

are some of the finest people that have been around, and I do think that they get put in a very difficult position when we use them.

So I thank the gentleman for his support on this. We will work hard to get it straightened out.

RECESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. WALKER). Pursuant to clause 12 of rule I, the House stands in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

Accordingly (at 2 o'clock and 16 minutes p.m.), the House stood in recess subject to the call of the Chair.

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AFTER RECESS

The recess having expired, the House was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore [Mr. WALKER] at 5 o'clock and 1 minute p.m.

HOOR OF MEETING ON TOMORROW

Mr. SOLOMON. Mr. Speaker, I ask unanimous consent that when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 2 p.m. tomorrow.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from New York?

There was no objection.

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 Member (at her own request) to revise and extend her remarks and include extraneous material:)

Mrs. SCHROEDER, for 5 minutes, today.

BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTION PRESENTED TO THE PRESIDENT

Mr. THOMAS, from the Committee on House Oversight, reported that that committee did on the following dates present to the President, for his approval, bills and a joint resolution of the House of the following titles:

On October 2, 1996:

H.R. 543. An act to reauthorize the National Marine Sanctuaries Act, and for other purposes;

H.R. 1734. An act to reauthorize the National Film Preservation Board, and for other purposes;

H.J. Res. 198. Joint resolution appointing the day for the convening of the first session of the One Hundred Fifth Congress and the day for the counting in Congress of the electoral votes for President and Vice-President cast in December 1996; and

H.R. 2579. An act to establish the National Tourism Board and the National Tourism Organization to promote international travel and tourism to the United States.

On October 3, 1996:

H.R. 2297. An act to codify without substantive changes laws related to transpor-

tation and to improve the United States Code;

H.R. 3005. An act to amend the Federal securities laws in order to promote efficiency and capital formation in the financial markets, and to amend the Investment Company Act of 1940 to promote more efficient management of mutual funds, protect investors, and provide more effective and less burdensome regulation;

H.R. 3118. An act to amend title 38, United States Code, to reform eligibility for health care provided for the Department of Veterans Affairs, to authorize major medical facility construction projects for the Department, to improve administrative of health care by the Department, and for other purposes;

H.R. 3159. An act to amend title 49, United States Code, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1997, 1998, and 1999 for the National Transportation Safety Board, and for other purposes; and

H.R. 3815. An act to make technical corrections and miscellaneous amendments to trade laws.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Mr. THOMAS, from the Committee on House Oversight, reported that that committee had examined and found truly enrolled bills of the House of the following titles, which were thereupon signed by the Speaker:

H.R. 2297. An act to codify without substantive change laws related to transportation and to improve the United States Code;

H.R. 3005. An act to amend the Federal securities laws in order to promote efficiency and capital formation in the financial market, and to amend the Investment Company Act of 1940 to promote more efficient management of mutual funds, protect investors, and provide more effective and less burdensome regulation;

H.R. 3118. An act to amend title 38, United States Code, to reform eligibility for health care provided by the Department of Veterans Affairs, to authorize major medical facility construction projects for the Department, to improve administration of health care by the Department, and for other purposes;

H.R. 3159. An act to amend title 49, United States Code, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1997, 1998, and 1999 for the National Transportation Safety Board, and for other purposes; and

H.R. 3815. An act to make technical corrections and miscellaneous amendments to trade laws.

ADJOURNMENT

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

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 5 o'clock and 2 minutes p.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until tomorrow, Friday, October 4, 1996, at 2 p.m.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

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

5415. A letter from the Administrator, Farm Service Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—1996 Marketing Quota

and Price Support for Burley Tobacco (RIN: 0560-AE47) received October 2, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

5416. A letter from the Director, Administration and Management, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule—DFAS Privacy Act Program (Defense Finance and Accounting Service) [DFAS Reg. 5400.11 R] received October 2, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on National Security.

5417. A letter from the Director, Administration and Management, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule—Privacy Program (Defense Special Weapons Agency) [DSWA Instruction 5400.11B] received October 2, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on National Security.

5418. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Control of Air Pollution from New and In-Use Motor Vehicles and New and In-Use Motor Vehicle Engines: Certification and Test Procedures [FRL-5618-02] received September 30, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

5419. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of State Implementation Plans; California State Implementation Plan Revision; Kern County Air Pollution Control District, Santa Barbara County Air Pollution Control District, South Coast Air Quality Management District [FRL-56-4] received September 30, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

5420. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of State Implementation Plans; California State Implementation Plan Revision, Mojave Desert Air Quality Management District; South Coast Air Quality Management District [FRL-5616-6] received September 30, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

5421. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Implementation Plans; Arizona—Maricopa Nonattainment Area, Carbon Monoxide [FRL-5628-6] received September 30, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

5422. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Clean Air Act Interim Approval of Operating Permits Program; Delegation of Section 112 Standards; State of New Hampshire [FRL-5619-4] received September 30, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

5423. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Clean Air Act Approval and Promulgation of State Implementation Plan for North Dakota; Revisions to the Air Pollution Control Rules; Delegation of Authority for Colorado Standards of Performance for New Stationary Sources [FRL-5618-8] received September 30, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

5424. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Clean Air Act

Final Interim Approval of Operating Permits Program; Delegation of Section 112 Standards; State of Vermont [FRL-5612-6] received September 30, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

5425. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy Management Staff, Office of Policy, Food and Drug Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Medical Devices; Effective Dates of Requirement for Premarket Approval for Class III Preamendments Devices (RIN: 0910-AA31) received October 2, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

5426. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Interim Guidance for 10 CFR 50.65—The Maintenance Rule and Steam Generator Tube Inspections (EGM 96-002 and EGM 96-003) received September 30, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

5427. A letter from the Acting Director, Fish and Wildlife Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Determination of Endangered or Threatened Status for Four Southern Maritime Chaparral Plant Taxa from Coastal Southern California and Northwestern Baja California, Mexico (RIN: 1018-AC01) received October 2, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5428. A letter from the Acting Director, Fish and Wildlife Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Determination of Endangered Status for Three Plant Species (Cyanea dunbarii, Lysimachia Maxima, and Schiedea sarmentosa) from the Island of Molokai, Hawaii (RIN: 1018-AD49) received October 2, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5429. A letter from the Acting Director, Fish and Wildlife Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Endangered Status for the Plant *Delissea undulata* (RIN: 1018-AC56) received October 2, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5430. A letter from the Acting Director, Fish and Wildlife Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Determination of Endangered Status for Twenty-Five Plant Species from the Island of Oahu, Hawaii (RIN: 1018-AD50) received October 2, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5431. A letter from the Acting Director, Fish and Wildlife Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Determination of Endangered or Threatened Status for Nineteen Plant Species from the Island of Kauai, Hawaii (RIN: 1018-AD46) received October 2, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5432. A letter from the Acting Director, Fish and Wildlife Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Determination of Endangered Status or Threatened Status for Fourteen Plant Taxa from the Hawaiian Islands (RIN: 1018-AD58) received October 2, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5433. A letter from the Acting Director, Fish and Wildlife Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Determination of Endangered Status for Thirteen Plants from the Island of Hawaii, State of Hawaii (RIN: 018-AD25) received October 2, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5434. A letter from the Secretary of Transportation, transmitting the annual report on the status of the public ports of the United States for calendar years 1994-1995, pursuant to 49 U.S.C. 308(c); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5435. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Jetstream Model 4101 Airplanes (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 96-NM-129-AD] (RIN: 2120-AA64) (1996-0235) received October 1, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5436. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 767 Series Airplanes (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 95-NM-203-AD] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received October 1, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5437. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; de Havilland Model DHC-8-100 and -300 Series Airplanes (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 96-NM-72] (RIN: 2120-AA64) (1996-0230) received October 1, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5438. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Airbus Model A3000 Airplanes (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 92-NM-225] (RIN: 2120-AA64) (1996-0229) received October 1, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5439. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Fokker Model F28 Mark 1000, 2000, 3000, and 4000 Series Airplanes (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 95-NM-152] (RIN: 2120-AA64) (1996-0228) received October 1, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5440. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Jetstream Model 4101 Airplanes (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 2120-AA64] (RIN: 2120-AA64) (1996-0227) received October 1, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5441. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Fairchild Aircraft SA26, SA226, and SA227 Series Airplanes (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 94-CE-22-AD] (RIN: 2120-AA64) (1996-0233) received October 1, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5442. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Pratt & Whitney PW2000 Series Turbofan Engines (Federal Aviation Administration) [Docket No. 95-ANE-37] (RIN: 2120-AA64) (1996-0198) received October 1, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

5443. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a copy of Presidential Determination No. 96-51: Emigration Policies of Mongolia, pursuant to 19 U.S.C. 2432(a); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5444. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule—Medicare Program; Update of Ambulatory Surgical Center Payment Rates Effective for Services on or After October 1, 1996 [BFD-874-N] received October 1, 1996, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly, to the Committees on Commerce and Ways and Means.

5445. A letter from the Director, Audit Oversight and Liaison, General Accounting Office, transmitting a report entitled, "Financial Audit: Independent Counsel Expenditures for the Six Months Ended March 31, 1996" (GAO/AIMD-96-166), pursuant to 28 U.S.C. 591 note; jointly, to the Committees on Government Reform and Oversight and the Judiciary.

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. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. H.R. 3534. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to renew certain permits in the Mineral King Addition of the Sequoia National Park and to protect historic and cultural resources in that National Park, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 104-866). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 5 of rule X and clause 4 of rule XXII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred as follows:

By Mr. CONDIT (for himself, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, and Mr. RADANOVICH):

H.R. 4339. A bill to amend the Clean Air Act to impose certain requirements on areas upwind of ozone nonattainment areas, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Ms. DELAURO:

H.R. 4340. A bill to prohibit, in connection with the termination of Army activities at the Stratford Army Engine Plant, the expenditure of Federal funds to cover the costs of relocating a Government contractor located at that installation; to the Committee on National Security.

By Mr. SCHUMER (for himself and Mr. CONYERS):

H.R. 4341. A bill to establish felony violations for the failure to pay legal child support obligations, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SCHUMER:

H.R. 4342. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to extend certain statutes of limitation; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. UNDERWOOD:

H.R. 4343. A bill to prohibit the Secretary of Defense from making American communities noncompetitive by using shipping cost differentials attributable to the application of the Merchant Marine Act, 1920; to the Committee on National Security.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 38: Mr. ANDREWS.