services and highways; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

77. Ålso, memorial of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Virginia, relative to House Joint Resolution No. 401 memorializing the Congress of the United States to authorize and fund the construction of a veterans' medical facility in northern Virginia; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

78. Also, memorial of the Senate of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, relative to a Senate resolution memorializing Congress and the President of the United States to reject proposals to consolidate and close veterans hospitals; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

79. Also, memorial of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Virginia, relative to House Joint Resolution No. 618 memorializing the Congress of the United States to continue the Low Income Housing Tax Credit Program; to the Committee on Ways and Means

80. Also, memorial of the Legislature of the State of Oklahoma, relative to House Concurrent Resolution No. 1010 encouraging the U.S. Congress not to repeal certain tax incentives on former Indian reservations; encouraging Congress to request the Internal Revenue Service to recognize and comply with certain Federal law and issue certain ruling; and providing for distribution; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

81. Also, memorial of the Senate of the State of Georgia, relative to Senate Resolution 387 strongly urging the United States Congress and the United States International Trade Representative to recognize the economic and environmental benefits of Georgia's magnificent forest resources, strongly urging that the Congress and the United States Trade Representative not rescind the international trade agreement limiting the amount of subsidized Canadian lumber imported duty-free into the United States; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

82. Also, memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Georgia, relative to House Resolution No. 360 requesting the U.S. Congress to authorize through legislation one or more State pilot projects to ascertain the feasibility of devolving the unemployment insurance system back to State control; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 1 of rule XXII,

Mr. YOUNG of Florida introduced a bill (H.R. 1552) to authorize the Secretary of Transportation to issue a certificate of documentation with appropriate endorsement for employment in the coastwise trade for the vessel *Blue Hawaii*; which was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 4: Mrs. Northup, Mr. Berry, Mr. Rush, Mr. Davis of Illinois, Ms. Hooley of Oregon, Mr. Maloney of Connecticut, Mr. Cannon, Ms. Rivers, Mr. Adam Smith of Washington, Ms. Lofgren, and Mr. Rogan.

H.R. 18: Mr. SNOWBARGER, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. ENGEL, and Mr. LEACH.

H.R. 58: Mr. LEWIS of California, Mr. HOEKSTRA, and Mr. WICKER.

H.R. 96: Mr. GOODLING and Mr. MCHALE.

H.R. 108: Mr. FILNER, Ms. LOFGREN, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, and Mr. ROTHMAN.

H.R. 135: Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. BARCIA of Michigan, Mr. McIntosh, and Mr. Traficant. H.R. 144: Mr. SMITH of New Jersey and Mrs. NORTHUP.

H.R. 146: Mr. PARKER and Mr. BURR of North Carolina.

H.R. 209: Mr. Faleomavaega and Mr. Lipinski

H.R. 339: Mr. ADERHOLT

H.R. 366: Mr. DAVIS of Illinois.

H.R. 382: Mr. ENGEL.

H.R. 383: Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN and Mr. ENGEL.

H.R. 407: Mr. EDWARDS, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. ENGEL, and Mr. THOMPSON.

H.R. 418: Mr. RILEY and Mr. PASCRELL.

H.R. 446: Mr. SAWYER.

H.R. 457: Mr. KOLBE.

H.R. 475: Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. SISISKY, Mr. PASCRELL, and Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma.

H.R. 483: Mr. TORRES and Mr. COYNE. H.R. 500: Mr. HINCHEY and Mr. PAPPAS.

H.R. 519: Ms. CARSON and Mr. HALL of Texas.

H.R. 543: Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. YOUNG of Florida, and Mr. BERMAN.

H.R. 551: Mr. Borski.

H.R. 586: Ms. Brown of Florida, Ms. STABENOW, and Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma.

H.R. 589: Mr. ROHRABACHER.

H.R. 622: Mr. COBLE.

H.R. 630: Mr. RIGGS, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. HORN, and Mr. MILLER of California. H.R. 695: Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. GALLEGLY, and Mr. CAMP.

H.R. 754: Mr. TORRES.

H.R. 790: Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma.

H.R. 814: Ms. Brown of Florida.

H.R. 816: Mr. GREENWOOD.

 $H.R.~857;\ Ms.$ Christian-Green and Mr. Snowbarger.

H.R. 922: Mr. WELDON of Florida.

H.R. 923: Mr. WELDON of Florida.

H.R. 953: Mrs. Lowey.

H.R. 965: Mr. WHITE.

H.R. 970: Mr. KIM, Mr. COOKSEY, Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma, and Mr. BURTON of Indiana.

H.R. 991: Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. PASCRELL, and Mr. BOSWELL.

 $H.R.\ 1015;\ Mr.\ TIERNEY,\ Mr.\ OLVER,\ and\ Mr.\ McGovern.$

H.R. 1050: Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN.

H.R. 1061: Mr. McHugh and Mr. McDade.

H.R. 1076: Mr. ENGEL. H.R. 1101: Mr. HORN.

H.R. 1134: Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota.

H.R. 1145: Mr. PETERSON OF MITHESOLA.
H.R. 1145: Ms. DANNER, Mr. ROYCE, Mr.
BACHUS, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. SOUDER, Mr.
SNOWBARGER, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. RYUN, Mr.
PAUL, Mr. BRYANT, Mr. CALLAHAN, Mr.
WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. WAT-

KINS, and Mr. BARR of Georgia.
H.R. 1168: Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. NETHERCUTT,
Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. WICKER, Mr. McHICH, Mr.

Mrs. Emerson, Mr. Wicker, Mr. McHugh, Mr. Sessions, Mr. Blunt, Mr. Barrett of Nebraska, Mr. Edwards, Mr. Hill, Mr. Gillmor, Mr. Bartlett of Maryland, Mr. Hobson, Mr. Sisisky, Mr. Talent, Mrs. Northup, Mr. Paxon, Mr. Holden, and Mr. Combest.

H.R. 1172: Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. McIntosh, Mrs. Myrick, Mr. Shaw, Mr. Shays, and Mr. Stearns.

H.R. 1203: Mr. KIM.

 $H.R.\ 1231:\ Mr.\ BEREUTER$ and $Mr.\ FRANK$ of Massachusetts.

H.R. 1232: Mr. BROWN of California, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, and Mr. GALLEGLY.

H.R. 1241: Mr. TURNER, Mr. CONDIT, Mr. BLUMENAUER, and Mr. RIGGS.

H.R. 1245: Ms. RIVERS.

 $H.R.\ 1266;\ Mr.\ SOLOMON\ and\ Mr.\ SENSENBRENNER.$

H.R. 1279: Mr. TOWNS, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania, Mr. PORTER, and Ms. DANNER.

H.R. 1281: Mr. Conyers, Mr. Skaggs, Mr. Jackson, Ms. Kaptur, Mr. Abergrombie, Mr. Pallone, Mr. Nadler, Mr. Clay, Mr. Yates, Mr. Kleczka, Mr. McNulty, Mr. Dingell, Mr. Miller of California, Mr. Dellums, Mr. Campbell, Mr. Hall of Ohio, Mr. Stupak, Mr. Sabo, Mr. Condit, Mr. Pastor, Mr. Evans, Mr. Hilliard, Ms. Lofgren, Mr. Gonzalez, and Mr. Sawyer.

H.R. 1321: Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin.

H.R. 1323: Mr. McGovern.

 $H.R.\ 1329;\ Mr.\ DELLUMS,\ Mr.\ MEEHAN,\ Mr.\ FROST,\ and\ Mr.\ DEFAZIO.$

H.R. 1335: Mr. Burton of Indiana, Ms. Carson, Mr. Clement, Mr. Fattah, Mr. Fox of Pennsylvania, Mr. Gutierrez, Mr. Ney, Mr. Rangel, Ms. Rivers, and Ms. Waters.

H.R. 1348: Mr. DICKEY, Mr. COBURN, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. PITTS, Mr. SNOWBARGER, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. NORWOOD, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. RADANOVICH, and Mr. THORNBERRY.

H.R. 1350: Mr. CAMP.

 $\mbox{H.R.}$ 1353: Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon and Mr. MEEHAN.

H.R. 1401: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia and Mrs. TAUSCHER.

H.R. 1415: Mr. RAHALL, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. TURNER, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. SALMON, and Mr. LIPINSKI.

H.R. 1418: Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. FILNER, Mr. LAFALCE, Ms. LOFGREN, and Mr. QUINN.

H.R. 1427: Mr. BROWN of California.

H.R. 1438: Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. GEJDENSON, and Mr. CONYERS.

H.R. 1445: Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. FILNER, Mr. LAFALCE, and Ms. LOFGREN.

H.R. 1474: Mr. MARTINEZ.

H.R. 1475: Mr. HOSTETTLER.

H.R. 1480: Mr. FROST and Mr. ETHERIDGE.

H.R. 1492: Mr. GOODLATTE.

H.R. 1503: Mr. TALENT, Mr. DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, and Mr. McIntosh.

H.R. 1507: Mr. SPRATT, Mr. DELLUMS, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. FILNER, Mr. BROWN of California, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, and Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD.

H.J. Res. 26: Mr. GOODLATTE.

H.J. Res. 54: Mr. CAMPBELL and Mr. MCIN-

 $H.J.\ Res.\ 72:\ Mr.\ MEEHAN,\ Mr.\ ROYCE,\ Mr.\ DUNCAN,\ Mrs.\ NORTHUP,\ Mr.\ TALENT,\ and\ Mr.\ ENGLISH\ of\ Pennsylvania.$

H.J. Res. 75: Mr. Frelinchuysen, Mr. Mascara, Mr. Campbell, Ms. Sanchez, Mr. Ehrlich, Mr. Frost, Mr. Lipinski, Ms. Christian-Green, Mr. Porter, Mr. Brown of Ohio, Mr. Davis of Virginia, Mr. Boehner, Mr. Whitfield, Mr. Radanovich, Mr. Latham, Mr. Herger, Mr. Hastings of Washington, Mr. Bonilla, and Mr. Ryun.

H.Con. Res. 13: Mr. POMEROY, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. MOLLOHAN, Mr. KLINK, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, and Mr. LEWIS of California.

H. Con. Res. 35: Mr. COBURN.

H.Con. Res. 48: Mr. CALLAHAN.

H. Con. Res. 55: Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. VIS-CLOSKY, Mr. PORTER, and Mr. PAPPAS.

H. Con. Res. 60: Mr. DAN SCHAEFER of Colorado, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. McInnis, Mr. McNulty, Mr. McGovern, Mr. Aderholt, Mr. Porter, Mrs. Northup, and Mr. Jefferson.

H. Con. Res. 64: Mr. PARKER.

H. Con. Res. 65: Mr. LIPINSKI, Ms. DUNN of Washington, Mr. GILMAN, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. GREEN, Mr. SCARBOROUGH, Mr. FILNER, Ms. KAPTUR, and Mr. DELAHUNT.

H. Con. Res. 68: Mr. LIPINSKI.

H. Res. 23: Mr. HORN, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, and Mr. HILL.

H. Res. 104: Mr. McGovern.

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. 900: Mr. TRAFICANT. H.R. 991: Mr. SALMON.

PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 1 of rule XXII, petitions and papers were laid on the Clerk's desk and referred as follows:

10. By the SPEAKER: Petition of the Maryland Student Legislature, relative to a resolution concerning the indefinite extension of the Voting Rights Act; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

11. Also, petition of the city of Sonoma, CA, relative to Resolution 20–1997 requesting the 105th Congress to reauthorize Federal funding from section 8 of the Intermodal Surface Transportation Efficiency Act [ISTEA]; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

AMENDMENTS

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

HR 2

OFFERED BY MR. NADLER

AMENDMENT No. 52: Page 335, after line 6, insert the following new section:

SEC. 709. TRANSFER OF SURPLUS REAL PROP-ERTY FOR PROVIDING HOUSING FOR LOW- AND MODERATE-INCOME FAMI-LIFS.

(a) IN GENERAL.—Notwithstanding any other provision of law (including the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act of 1949), the property known as 252 Seventh Avenue in New York County, New York is authorized to be conveyed under a public benefit discount to a non-profit organization that has among its purposes providing housing for low-income individuals or families provided, that such property is determined by the Administrator of General Services to be surplus to the needs of the government and provided it is determined by the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development that such property will be used by such non-profit organization to provide housing for low- and moderate-income families or individuals.

(b)(1) PUBLIC BENEFIT DISCOUNT.—The amount of the public benefit discount available under this section shall be 75 percent of the estimated fair market value of the property, except that the Secretary may discount

by a greater percentage if the Secretary, in consultation with the Administrator, determines that a higher percentage is justified due to any benefit which will accrue to the United States from the use of such property for the public purpose of providing low- and moderate-income housing.

- (2) REVERTER.—The Administrator shall require that the property be used for at least 30 years for the public purpose for which it was originally conveyed, or such longer period of time as the Administrator feels necessary, to protect the Federal interest and to promote the public purpose. If this condition is not met, the property shall revert to the United States.
- (3) DETERMINATION OF FAIR MARKET VALUE.—The Administrator shall determine estimated fair market value in accordance with Federal appraisal standards and procedures
- (4) DEPOSIT OF PROCEEDS.—The Administrator of General Services shall deposit any proceeds received under this subsection in the special account established pursuant to section 204(h)(2) of the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act of 1949.
- (5) ADDITIONAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS.— The Administrator may require such additional terms and conditions in connection with the conveyance under subsection (a) as the Administrator considers appropriate to protect the interests of the United States and to accomplish a public purpose.