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AFTER RECESS

The recess having expired, the House was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. HYDE) at 10 o'clock and 15 minutes a.m.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to House Resolution 10, the Members of the House will now proceed to the west front to attend the inaugural ceremonies for the President and Vice President of the United States.

Upon completion of the ceremony, pursuant to House Resolution 10, the House will stand adjourned. Pursuant to House Concurrent Resolution 1, that adjournment will be until 2 p.m. on Tuesday, January 30, 2001.

Thereupon, at 10 o'clock and 17 minutes a.m., the Members of the House, preceded by the Sergeant at Arms and the Speaker pro tempore, proceeded to the west front of the Capitol.

CORRECTED PROCEEDINGS OF THE JOINT SESSION OF SATURDAY, JANUARY 6, 2001 AT PAGE H44

A notation concerning the District of Columbia was inadvertently omitted from the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD of Saturday, January 6, 2001.

The VICE PRESIDENT. Gentlemen and gentlewomen of the Congress, the certificates of all the States have now been opened and read, and the tellers will make final ascertainment of the result and deliver the same to the President of the Senate.

The tellers delivered to the President of the Senate the following statement of results:

JOINT SESSION OF CONGRESS FOR THE COUNTING OF THE ELECTORAL VOTES FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES: OFFICIAL TALLY, JANUARY 6, 2001

The undersigned, CHRISTOPHER J. DODD and MITCH MCCONNELL, tellers on the part of the Senate, WILLIAM M. THOMAS and CHAKA FATTAH, tellers on the part of the House of Representatives, report the following as the result of the ascertainment and counting of the electoral vote for President and Vice President of the United States for the term beginning on the twentieth day of January, two thousand and one.

Electoral Votes of Each State	For President		For Vice President	
	George W. Bush	Al Gore	Dick Cheney	Joe Lieberman
Alabama—9	9	.....	9	.....
Alaska—3	3	.....	3	.....
Arizona—8	8	.....	8	.....
Arkansas—6	6	.....	6	.....
California—54	.....	54	.....	54
Colorado—8	8	.....	8	.....
Connecticut—8	.....	8	.....	8
Delaware—3	.....	3	.....	3
District of Columbia—3	.....	2	.....	2
Florida—25	25	.....	25	.....
Georgia—13	13	.....	13	.....
Hawaii—4	.....	4	.....	4
Idaho—4	4	.....	4	.....
Illinois—22	.....	22	.....	22
Indiana—12	12	.....	12	.....
Iowa—7	.....	7	.....	7

Electoral Votes of Each State	For President		For Vice President	
	George W. Bush	Al Gore	Dick Cheney	Joe Lieberman
Kansas—6	6	.....	6	.....
Kentucky—8	8	.....	8	.....
Louisiana—9	9	.....	9	.....
Maine—4	.....	4	.....	4
Maryland—10	.....	10	.....	10
Massachusetts—12	.....	12	.....	12
Michigan—18	.....	18	.....	18
Minnesota—10	.....	10	.....	10
Mississippi—7	7	.....	7	.....
Missouri—11	11	.....	11	.....
Montana—3	3	.....	3	.....
Nebraska—5	5	.....	5	.....
Nevada—4	4	.....	4	.....
New Hampshire—4	4	.....	4	.....
New Jersey—15	.....	15	.....	15
New Mexico—5	.....	5	.....	5
New York—33	.....	33	.....	33
North Carolina—14	14	.....	14	.....
North Dakota—3	3	.....	3	.....
Ohio—21	21	.....	21	.....
Oklahoma—8	8	.....	8	.....
Oregon—7	.....	7	.....	7
Pennsylvania—23	.....	23	.....	23
Rhode Island—4	.....	4	.....	4
South Carolina—8	8	.....	8	.....
South Dakota—3	3	.....	3	.....
Tennessee—11	11	.....	11	.....
Texas—32	32	.....	32	.....
Utah—5	5	.....	5	.....
Vermont—3	.....	3	.....	3
Virginia—13	13	.....	13	.....
Washington—11	.....	11	.....	11
West Virginia—5	5	.....	5	.....
Wisconsin—11	.....	11	.....	11
Wyoming—3	3	.....	3	.....
Total—538	271	266	271	266

Note: One elector from the District of Columbia cast 2 blank ballots.

CHRISTOPHER J. DODD,

MITCH MCCONNELL,

Tellers on the part of the Senate.

WILLIAM M. THOMAS,

CHAKA FATTAH,

Tellers on the part of the House of Representatives.

The VICE PRESIDENT. The state of the vote for President of the United States, as delivered to the President of the Senate, is as follows:

The whole number of electors appointed to vote for President of the United States is 538, of which a majority is 270.

George W. Bush, of the State of Texas, has received for President of the United States 271 votes.

AL GORE, of the State of Tennessee, has received 266 votes.

The state of the vote for Vice President of the United States, as delivered to the President of the Senate, is as follows:

The whole number of the electors appointed to vote for Vice President of the United States is 538, of which a majority is 270.

DICK CHENEY, of the State of Wyoming, has received for Vice President of the United States 271 votes.

JOE LIEBERMAN, of the State of Connecticut, has received 266 votes.

This announcement on the state of the vote by the President of the Senate shall be deemed a sufficient declaration of the persons elected President and Vice President of the United States, each for the term beginning on the 20th of January 2001, and shall be entered, together with a list of the votes, on the Journals of the Senate and the House of Representatives.

ADJOURNMENT

At the conclusion of the inaugural ceremonies (at 12 o'clock and 25 minutes p.m.), the House, without returning to its Chamber, pursuant to House Resolution 10, stood adjourned, and pursuant to House Concurrent Resolution 1, until Tuesday, January 30, 2001, at 2 p.m.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

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

89. A letter from the Acting Executive Director, Commodity Futures Trading Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Extension of Time To File Annual Reports for Commodity Pools—received December 28, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

90. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Animal Welfare; Marine Mammals [Docket No. 93-076-15] (RIN: 0579-AA59) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

91. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Animal Welfare; Confiscation of Animals [Docket No. 98-065-2] received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

92. A letter from the Administrator, Farm Service Agency, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Implementation of Low-Documentation Direct Operating Loan (Lo-Doc) Regulations (RIN: 0560-AF71) received January 3, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

93. A letter from the Associate Chief for Natural Resources, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Special Areas: Roadless Area Conservation (RIN: 0596-AB77) received January 17, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

94. A letter from the Under Secretary, Food, Nutrition and Consumer Services, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Food Stamp Program: Personal Responsibility Provisions of the Personal Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996 (RIN: 0584-AC39) received January 17, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

95. A letter from the Chief, Forest Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—National Forest System Land and Resource Management Planning; Review of Decisions to Amend or Revise Plans—received January 4, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

96. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—West Indian Fruit Fly [Docket No. 00-110-1] received January 17, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

97. A letter from the Administrator, Rural Utilities Services, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final

rule—Policy on Audits of RUS Borrowers; Generally Accepted Government Auditing Standards (GAGAS) (RIN: 0572-AB62) received January 17, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

98. A letter from the Administrator, Price Support Division, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Farm Storage Facility Loan Program (RIN: 0560-AG00) received January 17, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

99. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Tebufenozide; Pesticide Tolerances for Emergency Exemptions [OPP-301091; FRL-6760-3] (RIN: 2070-AB78) received January 4, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

100. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Methyl Parathion; Notice of Pesticide Tolerance Revocations [OPP-301076; FRL-6752-6] (RIN: 2070-AB78) received January 3, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

101. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Cyprodinil; Extension of Tolerance for Emergency Exemptions [OPP-301089; FRL-6756-4] (RIN: 2070-AB78) received December 28, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

102. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Desmedipham; Extension of Tolerances for Emergency Exemption [OPP-301090; FRL-6756-5] (RIN: 2070-AB78) received December 28, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

103. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Fludioxonil; Pesticide Tolerance [OPP-301093; FRL-6760-9] (RIN: 2070-AB78) received December 28, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

104. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Thiamethoxam; Pesticide Tolerance [OPP-301087; FRL-6758-1] (RIN: 2070-AB78) received December 18, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

105. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Clomazone; Pesticide Tolerance [OPP-301095; FRL-6761-7] (RIN: 2070-AB78) received December 18, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

106. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Avermectin B1; Pesticide Tolerance [OPP-301082; FRL-6755-9] (RIN: 2070-78AB) received December 18, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

107. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Avermectin; Extension of Tolerance for Emergency Exemptions [OPP-301092; FRL-6760-7] (RIN: 2070-AB78) received December 18, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

108. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting His report

on two deferrals of budgetary resources affecting the Department of State and International Security Assistance, pursuant to 2 U.S.C. 684(a); (H. Doc. No. 107-4); to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

109. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting a report on the retirement of Lieutenant General Thomas N. Burnette, Jr., United States Army, and his advancement to the grade of lieutenant general on the retirement list; to the Committee on Armed Services.

110. A letter from the Assistant to the Board, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, transmitting the Board's final rule—Interagency Guidelines Establishing Standards for Safeguarding Customer Information and Rescission of Year 2000 Standards for Safety and Soundness [Docket No. R-1073] received January 12, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

111. A letter from the Assistant to the Board, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, transmitting the Board's final rule—Home Mortgage Disclosure [Regulation C; Docket No. R-1093] received December 28, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

112. A letter from the Assistant to the Board, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, transmitting the Board's final rule—Bank Holding Companies and Change in Bank Control [Regulation Y; Docket No. R-1078] received December 21, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

113. A letter from the Assistant to the Board, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, transmitting the Board's final rule—Bank Holding Companies and Change in Bank Control [Regulation Y; Docket No. R-1065] received January 16, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

114. A letter from the Assistant to the Board, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, transmitting the Board's final rule—Bank Holding Companies and Change in Bank Control [Regulation Y; Docket Nos. R-1057 and R-1062] received December 28, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

115. A letter from the Assistant to the Board, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, transmitting the Board's final rule—Disclosure and Reporting of CRA-Related Agreements [Regulation G; Docket No. R-1069] received December 28, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

116. A letter from the Senior Banking Counsel, Office of the General Counsel, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule—Bank Holding Companies and Change in Bank Control (RIN: 1505-AA85) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

117. A letter from the Federal Register Liaison Officer, Office of Thrift Supervision, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule—Disclosure and Reporting of CRA-Related Agreements [Docket No. 2000-107] (RIN: 1550-AB32) received January 2, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

118. A letter from the Federal Register Liaison Officer, Office of Thrift Supervision, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule—Interagency Guidelines Establishing Standards for Safeguarding Customer Information and Rescission of Year 2000 Standards for Safety and Soundness [Docket No. 2000-112] (RIN: 1550-AB36) received January 2, 2001, pursuant to 5

U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

119. A letter from the Senior Banking Counsel, Office of General Counsel, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule—Bank Holding Companies and Change in Bank Control (RIN: 1505-AA78) received January 17, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

120. A letter from the Associate General Counsel for Legislation and Regulations, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the Department's final rule—50th Percentile and 40th Percentile Fair Market Rents for Fiscal Year 2001 [Docket No. FR-4589-N-04] received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

121. A letter from the President and Chairman, Export-Import Bank, transmitting a report on a transaction involving U.S. exports to South Africa pursuant to Section 2(b)(3) of the Export-Import Bank Act of 1945, as amended; to the Committee on Financial Services.

122. A letter from the Director, Office of Legislative Affairs, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, transmitting the Corporation's final rule—Removal of Asset and Liability Backup Program—received January 2, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

123. A letter from the Director, Office of Legislative Affairs, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, transmitting the Corporation's final rule—Activities and Investments of Insured State Banks (RIN: 3064-AC38) received January 9, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

124. A letter from the Director, Office of Management and Budget, transmitting appropriations reports, as required by the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as amended; to the Committee on the Budget.

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

126. 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 (WIC): Food Delivery Systems (RIN: 0584-AA80) received January 10, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

127. A letter from the Acting Assistant General Counsel, Special Education and Rehabilitative Services, Department of Education, transmitting the Department's final rule—Assistance to States for the Education of Children with Disabilities (RIN: 1820-AB51) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

128. 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—received January 8, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

129. 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—National Institute on Disability and Rehabilitation Research—received January 12, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

130. A letter from the Office of Enforcement Policy, Government Contracts Team,

Wage and Hour Division, Department of Labor, transmitting the Department's final rule—Labor Standards Provisions Applicable to Contracts Covering Federally Financed and Assisted Construction (Also Labor Standards Provisions Applicable to Non-construction Contracts Subject to the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act) (RIN: 1215-AB21) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

131. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Pension and Welfare Benefits Administration, Department of Labor, transmitting the Department's final rule—National Medical Support Notice (RIN: 1210-AA72) received January 2, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

132. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Labor, transmitting a report on the Department of Labor's Advisory Council for Employee Welfare and Pension Benefit Plans; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

133. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, Office of Small Business and Civil Rights, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Sex in Education Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Financial Assistance (RIN: 3150-AG68) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

134. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel for Regulatory Law, Office of Procurement and Assistance Policy, Department of Energy, transmitting the Department's final rule—Department of Energy Acquisition Regulation; Rewrite of Regulations Governing Management and Operating Contracts (RIN: 1991-AB46; 1991-AB49) received January 2, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

135. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Transportation, transmitting an annual report on progress in conducting environmental remedial action at Federally owned or operated facilities, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 9620; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

136. A letter from the Trial Attorney, NHTSA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Motor Vehicle Safety; Reporting the Sale or Lease of Defective or Non-Compliant Tires [Docket No. NHTSA-2000-8509] (RIN: 2127-AI23) received January 12, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

137. A letter from the Trial Attorney, NHTSA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Motor Vehicle Safety: Criminal Penalty Safe Harbor Provision [Docket No. NHTSA-2000-8510] (RIN: 2127-AI24) received January 12, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

138. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Outer Continental Shelf Air Regulations Consistency Update for Alaska [Alaska 001; FRL-6919-3] received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

139. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; New Hampshire; Vehicle Inspection and Maintenance Program; Restructuring OTR Requirements [NH036-7136A; A-1-FRL-6928-7] received January 4, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

140. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection

Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Maryland; Nitrogen Oxides Reduction and Trading Program [MD104-3060; FRL-6920-9] received January 4, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

141. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Maine; Vehicle Inspection and Maintenance Program; Restructuring OTR Requirements [ME059-7008A; A-1-FRL-6928-6] received January 4, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

142. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Acid Rain Program—Permits Rule Revision, Industrial Utility-Units Exemption [FRL-6930-9] received January 4, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

143. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Protection of Stratospheric Ozone: Allocation of Essential Use Allowances for Calendar Year 2001: Allocation for Metered Dose Inhalers and the Space Shuttle and Titan Rockets [FRL-6929-6] (RIN: 2060-AJ33) received January 3, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

144. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants from Off-Site Waste and Recovery Operations [AD-FRL-6928-2] (RIN: 2060-AH96) received January 3, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

145. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Environmental Program Grants for Tribes [FRL-6929-5] (RIN: 2030-AA56) received January 3, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

146. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Environmental Program Grants—State, Interstate, and Local Government Agencies [FRL-6929-4] (RIN: 2030-AA55) received January 3, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

147. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Lead; Identification of Dangerous Levels of Lead [OPPTS-62156H; FRL-6763-5] (RIN: 2070-AC63) received January 3, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

148. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Finding of Failure to Submit a Required State Implementation Plan for Particulate Matter, Nevada-Clark County [NV033-FON; FRL-6929-1] received January 3, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

149. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Virginia; Approval of VOC and NOx RACT Determinations [VA 5056; FRL-6922-6] received December 28, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

150. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Oklahoma: Final Authorization of State Hazardous Waste Management Program Revisions [FRL-6923-6] received December 28, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

151. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Louisiana: Final Authorization of State Hazardous Waste Management Program Revisions [FRL-6923-5] received December 28, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

152. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Indiana: Final Authorization of State Hazardous Waste Management Program Revision [FRL-6925-1] received December 28, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

153. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants for Chemical Recovery Combustion Sources at Kraft, Soda, Sulfite, and Stand-Alone Semichemical Pulp Mills [FRL-6919-9] (RIN: 2060-AI34) received December 18, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

154. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Revisions to the Arizona State Implementation Plan, Pinal County Air Quality Control District [AZ063-0034; FRL-6916-4] received December 18, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

155. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Clean Air Act Full Approval of Operating Permit Program; State of Montana [MT-001a; FRL-6920-4] received December 18, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

156. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; District of Columbia; Nitrogen Oxides Budget Program [DC048-2023; FRL-6921-1] received December 18, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

157. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; District of Columbia; Reasonably Available Control Technology for Oxides of Nitrogen [DC047-2024; FRL-6921-3] received December 18, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

158. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Deferral of Phase IV Standards for PCB's as a Constituent Subject to Treatment in Soil [FRL-6921-5] (RIN: 2050-AE76) received December 19, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

159. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Significant New Uses of Certain Chemical Substances [OPPTS-50638; FRL-6592-8] (RIN: 2070-AB27) received December 19, 2000,

pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

160. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Lead and Lead Compounds; Lowering of Reporting Thresholds; Community Right-to-Know Toxic Chemical Release Reporting [OPPTS-400140D; FRL-6722-4] (RIN: 2070-AD38) received January 9, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

161. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval of the Clean Air Act, Section 112(i), Authority for Hazardous Air Pollutants; Perchloroethylene Air Emission Standards for Dry Cleaning Facilities; State of Washington; Puget Sound Clean Air Agency [FRL-6882-2] received January 17, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

162. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—National Primary Drinking Water Regulations; Arsenic and Clarifications to Compliance and New Source Contaminants Monitoring [WH-FRL-6934-9] (RIN: 2040-AB75) received January 17, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

163. 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 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations (Dayton, Incline Village and Reno, Nevada) [MM Docket No. 99-229; RM-9479] received December 18, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

164. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Requirements for Certain Generally Licensed Industrial Devices Containing Byproduct Material (RIN: 3150-AG03) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

165. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, Office of Enforcement, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Base Civil Penalties for Loss, Abandonment, or Improper Transfer or Disposal of Sources; Policy Statement—received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

166. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting a 6-month periodic report on the national emergency with respect to the Taliban in Afghanistan that was declared in Executive Order 13129 of July 4, 1999, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1703(c); (H. Doc. No. 107-16); to the Committee on International Relations and ordered to be printed.

167. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting a 6-month periodic report on the national emergency with respect to the risk of nuclear proliferation created by the accumulation of weapons-usable fissile material in the territory of the Russian Federation that was declared in Executive Order 13159 of June 21, 2000, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1703(c); (H. Doc. No. 107-19); to the Committee on International Relations and ordered to be printed.

168. A letter from the Director, International Cooperation, Department of Defense, transmitting a copy of Transmittal No. 24-00 which constitutes a Request for Final Approval for the Memorandum of Agreement between the U.S. and the United Kingdom, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2767(f); to the Committee on International Relations.

169. A letter from the Director, International Cooperation, Department of Defense, transmitting a copy of Transmittal No. 28-00 informing of a planned signature of the Memorandum of Understanding between Canada and the U.S. concerning the North American Technology and Industrial Base Activities, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2767(f); to the Committee on International Relations.

170. A letter from the Director, International Cooperation, Department of Defense, transmitting a copy of Transmittal No. 22-00 regarding project certification for the agreement between the Department of Defense of the United States of America and the Ministry of Defense of the State of Israel for the Arrow System Improvement program agreement, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2767(f); to the Committee on International Relations.

171. A letter from the Director, International Cooperation, Department of Defense, transmitting a copy of Transmittal No. 23-00 regarding project certification for the fourth amendment to the agreement between the Department of Defense of the United States of America and the Ministry of Defense of Israel for the Arrow Deployability Program (ADP), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2767(f); to the Committee on International Relations.

172. A letter from the Assistant Legal Adviser for Treaty Affairs, Department of State, transmitting Copies of international agreements, other than treaties, entered into by the United States, pursuant to 1 U.S.C. 112(b); to the Committee on International Relations.

173. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting His report to terminate the suspension on the obligation of funds for any new activities of the Trade and Development Agency with respect to the People's Republic of China; (H. Doc. No. 107-21); to the Committee on International Relations and ordered to be printed.

174. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting His certification that the export to the People's Republic of China of a beam centerline (linear accelerator), in accordance with the provisions of section 1512 of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1999; (H. Doc. No. 107-22); to the Committee on International Relations and ordered to be printed.

175. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting His report issuing a new Executive Order to lift, with respect to future transactions, the economic sanctions imposed pursuant to Executive Order 13088 and expanded by Executive Order 13121; (H. Doc. No. 107-23); to the Committee on International Relations and ordered to be printed.

176. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting His report issuing an Executive Order that prohibits the importation of rough diamonds from Sierra Leone; (H. Doc. No. 107-24); to the Committee on International Relations and ordered to be printed.

177. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting His report on the status of efforts to obtain Iraq's compliance with the resolutions adopted by the United Nations Security Council; (H. Doc. No. 107-25); to the Committee on International Relations and ordered to be printed.

178. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting His 6-month periodic report on the national emergency with respect to Burma that was declared in Executive Order 13047 of May 20, 1997; (H. Doc. No. 107-26); to the Committee on International Relations and ordered to be printed.

179. A letter from the Director, International Cooperation, Department of Defense, transmitting a copy of Transmittal

No. 01-01 regarding project certification for project arrangement concerning development of an electro-optical sensor component of an infrared search and track (IRST) system and launcher location simulation to the U.S.-Israel technology research and development projects agreement between the U.S. Department of Defense and the Israeli Ministry of Defense, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on International Relations.

180. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a certification pursuant to Section 578 of Foreign Operations, Export Financing and Related Programs Appropriations Act; to the Committee on International Relations.

181. A letter from the Acting Chief Counsel, Office of Foreign Assets Control, Department of Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule—HEU Agreement Assets Control Regulations—received January 8, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on International Relations.

182. A letter from the Acting Chief Counsel, Office of Foreign Assets Control, Department of Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule—Reporting and Procedures Regulations; Sudanese Sanctions Regulations; Taliban (Afghanistan) Sanctions Regulations—received January 8, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on International Relations.

183. A letter from the Executive Director, Committee For Purchase From People Who Are Blind Or Severely Disabled, transmitting the Committee's final rule—Additions to and Deletion from the Procurement list—received January 2, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

184. A letter from the Director, Office of Personnel Policy, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule—Federal Benefit Payments Under Certain District of Columbia Retirement Plans—received December 22, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

185. A letter from the Director, Office of Personnel Policy, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule—Federal Benefit Payments Under Certain District of Columbia Retirement Plans—received December 28, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

186. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Congressional and Intergovernmental Affairs, Department of Energy, transmitting a report on the Strategic Plan entitled, "Strength Through Science Powering the 21st Century"; to the Committee on Government Reform.

187. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting a report on the Federal Activities Inventory Reform Act Inventory; to the Committee on Government Reform.

188. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Transportation, transmitting the FY 2000 report pursuant to the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the Committee on Government Reform.

189. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Acquisition Regulation [FRL-6920-7] received December 18, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

190. A letter from the General Counsel, National Credit Union Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—The Production of Nonpublic Records and Testimony of NCUA Employees in Legal Proceedings and the Privacy Act—received December 21, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C.

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

191. A letter from the Office of Independent Counsel, transmitting a Consolidated Annual Report on Audit and Investigative Activities and Management Control Systems; to the Committee on Government Reform.

192. A letter from the Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting the FY 2000 report pursuant to the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the Committee on Government Reform.

193. A letter from the Deputy Special Counsel, Planning and Advice Division, Office of Special Counsel, transmitting the Counsel's final rule—Technical Amendments to 5 CFR Parts 1800, 1820, 1830, and 1850—received January 2, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

194. A letter from the Regulations Officer, Social Security Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Testimony By Employees and the Production of Records and Information in Legal Proceedings (RIN: 0960-AE95) received January 8, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

195. A letter from the President, United States Institute of Peace, transmitting a report in compliance with the Inspector General Act and the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the Committee on Government Reform.

196. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Election Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—General Public Political Communications Coordinated with Candidates and Parties; Independent Expenditures [Notice 2000-21] received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on House Administration.

197. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting an Agreement between the United States of America and the Government of the Republic of Estonia extending the Agreement of June 1, 1992, Concerning Fisheries Off the Coasts of the United States, with annex, as extended (the 1992 Agreement). The present Agreement, which was effected by an exchange of notes at Tallinn on September 7 and September 12, 2000, extends the 1992 Agreement to June 30, 2003, pursuant to 16 U.S.C. 1823(a); (H. Doc. No. 107-18); to the Committee on Resources and ordered to be printed.

198. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Land and Minerals Management, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Oil and Gas Leasing: Onshore Oil and Gas Operations [WO-310-1310-01-24 1A-PB] (RIN: 1004-AC54) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

199. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Fish, Wildlife and Parks, Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Boating Infrastructure Grant Program (RIN: 1018-AF38) received January 17, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

200. A letter from the Regulatory Analyst, Executive Secretariat, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Trust Management Reform: Leasing/Permitting, Grazing, Probate and Funds Held in Trust (RIN: 1076-AE00) received January 12, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

201. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Fish, Wildlife and Parks, Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and

Plants; Final Determination of Critical Habitat for the Spectacled Eider (RIN: 1018-AF92) received January 16, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

202. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Secretary for Fish, Wildlife and Parks, Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Final Determination of Critical Habitat for the Alaska-Breeding Population of the Steller's Eider (RIN: 1018-AF95) received January 16, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

203. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Acquisition of Title to Land in Trust (RIN: 1076-AD90) received January 9, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

204. A letter from the Chief, Division of Management Authority, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Import of Polar Bear Trophies from Canada: Change in the Finding for the M'Clintock Channel Population and Revision of Regulations in 50 CFR 18.30 (RIN: 1018-AH72) received January 8, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

205. A letter from the Acting Secretary, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Loan Guaranty, Insurance, and Interest Subsidy (RIN: 1076-AD73) received January 12, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

206. 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; Removal of Groundfish Closure [Docket No. 001213348-0366-02; I.D. 121100A] (RIN: 0648-AO44) received January 2, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

207. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Fisheries off West Coast States and in the Western Pacific; Coastal Pelagic Species Fisheries; Annual Specifications [Docket No. 001213558-0358-01; 113000A] (RIN: 0648-AN78) received January 9, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

208. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Magnuson-Stevens Act Provisions; Fisheries off West Coast States and in the Western Pacific; Pacific Coast Groundfish Fishery; Annual Specifications and Management Measures [Docket No. 001226367-0367-01; I.D. 121500E] (RIN: 0648-AN82) received January 12, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

209. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, NMFS, 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; Amendment 12 [Docket No. 000927275-0347-02; I.D. 082800F] (RIN: 0648-AO31) received January 17, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

210. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Removal of Groundfish Closure

[Docket No. 001213348-0348-01; I.D. 121100A] (RIN: 0648-AO44) received December 22, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

211. A letter from the Director, Policy Directives and Instructions Branch, Immigration and Naturalization Service, Department of Justice, transmitting the Department's final rule—Detention of Aliens Ordered Removed [INS No. 2029-00; AG Order No. 2349-2000] (RIN: 1115-AF82) received December 22, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

212. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Department's final rule—Visas: Aliens ineligible to transit without visas (TWOV) (RIN: 1400-AA48) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

213. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Department's final rule—Documentation Of Immigrants and Non-immigrants Under The Immigration And Nationality Act, As Amended—Refusal Of Individual Visas—received December 28, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

214. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Department's final rule—Visas: Documentation of Immigrants—International Broadcasters—received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

215. A letter from the Clerk, United States Court of Federal Claims, transmitting the court's report for the year ended September 30, 2000, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. 791(c); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

216. A letter from the Administrator, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting Progress of the aircraft cabin air quality research program, pursuant to 49 U.S.C. 40101nt; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

217. A letter from the Assistant Secretary of the Army, Civil Works, Department of Defense, transmitting a report on the Oakwood Beach, New Jersey Feasibility Study; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

218. A letter from the Chief, Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operation Regulations; Memorial Bridge, across the Intracoastal Waterway, mile 830.6, Volusia County, Daytona Beach, FL [CGD07-00-135] received January 12, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

219. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Raytheon Aircraft Company Beech Model 58 Airplanes [Docket No. 2000-CE-42-AD; Amendment 39-11965; AD 2000-22-18] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

220. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 30220; Amdt. No. 2027] received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

221. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 30219;

Amdt. No. 2026] received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

222. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 30218; Amdt. No. 2025] received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

223. A letter from the Chairman, Surface Transportation Board, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Regulations Governing Fees For Services Performed in Connection With Licensing and Related Services—2000 Update received January 2, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

224. A letter from the Chief, Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Safety Zones, Security Zones, Drawbridges and Special Local Regulations [USCG-2000-7757] received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

225. A letter from the Regulations Officer, FHA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—National Standards for Traffic Control Devices; Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices for Streets and Highways [FHWA Docket Nos. 97-2295 (Formerly 96-47), 97-3032, 98-3644, 98-4720, 99-5704, 99-6298, 99-6575, and 99-6576] (RIN: 2125-AE11, AE25, AE38, AE50, AE58, AE66, AE71 and AE72) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

226. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment of Class E5 Airspace; Columbus, GA [Airspace Docket No. 00-ASO-42] received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

227. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of VOR Federal Airway; AK [Airspace Docket No. 00-AAL-02] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

228. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of Restricted Area, ID [Airspace Docket No. 99-ANM-16] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

229. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Dexter, MO; Correction [Airspace Docket No. 00-ACE-31] received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

230. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace; Moberly, MO [Airspace Docket No. 00-ACE-30] received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

231. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Revision of Class E Airspace, Fayetteville, AR

[Airspace Docket No. 2000-ASW-17] received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

232. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Alteration of VOR Federal Airway; CO [Airspace Docket No. 99-ANM-14] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

233. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment of Class D and Class E5 Airspace; Vero Beach, FL [Airspace Docket No. 00-ASO-43] received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

234. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; McDonnell Douglas Model DC-9-82 (MD-82) and DC-9-83 (MD-83) Series Airplanes, and Model MD-88 Airplanes [Docket No. 2000-NM-356-AD; Amendment 39-12004; AD 2000-23-31] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

235. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Empresa Brasileira de Aeronautica S.A. (EMBRAER) Model EMB-120 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 2000-NM-131-AD; Amendment 39-12003; AD 2000-23-30] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

236. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 777 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 99-NM-163-AD; Amendment 39-12001; AD 2000-23-28] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

237. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Saab Model SAAB SF340A and SAAB 340B Series Airplanes [Docket No. 2000-NM-76-AD; Amendment 39-11992; AD 2000-23-19] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

238. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Empresa Brasileira de Aeronautica S.A. (EMBRAER) Model EMB-135 and EMB-145 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 2000-NM-384-AD; Amendment 39-12039; AD 2000-25-05] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

239. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; British Aerospace (Jetstream) Model 4101 Airplanes [Docket No. 2000-NM-152-AD; Amendment 39-11963; AD 2000-22-16] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

240. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 767 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 99-NM-374-AD; Amendment 39-11957; AD 2000-22-11] (RIN:

2120-AA64) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

241. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Teledyne Continental Motors IO-360, TSIO-360, LTSIO-360, O-470, IO-470, TSIO-470, IO-520, TSIO-520, LTSIO-520, IO-550, TSIO-550, and TSIO-550 Series Reciprocating Engines [Docket No. 2000-NE-16-AD; Amendment 39-11994; AD 2000-23-21] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

242. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; McDonnell Douglas Model MD-11 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 2000-NM-28-AD; Amendment 39-12016; AD 2000-24-09] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

243. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Raytheon (Beech) Model MU-300, MU-300-10, 400, 400A, and 400T Series Airplanes [Docket No. 2000-NM-60-AD; Amendment 39-12038; AD 2000-25-04] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

244. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Rolls-Royce plc RB211 Trent 768-60, Trent 772-60, and Trent 772B-60 Series Turbofan Engines [Docket No. 2000-NE-37-AD; Amendment 39-12031; AD 2000-24-24] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

245. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Rolls-Royce plc RB211 Trent 800 Series Turbofan Engines [Docket No. 98-ANE-33-AD; Amendment 39-12033; AD 2000-24-26] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

246. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Model HH-1K, TH-1F, TH-1L, UH-1A, UH-1B, UH-1E, UH-1F, UH-1H, UH-1L, and UH-1P; and Southwest Florida Aviation SW204, SW204HP, SW205, and SW205A-1 Helicopters Manufactured by Bell Helicopter Textron Inc. for the Armed Forces of the United States [Docket No. 2000-SW-42-AD; Amendment 39-12034; AD 2000-22-51] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

247. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 737-100, -200, and -200C Series Airplanes [Docket No. 2000-NM-365-AD; Amendment 39-12041; AD 2000-25-07] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

248. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 747 Series Airplanes Powered By Pratt & Whitney JT9D-3 and -7 Series Engines [Docket No.

2000-NM-329-AD; Amendment 39-11988; AD 2000-23-16] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

249. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Emergency Locator Transmitters [Docket No. FAA-2000-8552; Amendment No. 91-265] (RIN: 2120-AH16) received December 22, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

250. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Service Difficulty Reports [Docket No. FAA-2000-7952; Amendment Nos. 121-279, 125-35, 135-77, and 145-23] (RIN: 2120-AF71) received December 22, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

251. A letter from the Chief, Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Special Local Regulations: Fireworks Display, SMITH Bay, Saint THOMAS, USVI [CGD07 00-131] (RIN: 2115-AE46) received December 22, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

252. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 747-100, 747-200, 747-300, 747SP, and 747SR Series Airplanes Powered by Pratt & Whitney JT9D-3 and JT9D-7 Series Engines [Docket No. 2000-NM-353-AD; Amendment 39-11988; AD 2000-23-25] received December 18, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

253. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Siam Hiller Holdings, Inc. Model UH-12, UH-12A, UH-12B, UH-12C, UH-12D, UH-12E, UH-12E-L, UH-12L, and UH-12L4 Helicopters [Docket No. 2000-SW-27-AD; Amendment 39-12028; AD 2000-24-21] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received January 8, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

254. A letter from the Trial Attorney, Federal Railroad Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Brake System Safety Standards for Freight and Other Non-Passenger Trains and Equipment; End-of-Train Devices [FRA Docket No. PB-9; Notice No. 17] (RIN: 2130-AB16) received January 8, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

255. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment of Time of Use for Restricted Areas R-4501A, B, C, D, and E, Fort Leonard Wood; MO [Airspace Docket No. 00-ACE-23] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received January 12, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

256. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Revision to the Legal Description of the Laughlin/Bullhead International Airport Class D Airspace Area, AZ [Airspace Docket No. 00-AWP-11] received January 12, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

257. A letter from the Chief, Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Op-

erating Regulation; Mississippi River, Iowa and Illinois [CGD08-00-029] (RIN: 2115-AE47) received January 12, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

258. A letter from the Chief, Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operating Regulation; Lower Grand River, LA [CGD08-00-032] received January 12, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

259. A letter from the Regulations Officer, Federal Highway Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Intelligent Transportation System Architecture and Standards [FHWA Docket No. FHWA-99-5899] (RIN: 2125-AE65) received January 12, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

260. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Learjet Model 60 Airplanes [Docket No. 2000-NM-52-AD; Amendment 39-11991; AD 2000-23-18] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received January 12, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

261. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Bell Helicopter Textron, Inc. Model 204B, 205A, 205A-1, 205B, and 212 Helicopters [Docket No. 2000-SW-28-AD; Amendment 39-12042; AD 2000-15-52] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received January 8, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

262. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—IFR Altitudes; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 20021; Amdt. No. 426] received January 12, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

263. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 30223; Amdt. No. 2029] received January 12, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

264. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 30212; Amdt. No. 2019] received January 12, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

265. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 30213; Amdt. No. 2020] received January 12, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

266. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 30217; Amdt. No. 2024] received January 12, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

267. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, trans-

mitting the Department's final rule—Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 30215; Amdt. No. 2022] received January 12, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

268. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 30225; Amdt. No. 2028] received January 12, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

269. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Effluent Limitations Guidelines and New Source Performance Standards for the Oil and Gas Extraction Point Source Category; OMB Approval Under the Paperwork Reduction Act: Technical Amendment [FRL-6929-8] (RIN: 2040-AD14) received January 3, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

270. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—FY 2001-2002 Great Lakes National Program Office Request for Preproposals—received January 3, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

271. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Oil Pollution Prevention and Response; Non-Transportation-Related Onshore and Offshore Facilities [FRL-6933-4] (RIN: 2050-AC62) received January 12, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

272. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Further Revisions to the Clean Water Act Regulatory Definition of "Discharge of Dredged Material" [FRL-6933-2] received January 10, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

273. A letter from the Associate Administrator for Procurement, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Miscellaneous Changes—received December 27, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Science.

274. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulations Management, Veterans Benefits Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's final rule—New Criteria for Approving Courses for VA Educational Assistance Programs (RIN: 2900-AI67) received December 21, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

275. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting an updated report concerning the emigration laws and policies of Armenia, Azerbaijan, Kazakhstan, Moldova, the Russian Federation, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, and Uzbekistan, pursuant to 19 U.S.C. 2432(b); (H. Doc. No. 107-17); to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered to be printed.

276. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Pension and Welfare Benefits Administration, Department of Labor, transmitting the Department's final rule—Interim Final Rules for Nondiscrimination in Health Coverage in the Group Market (RIN: 1210-AA77) received January 12, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

277. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Section 467 Rental Agreements Involving Payments of \$2,000,000 or Less [TD 8917] (RIN: 1545-AW75) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

278. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Lifetime Charitable Lead Trusts [TD 8923] (RIN: 1545-AX74) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

279. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Inflation-adjusted Amounts for 2001 [Notice 2001-12] received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

280. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Guidance on Filing an Application for a Tentative Carryback Adjustment in a Consolidated Return Context [TD 8919] (RIN: 1545-AY57) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

281. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Partnership Mergers and Divisions [TD 8925] (RIN: 1545-AX32) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

282. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Prevention of Abuse of Charitable Remainder Trusts [TD 8926] (RIN: 1545-AX62) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

283. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Rulings and determination letters [Rev. Proc. 2001-7] received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

284. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Awards of attorney's fees and other costs based upon qualified offers [TD 8922] (RIN: 1545-AX00) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

285. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Examination of returns and claims for refund, credit, or abatement; determination of correct tax liability [Rev. Proc. 2001-2] received January 2, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

286. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Definition of Hyperinflationary Currency for Purposes of Section 988 [TD 8914] (RIN: 1545-AX67) received January 3, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

287. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Rulings and determination letters [Rev. Proc. 2001-4] received January 2, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

288. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Tax forms and instructions [Rev. Proc. 2001-13] received December 18, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

289. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Credit for Increasing Research Activities [TD 8930] (RIN: 1545-AV14; 1545-A051) received December 29, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

290. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Tiered Structures—Electing Small Business Trusts [TD 8915] (RIN: 1545-AX71) received December 29, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

291. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Extension of Test of Mediation Procedure for Appeals—received December 19, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

292. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Determination of Issue Price in the Case of Certain Debt Instruments Issued for Property [Rev. Rul. 2001-3] received December 19, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

293. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Extension of Relief Relating to Application of Nondiscrimination Rules for Certain Governmental Plans and Church Plans [Notice 2001-9] received December 28, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

294. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—2001 Limitations Adjusted As Provided In Section 415(d), Etc. [Notice 2000-66] received December 28, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

295. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Withholding and Information Reporting on Payments to Financial Institution in U.S. Possessions [Notice 2001-11] received December 28, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

296. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Air Transportation Excise Tax; Amount Paid for the Right to Award Miles [Notice 2001-6] received December 19, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

297. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Guidance Under Section 355(d); Recognition of Gain on Certain Distributions of Stock or Securities [TD 8913] (RIN: 1545-AW71) received December 21, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

298. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Rulings and determination letters [Rev. Proc. 2001-5] received January 2, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

299. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Rulings and determination letters [Rev. Proc. 2001-8] received January 2, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

300. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Weighted Average Interest Rate Update [Notice 2001-3] received January 2, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

301. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Last-in, First-out Inventories [Rev. Rul. 2001-5] received January 2, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

302. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Application of Section 904 to Income Subject to Separate Limitations and Section 864(e) Affiliated Group Expense Allocation and Apportionment Rules [TD 8916] (RIN: 1545-AY29) received January 2, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

303. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Rulings and determination letters [Rev. Proc. 2001-6] received January 2, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

304. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Rulings and determination letters [Rev. Proc. 2001-1] received January 2, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

305. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Tax forms and instructions [Rev. Proc. 2001-9] received December 22, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

306. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Interim Final Rules for Nondiscrimination in Health Coverage in the Group Market [TD 8931] (RIN: 1545-AW02) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

307. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Low-Income Housing Credit—received January 8, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

308. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Qualified Transportation Fringe Benefits [TD 8933] (RIN: 1545-AX33) received January 10, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

309. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Definition of Last Known Address [TD 8939] (RIN: 1545-AX13) received January 12, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

310. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—The GUST Remedial Amendment Period for Employers Who Use M&P or Volume Submitter Specimen Plans—received January 12, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

311. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Reopenings of Treasury Securities and Other Debt Instruments; Original Issue Discount [TD 8934] (RIN: 1545-AX60) received January 12, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

312. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Excise Taxes on Excess Benefit Transactions [TD 8920] (RIN: 1545-AY64) received January 9, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

313. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Continuation Coverage Requirements Applicable to Group Health Plans [TD 8928] (RIN: 1545-AW94) received January 9, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

314. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Tax Treatment of Cafeteria Plans [TD 8921] (RIN: 1545-AY23) received January 9, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

315. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Definition of Contribution in Aid of Construction Under Section 118(c) [TD 8936] (RIN: 1545-AW17) received January 10, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

316. A letter from the Regulations Officer, Social Security Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Old-Age, Survivors, and Disability Insurance and Supplemental Security Income for the Aged, Blind, and Disabled; Substantial Gainful Activity Amounts; "Services" for Trial Work Period Purposes—Monthly Amounts; Student Child Earned Income Exclusion (RIN: 0960-AF12) received January 5, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

317. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Transportation, transmitting a report on importing noncomplying motor vehicles, pursuant to 49 U.S.C. 30169(b); jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Ways and Means.

318. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting notification that the Department of Health and Human Services is allotting emergency funds made available under section 2606(e) of the Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Act of 1981 to all States, Tribes, and Territories; jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Education and the Workforce.

319. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Department's report pursuant to section 7(a) of the Jerusalem Embassy Act of 1995; jointly to the Committees on International Relations and Appropriations.

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:

[Filed on January 2, 2001]

Mr. BURTON: Committee on Government Reform. Report on the Activities of the House Committee on Government Reform for the 106th Congress (Rept. 106-1053). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. GOSS: Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence. Report of the Activities of the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence for the 106th Congress (Rept. 106-1054). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

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 Ms. ESHOO (for herself and Mr. CANNON):

H.R. 237. A bill to protect the privacy of consumers who use the Internet; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. HUNTER (for himself, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. ISSA, Mrs. CAPPS, and Ms. LEE):

H.R. 238. A bill to amend the Department of Energy Authorization Act to authorize the Secretary of Energy to impose interim limitations on the cost of electric energy to protect consumers from unjust and unreasonable prices in the electric energy market; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. LEE (for herself, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. CONYERS, Ms. CARSON of Indiana, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. FROST, Mr. MCGOVERN, and Mr. PAYNE):

H.R. 239. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for the collection of data on benign brain-related tumors through the national program of cancer registries; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. RILEY (for himself and Mr. EVERETT):

H.R. 240. A bill to ensure that certain property which was taken into trust by the United States for the benefit of the Poarch Band of Creek Indians of Alabama shall be protected and shall not be used for gaming; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. RILEY:

H.R. 241. A bill to eliminate automatic pay adjustments for Members of Congress; to the Committee on House Administration, 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. HANSEN:

H. Res. 21. A resolution designating majority membership on certain standing committees of the House; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. FROST:

H. Res. 22. A resolution designating minority membership on certain standing committees of the House; considered and agreed to.

PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 3 of rule XII, private bills and resolutions of the following titles were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. WEXLER:

H.R. 242. A bill For the relief of Rigaud Moise, Cinette Dorlus Moise, Jean Rigaud Moise, and Phara Moise; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. WEXLER:

H.R. 243. A bill For the relief of Akintomide Apará; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS TO PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

H.R. 27: Ms. RIVERS.

H.R. 80: Mr. SHERWOOD and Mr. KANJORSKI.

PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 3 of rule XII, petitions and papers were laid on the clerk's desk and referred as follows:

1. The SPEAKER presented a petition of the National Assembly, Republic of Korea, relative to a Resolution petitioning the United States House of Representatives to Oppose the Conclusion of a Treaty Containing a Provision in Conflict with the Current Screen Quota System; to the Committee on International Relations.

2. Also, a petition of the National Assembly, Republic of Korea, relative to a Resolution petitioning the United States House of Representatives to Call for Settlement of the Nogun-ri Incident; to the Committee on International Relations.

3. Also, a petition of the Board of Supervisors of Essex County, New York, relative to Resolution No. 278 petitioning the United States Congress to Oppose The Proposed EPA Plan To Dredge 40 Miles Of The Upper Hudson River From Fort Edward To Troy; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.