

## RECESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 12 of rule I, the Chair declares the House in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

Accordingly (at 10 o'clock and 45 minutes p.m.), the House stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

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## AFTER RECESS

The recess having expired, the House was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. SESSIONS) at 11 o'clock and 31 minutes p.m.

REPORT ON RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 3338, DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 2002

Mrs. MYRICK, from the Committee on Rules, submitted a privileged report (Rept. No. 107-303) on the resolution (H. Res. 296) providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 3338) making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, and for other purposes, which was referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed.

## LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to:

Ms. CARSON of Indiana (at the request of Mr. GEPHARDT) for today and the balance of the week on account of a family emergency.

Ms. MCKINNEY (at the request of Mr. GEPHARDT) for today on account of a flight delay.

Mr. ADERHOLT (at the request of Mr. ARMEY) for today on account of inspecting tornado damage in the district.

Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut (at the request of Mr. ARMEY) for today and November 28 until 3:00 p.m. on account of attending a funeral.

Mr. QUINN (at the request of Mr. ARMEY) for today through December 10 on account of medical reasons.

## 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 Ms. KAPTUR) to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material:)

Ms. KAPTUR, for 5 minutes, today.

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

Mr. OBEY, for 5 minutes, today.

Ms. WATSON of California, for 5 minutes, today.

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

Ms. NORTON, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, for 5 minutes, today.

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

Mr. PLATTS, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. SOUDER, for 5 minutes, today and November 28.

Mr. GANSKE, for 5 minutes, November 28 and 29.

Mr. NUSSLE, for 5 minutes, today.

## ADJOURNMENT

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

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 11 o'clock and 32 minutes p.m.), the House adjourned until tomorrow, Wednesday, November 28, 2001, 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:

4608. A letter from the Managing Director, Federal Housing Finance Board, transmitting the Board's final rule—Capital Requirements for Federal Home Loan Banks [No. 2001-24] (RIN: 3069-AB06) received November 16, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

4609. A letter from the Managing Director, Federal Housing Finance Board, transmitting the Board's final rule—Maintenance of Effort—Minimum Number of Annual Bank Board of Directors Meetings [No. 2001-25] (RIN: 3069-AB05) received November 16, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

4610. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting a 6-month periodic report on the national emergency with respect to Burma declared by Executive Order 13047 of May 20, 1997, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1641(c) and 50 U.S.C. 1703(c); (H. Doc. No. 107-152); to the Committee on International Relations and ordered to be printed.

4611. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 14-167, "Chesapeake Regional Olympic Games Authority Act of 2001" received November 20, 2001, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

4612. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of National Drug Control Policy, transmitting a report on the "Fiscal Year 2000 Accounting of Drug Control Funds"; to the Committee on Government Reform.

4613. A letter from the Acting Director, Fish and Wildlife Service, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's "Major" final rule—Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Determination of Critical Habitat for the Oahu Elepaio (*Chasiempis sandwichensis ibidis*) (RIN: 1018-AG99) received November 21, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

4614. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Special Local Regulations; Waverly Hotel Fireworks Display, Biscayne Bay, Miami, FL [CGD07-01-121] (RIN: 2115-AE46) received November 19, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4615. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Special Local Regulations; Charleston Christmas Boat Parade and Fireworks Display, Charleston Harbor, Charleston, SC [CGD07-01-119] (RIN: 2115-AE46) received November 19, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4616. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 30273; Amdt. No. 2073] received November 16, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4617. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 30270; Amdt. No. 2071] received November 16, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4618. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 30272; Amdt. No. 2072] received November 16, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4619. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establish Class E Airspace: Charlottesville, VA [Airspace Docket No. 00-AEA-11FR] received November 16, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4620. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of Class E2 Airspace; Greenwood, MS [Airspace Docket No. 01-ASO-9] received November 16, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4621. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment of Class D Airspace; Titusville, FL [Airspace Docket No. 01-ASO-11] received November 16, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4622. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Regulated Navigation Area: Savannah River, Georgia [CGD07-01-037] (RIN: 2115-AE84) received November 16, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4623. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Regulated Navigation Area and Safety and Security Zones; New York Marine Inspection Zone and Captain of the Port Zone [CGD01-01-181] (RIN: 2115-AE84) and (RIN: 2115-AA97) received November 16, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4624. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Regulated Navigation Area and Safety and Security Zones; New York Marine Inspection Zone and Captain of the Port Zone [CGD01-01-165] (RIN: 2115-

AE84) and (RIN: 2115-AA97) received November 16, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4625. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Anchorage, Regulated Navigation Areas, Safety and Security Zones; Boston Marine Inspection Zone and Captain of the Port Zone [CGD01-01-162] (RIN: 2115-AE84, 2115-AA97, and 2115-AA98) received November 16, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4626. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Security Zone; Verrazano Narrows Bridge, New York [CGD01-01-198] (RIN: 2115-AA97) received November 19, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4627. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Security Zones; Los Angeles Harbor, Los Angeles, CA and Avila Beach, CA [COTP Los Angeles-Long Beach 01-008] (RIN: 2115-AA97) received November 19, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4628. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Security Zone; Sault Locks, St. Mary's River, Sault Ste. Marie, MI [CGD09-01-140] (RIN: 2115-AA97) received November 19, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4629. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Security Zones; San Francisco Bay, San Francisco, CA and Oakland, CA [COTP San Francisco Bay 01-009] (RIN: 2115-AA97) received November 19, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4630. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Security Zone; Trans-Alaska Pipeline Valdez Terminal Complex, Valdez, Alaska [COTP Prince William Sound 01-003] (RIN: 2115-AA97) received November 16, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4631. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Security Zone; Port Valdez, Alaska [COTP Prince William Sound 01-004] (RIN: 2115-AA97) received November 16, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4632. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Security Zones; Prince William Sound Captain of the Port Zone, Alaska [COTP Prince William Sound 01-005] (RIN: 2115-AA97) received November 16, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4633. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Safety Zone; Lake Michigan, Chicago, IL [CGD09-01-142] (RIN: 2115-AA97) received November 16, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4634. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Safety Zone; Gulf of Alaska, Southeast of Narrow Cape, Kodiak Island, AK [COTP Western Alaska 01-008] (RIN: 2115-AA97) received November 16, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4635. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Safety Zone; Route 1 Bascule Bridge, Mystic River, Mystic, CT [CGD01-01-197] (RIN: 2115-AA97) received November 16, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4636. A letter from the Chief, Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Safety Zones; The Icebreaker Youth Rowing Championship-Boston Harbor, Boston, Massachusetts [CGD1-01-193] (RIN: 2115-AA97) received November 16, 2001, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

4637. A letter from the Chair of the Board of Directors, Office of Compliance, transmitting the Office's Supplemental Report recommending that section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act (29 U.S.C. 794d) be applied to the Legislative Branch; jointly to the Committees on House Administration and Education and the Workforce.

#### REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XIII, reports of committees were delivered to the Clerk for printing and reference to the proper calendar, as follows:

Mr. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 2972. A bill to designate the Federal building and United States courthouse located at 550 West Fort Street in Boise, Idaho, as the "James A. McClure Federal Building and United States Courthouse" (Rept. 107-301). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. HANSEN: Committee on Resources. H.R. 2115. A bill to amend the Reclamation Wastewater and Groundwater Study and Facilities Act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to participate in the design, planning, and construction of a project to reclaim and reuse wastewater within and outside of the service area of the Lakehaven Utility District, Washington (Rept. 107-302). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mrs. MYRICK: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 296. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 3338) making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, and for other purposes (Rept. 107-303). Referred to the House Calendar.

#### DISCHARGE OF COMMITTEE

[The following action occurred on Nov. 26, 2001]

Pursuant to clause 2 of rule XII the Committees on the Budget and the Judiciary discharged from further consideration. H.R. 3210 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 were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. MANZULLO:

H.R. 3346. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to simplify the reporting requirements relating to higher education tuition and related expenses; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MICA (for himself, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, and Mr. SHUSTER):

H.R. 3347. A bill to provide economic relief to general aviation entities that have suffered substantial economic injury as a result of the terrorist attacks perpetrated against the United States on September 11, 2001; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committees on Financial Services, and the Budget, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. HYDE (for himself and Mr. LAN-TOS):

H.R. 3348. A bill to designate the National Foreign Affairs Training Center as the George P. Shultz National Foreign Affairs Training Center; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. ACEVEDO-VILA:

H.R. 3349. A bill to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to ensure fairness; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mrs. MINK of Hawaii (for herself and Ms. WOOLSEY):

H.R. 3350. A bill to temporarily authorize the Administrator of the Small Business Administration to make loans to any small business concern that suffers substantial economic injury; to the Committee on Small Business.

By Mr. BILIRAKIS (for himself, Mr.

BROWN of Ohio, Mr. TAUZIN, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. UPTON, Mr. BRYANT, Mr. GANSKE, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. FLETCHER, Mr. COOKSEY, Mr. BURR of North Carolina, Mr. BUYER, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. TERRY, Mr. BAKER, Mr. PAUL, Mr. SCHROCK, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. JOHNSON of Illinois, Mr. PICKERING, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. BEREBUTER, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. RUSH, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. ROSS, Mr. LUTHER, Mr. GORDON, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. STRICKLAND, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. WYNN, Mr. BARRETT, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. GREENWOOD, and Mrs. THURMAN):

H.R. 3351. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to specify the update for payments under the Medicare physician fee schedule for 2002 and to direct the Medicare Payment Advisory Commission to conduct a study on replacing the use of the sustainable growth rate as a factor in determining such update in subsequent years; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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. DOYLE (for himself, Mr. NEY, and Mr. VISCLOSKEY):

H.R. 3352. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to clarify the credit for producing fuel from a nonconventional source; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. FLAKE (for himself, Ms. SOLIS, and Mr. HOSTETTLER):

H.R. 3353. A bill to require the Assistant to the President for Homeland Security to establish a site on the Internet through which