

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

Ms. WATERS, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. GEJDENSON, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. PASCRELL, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. MENENDEZ, for 5 minutes, today.

Mrs. MALONEY of New York, for 5 minutes, today.

Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, for 5 minutes, today.

Ms. MCKINNEY, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. BECERRA, for 5 minutes, today.

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

Mr. KINGSTON, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. TIAHRT, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. DELAY, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. SHADEGG, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. BRADY, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. EWING, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. SCARBOROUGH, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. HASTERT, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. SMITH of Michigan, for 5 minutes each day, today and on June 12.

Mr. PAXON, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. MILLER of Florida, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. BLUNT, for 5 minutes, today.

SENATE ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

The SPEAKER announced his signature to an enrolled bill of the Senate of the following title:

S. 543. An act to provide certain protection to volunteers, nonprofit organizations, and governmental entities in lawsuits based on the activities of volunteers.

ADJOURNMENT

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

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 6 o'clock and 39 minutes p.m.), the House adjourned until tomorrow, Thursday, June 12, 1997, 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:

3740. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy Management Staff, Office of Policy, Food and Drug Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Food Additives Permitted for Direct Addition to Food for Human Consumption; Polydextrose [Docket No. 91F-0160] received June 11, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

3741. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy Management Staff, Office of Policy, Food and Drug Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Ophthalmic Devices; Reclassification of Rigid Gas Permeable Contact Lens Solution; Soft (Hydrophilic) Contact Lens Solution; and Contact Lens Heat Disinfecting Unit [Docket No. 95N-0400] received June 11,

1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

3742. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy Management Staff, Office of Policy, Food and Drug Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Substances Affirmed as Generally Recognized as Safe: Menhaden Oil [Docket No. 86G-0289] received June 11, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

3743. A letter from the Acting Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, transmitting notification concerning the Department of the Army's proposed Letter(s) of Offer and Acceptance (LOA) to Korea for defense articles and services (Transmittal No. 96-17), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(b); to the Committee on International Relations.

3744. A letter from the Acting Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, transmitting notification concerning the Department of the Army's proposed Letter(s) of Offer and Acceptance (LOA) to Israel for defense articles and services (Transmittal No. 96-18), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(b); to the Committee on International Relations.

3745. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting notification of a proposed manufacturing license agreement for production of major military equipment with Italy (Transmittal No. DTC-58-97), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(d); to the Committee on International Relations.

3746. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting notification of a proposed manufacturing license agreement for production of major military equipment with Australia (Transmittal No. DTC-55-97), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(d); to the Committee on International Relations.

3747. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the Inspector General for the period October 1, 1996, through March 31, 1997, and the semiannual management report 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.

3748. A letter from the Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the semiannual report of the Office of Inspector General covering the period October 1, 1996 through March 31, 1997, and the semiannual Management report 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.

3749. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Trade Commission, transmitting a copy of the annual report in compliance with the Government in the Sunshine Act during the calendar year 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b(j); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

3750. A letter from the Chairman of the Board, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, transmitting the semiannual report on the activities of the Office of Inspector General for the period October 1, 1996, through March 31, 1997, and the semiannual management report 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.

3751. A letter from the Chairman, Railroad Retirement Board, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the Office of Inspector General for the period October 1, 1996, through March 31, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

3752. A letter from the Chief Operating Officer/President, Resolution Trust Corpora-

tion, transmitting a copy of the Resolution Funding Corporation's Statement on Internal Controls and the 1996 Audited Financial Statements, pursuant to Public Law 101-73, section 511(a) (103 Stat. 404); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

3753. A letter from the Acting Director, Fish and Wildlife Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Determination of Threatened Status for *Castilleja levisecta* (Golden Paintbrush) (RIN: 1018-AC52) received June 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

3754. A letter from the Director, Fish and Wildlife Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Threatened Status for the Alaska Breeding Population of the Steller's Eider (RIN: 1018-AC19) received June 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

3755. A letter from the Acting Deputy Director, Fish and Wildlife Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Threatened Status for the Guajon (RIN: 1018-AD52) received June 10, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

3756. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Pollock in Statistical Area 630 in the Gulf of Alaska [Docket No. 961126334-7025-02; I.D. 053097C] received June 11, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

3757. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Fisheries Off West Coast States and in the Western Pacific; West Coast Salmon Fisheries; Closure from Cape Arago, OR, to the Oregon-California Border [Docket No. 970429101-7101-01; I.D. 060397A] received June 11, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

3758. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Pollock in the Gulf of Alaska Statistical Area 620 [Docket No. 961126334-7025-02; I.D. 053097F] received June 11, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

3759. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Low-Income Housing Credit [Revenue Ruling 97-25] received June 9, 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

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. GOSS. Committee on Rules. House Resolution 165. Resolution waiving a requirement of clause 4(b) of rule XI with respect to consideration of certain resolutions reported from the Committee on Rules (Rept. 105-128). Referred to the House Calendar.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PRI- VATE 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. SMITH of Texas: Committee on the Judiciary. S. 768. A bill for the relief of Michel Christopher Meili, Giuseppina Meili, Mirjam Naomi Meili, and Davide Meili. (Rept. 105-129). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House.

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. HINCHEY (for himself and Mr. SHAYS):

H.R. 1861. A bill to amend the Forest and Range Land Renewable Resources Planning Act of 1974, the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, the National Wildlife Refuge System Administration Act of 1966, the National Indian Forest Resources Management Act, and title 10, United States Code, to strengthen the protection of native biodiversity and to place restraints upon clearcutting and certain other cutting practices on the forests of the United States; to the Committee on Agriculture, and in addition to the Committees on Resources, and National Security, 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 Ms. MOLINARI:

H.R. 1862. A bill to amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to provide death benefits to retired public safety officers; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. NEY (for himself, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. BARR of Georgia, Mr. BUNNING of Kentucky, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. CALLAHAN, Mr. COOKSEY, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. TALENT, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. WICKER, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. COLLINS, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. BOEHNER, and Mr. SNOWBARGER):

H.R. 1863. A bill to prohibit the Environmental Protection Agency from establishing a new standard for ozone or particulate matter under the Clean Air Act before existing ozone and particulate matter standards have been attained; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. SHAYS (for himself, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. BASS, Ms. CARSON, Mr. CASTLE, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. COYNE, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. FAWELL, Mr. FOGLIETTA, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, Mr. GEKAS, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. HOBSON, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. KLUG, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. MCHALE, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. NEUMANN, Mr. OLVER, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. PORTER, Mr. PORTMAN, Mr. QUINN, Mr.

RAMSTAD, Ms. RIVERS, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. SKAGGS, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. STARK, Mr. TORRES, Mr. VIS-CLOSKY, and Mr. WAMP):

H.R. 1864. A bill to provide for a gradual reduction in the loan rate for peanuts, to repeal peanut quotas for the 2002 and subsequent crops, and to make nonrecourse loans available for peanut producers; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. SKAGGS (for himself and Mr. MCINNIS):

H.R. 1865. A bill to designate certain lands in the San Isabel National Forest, in Colorado, as the Spanish Peaks Wilderness; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. SMITH of Texas (for himself and Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts):

H.R. 1866. A bill to continue favorable treatment for need-based educational aid under the antitrust laws; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 1 of rule XXII, private bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred as follows:

By Mr. KINGSTON:

H.R. 1867. A bill for the relief of Mr. Guy Lau and Ms. Chantal Lau Pease; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. LANTOS:

H.R. 1868. A bill for the relief of Billy I. Meyer; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. MOLINARI:

H.R. 1869. A bill for the relief of the estate of Irwin Rutman; 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. 14: Mr. RYUN, Mr. LEWIS of California, Mr. DOOLITTLE, and Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina.

H.R. 66: Mr. FILNER.

H.R. 135: Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, and Mr. KLINK.

H.R. 195: Mr. EHRLICH.

H.R. 217: Mr. NEY and Mr. KNOLLENBERG.

H.R. 253: Mr. MURTHA.

H.R. 255: Mr. BORSKI.

H.R. 304: Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas and Mr. HILLIARD.

H.R. 306: Mr. ALLEN and Mr. RODRIGUEZ.

H.R. 367: Mr. TAUZIN.

H.R. 411: Ms. STABENOW.

H.R. 426: Mr. SNYDER, Mr. PAUL, Mr. SOUDER, and Mr. ALLEN.

H.R. 457: Mr. SENSENBRENNER.

H.R. 475: Mr. MCDADE, Mr. FOGLIETTA, and Mr. MASCARA.

H.R. 482: Mr. ENGEL and Mr. BURTON of Indiana.

H.R. 538: Mr. DELLUMS.

H.R. 594: Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. SHAW, Mr. CAMPBELL, and Mr. MORAN of Virginia.

H.R. 601: Mr. WATT of North Carolina.

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H.R. 614: Mr. HALL of Texas.

H.R. 619: Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. KASICH, and Mr. BONIOR.

H.R. 620: Mr. SKAGGS.

H.R. 681: Mr. RIGGS, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. CAPPS, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. DELLUMS, Ms.

WOOLSEY, Mr. COX of California, and Mr. TORRES.

H.R. 712: Mr. THOMPSON and Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

H.R. 716: Mr. GOODLATTE.

H.R. 761: Mr. WATT of North Carolina.

H.R. 789: Ms. CARSON.

H.R. 793: Mr. FROST.

H.R. 872: Mr. ROTHMAN and Mr. TORRES.

H.R. 875: Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. HEFNER, Mr. DAVIS of Florida, Mr. ALLEN, and Mr. DEAL of Georgia.

H.R. 883: Mr. DOOLEY of California.

H.R. 953: Mr. GILMAN, Mr. PAYNE, and Mr. OWENS.

H.R. 955: Mr. BARCIA of Michigan.

H.R. 977: Mr. GOODE and Mr. WOLF.

H.R. 1114: Mr. EVANS.

H.R. 1129: Mr. MICA, Ms. KILPATRICK, and Mr. SKAGGS.

H.R. 1134: Mr. BARTON of Texas.

H.R. 1223: Mr. WATT of North Carolina.

H.R. 1238: Mr. WATT of North Carolina.

H.R. 1239: Mr. WATT of North Carolina.

H.R. 1281: Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. WEXLER, and Mr. ALLEN.

H.R. 1285: Mr. KING.

H.R. 1329: Mr. GILCREST.

H.R. 1375: Mr. MATSUI.

H.R. 1425: Ms. LOFGREN.

H.R. 1450: Mr. BECERRA.

H.R. 1514: Mr. WISE.

H.R. 1549: Mr. SKAGGS.

H.R. 1556: Mr. TANNER and Ms. SLAUGHTER.

H.R. 1574: Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, and Mr. HILL.

H.R. 1592: Mr. KLUG.

H.R. 1610: Mr. FLAKE, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. QUINN, and Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York.

H.R. 1613: Mr. SHIMKUS.

H.R. 1623: Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 1624: Mr. FOGLIETTA and Mr. MCGOVERN.

H.R. 1666: Mr. KLUG.

H.R. 1689: Mr. PALLONE, Mr. RUSH, and Ms. FURSE.

H.R. 1704: Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania and Mr. MANZULLO.

H.R. 1705: Mrs. ROUKEMA and Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York.

H.R. 1719: Mr. WALSH, Mrs. EMERSON, and Mr. COLLINS.

H.R. 1723: Mr. WATT of North Carolina.

H.R. 1724: Mr. WATT of North Carolina.

H.R. 1727: Mr. BILBRAY.

H.R. 1743: Mr. BARTON of Texas.

H.R. 1748: Mr. SHAYS, Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. HINCHEY, and Mr. HALL of Ohio.

H.R. 1754: Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania and Mr. FILNER.

H.R. 1788: Mr. FROST, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, and Mr. HILLIARD.

H.R. 1799: Mrs. EMERSON and Mr. HOEKSTRA.

H.R. 1839: Mr. OXLEY.

H.J. Res. 64: Mr. BOYD.

H. Con. Res. 68: Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin.

H. Con. Res. 75: Mr. DOOLITTLE.

H. Con. Res. 80: Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. MCINTYRE, Mr. MANZULLA, and Mrs. KELLY.

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. 663: Mr. BARCIA of Michigan.