By Mr. DEUTSCH (for himself and Ms. Ros-Lehtinen):

H.R. 5161. A bill to provide for the transfer of certain real property by the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. GUTIERREZ:

H.R. 5162. A bill to treat arbitration clauses which are unilaterally imposed on consumers as an unfair and deceptive trade practice and prohibit their use in consumer transactions, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. HAYWORTH (for himself and Mr. PASTOR):

H.R. 5163. A bill to approve the settlement of the water rights claims of the Zuni Indian Tribe in Apache County, Arizona, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mrs. MALONEY of New York (for herself, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. WEINER, and Mr. McNulty):

H.R. 5164. A bill to amend the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act to improve Federal response efforts after a terrorist strike or other major disaster affecting homeland security, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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. PLATTS (for himself, Mr. JEN-KINS, and Mr. SOUDER):

H.R. 5165. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for an enhanced deduction for qualified residence interest on acquisition indebtedness for heritage homes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. PORTMAN (for himself, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. CRANE, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. CAMP, Ms. DUNN, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. WATKINS, Mr. WELLER, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, and Mr. FOLEY):

H.R. 5166. A bill to simplify the Internal Revenue Code of 1986; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. STARK:

H.R. 5167. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act with respect to reform of payment for drugs and biologicals under the Medicare Program; 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. TAYLOR of North Carolina:

H.R. 5168. A bill to provide a process for the establishment of the Blue Ridge National Heritage Area in the State of North Carolina, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. FOSSELLA (for himself, Mrs. McCarthy of New York, Mr. Hinchey, Mr. Grucci, Mr. Gilman, Mr. Rangel, Mrs. Maloney of New York, Mr. Towns, Mr. Nadler, Mr. King, Mr. Quinn, Mrs. Kelly, Mr. Ackerman, Mr. Weiner, Mr. Houghton, Mr. Israel, Mr. Engel, and Mr. Boehlert):

H. Res. 492. A resolution expressing gratitude for the 10-month-long World Trade Center cleanup and recovery efforts at the Fresh Kills Landfill on Staten Island, New York, following the terrorist attacks of September 11, 2001; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. JEFFERSON:

H. Res. 493. A resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 664) to amend title II of the Social Security Act to provide that the reductions in Social Security bene-

fits which are required in the case of spouses and surviving spouses who are also receiving certain Government pensions shall be equal to the amount by which the total amount of the combined monthly benefit (before reduction) and monthly pension exceeds \$1,200; to the Committee on Rules.

By Mrs. MORELLA (for herself, Mr. EHRLICH, Mr. GILCHREST, Mr. TOM DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. WOLF, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, and Mr. WYNN):

H. Res. 494. A resolution honoring the United States Youth Soccer National Championships at the Maryland SoccerPlex in Germantown, Maryland; to the Committee on Government Reform.

MEMORIALS

Under clause 3 of rule XII, memorials were presented and referred as follows:

334. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Senate of the State of Louisiana, relative to Senate Resolution No. 58 memorializing the United States Congress to enact legislation to ensure that deserving victims of asbestos exposure receive compensation for their injuries; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

335. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana, relative to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 16 memorializing the United States Congress to impose a quota on certain imported seafood such as shrimp; jointly to the Committees on Agriculture and Ways and Means.

336. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Hawaii, relative to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 69 memorializing the United States Congress to request that the United Nations consider the establishment in Hawaii, of a Center for the Health, Welfare, and Education of Children, Youth and Families for Asia and the Pacific; jointly to the Committees on International Relations and Energy and Commerce.

337. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the State of Louisiana, relative to Senate Resolution No. 62 memorializing the United States Congress to convene a summit meeting to discuss a long range, strategic plan for future economic development of the utility, communication, and transportation industry in Louisiana; jointly to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure, Financial Services, and Energy and Commerce.

338. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Colorado, relative to Senate Joint Resolution No. 02-008 memorializing the United States Congress and President Bush for his decision to protect the United States steel industry and continue to express support for the federal Steel Revitalization Act of 2001 and the emergency measures that need to be taken to save the American Steel Industry; jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means, Financial Services, and Education and the Workforce.

339. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Hawaii, relative to Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 127 memorializing the United States Congress to appropriate adequate financial impact assistance for health, education, and other social services for Hawaii's Freely Associated States citizens; jointly to the Committees on Agriculture, Ways and Means, Financial Services, and Energy and Commerce.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 31: Mr. SULLIVAN.

H.R. 134: Mr. MATHESON.

H.R. 168: Mr. HERGER.

H.R. 257: Mr. HYDE and Mr. GRAHAM.

H.R. 267: Mr. John.

H.R. 439: Mr. UNDERWOOD. H.R. 488: Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island.

H.R. 548: Mr. TIERNEY.

 $\rm H.R.$ 632: Mr. Gonzalez, Mr. Stearns, and Mr. Fossella.

H.R. 690: Mr. LEVIN.

H.R. 699: Mr. HILLEARY.

H.R. 737: Ms. McKinney.

 $\rm H.R.~792;~Mr.~NADLER$ and $\rm Mr.~SMITH$ of New Jersey.

H.R. 951: Ms. Slaughter, Mr. Lipinski, and Mr. Walsh.

H.R. 1005: Mr. Phelps.

H.R. 1021: Mr. SHIMKUS.

H.R. 1155: Mr. LINDER.

H.R. 1213: Mr. BEREUTER. H.R. 1233: Mr. UNDERWOOD.

 $\rm H.R.~1360;~Mr.~BECERRA$ and $\rm Mr.~CARSON$ of Oklahoma.

H.R. 1490: Ms. RIVERS.

H.R. 1556: Mr. Skelton.

H.R. 1581: Mr. PUTNAM and Mr. BOSWELL

H.R. 1609: Mr. Frost and Mr. Skelton.

H.R. 1908: Mr. BRYANT.

H.R. 2021: Mr. Peterson of Minnesota.

H.R. 2219: Mr. BISHOP and Mr. ENGEL.

H.R. 2220: Mr. BAIRD.

H.R. 2316: Mr. HEFLEY.

H.R. 2320: Mr. CARSON of Oklahoma.

H.R. 2462: Mr. STUPAK.

H.R. 2748: Ms. Solis.

H.R. 2817: Mr. Phelps.

H.R. 2905: Mr. Lobiondo.

H.R. 3154: Mr. SMITH of New Jersey.

H.R. 3183: Mr. BONIOR.

 $\rm H.R.$ 3246: Mr. McDermott.

H.R. 3320: Mr. HERGER.

 $\rm H.R.~2350;~Mr.~CRAMER,~Mr.~COLLINS,~Mr.~MATHESON,~and~Mr.~HILLEARY.$

H.R. 3585: Mr. LEVIN.

H.R. 3645: Mr. Shows, Ms. Berkley, Mr. Pickering, and Mr. Rodriguez.

H.R. 3710: Mr. SNYDER, Mr. BRYANT, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. RANGEL, and Mr. OWENS.

H.R. 3747: Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California.

H.R. 3770: Mr. BALDACCI and Mr. ENGLISH.

H.R. 3372: Ms. McKinney.

H.R. 3782: Ms. HARMAN and Ms. MILLENDER-McDonald.

H.R. 3795: Mr. Evans and Mr. Abercrombie. H.R. 3804: Mr. Hall of Ohio, Mr. Nadler, Ms. Norton, and Mr. Levin.

H.R. 3880: Mr. SWEENEY.

H.R. 3884: Ms. Velazquez, Mr. Kucinich, Mr. Boswell, Mr. Ford, Mr. Rothman, and Mr. Thompson of Mississippi.

H.R. 3973: Mr. Fossella

H.R. 3974: Mr. RUSH.

H.R. 3992: Mr. CARSON of Oklahoma.

H.R. 4010: Mr. Cooksey.

H.R. 4029: Mr. UNDERWOOD. H.R. 4030: Mr. WHITFIELD.

H.R. 4058: Mr. CROWLEY AND MRS. MORELLA.

H.R. 4515: Mr. Frost.

H.R. 4555: Mr. Fossella and Ms. Brown of Florida

H.R. 4599: Mr. PHELPS and Ms. NORTON.

H.R. 4600: Mrs. Kelly and Mrs. Cubin.

H.R. 4614: Mr. WEXLER.

H.R. 4646: Mr. DEUTSCH and Mr. SCHIFF.

 $\rm H.R.~4683;~Ms.~BALDWIN,~Mr.~DEFAZIO,~and~Ms.~RIVERs.$

H.R. 4691: Mr. Burton of Indiana, Mr. Petri, Mr. Oberstar, Mr. Cantor, Mr. Kennedy of Minnesota, Mr. Hoekstra, Mr. Schrock, and Mr. Tom Davis of Virginia.

H.R. 4697: Mr. FOLEY and Mr. Brown of Ohio.

H.R. 4720: Mr. GORDON.

 $\rm H.R.~4738;~Mr.~EHRLICH,~Mrs.~Bono,~and~Mr.~Whitfield.$

H.R. 4740: Mr. UDALL of New Mexico and Mr. THOMPSON of California.

- H.R. 4742: Mr. HOYER.
- H.R. 4764: Mr. PHELPS and Mr. COSTELLO.
- H.R. 4777: Mr. QUINN, Mr. HILL, and Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD.
- H.R. 4793: Mr. Cummings and Mr. Pascrell.
- H.R. 4814: Mr. Acevedo-Vila.
- H.R. 4843: Mr. Pence, Mr. Souder, Mr. Platts, Mr. Leach, Mr. Bryant, Mr. Davis of Illinois, Mr. Blagojevich, Mr. Manzullo, Mr. Hilleary, Mr. Burton of Indiana, and Mr. Price of North Carolina.
 - H.R. 4887: Mr. KLECZKA and Mr. DEUTSCH.
- H.R. 4904: Ms. Schakowsky, Mr. Bonior, and Mr. Rotham.
- H.R. 4925: Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut.
- H.R. 4940: Mr. UDALL of New Mexico, Mr. GIBBONS, and Mr. CALLAHAN.
- $\rm H.R.~4950;~Mr.~GRAHAM,~Mr.~SCHROCK,~and~Mr.~Brown~of~South~Carolina.$
- H.R. 4965: Mr. Ganske, Mr. Goss, Mr. Platts, and Mr. Pombo.
- H.R. 5023: Ms. LEE, Mr. LANGEVIN, Mr. DOGGETT, Mr. FROST, Mr. FILNER, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. WAXMAN, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. BONIOR, and Mr. McGOV-FRN
 - H.R. 5026: Mr. Fossella.
 - H.R. 5031: Ms. Lofgren and Mr. Deutsch.
- H.R. 5033: Mr. SCHROCK, Mr. KELLER, Mr. GALLEGLY, and Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania.
- H.R. 5055: Mr. PICKERING.
- H.R. 5064: Mr. RILEY.
- $\rm H.R.~5085;~Mr.~Levin$ and Mrs. Jo Ann Davis of Virginia.
- H.R. 5104: Ms. McKinney, Mr. Kildee, Mr. McDermott, and Mr. Frost.
- H.R. 5107: Ms. McCarthy of Missouri, Mr. Ackerman, Mr. Andrews, Mr. Barrett, Ms. Berkley, Mr. Blagojevich, Mr. Clement, Ms. Delauro, Mr. Gilman, Ms. Eshoo, Mr. Evans, Mr. Faleomavaega, Mr. Fattah, Mr. Filner, Mr. Ford, Mr. Green of Texas, Mr. Gutierrez, Mr. Hinchey, Mr. Inslee, Mr. Kennedy of Rhode Island, Mr. Kucinich, Mr. Kuensedy of Rhode Island, Mr. Kucinich, Mr. Luyis of Georgia, Mr. Lipinski, Ms. Lofgren, Mr. Luyher, Mrs. McCarthy of New York, Mr. McNulty, Mr. Meeks of New York, Mr. George Miller of California, Mr. Nadler, Mr. Rothman, Ms. Roybal-Allard, Mr. Udall of Colorado, Ms. Velazquez, Ms. Waters, and Mr. Weiner.
 - H.R. 5112: Mr. UNDERWOOD.
 - H.R. 5122: Mr. Burton of Indiana.
- H.R. 5147: Mrs. Myrick, Mr. Cannon, Mr. Manzullo, Mr. Waxman, Ms. McCarthy of Missouri, Mr. Rehberg, Mr. Whitfield, Mr. Aderholt, and Mr. Lewis of California.
- H.J. Res. 105: Mr. BALLENGER.
- H.J. Res. 106: Mr. AKIN, Mr. BALLENGER, and Mr. BARCIA.
- H. Con. Res. 4: Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut.
- H. Con. Res. 20: Mr. LYNCH, Mr. FILNER, and Mrs. Bono.
 - $H.\ Con.\ Res.\ 164:\ Mr.\ Frank.$
- H. Con. Res. 269: Ms. ESHOO, Mr. GEKAS, Mr. GILCHREST, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mrs. MORELLA, Ms. RIVERS, and Mr. SNYDER.
- H. Con. Res. 297: Mr. Larson of Connecticut, Mrs. Morella, Mr. Frost, Mrs. Mink of Hawaii, Mr. Rohrabacher, Mr. Barr of Georgia, and Mr. Fossella.
- H. Con. Res. 436: Ms. Solis.
- H. Con. Res. 437: Mr. DICKS, Mr. ROHR-ABACHER, Mr. DEUTSCH, and Mr. ENGLISH.
- H. Con. Res. 438: Mrs. Jones of Ohio, Mr. Lewis of Georgia, and Mr. Frank.
- H. Con. Res. 439: Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. WALSH, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. STARK, Mr. HOYER, Mr. DICKS, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. SKEEN, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. TANNER, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. BERMAN, and Ms. NORTON.
- H. Con. Res. 442: Mr. Shuster, Mr. Otter, Mr. Isakson, Mr. Moran of Kansas, Mr. Graves, Mr. Coble, Mr. Ehlers, Mr. Rehberg, and Mr. Rogers of Michigan.

- H. Res. 87: Mr. CUMMINGS.
- H. Res. 117: Mr. McDermott, Mr. Doggett, and Mr. Inslee.
 - H. Res. 410: Mr. PLATTS.
- H. Res. 453: Mr. DOYLE.
- H. Res. 484: Mr. BISHOP, Mr. BOYD, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. ETHERIDGE, Mr. WEXLER, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. LYNCH, and Mr. GREEN of Texas.

DELETIONS OF SPONSORS FROM PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

H.R. 5059: Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina.

DISCHARGE PETITIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XV, the following discharge petition was filed:

Petition 8. July 17, 2002, by Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut on House Resolution 456, was signed by the following Members: James H., Maloney, Lois Capps, Nick Lampson, Shelley Berkley, Nancy Pelosi, Martin Frost, John B. Larson, Robert Menendez, Adam B. Schiff, Gergory W. Meeks, Ciro D. Rodriguez, Diane E. Watson, Richard E. Neal, Rosa L. DeLauro, Vic Snyder, Brad Carson, John Lewis, Max Sandlin, Benjamin L. Cardin, Hilda L. Solis, Louise McIntosh Slaughter, Collin C. Peterson, Bart Stupak, Barbara Lee, Stephen F. Lynch, Marcy Kaptur, Lynn C. Woolsey, Julia Carson, Susan A. Davis, Loretta Sanchez, Diana DeGette, Michael M. Honda, Patrick J. Kennedy, Martin T. Meehan, Dale E. Kildee, Bobby L. Rush, Dennis J. Kucinich, Bill Pascrell, Jr., Robert T. Matsui, Ron Kind, Peter A. DeFazio, Nydia M. Velazquez, Gary L. Ackerman, Ike Skelton, David D. Phelps, Thomas M. Barrett, Karen McCarthy, Tom Udall, Tom Sawyer, Janice D. Schakowsky, Lane Evans, Karen L. Thurman, Danny K. Davis, Jim McDermott, James R. Langevin, John F. Tierney, Grace F. Napolitano, Ruben Hinojosa, Juanita Millender-McDonald, Sherrod Brown, Steve Israel, Maurice D. Hinchey, James P. Moran, Thomas H. Allen, John W. Olver, Edward J. Markey, Rush D. Holt, Nita M. Lowey, Marion Berry, Major R. Owens, Jose E. Serrano, Frank Pallone, Jr., Michael R. McNulty, Zoe Lofgren, Eddie Bernice Johnson, Bob Filner, Robert E. Andrews, Edolphus Towns, Rick Larsen, Bill Luther, Xavier Becerra, Jim Turner, Mike Ross, Lynn N. Rivers, Bob Etheridge, Leonard L. Boswell, Joe Baca, Bernard Sanders, Carolyn B. Maloney, Anna G. Eshoo, Eva M. Clayton, Tom Lantos, Wm. Lacy Clay, Tammy Baldwin, Sheila Jackson-Lee, Dennis Moore, Ted Strickland, Robert Wexler, Steven R. Rothman, Joseph M. Hoeffel, Albert Russell Wynn, Carolyn C. Kilpatrick, Chet Edwards, John M. Spratt, Jr., Earl F. Hilliard, Anthony D. Weiner, Donald M. Payne, Cynthia A. McKinney, Carrie P. Meek, Sanford D. Bishop, Jr., Jim Matheson, Jay Inslee, Lucille Roybal-Allard, Mark Udall, Steny H. Hoyer, Nick J. Rahall II, Patsy T. Mink, Gene Taylor, Gary A. Condit, David R. Obey, Jim Davis, Brad Sherman, John J. LaFalce, Carolyn McCarthy, John Conyers, Jr., James P. McGovern, George Miller, Alcee L. Hastings, Corrine Brown, Tim Holden, James A. Barcia, Michael E. Capuano, David Wu, Bennie G. Thompson, James E. Clyburn, Jesse L. Jackson, Jr., Robert A. Brady, Robert E. (Bud) Cramer, Jr., Luis V. Gutierrez, Solomon P. Ortiz, William D. Delahunt, Jerry F. Costello, Bart Gordon, William J. Coyne, Chaka Fattah,

William J. Jefferson, Michael F. Doyle, Charles B. Rangel, Melvin L. Watt, Darlene Hooley, Maxine Waters, Baron P. Hill, Mike Thompson, Barney Frank, Gene Green, Sam Farr, Eliot L. Engel, Fortney Pete Stark, John D. Dingell, Henry A. Waxman, Robert C. Scott, Silvestre Reyes, Robert A. Borski, Tony P. Hall, Howard L. Berman, Stephanie Tubbs Jones, Martin Olav Sabo, Harold E. Ford, Jr., Sander M. Levin, Betty McCollum, Ed Pastor, James L. Oberstar, Norman D. Dicks, Richard A. Gephardt, Peter Deutsch, Jerrold Nadler, Neil Abercrombie, Ellen O. Tauscher, Joseph Crowley, Lloyd Doggett, Mike McIntyre, Rod R. Blagojevich, and Elijah E. Cummings.

DISCHARGE PETITIONS— ADDITIONS OR DELETIONS

The following Members added their names to the following discharge petitions:

Petition 7, by Ms. THURMAN on House Resolution 425: Melvin L. Watt, and Martin Olav Sabo.

AMENDMENTS

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

AGRICULTURE APPROPRIATIONS BILL

OFFERED BY: MR. HEFLEY

AMENDMENT No. 2: At the end of the bill, before the short title, insert the following new section:

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.

AGRICULTURE APPROPRIATIONS BILL

OFFERED BY: Ms. WATERS

AMENDMENT No. 3: In title V, in the item relating to "Public Law 480 Title II Grants" add at the end the following new paragraph:

"In addition for such purposes, to be used to provide seeds, tools, water control systems, and other agricultural inputs for small farmers in southern African countries affected by the current food crisis, including Lesotho, Malawi, Mozambique, Swaziland, Zambia, and Zimbabwe, \$100,000,000: Provided, That the entire amount shall be available only to the extent an official budget request, that includes designation of the entire amount of the request as an emergency requirement as defined in the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as amended, is transmitted by the President to the Congress: Provided further, That such amount is designated by the Congress as an emergency requirement pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A) of such Act.

AGRICULTURE APPROPRIATIONS BILL

OFFERED BY: Ms. WATERS

AMENDMENT No. 4: In title V, in the item relating to "Public Law 480 Title II Grants" add at the end the following new paragraph:

"In addition for such purposes, \$200,000,000: Provided, That the entire amount shall be available only to the extent an official budget request, that includes designation of the entire amount of the request as an emergency requirement as defined in the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as amended, is transmitted by the President to the Congress: Provided further, That such amount is designated by the Congress as an emergency requirement pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(A) of such Act.