

6511. 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; Reallocation of Pollock from the Aleutian Islands Subarea to the Bering Sea Subarea [Docket No. 041126332-5039-02; I.D. 020606A] received February 22, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

6512. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act Provisions; Fisheries of the Northeastern United States; Northeast Multispecies Fishery; Modification of the Yellowtail Flounder Landing Limit for Western and Eastern U.S./Canada Areas [Docket No. 040804229-4300-02; I.D. 010606A] received February 22, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

6513. 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 Northeastern United States; Atlantic Mackerel, Squid, and Butterfish Fisheries; Closure of the Quarter I Fishery for Loligo Squid [Docket No. 051209329-5329-01; I.D. 020306B] received February 27, 2006, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

6514. A letter from the Acting Director, FEMA, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting notification that funding under Title V, subsection 503(b)(3) of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, as amended, has exceeded \$5 million for the response to the emergency declared as a result the influx of evacuees from areas struck by Hurricane Katrina beginning on August 29, 2005 in the State of Florida, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 5193; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6515. A letter from the Assistant Secretary of the Army, Civil Works, Department of the Army, transmitting a copy of the Central and Southern Florida Project Indian River Lagoon-South Feasibility Study; 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. HUNTER: Committee on Armed Services. House Resolution 645. Resolution requesting the President and directing the Secretary of Defense to transmit to the House of Representatives all information in the possession of the President or the Secretary of Defense relating to the collection of intelligence information pertaining to persons inside the United States without obtaining court-ordered warrants authorizing the collection of such information and relating to the policy of the United States with respect to the gathering of counterterrorism intelligence within the United States; adversely (Rept. 109-384). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. HOEKSTRA: Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence. House Resolution 641. Resolution requesting the President to provide to the House of Representatives certain documents in his possession relating to electronic surveillance without search warrants

on individuals in the United States; adversely (Rept. 109-385). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. GINGREY: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 710. Resolution providing for further consideration of the bill (H.R. 4167) to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to provide for uniform food safety warning notification requirements, and for other purposes (Rept. 109-386). Referred to the House Calendar.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. HUNTER (for himself, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. SKELTON, Mr. DAVIS of Kentucky, Mrs. JO ANN DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. POE, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. HEFLEY, Mr. NEY, Mr. TURNER, and Mr. DUNCAN):

H.R. 4881. A bill to promote the national defense by establishing requirements for the ownership, management, and operation of critical infrastructure in the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services, and in addition to the Committees on Armed Services, Energy and Commerce, International Relations, and 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 Mr. POMBO (for himself, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. PEARCE, and Mrs. CHRISTENSEN):

H.R. 4882. A bill to ensure the proper remembrance of Vietnam veterans and the Vietnam War by providing a deadline for the designation of a visitor center for the Vietnam Veterans Memorial; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. FITZPATRICK of Pennsylvania (for himself and Mr. SCHIFF):

H.R. 4883. A bill to provide justice for crime victims' families, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. KENNEDY of Minnesota:

H.R. 4884. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to include in gross income the value of assets set aside under an employer nonqualified deferred compensation plan when the employer defined benefit plan has a funding target attainment percentage of less than 80 percent; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. BERKLEY:

H.R. 4885. A bill to amend the Defense Production Act of 1950 to prohibit acquisitions, mergers, or takeovers of persons engaged in interstate commerce in the United States by entities controlled by or acting on behalf of foreign governments that do not recognize countries that are member states of the United Nations, participate in boycotts against countries that are friendly to the United States, or provide support for international terrorism; to the Committee on Financial Services, and in addition to the Committees on Energy and Commerce, and 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. MCGOVERN (for himself, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. KUCINICH, and Mr. DELAHUNT):

H.R. 4886. A bill to designate Colombia under section 244 of the Immigration and Nationality Act in order to make nationals of

Colombia eligible for temporary protected status under such section; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. BERKLEY:

H.R. 4887. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exclude from gross income amounts awarded to qui tam plaintiffs; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BOUSTANY (for himself, Mr. BAKER, Mr. ALEXANDER, Mr. MELANCON, and Mr. JINDAL):

H.R. 4888. A bill to amend the provision regarding the emergency watershed protection program in the Department of Defense, Emergency Supplemental Appropriations to Address Hurricanes in the Gulf of Mexico, and Pandemic Influenza Act, 2006, to restore the discretion of the Secretary of Agriculture to waive or reduce the non-Federal cost share requirements of the program; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. GINGREY:

H.R. 4889. A bill to grant the power to the President to reduce budget authority; to the Committee on the Budget, and in addition to the Committees on Rules, 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. RYAN of Wisconsin (for himself, Mr. DREIER, Mr. FEENEY, Mr. CHOCOLA, Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. HENSARLING, Mr. HERGER, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. RYUN of Kansas, Mr. GARRETT of New Jersey, Mr. FLAKE, Mr. CANTOR, Mrs. MUSGRAVE, Mr. CONAWAY, Mr. MATHESON, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. PENCE, Mr. FORTUÑO, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. UPTON, Mr. PLATTS, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. MCHENRY, Mr. MORAN of Kansas, Mr. PITTS, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. POMBO, Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. BEAUPREZ, Mrs. BONO, Mr. KIRK, Mr. MACK, Mr. TERRY, Mr. KENNEDY of Minnesota, Mr. PUTNAM, Mr. KLINE, Mr. CANNON, Mr. RENZI, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. SENBRENNER, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, and Mr. UDALL of Colorado):

H.R. 4890. A bill to amend the Congressional and Impoundment Control Act of 1974 to provide for the expedited consideration of certain proposed rescissions of budget authority; to the Committee on the Budget, and in addition to the Committee on 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 Mr. HINCHEY (for himself, Mr. SHAYS, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. ENGEL, and Mrs. KELLY):

H.R. 4891. A bill to require the Nuclear Regulatory Commission to conduct an Independent Safety Assessment of the Indian Point Nuclear Power Plant; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. PAUL (for himself and Mr. JONES of North Carolina):

H.R. 4892. A bill to require the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System to continue to make available to the public on a weekly basis information on the measure of the M3 monetary aggregate, and its components, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. POMBO:

H.R. 4893. A bill to amend section 20 of the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act to restrict off-reservation gaming; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. PORTER:

H.R. 4894. A bill to provide for certain access to national crime information databases

by schools and educational agencies for employment purposes, with respect to individuals who work with children; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. ROHRBACHER:

H.R. 4895. A bill to amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 to limit the provision of United States military assistance and the sale, transfer, or licensing of United States military equipment or technology to Ethiopia; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Ms. SCHAKOWSKY (for herself, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mrs. MCCARTHY, Mr. LANTOS, Ms. NORTON, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Ms. KILPATRICK of Michigan, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. MCDERMOTT, and Mr. GUTIERREZ):

H.R. 4896. A bill to direct the Consumer Product Safety Commission to promulgate a consumer product safety standard for each durable infant or toddler product, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

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

H.R. 4897. A bill to reauthorize the Renewable Energy Systems and Energy Efficiency Improvements Program of the Department of Agriculture through fiscal year 2011 and to increase the annual level of Commodity Credit Corporation funding for the program; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. REGULA (for himself, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, and Mr. BECERRA):

H.J. Res. 81. A joint resolution providing for the appointment of Phillip Frost as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. REGULA (for himself, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, and Mr. BECERRA):

H.J. Res. 82. A joint resolution providing for the reappointment of Alan G. Spoon as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. RANGEL:

H. Con. Res. 352. Concurrent resolution recognizing the contributions of the New York Public Library's Schomburg Center for Research in Black Culture in educating the people of the United States about the African-American migration experience, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. COSTA (for himself, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. REGULA, Mr. HOBSON, and Mr. SHADEGG):

H. Res. 711. A resolution recognizing and honoring the 150th anniversary of the founding of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota:

H. Res. 712. A resolution commending the United States men's and women's curling teams on their accomplishments at the 2006 Winter Olympic Games in Torino, Italy; to the Committee on Government Reform.

MEMORIALS

Under clause 3 of rule XII, memorials were presented and referred as follows:

262. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana, relative to House Concurrent Resolution No. 30 memorializing the Congress of the United States to take such actions as are necessary to amend the No Child Left Behind Act to provide that paraprofessionals who are employed in Title I schools prior to the enactment of the No Child Left Behind Act shall be deemed to have met the definition of "highly qualified" for purposes of such legis-

lation due to such employment and the experience gained as a result of such employment; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

263. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana, relative to House Concurrent Resolution No. 32 memorializing the Congress of the United States to take such actions as are necessary to close the Mississippi River Gulf Outlet; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

264. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana, relative to House Concurrent Resolution No. 5 memorializing the Congress of the United States to take such actions as are necessary to require the Federal Emergency Management Agency to honor the preferences of local governing authorities in determining the location of temporary housing sites; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

265. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana, relative to House Concurrent Resolution No. 20 urging the Louisiana congressional delegation to ensure enactment of legislation to require the Federal Emergency Management Agency to provide the same level assistance to the residents of certain parishes who were affected by Hurricane Rita as the residents of Louisiana affected by Hurricane Katrina, including funding assistance with demolition and removal of damaged housing; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

266. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana, relative to House Concurrent Resolution No. 24 memorializing the Congress of the United States to take such actions as are necessary to immediately close the Mississippi River Gulf Outlet and return the area to essential coastal wetlands and marshes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

267. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana, relative to House Concurrent Resolution No. 26 urging the United States Army Corps of Engineers to provide a listing of all Hurricane Katrina and Hurricane Rita related projects, including specific details including the type of work, the name of the contractor, and the total price of the contract; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

268. Also, a memorial of the Legislature of the State of Louisiana, relative to House Concurrent Resolution No. 17 memorializing the Congress of the United States to take such actions as are necessary to allow a five hundred dollar federal tax deduction for people who housed evacuees rent free for at least sixty continuous days as a result of Hurricane Rita; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 23: Mr. MEEK of Florida.
H.R. 95: Mr. HOLT and Mr. LATOURETTE.
H.R. 147: Mrs. NORTHUP.
H.R. 198: Mr. MCCOTTER.
H.R. 200: Mrs. WILSON of New Mexico.
H.R. 282: Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. MARKEY, and Mr. PAYNE.
H.R. 283: Mr. MOORE of Kansas.
H.R. 354: Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania.
H.R. 363: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. BACA, and Mr. EMANUEL.
H.R. 503: Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin and Mr. GERLACH.
H.R. 515: Mr. MURPHY.
H.R. 517: Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. BACA, and Mr. BRADY of Texas.

H.R. 550: Ms. NORTON, Mr. STRICKLAND, and Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 552: Mr. LATHAM and Mr. ROGERS of Kentucky.

H.R. 586: Mr. BOOZMAN.

H.R. 611: Ms. WATERS and Mr. BURTON of Indiana.

H.R. 615: Mr. CONYERS.

H.R. 669, Mr. KING of New York.

H.R. 752: Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. GORDON, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. CARNAHAN, Mr. HONDA, Mr. PAYNE, Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California, Mr. Dingell, and Mr. GONZALEZ.

H.R. 769: Mr. DELAHUNT.

H.R. 791: Mr. DAVIS of Tennessee.

H.R. 807: Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. CONYERS, and Mr. NADLER.

H.R. 808: Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. DELAHUNT, and Mr. RAHALL.

H.R. 838: Mr. BISHOP of New York.

H.R. 888: Mr. MURPHY.

H.R. 898: Mr. RANGEL, Mr. JEFFERSON, and Mr. LARSON of Connecticut.

H.R. 998: Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, and Mr. PUTNAM.

H.R. 1053: Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. HYDE, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. FATTAH, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. KIND, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Ms. HART, Ms. HARRIS, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, and Ms. WATSON.

H.R. 1120: Mr. ROTHMAN.

H.R. 1188: Mr. STRICKLAND.

H.R. 1227: Mr. BOUSTANY and Mr. FARR.

H.R. 1262: Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California.

H.R. 1345: Ms. DEGETTE.

H.R. 1366: Mr. BARROW.

H.R. 1393: Mr. KILDEE, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. DAVIS of Tennessee, and Mrs. MCCARTHY.

H.R. 1447: Mr. ROTHMAN.

H.R. 1494: Mr. MARSHALL, Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin, Mr. BAKER, and Mr. BASS.

H.R. 1498: Mrs. MALONEY, Ms. LEE, Mr. BONNER, Mrs. MCCARTHY, and Mr. GONZALEZ.

H.R. 1558: Mr. PLATTS.

H.R. 1578: Mr. SHAYS, Mr. OWENS, and Mr. RYUN of Kansas.

H.R. 1588: Mr. PAYNE.

H.R. 1621: Mr. WEXLER, Mr. BISHOP of Utah, Mr. LYNCH, Mr. MCGOVERN, and Mr. EMANUEL.

H.R. 1649: Mr. FATTAH.

H.R. 1671: Mr. SODREL.

H.R. 1806: Mr. ANDREWS.

H.R. 1951: Mr. BACA.

H.R. 2045: Mr. WILSON of South Carolina.

H.R. 2073: Mr. MEEHAN.

H.R. 2230: Mrs. MCCARTHY.

H.R. 2317: Mr. MOLLOHAN and Ms. KILPATRICK of Michigan.

H.R. 2348: Mr. RENZI.

H.R. 2369: Mr. FATTAH, Mr. REHBERG, Mr. ROGERS of Kentucky, Mr. HAYES, Mr. KLINE, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. MURPHY, and Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 2390: Mr. MARKEY.

H.R. 2421: Mrs. CAPITO and Ms. MOORE of Wisconsin.

H.R. 2534, Mr. JONES of North Carolina.

H.R. 2592: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY.

H.R. 2642: Mr. BARROW.

H.R. 2669: Mr. TOWNS.

H.R. 2684: Ms. MCCOLLUM of Minnesota and Ms. BERKLEY.

H.R. 2716: Mr. VAN HOLLEN and Ms. BALDWIN.

H.R. 2793: Mr. OBEY and Mr. FATTAH.

H.R. 2804: Mr. PUTNAM.

H.R. 2939: Mr. VAN HOLLEN.

H.R. 3004: Mr. GRAVES.

H.R. 3167: Mr. WELDON of Florida.

H.R. 3255: Ms. GINNY BROWN-WAITE of Florida.