

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. SENSENBRENNER: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 1452. A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to permit certain long-term permanent resident aliens to seek cancellation of removal under such Act, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 107-785). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. SENSENBRENNER: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 5334. A bill to ensure that a public safety officer who suffers a fatal heart attack or stroke while on duty shall be presumed to have died in the line of duty for purposes of public safety officer survivor benefits (Rept. 107-786). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union.

Mr. SAXTON: Joint Economic Committee. Report of the Joint Economic Committee on the 2002 Economic Report of the President (Rept. 107-788). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. GOSS: Committee of Conference. Conference report on H.R. 4628. A bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2003 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government, the Community Management Account, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System, and for other purposes (Rept. 107-789). Ordered to be printed.

REPORTED BILL SEQUENTIALLY
REFERRED

Under clause 2 of rule XII, bills and reports were delivered to the Clerk for printing, and bills referred as follows:

Mr. BURTON: Committee on Government Reform. H.R. 2458. A bill to enhance the management and promotion of electronic Government services and processes by establishing a Federal Chief Information Officer within the Office of Management and Budget, and by reestablishing a broad framework of measures that require using Internet-based information technology to enhance citizen access to Government information and services, and for other purposes, with an amendment; referred to the Committee on Judiciary for a period ending not later than November 14, 2002, for consideration of such provisions of the bill and amendment as fall within the jurisdiction of that committee pursuant to clause 1(k), rule X (Rept. 107-787, Pt. 1).

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. THOMAS:

H.R. 5728. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide fairness in tax collection procedures and improved administrative efficiency and confidentiality and to reform its penalty and interest provisions; to the Committee on Ways and Means. Considered and agreed to.

By Mr. TANNER (for himself, Mr. BERRY, Mr. MATHESON, Mr. ROSS, Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. HILL, Mr. MOORE, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. TURNER, and Mr. FORD):

H.R. 5729. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to revise and improve payments to providers of services under the

Medicare Program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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. YOUNG of Alaska:

H.R. 5730. A bill to relocate the drydock vessel EX-COMPETENT; to the Committee on Armed Services, and in addition to the Committee on Government Reform, 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. WU:

H.R. 5731. A bill to provide for additional benefits under the Temporary Extended Unemployment Compensation Act of 2002; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BRADY of Texas:

H.R. 5732. A bill to amend the Clean Air Act regarding the conformity of transportation projects to implementation plans, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. SCHIFF:

H.R. 5733. A bill to amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to ensure that projects and activities carried out with United States assistance are appropriately identified overseas as "American Aid", and for other purposes; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. SMITH of Michigan:

H.R. 5734. A bill to amend title II of the Social Security Act and the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide prospectively for personalized retirement security through personal retirement savings accounts to allow for more control by individuals over their Social Security retirement income, to amend such title and the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 to protect social security surpluses, and to provide other reforms relating to benefits under such title II; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HINCHEY:

H.R. 5735. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow individuals a refundable credit against income tax for Social Security taxes paid on up to \$25,000 of wages; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN (for herself and Mr. DEUTSCH):

H.R. 5736. A bill to provide for the conveyance of certain real property by the Administrator of General Services; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN (for herself, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. TANCREDO, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, and Mr. ENGEL):

H.R. 5737. A bill to posthumously revoke the naturalization of Eriberto Mederos; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SHIMKUS (for himself, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. HAYWORTH, and Ms. DEGETTE):

H.R. 5738. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act with respect to special diabetes programs for Type I diabetes and Indians; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce. Considered and agreed to.

By Mr. HONDA (for himself, Mr. PAYNE, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. STARK, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Ms. LEE, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. ACEVEDO-VILA, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. WYNN, and Mr. POMBO):

H.R. 5739. A bill to protect children from foods that pose a significant choking hazard; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. TAUZIN (for himself, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. BILIRAKIS, and Mr. BROWN of Ohio):

H.R. 5740. A bill to amend title XXI of the Social Security Act to extend the availability of allotments for fiscal years 1998 through 2001 under the State Children's Health Insurance Program (SCHIP); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mrs. WILSON of New Mexico:

H.R. 5741. A bill to establish the T'uf Shur Bien Preservation Trust Area in the Cibola National Forest, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN (for himself, Mr. FERGUSON, Mr. PALLONE, and Mr. HOLT):

H.R. 5742. A bill to prohibit a State from imposing a discriminatory commuter tax on nonresidents, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. FOLEY:

H.R. 5743. A bill to improve funeral home, cemetery, and crematory inspection systems, to establish consumer protections relating to funeral service contracts, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. GEKAS:

H.R. 5744. A bill to amend title 11 of the United States Code, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Financial Services, 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. GEKAS:

H.R. 5745. A bill to amend title 11 of the United States Code, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Financial Services, 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. LAMPSON:

H.R. 5746. A bill to provide that the State and local income tax withholding provisions of section 11502 of title 49, United States Code, shall not apply to the Metro-North Railroad or its employees; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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 Mrs. LOWEY (for herself, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Ms. DELAUR, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Ms. LEE, Mr. HOLT, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. DEFAZIO, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. LANGEVIN, Ms. RIVERS, Mr. LEVIN, Ms. NORTON, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. NADLER, Mr. FROST, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. RANGEL, and Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California):

H.R. 5747. A bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to establish labeling requirements regarding allergenic substances in food, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. MCKINNEY:

H.R. 5748. A bill to protect public assets, natural heritage, and native biodiversity on Federal public lands by banning all further degradation, development, and extraction on such lands, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources, and in addition to the Committees on Agriculture, and 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. MEEHAN:

H.R. 5749. A bill to create a 4-year pilot program that makes small, non-profit child care businesses eligible for SBA 504 loans; to the Committee on Small Business.

By Mrs. MEEK of Florida:

H.R. 5750. A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to eliminate the restriction on judicial review of detention and release determinations and to provide a right to a bond hearing before an immigration judge to all aliens in removal and summary removal proceedings; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. MEEK of Florida:

H.R. 5751. A bill to provide the same immigration adjustment rights for Haitians as is provided for Cubans; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. OBERSTAR:

H.R. 5752. A bill to provide for the use or distribution of the funds awarded to the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe in Minnesota Chippewa Tribe v. United States, Docket Nos. 19 and 188, United States Court of Federal Claims; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. PASTOR:

H.R. 5753. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to participate in the Yuma East Wetlands Project in the vicinity of Yuma, Arizona; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. RAMSTAD:

H.R. 5754. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide that the foreign tax credit not be redetermined with respect to refunds of unlawful foreign taxes to taxpayers who successfully challenge those taxes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. ROEMER:

H.R. 5755. A bill to authorize the establishment of a commemorative work on Federal land in the District of Columbia and its environs to honor James Madison in recognition of his distinguished career in public service; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. UDALL of New Mexico:

H.R. 5756. A bill to amend title VI of the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978 to establish a Federal renewable energy portfolio standard for certain retail electric utilities, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. WU (for himself, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. OBERSTAR, Ms. McCOLLUM, and Mr. DEFAZIO):

H.R. 5757. A bill to extend temporarily waivers granted to States with respect to programs of aid to families with dependent children; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HONDA (for himself, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. FROST, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. BACA, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. DEFAZIO, Ms. NORTON, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. WU, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. CAPUANO, Ms. CARSON of Indiana, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. MEEKS of New York, Mr. FILNER, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Ms. LEE, Mr. RADANOVICH, and Mr. PITTS):

H.J. Res. 125. A joint resolution posthumously proclaiming soldiers of Asian descent who fought in the Civil War to be honorary citizens of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. CARSON of Indiana:

H. Con. Res. 518. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress that the deployment of United States Armed Forces against Iraq without prior specific authorization by the United Nations Security Council and specific congressional authorization pursuant to a declaration of war

would constitute a violation of the obligations of the United States under the United Nations Charter and a violation of the United States Constitution, respectively; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. CHABOT (for himself and Mr. PORTMAN):

H. Con. Res. 519. Concurrent resolution recognizing and honoring America's Jewish community on the occasion of its 350th anniversary, supporting the designation of an "American Jewish History Month", and for other purposes; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. GRAVES:

H. Con. Res. 520. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress that the Secretary of Agriculture should reexamine the authorities governing the Conservation Reserve Program and adjust the program to the maximum extent practicable to assist agricultural producers adversely affected by severe drought conditions; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. HONDA (for himself, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. WU, Mr. SCHIFF, Ms. LEE, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. STARK, Mr. FILNER, Mr. WAXMAN, and Mrs. NAPOLITANO):

H. Res. 613. A resolution honoring the life of Dr. Chang-Lin Tien, model educator, diplomat, and mentor; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. ARMEY:

H. Res. 614. A resolution providing for the printing of a revised edition of the Rules and Manual of the House of Representatives for the One Hundred Eighth Congress; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. ARMEY:

H. Res. 615. A resolution providing for a committee of two Members to be appointed by the House to inform the President; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. ROEMER (for himself, Mr. WYNN, Mr. HONDA, and Mr. BUYER):

H. Res. 616. A resolution recognizing the 2002 United States Professors of the Year; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

MEMORIALS

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

422. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Legislature of the State of California, relative to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 47 memorializing the President and Congress of the United States to stand firm in their resolve to uphold the intent and substance of the current provision of Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

423. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the State of New Jersey, relative to Senate Resolution No. 62 memorializing the Congress of the United States to reconsider the deregulation of the cable television industry and permit the states to fully regulate the cable television industry; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

424. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of California, relative to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 63 memorializing the Congress of the United States that the extradition from Mexico of all criminals who face life sentences is a matter of urgent and enduring importance to the State of California; to the Committee on International Relations.

425. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of California, relative to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 48 memorializing the Congress of the United States and the President of the United States to increase the administration's efforts to encourage initia-

tives that will help promote and achieve reunification, reconciliation, stability, and prosperity in Cyprus within the context of the ongoing efforts under the United Nations Secretary General's auspices and on the basis of the relevant United Nations Security Council Resolutions; to the Committee on International Relations.

426. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of California, relative to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 44 memorializing the Congress of the United States that the Legislature of the State of California hereby designates April 24, 2002, as "California Day of Remembrance for the Armenian Genocide of 1915-1923"; to the Committee on Government Reform.

427. Also, a memorial of the Senate of the State of Michigan, relative to Senate Resolution No. 244 memorializing the Congress of the United States that the legislature commemorate October 2002 as Respect Month and October 30, 2002, as Respect Your Neighborhood Day on a permanent basis in the state of Michigan; to the Committee on Government Reform.

428. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, relative to House Resolution No. 685 memorializing the Congress of the United States to declare September 11 as "National Day of Life Appreciation and Freedom"; to the Committee on Government Reform.

429. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of California, relative to Assembly Joint Resolution No. 52 memorializing the Congress and President of the United States to enact H.R. 3917 to designate a National Memorial at the crash site of Flight 93 in Somerset County, Pennsylvania to pay tribute to and honor the true heroes of this nation; to the Committee on Resources.

430. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Utah, relative to House Joint Resolution No. 17 memorializing the United States Congress that the Legislature of the state of Utah approves the closure of the district court within the municipal boundaries of Murray City, Utah; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

431. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Utah, relative to House Joint Resolution No. 14 memorializing the United States Congress that the Legislature proposes to amend the Utah Constitution to modify language relating to an additional debt limit for certain municipalities; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

432. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of California, relative to House Joint Resolution No. 11 memorializing the United States Congress that the Legislature proposes to amend the Utah Constitution to require advance notice of legislative business in a special session, with certain exceptions; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

433. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Utah, relative to Senate Joint Resolution No. 4 memorializing the United States Congress that the Legislature proposes to amend the Utah Constitution to allow counties sharing a common boundary to adjust the boundary; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

434. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Utah, relative to Senate Joint Resolution No. 16 memorializing the United States Congress that the Legislature recognizes the service and sacrifices of the public safety and security personnel whose many hours of labor ensured the safety and security of athletes and spectators at the 2002 Olympic Winter Games; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

435. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Utah, relative to Senate Joint Resolution No. 2 memorializing the United States Congress that the Legislature proposes to amend the Education Article of the