Streamlining of HUD Regulations Governing the Protection of Human Subjects [Docket No. FR-4069-F-01] (RIN: 2501-AC26) received July 22, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

4231. A letter from Chairman, Federal Reserve System, Transmitting the Board's mid-year monetary policy report to the Congress, pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 225a; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

4232. A letter from the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation entitled the "Older Americans Home Security Act 1996"; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

4233. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Clean Air Act Approval and Promulgation of Carbon Monoxide Implementation Plan for the State of Washington; Puget Sound Attainment Demonstration [FRL-5538-3] received July 18, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4234. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Virginia; Approval of Revised Confidentiality Provisions; Approval and Disapproval of Minor New Source Permit Provisions [FRL-5534-4] received July 18, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4235. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation Plans; Illinois [FRL-5540-5] received July 18, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4236. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Final/Interim Authorization of State Hazardous Waste Management Program Revisions; South Dakota [FRL-5534-2] received July 18, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4237. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans;

Louisiana State Implementation Plan Revision; Major Source Definition Corrections for Reasonably Available Control Technology (RACT) Rules; Volatile Organic Compounds (VOC) RACT Catch-ups [FRL-5525-8] received July 18, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4238. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; Revision to the New Jersey State Implementation Plan for Carbon Monoxide [Region II Docket No. 142; SIPTRAX NJ15-2-6920] [FRL-5524-3] received July 18, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4239. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; Revision to the New York State Implementation Plan for Carbon Monoxide; Determination of Length of Control Period for New York-Northern New Jersey-Long Island Consolidated Metropolitan Statistical Area [Region II Docket No. 151; SIPTRAX NY12-2-6920] [FRL-5524-5] received July 18, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4240. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans Tennessee: Approval of Revision to the Tennessee SIP and the Nashville/Davidson County Portion of the Tennessee SIP Regarding Nitrogen Oxides [FRL-5529-5] received July 18, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4241. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; California State Implementation Plan Revision, Kern County Air Pollution Control District, Placer County Air Pollution Control District, Ventura County Air Pollution Control District, and San Joaquin Valley Unified Air Pollution Control District [FRL-5527-6] received July 22, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4242. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Inspection/Maintenance Flexibility Amendment (Ozone Transport Region) [FRL-5541-3] received July 18, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4243. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; Wisconsin [FRL-5539-1] received July 18, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

4244. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 11-298, "Vending Site Lottery Assignment Amendment Temporary Act of 1996" (received July 22, 1996), pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4245. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 11-300, "Telecommunications Competition Act of 1996" (received July 22, 1996), pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4246. A letter from the Executive Director, District of Columbia Financial Responsibility and Management Assistance Authority,

transmitting a copy of the Authority's resolution disapproving D.C. Act 11-281, "Revised Fiscal Year 1997 Budget Request Act," pursuant to Public Law 104-8, section 202(c)(5)(C)(i)(II) (109 Stat. 112); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4247. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator for Acquisition Policy, General Services Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Federal Acquisition Circular 90-40; Introduction (48 CFR Chapter I) received July 18, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4248. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator for Acquisition Policy, General Services Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Federal Acquisition Regulation; Contingent Fee Representation [FAC 90-40; FAR Case 93-009; Item I] (RIN: 9000-AG83) received July 18, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4249. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator for Acquisition Policy, General Services Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Federal Acquisition Regulation; Simplified Acquisition Threshold/Federal Acquisition Computer Network; and Micro-Purchase Procedures [FAC 90-40; FAR Cases 94-770 and 94-771; Item II] (RIN: 9000-AG18/9000-AG26) received July 18, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4250. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator for Acquisition Policy, General Services Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Federal Acquisition Regulation; Gratuities [FAC 90-40; FAR Case 96-300; Item III] (RIN 9000-AH11) received July 18, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4251. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator for Acquisition Policy, General Services Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Federal Acquisition Regulation; Disaster Relief Act [FAC 90-40; FAR Case 93-303; Item IV] (RIN 9000-AG77) received July 18, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4252. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator for Acquisition Policy, General Services Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Federal Acquisition Regulation; Responsibility Determinations [FAC 90-40; FAR Case 95-007; Item V] (RIN 9000-AG66) received July 18, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4253. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator for Acquisition Policy, General Services Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Federal Acquisition Regulation; Task and Delivery Orders [FAC 90-40; FAR Case 94-711; Item VI] (RIN: 9000-AG50) received July 18, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4254. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator for Acquisition Policy, General Services Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Federal Acquisition Regulation; Multiyear Contracting [FAC 90-40; FAR Case 94-712; Item VII] (RIN: 9000-AG72) received July 18, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4255. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator for Acquisition Policy, General Services Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Federal Acquisition Regulation; Small Business/Sim-

plified Acquisition Threshold [FAC 90-40; FAR Case 94-782; Item VIII] (RIN: 9000-AH08) received July 18, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4256. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator for Acquisition Policy, General Services Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Federal Acquisition Regulation; Indian-Owned Economic Enterprises [FAC 90-40; FAR Case 91-028; Item IX] (RIN: 9000-AE52) received July 18, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4257. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator for Acquisition Policy, General Services Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Federal Acquisition Regulation; General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade Patent Authorization [FAC 90-40; FAR Case 95-308; Item X] (RIN: 9000-AH09) received July 18, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4258. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator for Acquisition Policy, General Services Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Federal Acquisition Regulation; Performance and Payment Bonds [FAC 90-40; FAR Case 91-027; Item XI] (RIN: 9000-AE47) received July 18, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4259. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator for Acquisition Policy, General Services Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Federal Acquisition Regulation; Employee compensation Costs [FAC 90-40; FAR Case 93-005; Item XII] (RIN 9000-AF97) received July 18, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4260. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator for Acquisition Policy, General Services Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Federal Acquisition Regulation; Agency Procurement Protests [FAC 90-40; FAR Case 95-309; Item XIII] (RIN 9000-AH10) received July 18, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4261. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator for Acquisition Policy, General Services Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Federal Acquisition Regulation; Value Engineering [FAC 90-40; FAR Case 96-315; Item XIV] (RIN 9000-AH12) received July 18, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4262. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator for Acquisition Policy, General Services Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Federal Acquisition Regulation; Termination Inventory Schedules [FAC 90-40; FAR Case 94-003; Item XV] (RIN 9000-AG13) received July 18, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4263. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator for Acquisition Policy, General Services Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Federal Acquisition Regulation; Small Entity Compliance Guide [FAC 90-40; received July 18, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

4264. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's study report on the American Discovery Trail, pursuant to 16 U.S.C. 1244(b); to the Committee on Resources.

4265. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Rolls-Royce, plc RB211 Series Turbofan Engines (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 94-ANE-39; Amendment 39-9672; AD 96-13-04] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received July 22, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4266. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Pratt & Whitney PW4000 Series Turbofan Engines (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 96-ANE-10; Amendment 39-9676; AD 96-13-08] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received July 22, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4267. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Sikorsky Aircraft Model S-76B Helicopters (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 96-SW-16-AD; Amendment 39-9696; AD 96-15-03] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received July 22, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4268. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 28625; Amdt. No. 1740] (RIN: 2120-AA65) received July 22, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4269. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 28627; Amdt. No. 1742] (RIN: 2120-AA65) received July 22, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4270. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 28626; Amdt. No. 1741] (RIN: 2120-AA65) received July 22, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4271. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Excess Flow Valve—Performance Standards (Research and Special Programs Administration) [Docket No. PS-118; Amendment 192-79] (RIN: 2137-AB97) received July 22, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4272. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Excess Flow Valve—Customer Notification (Research and Special Programs Administration) [Docket No. PS-118A; Notice 1] (RIN: 2137-AC55) received July 22, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4273. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Regulatory Review; Gas Pipeline Safety Standards; Correction (Research and Special Programs Administration) [Docket No. PS-124; Amdt. 192078] (RIN: 2137-AC25) received July 22, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4274. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Qualification of Pipeline Control (Research and Special Programs Administration) [Docket No. PS-94;

Notice 5] (RIN: 2137-AB38) received July 22, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4275. A letter from the Administrator, Small Business Administration, transmitting the annual report on minority small business and capital ownership development for fiscal year 1995, pursuant to Public Law 100-656, section 408 (102 Stat. 3877); to the Committee on Small Business.

4276. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Employment and Training, Department of Labor, transmitting the Department's final rule—Unemployment Insurance Program Letter No. 29-83, Change 3—received July 19, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

4277. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, U.S. Customs Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Rules of Origin for Textile and Apparel Products (19 CFR Part 102) received July 17, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

4278. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting notification for DOD to make purchases and purchase commitments, and to enter into cost sharing arrangements for equipment to develop manufacturing processes under the Defense Production Act of 1950, as amended, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. app. 2093(a)(6)(A) (H. Doc. No. 104-249); jointly, to the Committees on Appropriations and Banking and Financial Services, and ordered to be printed.

4279. A letter from the Secretary of Transportation, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to amend the act of May 13, 1954, Public Law 358 (33 U.S.C. 981, et seq.), as amended, to improve the operation, maintenance, and safety of the St. Lawrence Seaway, within the territorial limits of the United States, by establishing the Saint Lawrence Seaway Development Corporation as a performance based organization in the Department of Transportation, and for other purposes; jointly, to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure, Government Reform and Oversight, and the Budget.

4280. A letter from the Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation entitled the "Forfeiture Act of 1996"; jointly, to the Committees on the Judiciary, Ways and Means, Commerce, Resources, and Banking and Financial Services.

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. HYDE: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 740. A bill to confer jurisdiction on the U.S. Court of Federal Claims with respect to land claims of Pueblo of Isleta Indian Tribe (Rept. 104-694). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. SHUSTER: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 3592. A bill to provide for conservation and development of water and related resources, to authorize the Secretary of the Army to construct various projects for improvements to rivers and harbors of the United States, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 104-695). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House 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:

[Omitted from the Record of July 18, 1996]

H.R. 2145. Referral to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services extended for a period ending not later than September 6, 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 Mrs. CHENOWETH (for herself, Mr. POMBO, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. STOCKMAN, Mr. BREWSTER, Mr. COOLEY, Mr. STUMP, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. TAUZIN, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. DORNAN, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mrs. VUCANOVICH, Mrs. SEASTRAND, Mr. FIELDS of Texas, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. BAKER of Louisiana, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. LAUGHLIN, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. HERGER, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. DICKEY, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. MCKEON, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. FUNDERBURK, Mr. BARR, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. METCALF, Mr. COX, Mr. LUCAS, Mr. RIGGS, Mr. SAM JOHNSON, and Mr. HANSEN):

H.R. 3862. A bill to amend the Endangered Species Act of 1973 to clarify the intent of Congress and ensure that any person having any economic interest that is directly or indirectly harmed by a designation of critical habitat may bring a citizen's suit under that act; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. GOODLING (for himself, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. MCKEON, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. FAWELL, Mr. CLINGER, and Mr. GEKAS):

H.R. 3863. A bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to permit lenders under the unsubsidized Federal Family Education Loan Program to pay origination fees on behalf of borrowers; to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

By Mr. LATOURETTE (for himself, Mr. CLINGER, Mr. HORN, and Mr. FLANAGAN):

H.R. 3864. A bill to reform the management practices of the General Accounting Office, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

By Mr. TORRICELLI:

H.R. 3865. A bill to require the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development to withhold public housing funding from public housing agencies in States that prevent or impede the eviction of a public housing tenant upon the initial violation of the terms of the tenant's lease; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. TOWNS (for himself, Mr. GREENWOOD, and Mr. FRANKS of Connecticut):

H.R. 3866. A bill to waive temporarily the Medicaid enrollment composition rule for certain health maintenance organization; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. MICA:

H. Res. 485. Resolution electing Representative KLUG of Wisconsin, to the Committee on Government and Reform Oversight; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. DOOLITTLE (for himself, Mr. DELAY, and Mr. RADANOVICH):

H. Res. 486. Resolution amending the Rules of the House of Representatives to require witnesses at committee hearings to submit statements identifying Federal grants or contracts received during the current and previous 2 fiscal years; to the Committee on Rules.

By Mr. HILLIARD (for himself, Miss COLLINS of Michigan, Mr. FLAKE, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. STOKES, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. WYNN, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. PAYNE of New Jersey, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. DIXON, Mr. FIELDS of Louisiana, Mr. JACKSON, Mr. JEFFERSON, Ms. WATERS, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. THOMPSON, Mr. OWENS, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. SCOTT, Mr. FORD, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mrs. COLLINS of Illinois, Ms. NORTON, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. RUSH, Mr. FATTAH, Ms. MCKINNEY, and Mr. BISHOP):

H. Res. 487. Resolution recognizing Brown Chapel African Methodist Episcopal Church in Selma, AL, as a symbol of the struggle for and achievement of voting rights for African-Americans; 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. 26: Mr. STEARNS.
H.R. 104: Mr. EVANS.
H.R. 218: Mr. NEUMANN and Mr. LIPINSKI.
H.R. 312: Mr. STEARNS.
H.R. 721: Mr. STEARNS.

H.R. 878: Ms. PRYCE.
H.R. 1100: Ms. SLAUGHTER.
H.R. 1281: Mr. OWENS and Mr. WAXMAN.
H.R. 1916: Mr. BARR.

H.R. 2011: Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. SKAGGS, Mr. OBERSTAR, Ms. NORTON, and Mr. VISCLOSKEY.

H.R. 2019: Mrs. CHENOWETH.
H.R. 2090: Mr. SANFORD.
H.R. 2240: Mr. HASTERT.

H.R. 2246: Ms. FURSE.
H.R. 2421: Mr. ZELIFF.
H.R. 2480: Mr. WALSH.

H.R. 2655: Mr. SHAYS.
H.R. 2748: Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin and Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

H.R. 2827: Mr. BOUCHER.
H.R. 2912: Mr. FRAZER, Mr. BALDACCIO, and Mr. LAFALCE.

H.R. 2962: Mr. DELLUMS and Mr. GREEN of Texas.

H.R. 2963: Mr. VENTO and Ms. RIVERS.

H.R. 3024: Mr. DE LA GARZA, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. LIVINGSTON, Mr. SKEEN, Mr. TORKILDSEN, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. MONTGOMERY, Mr. THOMPSON, Mr. FUNDERBURK, and Mr. FLANAGAN.

H.R. 3207: Mr. GOODLATTE.
H.R. 3262: Mrs. CHENOWETH.
H.R. 3393: Mr. DIXON.

H.R. 3424: Mr. BRYANT of Texas.
H.R. 3456: Mr. HEINEMAN.
H.R. 3460: Mr. LAHOOD.

H.R. 3469: Mr. PAYNE of Virginia.
H.R. 3477: Mr. MANTON, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. FRAZER, and Mr. EVANS.

H.R. 3518: Mr. CUMMINGS and Mr. CALVERT.
H.R. 3556: Mr. EVANS, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. MARTINEZ, and Mr. GREEN of Texas.

H.R. 3558: Mr. RICHARDSON, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. STARK, Mr. FROST, Mr. MILLER of California, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. BRYANT of Texas, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. PETE GEREN of Texas, Mr. FOGLIETTA, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. COLEMAN, Mrs. THURMAN, and Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts.