

are very dedicated to protecting our country.

So nothing that I say or do should make anyone feel that this is implying anything but applauding the good work and applauding the patriotism of those people in these law enforcement agencies and intelligence agencies who protect us.

RECESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. WESTMORELAND). Pursuant to clause 12(a) of rule I, the Chair declares the House in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

Accordingly (at 10 o'clock and 22 minutes p.m.), the House stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

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AFTER RECESS

The recess having expired, the House was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. PUTNAM) at 11 o'clock and 29 minutes p.m.

REPORT ON RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 6, ENERGY POLICY ACT OF 2005

Mr. SESSIONS, from the Committee on Rules, submitted a privileged report (Rept. No. 109-49) on the resolution (H. Res. 219) providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 6) to ensure jobs for our future with secure, affordable, and reliable energy, which was referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to:

Mr. MENENDEZ (at the request of Ms. PELOSI) for today on account of official business.

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 Mrs. MCCARTHY) to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material:)

Mrs. MCCARTHY, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. GUTIERREZ, for 5 minutes, today.

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

Mr. CUMMINGS, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. DEFAZIO, for 5 minutes, today.

Ms. KAPTUR, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. EMANUEL, for 5 minutes, today.

Ms. WATSON, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. MCDERMOTT, for 5 minutes, today.

Ms. CORRINE BROWN of Florida, for 5 minutes, today.

Ms. WOOLSEY, for 5 minutes, today.

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

Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, for 5 minutes, April 20.

Mr. BURTON of Indiana, for 5 minutes, today and April 20 and 21.

Mr. CHOCOLA, for 5 minutes, today and April 20.

Mr. OSBORNE, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. BURGESS, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. JONES of North Carolina, for 5 minutes, today and April 20 and 21.

Mr. GUTKNECHT, for 5 minutes, April 20 and 21.

Mr. POE, for 5 minutes, April 21.

SENATE BILL REFERRED

A bill of the Senate of the following title was taken from the Speaker's table and, under the rule, referred as follows:

S. 289. An act to authorize an annual appropriation of \$10,000,000 for mental health courts through fiscal year 2011; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Mr. Trandahl, Clerk of the House, reported and found truly enrolled a bill of the House of the following title, which was thereupon signed by the Speaker:

H.R. 787. An act to designate the United States courthouse located at 501 I Street in Sacramento, California, as the "Robert T. Matsui United States Courthouse".

ADJOURNMENT

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

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 11 o'clock and 30 minutes p.m.), the House adjourned until tomorrow, Wednesday, April 20, 2005, 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:

1677. A letter from the General Counsel/FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Final Flood Elevation Determinations — received April 18, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

1678. A letter from the Director, Child Nutrition Division, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Child and Adult Care Food Program: Increasing the Duration of Tiering Determinations for Day Care Homes (RIN: 0584-AD67) received February 16, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

1679. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Medical Devices; Immunology and Microbiology Devices; Classification of the Automated Fluorescence in situ Hybridization

Enumeration Systems [Docket No. 2005N-0081] received April 8, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

1680. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Substances Affirmed as Generally Recognized as Safe: Menhaden Oil [Docket No. 1999P-5332] received April 8, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

1681. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Food and Drug Administration Regulations; Drug and Biological Product Consolidation; Addresses; Technical Amendment — received April 8, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

1682. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, FDA, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Secondary Direct Food Additives Permitted in Food for Human Consumption [Docket No. 2003F-0535] received March 3, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

1683. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Secretary For Export Administration, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule — Revision of Export and Reexport Restrictions on Libya: Responses to Comments on the Interim Rule [Docket No. 040422128-5024-02] (RIN: 0694-AD14) received on March 18, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on International Relations.

1684. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Secretary for Export Administration, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule — Licensing Policy for Entities Sanctioned under Specified Statutes; License Requirement for Certain Sanctioned Entities; and Imposition of License Requirement for Tula Instrument Design Bureau [Docket No. 041222360-4360-01] (RIN: 0694-AD24) received on March 3, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on International Relations.

1685. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Secretary for Export Administration, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule — Editorial Corrections to Part 730 of the Export Administration Regulations [Docket No. 050202023-5023-01] (RIN: 0694-AD40) received on March 18, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on International Relations.

1686. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Secretary for Export Administration, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule — Denied Persons and Specially Designated Nationals [Docket No. 050208029-5029-01] (RIN: 0694-AD43) received on February 17, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on International Relations.

1687. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel, Federal Election Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Political Party Committees Donating Funds to Certain Tax-Exempt Organizations and Political Organizations [Notice 2005-8] received March 11, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on House Administration.

1688. A letter from the Assistant General Counsel, Federal Election Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Filing Documents by Priority Mail, Express Mail, and Overnight Delivery Service [Notice 2005-9] received March 11, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on House Administration.

1689. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; McDonnell Douglas Model MD-90-30 Airplanes [Docket No. FAA-2004-19448; Directorate Identifier 2004-NM-134-AD; Amendment 39-14011; AD 2005-06-03] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received March 30, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1690. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 737-300, -400, and -500 Series Airplanes Modified In Accordance With Supplemental Type Certificate (STC) ST00127BO [Docket No. FAA-2004-19891; Directorate Identifier 2004-NM-136-AD; Amendment 39-14006; AD 2005-05-17] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received March 30, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1691. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Dornier Model 328-300 Series Airplanes [Docket No. FAA-2004-19568; Directorate Identifier 2004-NM-112-AD; Amendment 39-14000; AD 2005-05-11] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received March 30, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1692. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Eurocopter France Model EC 155B and EC 155B1 Helicopters [Docket No. 2003-SW-47-AD; Amendment 39-14009; AD 2005-06-01] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received March 30, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

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. 866. A bill to make technical corrections to the United States Code (Rept. 109-48). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. SESSIONS: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 219. Resolution providing for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 6) to ensure jobs for our future with secure, affordable, and reliable energy; (Rept. 109-49). Referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mrs. MUSGRAVE (for herself and Mr. HERGER):

H.R. 1678. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend the deduction for increased expensing for small business; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. ANDREWS:

H.R. 1679. A bill to make supplemental appropriations for fiscal year 2005 to ensure the inclusion of commonly used pesticides in State source water assessment programs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. ANDREWS:

H.R. 1680. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to expand the incentives for the environmental cleanup of certain

contaminated industrial sites designated as brownfields; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BUTTERFIELD (for himself, Mr. PAYNE, Ms. LEE, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. OWENS, Mr. RUSH, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. HOLDEN, Ms. NORTON, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. CLAY, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. FORD, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. CARDOZA, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. CLEAVER, and Mr. CLYBURN):

H.R. 1681. A bill to improve education for all students, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, 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. CARDIN (for himself, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. STARK, Mr. LEVIN, and Mr. EMANUEL):

H.R. 1682. A bill to update the supplemental security income program, and to increase incentives for working, saving, and pursuing an education; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. CLAY (for himself, Ms. MCKINNEY, and Mr. BUTTERFIELD):

H.R. 1683. A bill to amend title 37, United States Code, to require a minimum basic pay level of \$2,000 per month for members of the Armed Forces serving in a combat zone; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. COX (for himself, Mr. CANNON, Mr. UPTON, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. ROHRABACHER, Mr. GARRETT of New Jersey, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. SIMMONS, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. FOSSELLA, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. KENNEDY of Minnesota, Mr. MACK, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. OTTER, Mrs. MUSGRAVE, Mr. PAUL, Mr. HERGER, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. BOUSTANY, Mr. DREIER, Mr. WESTMORELAND, Mr. TOM DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. WELLER, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. TERRY, Mr. MCHENRY, Mr. GARY G. MILLER of California, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. KIRK, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. ADERHOLT, Ms. GINNY BROWN-WAITE of Florida, Miss MCMORRIS, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. MCCAUL of Texas, Mr. WALSH, Mr. MANZULLO, and Mr. HOSTETTLER):

H.R. 1684. A bill to amend the Internet Tax Freedom Act to make permanent the moratorium on certain taxes relating to the Internet and to electronic commerce; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. COX (for himself, Mr. CANNON, Mr. UPTON, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. ROHRABACHER, Mr. GARRETT of New Jersey, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. SIMMONS, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. FOSSELLA, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. KENNEDY of Minnesota, Mr. MACK, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. OTTER, Mrs. MUSGRAVE, Mr. PAUL, Mr. HERGER, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. BOUSTANY, Mr. DREIER, Mr. WESTMORELAND, Mr. TOM DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. WELLER, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. TERRY, Mr. MCHENRY, Mr. GARY G. MILLER of California, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. KIRK, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. ADERHOLT, Ms. GINNY BROWN-WAITE of Florida, Miss MCMORRIS, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. MCCAUL of Texas, Mr. WALSH, Mr. MANZULLO, and Mr. HOSTETTLER):

H.R. 1685. A bill to amend the Internet Tax Freedom Act to make permanent the moratorium on certain taxes relating to the Internet and to electronic commerce; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. CUMMINGS:

H.R. 1686. A bill to require United States assistance for the repair, maintenance, or construction of the transportation infrastructure of Iraq to be provided in the form of loans subject to repayment in full to the United States Government; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Ms. DELAUNO (for herself, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. CUELLAR, Mr. STARK, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. FARR, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. DINGELL, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. HOLT, Mr. PALLONE, Ms. BERKLEY, Mrs. MCCARTHY, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. MILLER of North Carolina, Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. HONDA, Mr. WEINER, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. DICKS, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. CUMMINGS, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. UDALL of New Mexico, Ms. CORRINE BROWN of Florida, Mr. NADLER, Ms. MCCOLLUM of Minnesota, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. HINCHY, Mr. STRICKLAND, Ms. LEE, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. CROWLEY, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. GRIJALVA, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. LANGEVIN, Mr. EVANS, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. WU, Mr. ALLEN, Ms. SOLIS, and Ms. WOOLSEY):

H.R. 1687. A bill to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to provide more effective remedies to victims of discrimination in the payment of wages on the basis of sex, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. FARR (for himself, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. LEACH, Mr. WEINER, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mrs. MALONEY, Ms. LEE, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. EVANS, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. NADLER, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. HONDA, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, and Ms. SOLIS):

H.R. 1688. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit certain interstate conduct relating to exotic animals; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. FEENEY (for himself, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Ms. HART, Mr. MEEK of Florida, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. BOYD, Ms. HARRIS, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. SHAW, Mr. KELLER, Mr. CRENSHAW, Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin, Mr. HOYER, and Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ):

H.R. 1689. A bill to modify the prohibition on recognition by United States courts of certain rights relating to certain marks, trade names, or commercial names; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts (for himself, Mr. HOYER, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. OWENS, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. CLEAVER, Mr. MCGOVERN, and Mr. PAUL):

H.R. 1690. A bill to amend title II of the Social Security Act to restrict the application of the windfall elimination provision to individuals whose combined monthly income from benefits under such title and other