

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, TRAVEL TO TAIWAN, CHINA, THAILAND, INDIA, JORDAN AND ISRAEL, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN AUG. 8 AND AUG. 22, 1997

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem ¹		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²
Chaplain James Ford	8/8	8/10	Taiwan		532.00						532.00
	8/10	8/13	China		753.00						753.00
	8/13	8/14	Thailand		217.00						217.00
	8/14	8/18	India		1,424.00						1,424.00
	8/18	8/19	Jordan		251.00						251.00
	8/19	8/22	Israel		1,075.00						1,075.00
Committee total					4,252.00						4,252.00

¹ Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.
² If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.

JAMES D. FORD, Sept. 9, 1997.

REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, TRAVEL TO GERMANY, AUSTRIA, BOSNIA, FRANCE AND THE UNITED KINGDOM, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN AUG. 30 AND SEPT. 11, 1997

Name of Member or employee	Date		Country	Per diem ¹		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
	Arrival	Departure		Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²
Gardner G. Peckham	9/1	9/1	Germany		200.00						200.00
	9/1	9/2	Austria	2,814.32	221.00						2,814.32
	9/2	9/7	Bosnia		1,755.00						1,755.00
	9/7	9/9	France	3,432.80	560.00						3,432.80
	9/9	9/11	United Kingdom	436.30	692.00						436.30
Commercial airfare	8/30	9/1					2,322.05				2,322.05
					3 = 475.00						-475.00
Committee total					2,953.00		2,322.05				5,275.05

¹ Per diem constitutes lodging and meals.
² If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.
³ Excess per diem, returned to U.S. Treasury.

GARDNER G. PECKHAM, Sept. 29, 1997.

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. SAXTON: Joint Economic Committee. Report of the Joint Economic Committee on the 1997 Economic Report of the President (Rept. 105-393). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. LINDER: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 314. Resolution waiving a requirement of clause 4(b) of clause of rule XI with respect to consideration of certain resolutions reported from the Committee on Rules, and for other purposes (Rept. 105-394). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. GEKAS: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 1544. A bill to prevent Federal agencies from pursuing policies of unjustifiable non-acquiescence in, and relitigation of, precedents established in the Federal judicial circuits; with an amendment (Rept. 105-395). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. GEKAS: Committee on the Judiciary. House Joint Resolution 96. Resolution granting the consent and approval of Congress for the State of Maryland, the Commonwealth of Virginia, and the District of Columbia to amend the Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Regulation Compact (Rept. 105-396). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. GOODLING: Committee on Education and the Workforce. H.R. 1625. A bill to ensure that workers have sufficient information about their rights regarding the payment of dues or fees to labor organizations and the uses of employee dues and fees by labor organizations; with an amendment (Rept. 105-397). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. H.R. 2259. A bill to provide for a transfer of land interests in order to facilitate surface transportation between the cities of Cold Bay, AK, and King Cove, AK,

and for other purposes (Rept. 105-398). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

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. TOWNS:

H.R. 2928. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to deny the exemption from income tax for social clubs found to be practicing prohibited discrimination; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. PORTER:

H.R. 2929. A bill to reform Social Security by creating individual Social Security retirement accounts; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and the Budget, 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. GILMAN (for himself, Mr. HORN, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. TALENT, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. LAMPSON, Ms. DUNN of Washington, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Ms. RIVERS, Mr. GOODE, Mr. DICKEY, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. SKELTON, Mr. BOYD, Mr. MANTON, Mr. SCARBOROUGH, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. STRICKLAND, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. FORBES, Mr. POSHARD, Mr. METCALF, Mr. ADAM SMITH of Washington, Mr. ROGAN, Ms. DANNER, Ms. SANCHEZ, Mrs. FOWLER, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. EVANS, Mrs. MCCRERY, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. UPTON, Mr. FILNER, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. BENTSEN, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. STOKES, Mr. SAWYER, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mr. COBLE, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. MCINNIS, Mr.

BLUMENAUER, Mr. STUMP, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. HOBSON, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. MCDADE, Mr. TURNER, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. GIBBONS, Ms. FURSE, Mr. JOHN, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. ADERHOLT, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. WHITE, Mr. WICKER, Mr. LINDER, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. STEARNS, Mrs. LINDA SMITH of Washington, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. BRADY, Mr. BLILEY, Mr. BASS, Mr. PAXON, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts, Mr. CONDIT, Mr. BUNNING of Kentucky, Mr. RYUN, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. RUSH, Mr. NEY, Mr. DELAHUNT, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. HULSHOF, Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. SCOTT, Mr. YATES, Mr. PORTMAN, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. RIGGS, Mr. BRYANT, Mr. NUSSLE, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. BARCIA of Michigan, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. FOSSELLA, Mr. LAHOOD, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. HATSUI, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. SABO, Mr. COOK, Mr. PICKETT, Mr. GEKAS, and Mr. STENHOLM):

H.R. 2930. A bill to impose certain sanctions on foreign persons who transfer items contributing to Iran's efforts to acquire, develop, or produce ballistic missiles; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. TRAFICANT (for himself, Mr. MURTHA, Mr. MCDADE, Mr. HEFNER, Mr. BORSKI, and Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania):

H.R. 2931. A bill to redesignate the naval facility located in Gricignano d'Aversa, Italy, and known as the Naples Support Site, as the "Thomas M. Foglietta Support Site"; to the Committee on National Security.

By Mr. BORSKI:

H.R. 2932. A bill to require the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development to carry out a demonstration program to determine the effectiveness of establishing fair market rentals, for purposes of the tenant-based rental assistance program under section 8 of the United States Housing Act of 1937, by smaller geographic areas; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. DREIER (for himself and Mr. JEFFERSON):

H.R. 2933. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to reduce employer and employee Social Security taxes to the extent there is a Federal budget surplus; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on the Budget, 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. HAYWORTH (for himself, Mr. REDMOND, Mr. MCINNIS, and Mr. CANNON):

H.R. 2934. A bill to repeal the Bennett Freeze thus ending a gross treaty violation with the Navajo Nation and allowing the Navajo Nation citizens to live in habitable dwellings and raise their living conditions, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. ACKERMAN (for himself, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. CASTLE, Mr. DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. FILNER, Mr. FLAKE, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. MCGOVERN, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. MANTON, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. MILLER of California, Mr. OWENS, Mr. PASCRELL, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. SCOTT, Mr. STARK, Mr. WEXLER, Ms. WOOLSEY, and Mr. YATES):

H.R. 2935. A bill to amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act to ensure that States have in effect a law that requires a background check to be conducted in connection with the purchase of a handgun from a licensed firearms dealer; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BACHUS (for himself, Ms. DANNER, Mr. PICKERING, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. COBLE, and Mrs. EMERSON):

H.R. 2936. A bill to prohibit the Secretary of Transportation from imposing certain requirements relating to the unloading of cargo tank vehicles in liquefied compressed gas service; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. BAKER (for himself and Mr. DREIER):

H.R. 2937. A bill to provide for the recognition of digital and other forms of authentication as an alternative to existing paperbased methods, to improve efficiency and soundness of the Nation's capital markets and the payment system, and to define and harmonize the practices, customs, and uses applicable to the conduct of electronic authentication, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Government Reform and Oversight, the Judiciary, Science, and 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 Mr. BILIRAKIS (for himself, Mr. DAVIS of Florida, Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. BOYD, and Mr. MICA):

H.R. 2938. A bill to prohibit the Secretary of Health and Human Services from treating any medicaid-related funds recovered as part of State litigation from one or more tobacco

companies as an overpayment under the Medicaid Program; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. BRADY (for himself, Mr. KASICH, Mr. TURNER, Mr. DELAY, Mr. SMITH of Oregon, Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. PAXON, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Ms. GRANGER, Mr. CONDIT, Mr. PICKERING, Mr. HILL, Mr. GOODE, Ms. DUNN of Washington, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. SNOWBARGER, Mr. CANADY of Florida, Mr. SALMON, Mr. REDMOND, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. ROGAN, Mr. SCARBOROUGH, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. BOB SCHAFFER, Mr. PITTS, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. GREEN, Mr. NUSSLE, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. POMBO, Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. COOK, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. COOKSEY, Mr. SAM JOHNSON, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. BONILLA, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. HERGER, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. MINGE, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mrs. CHENOWETH, Mr. PAUL, Mr. KLUG, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. JOHN, Mr. COBURN, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. TAUZIN, Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania, Mr. SUNUNU, Mr. PAPPAS, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. ORTIZ, Mr. MCINTYRE, and Mr. LAMPSON):

H.R. 2939. A bill to provide for the periodic review of the efficiency and public need for Federal agencies, to establish a Commission for the purpose of reviewing the efficiency and public need of such agencies, and to provide for the abolishment of agencies for which a public need does not exist; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

By Mr. DREIER (for himself and Mrs. MYRICK):

H.R. 2940. A bill to enhance competition and consumer choice in the delivery of financial products and services; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services, 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. BRADY:

H.R. 2941. A bill to permit States to condition use of State funds for purchase of prescription drugs for minors under certain Federal State matching programs upon parental consent; 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. COBLE:

H.R. 2942. A bill to amend title 49, United States Code, to permit an individual to operate a commercial motor vehicle solely within the borders of a State if the individual has passed written and driving tests to operate the vehicle that meet such minimum standards as may be prescribed by the State, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. CUMMINGS (for himself and Ms. NORTON):

H.R. 2943. A bill to amend title 5, United States Code, to increase the amount of leave time available to a Federal employee in any year in connection with serving as an organ donor, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

By Mr. CUMMINGS (for himself, Mr. FROST, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. FILNER, and Mr. CLYBURN):

H.R. 2944. A bill to amend title II of the Social Security Act to provide that a monthly insurance benefit thereunder shall be paid for the month in which the recipient dies, subject to a reduction of a 50 percent if the recipient dies during the first 15 days of such month, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. DUNCAN (for himself and Mr. HANSEN):

H.R. 2945. A bill to amend the Land and Water Conservation Fund for purposes of establishing a Community Recreation and Conservation Endowment with certain escrowed oil and gas revenues, to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. FORBES (for himself, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. CLAY, Mr. DELAHUNT, and Mr. LAZIO of New York):

H.R. 2946. A bill to provide veterans benefits to individuals who serve in the U.S. merchant marine during a period of war; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. GIBBONS:

H.R. 2947. A bill to encourage and to assist in the permanent settlement of all litigation and other claims to the waters of the Walker River Basin, NV, and to conserve and stabilize the water quantity and quality for fish habitat and recreation in the Walker River Basin, consistent with the Walker River Decree issued by the U.S. district court for the District of Nevada; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. GOODLING:

H.R. 2948. A bill to amend title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 to establish provisions with respect to religious accommodation in employment, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. HULSHOF (for himself and Ms. DANNER):

H.R. 2949. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Army to carry out a project to protect and enhance fish and wildlife habitat of the Missouri River and the middle Mississippi River; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committee on Resources, 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. HUNTER:

H.R. 2950. A bill to prohibit United States assistance to the Republic of Panama if a defense sit or military installation built or formerly operated by the United States has been conveyed by the Government of the Republic of Panama to any foreign government-owned entity, and for other purposes; to the Committee on International Relations, and in addition to the Committees on Banking and Financial Services, National Security, and Intelligence (Permanent Select), 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. JOHNSON of Connecticut (for herself and Mrs. THURMAN):

H.R. 2956. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exclude from gross income certain amounts received as scholarships by an individual under the National Health Service Corps Scholarship Program; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts:

H.R. 2952. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to authorize a national program to reduce the threat to human health posed by exposure to contaminants in the air indoors, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts (for himself, Mr. REGULA, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mrs. MORELLA, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. WEYGAND, and Mr. LIPINSKI):

H.R. 2953. A bill to require criminal and abusive work history background checks for nurse and home health aides in nursing facilities, home health agencies, and hospice programs under the Medicare and Medicaid Programs, and for other purposes; 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. LAFALCE:

H.R. 2954. A bill to establish minimum standards of fair conduct in franchise sales and franchise business relationships, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. LAFALCE (for himself, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. QUINN, Mr. BEREUTER, Ms. FURSE, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, and Mr. WALSH):

H.R. 2955. A bill to amend the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996 to clarify and improve the requirements for the development of an automated entry-exit control system, to enhance land border control and enforcement, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary, 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. LUTHER:

H.R. 2956. A bill to provide for a biennial budget process and a biennial appropriations process and to enhance oversight and the performance of the Federal Government; to the Committee on the Budget, and in addition to the Committee on Rules, and Government Reform and Oversight, 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. MALONEY of New York (for herself, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. NADLER, Mr. BERMAN, and Mr. MANTON):

H.R. 2957. A bill to provide for development and implementation of certain plans to reduce risks to the public health and welfare caused by helicopter operations; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. MCHALE:

H.R. 2958. A bill to reauthorize the Delaware and Lehigh Navigation Canal National Heritage Corridor Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. NADLER:

H.R. 2959. A bill to provide a civil claim for individuals who are victims of crimes motivated by actual or perceived race, color, gender, religion, national origin, ethnicity, sexual orientation, or physical or mental disability; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. NORWOOD (for himself, Mr. GANSKE, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. EDWARDS, Mr. PAUL, and Mr. TOWNS):

H.R. 2960. A bill to amend title I of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 to clarify the preemption of State law by such title with respect to causes of action for damages for personal or financial injury or wrongful death resulting from failures to provide benefits under employee welfare benefit plans providing health care benefits; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. OLVER:

H.R. 2961. A bill to permit the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to enter into cooperative research and development agreements for environmental protection; to the Committee on Science.

By Mr. RANGEL (for himself and Mr. STARK):

H.R. 2962. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for a wrap-around payment under the Medicare Program for community health center services to account for reductions in payments attributable to individuals covered under managed care plans; 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. ROTHMAN (for himself, Mr. HYDE, and Mr. CONYERS):

H.R. 2963. A bill to establish a youth mentoring program; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Ms. SANCHEZ (for herself, Mr. TORRES, Mr. MARTINEZ, and Mr. SNYDER):

H.R. 2964. A bill to provide for reviews of criminal records of applicants for participation in shared housing arrangements, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SANDLIN:

H.R. 2965. A bill to reduce the amount of the annual contribution of the United States to the North Atlantic Treaty Organization security investment program; to the Committee on International Relations.

H.R. 2966. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a deduction for employment taxes paid by employees and self-employed individuals, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. SCHUMER:

H.R. 2967. A bill to amend the title XXVII of the Public Health Service Act and other laws to assure the rights of enrollees under managed care plans; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Education and the Workforce, Ways and Means, and Government Reform and Oversight, 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 New Jersey (for himself and Mr. STEARNS):

H.R. 2968. A bill to require the Secretary of Health and Human Services to take no further action on proposed regulation relating to the use of chlorofluorocarbons in metered-dose inhalers; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. SOUDER:

H.R. 2969. A bill to amend the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 to authorize States to use community development block grant amounts provided for non-entitlement areas to offset the costs of State charity tax credits; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

H.R. 2970. A bill to amend the National Historic Preservation Act for purposes of establishing a national historic lighthouse preservation program; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. SOUDER (for himself and Mr. SOLOMON):

H.R. 2971. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to impose a flat tax only on the earned income of individuals and on business taxable income, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. STARK:

H.R. 2972. A bill to direct the Secretary of Health and Human Services to establish a

continuous quality improvement program for providers that furnish services under the Medicare Program to individuals with end stage renal disease, and for other purposes; 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. TANNER (for himself, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. BAKER, Mr. MCCREERY, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. JOHN, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. GILCHREST, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. COOKSEY, Mr. WATKINS, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. CASTLE, and Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut):

H.R. 2973. A bill to amend the act popularly known as the Federal Aid in Fish Restoration Act, authorizing assistance to the States for fish restoration and management projects, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources, 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. TRAFICANT:

H.R. 2974. A bill to authorize certain military construction projects for fiscal year 1999 for the 910th Airlift Wing at Youngstown, OH; to the Committee on National Security.

By Mr. VENTO:

H.R. 2975. A bill to establish the Federal Housing Corporation to provide mortgage credit to families, communities, and markets underserved by the conventional mortgage markets and ensure the stability of the national system for mortgage finance, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. ARMEY:

H.J. Res. 103. Joint resolution waiving certain enrollment requirements with respect to certain specified bills of the 105th Congress; to the Committee on House Oversight.

By Mr. CHRISTENSEN:

H. Con. Res. 190. Concurrent resolution authorizing the use of the rotunda of the Capitol for the congressional Christmas celebration; to the Committee on House Oversight.

By Ms. ESHOO (for herself, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. MATSUI, and Mr. UNDERWOOD):

H. Con. Res. 191. Concurrent resolution condemning all prejudice against Asian and Pacific Islander Americans in the United States, and supporting political and civic participation by these persons throughout the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. KELLY (for herself and Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD):

H. Res. 313. Resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives regarding Government procurement access for women-owned businesses; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

By Mr. GEPHARDT:

H. Res. 315. Resolution relating to a question of the privileges of the House; considered and laid on the table.

By Ms. SANCHEZ:

H. Res. 316. Resolution recognizing and honoring former South Vietnamese commandos for their heroism, sacrifice, and service during the Vietnam conflict; to the Committee on International Relations.

PRIVATE BILLS AND
RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 1 of rule XXII.

Mr. ROTHMAN introduced a bill (H.R. 2976) for the relief of Alexandre Malofienko, Olga Matsko, and their son, Vladimir Malofienko; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 68: Mr. BONIOR, Mr. COYNE, Mr. CUMMINGS, Ms. DANNER, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. FILNER, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. MCINTYRE, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. UNDERWOOD, and Mr. VENTO.

H.R. 104: Mr. RADANOVICH.

H.R. 107: Mr. PAYNE.

H.R. 135: Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. BOEHLERT, and Mrs. EMERSON.

H.R. 164: Mr. JOHNSON of Wisconsin, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts, and Mr. PRICE of North Carolina.

H.R. 306: Mr. HALL of Ohio and Mr. RANGEL.

H.R. 519: Mr. FARR of California.

H.R. 611: Ms. KILPATRICK.

H.R. 725: Mr. FAZIO of California.

H.R. 806: Ms. FURSE.

H.R. 902: Mr. GINGRICH, Mr. BURR of North Carolina, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, Mr. SALMON, Mr. UPTON, and Mr. WHITFIELD.

H.R. 1023: Mr. HOUGHTON.

H.R. 1038: Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts.

H.R. 1043: Mr. SHERMAN.

H.R. 1054: Mr. MCCRERY, Mr. MCGOVERN, and Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts.

H.R. 1070: Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD.

H.R. 1126: Mr. JOHNSON of Wisconsin.

H.R. 1165: Mr. JOHNSON of Wisconsin.

H.R. 1241: Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma.

H.R. 1319: Mr. SALMON.

H.R. 1322: Mr. PACKARD.

H.R. 1354: Mr. LATOURETTE.

H.R. 1362: Mr. DEUTSCH.

H.R. 1375: Ms. BROWN of Florida and Mr. DAVIS of Virginia.

H.R. 1382: Mr. FATTAH and Mr. KUCINICH.

H.R. 1453: Ms. FURSE.

H.R. 1521: Mr. RADANOVICH.

H.R. 1614: Mr. COYNE.

H.R. 1625: Mr. MCINNIS and Mr. BRYANT.

H.R. 1631: Ms. STABENOW.

H.R. 1689: Mr. SALMON and Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts.

H.R. 1891: Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. CRANE, Mr. UPTON, Mr. CAMP, and Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts.

H.R. 1995: Ms. RIVERS, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. EVANS, Ms. WATERS, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. HEF-

NER, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. CARDIN, Mrs. MORELLA, Ms. HARMAN, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mrs. KENNELLY of Connecticut, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. MURTHA, Mr. POMEROY, Mr. OWENS, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, and Mr. MOAKLEY.

H.R. 2023: Mr. KUCINICH.

H.R. 2029: Mr. SCARBROUGH.

H.R. 2139: Mr. STRICKLAND, Ms. WOOLSEY, and Mr. COOK.

H.R. 2183: Mr. EWING.

H.R. 2186: Mr. HANSEN, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. PACKARD, and Mr. COOK.

H.R. 2202: Mr. JOHNSON of Wisconsin.

H.R. 2275: Mr. FROST, Mr. FILNER, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. EVANS, Mrs. KELLY, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. SANDLIN, Mrs. TAUSCHER, and Ms. DELAURO.

H.R. 2305: Mr. PORTMAN.

H.R. 2348: Mr. STARK, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. POMBO, Mr. KIM, Mr. MCKEON, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. BONO, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Ms. SANCHEZ, Mr. HERGER, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. THOMAS, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. HORM, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. BROWN of California, and Mr. GALLEGLY.

H.R. 2349: Mr. HERGER, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. THOMAS, Mr. BECERRA, and Mr. CALVERT.

H.R. 2356: Mr. DREIER.

H.R. 2370: Mr. BRYANT, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. GORDON, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. WAMP, Mr. JENKINS, and Mr. FORD.

H.R. 2391: Mr. RAHALL.

H.R. 2396: Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. LAFALCE, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. MCGOVERN, Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, and Mr. WEXLER.

H.R. 2456: Mr. ORTIZ.

H.R. 2483: Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. SALMON, and Mr. SUNUNU.

H.R. 2490: Mr. RADANOVICH.

H.R. 2492: Mr. KUCINICH.

H.R. 2497: Mr. RADANOVICH.

H.R. 2499: Ms. CARSON.

H.R. 2503: Mr. CONYERS.

H.R. 2515: Mr. RADANOVICH.

H.R. 2527: Mr. JOHNSON of Wisconsin.

H.R. 2579: Mr. UPTON, Mr. PAUL, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. SNOWBARGER, and Mr. MCINTOSH.

H.R. 2590: Mr. SANDERS.

H.R. 2593: Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. HANSEN, and Mr. BILBRAY.

H.R. 2596: Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. PETRI, Mr. MINGE, Mr. CALVERT, and Mr. FOLEY.

H.R. 2598: Mr. SUNUNU.

H.R. 2625: Mr. HASTERT, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. WAMP, and Mr. BURTON of Indiana.

H.R. 2631: Mr. CALVERT.

H.R. 2667: Mr. CALVERT.

H.R. 2783: Mr. LOBIONDO.

H.R. 2791: Mr. PAPPAS.

H.R. 2796: Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. VENTO, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. BURR of North Carolina, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. MCINTYRE, Mr. MASCARA, Mr. CALVERT, and Ms. PRYCE of Ohio.

H.R. 2802: Mr. TIERNEY.

H.R. 2820: Mr. TOWNS and Mr. STUPAK.

H.R. 2821: Mr. EWING.

H.R. 2829: Mr. BAKER, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. BRYANT, Mr. BURR of North Carolina, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. GOODLING, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. LEWIS of California, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. POMBO, Mr. RIGGS, Mr. ROGERS, Mr. RUSH, Mr. SALMON, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. WAMP, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. WICKER, and Mr. YOUNG of Florida.

H.R. 2849: Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri.

H.R. 2850: Mr. FOLEY and Mr. TOWNS.

H.R. 2854: Mr. BENTSEN and Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin.

H.R. 2864: Mr. GOODLING.

H.R. 2869: Mr. GOODLING.

H.R. 2870: Ms. FURSE.

H.R. 2871: Mr. GOODLING.

H.R. 2873: Mr. GOODLING.

H.R. 2875: Mr. GOODLING.

H.R. 2877: Mr. GOODLING.

H.R. 2879: Mr. GOODLING.

H.R. 2881: Mr. GOODLING.

H.R. 2909: Ms. FURSE and Mr. SHERMAN.

H.R. 2912: Mr. HILLIARD.

H.R. 2920: Mr. HOUGHTON.

H.R. 2925: Mr. CONYERS.

H.J. Res. 71: Mr. PACKARD.

H. Con. Res. 125: Ms. FURSE.

H. Con. Res. 148: Mr. MENENDEZ and Mr. ENGEL.

H. Con. Res. 174: Mrs. KELLY, Mr. POSHARD, and Mr. CALVERT.

H. Con. Res. 183: Mr. RADANOVICH.

H. Res. 171: Ms. VELAZQUEZ, Mr. WAXMAN, and Mr. MCGOVERN.

H. Res. 267: Mr. CALVERT.

H. Res. 268: Mr. CALVERT.

H. Res. 281: Mr. FAWELL and Mr. PORTER.

H. Res. 310: Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma.

DELETIONS OF SPONSORS FROM
PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

H.R. 600: Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota.

H.R. 1366: Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota.