REPORT OF EXPENDITURES FOR OFFICIAL FOREIGN TRAVEL, JOINT COMMITTEE ON TAXATION, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, EXPENDED BETWEEN JULY 1 AND SEPT. 30, 2000

	[Date		Per diem ¹		Transportation		Other purposes		Total	
Name of Member or employee	Arrival	Departure	Country	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²	Foreign currency	U.S. dollar equivalent or U.S. currency ²

FOR HOUSE COMMITTEES:

Please Note: If there were no expenditures during the calendar quarter noted above, please check the box at right to so indicate and return.

BILL ROTH, Chairman, Oct. 13, 2000.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

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

10637. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Department of Agriculture, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, transmitting the Department's final rule-Citrus Canker; Payments for Commercial Citrus Tree Replacement [Docket No. 00-037-1] (RIN: 0579-AB15) received October 17, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

10638. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting a request to make available previously appropriated emergency funds for the Department of Defense pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as amended; (H. Doc. No. 106-302); to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

10639. A letter from the Multimedia Systems Manager, Department of the Air Force, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule-Release, Dissemination, and Sale of Visual Information Materials (RIN: 0701-AA-62) received October 16, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Armed Services.

10640. A letter from the Deputy Chief Counsel, Financial Management Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule-Depositaries and Financial Agents of the Government (RIN: 1510-AA75) received September 11, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

10641. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the Department's final rule-Increased Distributions to Owners of Certain HUD-Assisted Multifamily Rental Projects [Docket No. FR-4532-F-01] (RIN: 2502-AH46) received October 13, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

10642. A letter from the Acting Assistant General Counsel for Regulatory Law, Department of Energy, transmitting the Department's final rule-Multiple Award Contracts (MAC); Governmentwide Agency Contracts (GWAC); and, Federal Supply Schedules (FSS)—received October 18, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10643. A letter from the Acting Assistant General Counsel for Regulatory Law, Department of Energy, transmitting the Department's final rule-Mail Services User's Manual-received October 13, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10644. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule-National Environmental Policy Act; Food Contact Substance Notification System; Confirmation of Effective Date [Docket No.

00N-0085] received October 17, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10645. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule— Dental Products Devices; Reclassification of Endosseous Dental Implant Accessories [Docket No. 98N-0753] received October 17, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10646. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule Food Additives Permitted for Direct Addition to Food for Human Consumption; Sodium Stearoyl Lactylate [Docket No. 99F-3087] received October 17, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10647. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; Texas; Water Heaters, mentation Plans; Texas; Water Heaters, Small Boilers, and Process Heaters; Agreed Orders; Major Stationary Sources of Nitrogen Oxides in the Beaumont/Port Arthur Ōzone Nonattainment Area [TX-119-1-7448a; FRL-6886-1] received October 17, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce

10648. A letter from the Acting Secretary, Federal Trade Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Rule Concerning Disclosures Reguarding Energy Consumption And Water Use Of Certain Home Appliances And Other Products Required Under The Energy Policy And Conservation Act ("Appliance Labeling Rule'')—received October 17, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10649. A letter from the Comptroller General, General Accounting Office, transmitting a list of all reports issued or released in August 2000, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 719(h); to the Committee on Government Reform.

10650. A letter from the Executive Director. Committee For Purchase From People Who Are Blind or Severely Disabled, transmitting the Committee's final rule-Proposed Additions to and Deletions from Procurement List-received October 17, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform. 10651. A letter from the Executive Director,

Thrift Investment Federal Retirement Board, transmitting a report on the Annual Inventory of Commercial Activities: to the Committee on Government Reform

10652. A letter from the Acting Chairman, National Transportation Safety Board, transmitting the National Transportation Safety Board's Strategic Plan for September 2000; to the Committee on Government Reform.

10653. A letter from the Director, Office of Management and Budget, transmitting a copy of the report, "Agency Compliance with Title II of the Unfunded Mandates Reform Act of 1995," pursuant to 2 U.S.C. 1538; to the Committee on Government Reform.

10654. A letter from the Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting the Office's final rule—Managing Senior Executive Performance (RIN: 3206-AI57) received October 17, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

10655. A letter from the President, Republic of the Marshall Islands, transmitting a report Presented to the Congress of the United States of America Regarding Changed Circumstances Arising from the U.S. Nuclear Testing in the Marshall Islands, pursuant to 16 U.S.C. 3233(b); to the Committee on Resources.

10656. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Policy, Management and Budget, Department of the Interior, transmitting the annual Report of Royalty Management and Delinquent Account Collection Activities FY 1999, pursuant to 30 U.S.C. 237; to the Committee on Resources.

10657. A letter from the Deputy Chief Counsel, Financial Management Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule-Acceptance of Bonds Secured by Government Obligations in Lieu of BONDs with Sureties (RIN: 1510-AA77) received September 11, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

10658. A letter from the Chief Counsel, Bureau of the Public Debt, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule—Collateral Acceptability and Valuation (RIN: 1535-AA00) received September 8. 2000. pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judici-

10659. A letter from the Director, United States Global Change Research Program, transmitting a copy of "Our Changing Planet: the FY 2001 U.S. Global Change Research Program"; to the Committee on Science.

10660. A letter from the Commissioner, Social Security Administration, transmitting the report of Continuing Disability Reviews for the FY 1999, pursuant to Public Law 104-121, section 103(d)(2) (110 Stat. 850); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

10661. A letter from the Deputy Chief Counsel, Financial Management Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule-Payment of Federal Taxes and the Treasury Tax and Loan Program (RIN: 1510-AA76) received September 11, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

10662. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Defense, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation entitled the mental Subsistence Benefit for Certian Members of the Armed Forces"; jointly to the Committees on Armed Services, Ways and Means, and Agriculture.

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:

¹Per diem constitutes lodging and meals. ²If foreign currency is used, enter U.S. dollar equivalent; if U.S. currency is used, enter amount expended.

Mr. LEACH: Committee on Banking and Financial Services. Supplemental report on H.R. 4541. A bill to reauthorize and amend the Commodity Exchange Act to promote legal certainty, enhance competition, and reduce systemic risk in markets for futures and over-the-counter derivatives, and for other purposes (Rept. 106-711, Pt. 4).

REPORTED BILL SEQUENTIALLY REFERRED

Under clause 5 of rule X, bills and reports were delivered to the Clerk for printing, and bills refereed as follows:

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. H.R. 4725. A bill to amend the Zuni Land Conservation Act of 1990 to provide for the expenditure of Zuni funds by that tribe, with amendments; referred to the Committee on Education and the Workforce for a period ending not later than October 23, 2000, for consideration of such provisions of the bill and amendments as fall within the jurisdiction of that committee pursuant to clause 1(g), rule X (Rept. 106-993, Pt. 1).

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. MOORE (for himself, Mr. Jones of North Carolina, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. ETHERIDGE, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. LA-FALCE, and Mr. SNYDER):

H.R. 5499. A bill to reduce the impacts of hurricanes, tornadoes, and other windstorms through a program of research and development and technology transfer, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Science, and in addition to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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. ANDREWS (for himself, Mr. Weiner, and Mr. Bentsen):

H.R. 5500. A bill to require the Attorney General to establish an office in the Department of Justice to monitor acts of international terrorism alleged to have been committed by Palestinian individuals or individuals acting on behalf of Palestinian organizations and to carry out certain other related activities; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. DEMINT (for himself, Mr. SPENCE, Mr. SPRATT, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. SANFORD, and Mr. GRAHAM):

H.R. 5501. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to preserve and provide for uniform coverage of drugs and biologicals under part B of the Medicare Program; 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. FILNER:

H.R. 5502. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to increase the maximum amount of a home loan guarantee available to a veteran; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs

By Mr. FOSSELLA:

H.R. 5503. A bill to direct the Secretary of Veteran Affairs to establish a national cemetery for veterans in the Staten Island, New York, metropolitian area; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. HOLT (for himself and Mrs. MORELLA):

H.R. 5504. A bill to improve the quality and scope of science and mathematics education; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, 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. HYDE (for himself and Mrs. MALONEY of New York):

H.R. 5505. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exclude from gross income the value of diplomas, medals, and amounts received as part of international awards recognizing individual achievement for physics, chemistry, medicine, literature, economics, and peace; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut:

H.R. 5506. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to expand the tip tax credit to employers of cosmetologists and to promote tax compliance in the cosmetology sector; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. KASICH:

H.R. 5507. A bill to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to promote the disclosure of information on the financing of campaigns for Federal elections, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Administration, 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 Ms. KILPATRICK:

H.R. 5508. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to establish a demonstration program to provide technical assistance to school-based health centers in order to assist such centers in developing and operating comprehensive computerized systems to maintain data on the patient populations served by the centers; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut:

H.R. 5509. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to increase the child tax credit to \$2,000 per child; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. METCALF (for himself, Ms. WATERS, and Mr. TRAFICANT):

H.R. 5510. A bill to convert from a convoluted and costly system for issuing circulating currency that requires an enormous amount of debt and annual interest to a more logical system that does not involve debt or interest in connection with the issuance of circulating currency, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. MINGE (for himself, Mrs. EMERSON, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. THUNE, Mr. CONDIT, Mr. COOKSEY, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. POMEROY, Mr. BISHOP, Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. BERRY, Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. PHELPS, Mr. HILL of Indiana, Mr. KIND, Mr. EDWARDS, Mr. SAWYER, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. WYNN, and Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon):

H.R. 5511. A bill to amend the Food Security Act of 1985 to establish the conservation security program; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mrs. MORELLA (for herself and Mr. GILMAN):

H.R. 5512. A bill to amend chapter 23 of title 5, United States Code, to clarify the disclosures of information protected from prohibited personnel practices; to require a statement in nondisclosure policies, forms, and agreements that such policies, forms, and agreements conform with certain disclo-

sure protections; to provide certain authority for the Special Counsel, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. OXLEY:

H.R. 5513. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit video voyeurism in the special maritime and territorial jurisdiction of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. PALLONE:

H.R. 5514. A bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to require the Secretary of Health and Human Services to establish a tolerance for the presence of methyl mercury in seafood, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. PASCRELL (for himself, Mr. Andrews, Mrs. Clayton, Mr. Franks of New Jersey, Mr. Frelinghuysen, Mr. Holt, and Mr. Rothman):

H.R. 5515. A bill to limit the use of eminent domain under the Natural Gas Act to acquire certain State-owned property; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. SENSENBRENNER (for himself, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, and Mrs. MORELLA):

H.R. 5516. A bill to require that Federal agencies be accountable for violations of antidiscrimination and whistelblower protection laws, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Government Reform, and in addition to the Committees on Commerce, and Transportation and Infrastructure, 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. SHERMAN (for himself, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. HOEFFEL, Mrs. KELLY, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. KIND, Mr. TANNER, Mr. MASCARA, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. SKELTON, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. ETHERIDGE, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. MCGOVERN, Ms. KILPATRICK, and Mr. INSLEE):

H.R. 5517. A bill to provide for the return of escheated property consisting of military medals to the military department which issued them, to authorize the military departments to donate such medals to appropriate museums and resource centers, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services, and in addition to the Committee on 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. SOUDER (for himself, Mr. Burton of Indiana, Mr. ROEMER, Ms. CARSON, Mr. McIntosh, Mr. Hill of Indiana, and Mr. Hostettler):

H.R. 5518. A bill to authorize the Hoosier Automobile & Truck National Heritage Trail Area; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. STUPAK:

H.R. 5519. A bill to name the Department of Veterans Affairs outpatient clinic located in Menominee, Michigan, as the "Fred W. Matz Department of Veterans Affairs Outpatient Clinic"; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. STUPAK:

H.R. 5520. A bill to name the Department of Veterans Affairs medical facility located in Iron Mountain, Michigan, as the "Oscar G. JOHNSON Department of Veterans Affairs Medical Facility"; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. TOOMEY:

H.R. 5521. A bill to amend title 31, United States Code, to expand the types of Federal agencies that are required to prepare audited financial statements; to the Committee on Government Reform.