

the Service's final rule — 2002 Section 43 Inflation Adjustment [Notice 2002-53] received July 30, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

8873. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — 2002 Marginal Production Rates [Notice 2002-54] received July 30, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

8874. 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. 2002-53) received August 21, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

8875. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Low Income Housing Credit — received August 21, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

8876. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Split-Dollar Life Insurance Arrangements [Notice 2002-59] received August 21, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

8877. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Election to Include in Gross Income Gain on Assets held on January 1, 2001 [Notice 2002-58] received August 16, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

8878. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Furnishing Identifying Number of Income Tax Return Preparer [TD 9014] (RIN: 1545-AX27) received August 16, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

8879. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Service Revenue, transmitting the Service's final rule — Regulations Governing Practice Before the Internal Revenue Service [TD 9011] (RIN: 1545-AY05) received July 26, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

8880. A letter from the transmitting the Service's final rule — Election to Include in Gross Income Gain on Assets held on January 1, 2001 [Notice 2002-58] received August 16, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

8881. A letter from the Under Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's letter regarding a report required under Public Law 107-117, the Defense Appropriations Act of 2002; jointly to the Committees on Armed Services and Appropriations.

8882. A letter from the Deputy Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's report on international assistance for the elimination of Russia's chemical weapons, pursuant to Public Law 106-398, Section 1309(b), the National Defense Authorization Act for FY 2001; jointly to the Committees on Armed Services and International Relations.

8883. A letter from the Regulations Coordinator, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Medicare Program; End-Stage Renal Disease: Removing of Waiver of Conditions for Coverage under a State of Emergency in the Houston, Texas Area [CMS-3074-F2] (RIN: 0938-AK98) received July 25, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Ways and Means.

8884. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, trans-

mitting a report that the Department of Health and Human Services is allocating emergency funds made available under section 2604(g) of the Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Act of 1981, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 8623(g); jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Education and the Workforce.

8885. A letter from the Regulations Coordinator, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's "Major" final rule — Medicare Program; Medicare-Endorsed Prescription Drug Card Assistance Initiative (RIN: 0938-AL25) received August 30, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Ways and Means.

8886. A letter from the Chairperson, United States Commission on Civil Rights, transmitting the Commission's report entitled "Funding Federal Civil Rights Enforcement: 2000-2003," pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 1975a(c); jointly to the Committees on the Judiciary and Education and the Workforce.

8887. A letter from the Regulations Coordinator, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's "Major" final rule — Medicare Program; Changes to the Hospital Inpatient Prospective Payment Systems and Fiscal Year 2003 Rates [CMS-1203-F] (RIN: 0938-AL23) received July 31, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and Energy and Commerce.

8888. A letter from the Regulations Coordinator, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Medicare Program; Prospective Payment System and Consolidated Billing for Skilled Nursing Facilities — Update — Notice [CMS-1202-N] (RIN: 0938-AL20) received July 31, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and Energy and Commerce.

8889. A letter from the Director, National Science Foundation, transmitting an annual report from the National Oceanographic Partnership Program (NOPP), National Ocean Research Leadership Council (NORLC); jointly to the Committees on Armed Services, Resources, and Science.

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. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 4727. A bill to reauthorize the national dam safety program, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 107-626). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. HANSEN: Committee on Resources. H.R. 2099. A bill to amend the Omnibus Parks and Public Lands Management Act of 1996 to provide adequate funding authorization for the Vancouver National Historic Reserve; with an amendment (Rept. 107-627). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. HANSEN: Committee on Resources. H.R. 2534. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a special resource study of the Lower Los Angeles River and San Gabriel River watersheds in the State of California, and other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 107-628). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. HANSEN: Committee on Resources. H.R. 2534. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior, through the Bureau of Reclama-

tion, to construct the Jicarilla Apache Nation Municipal Water Delivery and Wastewater Collection Systems in the State of New Mexico, and other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 107-629). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. HANSEN: Committee on Resources. H.R. 3407. A bill to amend the Indian Financing Act of 1974 to improve the effectiveness of the Indian loan guarantee and insurance program; with an amendment (Rept. 107-630). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. HANSEN: Committee on Resources. H.R. 3449. A bill to revise the boundaries of the George Washington Birthplace National Monument, and for other purposes (Rept. 107-631). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. HANSEN: Committee on Resources. H.R. 3534. A bill to provide for the settlement of certain land claims of Cherokee, Choctaw, and Chickasaw Nations to the Arkansas Riverbed in Oklahoma; with an amendment (Rept. 107-632). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. HANSEN: Committee on Resources. H.R. 4638. A bill to reauthorize the Mni Wiconi Rural Water Supply Project (Rept. 107-633). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. HANSEN: Committee on Resources. H.R. 4682. A bill to revise the boundary of the Allegheny Portage Railroad National Historic Site, and for other purposes (Rept. 107-634). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. HANSEN: Committee on Resources. H.R. 4739. A bill to amend the Reclamation Wastewater and Groundwater Study and Facilities Act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to participate in the design, planning, and construction of a project to reclaim and reuse wastewater within and outside of the service area of the City of Austin Water and Wastewater Utility, Texas (Rept. 107-635). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. HANSEN: Committee on Resources. H.R. 4917. A bill to provide for an exchange of lands with the United Water Conservation District of California to eliminate private inholdings in the Los Padres National Forest, and for other purposes (Rept. 107-636). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. HANSEN: Committee on Resources. H.R. 4953. A bill to direct the Secretary of the Interior to grant to Deschutes and Crook Counties in the State of Oregon a right-of-way to West Butte Road; with an amendment (Rept. 107-637). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. HANSEN: Committee on Resources. S. 238. An act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to conduct feasibility studies on water optimization in the Burnt River basin, Malheur River basin, Owyhee River basin, and Powder River Basin, Oregon (Rept. 107-638). Referred to the Committee of the Mobile House on the State of the Union.

Mr. HANSEN: Committee on Resources. S. 1105. An act to provide for the expeditious completion of the acquisition of State of Wyoming lands within the boundaries of Grand Teton National Park, and for other purposes (Rept. 107-639). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. SENSENBRENNER: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 3995. A bill to amend and extend certain laws relating to housing and community opportunity and for other purposes (Rept. 107-640 Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

TIME LIMITATION OF REFERRED BILL

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

[The following action occurred on August 31, 2002]

H.R. 5259. Referral to the Committee on the Budget extended for a period ending not later than September 13, 2002.

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. KOLBE:

H.R. 5316. A bill to establish a user fee system that provides for an equitable return to the Federal Government for the occupancy and use of National Forest System lands and facilities by organizational camps that serve the youth and disabled adults of America, 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. FOLEY (for himself, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. GREENWOOD, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. TIBERI, Mr. HAYES, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. SCHROCK, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. KENNEDY of Minnesota, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. BOYD, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. GRUCCI, and Mr. KELLER):

H.R. 5317. A bill to develop, coordinate, and improve the AMBER Alert communications network throughout the country; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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. DUNCAN:

H.R. 5318. A bill to provide for an exchange of certain private property in Colorado and certain Federal property in Utah; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. MCINNIS (for himself, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. SIMPSON, Mr. TANCREDO, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. HERGER, Mr. OTTER, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. HEFLEY, Mr. GIBBONS, Mr. POMBO, and Mr. DOOLITTLE):

H.R. 5319. A bill to improve the capacity of the Secretary of Agriculture and the Secretary of the Interior to expeditiously address wildfire prone conditions on National Forest System lands and other public lands that threaten communities, watersheds, and other at-risk landscapes through the establishment of expedited environmental analysis procedures under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969, to establish a predecisional administrative review process for the Forest Service, to expand fire management contracting authorities, to authorize appropriations for hazardous fuels reduction projects, 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. YOUNG of Florida:

H.R. 5320. A bill making appropriations for the Department of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2003, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. BOSWELL (for himself and Mr. LEACH):

H.R. 5321. A bill to improve the provision of health care in all areas of the United States; 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. CANTOR:

H.R. 5322. A bill to limit the period of validity of driver's licenses and State identification cards issued to nonimmigrant aliens to the period of validity of nonimmigrant visas; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. COX (for himself, Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. KERNS, Mr. OTTER, and Mr. WILSON of South Carolina):

H.R. 5323. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to eliminate the double taxation of dividends; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. CUNNINGHAM:

H.R. 5324. A bill to amend title 39, United States Code, relating to rural mail service in the State of Alaska; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mrs. DAVIS of California:

H.R. 5325. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act, the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, and the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to require that group and individual health insurance coverage and group health plans provide coverage for second opinions; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Education and the Workforce, and 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. FROST (for himself, Ms. DUNN, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. MATHESON, Ms. GRANGER, Mr. MOORE, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. WYNN, Mr. BARR of Georgia, Mr. LYNCH, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Mr. REYES, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. EHRLICH, Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri, Mr. HOLT, Mr. STRICKLAND, Mr. LANGEVIN, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. POMEROY, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. STUPAK, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. LUTHER, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. WOLF, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mrs. BIGGERT, Mr. LARSEN of Washington, Mr. ROSS, Mr. PHELPS, Mr. LUCAS of Kentucky, Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. EDWARDS, Mr. FORD, Mr. MENENDEZ, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. TURNER, Mr. SPRATT, Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, and Mr. POMBO):

H.R. 5326. A bill to enhance the operation of the AMBER Alert communications network in order to facilitate the recovery of abducted children, to provide for enhanced notification on highways of alerts and information on such children, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary,

and in addition to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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. GIBBONS:

H.R. 5327. A bill to direct the Secretary of Agriculture to convey certain land in the Lake Tahoe Basin Management Unit, Nevada, to the Secretary of the Interior, in trust for the Washoe Indian Tribe of Nevada and California; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. GIBBONS:

H.R. 5328. A bill to direct the Secretary of Agriculture to convey certain land to Lander County, Nevada, and the Secretary of the Interior to convey certain land to Eureka County, Nevada, for continued use as cemeteries; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. GOODLATTE:

H.R. 5329. A bill to amend the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act with respect to public health pesticides; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. ISRAEL:

H.R. 5330. A bill to amend the September 11th Victim Compensation Fund of 2001 to exclude monthly Social Security survivor benefits and Social Security lump sum death benefit as collateral sources; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. KENNEDY of Minnesota (for himself and Mr. BOEHNER):

H.R. 5331. A bill to amend the General Education Provisions Act to clarify the definition of a student regarding family educational and privacy rights; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. LYNCH:

H.R. 5332. A bill to provide for a pilot program to be conducted by the Department of Veterans Affairs to assess the benefits of providing for pharmacies of the Department of Veterans Affairs to fill prescriptions for drugs and medicines written by private physicians; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. MCGOVERN (for himself, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. FRANK, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. OLIVER, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. CAPUANO, and Mr. LYNCH):

H.R. 5333. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 4 East Central Street in Worcester, Massachusetts, as the "Joseph D. Early Post Office Building"; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. GIBBONS (for himself, Mr. MURTHA, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. HOLDEN, and Mr. MATHESON):

H. Con. Res. 459. Concurrent resolution recognizing rescue crews for their outstanding effort and cooperation resulting in the safe rescue on July 27, 2002, of trapped miners Randy Fogle, Thomas Foy, Harry B. Mayhugh, John Unger, John Phillippi, Ronald Hileman, Dennis Hall, Robert Pugh, and Mark Popernack and the miners for their stamina and courage; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. LAHOOD:

H. Con. Res. 460. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress regarding the use of force against Iraq; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. RYUN of Kansas (for himself, Mr. EVANS, Mr. REYES, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. SIMPSON, and Mr. TIAHRT):

H. Con. Res. 461. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress that the President should posthumously award the Presidential Medal of Freedom to Harry W. Colmery; to the Committee on Government Reform.