#### 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. FRANK of Massachusetts: Committee on Financial Services. H.R. 6694. A bill to revise the requirements for seller-financed downpayments for mortgages for single-family housing insured by the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development under title II of the National Housing Act and to authorize risk-based insurance premiums for certain mortgagors under such mortgages; with an amendment (Rept. 110-905). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts: Committee on Financial Services. H.R. 840. A bill to amend the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act to consolidate the housing assistance programs for homeless persons under title IV of such Act, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 110-906). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Ms. SLAUGHTER: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 1525. Resolution providing for consideration of the Senate amendments to the bill (H.R. 1424) to amend section 712 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, section 2705 of the Public Health Service Act, section 9812 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to require equity in the provision of mental health and substance-related disorder benefits under group health plans, to prohibit discrimination on the basis of genetic information with respect to health insurance and employment, and for other purposes (Rept. 110-907). Referred to the House Calendar.

Ms. SUTTON: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 1526. Resolution providing for consideration of motions to suspend the rules and waiving a requirement of clause 6(a) of the rule XIII with respect to consideration of certain resolutions reported from the Committee on Rules (Rept. 110-908). Referred to the House Calendar.

## TIME LIMITATION OF REFERRED BILLS

Pursuant to clause 2 of rule XII the following actions were taken by the Speaker:

H.R. 554. Referral to the Committees on Agriculture and the Judiciary extended for a period ending not later than October 3, 2008.

H.R. 948. Referral to the Committee on Ways and Means extended for a period ending not later than October 3, 2008.

H.B. 1717 Referral to the Committee on Energy and Commerce extended for a period ending not later than October 3, 2008.

H.R. 1746. Referral to the Committees on Foreign Affairs, Oversight and Government Reform, and the Judiciary for a period ending not later than October 3, 2008.

H.R. 5577. Referral to the Committee on Energy and Commerce extended for a period ending not later than October 3, 2008.

H.R. 6357. Referral to the Committee on Ways and Means extended for a period ending not later than October 3, 2008.

H.R. 6598. Referral to the Committee on Agriculture extended for a period ending not later than October 3, 2008.

# PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions of the following

titles were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. DEFAZIO (for himself, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Ms. KAP-TUR. Mr. HULSHOF, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia, Mr. Abercrombie, Ms. Hirono. Ms. Edwards of Maryland, Mr. Con-YERS, Mr. CUMMINGS, Ms. SUTTON, Mr. DELAHUNT, and Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia): H.R. 7240. A bill to direct the Securities

and Exchange Commission to issue rules regarding short selling of securities, to establish a net worth certificate program in the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, increase the maximum amount of depository insurance, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. ENGEL (for himself, Mr. DIN-GELL, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. KING of New York, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. McHugh, Ms. Eshoo, Mr. Crowley. and Mr. ALLEN):

7241. A bill to preserve access to healthcare under the Medicare and Medicaid programs; 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. ANDREWS:

H.R. 7242. A bill to make technical corrections to the Pension Protection Act of 2006 relating to the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, and for other purposes; 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 Mr. CLEAVER (for himself, Mr. GRAVES, and Mr. SKELTON):

H.R. 7243. A bill to designate the Liberty Memorial at the National World War I Museum in Kansas City, Missouri, as the National World War I Memorial; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. HOLT: H.R. 7244. A bill to amend the National Voter Registration Act of 1993 to establish notice and review requirements for the removal of individuals from the official list of eligible voters by reason other than a change of residence, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. HOLT: H.R. 7245. A bill to amend the Help America Vote Act of 2002 to prohibit the use in any election for Federal office of any election-dedicated voting system technology which has not been certified for use in the election by the State which will administer the election and to establish the standards under which such technology and information regarding the technology may be disclosed, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. HOLT: H.R. 7246. A bill to amend the Help America Vote Act of 2002 to establish standards for the publication of the poll tapes used in elections for Federal office, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. HOLT:

H.R. 7247. A bill to amend the Help America Vote Act of 2002 to establish standards for the transparent and accurate tabulation of votes and aggregation of vote counts in elections for Federal office, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. HOLT: H.R. 7248. A bill to amend the Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act to require States to accept absentee ballots of overseas military and civilian voters which are submitted by the voter to a provider of express mail services not later than the day before the date of the election involved for transmission to the appropriate State election official, to require the Secretary of Defense to reimburse overseas military voters for the costs of using a provider of express mail services to transmit the ballot to the official, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. HOLT:

H.R. 7249. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide a tax credit to farmers to offest high energy prices, to encourage the use of renewable energy, and to reduce prices to consumers: to the Committee on Ways and Means.

> By Mr. INSLEE (for himself, Mr. WAX-MAN. Mr. HONDA, and Mr. OLVER):

H.R. 7250. A bill to require the Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency to conduct a study on black carbon emissions and to reduce global black carbon emissions; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Foreign Affairs, and Science and Technology, 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. McHUGH:

H.R. 7251. A bill to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to ensure that local educational agencies receive Impact Aid payments for lands held in trust for the benefit of a federally recognized Indian tribe or individual Indian and to amend title 31 of the United States Code to ensure that local governments receive payments in lieu of taxes for lands held in trust for the benefit of a federally recognized Indian tribe or individual Indian; to the Committee on Education and Labor, and in addition to the Committee on 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. SKELTON:

H. Con. Res. 442. Concurrent resolution directing the Secretary of the Senate to correct the enrollment of the bill S. 3001; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. FILNER (for himself, Mr. HONDA, Mr. ISSA, and Mr. SCOTT of Virginia):

H. Res. 1523. A resolution recognizing Filipino American Heritage Month and celebrating the heritage and culture of Filipino Americans and their immense contributions to the Nation; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. EHLERS:

H. Res. 1524. A resolution requiring the use of a bipartisan panel of Members in the selection of an individual for appointment as Chief Administrative Officer of the House of Representatives; to the Committee on House Administration.

### ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 154: Mr. COURTNEY.

H.R. 279: Mr. ROHRABACHER.

H.R. 303: Mr. Andrews.

H.R. 579: Mr. Andrews.

H.R. 661: Mr. BOUCHER.

H.R. 715: Ms. DELAURO, Ms. McCollum of Minnesota, Mr. HONDA, Mr. TOWNS, and Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

- H.R. 866: Mr Boozman. H.R. 1606: Mr. KUCINICH. H.R. 1621: Mr. PASCRELL and Mr. JONES of North Carolina. H.R. 1691: Ms. Matsui. H.R. 1755: Ms. Lee. H.R. 1884: Mr. MACK. H.R. 1889: Mr. HALL of New York. H.R. 1890: Mr. HALL of New York. H.R. 2066: Ms. DEGETTE. H.B. 2075: Mr. VAN HOLLEN H.R. 2131: Mr. EDWARDS of Texas. H.R. 2266: Mr. NADLER. H.R. 2329: Mr. NUNES. H.R. 2472: Mr. CASTLE. H.R. 2617: Mr. HARE. H.R. 2694: Mr. HARE. H.R. 2864: Mr. REYES. H.R. 2870: Mr. PASCRELL and Mr. RYAN of HENSARLING, and Mrs. BACHMANN. Ohio H.R. 2941: Mr. Andrews. H.R. 3041: Mr. RYAN of Ohio. H.R. 3057: Mr. Altmire. H.R. 3283: Mr. Andrews. H.R. 3404: Mr. MARKEY. H.R. 3618: Mr. ABERCROMBIE. H.R. 3834: Mr. FEENEY. H.R. 3874: Mr. ARCURI. H.R. 3929: Mr. MARKEY. H.R. 4052: Mr. STUPAK. H.R. 4135: Mr. Scott of Georgia, Mr. Holt.
- Mr. Cohen, Mr. Scott of Virginia, Mr. Ortiz, Mr. AL Green of Texas, Ms. Edwards of Maryland, and Mr. Nadler. H.R. 4138: Ms. Ros-Lehtinen.

- H.R. 4218: Mr. KUCINICH and Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.
- H.R. 4304: Mr. Rogers of Alabama.
- H.R. 4990: Mr.HINCHEY and McDermott.
- H.R. 4992: Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. McDERMOTT, Ms. MATSUI, Mr. McGovern, and Mr. Ber-
- H.R. 4993: Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. McDERMOTT, Ms. Matsui, Mr. McGovern, and Mr. Ber-
- H.R. 5448: Mr. MAHONEY of Florida and Mrs. TAUSCHER.
- H.R. 5466: Mr. Andrews.
- H.R. 5565: Mr. SALI.
- H.R. 5585: Mr. KUCINICH and Ms. SCHWARTZ.
- H.R. 5615: Mr. RYAN of Ohio
- H.R. 5656: Mr. DANIEL E. LUNGREN of California, Mrs. Emerson, Mr. Fossella, Mr. BARRETT of South Carolina, and Mr. BOOZMAN.
  - H.R. 5674: Mr. HALL of New York.
- H.R. 5704: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY and Mr. BISHOP of Georgia.

- H.R. 5734: Mrs. BIGGERT.
- H.R. 5881: Mr. KUCINICH.
- H.R. 6057: Mr. KUCINICH.
- H.B. 6157: Mr. HALL of New York
- H.R. 6180: Mr. FARR and Ms. EDWARDS of Marvland.
- H.R. 6381: Mr. KUCINICH.
- H.R. 6411: Mr. FLAKE.
- H.R. 6462: Mr. HALL of New York.
- H.R. 6495: Mr. ROTHMAN.
- H.R. 6548: Mr. Platts and Ms. Eshoo.
- H.R. 6562: Mr. McNerney.
- H.R. 6567: Mr. PASCRELL.
- H.R. 6597: Ms. DELAURO, Mr. KIRK, Ms. MATSUI, and Mr. EMANUEL.
- H.R. 6603: Mr. KIND.
- H.R. 6643: Mr. HOLT and Ms. NORTON.
- H.R. 6659: Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr.
- H.R. 6680: Mr. HARE.
- H.R. 6694: Ms. SUTTON, Mr. TOWNS, and Mr. BERMAN.
  - H.R. 6702: Mr. ROTHMAN.
- H.R. 6725: Mr. KLEIN of Florida and Mr.
- H.R. 6798: Ms. Bordallo.
- H.R. 6867: Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania.
- H.R. 6873: Ms. Kaptur, Mrs. Boyda of Kansas, and Ms. GIFFORDS.
- H.R. 6884: Mr. ALLEN.
- H.R. 6896: Mr. Butterfield.
- H.R. 6905: Mr. KUCINICH.
- H.R. 6939: Mr. GOODE and Mr. BOSWELL.
- H.R. 6941: Ms. Schakowsky.
- H.R. 6949: Mr. Shays.
- H.R. 7013: Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD and Mr. HARE.
  - H.R. 7064: Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina.
  - $\rm H.R.$  7079: Mrs. Christensen.
  - H.R. 7104: Mr. Lobiondo.
- H.R. 7119: Mr. MARIO DIAZ-BALART of Florida
- H.R. 7122: Mr. KUCINICH.
- H.R. 7125: Mr. HONDA.
- H.R. 7130: Ms. Bordallo, Mr. Hinchey, and Ms. Schakowsky.
- H.R. 7152: Mr. JEFFERSON and Mr. HINCHEY. H.R. 7162: Mr. GRIJALVA.
- H.R. 7181: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.
- H.R. 7209: Mrs. Christensen.
- H.R. 7211: Mr. HINCHEY.
- H.R. 7219: Mr. HALL of New York, Mr. ISRAEL, Ms. SLAUGHTER, and Mr. BISHOP of New York.
- H.R. 7223: Mr. BACHUS, and Mr. WITTMAN of Virginia.
- H.R. 7226: Mr. McCotter.
- H.J. Res. 91: Mr. KUCINICH.
- H. Con. Res. 425: Mr. FERGUSON and Mrs. BONO MACK.

- H. Con. Res. 434: Mr. SMITH of New Jersey and Mr. MORAN of Kansas.
- H. Con. Res. 438: Mr. PAYNE.
- H. Res. 758: Ms. FOXX and Mr. LINCOLN DAVIS of Tennessee.
  - H. Res. 1164: Mr. McCotter.
- H. Res. 1328: Mr. BILBRAY, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Ms. Delauro, Ms. Harman, Mr. Goode, Mrs. BIGGERT, and Mr. SARBANES.
- H. Res. 1397: Mrs. McCarthy of New York, Mr. Towns, and Mr. Honda.
- H. Res. 1405: Mrs. SCHMIDT.
- H. Res. 1452: Mr. ABERCROMBIE.
- H. Res. 1462: Mr. HERGER and Mr. ENGEL.
- H. Res. 1477: Mr. RAHALL, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, and Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina.
- H. Res. 1478: Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Mr. McGov-ERN, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. PICKERING, Ms. BERK-LEY, Mr. FORTUÑO, Mr. KLEIN of Florida, Mr. ORTIZ, Ms. MATSUI, Mr. MOORE of Kansas, Mrs. Maloney of New York, and Mr. Towns.
- H. Res. 1482: Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. Brown of South Carolina, Mr. Pence, and Mr. AKIN.
- H. Res. 1522: Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California.

### PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 3 of rule XII, petitions and papers were laid on the Clerk's desk and referred as follows:

- 326. The SPEAKER presented a petition of the National Lieutenant Governors Association, relative to a resolution for children's low-cost laptops; to the Committee on Education and Labor.
- 327. Also, a petition of the National Lieutenant Governors Association, relative to a resolution advocating better health care for all; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.
- 328. Also, a petition of the National Lieutenant Governors Association, relative to a resolution in support of establishing a national international education policy; jointly to the Committees on Foreign Affairs and Education and Labor.
- 329. Also, a petition of the National Lieutenant Governors Association, relative to a resolution to establish a national military family relief fund; jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and Armed Services.