

Mr. CONYERS: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 2884. A bill to assist members of the Armed Forces in obtaining United States citizenship, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 110-429). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. LANTOS: Committee on Foreign Affairs. H.R. 3887. A bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 2008 through 2011 for the Trafficking Victims Protection Act of 2000, to enhance measures to combat forced labor, and for other purposes; with amendments (Rept. 110-430 Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

Mr. RANGEL: Committee on Ways and Means. H.R. 3996. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend certain expiring provisions, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 110-431). Referred to the committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Ms. MATSUI: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 801. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 3688) to implement the United States-Peru Trade Production Agreement (Rept. 110-432). Referred to the House Calendar.

Ms. CASTOR: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 802. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 3355) to ensure the availability and affordability of homeowners' insurance coverage for catastrophic events (Rept. 110-433). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. MURTHA: Committee of Conference. Conference report on H.R. 3222. A bill making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2008, and for other purposes (Rept. 110-434). Ordered to be printed.

DISCHARGE OF COMMITTEE

Pursuant to clause 2 of rule XII, the committee on Energy and Commerce discharged from further consideration of H.R. 3887.

TIME LIMITATION OF REFERRED BILL PURSUANT TO RULE XII

Pursuant to clause 2 of rule XII the following action was taken by the Speaker:

H.R. 3887. Referral to the Committee on the Judiciary extended for a period ending not later than November 9, 2007.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. POMEROY (for himself, Mrs. CAPITO, and Mr. ALLEN):

H.R. 4082. A bill to improve the quality of, and access to, long-term care; 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. WAXMAN (for himself and Mr. ALLEN):

H.R. 4083. A bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act to provide for the amendment or repeal of monographs, to expand the Food and Drug Administration's authority to regulate drug advertising, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. HALL of New York:

H.R. 4084. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to require a study on the Department of Veterans Affairs schedule for

rating disabilities, to provide for the treatment of claims under laws administered by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs in the case of the death of a claimant, to require an annual report on the workload of the Court of Appeals for Veteran Claims, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. KLEIN of Florida:

H.R. 4085. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to make permanent the penalty-free distributions from retirement plans to individuals called to active duty and the election to include combat pay as earned income for purposes of the earned income tax credit; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. KLEIN of Florida:

H.R. 4086. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to make permanent the tax-free distributions from individual retirement plans for charitable purposes and the deduction for State and local sales tax, and to extend the residential energy efficient property credit, the above the line deduction for eligible educator expenses, and the deduction for qualified tuition and related expenses; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. JONES of North Carolina:

H.R. 4087. A bill to amend the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act to extend the authorized time period for rebuilding of certain overfished fisheries, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. SHULER (for himself, Mr.

BILBRAY, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. ELLSWORTH, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. GORDON, Mr. MCINTYRE, Mr. MURTHA, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Mr. LINCOLN DAVIS of Tennessee, Mr. BARROW, Mr. ALTMIRE, Mr. SPACE, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Mr. ROSS, Mr. TAYLOR, Mr. BOYD of Florida, Mr. DONNELLY, Mr. HILL, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. BERRY, Mr. CARNEY, Mr. TANNER, Mr. MARSHALL, Mr. COOPER, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. PATRICK MURPHY of Pennsylvania, Mr. HIGGINS, Mr. BOREN, Mr. KAGEN, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Mr. PERLMUTTER, Mr. STUPAK, Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr. MELANCON, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. BAIRD, Mr. DAVIS of Alabama, Mrs. BOYDA of Kansas, Ms. BEAN, Mr. MCNERNEY, Mr. ARCURI, Mr. HODES, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. FEENEY, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. WAMP, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. RENZI, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. PRICE of Georgia, Mr. WALBERG, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. ALEXANDER, Mr. COBLE, Mr. WESTMORELAND, Mr. ROSKAM, Mr. SMITH of Nebraska, Mr. CULBERSON, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. POE, Mr. HAYES, Mr. HUNTER, Mrs. CAPITO, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. MCCAUL of Texas, Mr. BROUN of Georgia, Mr. SHUSTER, Ms. FALLIN, Mr. DAVID DAVIS of Tennessee, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. MCHENRY, Mr. GRAVES, Mr. TANCREDO, Mr. GARY G. MILLER of California, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. BARRETT of South Carolina, Mr. BOOZMAN, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. GOODE, and Mr. GINGREY):

H.R. 4088. A bill to provide immigration reform by securing America's borders, clarifying and enforcing existing laws, and enabling a practical employer verification program; to the Committee on Homeland Security, and in addition to the Committees on the Judiciary, Ways and Means, Education and Labor, Oversight and Government Re-

form, Armed Services, Agriculture, and Natural Resources, 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. FILNER (for himself, Mr. TIM MURPHY of Pennsylvania, and Mr. LATOURETTE):

H.R. 4089. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve the collective bargaining rights and procedures for review of adverse actions of certain employees of the Department of Veterans Affairs, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. FILNER:

H.R. 4090. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exempt motor vehicle donations to certain charities from the limitations on such donations; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. COOPER (for himself, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. OBERSTAR, Ms. NORTON, Mr. PICKERING, Mr. ELLISON, Mrs. BOYDA of Kansas, Mr. SOUDER, and Ms. BERKLEY):

H.R. 4091. A bill to amend part E of title IV of the Social Security Act to promote the adoption of children with special needs; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. DEAL of Georgia:

H.R. 4092. A bill to establish the Mountaintown National Scenic Area in the Chattahoochee National Forest, Georgia; to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committee on Agriculture, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. DEFAZIO (for himself, Mr. WU, Mr. BLUMENAUER, and Ms. HOOLEY):

H.R. 4093. A bill to amend the Migratory Bird Treaty Act to provide for penalties and enforcement for intentionally taking protected avian species, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. FORBES (for himself and Mr. TERRY):

H.R. 4094. A bill to amend the Adam Walsh Child Protection and Safety Act of 2006 to modify the minimum standards required for the electronic monitoring units used in the pilot program for monitoring sexual offenders; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. HOEKSTRA:

H.R. 4095. A bill to direct the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration to conduct a rulemaking regarding the use of aspheric outside mirrors on passenger cars, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. HUNTER:

H.R. 4096. A bill to facilitate the ability of private property owners and local communities that manage public land to clear brush or make other modifications to their property for the purpose of creating fire breaks in order to protect human lives and property; to the Committee on Natural Resources, and in addition to the Committee on Agriculture, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. MEEK of Florida:

H.R. 4097. A bill to amend title 10, United States Code, to prohibit the disposal by the Department of Defense of surplus military items designated as Identification Friend or Foe items, to amend title 18, United States Code, to make it a misdemeanor to possess or traffic in Identification Friend or Foe items, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services, 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 Ms. NORTON:

H.R. 4098. A bill to revise the composition of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution so that all members are individuals appointed by the President from a list of nominees submitted by the leadership of the Congress, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. SALI (for himself, Ms. BERKLEY, and Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania):

H.R. 4099. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to modify the rules relating to coins and bullion that may be held by individual retirement accounts and certain other individually-directed accounts; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. WOOLSEY (for herself, Mr. HARE, Mr. GORDON, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California, Mr. YARMUTH, Mr. HONDA, Mr. LOEBSACK, and Mr. COHEN):

H.R. 4100. A bill to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to establish an instructional level assessment pilot program; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Ms. SHEA-PORTER (for herself and Mr. HAYES):

H. Con. Res. 246. Concurrent resolution honoring the United States Marine Corps for serving and defending the United States on the anniversary of its founding on November 10, 1775; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. PAYNE (for himself, Mr. KIRK, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. McDERMOTT, Ms. WOOLSEY, Ms. MCCOLLUM of Minnesota, Mr. HONDA, Ms. LEE, Ms. CLARKE, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Ms. CORRINE BROWN of Florida, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Ms. MOORE of Wisconsin, Mr. WATT, and Mr. RUSH):

H. Con. Res. 247. Concurrent resolution expressing support for advancing vital United States interests through increased engagement in health programs that alleviate disease and poverty, and reduce premature death in developing nations, especially through programs that combat high levels of infectious disease, improve children's and women's health, decrease malnutrition, reduce unintended pregnancies, fight the spread of HIV/AIDS, encourage healthy behaviors, and strengthen health care capacity; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, 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 Mrs. CHRISTENSEN:

H. Con. Res. 248. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress that the United States Fish and Wildlife Service should incorporate consideration of global warming and sea-level rise into the comprehensive conservation plans for coastal national wildlife refuges, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. KUCINICH:

H. Res. 799. A resolution impeaching Richard B. Cheney, Vice President of the United States, of high crimes and misdemeanors; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. LATHAM (for himself, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. WALBERG, Mr. CRENSHAW, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Ms. GINNY BROWN-WAITE of Flor-

ida, Mr. KUHLMAN of New York, Mr. REYNOLDS, Mr. GINGREY, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. ISSA, Mr. HUNTER, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. KELLER, Mr. GARY G. MILLER of California, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. BAKER, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. FORTENBERRY, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. FEENEY, Mr. DREIER, Mr. WALSH of New York, Mr. SHAYS, Mrs. MILLER of Michigan, Mr. BUCHANAN, Mrs. CAPITO, Mr. GERLACH, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. WICKER, Mrs. GILLIBRAND, Mr. MCCAUL of Texas, Mr. HULSHOF, Mr. BILBRAY, Mrs. BOYDA of Kansas, Mr. ROGERS of Kentucky, Mr. ROGERS of Michigan, Mr. SHULER, Mr. DOOLITTLE, and Mrs. SCHMIDT):

H. Res. 800. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives regarding the issuance of State driver's licenses or other government-issued photo identification to illegal aliens; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Ms. DELAURO (for herself, Mr. DOGGETT, Mr. HARE, Mr. HOLT, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. EMANUEL, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Mr. CARDOZA, Ms. ESHOO, Ms. SUTTON, Mr. COURTNEY, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Mr. RICHARDSON, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, and Mr. WELCH of Vermont):

H. Res. 803. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the House has lost confidence in the performance of Consumer Product Safety Commission Chairwoman Nancy Nord, and urging the President to request her resignation; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Ms. HOOLEY (for herself, Mr. ELLISON, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. COHEN, Mr. DOGGETT, Mr. HOLT, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. MURTHA, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. FILNER, Mr. NADLER, Ms. LEE, Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California, Mr. STARK, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. DEFAZIO, Ms. BERKLEY, Ms. MCCOLLUM of Minnesota, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. WYNN, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. WEXLER, Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California, Ms. CLARKE, Mr. FARR, Mr. CUMMINGS, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Mr. WU, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. REYES, Mr. BACA, Mr. McDERMOTT, Ms. HIRONO, Ms. WATERS, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. KANJORSKI, Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. MOORE of Kansas, Mrs. BOYDA of Kansas, Mr. INSLEE, Mr. HOLDEN, and Mr. MICHAUD):

H. Res. 804. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the House has lost confidence in the performance of Consumer Product Safety Commission Chairman Nancy Nord, and urging the President to request her resignation; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. STEARNS (for himself, Mr. BUCHANAN, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Mr. JORDAN, Mr. WOLF, Mr. PENCE, Mr. PITTS, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. COBLE, Mr. GINGREY, and Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina):

H. Res. 805. A resolution honoring the life of Dr. D. James Kennedy; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

211. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Michigan, relative to House Resolution No. 156 encouraging the Congress of the United States and the Department of Agriculture to implement food policies that promote healthy food, farms, and communities by encouraging local production of fruits and vegetables by specialty crop farmers; to the Committee on Agriculture.

212. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Michigan, relative to House Resolution No. 183 memorializing the Congress of the United States to continue exempting returning workers from the cap on H2B visas; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

213. Also, a memorial of the House of Representatives of the State of Michigan, relative to House Resolution No. 175 memorializing the Congress of the United States to reestablish medical care for certain veterans whose income and disability status disqualified them for Department of Veterans Affairs medical care as of January 17, 2003; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California introduced a bill (H.R. 4101) for the relief of Christopher Freking; which was referred to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 60: Mr. RODRIGUEZ.
 H.R. 74: Mr. MORAN of Virginia.
 H.R. 89: Mr. KLINE of Minnesota.
 H.R. 135: Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, and Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.
 H.R. 178: Mr. PAYNE.
 H.R. 542: Mr. CUELLAR.
 H.R. 627: Mr. McDERMOTT.
 H.R. 690: Mr. MCCOTTER.
 H.R. 726: Mr. LIPINSKI.
 H.R. 821: Mr. CHANDLER, Mr. BISHOP of New York, and Mr. KLEIN of Florida.
 H.R. 840: Mr. KILDEE.
 H.R. 871: Mr. HOLT.
 H.R. 882: Mr. MURPHY of Connecticut.
 H.R. 887: Mr. ISRAEL and Mr. ETHERIDGE.
 H.R. 897: Mr. TOWNS, Ms. SLAUGHTER, and Mr. ALTMIRE.
 H.R. 953: Mr. ALTMIRE.
 H.R. 971: Mr. GUTIERREZ.
 H.R. 1000: Mr. LANGEVIN, Mr. WEINER, and Mr. WAXMAN.
 H.R. 1014: Mr. LOBIONDO.
 H.R. 1078: Ms. ESHOO, Ms. MATSUI, and Ms. LEE.
 H.R. 1091: Mr. RUPPERSBERGER.
 H.R. 1102: Mr. UDALL of Colorado.
 H.R. 1112: Mr. DREIER.
 H.R. 1198: Mr. FERGUSON, Mr. GERLACH, Mr. TIM MURPHY of Pennsylvania, and Mr. BILLRAKIS.
 H.R. 1222: Mr. WALZ of Minnesota and Mr. COHEN.
 H.R. 1223: Mr. WALZ of Minnesota and Mr. COHEN.
 H.R. 1237: Mr. WHITEFIELD, Mr. MEEK of Florida, and Mr. LANGEVIN.
 H.R. 1286: Mr. SHAYS.
 H.R. 1293: Mr. KLEIN of Florida.
 H.R. 1304: Mr. KLEIN of Florida.
 H.R. 1314: Mr. YOUNG of Florida.
 H.R. 1363: Mr. WU.
 H.R. 1422: Mr. CARDOZA and Mrs. CAPPS.

MEMORIALS

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