

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

Mr. UNDERWOOD, for 5 minutes, today.

Mrs. CLAYTON, for 5 minutes, today.

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

Mr. NETHERCUTT, for 5 minutes, today.

## ADJOURNMENT

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

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 10 o'clock and 40 minutes a.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until Tuesday, October 12, 1999, at 12:30 p.m. for morning hour debates.

## EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS

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

4711. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting a report to Congress, consistent with the War Powers Resolution, regarding U.S. military forces in East Timor; (H. Doc. No. 106-141); to the Committee on International Relations and ordered to be printed.

## 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. LEWIS of California: Committee of Conference. Conference report on H.R. 2561. A bill making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2000, and for other purposes (Rept. 106-371). Ordered to be printed.

## DISCHARGE OF COMMITTEE

Pursuant to clause 5 of rule X, the Committee on Commerce discharged. H.R. 354 referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, and ordered to be printed.

Pursuant to clause 5 of rule X, the Committee on the Judiciary discharged. H.R. 1858 referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, and ordered to be printed.

Pursuant to clause 5 of rule X, the Committee on the Judiciary discharged. H.R. 2130 referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, and ordered to be printed.

## MEMORIALS

Under clause 3 of rule XII, memorials were presented and referred as follows:

267. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana, relative to House Concurrent Resolution No. 205 memorializing the United States Congress to amend federal law relating to the compensation of retired military personnel to permit full, concurrent receipt of military

longevity pay and service-connected disability compensation pay; to the Committee on Armed Services.

268. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana, relative to House Concurrent Resolution No. 157 memorializing the United States Congress to take such actions as are necessary to ensure that the United States military service personnel under the age of twenty-one are not sent to participate in any combat operations carried out by ground troops in Yugoslavia; to the Committee on Armed Services.

269. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana, relative to House Concurrent Resolution No. 215 memorializing the U.S. Congress to condemn and reject an article in the July 1998 Psychological Association (Vol. 124, No. 1, pp. 22-53) which suggests that sexual relations between adults and children may not always be harmful to children; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

270. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana, relative to House Concurrent Resolution No. 185 memorializing the United States Congress to restore budget cuts to the U.S. Geological Survey's water resources programs, particularly the State-Federal Cooperative program; to the Committee on Resources.

271. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana, relative to House Concurrent Resolution No. 159 memorializing the United States Congress to support the efforts of United States Senators MARY LANDRIEU and JOHN BREAUX and United States Representatives CHRIS JOHN, BILLY TAUZIN, JIM MCCREERY, WILLIAM JEFFERSON, and JOHN COOKSEY to enact the Conservation and Reinvestment Act of 1999; to the Committee on Resources.

272. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana, relative to House Concurrent Resolution No. 107 memorializing the United States Congress to amend the Federal Migratory Bird Conservation Act to authorize certain states to issue temporary federal duck stamp privileges through electronic license issuance systems; to the Committee on Resources.

273. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana, relative to House Concurrent Resolution No. 216 memorializing the United States Congress to take such actions as are necessary to adequately fund and staff the DeRidder Automated Flight Service Station; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

274. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana, relative to House Concurrent Resolution No. 134 memorializing the United States Congress to enact legislation to allow Louisiana to impose requirements on the storage and transportation of hazardous materials by rail car that are more stringent than federal requirements; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

275. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana, relative to House Concurrent Resolution No. 197 memorializing the Congress of the United States to preserve the right of state and local governments to operate pension plans for their employees in the federal social security system and to develop legislation for responsible reform of the federal social security system that does not include mandatory participation by employees of state and local governments; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

276. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana, relative to House Concurrent Resolution No. 128 memorializing the United States Congress to enact the Estuary Habitat Restoration Partnership Act; jointly to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure and Resources.

## ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 8: Ms. BERKLEY.

H.R. 809: Mr. McHUGH.

H.R. 2822: Mr. GOODE.

## DISCHARGE PETITIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XV, the following discharge petition was filed:

Petition 6, October 5, 1999, by Mr. BONIOR on House Resolution 301 has been signed by the following Members: David E. Bonior, Robert A. Borski, Robert A. Brady, Gene Green, Robert E. Wise, Jr., James P. McGovern, Eliot L. Engel, Michael E. Capuano, Carolyn B. Maloney, Anna G. Eshoo, Albert Russell Wynn, Rosa L. DeLauro, Sam Gejdenson, John Elias Baldacci, Martin Frost, Ciro D. Rodriguez, Eddie Bernice Johnson, Anthony D. Weiner, Nancy Pelosi, Tom Lantos, Steny H. Hoyer, Jim McDermott, Tammy Baldwin, Charles A. Gonzalez, Max Sandlin, Alcee L. Hastings, Julian C. Dixon, John B. Larson, Thomas M. Barrett, Joseph Crowley, Ron Klink, William (Bill) Clay, Lynn C. Woolsey, Barbara Lee, Donald M. Payne, Danny K. Davis, Nydia M. Velazquez, Bruce F. Vento, Joseph M. Hoeffel, Zoe Lofgren, Robert A. Weygand, Rush D. Holt, Bob Clement, Earl F. Hilliard, Juanita Millender-McDonald, James E. Clyburn, Bennie G. Thompson, Sanford D. Bishop, Jr., Bobby L. Rush, Stephanie Tubbs Jones, Karen McCarthy, Eva M. Clayton, Charles B. Rangel, Jose E. Serrano, Paul E. Kanjorski, Michael P. Forbes, Jay Inslee, Ted Strickland, Patsy T. Mink, Brian Baird, Thomas C. Sawyer, Shelley Berkley, Janice D. Schakowsky, Bernard Sanders, Carolyn C. Kilpatrick, Major R. Owens, Robert T. Matsui, Maurice D. Hinchey, Carrie P. Meek, Corrine Brown, Thomas H. Allen, John J. LaFalce, Bart Gordon, Jerrold Nadler, John W. Olver, John F. Tierney, Louise McIntosh Slaughter, Nick J. Rahall II, Michael R. McNulty, Karen L. Thurman, Maxine Waters, Gerald D. Kleczka, Ed Pastor, Frank Pallone, Jr., Bill Pascrell, Jr., William D. Delahunt, Dale E. Kildee, Robert E. Andrews, George Miller, Ron Kind, Dennis Moore, Ronnie Shows, Nita M. Lowey, Jesse L. Jackson, Jr., Tom Udall, Xavier Becerra, Patrick J. Kennedy, Jerry F. Costello, Lane Evans, Fortney Pete Stark, Peter A. DeFazio, William J. Coyne, Martin T. Meahan, Henry A. Waxman, Robert Wexler, John Conyers, Jr., Lynn N. Rivers, Bill Luther, Sherrod Brown, Barney Frank, Debbie Stabenow, Melvin L. Watt, David D. Phelps, Brad Sherman, James L. Oberstar, Darlene Hooley, James H. Maloney, Sheila Jackson-Lee, Elijah E. Cummings, Chaka Fattah, Nick Lampson, Marcy Kaptur, Edolphus Towns, Norman D. Dicks, James P. Moran, Robert Menendez, Rod R. Blagojevich, Edward J. Markey, John Lewis, Julia Carson, Frank Mascara, Carolyn McCarthy, Martin Olav Sabo, Dennis J. Kucinich, Earl Blumenauer, Benjamin L. Cardin, Lucille Roybal-Allard, Matthew G. Martinez, Harold E. Ford, Jr., Chet Edwards, Bob Filner, Loretta Sanchez, Grace F. Napolitano, Gregory W. Meeks, Vic Snyder, Sander M. Levin, Earl Pomeroy, Luis V. Guterrez, John D. Dingell, Gary L. Ackerman, Richard A. Gephardt, David E. Price, William O. Lipinski, Ike Skelton, Steven R. Rothman, Tony P. Hall, David Wu, Cynthia A. McKinney, Bart Stupak, James A. Barcia, and Howard L. Berman.

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ADDITIONS OR DELETIONS

The following Members added their names to the following discharge petition:

Petition 4 by Ms. DEGETTE on House Resolution 192: David Wu.