

pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1134. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone Regulation; Tampa Bay, FL [COTP TAMPA 04-107] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received February 10, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1135. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone for Albert Whitted Air Show; Tampa Bay, FL [COTP Tampa 04-113] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received February 10, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1136. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone Regulation; Tampa Bay, FL [COTP TAMPA 04-117] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received February 10, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1137. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone; Sabine River to Sabine-Neches Canal, Orange, TX [COTP Port Arthur-04-017] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received February 10, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1138. A letter from the Principal Deputy Under Secretary for Policy, Department of Defense, transmitting a report on progress in Kosovo toward achieving militarily significant benchmarks during the period July 1 to December 31, 2004, pursuant to Public Law 106—398, section 1212(c); jointly to the Committees on Armed Services, International Relations, and Appropriations.

## PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. WELLER (for himself and Mr. CARDIN):

H.R. 1212. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide tax credits for making energy efficiency improvements to existing homes and for constructing new energy efficient homes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HYDE (for himself and Mr. BURTON of Indiana):

H.R. 1213. A bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 2006 for voluntary contributions on a grant basis to the Organization of American States (OAS) to establish a Center for Caribbean Basin Trade and to establish a skills-based training program for Caribbean Basin countries; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mrs. MALONEY (for herself, Mr. SHAYS, Ms. WATSON, Mr. LANGEVIN, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. PALLONE, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Ms. LEE, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. DEFazio, Ms. SOLIS, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. MICHAUD, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Ms. McCOLLUM of Minnesota, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Ms. WATERS, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Mr. NADLER, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. OWENS, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. FARR, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. GRIJALVA, Ms. HARMAN,

Mr. ALLEN, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. BERMAN, Mrs. MCCARTHY, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. WU, Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California, Mr. MEEKS of New York, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. CROWLEY, and Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas):

H.R. 1214. A bill to require that the recommended national protocol for sexual assault medical forensic examinations include a recommendation that rape victims be offered information about emergency contraceptives to prevent pregnancy; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. GINGREY (for himself, Mr. MARSHALL, Mr. EHLERS, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. FILNER, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. McHUGH, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, and Mr. SIMMONS):

H.R. 1215. A bill to provide for the implementation of a Green Chemistry Research and Development Program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Science.

By Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania (for himself, Mr. DAVIS of Alabama, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. COBLE, Mr. VISCLOSKEY, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. HAYES, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. CASE, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Mr. McHUGH, Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi, Mr. KENNEDY of Minnesota, Mr. BARRETT of South Carolina, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Mr. BERRY, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. REYNOLDS, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. LIPINSKI, Ms. HART, Mr. RUPPERSBERGER, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. BROWN of South Carolina, Mrs. CAPITO, Mr. MOLLOHAN, Mr. REGULA, Mr. NEY, and Mr. GERLACH):

H.R. 1216. A bill to amend title VII of the Tariff Act of 1930 to provide that the provisions relating to countervailing duties apply to nonmarket economy countries; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. McGOVERN (for himself, Mr. NUSSLE, Mr. OLVER, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. PETRI, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. PAUL, Mr. LANTOS, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. KIND, Mr. GRIJALVA, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. LYNCH, Mr. UDALL of New Mexico, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. RUSH, Ms. LEE, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. HOLT, Mr. MOORE of Kansas, Ms. WATSON, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. DICKS, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. WYNN, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. EVANS, Mrs. MCCARTHY, Mr. ALLEN, Ms. WATERS, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. FARR, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mrs. CAPPS, Ms. MOORE of Wisconsin, Mr. SABO, Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. KUCINICH, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. CLAY, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. DOGGETT, Ms. McCOLLUM of Minnesota, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. WEINER, Mr. ISRAEL, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. EMANUEL, Mrs. BIGGERT, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, and Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas):

H.R. 1217. A bill to suspend the authority for the Western Hemisphere Institute for Security Cooperation (the successor institution to the United States Army School of the Americas) in the Department of Defense, and

for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. McGOVERN (for himself, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. ETHERIDGE, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. OWENS, Mrs. CAPPS, Ms. WATSON, Mr. SERRANO, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Ms. SOLIS, Ms. LEE, Mr. WOLF, Mr. PLATTS, and Mr. KIRK):

H.R. 1218. A bill to amend titles 23 and 49, United States Code, concerning length and weight limitations for vehicles operating on Federal-aid highways, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. GOODLATTE (for himself, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. CARTER, Mr. TANCREDO, Mr. BARRETT of South Carolina, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. KING of Iowa, Mrs. JO ANN DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. SMITH of Texas, and Mr. GRAVES):

H.R. 1219. A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to eliminate the diversity immigrant program; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BUYER (for himself, Mr. EVANS, Mr. MILLER of Florida, and Ms. BERKLEY):

H.R. 1220. A bill to increase, effective as of December 1, 2005, the rates of disability compensation for veterans with service-connected disabilities and the rates of dependency and indemnity compensation for survivors of certain service-connected disabled veterans, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. WELLER:

H.R. 1221. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on certain rubber or plastic footwear; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. SCHAKOWSKY (for herself, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. CONYERS, Ms. DELAUNO, Mr. FILNER, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. KUCINICH, Mrs. MCCARTHY, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. OWENS, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. STARK, Ms. WOOLSEY, and Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD):

H.R. 1222. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to establish direct care registered nurse-to-patient staffing ratio requirements in hospitals, and for other purposes; 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 Mr. FOLEY (for himself, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, and Mr. KOLBE):

H.R. 1223. A bill to ensure that appropriate State social services officers have the authority to access certain Federal databases for the purpose of carrying out checks in cases of child abuse and neglect and cases of missing children, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. KELLY (for herself, Mr. KANJORSKI, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. HINOJOSA, and Mr. MANZULLO):

H.R. 1224. A bill to repeal the prohibition on the payment of interest on demand deposits, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. CONYERS (for himself and Mr. SHAYS):

H.R. 1225. A bill to better manage the national instant criminal background check system and terrorism matches; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BACHUS (for himself, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. OXLEY, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Ms. PRYCE of Ohio,

Mr. BAKER, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Mrs. BIGGERT, Mr. FITZPATRICK of Pennsylvania, Mr. GERLACH, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. GUTTEREZ, Mr. FORD, Mr. LEACH, Mr. CASTLE, Mr. RYUN of Kansas, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. PAUL, Mr. NEUGEBAUER, Mr. MANZULLO, Ms. GINNY BROWN-WAITE of Florida, and Mr. CLAY):

H.R. 1226. A bill to establish a mechanism for developing uniform United States positions on issues before the Basel Committee on Banking Supervision at the Bank for International Settlements, to require a review on the most recent recommendation of the Basel Committee for an accord on capital standards, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mrs. BIGGERT (for herself, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. NEY, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. HYDE, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. OWENS, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. GORDON, Mr. FERGUSON, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mr. REGULA, Mr. STRICKLAND, Mr. WOLF, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. WAMP, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. DAVIS of Florida, Ms. GRANGER, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. PLATTS, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mrs. JO ANN DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. BERRY, Mrs. CAPITO, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. MICHAUD, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. SHAYS, and Mr. KIND):

H.R. 1227. A bill to prohibit discrimination on the basis of genetic information with respect to health insurance and employment; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and in addition to the Committees on Energy and Commerce, and 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 Mr. CONYERS:

H.R. 1228. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to reduce the work hours and increase the supervision of resident-physicians to ensure the safety of patients and resident-physicians themselves; 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 Mr. BLUNT (for himself, Mr. COOPER, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. DAVIS of Tennessee, Mr. DELAY, Mr. FORD, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. GORDON, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Mr. MATHESON, Mr. TANNER, Mr. WAMP, and Mr. WESTMORELAND):

H.R. 1229. A bill to amend chapter 111 of title 28, United States Code, to limit the duration of Federal consent decrees to which State and local governments are a party, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BLUNT:

H.R. 1230. A bill to extend trade benefits to certain tents imported into the United States; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. COLE of Oklahoma:

H.R. 1231. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to restore and make permanent the exclusion from gross income for amounts received under qualified group legal services plans and to repeal the limitation on the amount of the exclusion; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. CUBIN:

H.R. 1232. A bill to amend the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 to provide death and disability benefits for aerial firefighters who work on a contract basis for the Forest Service or an agency of the Department of the Interior and suffer death or disability in the line of duty, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources, and in addition to the Committees on Agriculture, and 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. LINCOLN DIAZ-BALART of Florida (for himself, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. MARIO DIAZ-BALART of Florida, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Ms. SOLIS, and Mr. RANGEL):

H.R. 1233. A bill to amend titles XIX and XXI of the Social Security Act to permit States the option of coverage of legal immigrants under the Medicaid Program and the State children's health insurance program (CHIP); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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. DOGGETT (for himself, Mr. STARK, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. EMANUEL, Mr. ALLEN, Ms. BALDWIN, Ms. BERKLEY, Ms. BORDALLO, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Ms. CARSON, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. FILNER, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. KUCINICH, Ms. LEE, Mrs. MALONEY, Ms. NORTON, Mr. OWENS, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Mr. SANDERS, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Ms. SOLIS, Mr. TIERNEY, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. WAXMAN, and Ms. WOOLSEY):

H.R. 1234. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to require greater transparency of corporate tax accounting measures, to facilitate analysis of financial statements, to permit inspection of true corporate tax liability and understand the tax strategies undertaken by corporations, to discourage abusive tax sheltering activities, and to restore investor confidence in publicly traded corporations; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. FLAKE (for himself, Mr. BISHOP of Utah, Mr. CANNON, Mr. DUNCAN, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. OTTER, Mrs. MUSGRAVE, Mr. SIMPSON, Mr. TANCREDO, and Mr. DOOLITTLE):

H.R. 1235. A bill to limit the authority of the Secretary of Agriculture and the Secretary of the Interior to acquire land located in a State in which 25 percent or more of all land in the State is already owned by the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. GIBBONS (for himself, Mr. PORTER, and Ms. BERKLEY):

H.R. 1236. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 750 4th Street in Sparks, Nevada, as the "Mayor Tony Armstrong Memorial Post Office"; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Ms. HART:

H.R. 1237. A bill to amend the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965 to provide assistance to communities for the redevelopment of brownfield sites; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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. HASTINGS of Florida (for himself, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. OWENS, Mr. STARK, Mr. CUMMINGS, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. CONYERS, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, Mr. MEEK of Florida, Ms. NORTON, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. CLAY, Mr. MICHAUD, and Mr. PAYNE):

H.R. 1238. A bill to express the sense of the Congress with respect to the price and terms of credit used to pay large medical bills, to amend the Truth in Lending Act with respect to credit card issuers obligations for credit extended to pay medical expenses under certain circumstances, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. HAYES:

H.R. 1239. A bill to require notice of exceptions applied by the Department of Defense to certain requirements to procure items made in the United States; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. HEFLEY (for himself and Mr. ALLEN):

H.R. 1240. A bill to establish a Federal Interagency Committee on Emergency Medical Services, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. HOEKSTRA (for himself, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. EHLERS, Mr. MCCOTTER, Mr. DICKS, Mr. GARY G. MILLER of California, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. AKIN, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, Mr. BAIRD, Mr. RUPPERSBERGER, Mr. LARSEN of Washington, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. KIND, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. UPTON, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. ROGERS of Michigan, Mr. FORD, Mr. PLATTS, and Mr. CALVERT):

H.R. 1241. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide a shorter recovery period for the depreciation of certain systems installed in nonresidential buildings; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HOLT (for himself, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, and Mr. EVANS):

H.R. 1242. A bill to establish the American Veterans Congressional Internship Program; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. HOSTETTLER (for himself, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. WICKER, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. WAMP, Mr. BURGESS, Mr. GOODE, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. GINGREY, Mr. PENCE, Mr. BARRETT of South Carolina, Mr. HALL, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. CANNON, Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. BRADLEY of New Hampshire, Mr. MCHENRY, Mr. FOLEY, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. CANTOR, Mrs. MUSGRAVE, Mr. WESTMORELAND, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. OTTER, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Ms. GINNY BROWN-WAITE of Florida, Mr. SODREL, and Mr. ALEXANDER):

H.R. 1243. A bill to amend title 18 of the United States Code to provide for reciprocity in regard to the manner in which non-residents of a State may carry certain concealed firearms in that State; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. ISRAEL:

H.R. 1244. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to provide health care coverage for spouses and children of members of the uniformed services on active duty through the Federal Employees Health Benefits program; 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. ISSA (for himself, Mr. LEVIN, Ms. GRANGER, Ms. DELAURO, Mrs.

BONO, Mr. CANTOR, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Ms. HARRIS, Mr. HALL, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Ms. HARMAN, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. EMANUEL, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. HOLT, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. LYNCH, Mrs. MCCARTHY, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. MCINTYRE, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. OLVER, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. PLATTS, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. WOLF, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. MEEKS of New York, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. MOORE of Kansas, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. POMBO, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. LUCAS, Mr. LEWIS of California, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. MCCOTTER, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. STARK, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. GINGREY, Mr. MENENDEZ, Ms. FOXX, Ms. BORDALLO, Ms. GINNY BROWN-WAITE of Florida, Mr. ISRAEL, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. BOSWELL, Ms. CARSON, Mr. HONDA, Mr. SANDERS, Mrs. MILLER of Michigan, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. TANCREDI, Mr. TOM DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. LEACH, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mrs. JO ANN DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Ms. ROSELEHTINEN, Ms. KILPATRICK of Michigan, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California, and Mr. STUPAK):

H.R. 1245. A bill to provide for programs to increase the awareness and knowledge of women and health care providers with respect to gynecologic cancers; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut (for herself, Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. BACHUS, Ms. BALDWIN, Mrs. BONO, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. HALL, Mr. HULSHOF, Mr. RUSH, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. SIMMONS, Ms. SOLIS, and Mr. WAXMAN):

H.R. 1246. A bill to reauthorize the Children's Hospitals Graduate Medical Education Program; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas (for himself, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. PENCE, and Mr. MARCHANT):

H.R. 1247. A bill to amend the National Labor Relations Act to ensure that certain prevailing parties receive attorneys' fees; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas (for himself, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. PENCE, Mr. HENSARLING, Mr. KING of Iowa, and Mr. MARCHANT):

H.R. 1248. A bill to amend the National Labor Relations Act to prevent government agencies from requiring or prohibiting employers in the construction industry to enter into agreements with labor organizations; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. KILDEE (for himself, Mr. NEY, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. BONNER, Mr. CHANDLER, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. DICKS, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. FARR, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. HOLT, Mr. INSLEE, Mr. KENNEDY of Minnesota, Mr. KING of New York,

Mr. LARSEN of Washington, Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California, Ms. MCCOLLUM of Minnesota, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. OLVER, Mr. OWENS, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. SABO, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. SIMMONS, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Ms. SOLIS, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. WEXLER, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Ms. WATSON, Mr. WEINER, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, and Mr. KUHLMAN of New York):

H.R. 1249. A bill to provide collective bargaining rights for public safety officers employed by States or their political subdivisions; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. KOLBE (for himself, Mr. RENZI, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. SHADEGG, and Mr. FLAKE):

H.R. 1250. A bill to amend the National Trails System Act to direct the Secretary of the Interior and the Secretary of Agriculture to jointly conduct a study on the feasibility of designating the Arizona Trail as a national scenic trail or a national historic trail; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mrs. LOWEY (for herself, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. CARDOZA, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mrs. MCCARTHY, Mr. PALLONE, Ms. LEE, Ms. HARMAN, Mr. CASE, Ms. MCCOLLUM of Minnesota, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. MCINTYRE, Mr. SANDERS, Ms. NORTON, Mr. KUCINICH, Ms. WATSON, Mr. OWENS, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mr. WEINER, Mr. ETHERIDGE, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. LANGEVIN, Mr. DEFazio, and Mr. LEWIS of Georgia):

H.R. 1251. A bill to provide grants and other support to achieve communications interoperability in the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Homeland Security, 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. MCCARTHY (for herself, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. OWENS, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. ISRAEL, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. STARK, Mr. PAYNE, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. STRICKLAND, Mr. ANDREWS, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, and Mr. BISHOP of New York):

H.R. 1252. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for a program of screenings and education regarding children with sudden cardiac arrhythmia syndromes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mrs. MUSGRAVE:

H.R. 1253. A bill to extend a certain high priority corridor in the States of Colorado, Nebraska, South Dakota, and Wyoming; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota (for himself, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. ROSS, and Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts):

H.R. 1254. A bill to amend the Animal Health Protection Act to require the establishment of an electronic nationwide livestock identification system, to prevent the unauthorized release of information collected under the system, to promote an objective review of Department of Agriculture responses to livestock disease outbreaks, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota:

H.R. 1255. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend the tax incentives for biodiesel; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota:

H.R. 1256. A bill to amend the Animal Health Protection Act to exempt certain animal identification information from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act; to the Committee on Agriculture, 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. RADANOVICH (for himself, Mr.

BLUNT, Mr. CARDOZA, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. HERGER, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. ISSA, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. BERRY, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Mr. SIMPSON, Mr. OTTER, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. COSTA, Mr. POMBO, and Mr. JONES of North Carolina):

H.R. 1257. A bill to amend the Clean Air Act to authorize critical use exemption amounts for methy bromide as identified by the United States State Department for the years 2006 and 2007, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. RAMSTAD:

H.R. 1258. A bill to amend the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, Public Health Service Act, and the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide parity with respect to substance abuse treatment benefits under group health plans and health insurance coverage; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Education and the Workforce, and 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 Mr. RANGEL (for himself, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. FILNER, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. OWENS, Ms. CARSON, Mr. TOWNS, Ms. CORRINE BROWN of Florida, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. MEEKS of New York, and Mrs. CHRISTENSEN):

H.R. 1259. A bill to authorize the President to award a gold medal on behalf of the Congress, collectively, to the Tuskegee Airmen in recognition of their unique military record, which inspired revolutionary reform in the Armed Forces; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. REYNOLDS (for himself, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. OBEY, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. WALSH, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. ETHERIDGE, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. OLVER, Mr. HIGGINS, Mr. SIMMONS, Mr. SKELTON, Mr. SWEENEY, Mr. KUHLMAN of New York, Mr. NADLER, and Mr. HOLDEN):

H.R. 1260. A bill to amend the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002 to extend contracts for national dairy market loss payments through fiscal year 2007, to increase the payment quantity authorized under such contracts, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. RYUN of Kansas:

H.R. 1261. A bill to amend the National Trails System Act to improve the efficiency and fairness of acquiring railroad rights-of-way for interim use as public trails by applying the procedures applicable to other Federal real estate acquisitions; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. SMITH of New Jersey (for himself, Mr. MARKEY, and Mr. BURGESS):

H.R. 1262. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to fund breakthroughs in Alzheimer's disease research while providing more help to caregivers and increasing public education about prevention; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, 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. STEARNS:

H.R. 1263. A bill to protect and enhance consumer privacy, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on International Relations, 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. TERRY (for himself, Mrs. CAPPS, and Mrs. MALONEY):

H.R. 1264. A bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to provide funds to States to enable them to increase the wages paid to targeted direct support professionals in providing services to individuals with disabilities under the Medicaid program; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. UDALL of Colorado:

H.R. 1265. A bill to provide a source of funding for the reclamation of abandoned hardrock mines, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. UDALL of Colorado (for himself and Mr. SALAZAR):

H.R. 1266. A bill to facilitate the reclamation of abandoned hardrock mines, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. ISRAEL:

H. Con. Res. 91. Concurrent resolution requesting the President to issue a proclamation to commemorate the 200th anniversary of the birth of Constantino Brumidi; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. PRICE of North Carolina:

H. Con. Res. 92. Concurrent resolution supporting the designation, during spring 2006, of National Horticultural Therapy Week in order to improve the quality of life for all and increase opportunities for each individual positively connect with the natural world; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. REYES:

H. Con. Res. 93. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress that the Department of Justice should halt efforts to block compensation for torture inflicted by the Government of Iraq on American prisoners of war during the 1991 Gulf War; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. TANCREDO:

H. Con. Res. 94. Concurrent resolution commending Paul Rusesabagina for his courage and bravery in saving hundreds of lives from the genocide in Rwanda, and for other purposes; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. JINDAL (for himself and Mr. BOUSTANY):

H. Res. 146. A resolution expressing support for prayer at school board meetings; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, 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. NEY (for himself, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. EHLERS, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mrs. MILLER of Michigan, and Mr. REYNOLDS):

H. Res. 147. A resolution electing members to the Joint Committee on Printing and the

Joint Committee of Congress on the Library; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mrs. BIGGERT (for herself and Mr. HINOJOSA):

H. Res. 148. A resolution supporting the goals and ideals of Financial Literacy Month, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. ROYCE (for himself and Mr. HONDA):

H. Res. 149. A resolution honoring the life and contributions of the late Dr. John B. Tsu for his dedication and service to the United States of America through many high-level boards and commissions and for his service on behalf of the Asian Pacific American community; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. UDALL of Colorado:

H. Res. 150. A resolution recognizing the goals and ideals of a National Time Out Day to support the universal protocol, developed by the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations, for preventing errors in the operating room, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

## PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

Mr. PENCE introduced A bill (H.R. 1267) for the relief of Fatuka Kaikumba Flake; 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. 8: Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. LINCOLN DIAZ-BALLART of Florida, and Mr. JINDAL.

H.R. 13: Mr. RAMSTAD, Mrs. BONO, Mr. FORTUÑO, and Mr. MORAN of Kansas.

H.R. 21: Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Ms. CARSON, Mr. MEEKS of New York, Mr. MARKEY, and Mr. MURTHA.

H.R. 22: Mr. HIGGINS and Mrs. CUBIN.

H.R. 23: Mr. ROTHMAN, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. DUNCAN, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. STARK, Mr. BARROW, Mr. TERRY, Mr. CARDIN, Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. PORTER, and Mr. ACKERMAN.

H.R. 34: Mr. FILNER, Mr. THORNBERRY, and Mr. LOBIONDO.

H.R. 49: Mr. DEFazio.

H.R. 63: Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California, Mr. UDALL of New Mexico, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. WEXLER, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. STRICKLAND, Mr. LEVIN, and Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California.

H.R. 68: Mr. WEINER.

H.R. 110: Mr. GRIJALVA and Mr. ANDREWS.

H.R. 115: Mr. DAVIS of Florida, Mr. PALLONE, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Mr. COOPER, Ms. DELAULO, and Ms. WOOLSEY.

H.R. 127: Mr. OWENS and Mr. RUSH.

H.R. 128: Mr. MEEKS of New York, Ms. WATERS, Mr. RANGEL, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. FORD, Ms. WOOLSEY, and Mr. BROWN of Ohio.

H.R. 206: Ms. LEE, Mr. WEINER, and Ms. SLAUGHTER.

H.R. 213: Mr. PALLONE.

H.R. 216: Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. FORBES, Mr. AKIN, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, and Mr. RYUN of Kansas.

H.R. 230: Mr. SESSIONS.

H.R. 239: Mr. SESSIONS.

H.R. 282: Mr. SENSENBRENNER and Mr. COLE of Oklahoma.

H.R. 303: Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mrs. MCCARTHY, Ms. GINNY BROWN-WAITE of Florida, Mr. BISHOP of Utah, Mr. STRICKLAND, Mr. KILDEE, and Mr. CUELLAR.

H.R. 305: Ms. HART and Mr. MCHENRY.

H.R. 311: Mr. PAYNE and Mr. BROWN of Ohio.

H.R. 312: Mr. ETHERIDGE and Ms. HARMAN.

H.R. 354: Mr. OBERSTAR.

H.R. 458: Ms. MOORE of Wisconsin.

H.R. 503: Ms. WATSON, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. GRIJALVA, Ms. LEE, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. OLVER, Mr. PAYNE, Ms. BALDWIN, and Mrs. NAPOLITANO.

H.R. 514: Mr. SIMMONS.

H.R. 524: Mr. KUCINICH.

H.R. 525: Mr. ADERHOLT and Mr. BONNER.

H.R. 531: Mr. MICHAUD.

H.R. 533: Mr. SERRANO.

H.R. 550: Ms. WATSON, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. FORD, and Ms. DELAULO.

H.R. 556: Mr. WAXMAN.

H.R. 558: Ms. MCCOLLUM of Minnesota.

H.R. 559: Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. PAYNE, and Mr. ALLEN.

H.R. 592: Ms. HART and Mr. PAYNE.

H.R. 595: Ms. CORRINE BROWN of Florida, and Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut.

H.R. 602: Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California, and Mr. PICKERING.

H.R. 623: Mr. PORTER.

H.R. 624: Ms. WOOLSEY, Ms. BERKLEY, and Ms. GINNY BROWN-WAITE of Florida.

H.R. 653: Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. CARDOZA, and Ms. MCKINNEY.

H.R. 668: Mr. KUCINICH and Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

H.R. 691: Mr. GORDON.

H.R. 703: Mr. GOODLATTE and Mr. MCHENRY.

H.R. 719: Mr. TERRY, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. KUHLMAN of New York, Mr. KIND, Mr. TIBERI, Mr. BOOZMAN, and Mrs. EMERSON.

H.R. 721: Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. MCCAUL of Texas, Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin, and Mr. SOUDER.

H.R. 731: Mr. GIBBONS.

H.R. 739: Mr. PRICE of Georgia and Mr. MARCHANT.

H.R. 740: Mr. MARCHANT and Mr. PRICE of North Carolina.

H.R. 741: Mr. PRICE of Georgia and Mr. MARCHANT.

H.R. 742: Mr. MARCHANT and Mr. PRICE of North Carolina.

H.R. 748: Mr. CAMP and Mr. BONILLA.

H.R. 750: Mr. WELLER and Mr. TANCREDO.

H.R. 765: Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. ROSS, Mr. PENCE, Mr. BROWN of South Carolina, Mr. CANNON, and Mr. MANZULLO.

H.R. 768: Mr. SIMMONS, Mr. NADLER, Mr. CARNAHAN, and Mr. TIERNEY.

H.R. 771: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

H.R. 783: Mr. MCINTYRE, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin, Mr. EDWARDS, and Mr. FILNER.

H.R. 785: Mr. UPTON.

H.R. 788: Mr. HEFLEY.

H.R. 791: Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. SANDERS, and Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island.

H.R. 793: Mr. MICHAUD and Ms. BEAN.

H.R. 800: Mr. DELAY, Mr. PORTER, Mr. KING of Iowa, Mr. PRICE of Georgia, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. BARROW, Mr. MELANCON, Mr. NEUGEBAUER, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. CAMP, Mr. MOLLOHAN, and Mr. BISHOP of Georgia.

H.R. 809: Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. LUCAS, and Mr. NORWOOD.

H.R. 812: Mrs. CHRISTENSEN.

H.R. 815: Mr. BARRETT of South Carolina.

H.R. 817: Mr. HOBSON, Mr. OLVER, Mr. WU, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Mr. KIRK, and Ms. BERKLEY.

H.R. 819: Mr. TERRY and Mr. KUHLMAN of New York.

H.R. 824: Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mr. MCNULTY, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr.