

It took the House Republicans nearly a year to recognize that rising fuel prices were a national problem. They last looked at oil prices in March of 1999 and then held only the second hearing in March of 2000. There was nothing for a year from the people who control Congress.

Now, despite overwhelming evidence throughout 1999 and early 2000 that prices of gas, diesel and home heating oil were on the rise, House Republicans failed to hold even a single hearing or make a single proposal on stabilizing fuel prices, and throughout this period, they took no steps to invest in America's energy independence and economic security. But, in 1999, and I recall this well, the Republican leaders called again for the elimination of the Department of Energy and selling off the petroleum reserve.

Specifically, in April and May of last year, after OPEC's production cuts started a rise in prices, Republican leaders, the gentleman from Texas (Mr. ARMEY), the gentleman from Texas (Mr. DELAY), and the gentleman from Missouri (Mr. BLUNT) joined the Republican budget chair and 34 other Republicans to introduce H.R. 1649, the Department of Energy Abolition Act. I think the collected memory of my friends on the Republican side when they attempt to criticize the Democrats in Congress, who are not in control, or the efforts of the democratic administration to do something about it is shortsighted, to say the very least.

The ArmeY-DeLay energy bill would have eliminated the Energy Department and with it, oil conservation programs, renewable energy conservation research; it took energy policy out of the cabinet and sold off the Strategic Petroleum Reserve and the Navy's petroleum reserve. Such foresight. How much better off would we be today if we had adopted their reckless proposal?

Another ironic example for me of the Republicans dropping the ball is when the chairman of the Subcommittee on Energy and the Environment of the House Committee on Science held hearings in 1996 that attacked the Department of Energy's information administration for "Consistently overestimating the price of oil and using these 'inflated predictions' to justify increases in conservation research and development programs." The subcommittee chairman criticized the Department of Energy officials for predicting an oil crisis that could be caused by increased demand, increased imports, or instability in the Persian Gulf. The projections that drew that Republican chairman's criticism predicted that in the year 2000, the price per barrel of imported oil could be as high as \$34, and to that Republican subcommittee chair, that was outrageous. I note for the record that as of March 7 in the year 2000, the price was \$34.13.

Mr. Speaker, every day in America communities large and small are struggling with issues that define their environment, their liveability, their qual-

ity of life. Some people suggest that there is no difference between the Republicans and the Democrats, but I will tell my colleagues when it comes to the environment, the reality is stark. The Democrats in this administration and in Congress have a positive record of support and accomplishment, of sympathy and passion. The Republican ticket offers indifferent voting records, cursory performance in office, and advocacy of dangerous, even reckless, environmental policies. Our air, our water, the landscape, our precious natural resources do not have the time to survive benign neglect or malicious indifference, let alone active assault. There is a huge difference between the parties, perhaps on the environment more than any other issue. The stakes of the election for the environment could not be higher. I hope that the American public will look closely at the records and promote policies and candidates that will make our communities more livable and our families safer, healthier, and more economically secure.

REPORT ON RESOLUTION WAIVING ALL POINTS OF ORDER AGAINST MOTION TO CONCUR IN SENATE AMENDMENTS TO H.R. 940, LACKAWANNA VALLEY NATIONAL HERITAGE ACT OF 1999

Mr. DIAZ-BALART (during special order of Mr. BLUMENAUER) from the Committee on Rules, submitted a privileged report (Rept. No. 106-873) on the resolution (H. Res. 583) providing for consideration of the Senate amendments to the bill (H.R. 940) to designate the Lackawanna Valley National Heritage Area, and for other purposes, which was referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed.

REPORT ON RESOLUTION WAIVING POINTS OF ORDER AGAINST CONFERENCE REPORT ON H.R. 4919, SECURITY ASSISTANCE ACT OF 2000

Mr. DIAZ-BALART (during special order of Mr. BLUMENAUER) from the Committee on Rules, submitted a privileged report (Rept. No. 106-874) on the resolution (H. Res. 584) waiving points of order against the conference report to accompany the bill (H.R. 4919) to amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 and the Arms Export Control Act to make improvements to certain defense and security assistance provisions under those Acts, to authorize the transfer of naval vessels to certain foreign countries, and for other purposes, which was referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed.

REPORT ON RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 5109, DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS HEALTH CARE PERSONNEL ACT OF 2000

Mr. DIAZ-BALART (during special order of Mr. BLUMENAUER) from the

Committee on Rules, submitted a privileged report (Rept. No. 106-875) on the resolution (H. Res. 585) providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 5109) to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve the personnel system of the Veterans Health Administration, and for other purposes, which was referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed.

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

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

Mr. STRICKLAND, for 5 minutes, today.

Ms. NORTON, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. UNDERWOOD, for 5 minutes, today.

Ms. STABENOW, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. MCGOVERN, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. ENGEL, for 5 minutes, today.

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

Mr. FOLEY, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. ROHRBACHER, for 5 minutes, September 21.

SENATE ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

The SPEAKER announced his signature to enrolled bills of the Senate of the following titles:

S. 1638. An act to amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to extend the retroactive eligibility dates for financial assistance for higher education for spouses and dependent children of Federal, State, and local law enforcement officers who are killed in the line of duty.

S. 2460. An act to authorize the payment of rewards to individuals furnishing information relating to persons subject to indictment for serious violations of international humanitarian law in Rwanda, and for other purposes.

ADJOURNMENT

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

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 6 o'clock and 56 minutes p.m.), the House adjourned until tomorrow, September 21, 2000, 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:

10134. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Myclobutanol; Extension of Tolerance for Emergency Exemptions [OPP-301045; FRL-6742-6] (RIN: 2070-AB78) received September 12, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C.

801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

10135. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Difenoconazole; Pesticide Tolerance [OPP-301005; FRL-6589-3] (RIN: 2070-AB) received September 12, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

10136. A letter from the Director, Office of Management and Budget, transmitting the OMB Sequestration Update Report to the President and Congress for fiscal year 2001; to the Committee on Appropriations.

10137. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the Department's final rule—Section 8 Homeownership Program [Docket No. FR-4427-F-02] (RIN: 2577-AB90) received September 13, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

10138. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Changes in Flood Elevation Determinations [Docket No. FEMA-D-7501] received September 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

10139. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Final Flood Elevation Determinations—received September 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

10140. A letter from the General Counsel, Corporation for National and Community Service, transmitting the Corporation's final rule—Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Sex in Education Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Financial Assistance—received September 6, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

10141. A letter from the Under Secretary, Food, Nutrition, and Consumer Services, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children: Implementation of WIC Mandates of Public Law 104-193, the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 (RIN: 0584-AC51) received September 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

10142. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Office of the Secretary, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the Department's final rule—Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Sex in Education Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Financial Assistance—received August 30, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

10143. A letter from the Chief, Coordination and Review Section, Department of Justice, transmitting the Department's final rule—Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Sex in Education Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Financial Assistance—received September 11, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

10144. A letter from the Director, Civil Rights Center, Department of Labor, transmitting the Department's final rule—Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Sex in Education Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Financial Assistance—received September 6, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

10145. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulations Management, Office of Resolu-

tion Management, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's final rule—Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Sex in Education Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Financial Assistance—received September 6, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

10146. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Sex in Education Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Financial Assistance—received September 6, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

10147. A letter from the Deputy Archivist of the United States, National Archives and Records Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Sex in Education Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Financial Assistance—received August 31, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

10148. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel, National Science Foundation, transmitting the Foundation's final rule—Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Sex in Education Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Financial Assistance—received September 8, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

10149. A letter from the Deputy General Counsel Office of EEO & Civil Rights Compliance, Small Business Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Sex in Education Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Financial Assistance—received September 13, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

10150. A letter from the Manager, Supplier and Diverse Business Relations, Tennessee Valley Authority, transmitting the Authority's final rule—Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Sex in Education Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Financial Assistance—received September 6, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

10151. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Florida: Final Authorization of State Hazardous Waste Management Program Revision [FRL 6870-1] received September 12, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10152. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Stay of the Eight-Hour Portion of the Findings of Significant Contribution and Rulemaking for Purposes of Reducing Interstate Ozone Transport [FRL 6869-8] (RIN: 2060-AJ37) received September 12, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10153. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans: Revision to the Alabama Department of Environmental Management Administration Code for the Air Pollution Control [AL-051-200026(a); FRL-6872-4] received September 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10154. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of the Implementation Plan for the Shelby County,

Tennessee Lead Nonattainment Area [TN-233-1-20021a; FRL-6872-2] received September 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10155. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Technical Assistance Grant Program [FRL-6872-1] (RIN: 2050-AE33) received September 14, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10156. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract to France, Canada and Germany [Transmittal No. DTC 094-00]; to the Committee on International Relations.

10157. A letter from the Director, National Science Foundation, transmitting a report on the National Science Foundation 2000 Federal Activities Inventory Reform Act of Commercial Activities; to the Committee on Government Reform.

10158. A letter from the Deputy Secretary, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendments to the Freedom of Information Act, Privacy Act, and Confidential Treatment Rules—received September 8, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

10159. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Land and Minerals Management, Department of Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Interest Rate Applicable to Late Payment or Underpayment of Monies Due on Solid Minerals and Geothermal Leases (RIN: 1010-AC76) received September 8, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

10160. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Fisheries off West Coast States and in the Western Pacific; Pacific Coast Groundfish Fishery; Fixed Gear Sablefish Mop-Up [Docket No. 991223347-9347-01; I.D. 082800C] received 13, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

10161. A letter from the General Counsel, The Presidio Trust, transmitting the Trust's final rule—Management of the Presidio: Environmental Quality (RIN: 3212-AA02) received September 12, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

10162. A letter from the Inland Waterway Users Board, Department of the Army, transmitting the Board's fourteenth annual report of its activities; recommendations regarding construction, rehabilitation priorities and spending levels on the commercial navigational features and components of inland waterways and harbors, pursuant to Public Law 99-662, section 302(b) (100 Stat. 4111); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10163. A letter from the Deputy Chief Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Pipeline Safety: Internal Corrosion in Gas Transmission Pipelines (RIN: 2137-AD52)—received September 11, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10164. A letter from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Interpretive Rule; Court of Competent Jurisdiction—received September 11, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10165. A letter from the Program Analyst, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting the

Department's final rule—Changed Product Rule Meeting; Public Meeting—received September 11, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10166. A letter from the Attorney, Research and Special Programs Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Advisory Notice; Transportation of Lithium Batteries [Docket No. RSPA-00-7283] received September 11, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10167. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Regulated Navigational Area: Sanibel, Florida [CGD07-00-086] (RIN: 2115-AE86) received September 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10168. A letter from the Acting Chief, Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Special Local Regulations for Marine Events; Michelob Championship at Kingsmill Fireworks Display, James River, Williamsburg, Virginia [CGD 05-00-041] (RIN: 2115-AE46) received September 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10169. A letter from the Acting Chief, Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operating Regulation; Bayou Du Large, LA [CGD08-00-024] (RIN: 2115-AE47) received September 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10170. A letter from the Acting Chief, Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operating Regulations; Hackensack River, NJ [CGD01-00-209] (RIN: 2115-AE47) received September 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10171. A letter from the Chief, Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Special Local Regulations for Marine Events; Hampton Bay Days Festival, Hampton River, Hampton, Virginia [CGD 05-00-039] received September 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10172. A letter from the Program Assistant, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 301188; Amdt. No. 2009] received September 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10173. A letter from the Program Assistant, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Revision of Class E Airspace; Tulsa, OK [Airspace Docket No. 2000-ASW-15] received September 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10174. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Revision of Class D Airspace, Robert Gray Army Airfield, TX; and Revocation of Class D Airspace, Hood Army Airfield, TX; [Airspace Docket No. 2000-ASW-18] received September 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10175. A letter from the Program Assistant, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Israel Aircraft Industries, Ltd., Model 1125 Westwind; Astra Series Airplanes [Docket No. 2000-NM-287-AD; Amendment 39-11896; AD 2000-18-11] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received September 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10176. A letter from the Program Assistant, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; MD Helicopters, Inc. Model MD-900 Helicopters [Docket No. 2000-SW-03-AD; Amendment 39-11893; AD 2000-18-08] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received September 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10177. A letter from the Program Assistant, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Eurocopter Canada Ltd. Model BO 105 LS A-3 Helicopters [Docket No. 99-SW-68-AD; Amendment 39-11899; AD 2000-18-13] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received September 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10178. A letter from the Program Assistant, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Sikorsky Aircraft-manufactured Model CH-54A Helicopters [Docket No. 99-SW-81-AD; Amendment 39-11901; AD 2000-18-14] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received September 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10179. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Eurocopter France Model AS350B3 Helicopters [Docket No. 2000-SW-39-AD; Amendment 39-11900; AD 2000-16-52] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received September 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10180. A letter from the Chief, Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, Department of Transportation, USCG, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operating Regulations; Honker Cut, San Joaquin County, California [CGD 11-00-006] (RIN: 2115-AE47) received 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10181. A letter from the Chief, Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, Department of Transportation, USCG, transmitting the Department's final rule—Safety Zone; Northstar dock, Seal Island, Prudhoe Bay, Alaska [COTP Western Alaska 00-011] (RIN: 2115-AA97) received September 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10182. A letter from the Administrator, General Services Administration, transmitting informational copies of various lease prospectuses, pursuant to 40 U.S.C. 606(a); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10183. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Branch, U.S. Customs Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule—Endorsement of Checks Deposited by Customs Service (RIN: 1515-AC48) received September 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

10184. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Branch, U.S. Customs Service, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule—Vessel Equipment Tempo-

rarily Landed for Repair [TD 00-61] (RIN: 1515-AC35) received September 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

10185. A letter from the Chief, Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Special Local Regulations for Marine Events; Patapsco River, Baltimore, Maryland [CGD05-00-038] received September 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

10186. A letter from the Chief, Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, Department of Transportation, USCG, transmitting the Department's final rule—Safety Zone; Middle Harbor-San Pedro Bay, CA [COTP Los Angeles-Long Beach, CA; 00-003] (RIN: 2115-AA97) received September 15, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

10187. A letter from the Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation entitled the "Enhancement of Privacy and Public Safety in Cyberspace Act"; jointly to the Committees on the Judiciary and Commerce.

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. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. H.R. 3067. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to convey certain facilities to Nampa and Meridian Irrigation District; with an amendment (Rept. 106-870). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. S. 1778. An act to provide for equal exchanges of land around the Cascade Reservoir (Rept. 106-871). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. BLILEY: Committee on Commerce. H.R. 3100. A bill to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to prohibit telemarketers from interfering with the caller identification service of any person to whom a telephone solicitation is made, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 106-872). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union. Referred to the Corrections Calendar.

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 583. Resolution providing for consideration of the Senate amendments to the bill (H.R. 940) to designate the Lackawanna Valley Heritage Area, and for other purposes (Rept. 106-873). Referred to the House Calendar.

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