States Munitions List, Categories II, III, VII, XVI and XVIII; and Section 123.7 — received September 6, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on International Relations.

9097. A letter from the Director, Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule — Bureau of the Census Certification Process [Docket No. 020509117-2195-02] (RIN: 0607-AA36) received September 6, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

9098. A letter from the Employee Benefits Porgram Manager, Department of Defense, transmitting the annual report of the Retirement Plan for Civilian Employees of United States Marine Corps Community Service Activities, The Personal and Family Readiness Division and Miscellaneous Nonappropriated Fund Instrumentalities, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 9503(a)(1)(B); to the Committee on Government Reform.

9099. A letter from the Assistant Administrator for Human Resources and Education, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Government Reform.

9100. A letter from the Secretary, Postal Rate Commission, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Government Reform

9101. A letter from the Acting Assistant Administrator/National Ocean Service, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Graduate Research Fellowships in the National Estuarine Research Reserve System for FY03 (RIN: 0648-ZB26) received September 6, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

9102. A letter from the Chief Justice, Supreme Court of the United States, transmitting a copy of the Report of the Proceedings of the Judicial Conference of the United States, held in Washington D.C., on March 13, 2002, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. 331; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

9103. A letter from the Clerk, United States Court of Appeals, transmitting an opinion of the Court for the District of Columbia Circuit; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

9104. A letter from the Chairman, Surface Transportation Board, transmitting the Board's final rule — Removal and Revision of Regulations — received September 6, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

9105. A letter from the Assistant Administrator for Procurement, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, transmitting the Administrator's final rule — Small Business Competitiveness Demonstration Program (RIN: 2700-AC33) received September 6, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Science.

9106. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Weighted Average Interest Rate Update [Notice 2002-61] received September 9, 2002, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

9107. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's report on Options for Assisting Russia in the Development of Alternative Energy Sources for Seversk and Zheleznogorsk to Facilitate Cessation of Weapons-Grade Plutonium Production; jointly to the Committees on International Relations and Armed Services.

9108. A letter from the Congressional Liaison Officer, United States Trade and Development Agency, transmitting notification of

prospective funding obligations requiring special notification for Serbia under Section 520 of the Kenneth M. Ludden Foreign Operations, Export Financing, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, Fiscal Year 2002; jointly to the Committees on International Relations and Appropriations.

9109. A letter from the Congressional Liaison Officer, United States Trade and Development Agency, transmitting notification of prospective funding obligations requiring special notification for Colombia under Section 520 of the Kenneth M. Ludden Foreign Operations, Export Financing, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, Fiscal Year 2002; jointly to the Committees on International Relations and Appropriations.

9110. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Economic Development, Department of Commerce, transmitting the annual report on the activities of the Economic Development Administration for Fiscal Year 2000, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 3217; jointly to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure and Financial Services.

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. BOEHNER: Committee on Education and the Workforce. H.R. 5091. A bill to increase the amount of student loan forgiveness available to qualified teachers, with an emphasis on special education teachers; with an amendment (Rept. 107–655). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas (for himself, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. BALLENGER, and Mr. NORWOOD):

H.R. 5373. A bill to enhance notification to union members of their rights under the Labor-Management Reporting and Disclosure Act of 1959; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas (for himself, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. BALLENGER, and Mr. NORWOOD):

H.R. 5374. A bill to amend the Labor-Management Reporting and Disclosure Act of 1959 to inform union members of their rights; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. MICA (for himself, Mr. KELLER, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. BISHOP, and Ms. BROWN of Florida):

H.R. 5375. A bill to amend the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to ensure public safety officers receive benefits; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. COMBEST (for himself, Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. McINNIS, and Mr. BERRY) (all by request):

H.R. 5376. A bill to enhance the authorities of the Secretary of Agriculture and the Secretary of the Interior to reduce catastrophic wildfire threats to communities and the environment; 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 Mrs. MALONEY of New York (for herself, Mr. Serrano, Mr. Towns, Mr. Israel, Mr. Owens, Mr. Rangel, Mr. Ackerman, Mr. Hinchey, Mr. Weiner, Ms. Velazquez, Mr. McNulty, and Mr. Crowley):

H.R. 5378. A bill to amend the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act to reauthorize the temporary mortgage and rental payments program; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. NETHERCUTT:

H.R. 5379. A bill to amend the Secure Rural Schools and Community Self-Determination Act of 2000 to clarify the treatment of title III project funds reserved by counties under such Act for purposes of disbursements under chapter 69 of title 31, United States Code; 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. SENSENBRENNER:

H.R. 5380. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to increase the amount of capital losses that may offset ordinary income; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. WALDEN of Oregon:

H.R. 5381. A bill to provide for the improvement of the safety of child restraints in passenger motor vehicles, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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. TURNER:

H.R. 5382. A bill to provide for the liquidation or reliquidation of certain entries of polytetrafluoroethylene; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. RANGEL:

H. Con. Res. 467. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress that Lionel Hampton should be honored for his contributions to American music; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

Ms. HARMAN introduced a bill (H.R. 5377) for the relief of John Castellano; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 267: Mr. Weiner.

H.R. 440: Mr. TIAHRT and Ms. VELAZQUEZ. H.R. 638. Ms. DELAURO and Ms. ROYBAL-AL-

LARD.
H.R. 854: Mr. BURTON of Indiana and Mr. FROST.

H.R. 951: Ms. Jackson-Lee of Texas, Mr. Boehner, Mr. Collins, Mr. Wexler, and Mr. Latham.

H.R. 1212: Mr. WAMP.

H.R. 1232: Mrs. CAPPS and Ms. ROYBAL-AL-

H.R. 1305: Mrs. Myrick.

H.R. 1581: Mr. McInnis.

H.R. 1598: Ms. DELAURO. H.R. 1918: Mr. Moore and Mr. Holt.

H.R. 2073: Mr. CARSON of Oklahoma and Ms. Lofgren.

H.R. 2088: Mr. BALDACCI.

 $H.R.\ 2207;\ Mr.\ CLYBURN,\ Mr.\ KING,\ and\ Mr.$ OTTER.

H.R. 2329: Mr. LARSON of Connecticut. H.R. 2592: Ms. Eshoo.

H.R. 2723: Mrs. Jo Ann Davis of Virginia.

H.R. 2953: Mr. ENGEL. H.R. 3183: Mr. SANDLIN.

H.R. 3409: Mr. GRUCCI.

H.R. 3521: Mr. HYDE.

H.R. 3612: Mr. Walsh, Mr. Acevedo-Vila, and Mr. LARSON of Connecticut.

H.R. 3710: Mr. Cooksey, Ms. Rivers, Mr. CRANE, and Mr. LANTOS.

H.R. 3897: Mr. Thune.

H.R. 3930: Mr. Rehberg, Mr. Sanders, Mr. EHRLICH, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. WATKINS, Mr. KIND, Mr. CASTLE, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. McNulty, Mr. Kennedy of Rhode Island, Ms. Hooley of Oregon, Mr. Payne, Mr. Dingell, Mrs. Davis of California, Mr. Wu, Ms. McCarthy of Missouri, Mr. Hoeffel, Ms. Baldwin, and Mr. BLAGOJEVICH.

H.R. 3990: Mr. Watts of Oklahoma.

H.R. 3992: Mr. LUCAS of Kentucky and Mr. SULLIVAN.

H.R. 4025: Mr. PRICE of North Carolina.

H.R. 4548: Mr. ISRAEL, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. George Miller of California, Mr. Wynn, Mr. EHRLICH, Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. McGOVERN, Mr. SHIMKUS, and Mr. CARSON of Oklahoma.

H.R. 4561: Mr. HONDA.

H.R. 4594: Mr. Thompson of California.

H.R. 4600: Mr. PUTNAM, Mr. GILLMOR, and Mr. RILEY.

H.R. 4604: Mrs. Northup.

H.R. 4691: Mr. Fletcher, Mr. Lucas of Kentucky, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. BOOZMAN, and Mr. Lahood.

H.R. 4803: Ms. SANCHEZ, Mr. DEUTSCH, and Mr. Shays.

H.R. 4814: Ms. HARMAN, Mr. KILDEE, and Mr. Luther.

H.R. 4983: Mr. Strickland, Mr. Kanjorski, and Ms. Eddie Bernice Johnson of Texas.

H.R. 5073: Mr. PAYNE.

H.R. 5250: Mr. PLATTS, Mr. BALDACCI, and Mr. McGovern.

H.R. 5274: Ms. SLAUGHTER, Ms. WATSON, and Mr. Bonior.

H.R. 5293: Ms. Woolsey, Mr. Bentsen, Ms. WATSON, Mr. FILNER, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, Mr. Brown of Ohio, Mr. Larsen of Washington, Mr. Wexler, Ms. Baldwin, Ms. Rivers, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. INSLEE, Mr. MARKEY, and Mr. FRANK.

H.R. 5294: Mr. KUCINICH.

H.R. 5312: Ms. SANCHEZ.

H.R. 5340: Ms. HARMAN, Ms. LEE, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. THOMAS, and Mr. GARY G. MILLER of California.

H. Res. 499: Mr. PAYNE.