

4, B-1, B-2, and C-1 Helicopters [Docket No. 99-SW-73-AD; Amendment 39-11702; AD 2000-08-16] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received May 2, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

8121. A letter from the Chairman, Office of the General Counsel, Federal Maritime Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Ocean Common Carriers Subject to the Shipping Act of 1984 [Docket No. 99-10] received May 2, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

8122. A letter from the Attorney General, transmitting the 1999 annual report on the number of applications that were made for orders and extension of orders approving electronic surveillance under the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1807; jointly to the Committees on the Judiciary and Intelligence (Permanent Select).

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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:

Ms. PRYCE of Ohio: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 525. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4635) making appropriations for the Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and for sundry independent agencies, boards, commissions, corporations, and offices for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001, and for other purposes (Rept. 106-675). Referred to the House Calendar.

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PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. BURTON of Indiana (for himself and Mr. SCARBOROUGH):

H.R. 4642. A bill to make certain personnel flexibilities available with respect to the General Accounting Office, as for other purposes; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mrs. BONO (for herself and Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California):

H.R. 4643. A bill to provide for the settlement of issues and claims related to the trust lands of the Torres-Martinez Desert Cahuilla Indians, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. FORD:

H.R. 4644. A bill to amend the Fair Credit Reporting Act to protect consumers from the adverse consequences of incomplete and inaccurate consumer credit reports, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts (for himself, Mr. OBEY, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. NADLER, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. OLVER, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, and Mr. SERRANO):

H.R. 4645. A bill to require the Comptroller General of the United States to conduct a comprehensive fraud audit of the Department of Defense; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. GOODE:

H.R. 4646. A bill to designate certain National Forest System lands within the boundaries of the State of Virginia as wilderness areas, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources, 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. GREEN of Texas:

H.R. 4647. A bill to terminate the authority under title 5, United States Code, under which the head of an agency may fix certain age limits for an original appointment as a law enforcement officer; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. HALL of Ohio:

H.R. 4648. A bill to provide for grants to establish the Bill Emerson and Mickey Leland memorial fellowship programs; to the Committee on Agriculture, and in addition to the Committee on International Relations, 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. KAPTUR (for herself, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. HALL of Ohio, Mr. NORWOOD, and Mr. KUCINICH):

H.R. 4649. A bill to amend the Trade Act of 1974 to establish a transitional adjustment assistance program for workers adversely affected by reason of the extension of non-discriminatory treatment (normal trade relations treatment) to the products of the People's Republic of China; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania:

H.R. 4650. A bill to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to require candidates for candidates for election for Federal office to report information to the Federal Election Commission on the use of aircraft of the Federal government in the course campaigns; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. WISE:

H.R. 4651. A bill to amend the Social Security Act to provide additional safeguards for beneficiaries with representative payees under the old-age, survivors, and disability insurance program or the supplemental security income program; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

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MEMORIALS

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

355. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the General Assembly of the State of Iowa, relative to House Concurrent Resolution No. 108 memorializing the Congress of the United States to appropriate sufficient funding to the United States Naval Fleet and the United States Flag Merchant Marine Fleet; to the Committee on Armed Services.

356. Also, a memorial of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Virginia, relative to Senate Joint Resolution No. 266 memorializing Congress to pass H.R. 3293 and S1921, known as the "Vietnam Veterans Recognition Act of 1999," which authorize the Vietnam War "In Memory" memorial plaque; to the Committee on Resources.

357. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Maine, relative to H.P. 1854 Joint Resolution memorializing the President and Congress of the United States to oppose the entry of China into the World Trade Organization and to deny China permanent normal trade relations status; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

358. Also, a memorial of the General Assembly of the State of New York, relative to Assembly Resolution No. 1747 memorializing the United States Congress to grant the President's emergency supplemental request to provide additional funds for the Low-income Home Energy Assistance Program; jointly to the Committees on Commerce and Education and the Workforce.

359. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, relative to Resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States and the Governor of the Commonwealth to conduct an investigation and study of the shortage and cost of home heating oil in the Northeast; jointly to the Committees on Commerce and the Judiciary.

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ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 168: Ms. LOFGREN.

H.R. 303: Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, and Mr. ADERHOLT.

H.R. 353: Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. SAWYER, Mr. LUCAS of Kentucky, Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, Mr. COBLE, Mr. KASICH, Mr. MYRICK, Mr. RADANOVICH, and Mr. CHABOT.

H.R. 460: Mr. FLETCHER, Mr. ENGLISH, and Mr. BERMAN.

H.R. 531: Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Mr. RAMSTAD, and Mr. HORN.

H.R. 583: Mr. BERMAN.

H.R. 742: Mr. LANTOS and Mr. RAHALL.

H.R. 914: Mr. LANTOS.

H.R. 920: Mr. WAXMAN.

H.R. 1037: Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri.

H.R. 1107: Ms. DEGETTE.

H.R. 1216: Mr. PETRI.

H.R. 1227: Mr. DINGELL.

H.R. 1271: Mrs. CAPPS.

H.R. 1285: Ms. RIVERS.

H.R. 1322: Ms. GRANGER, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, and Mrs. NORTHUP.

H.R. 1731: Mr. BASS.

H.R. 1771: Mrs. BONO.

H.R. 1793: Mr. TOOMEY.

H.R. 1895: Ms. DELAUNO.

H.R. 1899: Mr. SAWYER.

H.R. 1926: Mr. GIBBONS.

H.R. 2282: Mr. RAMSTAD.

H.R. 2341: Mr. METCALF, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. REYES, Mr. GIBBONS, Mr. NETHERCUTT, and Mr. FOSSELLA.

H.R. 2397: Mr. FORBES, Ms. DANNER, Mr. SAWYER, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. CONDIT, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. DICKS, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. SMITH of Washington, and Mr. GREEN of Texas.

H.R. 2512: Mr. KING.

H.R. 2655: Mr. DEAL of Georgia and Mr. WALDEN of Oregon.

H.R. 2817: Mr. BOEHLERT and Mr. HULSHOF.

H.R. 2980: Ms. CARSON.

H.R. 3113: Mr. BRYANT.

H.R. 3118: Mr. DICKEY.

H.R. 3144: Mr. RODRIGUEZ.

H.R. 3170: Mr. BEREUTER.

H.R. 3214: Mr. ABERCROMBIE.

H.R. 3517: Mrs. MYRICK and Ms. LEE.

H.R. 3540: Mr. GIBBONS.

H.R. 3580: Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. PAUL, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. CANADY of Florida, and Mr. JONES of North Carolina.

H.R. 3594: Mr. WU.

H.R. 3663: Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma.

H.R. 3669: Mr. MANZULLO.

H.R. 3672: Mrs. KELLY.

H.R. 3850: Mr. BOEHNER.

H.R. 3875: Mr. NUSSLE.

H.R. 4011: Mr. MOORE and Mr. BUYER.

H.R. 4013: Mr. HOLT, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, and Mr. DOOLEY of California.

H.R. 4049: Mr. MURTHA and Mrs. ROUKEMA.

H.R. 4113: Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. DEMINT, Mr. WELDON of Florida, and Mr. CALVERT.

H.R. 4132: Ms. STABENOW.

H.R. 4162: Ms. WOOLSEY, Ms. KILPATRICK, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. HINCHEY, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. SANDLIN, Ms. BALDWIN, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Ms.

BROWN of Florida, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. CAPUANO, and Mr. DELAHUNT.

H.R. 4213: Mr. FORBES.

H.R. 4219: Mr. QUINN, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. MURTHA, Mr. WALDEN of Oregon, and Mrs. MINK of Hawaii.

H.R. 4259: Mr. DICKEY, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. FLETCHER, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. WICKER, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. WELLER, and Mr. WAMP.

H.R. 4277: Mr. FILNER, Mr. CLAY, Mr. LANTOS, and Mr. HALL of Ohio.

H.R. 4290: Ms. DELAUNO.

H.R. 4303: Mr. BLAGOJEVICH and Mr. BUYER.

H.R. 4321: Mr. KUCINICH.

H.R. 4384: Ms. CARSON, Mr. ISAKSON, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. TANCREDO, Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mrs. CHENOWETH-HAGE, Mr. SISISKY, Mr. RUSH, and Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas.

H.R. 4390: Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO.

H.R. 4424: Mr. FROST.

H.R. 4441: Mr. LIPINSKI and Ms. BROWN of Florida.

H.R. 4442: Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. JOHN, and Mr. TANNER.

H.R. 4455: Ms. LEE.

H.R. 4467: Mr. BOUCHER.

H.R. 4503: Mr. BALLENGER.

H.R. 4511: Mr. COBLE, Mr. SKEEN, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. WAMP, Mr. THUNE, Mr. LATHAM, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. HILL of Montana, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. TANCREDO, Mrs. BIGGERT, Mr. MCINNIS, Mr. SIMPSON, Mr. WALDEN of Oregon, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. SHADEGG, and Mr. ROGAN.

H.R. 4539: Mrs. KELLY, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. BILBRAY, and Mr. LATOURETTE.

H.R. 4547: Mr. GILCHREST and Mr. PETRI.

H.R. 4548: Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. LAHOOD, and Mr. GIBBONS.

H.R. 4552: Mr. RAMSTAD.

H.R. 4567: Mr. ABERCROMBIE and Mr. WEINER.

H.R. 4614: Ms. LOFGREN and Mr. WAXMAN.

H.R. 4621: Mr. METCALF.

H.J. Res. 41: Mr. KUYKENDALL.

H. Con. Res. 115: Mr. GONZALEZ.

H. Con. Res. 133: Mr. CAPUANO.

H. Con. Res. 252: Mr. CUMMINGS.

H. Con. Res. 266: Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri and Mr. PETRI.

H. Con. Res. 297: Mr. MANZULLO.

H. Con. Res. 308: Mr. KUCINICH and Ms. WOOLSEY.

H. Con. Res. 311: Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, and Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut.

H. Con. Res. 323: Mr. EHLERS, Ms. LOFGREN, Ms. CARSON, Mr. WEXLER, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. CROWLEY, and Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas.

H. Con. Res. 339: Mr. WAXMAN.

H. Con. Res. 341: Mr. MCGOVERN.

H. Con. Res. 342: Mr. REGULA, Mr. MCGOVERN, and Mr. FARR of California.

H. Con. Res. 343: Mr. CUMMINGS, Mrs. MYRICK, and Mr. GONZALEZ.

H. Res. 37: Mr. KUYKENDALL.

H. Res. 107: Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, and Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut.

H. Res. 462: Mr. TERRY.

H. Res. 494: Mr. FOLEY.

H. Res. 500: Mr. ROYCE, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. STARKS, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, and Mr. ROHR-ABACHER.

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AMENDMENTS

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

H.R. 4461

OFFERED BY: Mr. CROWLEY

AMENDMENT No. 28: Page 19, line 4, insert after the first dollar amount the following: "(increased by \$5,000,000)".

Page 46, line 13, insert after the dollar amount the following: "(reduced by \$5,000,000)".

H.R. 4461

OFFERED BY: Mr. CROWLEY

AMENDMENT No. 29: Insert before the short title the following title:

TITLE IX—ADDITIONAL GENERAL PROVISIONS

SEC. 901. None of the amounts made available in this Act for the Food and Drug Administration may be expended to enforce or otherwise carry out section 801(d)(1) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act as it pertains to the enforcement of any substance approved for use in the United States and approved by an appropriate regulatory authority in the country of sale and is solely for an individuals personal consumption given that this individual has acted in accordance with all local laws to acquire such products and had been granted a prescription for that product by a qualified medical professional.

H.R. 4577

OFFERED BY: Ms. KAPTUR

AMENDMENT No. 208: Page 84, after line 21, insert the following:

SEC. 518. (a) Chapter 2 of title II of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2271 et seq.) is amended by adding at the end the following:

"Subchapter E—Normal Trade Relations For China Transitional Adjustment Assistance Program

"SEC. 250A. ESTABLISHMENT OF TRANSITIONAL PROGRAM.

"(a) GROUP ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS.—

"(1) CRITERIA.—A group of workers (including workers in any agricultural firm or subdivision of an agricultural firm) shall be certified as eligible to apply for adjustment assistance under this subchapter pursuant to a petition filed under subsection (b) if the Secretary determines that a significant number or proportion of the workers in such workers' firm or an appropriate subdivision of the firm have become totally or partially separated, or are threatened to become totally or partially separated, and either—

"(A) that—

"(i) the sales or production, or both, of such firm or subdivision have decreased absolutely,

"(ii) imports from the People's Republic of China of articles like or directly competitive with articles produced by such firm or subdivision have increased by reason of the extension of nondiscriminatory treatment (normal trade relations treatment) to the products of China, and

"(iii) the increase in imports under clause (ii) contributed importantly to such workers' separation or threat of separation and to the decline in the sales or production of such firm or subdivision; or

"(B) that there has been a shift in production by such workers' firm or subdivision to the People's Republic of China of articles like or directly competitive with articles which are produced by the firm or subdivision by reason of the extension of nondiscriminatory treatment (normal trade relations treatment) to the products of China.

"(2) DEFINITION OF CONTRIBUTED IMPORTANTLY.—The term 'contributed importantly', as used in paragraph (1)(A)(iii), means a cause which is important but not necessarily more important than any other cause.

"(3) REGULATIONS.—The Secretary shall issue regulations relating to the application

of the criteria described in paragraph (1) in making preliminary findings under subsection (b) and determinations under subsection (c).

"(b) ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS.—The provisions of subsections (b) through (e) of section 250 shall apply to the administration of the program under this subchapter in the same manner and to the same extent as such provisions apply to the administration of the program under subchapter D."

(b) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—The table of contents of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2101) is amended by inserting after the item relating to section 250 the following:

"SUBCHAPTER E—NORMAL TRADE RELATIONS FOR CHINA TRANSITIONAL ADJUSTMENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

"Sec. 250A. Establishment of transitional program."

H.R. 4578

OFFERED BY: Mr. BOEHLERT

AMENDMENT No. 33: Page 108, beginning at line 9, strike section 335.

H.R. 4578

OFFERED BY: Ms. BROWN OF FLORIDA

AMENDMENT No. 34: Page 102, strike lines 10 through 19.

H.R. 4578

OFFERED BY: Mr. DEFazio

AMENDMENT No. 35: Page 53, line 14, insert after the dollar amount the following: "(increased by \$26,000,000)".

Page 67, line 16, insert after the dollar amount the following: "(reduced by \$53,000,000)".

H.R. 4578

OFFERED BY: Mr. DICKS

AMENDMENT No. 36. On page 108, line 15, after the number "1999", add the following section:

SEC. ____ Any limitation imposed under this Act on funds made available by this Act related to planning and management of national monuments, designation of new wildlife refuges, or activities related to the Interior Columbia Basin Ecosystem Management Plan shall not apply to any activity which is otherwise authorized by law.

H.R. 4578

OFFERED BY: Mr. HEFLEY

AMENDMENT No. 37: Page 2, line 13, insert after the dollar amount the following: "(reduced by \$4,000,000)".

Page 54, line 4, insert after the dollar amount the following: "(increased by \$4,000,000)".

H.R. 4578

OFFERED BY: Mr. HILL OF MONTANA

AMENDMENT No. 38: Page 56, line 3, after "\$50,000,000" insert "(reduced by \$500,000) (increased by \$500,000)".

H.R. 4578

OFFERED BY: Mr. HILL OF MONTANA

AMENDMENT No. 39: At the end of the bill, insert after the last section (preceding the short title) the following:

TITLE V—ADDITIONAL GENERAL PROVISIONS

SEC. 501. None of the funds made available in this Act may be used to remove or rescind a designation, in existence as of the date of enactment of this Act, of a route or water surface for use by snowmobiles under section 2.18(c) of title 36, Code of Federal Regulations, or any special regulations promulgated thereunder, in Yellowstone National Park, Grand Teton National Park, or the John D. Rockefeller National Memorial Parkway.