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House of Representatives

The House met at 2 p.m. and was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. Petri).

DESIGNATION OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker:

Washington, DC, June~10,~2002.

I hereby appoint the Honorable THOMAS E. PETRI to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

PRAYER

The Chaplain, the Reverend Daniel P. Coughlin, offered the following prayer: Lord God, people around the world find themselves living in scary times. Each morning new and disastrous alarms can ring. Calm every fear. Fortify the resolve of indiscriminate justice. Protect the innocent.

We thank You for those who are on the job in their public service to shield and protect fellow citizens. As we seek to strengthen homeland security in this country, empower us with compassion for those who live in far worse conditions than ours.

Awaken in all human hearts around the globe a respect for human life and concern for the family members of others. You alone, O Lord, are our true and lasting defense and the author of life, as well as unconditional love. We need to recognize Your Spirit within ourselves and in all our brothers and sisters of the human family. Now and forever. Amen.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair has examined the Journal of the last day's proceedings and announces to the House his approval thereof.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal stands approved.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair will lead the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The SPEAKER pro tempore led the Pledge of Allegiance as follows:

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK OF THE HOUSE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Clerk of the House of Representatives:

OFFICE OF THE CLERK,
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Washington, DC, June 7, 2002.
Hon. J. DENNIS HASTERT,

The Speaker, House of Representatives,

Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to the permission granted in Clause 2(h) of Rule II of the Rules of the U.S. House of Representatives, the Clerk received the following message from the Secretary of the Senate on June 7, 2002 at 9:46 a.m.

That the Senate agreed to conference report S. 1372.

With best wishes, I am Sincerely.

JEFF TRANDAHL, Clerk of the House.

ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection the House stands adjourned until 12:30 p.m. tomorrow for morning hour debates.

There was no objection.

Accordingly (at 2 o'clock and 4 minutes p.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until tomorrow, Tuesday, June 11, 2002, at 12:30 p.m., for morning hour debates.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

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

7247. A letter from the Air Force Federal Register Liaison Officer Plans and Policy Directorate, Department of Defense, transmiting the Department's final rule—Installation Entry Policy, Civil Disturbance Intervention and Disaster Assistance (RIN: 0701–AA64) received May 22, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Armed Services.

7248. A letter from the Legislative and Regulatory Activities Division, Comptroller of the Currency, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule—Assessment of Fees [Docket No. 02–08] (RIN: 1557–AC07) received May 28, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

7249. A letter from the Managing Director, Federal Housing Finance Board, transmitting the Board's final rule—Rules of Practice and Procedure [No. 2002–03] (RIN: 3069–AB03) received May 28, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

7250. A letter from the Attorney-Advisor, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards; Air Brake Systems [Docket No. NHTSA-02-12053] (RIN: 2127-AI48) received May 23, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

7251. A letter from the Deputy Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, transmitting a report containing an analysis and description of services performed by full-time USG employees during Fiscal Year 2001, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2765(a); to the Committee on International Relations.

7252. 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.

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7259. A letter from the Deputy Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting notification to delay submission of the Department's performance report for FY 2001; to the Committee on Government Beform.

7260. A letter from the Head, Human Resources Support Branch Personal and Family Readines Division By direction of Commandant of Marine Corps, Department of Defense, transmitting the annual report for 2000 of the Retirement Plan for Civilian Employees of the United States Marine Corps Personal and Family Readiness Divison, Miscellaneous Nonappropriated Fund Instrumentalities, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 9503(a)(1)(B); to the Committee on Government Reform.

7261. A letter from the Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting the Office's final rule—Administratively Uncontrollable Overtime Pay (RIN: 3206-AJ57) received May 28, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

7262. A letter from the Assistant Secretary of the Interior, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Department's final rule—Locating, Recording, and Maintaining Mining Claims or Sites [WO-620-1430-00-24 1A] (RIN: 1004-AD52) received May 29, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

7263. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable 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; Reallocation of Pacific Sardine [Docket No. 001215358–0358-01; 101601A] received May 29, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A): to the Committee on Resources.

7264. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of Class E Airspace; Boyceville, WI [Airspace Docket No. 01–AGL–12] received May 17, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7265. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Modification of Class E Airspace; Manistee, MI [Airspace Docket No. 01-AGL-11] received May 17, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7266. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Modification of Class E Airspace; Winona, MN [Airspace Docket No. 01–AGL-04] received May 17, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7267. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of Class E Airspace; Walhalla, ND [Airspace Docket No. 10-AGL-13] received May 17, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7268. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Modification of Class E Airspace; Greenville, MI [Airspace Docket No. 01–AGL–02] received May 17, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7269. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of Class E Airspace; Lake Geneva, WI [Airspace Docket No. 01–AGL-03] received May 17, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7270. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Modification of Class D Airspace; Columbus, OH [Airspace Docket No. 01–AGL–14] received May 17, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7271. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Modification of Class E Airspace; Daggett, CA [Airspace Docket No. 99-AWP-24] received May 17, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7272. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of Class D Airspace; Greenville-Donaldson Center, SC, Amendment of Class E2 Airspace; Greer, Greenville-Spartanburg Airport, SC, and Amendment of Class E5 Airspace; Greenville, SC [Airspace Docket No. 02–ASO-4] received May 17, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7273. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Realignment of Federal Airway V-385; TX [Docket No. FAA-2001-10743; Airspace Docket No. 01-ASW-16] received May 17, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7274. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Revision of Class E Airspace, Greely, CO [Airspace Docket No. 00-ANM-34] received May 17, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure

7275. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Revision of Federal Airway V-220; NE [Docket No. FAA-2002-12007; Airspace Docket No. 02-ACE-02] received May 17, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7276. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Drawbridge Operation Regulations: Long Island, New York Inland Waterway from East Rockaway Inlet to Shinnecock Canal, NY [CGD01-02-053] (RIN: 2115-AE47) received May 23, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7277. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Depart-

ment's final rule—Safety Zone and Anchorage Regulations; Chicago Harbor, Chicago, Illinois [CGD 09-02-013] (RIN: 2115-AA98 and 2115-97) received May 23, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7278. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Modification of Class E Airspace; St. James, MN [Airspace Docket No. 01–AGL–05] received May 17, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7279. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Safety Zone; Ohio River Miles 355.5 to 356.5, Portsmouth, Ohio [COTP Huntington-02-004] (RIN: 2115-AA97) received May 23, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7280. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Safety Zone; Kanawha River Miles 56.0 to 57.0, Charleston, West Virginia [COTP Huntington-02-002] (RIN: 2115-AA97) received May 23, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7281. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Safety Zone; Ohio River Miles 307.0 to 308.0, Huntington, West Virginia [COTP Huntington-02-003] (RIN: 2115-AA97) received May 23, 3002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7282. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Safety Zone; Chelsea River Safety Zone for McArdle Bridge Repairs, Chelsea River, East Boston, Massachusetts [CGD01-02-058] (RIN: 2115-AA97) received May 23, 3002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7283. A letter from the Administrator, Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting a report entitled, "International Border Commercial Motor Vehicle Safety Enforcement Staffing Standard"; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7284. A letter from the transmitting the Department's final rule—pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7285. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Last-in, First-out Inventories (Rev. Rul. 2002–37) received May 31, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means

7286. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Reimbursements and other expense allowance arrangements (Rev. Rul. 2002–35) received May 31, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

7287. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Reimbursements and other expense allowance arrangements (Rev. Proc. 2002–41) received May 31, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

7288. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Administrative, Procedural, and Miscellaneous (Rev. Proc. 2002–41) received May 31, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

7289. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Extension of Time for Filing Returns (Rev. Rul. 2002–23) received May 29, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

7290. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Tax Avoidance Using Notional Principal Contracts (Notice 2002–35) received May 29, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

7291. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Notional Principal Contracts (Rev. Rul. 2002–30) received May 29, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

7292. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Rules and regulations (Rev. Proc. 2002–25) received May 31, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

7293. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Rulings and determination letters (Rev. Proc. 2002–22) received May 29, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

7294. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Request for Comments on Items for 2002-2002 Published Guidance Priority List (Notice 2002-22) received

May 29, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and

7295. 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. 2002–17) received May 29, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

7296. A letter from the Regulations Coordinator, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule—Medicare Program; Notice of Modification of Beneficiary Assessment Requirements for Skilled Nursing Facilities [CMS-1209-N] received May 30, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and Energy and Commerce.

7297. A letter from the Regulations Coordinator, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule—Health Insurance Reform: Standard Unique Employer Identifier [CMS-0047-F] (RIN: 0938-AI59) received May 30, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and Energy and Commerce.

TIME LIMITATION OF REFERRED BILL

Pursuant to clause 2 of rule XII the following action was taken by the Speaker:

H.R. 1462. Referral to the Committee on Agriculture extended for a period ending not later than July 19, 2002.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 1784: Mr. McDermott.

H.R. 3377: Mr. BRYANT, Mr. SIMMONS, and Mr. MORAN of Kansas.

H.R. 3741: Mr. WATKINS.

H.R. 3797: Mr. Meeks of New York, Mr. Quinn, Mr. Grucci, Mrs. Lowey, Mr. Serrano, Mr. Owens, Mr. Weiner, Mr. Rangel, Mrs. Kelly, Ms. Slaughter, and Ms. Velazquez.

H.R. 3831: Mr. GOODE.

H.R. 3884: Mr. VISCLOSKY and Mr. CLAY.

H.R. 4606: Mr. McNulty, Mr. Menendez, Mr. King, and Mr. Hinchey.

H.R. 4607: Mr. Schiff.

H.R. 4611: Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. HONDA, Mr. CARDIN, and Ms. SCHAKOWSKY.

H.R. 4635: Mr. BRYANT, Mr. PLATTS, and Mr. LINDER.

H.R. 4699: Mr. GILMAN, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. GOODE, and Mr. SOUDER.

H.R. 4734: Mr. GALLEGLY.

H. Con. Res. 401: Mr. DOYLE, Mr. TIERNEY, Ms. McCollum, Ms. Schakowsky, and Mrs. Tauscher.

H. Res. 269: Mr. Doyle.

H. Res. 416: Mr. PLATTS.