

Sandlin, Tom Sawyer, Jim Saxton, Joe Scarborough, Bob Schaffer, Janice D. Schakowsky, Adam B. Schiff, Edward L. Schrock, Robert C. Scott, F. James Sensenbrenner, Jr., José E. Serrano, Pete Sessions, John B. Shadegg, E. Clay Shaw, Jr., Christopher Shays, Brad Sherman, Don Sherwood, John Shimkus, Ronnie Shows, Rob Simmons, Michael K. Simpson, Norman Sisisky, Joe Skeen, Ike Skelton, Louise McIntosh Slaughter, Adam Smith, Christopher H. Smith, Lamar S. Smith, Nick Smith, Vic Snyder, Mark E. Souder, Floyd Spence, John N. Spratt, Jr., Cliff Stearns, Charles W. Stenholm, Ted Strickland, Bob Stump, Bart Stupak, John E. Sununu, John E. Sweeney, Thomas G. Tancredo, John S. Tanner, Ellen O. Tauscher, W. J. (Billy) Tauzin, Charles H. Taylor, Gene Taylor, Lee Terry, William M. Thomas, Bennie G. Thompson, Mike Thompson, Mac Thornberry, John R. Thune, Karen L. Thurman, Todd Tiahrt, Patrick J. Tiberi, John F. Tierney, Patrick J. Toomey, James A. Traficant, Jr., Jim Turner, Mark Udall, Robert A. Underwood, Fred Upton, Nydia M. Velázquez, Peter J. Visclosky, David Vitter, Greg Walden, James T. Walsh, Zach Wamp, Maxine Waters, Wes Watkins, Melvin L. Watt, J.C. Watts, Jr., Henry A. Waxman, Anthony D. Weiner, Curt Weldon, Dave Weldon, Jerry Weller, Robert Wexler, Ed Whitfield, Roger F. Wicker, Heather Wilson, Frank R. Wolf, Lynn C. Woolsey, Albert Russell Wynn, C.W. Bill Young, Don Young.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

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

1396. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting a letter on the approved retirement of Lieutenant General Donald L. Kerrick, United States Army, and his advancement to the grade of lieutenant general on the retired list; to the Committee on Armed Services.

1397. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting a letter on the approved retirement of Lieutenant Jack W. Klimp, United States Marine Corps, and his advancement to the grade of lieutenant on the retired list; to the Committee on Armed Services.

1398. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting notification of a proposed issuance of an export license to Canada [Transmittal No. DTC 029-01], pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

1399. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting notification of a proposed issuance of an export license to Japan [Transmittal No. DTC 030-01], pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

1400. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting notification of a proposed issuance of an export license to Belgium [Transmittal No. DTC 031-01], pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

1401. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting notification of a proposed issuance of an export license to Norway [Transmittal No. DTC 007-01], pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

1402. A letter from the Director of Government Affairs, Commission On International Religious Freedom, transmitting the Com-

mission's report entitled, "Report Of The United States Commission On International Religious Freedom On Sudan"; to the Committee on International Relations.

1403. A letter from the Chief Financial Officer, Export-Import Bank, transmitting the 2000 annual report in compliance with the Inspector General Act Amendments of 1988, pursuant to 5 app; to the Committee on Government Reform.

1404. A letter from the Vice President for Legal Affairs, General Counsel and Corporate Secretary, Legal Services Corporation, transmitting a copy of the annual report in compliance with the Government in the Sunshine Act during the calendar year 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b(j); to the Committee on Government Reform.

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. WATTS of Oklahoma (for himself, Mr. HALL of Ohio, and Mr. HASTERT):

H.R. 7. A bill to provide incentives for charitable contributions by individuals and businesses, to improve the effectiveness and efficiency of government program delivery to individuals and families in need, and to enhance the ability of low-income Americans to gain financial security by building assets; to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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. WELDON of Florida (for himself, Mr. NADLER, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. FRANK, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. McGOVERN, Mr. HORN, Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri, and Mr. TURNER):

H.R. 1287. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act with respect to the Vaccine Injury Compensation Program; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mrs. KELLY (for herself, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. SHAYS, Mrs. LOWEY, and Mr. ENGEL):

H.R. 1288. A bill to amend title 49, United States Code, relating to the airport noise and access review program; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. LANTOS (for himself, Mr. McGOVERN, Ms. SOLIS, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. FRANK, Mr. HILLIARD, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. KILDEE, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. KUCINICH, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Ms. LEE, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. FILNER, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. BACA, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, and Mr. BORSKI):

H.R. 1289. A bill to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to prohibit forced overtime hours for certain licensed health care employees; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. JACKSON of Illinois (for himself, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, and Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island):

H.R. 1290. A bill to amend title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 to make such title fully applicable to the judicial branch of the Federal Government; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SMITH of New Jersey (for himself, Mr. EVANS, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. DIN-

GELL, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. REYES, Mr. STUMP, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Ms. CARSON of Indiana, Mr. SPENCE, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. BUYER, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. QUINN, Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. MCKEON, Mr. UDALL of New Mexico, Mr. SIMPSON, Mr. SIMMONS, Mr. CRENSHAW, Mr. BROWN of South Carolina, Mr. PICKERING, Mr. EHRLICH, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. SANDERS, Mrs. WILSON, Mr. RYUN of Kansas, Mr. SEXTON, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. HOLT, Mr. DREIER, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. JENKINS, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma, Mr. LANGEVIN, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. BRADY of Texas, Mr. SCHROCK, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Mr. KING, Mrs. JO ANN DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. LOBIONDO, and Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky):

H.R. 1291. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to increase the amount of educational benefits for veterans under the Montgomery GI Bill; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, and in addition to the Committee on Armed Services, 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. SKELTON:

H.R. 1292. A bill to require the President to develop and implement a strategy for homeland security; to the Committee on Armed Services, and in addition to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure, the Judiciary, 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. NEY (for himself, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. LATOURETTE, and Mr. JONES of North Carolina):

H.R. 1293. A bill to amend the Federal Deposit Insurance Act to ensure the continued stability of the Federal deposit insurance system with respect to banks and savings associations, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. BACA (for himself, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. SHERMAN, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi, Mrs. KELLY, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. RANGEL, and Mr. REYES):

H.R. 1294. A bill to amend titles 10 and 14, United States Code, to provide for the use of gold in the metal content of the Medal of Honor; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. BACA (for himself, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. KILDEE, Ms. CARSON of Indiana, and Mr. GRUCCI):

H.R. 1295. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Health and Human Services to make matching grants available to the States in order to encourage the establishment of State license plate programs to provide funds for the treatment of breast cancer, for research on such cancer, and for educational activities regarding such cancer; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mrs. BONO (for herself, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. BRADY of Texas, Mr. TERRY, Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. BUYER, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. BALDACCIO, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. SHIMKUS, Ms.

PRYCE of Ohio, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. UDALL of New Mexico, Mr. ISAKSON, Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. GARY G. MILLER of California, Ms. NORTON, Mr. SIMPSON, Mr. SHERWOOD, Mr. MICA, and Ms. DELAURO):

H.R. 1296. A bill to amend chapter 1 of title 9, United States Code, to provide for greater fairness in the arbitration process relating to motor vehicle franchise contracts; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BRADY of Texas:

H.R. 1297. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for the expansion, intensification, and coordination of the activities of the National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute with respect to research on pulmonary hypertension; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. BRADY of Texas (for himself and Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut):

H.R. 1298. A bill to provide for the expansion of human clinical trials qualifying for the orphan drug credit; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. CAPUANO (for himself, Mr. STUPAK, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. KING, and Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania):

H.R. 1299. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a refundable credit to members of the Armed Forces who serve on active duty during a taxable year; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. CARSON of Indiana (for herself, Ms. NORTON, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. HILLIARD, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. WATT of North Carolina, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. MEEKS of New York, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. CLAY, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. BISHOP, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. OWENS, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. WYNN, Mr. FORD, Mr. RUSH, Mr. FATTAH, and Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD):

H.R. 1300. A bill to amend part D of title IV of the Social Security Act to provide grants to States to encourage media campaigns to promote responsible fatherhood skills, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. CRANE:

H.R. 1301. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to apply the capital gains tax rates to capital gains earned by designated settlement funds; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. DUNCAN:

H.R. 1302. A bill to prohibit certain foreign assistance to countries that consistently oppose the United States position in the United Nations General Assembly; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Ms. DUNN:

H.R. 1303. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to clarify the rules relating to lessee construction allowances and to contributions to the capital of retailers; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. ENGLISH (for himself, Mr. TANNER, Mr. MCHUGH, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, and Mr. FROST):

H.R. 1304. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a credit against income tax for recycling or remanufacturing equipment; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. ENGLISH (for himself, Mr. POMEROY, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. BARCIA, Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr.

BONILLA, Mr. BONIOR, Mrs. BONO, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. COOKSEY, Mr. COX, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Ms. DUNN, Mr. EHRLICH, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. FROST, Ms. GRANGER, Mr. HEFLEY, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. ISAKSON, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. JOHN, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. KING, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. MCCRERY, Mr. MCINNIS, Mr. GARY G. MILLER of California, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. NEY, Mr. OTTER, Mr. POMBO, Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. REYNOLDS, Mr. ROHRABACHER, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. SCHAFER, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. SCHROCK, Mr. SIMMONS, Mr. SIMPSON, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. TANCREDI, Mr. TERRY, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. TOOMEY, Mr. WALSH, and Mr. QUINN):

H.R. 1305. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to reduce the tax on beer to its pre-1991 level; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. GUTIERREZ (for himself, Mr. EHLERS, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. HINCHEY, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. ENGEL, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Ms. CARSON of Indiana, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. LANTOS, Ms. MCKINNEY, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. FRANK, Mr. ORTIZ, Mr. BARRETT, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. EVANS, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. FILNER, Mr. BERMAN, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mrs. LOWEY, Ms. NORTON, Mrs. THURMAN, Ms. LEE, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. CONYERS, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. OWENS, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. FROST, Ms. SOLIS, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. REYES, Mr. CUMMINGS, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. HONDA, Mr. ACEVEDO-VILA, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. SERRANO, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Ms. SANCHEZ, Mr. WYNN, Mr. CAPUANO, and Ms. LOFGREN):

H.R. 1306. A bill to amend the Electronic Fund Transfer Act to require additional disclosures relating to exchange rates in transfers involving international transactions; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. HOYER (for himself and Mr. WYNN):

H.R. 1307. A bill to amend chapter 89 of title 5, United States Code, to increase the Government contribution for Federal employee health insurance; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. HULSHOF (for himself and Mr. BISHOP):

H.R. 1308. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow tax-free expenditures from education individual retirement accounts for elementary and secondary school expenses, to increase the maximum annual amount of contributions to such accounts, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut (for herself, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mrs. WILSON, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. SIMMONS, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, and Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut):

H.R. 1309. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to encourage contributions by individuals of capital gain real property for conservation purposes, to encourage qualified conservation contributions, and to modify the rules governing the estate tax ex-

clusion for land subject to a qualified conservation easement; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. KIND (for himself, Mr. ANDREWS, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. BARRETT, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. GILCHREST, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. TANCREDI, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, and Mr. UDALL of New Mexico):

H.R. 1310. A bill to reform the Army Corps of Engineers; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. LAFALCE (for himself, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. DINGELL, and Mr. MARKEY):

H.R. 1311. A bill to amend the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 to reduce fees on securities transactions; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. LATOURETTE:

H.R. 1312. A bill to amend the Family and Medical Leave Act of 1993 to permit leave after the death of a spouse for widows and widowers with minor children; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and in addition to the Committees on Government Reform, and House Administration, 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. LOFGREN:

H.R. 1313. A bill to provide grants to local educational agencies that agree to begin school for secondary students after 9:00 in the morning; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mrs. LOWEY (for herself, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. GILMAN, and Mrs. KELLY):

H.R. 1314. A bill to provide an enhanced penalty for threatening to kill, injure, or intimidate an individual, or to cause property damage, by means of fire or an explosive on school property; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. MOLLOHAN:

H.R. 1315. A bill to extend the deadline for commencement of construction of certain hydroelectric projects located in the State of West Virginia; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. NUSSLE (for himself, Mr. TANNER, Mr. CAMP, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. GANSKE, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. INSLEE, Mr. LATHAM, Mr. LEACH, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, and Mr. SNYDER):

H.R. 1316. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide a credit against tax for energy efficient appliances; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. NUSSLE (for himself and Mr. HERGER):

H.R. 1317. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to clarify that qualified personal service corporations may continue to use the cash method of accounting, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. PITTS:

H.R. 1318. A bill to authorize the extension of nondiscriminatory treatment (normal trade relations treatment) to the products of Kazakhstan; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. RUSH (for himself, Mr. ENGLISH, Ms. HART, Mr. OLIVER, Mr. TOWNS, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Ms. LEE, Ms. MCKINNEY, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. FRANK, Mr. PASCRELL, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. LUTHER, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr.

GUTIERREZ, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Ms. NORTON, Mr. GONZALEZ, and Mrs. TAUSCHER):

H.R. 1319. A bill to amend the Consumer Credit Protection Act and other banking laws to protect consumers who avail themselves of payday loans from usurious interest rates and exorbitant fees, perpetual debt, the use of criminal actions to collect debts, and other unfair practices by payday lenders, to encourage the States to license and closely regulate payday lenders, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. SABO:

H.R. 1320. A bill to amend title II of the Social Security Act to establish an effective real annual rate of interest at 6 percent for special obligations issued to the Social Security trust funds; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. THUNE (for himself, Mr. HINCHEY, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. COOKSEY, Mr. WYNN, and Mr. BOSWELL):

H.R. 1321. A bill to amend the conservation provisions of the Food Security Act of 1985 to establish a voluntary, incentive-based conservation security program; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. TIERNEY (for himself, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. KILDEE, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. FRANK, Mr. MURTHA, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. FROST, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. HINCHEY, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. BONIOR, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. OLVER, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. EVANS, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. PAYNE, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. FILNER, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Ms. SANCHEZ, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Ms. NORTON, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. SHERMAN, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. OWENS, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, and Ms. LEE):

H.R. 1322. A bill to amend title I of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 to provide emergency protection for retiree health benefits; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and in addition to the Committee on the Budget, 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. VELAZQUEZ (for herself, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. OWENS, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. BALDACCI, and Mr. MCGOVERN):

H.R. 1323. A bill to narrow the digital divide; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Ms. VELAZQUEZ (for herself, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. HALL of Ohio, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. HOBSON, Mr. UDALL of New Mexico, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. PHELPS, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. LANGEVIN, Mr. PASCRELL, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. BAIRD, and Mr. WYNN):

H.R. 1324. A bill to require Federal agencies to follow certain procedures with re-

spect to the bundling of procurement contract requirements, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Small Business, and in addition to the Committee on Government Reform, 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. WHITFIELD:

H.R. 1325. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 3160 Irvin Cobb Drive in Paducah, Kentucky, as the "Morgan Station"; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. WHITFIELD:

H.R. 1326. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 203 West Paige Street in Tompkinsville, Kentucky, as the "Tim Lee Carter Post Office Building"; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. WHITFIELD:

H.R. 1327. A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to prohibit H-2A workers from bringing law suits against employers except in the State in which the employer resides or has its principal place of business; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. CASTLE (for himself, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. PLATTS, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Mr. McNULTY, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. OSE, Mr. McHUGH, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. WOLF, Mr. HOYER, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. UDALL of New Mexico, Ms. LEE, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. NEY, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. HYDE, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. GORDON, Mr. GREENWOOD, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. KING, Ms. NORTON, Mr. FRANK, Mr. BUYER, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. FERGUSON, Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. ISSA, Mr. CANTOR, Ms. MCKINNEY, Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. WYNN, Mr. HEFLEY, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. WALSH, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. VISCLOSKEY, and Mr. KUCINICH):

H.J. Res. 42. A joint resolution memorializing fallen firefighters by lowering the American flag to half-staff in honor of the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial Service in Emmitsburg, Maryland; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SERRANO (for himself, Mr. REYES, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. ORTIZ, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. BONILLA, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Ms. SANCHEZ, Mr. BACA, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Ms. SOLIS, Mr. ACEVEDO-VILA, and Mr. HOYER):

H. Con. Res. 90. Concurrent resolution authorizing the printing of a revised and updated version of the House document entitled "Hispanic Americans in Congress"; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. SMITH of New Jersey (for himself and Mr. DOYLE):

H. Con. Res. 91. Concurrent resolution recognizing the importance of increasing awareness of the autism spectrum disorder, and supporting programs for greater research and improved treatment of autism and improved training and support for individuals with autism and those who care for them; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provi-

sions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. TOWNS:

H. Con. Res. 92. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress that Harriet Tubman should have been paid a pension for her service as a nurse and scout in the United States Army during the Civil War; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. WOLF:

H. Res. 107. A resolution expressing the condolences of the House of Representatives on the death of the Honorable Norman Sisisky, a Representative from the Commonwealth of Virginia; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. BAKER (for himself, Mrs.

MORELLA, Mr. KING, Mr. BALDACCI, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. VITTER, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. SPRATT, Mr. MASCARA, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. GOODE, Mr. WOLF, Mrs. BIGGERT, and Mrs. JO ANN DAVIS of Virginia):

H. Res. 108. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that a commemorative postage stamp should be issued on the subject of autism awareness; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mrs. THURMAN (for herself, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. FROST, Mr. MCINTYRE, and Mr. OSE):

H. Res. 109. A resolution recognizing the anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Arbroath and supporting the establishment of a National Tartan Day to recognize the outstanding achievements and contributions made by Scottish Americans to the United States; to the Committee on Government Reform.

MEMORIALS

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

12. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Senate of the State of Nevada, relative to Resolution No. 9 memorializing the United States Congress that the men aboard the C-54 that crashed on Mt. Charleston on November 17, 1955, G.M. Pappas, P.E. Winham, C.D. Farris, G.R. Fasolas, J.H. Gains, E.J. Urolatis, J.W. Brown, W.H. Marr, J.F. Bray, R.H. Kreimendahl, T.J. O'Donnell, F.F. Hanks, H.C. Silent, and R.J. Hrudka, will be long remembered for their contribution to our national security which cost them their lives; and to declare the crash site of U.S.A.F. 9068 near the summit of Mt. Charleston as the "Silent Heroes of the Cold War National Monument"; jointly to the Committees on Armed Services and Resources.

13. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the Commonwealth of Virginia, relative to Resolution No. 401 memorializing the United States Congress to urge the United States Coast Guard to provide funding from the Oil Spill Liability Trust Fund to remove the oil contained in the 27 vessels of the United States Maritime Administration's James River Reserve Fleet classified as in dire need of scrapping; jointly to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure and Armed Services.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 8: Mr. STEARNS.

H.R. 17: Mrs. KELLY.