By Ms. NORTON (for herself and Mr. WYNN):

H.R. 2813. A bill to assist local governments in conducting gun buyback programs; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. POMBO (for himself, Mr. CONDIT, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mrs. CHENOWETH, and Mr. HERGER):
H.R. 2814. A bill to amend chapter 55 of

title 5. United States Code, to authorize equal overtime pay provisions for all Federal employees engaged in wildland fire suppression operations; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. ROGAN:

H.R. 2815. A bill to present a congressional gold medal to astronauts Neil A. Armstrong, Buzz Aldrin and Michael Collins, the crew of Apollo 11: to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. SALMON (for himself, Mr. BAR-RETT of Wisconsin and Mr GILMAN). H.R. 2816. A bill to establish a grant program to assist State and local law enforcement in deterring, investigating, and prosecuting computer crimes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. TOWNS (for himself, Mr. UPTON, Mr. MCDERMOTT. Mr Lobiondo, Mr. Waxman, Mrs. John-SON of Connecticut, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. WYNN, Mr. FOLEY, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. LEACH, Mr. PALLONE. Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. KLINK, Mrs. Lowey. Mr. Gillmor. Mr. Aber-CROMBIE. Mr. HINCHEY. Ms. CARSON. Mr. ACKERMAN, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. OLVER, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. CLYBURN, Ms LOFGREN, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. WISE, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. THOMPSON of California, and Ms. RIVERS).

H.R. 2817. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for reimbursement of certified midwife services, to provide for more equitable reimbursement rates for certified nurse-midwife services, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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. TRAFICANT: H.R. 2818. A bill to prohibit oil and gas drilling in Mosquito Creek Lake in Cortland, Ohio; to the Committee on Resources.

> By Mr. UDALL of Colorado (for himself. Mr. BOEHLERT, and Mr. MINGE):

H.R. 2819. A bill to create an initiative for research and development into the utilization of biomass for fuel and industrial products; to the Committee on Science. and in addition to the Committee on Agriculture, 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. FOSSELLA (for himself, Mr. Dreier, Mr. Hyde, Mr. Bliley, Mr. ARCHER, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. Bonilla, Mr. Royce, Mr. Bart-LETT of Maryland, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. Smith of New Jersey, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. DELAY, Mr. STUMP, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. PICK-ERING, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mrs. Kelly, Mr. Cox, Mr. Tancredo, UPTON, Mr. ISTOOK. CHAMBLISS, Mr. ROGAN, Mr. PACKARD, Mrs. Roukema, Mr. Buyer, Mr. Hostettler, Mr. Vitter, Mr. Green of Wisconsin, Mr. ROHRABACHER, Mr. WALDEN of Oregon, Mr. SWEENEY, Mr.

KNOLLENBERG, Mr. WICKER, Mr. Franks of New Jersey, Mr. Weller, Mr. EWING, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. REY-NOLDS, Mr. COBURN, and Mr. SHAD-EGG):

H. Con. Res. 180. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress that the President should not have granted clemency to terrorists; to the Committee on the Judi-

By Mr. BRYANT:

H. Con. Res. 181. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress with respect to war crimes against United States military personnel and their families, and in particular to the war crimes committed in El Salvador against United States Army pilots David H. Pickett and Earnest Dawson, Jr.: to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. DAVIS of Virginia (for himself, Mr. Dreier, Mr. Goodlatte, Ms. Dunn, Mr. Moran of Virginia, Mr. Dooley of California, Ms. ESHOO, and Mr. SMITH of Washington):

H. Con. Res. 182. Concurrent resolution outlining a vision to shape congressional information technology policy into the next century to promote and preserve the successes, leadership, and uniqueness of the United States information technology sector; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. CUNNINGHAM (for himself, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. HUNTER, and Mr. BILBRAY):

H. Res. 284. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives on baseball player Tony Gwynn's 3,000th career base hit; to the Committee on Government

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS TO PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

H.R. 6: Mr. SANDLIN.

H.R. 82: Mr. COLLINS and Mr. STEARNS.

H.R. 135: Ms. KAPTUR.

H.R. 170: Mr. UDALL of New Mexico, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, and Mr. LUCAS of Ken-

H.R. 175: Mr. BERRY and Mr. MICA.

H.R. 205: Mr. DICKS.

H.R. 220: Mr. HILLEARY and Mr. KINGSTON.

H.R. 271: Mr. BAIRD.

H.R. 325: Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut.

H.R. 354: Mrs. Morella, Mr. Ford, Mr. PORTMAN, Ms. NORTON, Mr. MINGE, Mr. SHER-MAN, and Mr. HYDE.

H.R. 357: Mr. LARSON

H.R. 371: Mr. HOEKSTRA and Mr. SHAYS.

H.R. 382: Ms. CARSON, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. McGovern, and Mr. Frost.

H.R. 405: Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. COBLE, Mr. FILNER, Mr. ISAKSON, and Mr. STEARNS.

H.R. 406: Mr. RODRIGUEZ.

H.R. 488: Mr. BLAGOJEVICH.

H.R. 489: Mr. LUCAS of Kentucky.

H.R. 491: Mr. OWENS.

H.R. 505: Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO.

H.R. 531: Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. WISE, and Mr. KUCINICH.

H.R. 534: Mr. Cook, Mr. Bonilla, Mr. PHELPS, Mr. SISISKY, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. WEYGAND, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. MORAN of Kansas, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. GREEN of Texas, and Mr. MORAN of Virginia.

H.R. 555: Ms. WATERS.

H.R. 566: Mr. Weiner, Mr. Clement, Mr. GORDON, and Mr. MASCARA.

H.R. 595: Mr. GONZALEZ, Ms. CARSON, and Mr. BOUCHER.

H.R. 623: Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland.

H.R. 634: Mr. OWENS.

H.R. 637: Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. GEJDENSON.

and Mr. UPTON. H.R. 639: Mr. LUCAS of Kentucky and Mr. TALENT.

H.R. 655: Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. WEXLER, Mrs. THURMAN, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. SANDLIN, and Mr. Weiner.

H.R. 664: Mr. PASTOR, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, and Mr. OWENS.

H.R. 714: Mr. LARSON and Mr. FILNER.

H.R. 716: Mr. SMITH of Texas.

H.R. 721: Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. SPENCE, Mr. Wu, Mr. King, Mr. Capuano, Mr. Thompson of California, Mr. CONDIT, Mr. BAIRD, and Mr. GRAHAM.

H.R. 750: Mr. COYNE, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. PAUL, Mr. BER-MAN, Mr. ORTIZ, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. McGov-ERN, Mr. CLAY, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Ms. McKIN-NEY, Ms. SANCHEZ, Mr. GILCHREST, and Mrs. JONES of Ohio.

H.R. 765: Mrs. Emerson, Mr. Bentsen, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. JENKINS, and Mr. POMEROY.

H.R. 776: Mr. HASTINGS of Florida and Mr. WEXLER.

H.R. 798: Ms. VELAZQUEZ, Mr. WISE, and Mr. McCarthy of New York.

H.R. 809: Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. CAL-VERT, Ms. PELOSI, and Mr. GUTIERREZ.

H.R. 827: Mr. WEXLER, Mr. COYNE, and Mr. LANTOS.

H.R. 828: Mr. HOEFFEL.

H.R. 832: Mr. JACKSON of Illinois.

H.R. 854: Mr. SANDLIN.

H.R. 860: Mr. HOLT and Ms. PELOSI.

H.R. 886: Mr. OWENS.

H.R. 904: Mr. DUNCAN and Mr. NETHERCUTT.

H.R. 914: Mr. MARTINEZ and Mr. SANDLIN.

H.R. 920: Mr. MEEHAN, Ms. NORTON, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, and Mr. CLAY.

H.R. 941: Mr. BERRY.

H.R. 959: Mr. SANDLIN and Mr. CLEMENT.

H.R. 976: Mrs. Lowey.

H.R. 984: Mr. SHIMKUS and Mr. WEINER.

H.R. 997: Mr. LIPINSKI and Mr. GORDON.

H.R. 1071: Mr. GORDON.

H.R. 1083: Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin.

H.R. 1095: Mr. SAWYER, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. OLVER, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. LATOURETTE, and Mr. EHLERS.

H.R. 1102: Mr. LANTOS, Mr. WEYGAND, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. McDermott, and Mr. Smith of Washington.

H.R. Ĭ103: Mr. BLAGOJEVICH.

H.R. 1111: Mr. MINGE, Mr. SPRATT, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. COLLINS, Mr. LAZIO, Mr. Gejdenson, and Mrs. Fowler.

H.R. 1115: Mr. BLUNT, Ms. CARSON, Mr. PAS-TOR, Mr. JEFFERSON, and Mr. McNulty.

H.R. 1168: Mr. RUSH, Mr. ROGAN, Mr. SISI-SKY, Mr. COOK, Ms. KAPTUR, and Mr. UDALL of New Mexico.

H.R. 1176: Mr. SHAYS and Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut.

H.R. 1187: Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. FORD, Mr. CANNON, and Mr. SWEENEY.

H.R. 1190: Mr. CAMP and Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon.

H.R. 1193: Mr. COYNE, Mr. OWENS, Mr. LAN-TOS, Mr. HOEFFEL, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. LUCAS of Kentucky, and Mr. GILMAN.

H.R. 1221: Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. SNYDER, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. MOORE, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, and Ms. LOFGREN.

H.R. 1228: Mr. COYNE. Mr. GEJDENSON. Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. PASTOR, and Mr. REYES.

H.R. 1229: Mr. CRAMER.

H.R. 1244: Mr. OSE, Mr. PACKARD, and Mr. NEY.

H.R. 1260: Mr. DIAZ-BALART.

H.R. 1271: Mr. Pastor, Mrs. Lowey, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. McGOVERN, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, and Mr. TOWNS.

- H.R. 1287: Mr. NUSSLE.
- H.R. 1304: Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. WYNN, and Mr. LUCAS of Kentucky.
- H.R. 1313: Mr. Wu, Mr. Sandlin, Ms. Lee, and Ms. BALDWIN.
- H.R. 1325: Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. BRYANT, and Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas.
- H.R. 1344: Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. PICKERING, and Mr SANDLIN
- H.R. 1356: Mr. ENGLISH, Mrs. CUBIN, and Mr. FOLEY
- H.R. 1358: Mr. LUCAS of Kentucky and Mr. CALVERT.
 - H.R. 1387: Mr. QUINN.
- H.R. 1388: Mrs. Fowler, Mr. Boucher, Mr. KILDEE, and Mr. CUMMINGS.
 - H.R. 1413: Mr. SCARBOROUGH.
- H.R. 1445: Mr. LAHOOD, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. COOK, and Mrs. Lowey.
 - H.R. 1450: Mr. FILNER.
- H.R. 1456: Mrs. McCarthy of New York and Mr. SABO.
 - H.R. 1457: Mr. PICKETT.
- H.R. 1476: Mr. RAHALL.
- H.R. 1483: Mr. PITTS, Mr. DOOLEY of California, Mr. HOEFFEL, and Mr. MEEHAN.
- H.R. 1485: Mr. HASTINGS of Florida. Mr. BECERRA, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. STARK, and Mr. EDWARDS.
- H.R. 1495: Mr. OWENS.
- H.R. 1504: Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. RAHALL, and Mr. METCALF.
- H.R. 1511: Mr. VITTER and Mr. SANDLIN.
- H.R. 1518: Ms. CARSON, Mr. SANDERS, and Mr. Sisisky.
 - H.R. 1523: Mr. SHOWS.
 - H.R. 1524: Mr. ROGERS.
- H.R. 1532: Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, and Mr. COOK.
- H.R. 1579: Mr. Wexler, Mr. Clyburn, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. SNYDER, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. CANNON, and Mr. CAMPBELL
- H.R. 1592: Mr. Pease, Mr. Ewing, Mr. VITTER, Mr. TOOMEY, Mr. WAMP, Mr. METCALF, Mr. CANNON, and Mr. WELDON of Florida.
- H.R. 1598: Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. COOK, and Mr. SESSIONS.
- H.R. 1619: Ms. DELAURO.
- H.R. 1621: Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Mr. ACK-ERMAN, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. DEFAZIO, Ms. NORTON, Mr. FILNER, Mr. OBERSTAR, and Mr. VENTO.
- H.R. 1625: Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. Jackson of Illinois, Mr. Owens, Mr. Meehan. Mr. Allen, Ms. Roybal-Allard, Mr. Strick-LAND, Mr. MARKEY, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. BENTSEN, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. HOLT, Mr. FATTAH, Ms. LEE, Mr. CARDIN, Ms. VELAZ-QUEZ, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. GREENWOOD, and Ms. ESHOO.
- H.R. 1640: Ms. KAPTUR, Ms. MILLENDER-McDonald, and Mr. Capuano.
- H.R. 1660: Mr. CLYBURN, Ms. McCarthy of Missouri, Mr. WATT of North Carolina, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. McIntyre, Mr. Oberstar, Mr. Pickett, Mr. SISISKY, Mr. SKELTON, Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. KLECZKA, and Mr. BENTSEN.
- H.R. 1663: Mr. SANFORD.
- H.R. 1736: Mr. SNYDER, Mrs. LOWEY, and Mr. Sandlin.
- H.R. 1747: Mr. RADANOVICH and Mr. ISAKSON.
- H.R. 1760: Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. DeFazio, Mr. Weldon of Pennsylvania, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, and Mr. SHIMKUS.
- H.R. 1777: Mr. SHOWS.
- H.R. 1785: Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, and Ms. RIVERS.
- H.R. 1796: Mr. OWENS.
- H.R. 1798: Mr. SANDLIN and Mr. NORWOOD.
- H.R. 1812: Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California and Mr. CAMPBELL.

- H.R. 1820: Mr. STARK.
- H.R. 1824: Mr. SHAYS.
- H.R. 1838: Mr. VITTER.
- H.R. 1839: Mr. COYNE. H.R. 1850: Mr. HOLT.
- H.R. 1862: Mr. PASCRELL and Mr. UDALL of Colorado.
- H.R. 1870: Mr. COYNE.
- H.R. 1871: Mr. COSTELLO and Mr. LAFALCE. H.R. 1883: Mr. Nussle, Mr. Gilchrest, Mr. Boyd, Mr. Becerra, Mr. Stenholm, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. OSE, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. CLEMENT, and Ms. KAPTUR.
- H.R. 1887: Mr. Lantos, Mr. Chabot, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. GILMAN, and Mr. GOODLATTE.
- H.R. 1899: Mr. Moore, Ms. Degette, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. LEACH, Mr. COYNE, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. HALL of Ohio, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. SANDERS, Ms. RIVERS, Mr. SISI-SKY, Mr. ALLEN, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. FOLEY and Mr KIND
- H.R. 1910: Mr. FARR of California, Mr. SANDLIN, and Mr. HINCHEY.
- H.R. 1929: Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California
- H.R. 1933: Mr. Stearns and Ms. Pryce of Ohio
- H.R. 1935: Mr. DEFAZIO.
- H.R. 1957: Mr. HILLIARD and Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin
- H.R. 1967: Mr. Weiner, Ms. Ros-Lehtinen, and Mr. WATT of North Carolina.
- H.R. 1977: Mr. BEOHLERT BLAGOJEVICH.
- H.R. 1990: Mr. Cummings, Mr. Wynn, Mr. COSTELLO, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, and Mr McIntosh
- H.R. 1998: Mrs. CAPPS and Mr. HOYER.
- H.R. 1999: Mr. QUINN, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. MEEKS of New York, Mr. TOWNS, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mr. FORBES, Mr. COSTELLO, and Mr. WEINER.
- H.R. 2021: Mr. PASTOR, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. LANTOS, and Mr. SANDLIN.
- H.R. 2030: Mr. Sensenbrenner, Ms. Dunn, and Mr. Spratt.
- H.R. 2102: Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. SANDLIN, and Mr. Kennedy of Rhode Island.
- H.R. 2120: Mr. OWENS, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. VENTO, Mr. JEFFERSON, Ms. SANCHEZ, and Mr. KUYKENDALL.
- H.R. 2121: Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. BARCIA, Mr. FILNER, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. COOK, Ms. NORTON, Mr. PASTOR, and Mr. CLAY.
- H.R. 2130: Ms. McCarthy of Missouri, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, and Mrs. MALONEY of New York.
 - H.R. 2175: Mr. HINCHEY and Mr. SANDLIN.
 - H.R. 2202: Mr. SHAYS.
- H.R. 2227: Mr. LANTOS.
- H.R. 2228: Mr. SANDLIN and Mr. DOOLEY of California.
- H.R. 2236: Mr. FROST.
- H.R. 2240: Mr. GEKAS. H.R. 2244: Mr. CAMPBELL.
- H.R. 2245: Mr. SHOWS and Mr. HERGER.
- H.R. 2247: Mr. PITTS, Mr. DOOLITTLE, and Mr. Nussle.
- H.R. 2258: Mr. MARKEY.
- H.R. 2260: Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin and Mr. BATEMAN.
 - H.R. 2262: Mr. PAUL. H.R. 2263: Mr. PAUL.
- H.R. 2264: Mr. PAUL.
- H.R. 2268: Mr. BAKER. H.R. 2282: Mr. SANDLIN.
- H.R. 2308: Mr. CLEMENT and Mr. SANDLIN.
- H.R. 2337: Mr. DOOLITTLE and Mr. ENGLISH.
- H.R. 2356: Mr. GREENWOOD.
- H.R. 2357: Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. WATT of North Carolina, and Mr. SANDLIN.
- H.R. 2372: Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. SENSEN-BRENNER, Mr. CALLAHAN, Mr. KASICH, Mr. PICKETT, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Ms. Ros-LEHTINEN, Mr. HILL of Montana, Mr.

- GRAHAM, Mr. CAMP, Mr. McIntosh, Mr. SPENCE, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. SIMPSON, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. GORDON, Mr. SCHAFFER, and Mr. CANNON.
- H.R. 2436: Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. WAMP, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. LUCAS of Kentucky, Mr. GARY MILLER of California, Mr. McIntosh, Mr. Chabot, and Mr. Stenholm.
- H.R. 2491: Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. CONYERS, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, and Mr. LAZIO.
- H.R. 2498: Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. MAR-Mr. Lantos, Mr. Castle, Mr. McDermott, and Mr. Capuano.
- H.R. 2512: Mr. WATT of North Carolina and Mr. FATTAH.
- H.R. 2525: Mr. BARCIA and Mr. CAMPBELL. H.R. 2534: Mr. Underwood, Mr. Owens, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Ms.
- KILPATRICK, and Mr. GORDON. H.R. 2555: Mrs. MINK of Hawaii.
- H.R. 2569: Mr. KUCINICH.
- H.R. 2586: Mr. LANTOS and Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island.
- H.R. 2592: Mr. HALL of Texas.
- H.R. 2596: Mr. SPENCE, Mr. STUMP, Mr. BLI-LEY, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. COX, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. SCARBOROUGH, Mr. Cooksey, Mr. Pitts, Mr. McIntosh, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. ROHRABACHER, Mr. HAYES, Mr. Rogan, Mr. Underwood, Mrs. Bono, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. Green of Wisconsin, Mr. Herger, Mr. Baker, Mr. Smith of New Jersey, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mrs. CHENOWETH, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin, Mr. Shadegg, Mr. Tancredo, Mr. Demint, Mrs. Cubin, Mr. Jones of North Carolina, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. DICKEY, Mr. TAUZIN, Mr. RYUN of Kansas, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. McCrery, Mr. Gilchrest, Mr. Talent, Mr. PORTMAN, Mr. KUYKENDALL, Mr. GIBBONS, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. MCKEON, Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma, and Mr. POMBO.
 - H.R. 2634: Mr. NORWOOD.
- H.R. 2651: Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. WAMP, Mr. McIntosh, Mr. Goss, and Mr. BAKER.
- H.R. 2662: Ms. KILPATRICK, Ms. ESHOO, and Mr. Lantos.
 - H.R. 2691: Mr. SANDERS.
- H.R. 2700: Ms. Schakowsky, Mr. Barrett of Wisconsin, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. OWENS, and Mr. KUCINICH.
- H.R. 2708: Mr. GILCHREST, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. ROGAN, and Mr. KUYKENDALL.
- H.R. 2709: Mr. EWING, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. McIntosh, and Mrs. Chenoweth.
 - H.R. 2716: Mr. HALL of Texas.
 - H.R. 2719: Mr. TURNER.
- H.R. 2722: Mrs. MINK of Hawaii. H.R. 2734: Mr. CAPUANO.
- H.R. 2743: Mr. DICKEY, Mr. NUSSLE, and Mr. HUTCHINSON.
- H.R. 2765: Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. GUTIERREZ, and Mr. DIXON.
- H.R. 2788: Ms. McCarthy of Missouri.
- H.J. Res. 55: Mrs. BIGGERT, Mr. UDALL of New Mexico, and Mr. GOODLATTE.
- H. Con. Res. 21: Mr. SHAYS.
- H. Con. Res. 89: Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. UNDERWOOD, and Mr. PICKETT.
- H. Con. Res. 97: Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. SABO, Mr. VENTO, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. BAIRD, and Ms. LEE.
- H. Con. Res. 111: Mr. BLAGOJEVICH and Mr. WATT of North Carolina.
- H. Con. Res. 119: Ms. DANNER and Mr. HOLDEN.
- H. Con. Res. 134: Mr. GONZALEZ, Mrs. CAPPS, and Mr. THOMPSON of California.
- H. Con. Res. 139: Mr. GARY MILLER of California, Ms. Schakowsky, Mrs. Fowler, Mr. TANNER, Mr. WOLF, Mr. SPENCE, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. CANNON, Mr. BOEHLERT, and Mr. BOUCHER.

- H. Con. Res. 146: Mr. McGovern.
- H. Res. 41: Mr. HILLEARY.
- H. Res. 238: Mr. MORAN of Virginia.
- H. Res. 265: Mr. DINGELL, Mr. WAXMAN, and Mr. Frank of Massachusetts.

DELETION OF SPONSORS FROM PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

H.R. 1621: Mr. TANCREDO.

AMENDMENTS

Under clause 8 of rule XVIII, proposed amendments were submitted as follows:

H.R. 2684

OFFERED BY: MR. EDWARDS

AMENDMENT No. 3: In the paragraph in title I for the Department of Veterans Affairs, Veterans Health Administration, Medical Care, account—

- (1) after the second dollar amount, insert "(increased by \$730,000,000)"; and
- (2) strike the period at the end and insert a colon and the following:

Provided further, That any reduction in the rate of tax on net capital gain of individuals or corporations under the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 enacted during 1999 shall not apply to a taxable year beginning before January 1, 2001.

H.R. 2684

OFFERED BY MR. EHLERS

AMENDMENT No. 4: At the end of the bill, insert after the last section (preceding the short title) the following new section:

SEC. ____. The amounts otherwise provided in this Act are revised by increasing the amount provided for "National Science Foundation—Research and Related Activities", increasing the amount provided for "National Science Foundation—Major Research Equipment", increasing the amount provided for "National Science Foundation—Education and Human Resources", and reducing each amount provided in this Act (other than for the National Science Foundation) that is not required to be provided by a provision of law, by \$156,524,000, \$33,500,000, \$40,000,000, and 0.354 percent, respectively.

H.R. 2684

OFFERED BY MR. FILNER

AMENDMENT NO. 5: In title I, in the item relating to "VETERANS HEALTH ADMINISTRATION—MEDICAL CARE", insert at the end the following:

In addition, for "Medical Care", \$1,100,000,000: Provided, That the Congress hereby designates the entire such amount as an emergency requirement pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985: Provided further, That such amount shall be available only to the extent of a specific dollar amount for such purpose that is included in an official budget request transmitted by the President to the Congress and that is designated as an emergency requirement pursuant to such section 251(b)(2)(A).

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AMENDMENT NO. 6: In title I, in the item relating to "VETERANS BENEFITS ADMINISTRATION—READJUSTMENT BENEFITS", insert at the end the following:

In addition, for "Readjustment Benefits", \$881,000,000 for enhanced educational assistance under the Montgomery GI Bill: *Pro-*

vided, That the Congress hereby designates the entire such amount as an emergency requirement pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985: Provided further, That such amount shall be available only to the extent of a specific dollar amount for such purpose that is included in an official budget request transmitted by the President to the Congress and that is designated as an emergency requirement pursuant to such section 251(b)(2)(A).

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AMENDMENT No. 7: In title I, in the item relating to "VETERANS HEALTH ADMINISTRATION—MEDICAL CARE", insert at the end the following:

In addition, for "Medical Care", \$3,000,000 to provide a presumption of service-connection for veterans who were exposed to Hepatitis C risk factors during military service and now have Hepatitis C: Provided, That the Congress hereby designates the entire such amount as an emergency requirement pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985: Provided further, That such amount shall be available only to the extent of a specific dollar amount for such purpose that is included in an official budget request transmitted by the President to the Congress and that is designated as an emergency requirement pursuant to such section 251(b)(2)(A).

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AMENDMENT No. 8: In title I, in the item relating to "DEPARTMENTAL ADMINISTRATION—NATIONAL CEMETERY ADMINISTRATION", insert at the end the following:

In addition, for "National Cemetery Administration", \$9,500,000 to reduce the repair backlog at national veterans cemeteries: Provided, That the Congress hereby designates the entire such amount as an emergency requirement pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985: Provided further, That such amount shall be available only to the extent of a specific dollar amount for such purpose that is included in an official budget request transmitted by the President to the Congress and that is designated as an emergency requirement pursuant to such section 251(b)(2)(A).

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AMENDMENT No. 9: In title I, in the item relating to "DEPARTMENTAL ADMINISTRATION—GENERAL OPERATING EXPENSES", insert at the end the following:

In addition, for "General Operating Expenses", \$6,250,000 to provide an additional 250 employees to reduce backlog and waiting time for adjudication of claims: Provided, That the Congress hereby designates the entire such amount as an emergency requirement pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985: Provided further, That such amount shall be available only to the extent of a specific dollar amount for such purpose that is included in an official budget request transmitted by the President to the Congress and that is designated as an emergency requirement pursuant to such section 251(b)(2)(Â).

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AMENDMENT No. 10: In title I, in the item relating to "DEPARTMENTAL ADMINISTRATION—OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL", insert at the end the following:

In addition, for "Office of Inspector General", \$838,430 to provide an additional 10 em-

ployees for the Office of Inspector General Hotline: *Provided*, That the Congress hereby designates the entire such amount as an emergency requirement pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985: *Provided further*, That such amount shall be available only to the extent of a specific dollar amount for such purpose that is included in an official budget request transmitted by the President to the Congress and that is designated as an emergency requirement pursuant to such section 251(b)(2)(A).

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AMENDMENT No. 11: In title I, in the item relating to "VETERANS HEALTH ADMINISTRATION—MEDICAL CARE", insert at the end the following:

In addition, for "Medical Care", \$4,600,000 to provide pay parity for dentists with physicians employed by the Veterans Health Administration: *Provided*, That the Congress hereby designates the entire such amount as an emergency requirement pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985: *Provided further*, That such amount shall be available only to the extent of a specific dollar amount for such purpose that is included in an official budget request transmitted by the President to the Congress and that is designated as an emergency requirement pursuant to such section 251(b)(2)(A).

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OFFERED BY MR. FILNER

AMENDMENT No. 12: In title I, in the item relating to "VETERANS HEALTH ADMINISTRATION—MEDICAL CARE", insert at the end the following:

In addition, for "Medical Care", \$35,200,000 for health care benefits for Filipino World War II veterans who were excluded from benefits by the Rescissions Acts of 1946 and to increase service-connected disability compensation from the peso rate to the full dollar amount for Filipino World War II veterans living in the United States: Provided, That the Congress hereby designates the entire such amount as an emergency requirement pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985: Provided further, That such amount shall be available only to the extent of a specific dollar amount for such purpose that is included in an official budget request transmitted by the President to the Congress and that is designated as an emergency requirement pursuant to such section 251(b)(2)(A).

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OFFERED BY MR. GUTIERREZ

AMENDMENT No. 13: Page 29, line 26, after the first dollar amount insert the following: "(increased by \$5,000,000)".

Page 79, line 5, after the first dollar amount insert the following: "(reduced by \$5.000.000)".

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OFFERED BY MR. GUTIERREZ

AMENDMENT No. 14: Page 30, line 11, after the first dollar amount, insert the following: "(increased by \$20,000,000)".

Page 79, line 19, after the first dollar amount, insert the following: "(reduced by \$20,000,000)".

OFFERED BY MR. GUTIERREZ OF ILLINOIS

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AMENDMENT No. 15: Page 31, line 9, after the first dollar amount, insert the following: "(increased by \$5,000,000)".

Page 80, line 14, after the first dollar amount, insert the following: "(reduced by \$5,000,000)".