Variances to U.S. Ecology Idaho, Incorporated in Grandview, Idaho and CWM Chemical Services, LLC in Model City, New York [FRL-7214-4] received May 16, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

7192. A letter from the Principal Deputy

7192. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Maine; New CTGs [ME-066-7015a; A-1-FRL-7171-7] received May 16, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

7193. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Revisions to the California State Implementation Plan, Bay Area Air Quality Management District [CA 245–0311a; FRL-7202-1] received May 14, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

7194. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Clean Air Act Final Approval of Operating Permit Program Revisions; Indiana [IN004a; FRL-7212-6] received May 14, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

7195. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Clean Air Act Approval and Promulgation of State Implementation Plan; Utah; Revisions to Air Pollution Regulations [UT-001-0034a, UT-001-0035a; FRL-7201-3] received May 14, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

7196. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract to Russia [Transmittal No. DTC 124-02], pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

7197. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract to Russia, Ukraine, Norway and Cayman Islands [Transmittal No. DTC 123–02], pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

7198. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Education, transmitting the semiannual report of the activities of the Office of Inspector General during the six month period ending March 31, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform.

7199. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Labor, transmitting the semiannual report of the Department of Labor's Inspector General covering the period October 1, 2001 through March 31, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform.

7200. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 14–377, "Government Attorney Certificate of Good Standing Filing Requirement Amendment Act of 2002" received June 5, 2002, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1–233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

7201. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. ACT 14–380, "Omnibus Anti-Terrorism Act of 2002" received June 5, 2002, pursuant to D.C. Code section 1–233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform.

7202. A letter from the Director, White House Liaison, Department of Commerce,

transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Government Reform.

7203. A letter from the Director, White House Liaison, Department of Commerce, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Government Reform.

7204. A letter from the Director, White House Liaison, Department of Commerce, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Government Reform.

7205. A letter from the Assistant Director for Executive and PoliticalPersonnel, Department of Defense, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Government Reform.

7206. A letter from the Director, Executives Resources and Special Programs Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Government Reform.

7207. A letter from the Secretary/CAO, Postal Rate Commission, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Government Reform.

7208. A letter from the Chairman, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the Inspector General for the period October 1, 2001 through March 31, 2002 and the Management Response for the same period, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform.

7209. A letter from the Chief Justice, Supreme Court of the United States, transmitting a copy of the Report of the Proceedings of the Judicial Conference of the United States, held in Washington D.C., on September/October 2001, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. 331; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

7210. A letter from the Chair, United States Sentencing Commission, transmitting the Commission's amendments to the sentencing guidelines, policy statements, and official commentary, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. 994(p); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

7211. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Award of Infrastructure Grants to Implement the Long Island Sound Comprehensive Conservation and Management Plan—received May 20, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7212. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Award of Grants for Counter-Terrorism Coordination Activities by States and Territories—received May 14, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7213. A letter from the Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Allocation of Fiscal Year 2002 Operator Training Grants—received May 14, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7214. A letter from the Commissioner, Social Security Administration, transmitting the 2002 Annual Report of the Supplemental Security Income Program, pursuant to Public Law 104–193, section 231 (110 Stat. 2197); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

7215. A letter from the Comptroller General of the United States, Commercial Activities Panel, transmitting the final report of the Commercial Activities Panel prepared in accordance with Section 832 of the Floyd D.

Spence National Defense Authorization Act of 2001; jointly to the Committees on Armed Services and Government Reform.

7216. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a copy of Presidential Determination No. 2002–14 concerning waiver and certification of statutory provisions regarding the Palestine Liberation Organization; jointly to the Committees on International Relations and Appropriations.

7217. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Election Commission, transmitting 23 recommendations for legislative action, pursuant to 2 U.S.C. 438(a)(9); jointly to the Committees on House Administration, the Judiciary, and Ways and Means.

## 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. HANSEN: Committee on Resources. H.R. 3380. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to issue right-of-way permits for natural gas pipelines within the boundary of Great Smoky Mountains National Park (Rept. 107-491). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. HANSEN: Committee on Resources. H.R. 4609. A bill to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a comprehensive study of the Rathdrum Prairie/Spokane Valley Aquifer, located in Idaho and Washington (Rept. 107–492). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. HYDE: Committee on International Relations. H.R. 3969. A bill to enhance United States policy diplomacy, to reorganize United States international broadcasting, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 107-493). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. HASTINGS of Washington: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 435. Resolution providing for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 2143) to make the repeal of the estate tax permanent (Rept. 107–494). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. BOEHLERT: Committee on Science H.R. 2486. A bill to authorize the National Weather Service to conduct research and development, training, and outreach activities relating to tropical cyclone inland forecasting improvement, and for other purposes; with amendments (Rept. 107–495). 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. SENSENBRENNER (for himself, Mr. Conyers, and Mr. Smith of Texas):

H.R. 4864. A bill to combat terrorism and defend the Nation against terrorist acts, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. INSLEE (for himself, Mr. Boehlert, Mr. Rahall, Mr. Greenwood, Mrs. Clayton, Mrs. Morella, Mr. George Miller of California, Mr. Leach, Mr. Wu, Mrs. Johnson of Connecticut, Mr. Hinchey, Mr. Horn, Mr. McGovern, Mr. Pallone, Mr. McDermott, Mr. Filner, Ms. Delauro, Mr. Holt, Mr. Lynch, Mr.

Frank, Mr. Olver, Ms. McKinney, Mr. Acevedo-Vila, Ms. Baldwin, Mr. Moran of Virginia, Ms. Lee, Mr. SERRANO, Hoeffel, Mr.BLUMENAUER, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. BORSKI, Ms. RIVERS, Mr. GILCHREST, Mr. Schiff, Ms. DeGette, Mr. Kleczka, Ms. Eshoo, Mr. Udall of Colorado, Mr. Kennedy of Rhode Island, Mr. LANGEVIN, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. BONIOR, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. Sherman, Mrs. Davis of California, Mr.CAPUANO. Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mrs. Napolitano, Mr. Honda, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. TOWNS, Ms. McCol-LUM, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. KIRK, Mr. CLAY, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. FORD, Ms. SOLIS, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. Lantos, Ms. Woolsey, Mr. Weiner, Mr. Boucher, Mr. Neal of Massachusetts, Mrs. Meek of Florida, Mr. Levin, Ms. Millender-McDonald, Mrs. Capps, Mr. Roth-MAN, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. Allen, Mr. Berman, Mr. Sim-MONS, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. LARSEN of Washington, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. HALL of Ohio, Ms. NORTON, Mr. LOBIONDO, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. DELAHUNT. Ms. Kaptur. Mr. DEUTSCH, Ms. CARSON of Indiana, Ms. Brown of Florida, Mrs. Tauscher. Mr. Smith of Washington, Mr. Price of North Carolina, Mr. HILL, Mr. RUSH, Mr. MOORE, Mr. STARK, Ms. Eddie Bernice Johnson of Texas. Mr. MARKEY, Ms. McCarthy of Missouri, Mr. Matsui, Mr. Gordon, Ms. Har-MAN, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. PASCRELL, Ms. Slaughter, Mr. Ferguson, Mr. Menendez, Mr. Lewis of Georgia, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Mr. Green of Texas, Mr. CROWLEY, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. Nadler, Mr. Fattah, Mr. Jef-FERSON, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. ISRAEL, Mr. Watt of North Carolina, Ms. Sanchez, Mr. Wynn, Mr. Bentsen, Mr. DAVIS of Florida, Mr. EVANS, Mr. Pastor, Mr. Platts, Mr. Scott, Mr. Andrews, Mr. Jackson of Illinois, Mr. Cummings, Mr. Tierney, Mr. Lu-THER, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. Smith of New Jersey, Mr. Reyes, Mr. FARR of California, Ms. WATSON, MCNULTY, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. Mr. CONDIT, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. KIND, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. QUINN, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mrs. LOWEY, Ms. Waters, Mr. Doggett, Ms. Berk-LEY. Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi. Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. BACA, Mr. OWENS, Mr. MEEKS of New York, Mr. SABO, Mr. SANDERS Mr. HILLIARD Mr. Larson of Connecticut, Ms. Hooley of Oregon, Mrs. McCarthy of New York, Mr. Clyburn, Mr. Sawyer, Ms. Jackson-Lee of Texas, Mr. Lampson,

Mrs. Jones of Ohio, and Mr. HOYER): H.R. 4865. A bill to protect inventoried roadless areas in the National Forest System, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture, and in addition to the Committee on Resources, 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. McKEON (for himself, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. PETRI, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. AN-DREWS, Mr. GRAHAM, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. Tancredo, Mr. Hinojosa, Mr.

ISAKSON, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. GOOD-LATTE, Mr. KIND, Mr. KELLER, Mr. OSBORNE, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. Calvert, Ms. Millender-McDon-ALD, and Mr. ROGERS of Michigan):

H.R. 4866. A bill to make technical amendments to the Higher Education Act of 1965 incorporating the results of the Fed Up Initiative; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. HUNTER:

H.R. 4867. A bill to prohibit the exportation of natural gas from the United States to Mexico for use in electric energy generation units near the United States border that do not comply with air quality control requirements that provide air quality protection that is at least equivalent to the protection provided by requirements applicable in the United States; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. CROWLEY:

H.R. 4868. A bill to make the diversity of the American people a resource to promote national security; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. TOM DAVIS of Virginia:

H.R. 4869. A bill to preempt of local taxation with respect to satellite digital audio radio services and to provide for determining State authority for taxation of satellite digital audio radio service; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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.R. 4870 A bill to make certain adjustments to the boundaries of the Mount Naomi Wilderness Area, and for other purposes: to the Committee on Resources.

By Ms. HART:

H.R. 4871. A bill to designate Pennsylvania State Route 60 and United States Routes 22 and 30 as part of the Dwight D. Eisenhower National System of Interstate and Defense Highways; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. JONES of North Carolina:

H.R. 4872. A bill to amend section 124(a) of the Department of Justice Appropriations Act, 1999 to permit criminal background checks for nursing facility and home health agency personnel involved in indirect patient care; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. LEACH:

H.R. 4873. A bill to amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to establish a scholarship program to recognize scholar athletes, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. OTTER: H.R. 4874. A bill to direct the Secretary of the Interior to disclaim any Federal interest in lands adjacent to Spirit Lake and Twin Lakes in the State of Idaho resulting from possible omission of lands from an 1880 survev: to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. PAUL:

H.R. 4875. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to waive the employee portion of Social Security taxes imposed on individuals who have been diagnosed as having cancer or a terminal disease; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. WELDON of Florida: H.R. 4876. A bill to modify the project for shoreline protection, Brevard County, Florida, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and InfrastrucBy Mr. WALSH:

H. Con. Res. 413. Concurrent resolution honoring the invention of modern air-conditioning by Dr. Willis H. Carrier on the occasion of its 100th anniversary; to the Committee on Government Reform.

## ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 13: Mr. Schiff, Mr. Davis of Illinois, and Ms. WOOLSEY.

H.R. 40: Ms. RIVERS.

H.R. 218: Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut and Ms. Hooley of Oregon.

H.R. 250: Mr. Boyd.

H.R. 287: Mr. Lantos. H.R. 360: Ms. Lee.

H.R. 425: Mr. Green of Texas.

H.R. 481: Mr. Kennedy of Rhode Island.

H.B. 563: Mr. POMBO

H.R. 633: Mr. OWENS, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. Jackson of Illinois, Mr. Coyne, Ms. Woolsey, and Mr. WYNN.

H.R. 638: Ms. Lofgren.

H.R. 699: Mr. Platts.

H.R. 902: Mr. KIND, Mr. RAHALL, and Mr. TRAFICANT.

H.R. 952: Mr. Moore and Mr. Baldacci.

H.R. 975: Mr. Cannon, Mr. Schrock, Mr. RUSH, and Mr. HOEFFEL.

H.R. 984: Mr. BARR of Georgia.

H.R. 1109: Mr. RAMSTAD and Mr. CRENSHAW. H.R. 1184: Mr. SOUDER and Mr. JACKSON of Illinois.

H.R. 1274: Mr. Nethercutt, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. STUMP, Mr. OWENS, and Mr. SCHAFFER.

H.R. 1307: Mr. Kanjorski.

H.R. 1322: Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut.

H.R. 1433: Mr. LEVIN.

H.R. 1452: Mr. Lantos.

H.R. 1487: Mr. SWEENEY.

H.R. 1671: Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California.

H.R. 1683: Mr. PAYNE.

H.R. 1808: Mr. BALDACCI.

H.R. 1810: Mr. Nussle.

H.R. 1812: Mrs. Napolitano. H.R. 1859: Mr. DAVIS of Illinois.

H.R. 1904: Mr. Allen.

H.R. 1911: Mrs. McCarthy of New York.

H.R. 1990: Mr. WEXLER.

H.R. 2012: Mr. WILSON of South Carolina.

H.R. 2014: Mr. Rogers of Michigan.

H.R. 2055: Mr. CRANE.

H.R. 2074: Mr. BERMAN.

H.R. 2118: Mr. KILDEE.

H.R. 2125: Mr. Ballenger, Mr. Hobson, Mr. Jackson of Illinois, and Mr. Thune.

H.R. 2143: Mr. HANSEN.

H.R. 2173: Mr. KING, Ms. DELAURO, and Mr. CAPUANO.

H.R. 2219: Mr. Jackson of Illinois.

H.R. 2284: Mr. Ross, Mr. Towns, Mr. King-STON, and Mr. FROST.

H.R. 2337: Mr. Peterson of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 2588: Mr. WAXMAN.

H.R. 2592: Ms. KILPATRICK.

H.R. 2641: Ms. McKinney.

H.R. 2788: Mr. FATTAH.

H.R. 2800: Mr. HOSTETTLER.

H.R. 2820: Mr. BALDACCI and Mr. DOYLE.

H.R. 2874: Mr. Evans and Mr. Borski.

H.R. 2953: Mr. McKeon and Ms. Woolsey.

H.R. 2966: Mrs. Davis of California.

H.R. 3027: Ms. Schakowsky, Ms. Eddie Ber-NICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. Towns, and Mr.

H.R. 3132: Mr. DAVIS of Florida, LOFGREN, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. MANZULLO, and Mr. FARR of California.

H.R. 3185: Mr. UDALL of Colorado and Mr. LARSEN of Washington.