

Mr. POE of Texas (at the request of Mr. BOEHNER) for today after 4 p.m. 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 Mr. POLIS) to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material:)

Ms. WOOLSEY, for 5 minutes, today.

Ms. GIFFORDS, for 5 minutes, today.

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

Ms. KAPTUR, for 5 minutes, today.

Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, for 5 minutes, today.

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

Mr. PAULSEN, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. MORAN of Kansas, for 5 minutes, June 18.

Mr. POE of Texas, for 5 minutes, June 18.

Mr. JONES, for 5 minutes, June 18.

Mr. BISHOP of Utah, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. MANZULLO, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. GINGREY of Georgia, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. GOODLATTE, for 5 minutes, today.

Mrs. BACHMANN, for 5 minutes, today.

(The following Member (at his request) to revise and extend his remarks and include extraneous material:)

Mr. CARTER, for 5 minutes, today.

ADJOURNMENT

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

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 8 o'clock and 5 minutes p.m.), the House adjourned until tomorrow, Friday, June 12, 2009, at 9 a.m.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 2 of Rule XXIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

2106. A letter from the Assistant Secretary Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles and services to the United Kingdom, Germany, the Netherlands, Sweden, Luxembourg, Belgium, France and Kazakhstan (Transmittal No. DDTC 022-09), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 39, 36(c); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

2107. A letter from the Assistant Secretary Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed technical assistance agreement to include the export of technical data, defense services, and defense articles to the United Kingdom, Russia, Germany, the Netherlands, Sweden, Luxembourg, Belgium, France and Kazakhstan (Transmittal No. DDTC 023-09), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 39, 36(c); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

2108. A letter from the Assistant Secretary Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed technical assistance agreement to include the export of technical data, defense services, and defense articles to Mexico (Transmittal No. DDTC 015-09), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 39, 36(c); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

2109. A letter from the Assistant Secretary Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed manufacturing license agreement with Israel (Transmittal No. DDTC 039-09), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 39, section 36(d); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

2110. A letter from the Assistant Secretary Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed manufacturing license agreement with Japan (Transmittal No. DDTC 033-09), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 39, section 36(d); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

2111. A letter from the Assistant Secretary Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed manufacturing license agreement with Japan (Transmittal No. DDTC 031-09), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 39, section 36(d); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

2112. A letter from the Assistant Secretary Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed manufacturing license agreement with Mexico (Transmittal No. DDTC 029-09), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 39, section 36(d); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

2113. A letter from the Assistant Secretary Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed manufacturing license agreement with Japan (Transmittal No. DDTC 035-09), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 39, section 36(d); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

2114. A letter from the Assistant Secretary Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed manufacturing license agreement with the United Arab Emirates (Transmittal No. DDTC 019-09), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 39, section 36(c); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

2115. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Energy, transmitting the Semiannual Report of the Inspector General and the Semiannual Report on Final Action Resulting from Audit Reports for the period October 1, 2008 through March 31, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act), section 5(b); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

2116. A letter from the Acting Administrator, General Services Administration, transmitting the Semiannual Report of the Inspector General and the Semiannual Report on Final Action Resulting from Audit Reports for the period October 1, 2008 through March 31, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act), section 5(b); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

2117. A letter from the 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; Pollock in the West Yakutat District of the Gulf of Alaska [Docket No.: 0910091344-9056-02] (RIN: 0648-XO38) received May 20, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

2118. A letter from the 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; Directed Fishing With Trawl

Gear by American Fisheries Act Catcher Processors in Bycatch Limitation Zone 1 of the Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands Management Area [Docket No.: 0810141351-9087-02] (RIN: 0648-XO63) received May 20, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

2119. A letter from the Director Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries of the Caribbean, Gulf of Mexico, and South Atlantic; Snapper-Grouper Resources of the South Atlantic; Trip Limit Reduction [Docket No.: 060525140-6221-02] (RIN: 0648-XO46) received May 20, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

2120. A letter from the Director Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries of the Northeastern United States; Atlantic Herring Fishery; Total Allowable Catch Harvested for Management Area 2 [Docket No.: 061228342-7068-02] (RIN: 0648-XO47) received May 20, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

2121. A letter from the 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; Pollock in the West Yakutat District of the Gulf of Alaska [Docket No.: 0910091344-9056-02] (RIN: 0648-XO32) received May 20, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Natural Resources.

2122. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's 2008 Biennial Report to Congress and the National Transportation Safety Board on the regulatory status of open safety recommendations relating to several safety issues, pursuant to 49 U.S.C. 1135(d), amended by Public Law 108-168, section 9; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2123. A letter from the Deputy Director, NIST, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule — Construction Grant Program Notice of Availability of Funds [Docket No.: 080411556-8593-01] received May 20, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Science and Technology.

2124. A letter from the Deputy Director, NIST, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule — Technology Innovation Program (TIP) Notice of Availability of Funds and Announcement of Public Meeting (Proposers' Conference) [Docket No.: 090318324-9325-01] (RIN: 0693-ZA89) received May 20, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Science and Technology.

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. POLIS: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 532. Resolution providing for the consideration of the Senate amendment to the bill (H.R. 1256) to protect the public health by providing the Food and Drug Administration with certain authority to regulate tobacco products, to amend title 5, United States Code, to make certain modifications in the Thrift Savings Plan, the Civil Service Retirement System, and the

Federal Employees' Retirement System, and for other purposes (Rept. 111-145). Referred to the House Calendar.

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. MCGOVERN (for himself, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. MOORE of Kansas, and Mr. JACKSON of Illinois):

H.R. 2817. A bill to address global hunger and improve food security through the development and implementation of a comprehensive governmentwide global hunger reduction strategy, the establishment of the White House Office on Global Hunger and Food Security, and the creation of the Permanent Joint Select Committee on Hunger, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs, and in addition to the Committees on Agriculture, and 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. MCNERNEY (for himself and Mrs. BONO MACK):

H.R. 2818. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for the establishment of a drug-free workplace information clearinghouse, to support residential methamphetamine treatment programs for pregnant and parenting women, to improve the prevention and treatment of methamphetamine addiction, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mrs. MALONEY (for herself, Mrs. CAPPES, Mr. OLVER, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. MEEKS of New York, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. SNYDER, Ms. SCHWARTZ, and Mr. MORAN of Virginia):

H.R. 2819. A bill to amend the Civil Rights Act of 1964 to protect breastfeeding by new mothers; to provide for a performance standard for breast pumps; and to provide tax incentives to encourage breastfeeding; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Energy and Commerce, and 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. FARR (for himself, Mr. BILBRAY, Mrs. BONO MACK, Mrs. CAPPES, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. FILNER, Mr. HONDA, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. ISSA, Ms. MATSUI, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. BACA, and Mr. THOMPSON of California):

H.R. 2820. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to transition to the use of metropolitan statistical areas as fee schedule areas for the physician fee schedule in California under the Medicare Program; 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. ROGERS of Kentucky (for himself and Mr. WHITFIELD):

H.R. 2821. A bill to direct the Secretary of the Army to assist entities adversely affected by a Corps of Engineers rehabilitation project relating to the Wolf Creek Dam, Kentucky, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia (for himself, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, and Mr. GRAYSON):

H.R. 2822. A bill to help Federal prosecutors and investigators combat public corruption by strengthening and clarifying the law; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. COFFMAN of Colorado (for himself, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. ROONEY, and Mr. HARPER):

H.R. 2823. A bill to amend the Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act to enhance and improve certain procedures relating to voting by absent members of the uniformed services, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Administration, 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 Mrs. CHRISTENSEN (for herself, Mr. HERGER, and Mr. BOUSTANY):

H.R. 2824. A bill to enhance the conduct and support of federally funded comparative effectiveness research relating to health care, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, Armed Services, and Veterans' Affairs, 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. SHEA-PORTER (for herself, Ms. MOORE of Wisconsin, Mr. CARNAHAN, Mr. MCGOVERN, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. NYE, and Mr. BISHOP of New York):

H.R. 2825. A bill to require the Secretary of Defense to debar from contracting with the Department of Defense any company found to have jeopardized the health or safety of Government personnel or found guilty of contract fraud, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Ms. BEAN (for herself, Mr. CARSON of Indiana, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. ISRAEL, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Mr. HIMES, and Ms. SHEA-PORTER):

H.R. 2826. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow employers a credit against income tax for the cost of teleworking equipment and expenses; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BUTTERFIELD:

H.R. 2827. A bill to amend the Digital Television Transition and Public Safety Act of 2005 to provide for a coupon program for television antennas; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. BISHOP of Utah (for himself, Mr. AKIN, Mr. ALEXANDER, Mrs. BACHMANN, Mr. BONNER, Mr. BOOZMAN, Mr. BOUSTANY, Mr. BRADY of Texas, Mr. BROWN of Georgia, Mr. BROWN of South Carolina, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. CARTER, Mr. CASSIDY, Mr. CHAFFETZ, Mr. COFFMAN of Colorado, Mr. CONAWAY, Mr. CULBERSON, Ms. FALLIN, Mr. FLEMING, Ms. FOX, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. GINGREY of Georgia, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. HARPER, Mr. HELLER, Mr. HENSARLING, Mr. HERGER, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. HUNTER, Ms. JENKINS, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. JORDAN of Ohio, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. LATTI, Mr. LEE of New York, Mr. LINDER, Mr. LUCAS, Mrs. LUMMIS, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. MARCHANT, Mr. MCCAUL, Mr. MCCOTTER, Mr. MCHENRY, Mr. MCKEON, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. NEUGEBAUER, Mr. PENCE, Mr. PITTS, Mr. POE of Texas, Mr. PRICE of Georgia, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. REHBERG,

Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin, Mr. SCALISE, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. SIMPSON, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. SULLIVAN, Mr. THOMPSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. WAMP, Mr. WESTMORELAND, and Mr. YOUNG of Alaska):

H.R. 2828. A bill to provide the United States with a comprehensive energy package to place Americans on a path to a secure economic future through increased energy innovation, conservation, and production; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Natural Resources, Energy and Commerce, Science and Technology, Rules, and Oversight and Government Reform, 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. CARSON of Indiana (for himself, Mr. KENNEDY, Mr. STARK, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Ms. NORTON, Mr. RUSH, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. AL GREEN of Texas, Ms. LEE of California, Ms. FUDGE, Ms. EDWARDS of Maryland, and Mr. MEEKS of New York):

H.R. 2829. A bill to ensure prompt access to supplemental security income, social security disability, and medicaid benefits for persons released from certain public institutions; to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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 Mr. COURTNEY (for himself and Ms. SHEA-PORTER):

H.R. 2830. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to direct the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to give priority to unemployed veterans in furnishing hospital care, medical services, and nursing home care to certain veterans assigned to priority level 8; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mrs. DAHLKEMPER (for herself, Mr. LANCE, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. CONNOLLY of Virginia, Mr. DENT, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia, Mr. HIMES, and Mr. SIRE):

H.R. 2831. A bill to amend the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 and the Public Health Service Act to require the option of extension of dependent coverage for unmarried, uninsured children under 30 years of age under group health plans and under group and individual health insurance coverage; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, 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. EDWARDS of Texas:

H.R. 2832. A bill to require the Secretary of the Treasury to develop a strategy and timeline for the repayment of assistance received by financial institutions under the Troubled Asset Relief Program, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Financial Services.

By Mr. ELLISON (for himself, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. TIERNEY, and Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia):

H.R. 2833. A bill to require a minimum loss ratio for 90 percent for health insurance coverage offered through an insurance exchange; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. FALCONEVAEGA:

H.R. 2834. A bill to direct the Administrator of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration to conduct a technological capability assessment, survey, and