

start to have educational programs, start to be relieved of the dictators and the repressive government that they have had to endure for so long. So there is hope.

We are looking towards the leaders in central Africa to come up with solutions. We can look to a place, a country like Mozambique, also one of the poorest countries in the world, where we have seen a growth in the GDP in Mozambique of about 8 or 10 percent annually. We have seen the fact that the people there are working together. The former Renamo forces now have become a political party with the MPLA and they are working together in unity to make conditions better for the people of that country. We have seen Namibia go through some problems as well as problems up close to Angola, but we now are seeing President Josh Nkomo moving to new elections so that the people once again will be able to move forward and progress as we move towards the new millennium.

We look at Nigeria with its new president, President Obasanjo, who I will have the pleasure to meet with tomorrow, that has ended the military rule of its 38 years since independence, 28 years of military rule. And we now see President Obasanjo retiring the military. As my colleagues know, the brutal dictator Abacho had imprisoned President Obasanjo and imprisoned Chief MKO Abiola, who won the June 12 elections but was imprisoned because he said he was president and they said the elections were annulled.

So now, the new Nigeria, with its elected parliament, with its new leaders, with its tremendous resources of oil and diamonds and timber and agricultural promise, we believe will once again move towards a direction of increase in its GDP and once again provide the outstanding education that it did for its people at its independence. Nigeria, with South Africa, with its new leader Thabo Mbeki can really be the engines of South Africa. A healthy South Africa and a strong Nigeria can pull the rest of the countries in Africa along into progress.

So we are encouraged by the fact that these two giants have had positive elections, have had a transition, have had a turnover from military rule. As we saw in the apartheid South Africa to a new multiracial Democratic society, we are seeing the same situation happening in Nigeria. So there is a tremendous amount of hope and there is a tremendous amount of opportunity.

We also would like to see increased trade and development between the United States and Africa. We have the technical resources to be able to assist them in this growth and development. They have the natural resources. Together we can harness tremendous energy so that both the Africans and Nigerians, South Africa, and Namibia, and all of the countries, the 50 sub-Saharan countries, 700 million people, will be able to start to benefit and

enjoy the fruits of a true democracy and education and health care. The fact that everyone will be judged by their worth is something that these countries look forward to.

So as I conclude, I once again would like to say that the world is better off because of Dr. Julius Nyerere; that many of us have looked to him as a leader, a person of inspiration, a person who during my young years I looked to him as someone that I would like to emulate. And so it is with a great deal of sorrow that we have seen this fallen leader come to the end of his great career, but all of us in the world are better off for what he has done.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to:

Mr. McNULTY (at the request of Mr. GEPHARDT) for today on account of personal business.

Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas (at the request of Mr. GEPHARDT) for today after 2:15 p.m. on account of official business.

Mr. MASCARA (at the request of Mr. GEPHARDT) for today and October 27 on account of medical reasons.

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

Mr. BROWN of Ohio, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. TOWNS, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. MEEKS of New York, for 5 minutes, today.

Ms. LEE, for 5 minutes, today.

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

Mr. GEJDENSON, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. RANGEL, for 5 minutes, today.

Ms. KILPATRICK, for 5 minutes, today.

Ms. BROWN of Florida, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. PALLONE, for 5 minutes, today.

Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, for 5 minutes, today.

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

Mrs. NORTHPUR, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. LEACH, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. TANCREDO, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. JONES of North Carolina, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. DUNCAN, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. MCCOLLUM, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. SMITH of Michigan, for 5 minutes, today and October 27.

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Mr. THOMAS, from the Committee on House Administration, reported

that the committee had examined and found truly enrolled a bill of the House of the following title, which was thereupon signed by the Speaker:

H.R. 2367. An act to reauthorize a comprehensive program of support for victims of torture.

ADJOURNMENT

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

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 9 o'clock and 8 minutes p.m.), the House adjourned until tomorrow, Wednesday, October 27, 1999, at 10 a.m.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 8 of rule XII, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

4921. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Oriental Fruit Fly; Removal of Quarantined Area [Docket No. 99-044-2] received October 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

4922. A letter from the Administrator, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendments to the Regulations for Cotton Warehouses—Electronic Warehouse Receipts and Other Provisions (RIN: 0560-AE60) received October 20, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

4923. A letter from the Secretary of Defense, transmitting the approved retirement and advancement to the grade of lieutenant general on the retired list of Lieutenant General John B. Sams, Jr.; to the Committee on Armed Services.

4924. A letter from the Legislative and Regulatory Activities Division, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, transmitting the Corporation's final rule—Extended Examination Cycle For U.S. Branches and Agencies of Foreign Banks (RIN: 3064-AC15) received October 19, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

4925. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Office of Student Financial Assistance, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's final rule—Final Regulations—Federal Perkins Loan Program and Federal Family Education Loan Program—received October 20, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

4926. A letter from the Director, Defense Security Cooperation Agency, transmitting notification concerning the Department of the Air Force's proposed Letter(s) of Offer and Acceptance (LOA) to Norway for defense articles and services (Transmittal No. 00-01), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(b); to the Committee on International Relations.

4927. A letter from the Director, Defense Security Cooperation Agency, transmitting notification concerning the Department of the Army's proposed Letter(s) of Offer and Acceptance (LOA) to Egypt for defense articles and services (Transmittal No. 00-10), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(b); to the Committee on International Relations.

4928. A letter from the Director, Defense Security Cooperation Agency, transmitting notification concerning the Department of the Air Force's proposed Letter(s) of Offer

and Acceptance (LOA) to Egypt for defense articles and services (Transmittal No. 00-09), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(b); to the Committee on International Relations.

4929. A letter from the Director, Defense Security Cooperation 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. 00-08), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(b); to the Committee on International Relations.

4930. A letter from the Director, Defense Security Cooperation Agency, transmitting notification concerning the Department of the Army's proposed Letter(s) of Offer and Acceptance (LOA) to the Republic of Korea for defense articles and services (Transmittal No. 00-07), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(b); to the Committee on International Relations.

4931. A letter from the Executive Director, Committee For Purchase From People Who Are Blind Or Severely Disabled, transmitting the Committee's final rule—Additions to the Procurement List—received October 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

4932. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Fish and Wildlife and Parks, National Park Service, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Glacier Bay National Park, Alaska; Commercial Fishing Regulations (RIN: 1024-AB99) received October 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

4933. 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; Sharpchin and Northern Rockfish in the Aleutian Islands Subarea of the Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands Management Area [Docket No. 990304063-9063-01; I.D. 101399C] received October 20, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

4934. A letter from the Director, Administrative Office of the United States Courts, transmitting a report on compliance within the time limitations established for deciding habeas corpus death penalty petitions under Title I of the Antiterrorism and Effective Death Penalty Act of 1996; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

4935. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Eurocopter France Model SA-360C, SA-365C, C1, C2, SA-365N, N1, AS-365N2, and SA-366G1 Helicopters [Docket No. 98-SW-26-AD; Amendment 39-11359; AD 99-21-14] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received October 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4936. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Eurocopter Deutschland GMBH Model BO-105A, BO-105C, BO-105C-2, BO-105 CB-2, BO-105 CB-4, BO-105S, BO-105 CS-2, BO-105 CBS-2, BO-105 CBS-4, and BO-105LS A-1 Helicopters [Docket No. 99-SW-52-AD; Amendment 39-11357; AD 99-19-22] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received October 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4937. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Bombardier Model CL-600-2B19 (Regional Jet Series 100) Series Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-385-AD; Amendment 39-11355; AD 99-21-11] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received

October 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4938. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; British Aerospace BAe Model ATP Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-345-AD; Amendment 39-11361; AD 99-21-16] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received October 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4939. A letter from the Trial Attorney, Federal Railroad Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Qualification and Certification of Locomotive Engineers; [FRA Docket No. RSOR-9, Notice 12] (RIN: 2130-AA74) received October 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4940. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 29786; Amendment No. 1954] received October 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4941. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 29787; Amendment No. 1955] received October 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4942. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Lyons, KS [Airspace Docket No. 99-ACE-38] received October 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4943. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Ava, MO [Airspace Docket No. 99-ACE-37] received October 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4944. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class D and establishment of Class E2 Airspace; Fort Rucker, AL [Airspace Docket No. 99-ASO-14] received October 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4945. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of Class E Airspace; Fort Bragg, CA [Airspace Docket No. 99-AWP-12] received October 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4946. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of Class E Airspace; Gualala, CA [Airspace Docket No. 99-AWP-13] received October 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4947. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of Class E Airspace; Lakeport, CA [Airspace Docket No. 99-AWP-16] received October 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4948. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, trans-

mitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Airbus Model A321 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 99-NM-193-AD; Amendment 39-11362; AD 99-21-17] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received October 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4949. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of Class E Airspace; Clearlake, CA [Airspace Docket No. 99-AWP-15] received October 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4950. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of Class E Airspace; Napa, CA [Airspace Docket No. 99-AWP-17] received October 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4951. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of Class E Airspace; St. Helena, CA [Airspace Docket No. 99-AWP-14] received October 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4952. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Nevada, MO [Airspace Docket No. 99-ACE-40] received October 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4953. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Wayne, NE [Airspace Docket No. 99-ACE-29] received October 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4954. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Revision of Class E Airspace; Altus, OK [Airspace Docket No. 99-ASW-16] received October 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4955. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Norfolk, NE [Airspace Docket No. 99-ACE-45] received October 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4956. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Revision of Class E Airspace; Georgetown, TX [Airspace Docket No. 99-ASW-18] received October 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4957. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 757-200PF Series Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-338-AD; Amendment 39-11380; AD 99-22-02] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received October 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4958. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Fokker Model F.27 Mark 050 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 99-NM-225-AD; Amendment 39-11379; AD 99-21-33] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received October 21, 1999,

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

4959. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; McDonnell Douglas Model MD-90-30 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-340-AD; Amendment 39-11378; AD 99-21-32] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received October 21, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4960. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—November 1999 Applicable Federal Rates [Revenue Ruling 99-45] received October 21, 1999, 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. BLILEY: Committee on Commerce. H.R. 2531. A bill to authorize appropriations for the Nuclear Regulatory Commission for fiscal year 2000, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 106-415). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions were introduced to the Clerk and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. RUSH:

H.R. 3145. A bill to modify the provisions of the Balanced Budget Act of 1997 relating to the Medicare Program under title XVIII of the Social Security Act; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Commerce, and the Judiciary, 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. BLILEY (for himself, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. TAUZIN, Mr. PICKERING, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. BURR of North Carolina, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. UPTON, Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. OXLEY, Mr. ROGAN, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. LAZIO, and Mr. BRYANT):

H.R. 3146. A bill to amend titles XVIII, XIX, and XXI of the Social Security Act to adjust the Medicare, Medicaid, and children's health insurance programs, as revised by the Balanced Budget Act of 1997; 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. DAVIS of Virginia (for himself, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. WYNN, and Mr. WOLF):

H.R. 3147. A bill to amend title 5, United States Code, to alleviate the pay-compression problem affecting members of the Senior Executive Service and other senior-level Federal employees, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Ms. ESHOO (for herself and Mr. UPTON):

H.R. 3148. A bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to require any person who reprocesses a medical device to comply with certain safety requirements,

and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas (for herself, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. RANGEL, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. MEEKS of New York, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. REYES, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. OWENS, Mr. WYNN, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. McGOVERN, Mr. ORTIZ, Ms. LEE, Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. MENENDEZ, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. SERRANO, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Ms. ROLEHTINEN, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. MATSUI, and Mrs. CHRISTENSEN):

H.R. 3149. A bill to repeal the limitation on judicial jurisdiction imposed by section 377 of the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act of 1996, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. MALONEY of New York (for herself, Mr. STARK, Mr. HALL of Ohio, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. HINCHEY, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. EVANS, Mr. CONYERS, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. WATT of North Carolina, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. CLAY, Mr. BERMAN, and Mr. GREEN of Texas):

H.R. 3150. A bill to require the Secretary of Health and Human Services to provide bonus grants to high performance States based on certain criteria and to collect data to evaluate the outcome of welfare reform, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. STRICKLAND (for himself and Mr. WHITFIELD):

H.R. 3151. A bill to provide funding for the Portsmouth and Paducah, Tennessee, gaseous diffusion plants; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. TOOMEY:

H. Con. Res. 208. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress that there should be no increase in Federal taxes in order to fund additional Government spending; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. LANTOS (for himself, Mr. PORTER, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. CLAY, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. HALL of Ohio, Mr. HILLIARD, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. KUCINICH, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. LUTHER, Mr. McGOVERN, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. OWENS, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELÓ, Mr. SABO, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. STARK, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. VIS-COSKY, and Mr. WAXMAN):

H. Con. Res. 209. Concurrent resolution expressing condemnation of the use of children as soldiers and the belief that the United States should support and, where possible, lead efforts to establish and enforce international standards designed to end this abuse of human rights; to the Committee on International Relations.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 49: Mrs. LOWEY.
 H.R. 73: Mr. BILIRAKIS.
 H.R. 325: Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota.
 H.R. 383: Ms. LEE.
 H.R. 405: Mr. LARSON.
 H.R. 420: Mr. SANFORD.
 H.R. 505: Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD.
 H.R. 721: Mr. THORNBERRY.
 H.R. 809: Mr. STRICKLAND.
 H.R. 860: Mr. PAYNE.
 H.R. 997: Mr. LEACH, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, and Mr. MASCARA.
 H.R. 1006: Ms. LEE.
 H.R. 1046: Mrs. EMERSON.
 H.R. 1052: Ms. WOOLSEY, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. BAIRD, and Mr. LANTOS.
 H.R. 1070: Mr. CONYERS.
 H.R. 1090: Mrs. LOWEY and Mr. TRAFICANT.
 H.R. 1111: Mr. PAYNE.
 H.R. 1115: Mr. GOODLATTE and Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas.
 H.R. 1123: Mr. CROWLEY.
 H.R. 1155: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY.
 H.R. 1288: Ms. BERKLEY.
 H.R. 1322: Mr. UNDERWOOD.
 H.R. 1323: Mr. MCCRERY and Ms. DANNER.
 H.R. 1344: Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin.
 H.R. 1355: Mr. ABERCROMBIE.
 H.R. 1387: Mr. DEAL of Georgia and Mr. MASCARA.
 H.R. 1388: Ms. LEE.
 H.R. 1459: Mr. GREENWOOD and Mr. PHELPS.
 H.R. 1485: Mr. DIXON.
 H.R. 1579: Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania and Ms. BERKLEY.
 H.R. 1592: Mr. MICA and Mr. DICKS.
 H.R. 1598: Mr. HAYES, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Mr. STUMP, and Mr. SUNUNU.
 H.R. 1606: Mr. LARSON.
 H.R. 1611: Mr. SUNUNU.
 H.R. 1648: Ms. NORTON.
 H.R. 1760: Mr. CAMPBELL and Mrs. KELLY.
 H.R. 1776: Mrs. FOWLER, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. HILL of Indiana, Mr. QUINN, Mr. MCKEON, Mrs. EMERSON, and Mr. BORSKI.
 H.R. 1798: Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin and Mr. EHRLICH.
 H.R. 1839: Mr. BONIOR and Mr. PAYNE.
 H.R. 1869: Mrs. THURMAN.
 H.R. 1890: Mr. COX.
 H.R. 1977: Mrs. FOWLER.
 H.R. 2121: Mr. LEVIN and Mr. FARR of California.
 H.R. 2125: Mr. BERMAN.
 H.R. 2200: Mr. WALSH.
 H.R. 2262: Mr. CUMMINGS.
 H.R. 2263: Mr. CUMMINGS.
 H.R. 2264: Mr. CUMMINGS and Mr. COYNE.
 H.R. 2267: Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. EHLERS, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, and Mrs. WILSON.
 H.R. 2362: Mr. SENSENBRENNER and Mr. BURTON of Indiana.
 H.R. 2366: Mr. STUMP.
 H.R. 2376: Mr. SENSENBRENNER.
 H.R. 2420: Mr. BUYER and Ms. MCKINNEY.
 H.R. 2486: Mr. WU and Mr. LIPINSKI.
 H.R. 2551: Mr. BURR of North Carolina, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, and Mr. NADLER.
 H.R. 2638: Mr. OXLEY.
 H.R. 2655: Mr. TIAHRT and Mr. CRANE.
 H.R. 2680: Mr. STUPAK.
 H.R. 2710: Mr. GILMAN.
 H.R. 2720: Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma.
 H.R. 2722: Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California.
 H.R. 2726: Mr. COBLE and Mr. NEY.
 H.R. 2733: Mr. MORAN of Virginia and Mr. SMITH of New Jersey.
 H.R. 2749: Mr. RADANOVICH.
 H.R. 2776: Mr. DEFAZIO and Ms. SCHAKOWSKY.