

## ADJOURNMENT

Mr. SOLOMON. Mr. Speaker, pursuant to section 3 of House Concurrent Resolution 353, and as the designee for the Majority Leader, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. In accordance with the provisions of House Concurrent Resolution 353, the Chair declares the second session of the 105th Congress adjourned sine die.

Thereupon (at 2 o'clock and 36 minutes p.m.), pursuant to section 3 of House Concurrent Resolution 353, the House adjourned.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS,  
ETC.

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

12594. A letter from the Administrator, Foreign Agricultural Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Foreign Donation of Agricultural Commodities (RIN: 0551-AA56) received November 10, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

12595. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting from the President, requesting emergency supplemental appropriations for the repair of damage caused by Hurricane Georges, pursuant to Public Law 105-277; (H. Doc. No. 105-355); to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

12596. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting a report of a violation of the Anti-Deficiency Act, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1517(b); to the Committee on Appropriations.

12597. A letter from the Chief, Programs and Legislation Division, Office of Legislative Liaison, Department of the Air Force, transmitting notification that the Director of Plans and Programs at the 11th Wing is initiating a cost comparison of the Supply and Transportation functions at Bolling Air Force Base, District of Columbia, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 2304 nt.; to the Committee on National Security.

12598. A letter from the Director, Defense Procurement, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule—Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement; Architectural and Engineering Services and Construction Design [DFARS Case 98-D313] received December 10, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on National Security.

12599. A letter from the Assistant Secretary of Defense, Health Affairs, Department of Defense, transmitting a report regarding the feasibility and advisability of expanding the current Department of Defense (DoD) mail order pharmacy program for Medicare eligible beneficiaries affected by a base Realignment and Closure (BRAC) action to include DoD beneficiaries who are covered by Medicare and reside in the United States outside of the catchment area of a medical treatment facility of the uniformed services; to the Committee on National Security.

12600. A letter from the Assistant Secretary of Defense, Health Affairs, Department of Defense, transmitting the results of a study on the cost and feasibility of integrating all or part of DoD/VA medical treatment; to the Committee on National Security.

12601. A letter from the Director, Administration and Management, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule—Civilian Health and Medical Program of the Uniformed Services (CHAMPUS); State Victims of Crime Compensation Programs; Voice Prostheses (RIN: 0720-AA42) received October 23, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on National Security.

12602. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting the annual report on the Department's effective use and the costs of the civilian voluntary separation incentive pay program; to the Committee on National Security.

12603. A letter from the Office of the Secretary, Panama Canal Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Tolls for Use of Canal (RIN: 3207-AA-46) received December 17, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on National Security.

12604. A letter from the Assistant to the Board, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, transmitting the Board's final rule—Securities Credit Transactions; List of Marginable OTC Stocks; List of Foreign Margin Stocks [Regulations T and X] received November 6, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

12605. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the Department's final rule—Rent Control Preemption for Supportive Housing for the Elderly and Persons With Disabilities [Docket No. FR-4346-F-01] (RIN: 2502-AH21) received December 17, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

12606. A letter from the Director, Office of Legislative Affairs, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, transmitting the Corporation's final rule—Interagency Guidelines Establishing Year 2000 Standards for Safety and Soundness (RIN: 3064-AC18) received October 26, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

12607. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, transmitting the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation's 1997 Merger Decisions report; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

12608. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—List of Communities Eligible for the Sale of Flood Insurance [Docket No. FEMA-7697] received December 17, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

12609. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—List of Communities Eligible for the Sale of Flood Insurance [Docket No. FEMA-7700] received December 17, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

12610. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Changes in Flood Elevation Determinations [Docket No. FEMA-7256] received December 18, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

12611. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Suspension of Community Eligibility [Docket No. FEMA-7698] received December 17, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

12612. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency,

transmitting the Agency's final rule—Final Flood Elevation Determinations—received December 17, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

12613. A letter from the Acting Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, transmitting the annual report of the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 5617; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

12614. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Employment Standards, Department of Labor, transmitting the Department's final rule—Use and Disclosure of Federal Employees' Compensation Act Claims File Material (RIN: 1215-AB18) received November 9, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

12615. A letter from the Secretary of Education, transmitting Twentieth Annual Report about the education of children and youth with disabilities; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

12616. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Service, transmitting a report to the Congress on the Community Food and Nutrition (CFN) Program for Fiscal Years (FY) 1992 through 1995; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

12617. A letter from the Administrator, Energy Information Administration, Department of Energy, transmitting the Energy Information Administration's Annual Energy Review for 1997, pursuant to 15 U.S.C. 790f(a)(2); to the Committee on Commerce.

12618. A letter from the Fiscal Assistant Secretary, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the annual report of material violations or suspected material violations of regulations relating to Treasury auctions and other offerings of securities upon the issuance of such securities by the Treasury, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3121 nt.; to the Committee on Commerce.

12619. A letter from the Fiscal Assistant Secretary, Department of the Treasury, transmitting a report that during the period of January 1, 1997, through December 31, 1997, no exceptions to the prohibition against favored treatment of a government securities broker or dealer were granted by the Secretary; to the Committee on Commerce.

12620. A letter from the Acting Assistant General Counsel for Regulatory Law, Department of Energy, transmitting the Department's final rule—Acquisition/Financial Assistance Letter—received December 17, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

12621. A letter from the Acting Assistant General Counsel for Regulatory Law, Department of Energy, transmitting the Department's final rule—Nuclear Materials Management and Safeguards System Reporting and Data Submission—received December 17, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

12622. A letter from the Acting Assistant General Counsel for Regulatory Law, Department of Energy, transmitting the Department's final rule—Acquisition Letter—received December 17, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

12623. A letter from the Acting Assistant General Counsel for Regulatory Law, Department of Energy, transmitting the Department's final rule—Occupational Exposure Assessment—December 17, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

12624. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Technical Amendments to Approval and Promulgation

of Air Quality State Implementation Plans, Texas; Recodification of, and Revisions to the State Implementation Plan; Chapter 114; Correction of Effective Date under the Congressional Review Act (CRA) [FRL-6182-9] received October 29, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

12625. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Delegation of National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants for Source Categories; State of Arizona; Pinal County Air Quality Control District [FRL-6175-2] received November 12, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

12626. 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; Alaska [AK 15-1703a; FRL-6188-7] received November 12, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

12627. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Tennessee; Final Approval of State Petroleum Underground Storage Tank Program [FRL-6186-1] received November 12, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

12628. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Application of Minority and Women-Owned Business Enterprise Requirements in the Clean Water and Drinking Water State Revolving Fund Programs—received November 12, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

12629. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Universal Waste Rule (Hazardous Waste Management System; Modification of the Hazardous Waste Recycling Regulatory Program) [Docket 6207-7] (RIN: 2050-AD19) received December 19, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

12630. A letter from the AMD-PERM, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Allocation of Spectrum Below 5 GHz Transferred from Federal Government Use [ET Docket No. 94-32] received December 17, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

12631. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Food and Drug Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Food Additives Permitted for Direct Addition to Food for Human Consumption; Natamycin (Pimaricin) [Docket No. 98F-0063] received December 10, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

12632. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Food and Drug Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Medical Devices; Humanitarian Use of Devices [Docket No. 98N-0171] received November 9, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

12633. A letter from the Office of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Management Directive 5.6, Integrated Materials Performance Evaluation Program—received December 3, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

12634. A letter from the Office of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—An Approach for Plant-Specific Risk-Informed Decisionmaking Inservice Inspection of Piping [Regulatory Guide 1.178] received October 26, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

12635. A letter from the Chairman, Nuclear Waste Technical Review Board, transmitting this report in accordance with the requirement of the Nuclear Waste Policy Amendments Act of 1987, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 10268; to the Committee on Commerce.

12636. A letter from the Secretary of Energy, transmitting the 1997 Annual Report on Low-Level Radioactive Waste Management Progress; to the Committee on Commerce.

12637. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Regulations Requiring Manufactures to Assess the Safety and Effectiveness of New Drug and Biological Products in Pediatric Patients [Docket No. 97N-0165] (RIN: 0910-AB20) received December 17, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

12638. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Prescription Drug Labeling; Medication Guide Requirements [Docket No. 93N-0371] (RIN: 0910-AA37) received December 17, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

12639. A letter from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule—Medicaid Program; Inpatient Psychiatric Services Benefit for Individuals Under Age 21 [HCFR-2060-F] (RIN: 0938-AJ05) received November 17, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

12640. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting notification that the President proposes to exercise his authority under section 614(a)(1) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended (the "Act"), to authorize the use of \$12 million in appropriations to the Korean Peninsula Energy Development Organization, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2364(a)(1); to the Committee on International Relations.

12641. A letter from the Assistant Legal Adviser for Treaty Affairs, Department of State, transmitting Copies of international agreements, other than treaties, entered into by the United States, pursuant to 1 U.S.C. 112b(a); to the Committee on International Relations.

12642. A letter from the Under Secretary for Export Administration, Department of Commerce, transmitting that the Secretary of Commerce is imposing certain foreign policy-based export controls on Specially Designated Terrorists ("SDT") determined to be disrupting the Middle East peace process and Foreign Terrorist Organizations ("FTO"); to the Committee on International Relations.

12643. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a report entitled "Report of U.S. Citizen Expropriation Claims and Certain Other Commercial and Investment Disputes"; to the Committee on International Relations.

12644. A letter from the Executive Director, Japan-United States Friendship Commission, transmitting the Commission's annual report for fiscal year 1998, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2904(b); to the Committee on International Relations.

12645. A letter from the Administrator, U.S. Agency for International Development, transmitting the annual report on activities under the Denton Amendment Program; to the Committee on International Relations.

12646. A letter from the Chairman, Board of Directors Panama Canal Commission, transmitting the semiannual report of the Inspector General of the Panama Canal Commission, for the period of April 1, 1998 through September 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

12647. A letter from the Chairperson, Commodity Futures Trading Commission, transmitting a report on the Commodity Futures Trading Commission's (CFTC) management control and financial systems; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

12648. A letter from the Chairman, Consumer Product Safety Commission, transmitting the semiannual report for the period of April 1, 1998 through September 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

12649. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Employment Standards, Department of Labor, transmitting the Department's final rule—Affirmative Action and Nondiscrimination Obligations of Contractors and Subcontractors Regarding Special Disabled Veterans and Vietnam Era Veterans (RIN: 1215-AA62) received November 4, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

12650. A letter from the Assistant for Employment Standards, Department of Labor, transmitting the Department's final rule—Affirmative Action and Nondiscrimination Obligations of Contractors and Subcontractors Regarding Special Disabled Veterans and Vietnam Era Veterans (RIN: 1215-AA62) received November 4, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

12651. A letter from the Inspector General, General Services Administration, transmitting the Office's Audit Report Register for the period ending September 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

12652. A letter from the Deputy Associate Administrator for Acquisition Policy, General Services Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Federal Acquisition Circular 97-10; Introduction—received December 19, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

12653. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Federal Housing Enterprise Oversight, transmitting the Office's final rule—Releasing Information (RIN: 2550-AA01) received December 18, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

12654. A letter from the Director, Office of Government Ethics, transmitting the Office's final rule—Technical Amendments to Financial Disclosure Rule for Executive Branch Employees (RIN: 3209-AA00) received December 14, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

12655. A letter from the Director, Office of Government Ethics, transmitting the Office's final rule—Standards of Ethical Conduct for Employees of the Executive Branch (RIN: 3209-AA04) received December 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

12656. A letter from the Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting the semiannual report for the period of April 1, 1998 through September 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

12657. A letter from the Inspector General, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting the semiannual report for the period of April 1, 1998 through September 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

12658. A letter from the Executive Director, President's Committee on the Arts and the Humanities, transmitting a follow-up report on the recommendations of a Presidential Advisory committee; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

12659. A letter from the Inspector General, Railroad Retirement Board, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the Office of Inspector General for the period April 1, 1998, through September 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. app. (Insp. Gen. Act) section 5(b); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

12660. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Land and Minerals Management, Department of the Interior, transmitting the annual report on royalty management and collection activities for Federal and Indian mineral leases, pursuant to 30 U.S.C. 237; to the Committee on Resources.

12661. A letter from the Assistant Secretary of the Interior for Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior, transmitting a proposed plan for the use and distribution of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians (Tribe) share of the judgment funds in Docket 22-H, before the United States Court of Federal Claims, pursuant to 25 U.S.C. 1402(a) and 1404; to the Committee on Resources.

12662. A letter from the Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior, transmitting the Bureau of Indian Affairs' FY 1995 and FY 1996 Contract Support Report; to the Committee on Resources.

12663. A letter from the Administrator, Rural Development, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Environmental Policies and Procedures (RIN: 0572-AB33) received December 14, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

12664. A letter from the Acting Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, transmitting the 1996 annual report on the activities and operations of the Department's Public Integrity Section, Criminal Division, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. 529; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

12665. A letter from the Regulatory Policy Officer, Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, transmitting the Bureau's final rule—Implementation of Public Law 103-159, Relating to the Permanent Provisions of the Brady Handgun Violence Prevention Act (93F-057P) [T.D. ATF-405; Ref. Notice No. 857] (RIN: 1512-AB67) received October 27, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

12666. A letter from the Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, transmitting the Department's final rule—Final Guidelines for the Jacob Wetterling Crimes Against Children and Sexually Violent Offender Registration Act, as Amended (RIN: 1105-AA56) received December 17, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

12667. A letter from the Director, Federal Bureau of Prisons, Department of Justice, transmitting the Department's final rule—Inmate Work and Performance Pay Program: Work Evaluation [BOP-1078-F] (RIN: 1120-AA74) received December 17, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

12668. A letter from the Acting Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, transmitting the 1997 Annual Report of the National Institute of Justice (NIJ); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

12669. A letter from the Chairman, Inland Waterways Users Board, transmitting the Board's annual report of its activities; recommendations regarding construction, rehabilitation priorities and spending levels on the commercial navigational features and components of inland waterways and harbors, pursuant to Public Law 99-662, section 302(b) (100 Stat. 4111); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

12670. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace: Grove City, PA [Docket No. 98-AEA-31] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received November 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

12671. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace: Poughkeepsie, NY [Docket No. 98-AEA-18] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received November 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

12672. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment to Class E Airspace: East Hampton, NY [Docket No. 98-AEA-30] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received November 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

12673. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Agusta A109C Helicopters [Docket No. 98-SW-14-AD] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

12674. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Eurocopter France Model AS 332C, AS 332L, AS 332L1, and AS 332L2 Helicopters [Docket No. 98-SW-19-AD] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

12675. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Robinson Helicopter Company Model R22 Helicopters [Docket No. 98-SW-45-AD] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

12676. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives 98-24-17 [Docket No. 97-NM-14-AD]; McDonnell Douglas Model DC-10-10, -30, and -40 Series Airplanes (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

12677. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; SOCATA—Groupe AEROSPATIALE Model TBM 700 Airplanes [Docket No. 95-CE-65-AD] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

12678. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Stemme GmbH & Co. KG Models S10, S10-V, and S10-VT Sailplanes [Docket No. 98-CE-106-AD] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

12679. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting

the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Aerostar Aircraft Corporation PA-60-600 and PA-60-700 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 97-CE-139-AD] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

12680. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives 98-24-26 [Docket No. 97-NM-13-AD]; Boeing Model 747-400 Series Airplanes (RIN: 2120-AA64) November 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

12681. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Eurocopter France Model SE.3160, SA.316B, SA.316C, and SA.319B Helicopters [Docket No. 98-SW-17-AD] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

12682. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives 98-24-19 [Docket No. 98-NM-317-AD]; Empresa Brasileira de Aeronautica S.A. (EMBRAER) Model EMB-145 Series Airplanes (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

12683. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Grob Luft-und Raumfahrt GmbH Models G 109 and G 109B Sailplanes [Docket No. 98-CE-40-AD] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

12684. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives 98-24-24 [Docket 98-NM-71-AD]; McDonnell Douglas Model MD-11 Series Airplanes (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

12685. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives 98-24-25 [Docket 98-NM-84-AD]; Lockheed Model L-188A and L-188C Series Airplanes (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

12686. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Eurocopter France Model AS-365N2, SA-360C, SA-365C, C1, C2, N, N1, and SA-366G1 Helicopters [Docket No. 98-SW-05-AD] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

12687. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Amendment of Class E Airspace Grand Junction, CO [Airspace Docket No. 98-ANM-17] received November 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

12688. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Bell Helicopter Textron Model 240B, 205A, 205A-1, 205B, and 212 Helicopters [Docket No. 97-SW-20-AD] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

12689. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Dornier-Werks GmbH Model Do 27 O-6 Airplanes [Docket No. 97-CE-137-AD] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

12690. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives 98-24-18 [Docket 98-NM-299-AD]; Bombardier Model DHC-8-100 and -300 Series Airplanes (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

12691. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Mooney Aircraft Corporation Models M20B, M20C, M20D, M20E, M20F, M20G, M20J, M20K, M20L, M20M, and M20R Airplanes [Docket No. 98-CE-20-AD] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

12692. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Ursula Hanle Model H101 "Salto" Sailplanes [Docket No. 98-CE-35-AD] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

12693. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; EXTRA Flugzeugbau GmbH Models EA-300, EA-300S, and EA-300L Airplanes [Docket No. 98-CE-53-AD] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

12694. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; HOAC-Austria Model DV-20 Katana Airplanes [Docket No. 97-CE-83-AD] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

12695. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Stemme GmbH & Co. KG Model S10 Sailplanes [Docket No. 98-CE-103-AD] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

12696. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Burkhart Grob Luft-und Raumfahrt Models G115, G115A, G115B, G115C, G115C2, G115D, and G115D2 Airplanes [Docket No. 98-CE-68-AD] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received November 30, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

12697. A letter from the Administrator, Federal Aviation Administration, Department of Transportation, transmitting a report on the foreign aviation authorities to which the Federal Aviation Administration provided services in the preceding fiscal year, pursuant to Pub.L. 103-305; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

12698. A letter from the Acting Deputy Director, National Institute of Standards and Technology, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule—Advanced Technology Program [Docket No. 980717184-8277-02] (RIN: 0693-AB48) received

November 23, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Science.

12699. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulations Management, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's final rule—VA Acquisition Regulation: Title and Reference Updates (RIN: 2900-AJ29) received December 10, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

12700. A letter from the Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting OPM's Fiscal Year 1997 annual report on Veteran's Employment in the Federal Government, pursuant to 38 U.S.C. 4214(e)(1); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

12701. A letter from the Secretary of Labor, transmitting the fourteenth report on trade and employment effects of the Caribbean Basin Economic Recovery Act, pursuant to 19 U.S.C. 2705; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12702. A letter from the Secretary of Labor, transmitting the Department's fifth report on the impact of the Andean Trade Preference Act on U.S. trade and employment from 1996 to 1997, pursuant to Public Law 102-182, section 207 (105 Stat. 1244); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12703. A letter from the Assistant Secretary For Import Administration, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule—Countervailing Duties [Docket No. 950306068-8205-05] (RIN: 0625-AA45) received November 25, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12704. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Filing Procedure for Early Closing of Courier's Desk [Notice 98-67] received December 19, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12705. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Abatement of Interest [TD 8789] (RIN: 1545-A V32) received December 19, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12706. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Notice, Consent and Election Requirements of Sections 411(a)(11) and 417 for Qualified Retirement Plans [TD 8796] (RIN: 1545-AU05) received December 19, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12707. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Treatment of Certain Payments received as Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)—received December 19, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12708. A letter from the Assistant Commissioner, Examination, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Coordinated Issue; Construction/Real Estate Industry Retainage Payable—received December 19, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12709. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—New Technologies in Retirement Plan Administration [Notice 99-1] received December 19, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

12710. A letter from the the Director, the Congressional Budget Office, transmitting CBO's final sequestration report for Fiscal Year 1999, pursuant to Public Law 101-508, section 13101(a) (104 Stat. 1388-587); (H. Doc. No. 105-357); to the Committee on the Whole

House on the State of the Union and ordered to be printed.

12711. A letter from the the Director, the Office of Management and Budget, transmitting OMB's final sequestration report to the President and Congress for Fiscal Year 1999, pursuant to Public Law 101-508, section 13101(a) (104 Stat. 1388-587); (H. Doc. No. 105-356); to the Committee on the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered to be printed.

12712. A letter from the Comptroller, Department of Defense, transmitting a notification of transfer of funds as required by the provisions of section 8005 of the Department of Defense Appropriations Acts for FY 1997 and FY 1998; jointly to the Committees on Appropriations and National Security.

12713. A letter from the Administrator, Agency for International Development, transmitting a quarterly update report on development assistance program allocations updated as of June 30, 1998, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2413(a); jointly to the Committees on International Relations and Appropriations.

12714. A letter from the Acting Chairman, Federal Election Commission, transmitting its FY 2000 Budget Request for consideration by the President and the Congress; jointly to the Committees on House Oversight and Appropriations.

12715. A letter from the Chairman, National Transportation Safety Board, transmitting a copy of the Board's request for supplemental appropriations, pursuant to 49 U.S.C. app. 1903(b)(7); jointly to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure and Appropriations.

12716. A letter from the Director, Office of Management and Budget, transmitting a report that identifies accounts containing unvouchered expenditures potentially subject to audit by the Comptroller General, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3524(b); jointly to the Committees on Appropriations, the Budget, and Government Reform and Oversight.

12717. A letter from the Commissioner of Social Security, Social Security Administration, transmitting the Social Security Administration's Accountability Report for Fiscal Year 1998, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 904; jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means, Government Reform and Oversight, and the Judiciary.

12718. A letter from the Secretary of the Treasury, transmitting the "1998 Report on Foreign Treatment of U.S. Financial Institutions"; jointly to the Committees on Banking and Financial Services, Commerce, International Relations, and Ways and Means.

## PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 5 of rule X and clause 4 of rule XXII,

Mr. HYDE introduced a resolution (H. Res. 614) appointing and authorizing managers for the impeachment trial of William Jefferson Clinton, President of the United States; which was considered and agreed to.

## MEMORIALS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, memorials were presented and referred as follows:

408. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the General Assembly of the State of New Jersey, relative to Assembly Resolution No. 166 memorializing the Congress of the United States to enact Congress Roukema's amendment to H.R.4328 which would require the United States Secretary of Transportation to waive repayment of any Federal-aid highway funds expended on the construction of