

7022. 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 Vessels Catching Pacific Cod for Processing by the Offshore Component in the Central Regulatory Area of the Gulf of Alaska [Docket No. 031126297-3297-01; I.D. 013004B] received March 2, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

7023. 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; Atka Mackerel in the Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands [Docket No. 031126295-3295-01; I.D. 012904C] received March 2, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

7024. 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 Vessels Catching Pacific cod for Processing by the Inshore Component in the Central Regulatory Area of the Gulf of Alaska [Docket No. 031126297-01; I.D. 013004A] received March 2, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

7025. 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 Caribbean, Gulf of Mexico, and South Atlantic; Coastal Migratory Pelagic Resources of the Gulf of Mexico and South Atlantic; Trip Limit Increase [Docket No. 001005281-036902; I.D. 012904D] received March 2, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

7026. A letter from the Director, Faith Based and Community Initiatives Task Force, OAG, Department of Justice, transmitting the Department's final rule — Participating in Justice Department Programs by Religious Organizations; Providing for Equal Treatment of All Justice Department Program Participants [Docket No. OAG 106; AG Order No. 2703-2004] (RIN: 1105-AA83) received February 10, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

7027. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Chemical Testing [USCG-2003-16414] (RIN: 1625-AA80) received February 26, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7028. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Security Zones; San Francisco Bay, California [COTP San Francisco Bay 03-002] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received February 24, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7029. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, FHA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Federal Lands Highway Program; Management Systems Pertaining to the Fish and Wildlife Service and the Refuge Roads Program [FHWA Docket No. FHWA-99-4970] (FHWA RIN: 2125-AE54) received March 2, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7030. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, FHA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Fed-

eral Lands Highway Program; Management Systems Pertaining to the Forest Service and the Forest Highway Program [FHWA Docket No. FHWA-99-4969] (FHWA RIN: 2125-AE55) received March 2, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7031. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, Faa, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 727, 727-100C, 727-200F, and 727C Series Airplanes [Docket No. 2003-NM-191-AD; Amendment 39-13475; AD 2004-03-31] received February 23, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7032. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Pacific Aerospace Corporation, Ltd. Models FU24-954 and FU24A-954 Airplanes [Docket No. 2003-CE-38-AD; Amendment 39-13473; AD 2004-03-29] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 23, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7033. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; McDonnell Douglas Model 717-200 Airplanes [Docket No. 2002-NM-213-AD; Amendment 39-13465; AD 2004-03-21] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 23, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7034. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Fokker Model F.28 Mark 1000, 2000, 3000, and 4000 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 2001-NM-333-AD; Amendment 39-13464; AD 2004-03-20] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 23, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7035. A letter from the Paralegal Specialist, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Dornier Model 328-300 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 2002-NM-267-AD; Amendment 39-13460; AD 2004-03-16] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 23, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7036. A letter from the Attorney Advisor, Federal Highway Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Contract Administration; Removal of Miscellaneous Obsolete or Redundant Regulations (RIN: 2125-AF01) received February 23, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7037. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Dassault Model Falcon 2000 and 900EX, and Dassault Model Mystere-Falcon 900 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 2002-NM-231-AD; Amendment 39-13419; AD 2004-01-05] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 23, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7038. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; McDonnell Douglas Model 717-200 Airplanes [Docket No. 2003-NM-55-AD; Amendment 39-13429; AD 2004-01-15] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received February 9, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7039. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator, Environmental Protection

Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Effluent Limitations Guidelines and New Source Performance Standards for the Meat and Poultry Products Point Source Category [FRL-7631-2] (RIN: 2040-AD56) received March 2, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7040. A letter from the Regulations Coordinator, CMS, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Medicare Program; Revisions to the One-Time Appeal Process for Hospital Wage Index Classification [CMS-1373-N2] (RIN: 0938-AN00) received February 18, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

7041. A letter from the Acting Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Property Transferred in Connection with Performance of Services (Rev. Rul. 2004-37) received February 26, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

7042. A letter from the Acting Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Proposed Revenue Procedure Regarding Services that Qualify For the Student FICA Exception [Notice 2004-12] received February 26, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

7043. A letter from the Acting Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Annuities; Certain Proceeds of Endowment and Life Insurance Contracts [Notice 2004-15] received February 23, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

7044. A letter from the Acting Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Electronic Payee Statements [TD 9114] (RIN: 1545-AY50) received February 23, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

7045. A letter from the Acting Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Weighted Average Interest Rate Update [Notice 2004-14] received February 6, 2004, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

7046. A letter from the Board Members, Railroad Retirement Board, transmitting the Board's Congressional Justification of Budget Estimates for Fiscal Year 2005, pursuant to 45 U.S.C. 231f(f); jointly to the Committees on Appropriations, Transportation and Infrastructure, and Ways and Means.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Ms. HART (for herself, Mr. MURPHY, and Mr. ENGLISH):

H.R. 3890. A bill to reauthorize the Steel and Aluminum Energy Conservation and Technology Competitiveness Act of 1988; to the Committee on Science.

By Ms. HART:

H.R. 3891. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for the use of redevelopment bonds for environmental remediation; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. HART:

H.R. 3892. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to encourage businesses to establish hazardous waste remediation reserves, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. PAUL (for himself and Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland):
H.R. 3893. A bill to limit the jurisdiction of the Federal courts, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BURNS (for himself, Mr. KELLER, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. McKEON, Mr. ISAKSON, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. CARTER, Mr. FORBES, Ms. GINNY BROWN-WAITE of Florida, and Mrs. NORTHUP):

H.R. 3894. A bill to provide enhanced Pell Grants for State Scholars; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. ISSA (for himself, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. TERRY, Mr. BE-REUTER, Mr. FILNER, and Mrs. DAVIS of California):

H.R. 3895. A bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to permit local public agencies to act as Medicaid enrollment brokers; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. DEMINT (for himself, Mr. AKIN, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. PAUL, Mr. PENCE, Mr. POMEROY, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. WEXLER, and Mr. VAN HOLLEN):

H.R. 3896. A bill to establish an Office of Intercountry Adoptions within the Department of State, and to reform United States laws governing intercountry adoptions; 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. HERGER:
H.R. 3897. A bill to reauthorize the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families block grant program through June 30, 2004, 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. ACEVEDO-VILÁ (for himself, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. SERRANO, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, and Mr. FILNER):

H.R. 3898. A bill to authorize construction of a new (replacement) medical center for the Department of Veterans Affairs in the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico at a site to be selected pursuant to a study by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs and Secretary of Defense as suitable for a new Federal medical center in the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico that would best serve the needs of both veterans and Department of Defense medical beneficiaries in Puerto Rico; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. BOSWELL:
H.R. 3899. A bill to require agencies to submit to Congress any contracts in amounts greater than \$1,000,000 that are proposed to be awarded using noncompetitive procedures; to the Committee on Government Reform, and in addition to the Committees on Armed Services, and Rules, 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. CAPPS:
H.R. 3900. 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 permanent facilities for the GREAT project to reclaim, reuse, and treat impaired waters water in the area of Oxnard, California; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. CRANE (for himself, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. CANTOR, Mr.

RAMSTAD, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin, Mr. BRADY of Texas, Ms. DUNN, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. MCINNIS, Mr. HERGER, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. PAUL, Mr. RYUN of Kansas, Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin, Mr. BURGESS, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. CANNON, Ms. HARRIS, Mrs. MUSGRAVE, Mr. BASS, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. KLINE, Mr. BEAUPREZ, Mr. HENSARLING, Mr. BARRETT of South Carolina, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. KING of Iowa, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. GINGREY, Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. PITTS, Mr. FLAKE, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Mr. GOODE, and Mr. FEENEY):

H.R. 3901. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a deduction for premiums for high deductible health plans required with respect to health savings accounts; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. GARRETT of New Jersey (for himself, Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, and Mr. FERGUSON):

H.R. 3902. A bill to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act to designate portions of the Musconetcong River in the State of New Jersey as a component of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. GILLMOR (for himself, Mr. ROSS, Mr. PITTS, Mr. HALL, Mr. LATHAM, Mr. OXLEY, Mr. GOODE, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. REGULA, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. DAVIS of Tennessee, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. ISRAEL, Mr. BERRY, Mr. WOLF, and Mr. JENKINS):

H.R. 3903. A bill to establish a program to award grants to improve and maintain sites honoring Presidents of the United States; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. KIND (for himself, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. SCHIFF, and Mr. PETRI):

H.R. 3904. A bill to amend the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act to establish pilot projects to support and evaluate the provision of before-school activities that advance student academic achievement and encourage the establishment of, and increase participation in, school breakfast programs; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. LARSON of Connecticut (for himself and Ms. DELAURO):

H.R. 3905. A bill to amend part C of title XVIII of the Social Security Act to prohibit the operation of the Medicare comparative cost adjustment (CCA) program in Connecticut; 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 Mrs. MILLER of Michigan (for herself and Mr. KNOLLENBERG):

H.R. 3906. A bill to authorize the extension of nondiscriminatory treatment (normal trade relations treatment) to the products of Ukraine; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. PORTER:

H.R. 3907. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Transportation to transfer to the Administrator of the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration a certain percentage of apportionments of funds made available from the Highway Trust Fund from States that do not enact laws to prohibit driving under the influence of an illegal drug, and

for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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. RYAN of Ohio:
H.R. 3908. A bill to provide for the conveyance of the real property located at 1081 West Main Street in Ravenna, Ohio; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. RYUN of Kansas (for himself, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. MORAN of Kansas, and Mr. MOORE):

H.R. 3909. A bill to establish the Bleeding Kansas and the Enduring Struggle for Freedom National Heritage Area, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. STUPAK:
H.R. 3910. A bill to amend the Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century to modify a high priority project in the State of Michigan; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Ms. WATERS:
H.R. 3911. A bill to make certain companies that have outsourced jobs during the previous five years ineligible for the receipt of Federal grants, Federal contracts, Federal loan guarantees, and other Federal funding, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. SMITH of New Jersey (for himself, Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California, Mr. TOM DAVIS of Virginia, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. COX, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin, Mr. AKIN, Mr. PITTS, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. LANGEVIN, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. BERMAN, Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri, and Mr. WEXLER):

H. Con. Res. 378. Concurrent resolution calling on the Government of the Socialist Republic of Vietnam to immediately and unconditionally release Father Thaddeus Nguyen Van Ly, and for other purposes; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. PETRI (for himself, Mr. OBEY, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. KIND, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin, and Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin):

H. Con. Res. 379. Concurrent resolution commemorating the 150th anniversary of the first meeting of the Republican Party in Ripon, Wisconsin; to the Committee on Government Reform.

PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

Ms. WATERS introduced a bill (H.R. 3912) for the relief of Rafael Camacho, Rosa B. Camacho, and Rosa Camacho; 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. 104: Mr. WEXLER.
H.R. 173: Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. SABO, and Mr. GEPHARDT.
H.R. 218: Mr. AKIN.
H.R. 331: Mrs. JO ANN DAVIS of Virginia.