

Agency's final rule — Significant New Uses of Certain Chemical Substances [OPP-2002-0060; FRL-6758-7] (RIN: 2070-AB27) received March 24, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

1847. A letter from the Chairman, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's report entitled, "Report to Congress on Abnormal Occurrences, Fiscal Year 2002," pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 5848; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

1848. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting notification regarding a report entitled, "Country Reports on Human Rights Practices for 2002"; to the Committee on International Relations.

1849. A letter from the Attorney/Advisor, Department of Transportation, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Government Reform.

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1851. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, transmitting copy of the Corporation's Annual Report for calendar year 2002, pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1827(a); to the Committee on Government Reform.

1852. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Maritime Commission, transmitting the Final Annual Performance Plan for FY 2004; to the Committee on Government Reform.

1853. A letter from the Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting the Office's final rule — Agency Use of Appropriated Funds for Child Care Costs for Lower Income Employees (RIN: 3206-AJ77) received March 31, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

1854. A letter from the Chief Judge, Superior Court of the District of Columbia, transmitting the Superior Court's Family Court Transition Plan; to the Committee on Government Reform.

1855. A letter from the Secretary, Department of the Interior, transmitting the annual report entitled, "Outer Continental Shelf Lease Sales: Evaluation of Bidding Results" for fiscal year 2002, pursuant to 43 U.S.C. 1337(a)(9); to the Committee on Resources.

1856. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone off Alaska; Pacific Cod by Catcher Vessels 60 Feet (18.3 m) Length Overall and Longer Using Hook-and-line Gear in the Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands [Docket No. 021212307-3037-02; I.D. 032703E] received April 9, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

1857. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator for Regulatory Programs, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Endangered and Threatened Species; Final Endangered Status for a Distinct Population Segment of Smalltooth Sawfish (*Pristis pectinata*) in the United States [Docket No. 000303059-3034-03; I.D. 021700B] (RIN: No. 0648-XA49) received April 8, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

1858. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Modification of Class D and Class E Airspace; St. Louis, Spirit of St. Louis Airport, MO [Docket No. FAA-2003-14549; Airspace Docket No.

03-ACE-17] received April 11, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1859. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 737-600, -700, -700C, -800, and -900 Series Airplanes; Model 747 Series Airplanes; and Model 757 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 2002-NM-309-AD; Amendment 39-12992; AD 2002-24-51] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 11, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1860. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Bell Helicopter Textron Canada Model 407 Helicopters [Docket No. 2001-SW-53-AD; Amendment 39-13079; AD 2003-05-03] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 11, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1861. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Pratt & Whitney JT8D-1, -1A, -1B, -7, -7A, -7B, -9, -9A, -11, -15, -15A, -17, -17A, -17R, and 17AR Turbofan Engines [Docket No. 2002-NE-27-AD; Amendments 39-13083; AD 2003-05-07] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 11, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1862. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Modification of Class E Airspace; Sikeston, MO [Docket No. FAA-2003-14221; Airspace Docket No. 03-ACE-2] received April 11, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1863. A letter from the Acting Principal Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Beaches Environmental Assessment and Coastal Health Act — received April 4, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1864. A letter from the Assistant Administrator for Procurement, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — NASA Grant and Cooperative Agreement Handbook-Approvals and Reviews (RIN: 2700-AC53) received March 31, 2003, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Science.

1865. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting a report covering those cases in which equitable relief was granted in calendar year 2002, pursuant to 38 U.S.C. 210(c)(3)(B); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

1866. A letter from the Secretary, Department of the Treasury, transmitting notification of the Secretary's determination that by reason of the public debt limit, the Secretary will be unable to fully invest the portion of the Civil Service Retirement and Disability Fund (CSRDF) not immediately required to pay beneficiaries, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 8348(l)(2); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

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:

[Omitted from the Record of April 9, 2003]

Mr. THOMAS: Committee on Ways and Means. H.R. 1531. A bill to amend the Inter-

nal Revenue Code of 1986 to enhance energy conservation and to provide for reliability and diversity in the energy supply for the American people, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 108-67). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

[Submitted April 12, 2003]

Mr. YOUNG of Florida: Committee of Conference. Conference report on H.R. 1559. A bill making emergency wartime supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2003, and for other purposes (Rept. 108-76). Ordered to be printed.

TIME LIMITATION OF REFERRED BILL

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

[Omitted from the Record of April 11, 2003]

H.R. 810. Referral to the Committee on Energy and Commerce extended for a period ending not later than April 29, 2003.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. ENGEL (for himself, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. BELL, Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. CANTOR, Mr. CROWLEY, Mrs. JO ANN DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. LINCOLN DIAZ-BALART of Florida, Mr. MARIO DIAZ-BALART of Florida, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. FROST, Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin, Mr. HOFFEL, Mr. ISRAEL, Mr. JANKLOW, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. MATSUI, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. MCCOTTER, Mr. MCNULTY, Mr. MICA, Mr. MOORE, Mr. NADLER, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. PENCE, Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, Mr. REYNOLDS, Mr. ROSS, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. TURNER of Texas, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. VITTER, Mr. WEINER, Mr. WELLER, and Mr. WEXLER):

H.R. 1828. A bill to halt Syrian support for terrorism, end its occupation of Lebanon, stop its development of weapons of mass destruction, cease its illegal importation of Iraqi oil and illegal shipments of weapons and other military items to Iraq, and by so doing hold Syria accountable for the serious international security problems it has caused in the Middle East, and for other purposes; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. HOEKSTRA (for himself, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. COLLINS, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. COBLE, Mr. WATT, Mr. MANZULLO, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. TOM DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. TOOMEY, Mr. NADLER, Mr. EHLERS, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. CANTOR, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. NORWOOD, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. FERGUSON, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. KINGSTON, Ms. HART, Ms. LEE, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. FILNER, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. OXLEY, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. MCINTYRE, Mr. DEMINT, Mr. FLAKE, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin, Mr.

CULBERSON, Mr. EMANUEL, Mr. FORBES, Mr. GOODE, Mrs. NORTHUP, Mr. OLVER, Mr. BLUNT, Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, Mrs. MILLER of Michigan, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. CAMP, Mr. ROGERS of Michigan, Mr. LEACH, Mr. PENCE, Mr. HILL, Mr. UPTON, Mr. MCCOTTER, Mr. LANGEVIN, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. OSBORNE, Mr. HAYES, Mr. WAMP, Mr. TERRY, Mr. KLECZKA, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. NEY, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. BRADY of Texas, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Mr. SESSIONS, Mrs. CUBIN, Mrs. CAPITO, Mr. BURR, Mr. CLAY, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. MORAN of Kansas, Mr. TIBERI, Mr. PORTER, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. MCKEON, Mr. ISAKSON, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mrs. WILSON of New Mexico, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. KLINE, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. QUINN, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mrs. BIGGERT, Mrs. MUSGRAVE, Mr. CHOCOLA, Mr. GINGREY, Mr. NUNES, and Mr. BURNS):

H.R. 1829. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to require Federal Prison Industries to compete for its contracts minimizing its unfair competition with private sector firms and their non-inmate workers and empowering Federal agencies to get the best value for taxpayers' dollars, to provide a five-year period during which Federal Prison Industries adjusts to obtaining inmate work opportunities through other than its mandatory source status, to enhance inmate access to remedial and vocational opportunities and other rehabilitative opportunities to better prepare inmates for a successful return to society, to authorize alternative inmate work opportunities in support of non-profit organizations, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas:

H.R. 1830. A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to provide for permanent resident status for certain long-term resident workers and college-bound students, to modify the worldwide level of family-sponsored immigrants in order to promote family unification, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. RENZI (for himself and Mr. CANNON):

H.R. 1831. A bill to extend the grace period for personal watercraft use in Glen Canyon National Recreation Area; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. SIMMONS (for himself, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Ms.

DELAURO, Mr. SHAYS, and Mr. LARSON of Connecticut):

H.R. 1832. A bill to name the Department of Veterans Affairs outpatient clinic located in New London, Connecticut, as the "John P. McGuirk Department of Veterans Affairs Outpatient Clinic"; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. SIMMONS (for himself, Mr. WALSH, Mr. MCINNIS, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. GIBBONS, Mr. HAYES, Mrs. MUSGRAVE, Mr. BRADLEY of New Hampshire, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. PORTER, Mr. SHAYS, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. SHAW, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. REHBERG, Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. KENNEDY of Minnesota, Mr. MICHAUD, Mr. JENKINS, Mr. PAUL, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. WELLER, Mr. NORWOOD, Ms. GINNY BROWN-WAITE of Florida, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. KLINE, Mr. MCCOTTER, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. CRANE, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. OTTER, Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. SWEENEY, Mr. GILCHREST, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. MARSHALL, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. NEY, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. CAMP, and Mr. HASTINGS of Washington):

H.R. 1833. A bill to reduce temporarily the duty on certain articles of natural cork; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. OSE:

H.J. Res. 53. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to require Members of Congress and the President to forfeit the compensation paid to them starting at the conclusion of each fiscal year until all of the general appropriations bills for the following fiscal year are enacted; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. OSE:

H.J. Res. 54. A joint resolution proposing a tax limitation amendment to the Constitution of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BRADLEY of New Hampshire:

H. Con. Res. 153. Concurrent resolution honoring the 129 sailors and civilians lost aboard the U.S.S. Thresher on April 10, 1963, and urging the Secretary of the Army to erect a memorial to this tragedy in Arlington National Cemetery; to the Committee on Armed Services, and in addition to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, 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. PAYNE:

H. Con. Res. 154. Concurrent resolution concerning the transition to democracy in the Republic of Burundi; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. RODRIGUEZ:

H. Con. Res. 155. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress regarding the establishment of a National Librarians Week; to the Committee on Government Reform.

PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

Mr. YOUNG of Florida introduced a bill (H.R. 1834) to authorize the Secretary of Transportation to issue a certificate of documentation with appropriate endorsement for employment in the coastwise trade and fisheries for the vessel *True Blue*; which was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 277: Mr. NORWOOD.

H.R. 331: Mr. PAUL.

H.R. 391: Mr. CULBERSON.

H.R. 648: Mr. BURGESS.

H.R. 834: Mr. BISHOP of New York, Mr. LAHOOD, and Mr. DAVIS OF TENNESSEE.

H.R. 1202: Mr. BURGESS and Mr. BEAUPREZ.

H.R. 1625: Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. HOLT, Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. SAXTON, and Mr. SMITH of New Jersey.

H.R. 1714: Ms. DUNN, Mr. BURGESS, Mr. DICKS, Mr. CULBERSON, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. PEARCE, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. LINCOLN DIAZ-BALART of Florida, Mr. SIMMONS, Mr. MCCOTTER, and Mr. MORAN of Kansas.

H. Con. Res. 143: Mr. ENGLISH.

H. Res. 198: Mr. BEAUPREZ, Mr. PORTER, Mr. MURPHY, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, and Mr. GERLACH.

DISCHARGE PETITIONS— ADDITIONS OR DELETIONS

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

Petition 1, by Mr. FROST on S. 121: Mike McIntyre, Julia Carson, James P. McGovern, and Michael R. McNulty.