

Committees on Armed Services and International Relations.

7794. A letter from the Board Members, Railroad Retirement Board, transmitting the 2002 annual report on the financial status of the railroad unemployment insurance system, pursuant to 45 U.S.C. 369; jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and Transportation and Infrastructure.

7795. A letter from the Board Members, Railroad Retirement Board, transmitting a report on the actuarial status of the railroad retirement system, pursuant to 45 U.S.C. 231f—1; jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and Transportation and Infrastructure.

7796. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Election Commission, transmitting the Commission's FY 2003 budget request, pursuant to 2 U.S.C. 437d(d)(1); jointly to the Committees on House Administration, Appropriations, and Government Reform.

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. House Concurrent Resolution 425. Resolution calling for the full appropriation of the State and tribal shares of the Abandoned Mine Reclamation Fund (Rept. 107-556). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. REYNOLDS: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 472. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4635) to amend title 49, United States Code, to establish a program for Federal flight deck officers, and for other purposes (Rept. 107-557). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. DIAZ-BALART: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 473. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2486) 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 (Rept. 107-558). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. SESSIONS: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 474. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 2733) to authorize the National Institute of Standards and Technology to work with major manufacturing industries on an initiative of standards development and implementation for electronic enterprise integration (Rept. 107-559). Referred to the House Calendar.

Ms. PRYCE of Ohio: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 475. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4687) to provide for the establishment of investigative teams to assess building performance and emergency response and evacuation procedures in the wake of any building failure that has resulted in substantial loss of life or that posed significant potential of substantial loss of life (Rept. 107-560). Referred to the House Calendar.

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 Mr. LAFALCE (for himself, Mr. DINGELL, and Mr. GEPHARDT):

H.R. 5070. A bill to improve quality and transparency in financial reporting and independent audits and accounting services for public companies, to create a Public Com-

pany Accounting Oversight Board, to enhance the standard setting process for accounting practices, to strengthen the independence of firms that audit public companies, to increase corporate responsibility and the usefulness of corporate financial disclosure, to protect the objectivity and independence of securities analysts, to improve Securities and Exchange Commission resources and oversight, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. SCHIFF (for himself, Mr. CONYERS, and Mr. FRANK):

H.R. 5071. A bill to authorize the President to establish military tribunals to try the terrorists responsible for the September 11, 2001 attacks against the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services, 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. McKEON (for himself and Mr. BOEHNER):

H.R. 5072. 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. BACA (for himself, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. OWENS, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. PASTOR, and Mr. LEACH):

H.R. 5073. A bill to enhance the security and efficiency of the immigration, visa, border patrol, and naturalization functions of the United States Government; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BARCIA (for himself, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. WEINER, Mr. HONDA, Ms. RIVERS, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. ISRAEL, Mr. MATHESON, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. BACA, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. COSTELLO, and Ms. LOFGREN):

H.R. 5074. A bill to authorize appropriations for the National Institute of Standards and Technology for fiscal years 2003, 2004, and 2005, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Science.

By Mr. CANTOR (for himself, Mr. BOUCHER, Mrs. JO ANN DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. FORBES, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, and Mr. SCHROCK):

H.R. 5075. A bill to ensure continuity for the design of the 5-cent coin, establish the Coin Design Advisory Committee, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island (for himself, Mr. SCOTT, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Ms. NORTON, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. FROST, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Ms. CARSON of Indiana, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. OWENS, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. CROWLEY, Ms. LEE, and Mr. WAXMAN):

H.R. 5076. A bill to amend part C of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act to improve early intervention programs for infants and toddlers with disabilities, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island:

H.R. 5077. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act with respect to mental health services for elderly individuals; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island (for himself, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. SERRANO, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Ms. RIVERS, Mr. OWENS,

Mr. FROST, Mr. STARK, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. HOLT, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. BALDACCIO, Ms. LEE, and Mr. DEFazio):

H.R. 5078. A bill to increase the number of well-trained mental health service professionals (including those based in schools) providing clinical mental health care to children and adolescents, and for other purposes; 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. PALLONE (for himself, Mr. LYNCH, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. FORD, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. HINCHEY, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Mr. HALL of Ohio, Mr. SANDERS, Ms. SOLIS, Mr. KILDEE, and Mr. ENGEL):

H.R. 5079. A bill to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to improve the enforcement and compliance programs; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN (for himself, Mr. HOLT, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. FERGUSON, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mrs. ROUKEMA, and Mr. PAYNE):

H.R. 5080. A bill to establish the Crossroads of the American Revolution National Heritage Area in the State of New Jersey, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. RADANOVICH (for himself, Mr. CANNON, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Mr. OTTER, Mr. SIMPSON, and Mr. WALDEN of Oregon):

H.R. 5081. A bill to provide full funding for the payment in lieu of taxes program for the next five fiscal years, to protect local jurisdictions against the loss of property tax revenues when private lands are acquired by a Federal land management agency, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources, and in addition to the Committee on Agriculture, 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. STRICKLAND (for himself, Mr. BERRY, Mr. NEY, Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi, Mr. BACA, and Mr. CARSON of Oklahoma):

H.R. 5082. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to suspend for five years the authority of the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to increase the copayment amount in effect for medication furnished by the Secretary on an outpatient basis for the treatment of non-service-connected disabilities and to provide an increase in the maximum annual rates of pension payable to surviving spouses of veterans of a period of war, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, 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. UDALL of New Mexico (for himself, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. BACA, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, and Mr. MENENDEZ):

H.R. 5083. A bill to designate the United States courthouse at South Federal Place in Santa Fe, New Mexico, as the "Santiago E.

Campos United States Courthouse"; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. PAYNE (for himself, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. DOYLE, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. FOSSELLA, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. HINCHAY, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. LANTOS, Ms. LEE, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. McNULTY, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. PALLONE, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, and Ms. WATERS):

H. Con. Res. 436. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress that the Parthenon Marbles should be returned to Greece; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. WYNN (for himself, Ms. GRANGER, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. FALCOMA, Mr. PITTS, Mr. OXLEY, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. SKELTON, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. DAVIS of Florida, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, and Mr. BEREUTER):

H. Con. Res. 437. Concurrent resolution recognizing the Republic of Turkey for its cooperation in the campaign against global terrorism, for its commitment of forces and assistance to Operation Enduring Freedom and subsequent missions in Afghanistan, and for initiating important economic reforms to build a stable and prosperous economy in Turkey; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. UDALL of New Mexico:

H. Res. 476. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives regarding several individuals who are being held as prisoners of conscience by the Chinese Government for their involvement in efforts to end the Chinese occupation of Tibet; to the Committee on International Relations.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 68: Mrs. BIGGERT, Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. WAMP, Mr. MURTHA, Mr. RUSH, Ms. CARSON of Indiana, Mr. FORD, and Mr. AKIN.

H.R. 250: Mr. WATT of North Carolina.

H.R. 267: Mr. SCHROCK, Mr. CALVERT, Mrs. MYRICK, and Mrs. CLAYTON.

H.R. 356: Mr. LARSEN of Washington and Mr. HILLEARY.

H.R. 425: Mr. DICKS.

H.R. 548: Mr. HILLEARY.

H.R. 822: Mr. ROHRBACHER.

H.R. 953: Mr. WAXMAN.

H.R. 967: Mr. REYNOLDS.

H.R. 1073: Mr. SCOTT.

H.R. 1090: Mr. LYNCH, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. CAPUANO, Ms. SOLIS, and Mr. WELLER.

H.R. 1184: Mr. EVANS, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. JOHN, Ms. KAPTUR, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. OBEY, Mr. REYES, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. MASCARA, and Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

H.R. 1198: Mr. WAXMAN and Mr. GEKAS.

H.R. 1405: Ms. DEGETTE.

H.R. 1421: Mr. WU, Mr. KIRK, Ms. HARMAN, Mr. UDALL of New Mexico, and Mr. STEARNS.

H.R. 1522: Mr. FATTAH.

H.R. 1556: Mr. EDWARDS.

H.R. 1596: Mrs. NORTHUP.

H.R. 1598: Mr. HALL of Ohio.

H.R. 1774: Mr. WOLF.

H.R. 1862: Mr. KINGSTON and Mr. ISRAEL.

H.R. 1943: Mr. TURNER.

H.R. 1956: Mr. ABERCROMBIE.

H.R. 1983: Mrs. NORTHUP.

H.R. 2035: Mr. CONYERS.

H.R. 2290: Mr. TIBERI.

H.R. 2349: Mr. HOYER, Ms. HARMAN, Mr. STRICKLAND, Mr. KANJORSKI, and Mr. MATHE-SON.

H.R. 2483: Mr. KIND.

H.R. 2550: Mr. DAVIS of Illinois.

H.R. 2702: Mrs. THURMAN and Mr. SCOTT.

H.R. 3183: Mr. GEKAS, Mr. LAHOOD, and Ms. RIVERS.

H.R. 3238: Mr. HASTINGS of Florida.

H.R. 3337: Mr. STENHOLM.

H.R. 3491: Mr. BARR of Georgia, Mr. BACA, and Mr. KENNEDY of Minnesota.

H.R. 3626: Mr. ANDREWS.

H.R. 3831: Mr. TERRY, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. KIND, and Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN.

H.R. 3834: Mr. PASCRELL.

H.R. 3884: Mr. FILNER, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Ms. LOFGREN, and Mr. CROWLEY.

H.R. 3912: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

H.R. 3973: Mr. RILEY.

H.R. 3974: Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. COYNE, and Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD.

H.R. 4014: Mr. ENGEL, Mr. JENKINS, Mr. BALDACCIO, and Ms. HARMAN.

H.R. 4039: Mr. PASCRELL.

H.R. 4100: Mr. SERRANO, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, and Mr. KLECZKA.

H.R. 4483: Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. GEKAS, and Mr. SMITH of New Jersey.

H.R. 4620: Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, and Mr. GILCHREST.

H.R. 4643: Mr. LYNCH.

H.R. 4644: Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. CLYBURN, Ms. SLAUGHTER, and Mr. FOLEY.

H.R. 4665: Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. HORN, Mr. WOLF, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. CROWLEY, Ms. LEE, and Mr. MCDERMOTT.

H.R. 4683: Mr. GILMAN and Mr. WEXLER.

H.R. 4693: Mr. BONILLA, Mr. LATHAM, and Mr. BAIRD.

H.R. 4720: Mr. STENHOLM.

H.R. 4729: Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island.

H.R. 4730: Mr. FATTAH, Mr. STARK, Mr. BONIOR, and Mr. SNYDER.

H.R. 4760: Mr. GORDON, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, and Mr. FROST.

H.R. 4778: Mr. STRICKLAND.

H.R. 4793: Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. WYNN, Mr. HALL of Texas, Ms. RIVERS, and Mr. GORDON.

H.R. 4803: Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Ms. NORTON, Ms. BROWN of Florida, and Mr. FALCOMA.

H.R. 4832: Ms. SLAUGHTER.

H.R. 4833: Ms. SLAUGHTER and Mr. CROWLEY.

H.R. 4839: Mr. PASCRELL.

H.R. 4840: Mr. THUNE.

H.R. 4852: Mr. FOLEY.

H.R. 4865: Mr. TOM DAVIS of Virginia and Mr. VISCLOSKEY.

H.R. 4887: Mr. CARSON of Oklahoma.

H.R. 4888: Mr. BALDACCIO and Mr. CROWLEY.

H.R. 4895: Mr. COCKSEY.

H.R. 4922: Ms. MCKINNEY.

H.R. 4937: Mr. FORD, Mr. BARRETT, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Ms. DELAURO, and Ms. LEE.

H.R. 4939: Mr. DOYLE.

H.R. 4951: Mrs. DAVIS of California, Ms. CARSON of Indiana, Mr. LYNCH, Ms. LEE, Mr. PHELPS, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, and Mr. SANDERS.

H.R. 4965: Mr. BOOZMAN, Mr. LUCAS of Kentucky, Mr. HOSTETTLER, and Mr. HAYWORTH.

H.R. 4972: Mr. BALDACCIO.

H.R. 5001: Mr. LYNCH, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, and Ms. LEE.

H.R. 5033: Mr. PETRI, Mr. HASTERT, Mrs. BONO, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. ISSA,

Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. WELDON of Florida, and Mr. SESSIONS.

H.R. 5035: Mr. ETHERIDGE.

H.R. 5047: Mr. CAPUANO.

H.J. Res. 81: Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. CANNON, and Mr. GOODLATTE.

H.J. Res. 98: Mrs. MINK of Hawaii.

H. Con. Res. 197: Mr. JEFF MILLER of Florida and Mr. UDALL of New Mexico.

H. Con. Res. 238: Mrs. CAPITO.

H. Con. Res. 320: Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN.

H. Con. Res. 352: Mrs. CUBIN.

H. Con. Res. 362: Mr. DAVIS of Illinois and Mr. UNDERWOOD.

H. Con. Res. 380: Mr. CLYBURN.

H. Con. Res. 408: Mrs. DAVIS of California, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. MCHUGH, and Mr. SERRANO.

H. Con. Res. 409: Mr. CONYERS, Mrs. MORELLA, and Mr. OSBORNE.

H. Con. Res. 423: Mr. PENCE.

H. Con. Res. 429: Ms. BROWN of Florida, Ms. CARSON of Indiana, Mr. FATTAH, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. INSLEE, and Mr. SCOTT.

H. Res. 295: Mr. PHELPS.

H. Res. 393: Mr. HONDA, Mr. KLECZKA, Mrs. TAUSCHER, and Mr. ISAKSON.

H. Res. 410: Ms. SLAUGHTER.

H. Res. 469: Mr. ACKERMAN.

AMENDMENTS

Under clause 8 of rule XVIII, proposed amendments were submitted as follows:

H.R. 4635

OFFERED BY: MR. BARTON OF TEXAS

AMENDMENT No. 2: Page 8, line 8, strike "may" and insert "shall".

Page 8, line 10, strike "a" and insert "any".

Page 9, strike lines 3 through 9.

Page 9, line 10, strike "(5)" and insert "(4)".

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OFFERED BY: MR. BARTON OF TEXAS

AMENDMENT No. 3: Page 12, strike line 3 and all that follows through line 21 on page 13, and insert the following:

"(2) RISK-BENEFIT DETERMINATION DECISION.—Before the last day of such 2-year period, the President, in consultation with the Under Secretary, shall determine whether the security benefits of the Federal flight deck officer pilot program outweigh the risks of the program.

"(3) TERMINATION OF PILOT PROGRAM.—If the President, in consultation with the Under Secretary, determines under paragraph (2) that the risks outweigh the benefits, the President shall sign a certification ordering the Under Secretary to publish a notice in the Federal Register terminating the pilot program and explaining the reasons for the decision to terminate. The Under Secretary shall publish such notice and shall provide adequate notice of the decision to Federal flight deck officers and other individuals as necessary.

"(4) CONTINUATION OF PROGRAM.—If the President, in consultation with the Under Secretary, determines under paragraph (2) that the benefits outweigh the risks, the President shall sign a certification ordering the Under Secretary to publish a notice in the Federal Register announcing the continuation of the program. The Under Secretary shall publish such notice, continue the program in accordance with this section, and may increase the number of Federal flight deck officers participating in the program.

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OFFERED BY: MR. CUNNINGHAM

AMENDMENT No. 4: Page 9, line 6, strike "2 percent" and insert "25 percent".