to the countries of the Caribbean to fund educational development and exchange programs; with an amendment (Rept. 110–254). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. ARCURI: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 562. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 3093) making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce and Justice, and Science, and Related Agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2008, and for other purposes (Rept. 110–255). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota: Committee on Agriculture. H.R. 2419. A bill to provide for the continuation of agricultural programs through fiscal year 2012, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 110–256, Pt. 1). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. LANTOS: Committee on Foreign Affairs. H.R. 2844. A bill to promote United States emergency and non-emergency food and other assistance programs, to promote United States agricultural export programs, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 110–257, Pt. 1). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

#### DISCHARGE OF COMMITTEE

Pursuant to clause 2 of rule XII the Committee on Science and Technology discharged from further consideration. H.R. 2400 referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Pursuant to clause 2 of rule XII the Committee on Foreign Affairs discharged from further consideration. H.R. 2419 referred to the Committee of the Whole on the State of the Union.

Pursuant to clause 2 of rule XII the Committee on Agriculture discharged from further consideration. H.R. 2844 referred to the Committee of the Whole on the State of the Union.

# TIME LIMITATIONS OF REFERRED BILL

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

[The following action occurred on July 20, 2007] H.R. 948. Referral to the Committee on Ways and Means extended for a period ending not later than September 7, 2007.

### PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California (for himself and Mr. HINOJOSA):

H.R. 3122. A bill to temporarily extend the programs under the Higher Education Act of 1965, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. KENNEDY (for himself, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. WALBERG, Ms. ZOE LOFGREN OF California, Mr. PENCE, Mr. LANGEVIN, and Mr. BLUNT):

H.R. 3123. A bill to extend the designation of Liberia under section 244 of the Immigration and Nationality Act so that Liberians can continue to be eligible for temporary protected status under that section; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. ABERCROMBIE:

H.R. 3124. A bill to treat certain hospital support organizations as qualified organiza-

tions for purposes of determining acquisition indebtedness; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. VELÁZQUEZ:

H.R. 3125. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow individuals to designate that their income, estate, or gift tax payments be spent other than for purposes of supporting the war in Iraq and to provide that amounts so designated shall be used to provide funding for Head Start, to reduce the national debt, and to provide college funding for children of Iraq war veterans; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Education and Labor, 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. WATERS (for herself, Mr. WATT, and Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts):

H.R. 3126. A bill to reauthorize the HOPE VI program for revitalization of severely distressed public housing, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. BECERRA (for himself and Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas):

GENE GREEN of Texas):

H.R. 3127. A bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to assist low-income Medicare beneficiaries by improving eligibility and services under the Medicare Savings Program, 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. GOHMERT: H.R. 3128. A bill to direct the Secretary of Defense to conduct a study on the feasibility of using military identification numbers instead of social security numbers to identify members of the Armed Forces; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. GOHMERT:

H.R. 3129. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow taxpayers to designate income tax overpayments as contributions to the Federal Government on their income tax returns; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. HOOLEY:

H.R. 3130. A bill to amend title V of the Public Health Service Act to provide for enhanced comprehensive methamphetamine treatment services; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. MORAN of Kansas:

H.R. 3131. A bill to amend the U.S. Troop Readiness, Veterans' Care, Katrina Recovery, and Iraq Accountability Appropriations Act, 2007, to strike a requirement relating to forage producers; to the Committee on Agriculture

> By Ms. LINDA T. SÁNCHEZ of California (for herself, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Ms. Bordallo, Mr. Boucher, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. CARNEY, Mr. COSTA, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. FARR, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. HARE, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. HOLT, Ms. HOOLEY. Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas. Mr. Kucinich, Ms. Lee, Mr. McGov-ERN. Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. ORTIZ, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. Rush, Mr. Ryan of Ohio, Ms. Lo-RETTA SANCHEZ of California, Mr. SHIMKUS, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Ms. SOLIS.

Mr. TAYLOR, and Mr. WEXLER):
H.R. 3132. A bill to amend the Safe and
Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act to
include bullying and harassment prevention
programs; to the Committee on Education
and Labor.

By Mr. SCOTT of Georgia (for himself and Mr. SHAYS):

H.R. 3133. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to make grants to States, units of general local government, and nonprofit organizations for counseling and education programs for the prevention of predatory lending and to establish a toll-free telephone number for complaints regarding predatory lending, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Ms. WATERS (for herself, Ms. Lee, and Ms. Woolsey):

H.R. 3134. A bill to prohibit the use of funds for training and equipping the Iraqi Security Forces; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committee on Armed 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. WELDON of Florida:

H.R. 3135. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to make permanent the child tax credit and to allow for adjustments for inflation with respect to the child tax credit; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. WYNN:

H.R. 3136. A bill to provide for enhanced retirement benefits for administrative law judges; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. HASTINGS of Florida (for himself, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Ms. MATSUI, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. GERLACH, and Mr. LEVIN):

H. Con. Res. 189. Concurrent resolution urging all sides to the political crisis in Ukraine to abide by the May 27, 2007, agreement which calls for a new round of parliamentary elections on September 30, 2007, and to ensure a free and fair, transparent democratic system in Ukraine based on the rule of law; to the Committee on Foreign Affelius

By Ms. CORRINE BROWN of Florida:

H. Res. 563. A resolution honoring the life and achievements of Ronald H. Brown and commending the example that he set for the African-American community; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

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

H. Res. 564. A resolution recognizing that violence poses an increasingly serious threat to peace and stability in Central America and supporting expanded cooperation between the United States and the countries of Central America to combat crime and violence; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

# PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

Mr. WYNN introduced a bill (H.R. 3137) for the relief of Web's Construction Company, Incorporated; 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. 23: Mr. STUPAK, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. FRANKS Of Arizona, Mr. ISRAEL, Mr. EMANUEL, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. MCGOVERN, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. RUSH, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. ALEXANDER, and Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ.

H.R. 45: Mr. DAVIS of Illinois.

H.R. 279: Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland.

H.R. 346: Mr. CARNAHAN and Ms. ZOE LOFGREN of California.

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- H.R. 368: Mr. LINCOLN DAVIS of Tennessee, Mr. Boozman, Mr. Cohen, Mr. Yarmuth, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. SPACE, and Mr. LAHOOD.
  - H.R. 405: Mr. Boswell.
  - H.R. 418: Mr. KIRK.
- H.R. 457: Mr. WALBERG.
- H.R. 464: Ms. CARSON.
- H.R. 543: Mr. UDALL of New Mexico.
- H.R. 563: Mr. PLATTS.
- H.R. 676: Ms. HIRONO.
- H.R. 743: Mr. Towns, Mrs. Bachmann, Mr. LATHAM, Mr. KIND, and Mr. BUYER.
  - H.R. 782: Mr. GINGREY.
  - H.R. 783: Mr. Lamborn.
  - H.R. 821: Mr. Lipinski.
- H.R. 871: Ms. LINDA T. SÁNCHEZ of California.
- H.R. 928: Mr. Moore of Kansas and Mr. BISHOP of Georgia.
  - H.R. 946: Ms. Zoe Lofgren of California.
  - H.R. 947: Mr. PASCRELL.
- H.R. 948: Ms. McCollum of Minnesota.
- H.R. 969: Ms. LINDA T. SÁNCHEZ of California, Ms. Castor, Mr. Walsh of New York, and Mr. CASTLE.
- H.R. 989: Mr. TIBERI.
- H.R. 1014: Mr. Moran of Virginia, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. KILDEE, and Mr. Jefferson.
  - H.R. 1108: Mr. TIERNEY and Mr. CONYERS.
  - H.R. 1223: Mr. FILNER.
- H.R. 1240: Ms. CARSON and Mr. BACA.
- H.R. 1293: Mr. NEUGEBAUER, Mrs. BIGGERT, Mr. Matheson, Mr. Chandler, Ms. Herseth SANDLIN, Mr. LATHAM, Mr. BILIRAKIS, and Mrs. Wilson of New Mexico.
  - H.R. 1376: Mr. KENNEDY.
  - H.R. 1389: Mr. HINCHEY.
  - H.R. 1391: Mr. SMITH of Washington.
- H.R. 1398: Mr. PRICE of Georgia and Mr.
  - H.R. 1400: Mr. MARKEY.
  - H.R. 1418: Mr. HINOJOSA.
  - H.R. 1420: Mr. Towns.
- H.R. 1440: Mr. VAN HOLLEN, Mr. BOREN and Mr. Tom Davis of Virginia.
- H.R. 1461: Mr. Wu and Mr. BLUMENAUER.
- H.R. 1506: Mr. Walsh of New York.
- H.R. 1553: Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. BRADY of Texas, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. ABER-CROMBIE, and Mr. WELCH of Vermont.
- H.R. 1621: Mr. Young of Alaska, Mr. Wynn, and Mr. Sessions.
- H.R. 1655: Mr. SPRATT and Mr. PASTOR.
- H.R. 1707: Mr. Frank of Massachusetts and Mr. Kagen.
  - H.R. 1709: Mr. ALTMIRE.
  - H.R. 1801: Mr. ELLISON.
  - H.R. 1961: Mr. KUCINICH.
  - H.R. 1967: Mr. PRICE of Georgia.
  - H.R. 1971: Ms. DEGETTE and Mr. PAYNE.
  - H.R. 1990: Mr. KIND.
  - H.R. 1992: Mr. Loebsack.
- H.R. 2183: Mr. ALEXANDER.
- H.R. 2188: Mr. RYAN of Ohio.
- H.R. 2265: Mr. Allen and Mr. Jackson of Il-
- H.R. 2266: Mr. Young of Alaska.
- H.R. 2329: Mr. Marshall, Mr. Neugebauer, Mr. Meeks of New York, Ms. Hooley, Mr. BOREN, and Mr. BURTON of Indiana.
  - H.R. 2347: Mr. ENGEL.
- H.R. 2370: Mr. PAYNE.
- H.R. 2387: Mr. Poe.
- H.R. 2407: Mr. BOREN and Mr. LAMPSON.
- H.R. 2425: Mrs. McMorris Rodgers.
- H.R. 2439: Mr. Moran of Kansas.
- H.R. 2443: Mr. SALAZAR and Mr. ARCURI.
- H.R. 2475: Mr. INSLEE.
- H.R. 2490: Mrs. Myrick.
- H.R. 2505: Mr. SOUDER. H.R. 2580: Mr. BAKER.
- H.R. 2586: Ms. KAPTUR.
- H.R. 2610: Mr. RYAN of Ohio.
- H.R. 2639: Mr. GILLMOR and Mr. BONNER.
- H.R. 2702: Mr. McGovern.
- H.R. 2758: Ms. DELAURO and Mrs. MALONEY of New York.

- H.R. 2761: Mr. HIGGINS.
- H.R. 2778: Ms. Schakowsky, Ms. Slaugh-TER, Mr. REYNOLDS, Mr. WALSH of New York, and Mr. VELÁZQUEZ.
- H.R. 2784: Mr. MICA, Mr. BUYER, Mr. HULSHOF, Mr. SIMPSON, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. Tom Davis of Virginia, Ms. Foxx, Mr. Camp of Michigan, Mr. Platts, Mr. Burgess, Mr. WESTMORELAND, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. TIM MUR-PHY of Pennsylvania, Mr. UPTON, Mr. HOB-SON, Mr. COLE of Oklahoma, Mr. DENT, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. KLINE of Minnesota, Mr. Culberson, Mr. Gingrey, Mr. DANIEL E. LUNGREN of California, Mr. MCCOTTER, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. REYES, Mr. CUELLAR, Mrs. McMorris Rod-GERS, Mr. GOHMERT, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. BOOZMAN, Mr. TERRY, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, and Mr. SULLIVAN.
  - H.R. 2792: Mr. PRICE of North Carolina.
  - H.R. 2818: Ms. DEGETTE and Mr. COHEN.
- H.R. 2851: Mr. Berman, Mrs. Emerson, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. Moore of Kansas, Mr. Dingell, Mr. Inslee, Mr. Kennedy, Ms. DeGette, Mr. Ackerman, Mr. Ramstad, Ms. Woolsey, Ms. Carson, Mr. Michaud, Mr. ISRAEL, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. ISSA, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. STUPAK, Ms. HERSETH SANDLIN, Mr. SPRATT, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, Mr. OLVER, Mr. WEINER, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. PERLMUTTER, Ms. HIRONO, and Ms. McCol-LUM of Minnesota.
- H.R. 2852: Mr. Young of Alaska, Ms. McCollum of Minnesota, and Mr. Schiff.
- H.R. 2861: Mr. DAVIS of Illinois.
- H.R. 2874: Mr. ALTMIRE and Mr. YOUNG of Alaska.
- H.R. 2885: Mr. CLAY. H.R. 2892: Mr. NADLER.
- H.R. 2894: Mrs. Capito, Mr. Brown of South Carolina, Mr. McCotter, Mr. Gonzalez, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. FARR, Mr. CANNON, Mr. NADLER, Mr. INSLEE, Mr. ETHERIDGE, and Ms. Corrine Brown of Florida.
- H.R. 2925: Mr. ROTHMAN.
- H.R. 2929: Mr. COHEN, Mr. HARE, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. CON-YERS, Ms. DELAURO, and Ms. KAPTUR.
- H.R. 2934: Mr. KAGEN.
- H.R. 2941: Mrs. Jones of Ohio and Mr. Wu. H.R. 2942: Mr. EDWARDS, Mr. VISCLOSKY, Mr. Meeks of New York, Mr. Jackson of Illinois, and Mr. GINGREY.
- H.R. 2943: Mr. Johnson of Georgia.
- H.R. 2954: Mr. CAMP of Michigan, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. CULBERSON, Mr. GOHMERT, Mr. BURGESS, and Mr. Westmoreland.
- H.R. 2966: Mr. CLEAVER.
- H.R. 3004: Mr. Loebsack, Mr. Shuster, Mr. BOOZMAN, Mr. HULSHOF, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. PEARCE, Mr. RENZI, and Mrs. BOYDA of Kansas.
- H.R. 3051: Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. CARNAHAN, and Mr. Platts.
- H.R. 3054: Mr. TANCREDO, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, and Mr. GONZALEZ.
  - H.R. 3058: Mr. UDALL of Colorado.
  - H.R. 3059: Mrs. Myrick.
- H.R. 3096: Mr. PAYNE and Mr. FRANKS of Arizona.
- H.R. 3099: Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania.
- H.R. 3116: Mr. PALLONE.
- H.J. Res. 3: Mr. SHULER.
- H.J. Res. 44: Ms. Schakowsky.
- H. Con. Res. 37: Mr. PLATTS. H. Con. Res. 49: Mr. BAKER.
- H. Con. Res. 137: Mr. FEENEY.
- H. Con. Res. 176: Mr. BAKER, Mr. POE, and Mr. Gallegly.
- H. Con. Res. 187: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. UPTON, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Ms. Watson, Mr. Jackson of Illinois, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Ms. BALDWIN, Ms. CARSON, Mr. HIGGINS, and Mr. Saxton.

- H. Con. Res. 188: Mr. ROYCE, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. Carter, Mr. Poe, Mr. Hastings of Florida, Mr. LINDER, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. MACK, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Ms. Watson, Mr. Berman, Mr. COHEN, Mr. KIRK, Mr. FORTUÑO, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. Wynn, Mr. Coble, Mr. Engel, Mr. Klein of Florida, Mr. PENCE, Mr. WELLER, and Mr. Manzullo.
- H. Res. 32: Mr. ROTHMAN and Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California.
  - H. Res. 54: Ms. BORDALLO.
- H. Res. 121: Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. POE, Mr. RAMSTAD, and Mrs. MYRICK.
- H. Res. 146: Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California.
  - H. Res. 231: Mr. WICKER and Mr. CALVERT.
  - H. Res. 235: Mr. Poe and Ms. Schwartz.
  - H. Res. 345: Mr. CROWLEY.
  - H. Res. 380: Mr. WEXLER. H. Res. 433: Mr. BOYD of Florida.
- H. Res. 443: Mr. BUYER and Mr. LARSON of Connecticut.
- H. Res. 499: Mr. Sullivan, Mr. Sessions. Mr. Rohrabacher, Mr. McKeon, Ms. Grang-ER, Mr. BRADY of Texas, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. GOHMERT, Mr. BILIRAKIS, and Mr. WEST-MORELAND.
- H. Res. 529: Mr. PLATTS, Mr. FATTAH, and Mr. Payne.
  - H. Res. 535: Ms. NORTON.
  - H. Res. 548: Mr. WEXLER.
  - H. Res. 550: Ms. Carson and Ms. Watson.

## DELETIONS OF SPONSORS FROM PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

H.R. 2720: Mr. ROTHMAN. H.R. 2750: Mr. Visclosky.

PETITIONS, ETC. Under clause 3 of rule XII, petitions and papers were laid on the clerk's

- desk and referred as follows: 109. The SPEAKER presented a petition of the City Council of the City of Miami Gardens, Florida, relative to Resolution No. 2007-93-600 requesting that the Congress of the United States appropriate funds necessary to bring the Herbert Hoover Dike into compliance with current Levee Protection Standards; to the Committee on Appropria-
- 110. Also, a petition of the Council of the City of Albany, California, relative to Resolution No. 07-19 calling for the cessation of combat operations in Iraq and for the return of United States Troops; to the Committee on Armed Services.
- 111. Also, a petition of the Harrisonburg City School Board, Virginia, relative to a Resolution supporting fully H.R. 648, the Reauthorization of the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001; to the Committee on Education and Labor.
- 112. Also, a petition of the San Francisco Labor Council, ARL-CIO, relative to a Resolution to Erase, Rewrite and Reauthorize the "No Child Left Behind Act"; to the Committee on Education and Labor.
- 113. Also, a petition of the Commission of the City of Miami Beach, Florida, relative to Resolution No. 2007-26572 urging the Congress of the United States to pass the Employee Free Choice Act to protect and preserve workers' freedom to join a union; to the Committee on Education and Labor.
- 114. Also, a petition of the International Fire Marshals Association, relative to concerning the increased import and sale of novelty lighters that resemble toys; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.