

for consideration of the bill (H.R. 5121) making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2003, and for other purposes (Rept. 107-586). Referred to the House Calendar.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. GILMAN (for himself, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, Mrs. KELLY, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. HOLT, Mr. WALSH, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, and Mr. ENGEL):

H.R. 5146. A bill to establish the Highlands Stewardship Area in the States of Connecticut, New Jersey, New York, and Pennsylvania, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mrs. BONO (for herself, Mr. TERRY, Mr. BUYER, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. FRANK, Mr. SWEENEY, Mr. QUINN, Mr. OSBORNE, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. SHERWOOD, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, and Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi):

H.R. 5147. A bill to allow the Financial Accounting Standards Board to develop standards of financial accounting and reporting related to the treatment of stock options; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. HOBSON (for himself, Mr. HALL of Ohio, Mr. TIBERI, Mr. PORTMAN, Mr. OXLEY, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. NEY, Mr. REGULA, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. STRICKLAND, and Ms. PRYCE of Ohio):

H.R. 5148. A bill to establish the National Aviation Heritage Area, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. LEACH:

H.R. 5149. A bill to establish the Securities and Commodities Exchange Commission in order to combine the functions of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission and the Securities and Exchange Commission in a single independent regulatory commission, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services, 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. PALLONE:

H.R. 5150. A bill to remove the exemption with respect to Pakistan from the prohibition on assistance to a country whose elected head of government was deposed by decree or military coup; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. PAUL:

H.R. 5151. A bill to exclude certain properties from the John H. Chafee Coastal Barrier Resources System; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. QUINN (for himself, Mr. NADLER, Mr. KING, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. MCHUGH, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. FOSSELLA, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. OWENS, Mr. WALSH, Mr. ISRAEL, Mr. GRUCCI, and Mrs. LOWEY):

H.R. 5152. A bill to extend the period of availability of unemployment assistance under the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act in the case of victims of the terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mrs. ROUKEMA:

H.R. 5153. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located on

Kinderkamack Road in Emerson, New Jersey, as the "Gary Albergo Post Office Building"; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. STUPAK:

H.R. 5154. A bill to provide Medicare beneficiaries with access to prescription drugs at Federal Supply Schedule prices; 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. BROWN of South Carolina (for himself, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. DEMINT, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. GOODE, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. HALL of Texas, Ms. HART, Mr. HAYES, Mr. JENKINS, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Mr. KERNS, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. MCHUGH, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. OSBORNE, Mr. PENCE, Mr. PICKERING, Mr. PITTS, Mr. RILEY, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. SULLIVAN, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. VITTER, and Mr. WILSON of South Carolina):

H.J. Res. 106. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States respecting real and virtual child pornography; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. YOUNG of Alaska (for himself, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. PETRI, and Mr. BORSKI):

H. Con. Res. 442. Concurrent resolution recognizing the American Road and Transportation Builders Association for reaching its 100th Anniversary and for the many vital contributions of its members in the transportation construction industry to the American economy and quality of life through the multi-modal transportation infrastructure network its members have designed, built, and managed over the past century; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Ms. CARSON of Indiana (for herself, Mr. VISCLOSKEY, Mr. PENCE, Mr. ROEMER, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. BUYER, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. KERNS, Mr. HOSTETTLER, and Mr. HILL):

H. Con. Res. 443. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress supporting the 2002 World Basketball Championship and welcoming the 16 national teams competing; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. ISAKSON (for himself, Mr. TANNER, Mr. MATHESON, Mr. SIMPSON, Mr. PLATTS, Mr. TOM DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. ISTOOK, Mrs. BIGGERT, Mr. EHLERS, Mr. CALVERT, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mr. TIBERI, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. WELLER, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. BROWN of South Carolina, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. HAYES, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. KENNEDY of Minnesota, and Mr. MCKEON):

H. Con. Res. 444. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress that the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service should exert its best efforts to cause the Major League Baseball Players Association and the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues to enter into a contract to continue to play professional baseball games without engaging in a strike, a lockout, or any coercive conduct that interferes with the playing of scheduled professional baseball games; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. FATTAH (for himself, Mr. PAYNE, and Mr. MEEKS of New York):

H. Res. 490. A resolution concerning the formation of the African Union; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. STARK (for himself, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Ms. MCKINNEY, Ms. LEE, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. DOGGETT, Mr. MCGOVERN, and Mr. FARR of California):

H. Res. 491. A resolution supporting the use of fair trade certified coffee; to the Committee on Government Reform, and in addition to the Committees on House Administration, and 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.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 360: Mr. SANDERS.
 H.R. 632: Mr. FATTAH, Mr. STUPAK, and Mr. NORWOOD.
 H.R. 638: Mr. CUMMINGS.
 H.R. 658: Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota.
 H.R. 840: Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. LANGEVIN, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. DOGGETT, and Mr. HOUGHTON.
 H.R. 853: Mr. BARCIA.
 H.R. 969: Mr. AKIN.
 H.R. 1296: Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky.
 H.R. 1307: Mr. CONYERS.
 H.R. 1362: Mr. ROTHMAN.
 H.R. 1581: Mr. CRENSHAW.
 H.R. 1723: Mr. MARKEY.
 H.R. 1726: Mr. MCGOVERN.
 H.R. 1842: Mr. KANJORSKI.
 H.R. 1907: Mr. ORTIZ.
 H.R. 2117: Mr. SHERMAN and Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas.
 H.R. 2570: Mrs. MALONEY of New York and Mr. RANGEL.
 H.R. 2702: Mr. MATHESON and Mr. KIRK.
 H.R. 2735: Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, and Mr. KENNEDY of Minnesota.
 H.R. 2763: Mr. GRAHAM.
 H.R. 2874: Mr. PALLONE, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, and Ms. BERKLEY.
 H.R. 3063: Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. MCGOVERN, and Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island.
 H.R. 3273: Mr. SIMMONS and Mr. WILSON of South Carolina.
 H.R. 3321: Mr. ACEVEDO-VILA.
 H.R. 3339: Mr. PRICE of North Carolina.
 H.R. 3443: Mr. MANZULLO.
 H.R. 3450: Mr. GOSS, Mrs. KELLY, and Mr. BARTON of Texas.
 H.R. 3456: Mr. ROSS.
 H.R. 3567: Mr. HOEKSTRA and Mr. WILSON of South Carolina.
 H.R. 3594: Ms. WOOLSEY.
 H.R. 3645: Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. MCKEON, and Mr. UDALL of New Mexico.
 H.R. 3695: Mr. BROWN of Ohio and Ms. LEE.
 H.R. 3831: Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, and Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York.
 H.R. 3884: Mr. CARDIN, Mr. WEXLER, and Mr. MATHESON.
 H.R. 3894: Mr. BARRETT.
 H.R. 3974: Mr. FILNER.
 H.R. 4061: Mr. LATOURETTE.
 H.R. 4098: Ms. NORTON, Ms. DELAULO, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, and Mrs. LOWEY.
 H.R. 4194: KLECZKA, Mr. PASTOR, and Mr. TOWNS.
 H.R. 4483: Mr. LIPINSKI and Mr. LANTOS.
 H.R. 4524: Mr. CUMMINGS and Mr. PAYNE.
 H.R. 4600: Mrs. EMERSON, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, and Mr. ROGERS of Kentucky.
 H.R. 4668: Ms. SLAUGHTER.
 H.R. 4693: Mr. SKELTON and Mr. VITTER.

H.R. 4730: Mr. NADLER.
 H.R. 4754: Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. FILNER, and Mr. PRICE of North Carolina.
 H.R. 4757: Mr. SCHIFF.
 H.R. 4780: Mr. BERMAN, Mr. KILDEE, Ms. WATERS, Mr. FRANK, and Mr. PHELPS.
 H.R. 4790: Mr. KERNS.
 H.R. 4792: Mr. BACA.
 H.R. 4804: Mr. CRANE and Mr. KERNS.
 H.R. 4821: Mr. ISRAEL.
 H.R. 4840: Mr. RADANOVICH.
 H.R. 4852: Mr. JEFF MILLER of Florida.
 H.R. 4857: Mrs. MORELLA.
 H.R. 4881: Mrs. MYRICK and Mr. ENGLISH.
 H.R. 4894: Mr. BARRETT, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri, Mr. DOYLE, and Ms. MCKINNEY.
 H.R. 4909: Mr. SOUDER.
 H.R. 4937: Mr. STARK and Mr. CUMMINGS.
 H.R. 4951: Mr. TOWNS, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. PAYNE, and Mr. ENGEL.
 H.R. 4963: Mr. DUNCAN and Mr. SMITH of New Jersey.
 H.R. 4967: Mr. GUTIERREZ and Mr. BERMAN.
 H.R. 4976: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY.
 H.R. 5013: Mr. PICKERING, Mr. BOYD, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. KERNS, Mrs. JO ANN DAVIS of Virginia, and Mr. SHOWS.
 H.R. 5033: Mr. BROWN of South Carolina, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. GARY G. MILLER of California, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. KERNS, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, and Mr. KOLBE.
 H.R. 5005: Mr. UDALL of New Mexico.
 H.R. 5064: Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. FORBES, Mr. HERGER, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. JEFF MILLER of Florida, Mr. CANTOR, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. GRAVES, Mr. POMBO, and Mr. HAYES.
 H.R. 5069: Mr. NADLER.
 H.R. 5073: Ms. PELOSI.
 H.R. 5089: Mr. LEVIN.
 H.R. 5105: Mr. FRANK and Mr. MCGOVERN.
 H.R. 5107: Mr. WYNN, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. ROSS, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. HOFFEL, Mr. JOHN, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. CARSON of Oklahoma, Mr. DICKS, Mr. HOLDEN, and Mr. BOSWELL.
 H.R. 5129: Mr. BARR of Georgia.
 H.R. 5135: Mr. BALLENGER and Mr. MEEKS of New York.
 H.R. 5139: Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. FROST, Mr. McNULTY, Ms. NORTON, Mr. PETERSON of

Minnesota, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. McDERMOTT, Ms. MCCOLLUM, and Mrs. CLAYTON.
 H. Con. Res. 221: Mr. MEEKS of New York.
 H. Con. Res. 238: Mr. UDALL of New Mexico.
 H. Con. Res. 269: Mrs. KELLY, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, and Mr. SENSENBRENNER.
 H. Con. Res. 327: Mr. GILMAN, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, and Mr. HOUGHTON.
 H. Con. Res. 367: Mr. WALSH, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, and Mr. ROGERS of Michigan.
 H. Con. Res. 385: Mr. SUNUNU, Mr. BENTSEN, and Mr. CUMMINGS.
 H. Con. Res. 421: Mr. ROTHMAN.
 H. Con. Res. 437: Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. LANTOS, and Mr. MORAN of Virginia.
 H. Con. Res. 439: Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Ms. PELOSI, Ms. WATERS, Ms. DUNN, and Mrs. MEEKS of Florida.
 H. Res. 94: Mr. FORD, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. FILNER, Mr. BARRETT, Mr. BACA, Mr. BAIRD, Mr. GIBBONS, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. LEWIS of California, Mr. FALCOMAVAEGA, Mr. TOM DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. REYES, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Mr. UDALL of New Mexico, Mr. INSLEE, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. HILL, Ms. PELOSI, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Ms. SANCHEZ, Ms. DUNN, Mr. HINOJOSA, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. DELAHUNT, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mr. McNULTY, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. BERRY, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. CARSON of Oklahoma, Mr. WU, Mr. HINCHEY, Ms. RIVERS, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. DICKS, Mr. CLAY, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Ms. HARMAN, Mrs. CAPITO, and Ms. ESHOO.
 H. Res. 295: Mrs. MORELLA.
 H. Res. 410: Mr. SCHAFFER.
 H. Res. 443: Mr. PASTOR.

AMENDMENTS

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

AGRICULTURE APPROPRIATIONS BILL

OFFERED BY: MR. ROYCE

AMENDMENT NO. 1: At the end of the bill, before the short title, insert the following new section:

SEC. ____ . None of the funds appropriated by this Act may be used to pay the salaries

and expenses of personnel of the Department of Agriculture to carry out a market promotion/market access program pursuant to the Agricultural Trade Act of 1978.

H.R. 5120

OFFERED BY: MR. HEFLEY

AMENDMENT NO. 15: Page 57, line 1, after the dollar amount, insert the following: “(reduced by \$339,000)”.

H.R. 5120

OFFERED BY: MR. HEFLEY

AMENDMENT NO. 16: At the end of the bill (before the short title), insert the following:

SEC. ____ . Each amount appropriated or otherwise made available by this Act that is not required to be appropriated or otherwise made available by a provision of law is hereby reduced by 1 percent.

H.R. 5120

OFFERED BY: MR. KUCINICH

AMENDMENT NO. 17: Page 71, beginning on line 1, strike section 513 (relating to applicability of cost accounting standards to Federal Employees Health Benefits Program).

H.R. 5120

OFFERED BY: MR. KUCINICH

AMENDMENT NO. 18: At the end of the bill (before the short title), add the following new section:

SEC. ____ . None of the funds provided in this Act shall be used to enforce or implement discounts for the statistical value of a human life estimated during regulatory reviews through implementation of OMB Circular A-94 Guidelines and Discount Rates for Benefit Cost Analysis of Federal Programs or any guidance having the same substance.

H.R. 5120

OFFERED BY: MS. MILLENDER-MCDONALD

AMENDMENT NO. 19: Page 61, line 12, insert before the period the following:

Provided further, That, of the funds provided in this paragraph, \$600,000 shall be for the preservation of the records of the Freedmen's Bureau, as required by section 2910 of title 44, United States Code, and as authorized by section 3 of the Freedmen's Bureau Records Preservation Act of 2000 (Pub. L. 106-444)