

district of the gentleman as you have so stated. So I want that corrected.

We have a vital interest in this. It is the city's property. It is the district's property that I represent and, really, we have the greatest interest in the outcome here.

Mr. ISTOOK. I understand that. I appreciate the gentleman. I do not want to be incorrect on any of these things.

It is obviously a project that affects a multiplicity of districts, the way the boundaries are configured. I do ask that the language remain in the bill.

Mr. OLVER. Mr. Chairman, I move to strike the last word.

If I understand, Mr. Chairman, the argument that was used, the reasoning that was used by the chairman and then the correction that was made by the gentleman from Louisiana (Mr. JEFFERSON), it would appear to me that using the gentleman from Oklahoma's (Mr. ISTOOK) argument, that this language should be stricken from the bill because the area involved is in the district of the member from Louisiana (Mr. JEFFERSON). So I would support the gentleman from Louisiana (Mr. JEFFERSON) in his position.

The CHAIRMAN. The question on the amendment offered by the gentleman from Louisiana (Mr. JEFFERSON).

The amendment was rejected.

The CHAIRMAN. The Clerk will read.

The Clerk read as follows:

SEC. 104. None of the funds in this Act shall be used to pursue or adopt guidelines or regulations requiring airport sponsors to provide to the Federal Aviation Administration without cost building construction, maintenance, utilities and expenses, or space in airport sponsor-owned buildings for services relating to air traffic control, air navigation, or weather reporting: *Provided*, That the prohibition of funds in this section does not apply to negotiations between the agency and airport sponsors to achieve agreement on "below-market" rates for these items or to grant assurances that require airport sponsors to provide land without cost to the FAA for air traffic control facilities.

SEC. 105. None of the funds appropriated or limited by this Act may be used to change weight restrictions or prior permission rules at Teterboro Airport in Teterboro, New Jersey.

SEC. 106. WAR RISK INSURANCE.—Title 49, United States Code, is amended:

(a) In section 44302(f) by striking "August 31, 2004, and may extend through December 31, 2004," and inserting in lieu thereof "December 31, 2005".

(b) In section 44302(g)(1) by striking "may provide" and inserting in lieu thereof "shall make available".

(c) In section 44303(b) by—

(1) striking "December 31, 2004" and inserting in lieu thereof "December 31, 2005."

(2) striking the phrase "may extend" in the last sentence of the subsection and inserting in lieu thereof "shall extend".

FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION

LIMITATION ON ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

Necessary expenses for administration and operation of the Federal Highway Administration, not to exceed \$346,000,000, shall be paid in accordance with law from appropriations made available by this Act to the Federal Highway Administration together with advances and reimbursements received by the Federal Highway Administration.

POINT OF ORDER

Mr. YOUNG of Florida. Mr. Chairman, I raise a point of order.

For the reasons that I announced earlier I make a point of order on page 14, line 21 to page 15, line 3, because it provides an appropriation for an unauthorized program and, therefore, violates section 2(a) of rule XXI. Clause 2 of rule XXI states in pertinent part, "An appropriation may not be in order for an expenditure not previously authorized by law."

Mr. Chairman, this program is unauthorized and I insist on my point of order.

NOTICE

Incomplete record of House proceedings. Except for concluding business which follows, today's House proceedings will be continued in the next issue of the Record.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to:

Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas (at the request of Ms. PELOSI) for today on account of medical reasons.

Mr. EVERETT (at the request of Mr. DELAY) for today after 6:00 p.m. and the balance of the week on account of the hurricane.

SPECIAL ORDERS GRANTED

By unanimous consent, permission to address the House, following the legislative program and any special orders heretofore entered, was granted to:

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. MCDERMOTT) to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material:)

Ms. WOOLSEY, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. DEFAZIO, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. BROWN of Ohio, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. EMANUEL, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. MCDERMOTT, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. HINCHEY, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. PALLONE, for 5 minutes, today.

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. PEARCE) to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material:)

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Mr. OSBORNE, for 5 minutes, today.

Mrs. BLACKBURN, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. GINGREY, for 5 minutes, September 15.

Ms. HARRIS, for 5 minutes, September 15.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. PEARCE. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 11 o'clock and 44 minutes p.m.), the House adjourned until tomorrow, Wednesday, September 15, 2004, at 10 a.m.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 8 of rule XII, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

9557. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting requests for additional emergency FY 2004 supplemental appropriations for the Departments of Defense, Health and Human Services, Homeland Security, Housing and Urban Development, the Interior, and Veterans Affairs, the Corps of Engineers, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, the Small Business Administration, and the Executive Office of the President; (H. Doc. No. 108-215); to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

9558. A letter from the Chairman, Commission on Review of Overseas Military Facility Structure of the United States, transmitting as prescribed by Congress, a copy of the Commission's charter, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 111 note, Public Law 108-132, section 128(b)(3)(A), (117 Stat. 1383); to the Committee on Armed Services.

9559. A letter from the Acting Comptroller, Department of Defense, transmitting a notice that the Department of the Navy is pursuing a multiyear procurement (MYP) for fiscal year 2004 through fiscal year 2008, pursuant to Public Law 108-87 and Public Law 108-136; to the Committee on Armed Services.

9560. A letter from the Legal Advisor to Chief, Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.622(b), Table of Allotments, Digital Television Broadcast Stations. (Rutland, Vermont) [MB Docket No. 02-66; RM-10252] received September 10, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

9561. A letter from the Legal Advisor to Chief, Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.622(b), Table of Allotments, Digital Television Broadcast Stations. (Anchorage, Alaska) [MB Docket No. 04-189; RM-10962] received September 10, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

9562. A letter from the Legal Advisor to the Bureau Chief, Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the

Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b) Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Keeseville, New York, Hartford and White River Junction, Vermont) [MM Docket No. 02-23; RM-10359] received September 10, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

9563. A letter from the Legal Advisor to the Bureau Chief, Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Crawfordville, Georgia) [MB Docket No. 02-225; RM-10517] received September 10, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

9564. A letter from the Legal Advisor, Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Implementation of Section 25 of the Cable Television Consumer Protection and Competition Act of 1992; Direct Broadcast Satellite Public Interest Obligations; Sua Sponte Reconsideration [MM Docket No. 93-25] received September 10, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

9565. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Commerce, transmitting a six-month report prepared by the Department of Commerce's Bureau of Industry and Security on the national emergency declared by Executive Order 13222 of August 17, 2001, to deal with the threat to the national security, foreign policy, and economy of the United States caused by the lapse of the Export Administration Act of 1979, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1641(c) 50 U.S.C. 1703(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

9566. A letter from the Assistant Legal Adviser for Treaty Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a report prepared by the Department of State concerning international agreements other than treaties entered into by the United States transmitted to the Congress within a sixty day period after the execution thereof as specified in the Case-Zablocki Act, pursuant to 1 U.S.C. 112b(b); to the Committee on International Relations.

9567. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting notification of an unauthorized retransfer of U.S.-origin defense articles pursuant to Section 3(e) of the Arms Export Control Act (AECA); to the Committee on International Relations.

9568. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting pursuant to Section 620C(c) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended, and in accordance with section 1(a)(6) of Executive Order 13313, a report prepared by the Department of State and the National Security Council on the progress toward a negotiated solution of the Cyprus question covering the period June 1, 2004 through July 31, 2004; to the Committee on International Relations.

9569. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Fish, Wildlife, and Parks, Department of the Interior, transmitting a draft bill "To adjust the boundary of Lowell National Historical Park, and for other purposes"; to the Committee on Resources.

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 September 13, 2004]

Mr. SENSENBRENNER: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 1787. A bill to remove civil li-

ability barriers that discourage the donation of fire equipment to volunteer fire companies; with an amendment (Rept. 108-680). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

[Filed on September 14, 2004]

Mr. REYNOLDS: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 770. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 5025) making appropriations for the Departments of Transportation and Treasury, and independent agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2005, and for other purposes (Rept. 108-686). Referred to the House Calendar.

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. THOMAS: Committee on Ways and Means. H.R. 2971. A bill to amend the Social Security Act to enhance Social Security account number privacy protections, to prevent fraudulent misuse of the Social Security account number, and to otherwise enhance protection against identity theft, and for other purposes, with an amendment; referred to the Committee on the Judiciary for a period ending not later than October 1, 2004, 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. 108-685, 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:

H.R. 2971. Referral to the Committees on Financial Services, and Energy and Commerce, extended for a period ending not later than October 1, 2004.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. PALLONE (for himself, Mr. BILIRAKIS, and Mrs. MALONEY):

H.R. 5071. A bill to amend the International Claims Settlement Act of 1949 to allow for certain claims of nationals of the United States against Turkey, and for other purposes; to the Committee on International Relations, 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 Mr. YOUNG of Florida:

H.R. 5072. A bill making emergency supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004, for additional disaster assistance relating to hurricane damage, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations, and in addition to the Committee on the Budget, 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. WAXMAN (for himself, Mr. SANDERS, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. CLAY, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Ms. NORTON, Ms. MCCOLLUM, and Mr. McDERMOTT):

H.R. 5073. A bill to restore and strengthen the laws that provide for an open and transparent Federal Government; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. CHABOT:

H.R. 5074. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide a 100 percent deduction for the health insurance costs of individuals; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. CONYERS (for himself, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia, and Mr. RANGEL):

H.R. 5075. A bill to encourage successful re-entry of incarcerated persons into the community after release, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, Education and the Workforce, Financial Services, Energy and Commerce, and 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 (for herself, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. TOWNS, and Mr. BISHOP of New York):

H.R. 5076. A bill to extend the time for filing certain claims under the September 11th Victim Compensation Fund of 2001, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. NETHERCUTT:

H.R. 5077. A bill to require the conveyance of a small parcel of Federal land in the Colville National Forest, Washington, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. RUPPERSBERGER:

H.R. 5078. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide incentives for alternative fuels and alternative fuel vehicles; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. GREEN of Texas (for himself, Mr. BAIRD, and Mr. DELAHUNT):

H.J. Res. 103. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to abolish the electoral college and to provide for the direct popular election of the President and Vice President of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BLUMENAUER (for himself, Mr. TOM DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. RYUN of Kansas, and Mr. WALSH):

H. Con. Res. 491. Concurrent resolution recognizing the achievements of the National Captioning Institute in providing closed captioning services to Americans who are deaf or hard-of-hearing; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. HINCHEY:

H. Con. Res. 492. Concurrent resolution supporting the goals and ideals of Melanoma/Skin Cancer Detection and Prevention Month and Melanoma Day, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. VITTER:

H. Con. Res. 493. Concurrent resolution supporting the goals and ideals of National Volunteer Blood Donor Month; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. SIMMONS (for himself, Mr. COLLINS, Mrs. MILLER of Michigan, Mr. EVANS, Mr. SNYDER, Mr. GIBBONS, and Mr. SKELTON):

H. Res. 771. A resolution expressing the thanks of the House of Representatives and the Nation for the contributions to freedom made by American POW/MIAs on National POW/MIA Recognition Day; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. WAXMAN (for himself, Mr. McHUGH, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. CLAY, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD,