

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to:

Mrs. MALONEY of New York (at the request of Mr. GEPHARDT) for today on account of personal business.

Mr. BECERRA (at the request of Mr. GEPHARDT) for today and the balance of the week on account of business in the district.

Mr. GRUCCI (at the request of Mr. ARMEY) for today and the balance of the week on account of a death in the family.

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

Mr. SHOWS, for 5 minutes, today.

Ms. WOOLSEY, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. SKELTON, for 5 minutes, today.

Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. DEFAZIO, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. BERRY, for 5 minutes, today.

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

Mrs. BIGGERT, for 5 minutes, February 7.

Mr. GUTKNECHT, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. LEWIS of California, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. SENSENBRENNER, for 5 minutes, today.

(The following Member (at his own request) to revise and extend his remarks and include extraneous material:)

Mr. KINGSTON, for 5 minutes, today.

ENROLLED JOINT RESOLUTION
SIGNED

Mr. Trandahl, Clerk of the House, reported and found truly enrolled a joint resolution of the House of the following title, which was thereupon signed by the Speaker:

Joint Resolution recognizing the 90th birthday of Ronald Reagan.

ADJOURNMENT

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

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 8 o'clock and 14 minutes p.m.), the House adjourned until tomorrow, Wednesday, February 7, 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:

527. A letter from the Administrator, Food Safety and Inspection Service, Department

of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Retained Water in Raw Meat and Poultry Products; Poultry Chilling Requirements [Docket No. 97-054F] (RIN: 0583-AC26) received January 26, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

528. A letter from the Administrator, Rural Utilities Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Post-loan Policies and Procedures Common to Guaranteed and Insured Loans (RIN: 0572-AB53) received January 17, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

529. A letter from the Administrator, Rural Utilities Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Policy on Audits of RUS Borrowers; Management Letter (RIN: 0572-AB66) received January 17, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

530. A letter from the Under Secretary of Defense, Department of Defense, transmitting a report of a violation of the Antideficiency Act by the Department of the Air Force which occurred in the fiscal year (FY) 1986, FY 1987, and FY 1988 Aircraft Procurement, and the FY 1988 Operation and Maintenance (O&M), Air Force appropriations, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1351; to the Committee on Appropriations.

531. A letter from the Under Secretary of Defense, Department of Defense, transmitting a report of a violation of the Antideficiency Act by the Department of the Air Force which occurred at the 438th Air Mobility Wing (now the 305th Air Mobility Wing), located at the McGuire Air Force Base, New Jersey, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1351; to the Committee on Appropriations.

532. A letter from the Chief, Programs and Legislation Division, Office of Legislative Liaison, Department of the Air Force, Department of Defense, transmitting notification that Headquarters Air Mobility Command has conducted a Business Analysis to reduce the cost of the Andrews Air Force Base (AFB), Maryland, 89th Airlift Wing Aircraft Maintenance and Base Supply function, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 2461; to the Committee on Armed Services.

533. A letter from the Secretary of the Navy, Department of Defense, transmitting the Secretary's determination and findings that it is in the public interest to use other than competitive procedures for a particular procurement, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 2304(c)(7); to the Committee on Armed Services.

534. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting the approved retirement and advancement to the grade of general on the retired list of General Patrick K. Gamble, United States Air Force; to the Committee on Armed Services.

535. A letter from the Secretary, Department of the Treasury, transmitting a report entitled, "The Community Reinvestment Act After Financial Modernization: A Final Report" pursuant to section 715 of the GRAMM-Leach-Bliley Act; to the Committee on Financial Services.

536. A letter from the Associate General Counsel for Legislation and Regulations, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the Department's final rule—Determining Adjusted Income in HUD Programs Serving Persons With Disabilities: Requiring Mandatory Deductions For Certain Expenses; and Disallowance for Earned Income; Delay of Effective Date [Docket No. FR-4608-F-03] (RIN: 2501-AC72) received February 2, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

537. A letter from the Associate General Counsel for Legislation and Regulations, Department of Housing and Urban Develop-

ment, transmitting the Department's final rule—Revision to the Application Process for Community Development Block Grants for Indian Tribes and Alaska Native Villages; Delay of Effective Date [Docket No. FR-4612-F-03] (RIN: 2577-AC22) received February 2, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

538. A letter from the Associate General Counsel for Legislation and Regulations, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the Department's final rule—Discontinuation of the Section 221(d)(2) Mortgage Insurance Program; Delay of Effective Date [Docket No. FR-4588-F-03] (RIN: 2505-AH50) received February 2, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

539. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Changes in Flood Elevation Determinations [Docket No. FEMA-P-7600] received January 17, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

540. A letter from the Secretary of the Treasury and Chairman of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, transmitting a report on the feasibility and desirability of mandatory subordinated debt, pursuant to Section 108 of the GRAMM-Leach-Bliley Act, P.L. 106-102; to the Committee on Financial Services.

541. A letter from the Director, Office of Management and Budget, transmitting the pay-as-you-go report, as required by the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as amended; to the Committee on the Budget.

542. A letter from the Director, Office of Management and Budget, transmitting a report on the Cost Estimate For Pay-As-You-Go Calculations; to the Committee on the Budget.

543. A letter from the Acting Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's final rule—State Vocational Rehabilitation Services Program; Delay of Effective Date—received January 31, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

544. A letter from the Acting Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's final rule—State Vocational Rehabilitation Services Program; Delay of Effective Date—received January 31, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

545. A letter from the Acting Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's final rule—Assistance to States for the Education of Children With Disabilities; Delay of Effective Date—received January 31, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

546. A letter from the Acting Assistant General Counsel for Regulations, Office of Postsecondary Education, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's final rule—Developing Hispanic-Serving Institutions Program; Delay of Effective Date—received January 31, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

547. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Employment Standards, Department of Labor, transmitting a report entitled, "Minimum Wage and Overtime Hours Report"; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

548. A letter from the Acting Administrator, Energy Information Administration, Department of Energy, transmitting the Department's report entitled "Performance Profiles of Major Energy Producers 1999," pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 7267; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

549. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the annual financial report to Congress required by the Prescription Drug User Fee Act (PDUFA), as amended (section 104(b)), pursuant to 21 U.S.C. 379g nt; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

550. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting a report entitled, "Demonstration Projects to Study the Effect of Allowing States to Extend Medicaid to Pregnant Women and Children Not Otherwise Qualified to Receive Medicaid Benefits," pursuant to Public Law 101-239, section 6407(g)(2) (103 Stat. 2267); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

551. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Commerce, transmitting a report on the Anticybersquatting Consumer Protection Act of 1999, section 3006 concerning the abusive registration of domain names; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

552. A letter from the Chief Counsel, National Telecommunications and Information Administration, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule—Technology Opportunities Program [Docket No. 981203295-0355-05] (RIN: 0660-ZA06) received January 9, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

553. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulatory Law, Office of Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy, Department of Energy, transmitting the Department's final rule—Weatherization Assistance Program for Low-Income Persons (RIN: 1904-AB05) received December 18, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

554. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting a report entitled "Performance Improvement 2000: Evaluation Activities of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services"; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

555. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting a study concerning any safeguards needed to ensure that the health care of individuals with special health care needs and chronic conditions, enrolled with Medicaid managed care organizations are adequately met, pursuant to Section 4705(c)(2) of the Balanced Budget Act; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

556. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator, Office of Diversion Control, Drug Enforcement Administration, Department of Justice, transmitting the Department's final rule—Facsimile Transmission of Prescriptions for Patients Enrolled in Hospice Programs [DEA-190F] (RIN: 1117-AA54) received January 17, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

557. A letter from the Director, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting a report on Sensitive Subpopulations and Drinking Water Contaminants; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

558. A letter from the Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's report entitled, "Response to Section 6102(e) of the Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century"; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

559. A letter from the Associate Bureau Chief, Wireless Telecommunications Bureau,

Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Revision of the Commission's Rules to Ensure Compatibility with Enhanced 911 Emergency Calling Systems [CC Docket No. 94-102] received February 2, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

560. A letter from the Chief, Network Services Division, Common Carrier Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Numbering Resource Optimization [CC Docket No. 99-200] Petition for Declaratory Ruling and Request For Expedited Action on the July 15, 1997 Order of the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission Regarding Area Codes 412, 610, 215, and 717 [CC Docket No. 96-98] received February 2, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

561. A letter from the Special Assistant to the Bureau Chief, Mass Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Creation of Low Power Radio Service [MM Docket No. 99-25; RM-9208; RM-9242] received February 2, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

562. A letter from the Special Assistant to the Bureau Chief, Mass Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.622(b), Table of Allotments, Digital Television Broadcast Stations (Charlotte, North Carolina) [MM Docket No. 00-178; RM-9914] received February 2, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

563. A letter from the Deputy Chief, Network Services Division, Common Carrier Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—2000 Biennial Regulatory Review of Part 68 of the Commission's Rules and Regulations [CC Docket No. 99-216] received February 2, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

564. A letter from the Chairman, Nuclear Waste Technical Review Board, transmitting a report on the Board's technical and scientific review of the Department of Energy's program to characterize a site at Yucca Mountain, Nevada, for its suitability as the possible location of a repository; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

565. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting the final report on the national emergency declared by Executive Order 12924 of August 19, 1994, to deal with the threat to the national security, foreign policy, and economy of the United States caused by the lapse of the Export Administration Act of 1979, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1641(c); (H. Doc. No. 107-38); to the Committee on International Relations and ordered to be printed.

566. A letter from the Acting Director, Defense Security Cooperation Agency, transmitting a report containing an analysis and description of services performed by full-time USG employees during Fiscal Year 2000, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2765(a); to the Committee on International Relations.

567. A letter from the Under Secretary of Defense, Department of Defense, transmitting a copy of Transmittal No. 27-0 to certify the the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) among Canada, France, Germany, Italy, Norway, the United Kingdom and the United States for Coalition Surveillance and Reconnaissance (CSR), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2767(f); to the Committee on International Relations.

568. A letter from the Secretary of Defense, transmitting the FY 1999 Report on Accounting for United States Assistance under the Cooperative Threat Reduction (CTR) Pro-

gram, pursuant to 37 U.S.C. 403(b) nt; to the Committee on International Relations.

569. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of the State, transmitting the final report from the White House Conference on Culture and Diplomacy; to the Committee on International Relations.

570. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification that the Republic of Turkmenistan and the Republic of Tajikistan are committed to the courses of action described in Section 502 of the FREEDOM Support Act (Public Law 102-511); to the Committee on International Relations.

571. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendments to the International Traffic in Arms Regulation: Canadian Exemption—received January 30, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on International Relations.

572. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-396, "Seniors Protection Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

573. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-552, "Protections from Predatory Lending and Mortgage Foreclosure Improvement Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

574. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-501, "Tax Clarity Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

575. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-547, "Washington Convention Center Marketing Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

576. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-543, "New E-Conomy Transformation Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

577. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-559, "Child Support and Welfare Reform Compliance Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

578. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-518, "Closing of a Public Alley in Square 4335, S.O. 98-245 Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

579. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-469, "Board of Education Campaign Contribution Clarification Temporary Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

580. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-549, "Liquor Sales Temporary Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

581. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-558, "International Banking Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

582. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-468, "Equal Opportunity for Local, Small, or Disadvantaged Business Enterprises Temporary Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

583. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-482, "Bishop Samuel Kelsey Way Clarification Temporary Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

584. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-505, "Sales Tax Holiday Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

585. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-506, "Workers' Compensation Administrative Law Judges Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

586. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-507, "Make a Difference Temporary Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

587. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-508, "Uniform Unincorporated Nonprofit Association Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

588. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-510, "Banner Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

589. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-481, "Snow and Ice Control Program Temporary Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

590. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-470, "Moratorium on the Construction of Certain Telecommunications Towers Temporary Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

591. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-478, "Lovejoy School New Housing and Economic Development Temporary Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

592. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-477, "Funeral Services Temporary Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

593. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a

copy of D.C. ACT 13-479, "Health and Hospitals Public Benefit Corporation Temporary Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

594. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-511, "Estate Tax Technical Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

595. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-512, "Soil and Water Conservation Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

596. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-554, "Motor Vehicle Excessive Idling Exemption Temporary Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

597. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-544, "Information Technology Apprenticeship Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

598. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-545, "Street Festival One Day Public Space Rental Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

599. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-541, "Women's Health and Cancer Rights Federal Law Conformity Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

600. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-542, "Convention Center Authority Shaw Community Development Fund Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

601. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-551, "Uniform Per Student Funding Formula Temporary Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

602. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-550, "Off-Premises Wall Sign Moratorium Temporary Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

603. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-540, "Comprehensive Annual Financial Report Scheduling and Notice Requirement Act 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

604. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-539, "Interim Disability Assistance Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

605. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-514, "District of Colum-

bia Emancipation Day Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

606. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-487, "Gray Market Cigarette Prohibition Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

607. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-533, "Retirement Reform Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

608. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-486, "Emergency Medical Services Non-Resuscitation Procedures Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

609. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-538, "Election Day Challenge Procedures Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

610. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-509, "District of Columbia Municipal Regulations Publication Improvement Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

611. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-515, "Taxicab Drivers Protection Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

612. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-532, "Closing of Public Alleys in Square 236, S.O. 00-36 Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

613. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 13-466, "Insurance Demutualization Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

614. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-537, "Nonprofit Corporation Voting Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

615. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-536, "Administrative Procedure Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

616. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-522, "Mandatory Autopsy for Deceased Wards of the District of Columbia and Mandatory Unusual Incident Report Temporary Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

617. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-531, "Closing of O Street, N.E., S.O. 98-124, and Closing of Public Alleys in Square 670, S.O. 90-235, Act of

2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1—233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

618. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-530, "Wage-Hour Enforcement Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1—233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

619. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-520, "Disposal of District Owned Surplus Real Property Temporary Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1—233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

620. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-521, "Noise Control Temporary Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1—233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

621. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-519, "Gallery Place Economic Development Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1—233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

622. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-516, "Driving Under the Influence Repeat Offenders Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1—233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

623. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-504, "ANC Procurement Exclusion Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1—233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

624. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-502, "Service Improvement and Fiscal Year 2000 Budget Support Special Education Student Funding Increase Non-service Nonprofit Provider Clarifying and Technical Temporary Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1—233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

625. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-467, "Public Disclosure of Findings and Information in Cases of Child Fatality or Near Fatality Temporary Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1—233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

626. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-480, "Citizens with Mental Retardation Substituted Consent for Health Care Decisions Temporary Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1—233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

627. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-498, "Redevelopment Land Agency Disposition Review Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1—233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

628. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-517, "Mortgage Lender and Broker License Renewal Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1—233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

629. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a

copy of D.C. ACT 13-555, "Insurance Trade and Economic Development Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1—233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

630. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-513, "Government Employer-Assisted Housing Program Teacher, Police Officer, and Firefighter Hiring Incentive Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1—233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

631. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-557, "Prohibition on Abandoned Vehicles Amendment Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1—233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

632. A letter from the Comptroller General, General Accounting Office, transmitting a list of all reports issued by GAO during December 2000, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 719(h); to the Committee on Government Reform.

633. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 13-556, "Opportunity Accounts Act of 2000" received February 2, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1—233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

634. A letter from the Associate General Counsel for Legislation and Regulations, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the Department's final rule—Revision of Freedom of Information Act Regulations; Delay of Effective Date [Docket No. FR-4292-F-03] (RIN: 2501-AC51) received February 2, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

635. A letter from the Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting notification that the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) plans to submit an Annual Report for FY 2000 that consolidates a number of statutorily required financial and performance management reports; to the Committee on Government Reform.

636. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Election Commission, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the Committee on Government Reform.

637. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, transmitting an annual report on commercial activities inventory list; to the Committee on Government Reform.

638. A letter from the Director, Financial Management, General Accounting Office, transmitting the FY 2000 annual report of the Comptroller General's Retirement System, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 9503(a)(1)(B); to the Committee on Government Reform.

639. A letter from the Chairman, Merit Systems Protection Board, 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.

640. A letter from the Inspector General, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, transmitting a report on the list of commercial activities for 2000; to the Committee on Government Reform.

641. A letter from the Director, Office of Management and Budget, transmitting the FY 2000 Annual Performance Report; to the Committee on Government Reform.

642. A letter from the Director, Office of National Drug Control Policy, transmitting a report on the "FY 2000 Accounting of Drug Control Funds"; to the Committee on Government Reform.

643. A letter from the Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting the Office's final rule—Prevailing Rate Systems; Redefinition of the Los Angeles, CA, Appropriated Fund Wage Area (RIN: 3206-AJ23) received December 19, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

644. A letter from the Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting the Office's final rule—Prevailing Rate Systems; Abolishment of the St. Louis, MO, Special Wage Schedule for Printing Positions (RIN: 3206-AJ24) received December 19, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

645. A letter from the Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting the Office's final rule—Prevailing Rate Systems; Abolishment of the Philadelphia, PA, Special Wage Schedule for Printing Positions (RIN: 3206-AJ22) received December 19, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

646. A letter from the Acting Director, Peace Corps, transmitting the Strategic Plan under the Government Performance and Results Act for FY 2000-2005; to the Committee on Government Reform.

647. A letter from the Secretary, Department of the Interior, transmitting notification of the intention to accept a 360-acre land donation to be added to wilderness areas, pursuant to 16 U.S.C. 1135(a); to the Committee on Resources.

648. A letter from the Director, Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior, transmitting a report entitled, "Status and Trends of Wetlands in the United States 1986 to 1997"; to the Committee on Resources.

649. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Surface Mining, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—New Mexico Regulatory Program [NM-041-FOR] received January 17, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

650. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Commerce, transmitting the biennial report on the Coastal Zone Management Act (CZMA) of the Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management, National Ocean Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) for fiscal years 1998 and 1999; to the Committee on Resources.

651. A letter from the Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Prohibited Species Donation Program [Docket No. 000905252-0339-02; I.D. 080700D] (RIN: 0648-AN98) received December 19, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

652. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Pacific Cod by Catcher Processor Vessels Using Hook-and-line in the Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands [Docket No. 000211040-0040-01; I.D. 120800B] received December 19, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

653. A letter from the Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting a report on the Apportionment of Regional Fishery Management Council (RFMC) Membership in 2000, pursuant to section 302 (b)(2)(B) of the Magnuson-STEVENSON Fishery Conservation and Management Act; to the Committee on Resources.

654. A letter from the Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, transmitting a report entitled, "The Sexual Victimization of College Women," pursuant to Section 40506 of the Violent Crime Control and

Law Enforcement Act of 1994; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

655. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Department's final rule—VISAS: Reissuance of O and P Nonimmigrant Visas (RIN: 1400 AA-96) received January 30, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

656. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting a report entitled, "The Unfinished Work of Building One America"; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

657. A letter from the Deputy Secretary, Office of the General Counsel, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Adjustments to Civil Monetary Penalty Amounts [Release Nos. 33-7946; 34-43897; 1A-1921; IC-24846] received January 31, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

658. A letter from the Regulations Officer, FMCSA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Sanctions Against Motor Carriers, Brokers, and Freight Forwarders for Failure To Pay Civil Penalties [Docket No. FMCSA-00-7332] (RIN: 2126-AA54) received January 8, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

659. A letter from the Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's report entitled, "The Superfund Innovative Technology Evaluation Program: Annual Report to Congress FY 1999," pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 9604i(D); to the Committee on Science.

660. A letter from the Director, National Science Foundation, transmitting a report entitled, "Women, Minorities, and Persons With Disabilities in Science and Engineering: 2000," pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 1885d; to the Committee on Science.

661. A letter from the Deputy General Counsel, Small Business Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Small Business Investment Companies—received December 19, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Small Business.

662. A letter from the Secretary, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the United States Government Annual Report for the Fiscal Year ended September 30, 2000,

pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 331(c); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

663. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Comments on Research Credit Regulations [Notice 2001-19] received January 31, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

664. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Liabilities Assumed in Certain Corporate Transactions [TD 8924] (RIN: 1545-AY63) received January 8, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

665. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Guidance on Reporting of Deposit Interest Paid to Nonresident Aliens [REG-126100-00] (RIN: 1545-AY62) received January 16, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

666. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Notice to Interested Parties [REG-129608-00] (RIN: 1545-AY68) received January 16, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

667. A letter from the Chairman, International Trade Commission, transmitting a report on Investigation No. TA-204-3 entitled, "Lamb Meat: Monitoring Developments in the Domestic Industry" pursuant to section 204(a)(2) of the Trade Act of 1974; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

668. A letter from the Regulations Officer, Social Security Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Federal Old-Age, Survivors and Disability Insurance; Determining Disability and Blindness; Revision to Medical-Vocational Guidelines (RIN: 0960-AE42) received January 17, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

669. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Election Commission, transmitting a supplemental FY 2001 request for additional funds, pursuant to 2 U.S.C. 437d(d)(1); jointly to the Committees on House Administration and Appropriations.

670. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Second Edition of the Research and Development Plan, required by Section 5108 of the Transportation Equity Act for the Twenty-

First Century (PL 105-178); jointly to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure and Science.

671. A letter from the Assistant Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting a report entitled, "Action Plan for Reducing, Mitigating, and Controlling Hypoxia in the Northern Gulf of Mexico"; jointly to the Committees on Science, Resources, and Transportation and Infrastructure.

672. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting His report to increase investment in and access to assistive technologies and a quality education, and help integrate Americans with disabilities into the workforce and into community life; (H. Doc. No. 107-39); jointly to the Committees on Education and the Workforce, Financial Services, Ways and Means, Energy and Commerce, Transportation and Infrastructure, the Judiciary, and House Administration and ordered to be printed.

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:

[Omitted from the Record of January 30, 2001]

By Mr. BILIRAKIS (for himself, Mr. CONDIT, Mr. SHOWS, and Mr. KOLBE):

H.R. 303. A bill to amend title 10, United States code, to permit retired members of the Armed Forces who have a service-connected disability to receive both military retired pay by reason of their years of military service and disability compensation from the Department of Veterans Affairs for their disability; to the Committee on Armed Services, and in addition to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, 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. TANCREDO (for himself, Mr. CANTOR, and Mr. BAKER):

H.R. 316. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a refundable credit for education expenses of children receiving or eligible to receive free or reduced price school meals; to the Committee on Ways and Means.