

Product Safety Act to provide that low-speed electric bicycles are consumer products subject to such Act: with an amendment (Rept. 106-946). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. S. 1288. An act to provide incentives for collaborative forest restoration projects on National Forest System and other public lands in New Mexico, and for other purposes (Rept. 106-947 Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

Mr. SKEEN: Committee of Conference. Conference report on H.R. 4461. A bill making appropriations for Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration and Related Agencies programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001, and for other purposes (Rept. 106-948). Ordered to be printed.

DISCHARGE OF COMMITTEE

Pursuant to clause 5 of rule X the Committee on Ways and Means discharged. H.R. 3673 referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered to be printed.

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TIME LIMITATION OF REFERRED BILL

Pursuant to clause 5 of rule X the following action was taken by the Speaker:

H.R. 1882. Referral to the Committee on Ways and Means extended for a period ending not later than October 13, 2000.

H.R. 2580. Referral to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure extended for a period ending not later than October 13, 2000.

H.R. 4585. Referral to the Committee on Commerce extended for a period ending not later than October 13, 2000.

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PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. SPENCE:

H.R. 5408. A bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2001 for military activities of the Department of Defense, for military construction, and for defense activities of the Department of Energy, to prescribe personnel strengths for such fiscal year for the Armed Forces, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services, and in addition to the Committees on Commerce, Education and the Workforce, Government Reform, International Relations, the Judiciary, Resources, Science, Transportation and Infrastructure, Veterans' Affairs, Ways and Means, and Intelligence (Permanent Select), 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. SMITH of Michigan:

H.R. 5409. A bill to extend for 9 additional months the period for which chapter 12 of title 11 of the United States Code is reenacted; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. THOMAS (for himself, Mr. HOYER, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. EHLERS, Mr. NEY, Mr. MICA, Mr. LINDER, and Mr. FATTAH):

H.R. 5410. A bill to establish revolving funds for the operation of certain programs and activities of the Library of Congress, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. COOK:

H.R. 5411. A bill to direct the Secretary of Transportation to permit the State of Utah

to construct a hook ramp as part of the highway project to reconstruct the interchange at Interstate Route 15 and University Parkway in Orem, Utah; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. DEAL of Georgia:

H.R. 5412. A bill to amend the Social Security Act to eliminate the five-month waiting period in the disability insurance program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. DINGELL:

H.R. 5413. A bill to require the Secretary of Transportation to issue regulations addressing safety concerns in minimizing delay for automobile traffic at railroad grade crossings; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. FILNER:

H.R. 5414. A bill to promote global efforts to protect biological diversity by protecting the Tongass Rain Forest, the United States' largest temperate rain forest, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. FILNER (for himself and Mr. KUCINICH):

H.R. 5415. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to impose a windfall profit tax on wholesale electric energy sold in the Western System Coordinating Council; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HOUGHTON:

H.R. 5416. A bill to promote economic development and stability in Southeast Europe by providing countries in that region with additional trade benefits; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. LAFALCE (for himself, Mr. GEPHARDT, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. LEACH, Mr. KANJORSKI, Ms. WATERS, Mr. SANDERS, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. BAKER, Mr. LAZIO, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, Mr. WATT of North Carolina, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. BENTSEN, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, Ms. CARSON, Mr. WEYGAND, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. MEEKS of New York, Ms. LEE, Mr. MASCARA, Mr. INSLEE, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. MOORE, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. FORBES, Mr. CASTLE, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. NEY, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. PAUL, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mrs. BIGGERT, Mr. TOOMEY, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. SABO, Mr. MINGE, Mr. WISE, Mr. NADLER, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. WAXMAN, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. EVANS, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. SPRATT, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. MEEHAN, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Ms. DANNER, Mr. DIXON, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, and Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma):

H.R. 5417. A bill to rename the Stewart B. McKinney Homeless Assistance Act as the "McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act"; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. PITTS (for himself, Mr. SHUSTER, Mr. MURTHA, Mr. GEKAS, Mr. GOODLING, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. TOOMEY, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. SHERWOOD, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. KLINK, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. HOFFEL, and Mr. MASCARA):

H.R. 5418. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 431 North George Street in Millersville, Pennsylvania, as the "Robert S. Walker Post Office"; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Ms. PRYCE of Ohio (for herself and Mrs. CAPPS):

H.R. 5419. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to establish a demonstration project at the National Cancer Institute to provide funding for research concerning the prevention, diagnosis, treatment, and cure for cancer; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. ROYCE:

H.R. 5420. A bill to establish a National Commission to Eliminate Waste in Government; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. SHAW (for himself and Mr. STARK):

H.R. 5421. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to impose an excise tax on persons who acquire structured settlement payments in factoring transactions, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. SHAW (for himself, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. BOEHLERT, and Mr. METCALF):

H.R. 5422. A bill to require the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to establish an integrated environmental reporting program; to the Committee on Commerce, 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. SIMPSON (for himself, Mr.

ABERCROMBIE, Mr. BAKER, Mr. BARCIA, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mrs. CHENOWETH-HAGE, Mr. COMBEST, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. JOHN, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. MINGE, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. POMEROY, Mr. SCHAFER, Mr. TAUZIN, and Mrs. THURMAN):

H.R. 5423. A bill to amend the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States to prevent circumvention of the sugar tariff-rate quotas; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania:

H.R. 5424. A bill to amend the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 to authorize communities receiving community development block grants to use grant amounts to provide assistance to local firefighting, emergency medical, and rescue services; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania:

H.R. 5425. A bill to amend the National and Community Service Act of 1990 to include participation in a volunteer firefighting agency as one of the national service programs specifically authorized to receive assistance under the AmeriCorps program; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. SKEEN:

H.R. 5426. A bill making appropriations for Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. STUMP (for himself and Mr. HYDE):

H. Con. Res. 419. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress on the propriety and need for expeditious construction of the National World War II Memorial at the Rainbow Pool on the National Mall in the Nation's Capitol; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. ACKERMAN (for himself and Mr. GEJDENSON):

H. Res. 614. A resolution condemning the Government of Iran for the continued imprisonment of 10 Jews and 2 Muslims on false

charges of espionage and urging the President to sustain United States sanctions against Iran, including opposition to assistance provided by international institutions, and for other purposes; to the Committee on International Relations.

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ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 303: Mr. CUMMINGS.
 H.R. 352: Mr. WALDEN of Oregon.
 H.R. 453: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY and Mr. GALLEGLY.
 H.R. 455: Mr. BACA.
 H.R. 531: Mr. LEACH.
 H.R. 762: Mr. LOBIONDO.
 H.R. 1194: Mr. MINGE.
 H.R. 1228: Mr. CONYERS, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. KUCINICH, and Mr. PRICE of North Carolina.
 H.R. 1640: Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island.
 H.R. 1870: Mr. GEJDENSON.
 H.R. 2341: Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mr. WALDEN of Oregon, and Mr. BASS.
 H.R. 2457: Mr. CRAMER, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. COOK, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. LARSON, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. SCOTT, Mr. LAZIO, Mr. KLECZKA, and Mr. TIERNEY.
 H.R. 2505: Mr. KLINK.
 H.R. 2738: Mr. BLAGOJEVICH.
 H.R. 2774: Ms. NORTON.
 H.R. 2907: Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. BERMAN, and Ms. CARSON.
 H.R. 3004: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia and Mr. INSLEE.
 H.R. 3249: Mr. UDALL of Colorado and Mr. HYDE.
 H.R. 3377: Mr. GEJDENSON.
 H.R. 3700: Ms. DELAURO, Mr. WU, and Mr. SNYDER.

H.R. 3905: Mr. HOBSON.
 H.R. 4025: Mr. BOEHLERT.
 H.R. 4178: Mr. SISISKY.
 H.R. 4257: Mr. JONES of North Carolina.
 H.R. 4390: Mr. WEXLER.
 H.R. 4415: Mr. BONIOR.
 H.R. 4434: Mr. WALSH.
 H.R. 4453: Mrs. TAUSCHER.
 H.R. 4467: Mr. THUNE.
 H.R. 4493: Mr. HINCHEY.
 H.R. 4501: Mr. LEWIS of California, Mr. COX, and Mr. CAMPBELL.
 H.R. 4506: Mr. MCHUGH, Ms. DANNER, and Mr. WEYGAND.
 H.R. 4570: Mr. LATHAM and Mr. ISAKSON.
 H.R. 4571: Mr. WAMP, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. KILDEE, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. BENTSEN, Mr. BOEHNER, Ms. CARSON, Mr. MCINTYRE, Mr. WELLER, and Mr. BLAGOJEVICH.
 H.R. 4614: Mr. HOFFEL.
 H.R. 4707: Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. PAYNE, and Mr. MCCOLLUM.
 H.R. 4715: Mr. KLECZKA.
 H.R. 4728: Mr. LUCAS of Kentucky, Mr. TANNER, Mr. CANNON, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. WEINER, Mr. OWENS, Mr. DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. ISAKSON, and Mr. ALLEN.
 H.R. 4740: Ms. NORTON, Mrs. CAPPS, and Mr. PRICE of North Carolina.
 H.R. 4792: Mr. DEFazio.
 H.R. 4794: Ms. DELAURO.
 H.R. 4802: Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. BUYER, and Mr. BONILLA.
 H.R. 4857: Mr. BILBRAY.
 H.R. 4927: Mr. HOFFEL.
 H.R. 5027: Mr. KOLBE.
 H.R. 5099: Mr. MINGE.
 H.R. 5110: Mr. GARY MILLER of California.
 H.R. 5121: Mr. WEXLER and Mr. BLAGOJEVICH.
 H.R. 5132: Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, and Mr. BERMAN.
 H.R. 5137: Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. BACHUS, and Mr. LEVIN.
 H.R. 5151: Mr. BONIOR.
 H.R. 5152: Mr. DICKS.
 H.R. 5163: Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. MORAN of Kansas, and Ms. WOOLSEY.
 H.R. 5164: Mr. GILLMOR.

H.R. 5172: Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. MCINTYRE, Ms. DANNER, Mr. DOOLEY of California, Mr. WELLER, Ms. STABENOW and Ms. CARSON.
 H.R. 5232: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY.
 H.R. 5247: Mr. DEFazio.
 H.R. 5265: Mr. GOODE, Mr. GILLMOR, and Mr. STUMP.
 H.R. 5275: Ms. RIVERS, Mr. THORNBERRY, and Mr. ISAKSON.
 H.R. 5277: Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. SABO, Mr. TURNER, Mr. SISISKY, Ms. LOFGREN, Ms. RIVERS, and Mr. WEXLER.
 H.R. 5314: Mr. POMBO, Mr. KOLBE, Mrs. NORTHUP, Mr. GOODE, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. NADLER, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. GILCHREST, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. EHRLICH, Mr. FROST, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi, Mr. BLILEY, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. STUMP, Mr. WICKER, Mr. COBURN, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. REYES, Mr. GIBBONS, Mr. PITTS, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Mr. HYDE, Mr. TRAFICANT, and Mr. BACA.
 H.R. 5345: Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Ms. PELOSI, Mrs. BONO, Mr. WYNN, and Mr. OSE.
 H.R. 5356: Mr. SHERWOOD and Mr. KANJORSKI.
 H.R. 5371: Mr. UDALL of Colorado.
 H.R. 5375: Ms. SLAUGHTER and Mrs. KELLY.
 H.R. 5392: Mr. ENGLISH.
 H.R. 5397: Mr. BERMAN, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. BISHOP, Mr. BOYD, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. LANTOS, and Mr. RAMSTAD.
 H. J. Res. 107: Mr. TIERNEY and Ms. CARSON.
 H. Con. Res. 337: Mr. ISAKSON, Mr. HOLT, and Mr. POMBO.
 H. Res. 146: Mr. INSLEE.
 H. Res. 187: Ms. SLAUGHTER.
 H. Res. 420: Mr. ORTIZ.
 H. Res. 461: Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. MEEHAN, Ms. LEE, and Mr. WEYGAND.
 H. Res. 605: Mr. OSE and Mrs. FOWLER.