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AFTER RECESS

The recess having expired, the House was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. BISHOP of Utah) at 7 o'clock and 59 minutes a.m.

REPORT ON RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF H.J. RES. 72, FURTHER CONTINUING APPROPRIATIONS, FISCAL YEAR 2006

Mr. PUTNAM, from the Committee on Rules, submitted a privileged report (Rept. No. 109-301) on the resolution (H. Res. 558) providing for consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 72) making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2006, and for other purposes, which was referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed.

REPORT ON RESOLUTION WAIVING POINTS OF ORDER AGAINST CONFERENCE REPORT ON H.R. 3010, DEPARTMENTS OF LABOR, HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, AND EDUCATION, AND RELATED AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 2006

Mr. PUTNAM, from the Committee on Rules, submitted a privileged report (Rept. No. 109-302) on the resolution (H. Res. 559) waiving points of order against the conference report to accompany the bill (H.R. 3010) making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2006, and for other purposes, which was referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed.

REPORT ON RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 4241, DEFICIT REDUCTION ACT OF 2005

Mr. PUTNAM, from the Committee on Rules, submitted a privileged report (Rept. No. 109-303) on the resolution (H. Res. 560) providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4241) to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 201(a) of the concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 2006, which was referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to:

Mr. STARK (at the request of Ms. PELOSI) for November 15 and today on account of medical reasons.

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 Ms. WOOLSEY) to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material:)

Mr. DEFazio, for 5 minutes, today.
Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. EMANUEL, for 5 minutes, today.
Mr. WYNN, for 5 minutes, today.
Mr. MCDERMOTT, for 5 minutes, today.

Ms. KAPTUR, for 5 minutes, today.
Mr. DAVIS of Tennessee, for 5 minutes, today.

Ms. WOOLSEY, for 5 minutes, today.
Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, for 5 minutes, today.

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

Mr. PAUL, for 5 minutes, today and November 17.

Mr. BURGESS, for 5 minutes, today.
Mr. GINGREY, for 5 minutes, November 17.

Mr. WELDON of Florida, for 5 minutes, today.

Ms. FOXX, for 5 minutes, today and November 17.

Ms. GINNY BROWN-WAITE of Florida, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. BOUSTANY, for 5 minutes, November 17.

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

Mr. KINGSTON, for 5 minutes, today.

EXTENSION OF REMARKS

By unanimous consent, permission to revise and extend remarks was granted to:

Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland and to include extraneous material, notwithstanding the fact it exceeds two pages of the RECORD and is estimated by the Public Printer to cost \$3,547.

SENATE BILLS REFERRED

Bills and a concurrent resolution of the Senate of the following titles were taken from the Speaker's table and, under the rule, referred as follows:

S. 242. An act to direct the Secretary of the Interior to carry out a study to determine the suitability and feasibility of establishing memorials to the Space Shuttle Columbia on parcels of land in the State of Texas; to the Committee on Resources.

S. 592. An act to amend the Irrigation Project Contract Extension Act of 1998 to extend certain contracts between the Bureau of Reclamation and certain irrigation water contractors in the States of Wyoming and Nebraska; to the Committee on Resources.

S. 1170. An act to establish the Fort Stanton-Snowy River Cave National Conservation Area; to the Committee on Resources.

S. Con. Res. 62. Concurrent resolution directing the Joint Committee on the Library

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to procure a statue of Rosa Parks for placement in the Capitol; the Committee on House Administration.

SENATE ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

The SPEAKER announced his signature to enrolled bills of the Senate of the following titles:

S. 161. An act to provide for a land exchange in the State of Arizona between the Secretary of Agriculture and Yavapai Ranch Limited Partnership.

S. 1713. An act to make amendments to the Iran Nonproliferation Act of 2000 related to International Space Station payments, and for other purposes.

S. 1894. An act to amend part E of title IV of the Social Security Act to provide for the making of foster care maintenance payments to private for-profit agencies.

ADJOURNMENT

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

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 8 a.m.), the House adjourned until today, Thursday, November 17, 2005, at 10 a.m.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

Under clause 8 of rule XII, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows:

5227. A letter from the Administrator, Rural Business-Cooperative Service, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Business and Industry Guaranteed Loan Program Annual Renewal Fee (RIN: 0570-AA34) received October 6, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

5228. A letter from the Regulatory Analyst, Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Review Inspection Requirements for Graded Commodities (RIN: 0580-AA89) received November 10, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

5229. A letter from the Administrator, AMS, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Marketing Order Regulating the Handling of Pears Grown in Oregon and Washington; Control Committee Rules and Regulation [Docket No. FV05-927-2] received November 9, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

5230. A letter from the Administrator, AMS, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Regulations Governing the California Clingstone Peach (Tree Removal) Diversion Program [Docket No. FV05-82-01-FR] (RIN: 0581-AC45) received November 9, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

5231. A letter from the Administrator, AMS, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Domestic Dates Produced or Packed in Riverside County, CA; Increased Assessment Rate [Docket No. FV05-987-1 FR] received November 9, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

5232. A letter from the Comptroller, Department of Defense, transmitting a report of a violation of the Antideficiency Act by the Department of the Air Force, Case Num-

ber 03-03, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1517(b); to the Committee on Appropriations.

5233. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting notification that the Department anticipates it will be prepared to commence chemical agent destruction operations at the Pine Bluff Explosive Destruction System facility in Pine Bluff, Arkansas, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1512(4); to the Committee on Armed Services.

5234. A letter from the Counsel for Legislation and Regulations, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the Department's final rule — Revisions to the Public Housing Operating Fund Program; Correction to Formula Implementation Date [Docket No. FR-4874-C-09] (RIN: 2577-AC51) received November 8, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Financial Services.

5235. A letter from the Deputy Executive Director, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, transmitting the Corporation's final rule — Benefits Payable in Terminated Single-Employer Plans; Allocation of Assets in Single-Employer Plans; Interest Assumptions for Valuing and Paying Benefits — received November 8, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

5236. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's report entitled, "Congressionally Mandated Evaluation of the State Children's Health Insurance Program: Final Report to Congress" in accordance with the Balanced Budget Refinement Act of 1999 (BBRA); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5237. A letter from the Regulations Coordinator, CDC, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Possession, Use, and Transfer of Select Agents and Toxins — Reconstructed replication competent forms of the 1918 pandemic influenza virus containing any portion of the coding regions of all eight gene segments — received November 3, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5238. A letter from the Legal Advisor to the Bureau Chief, MB, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Cimarron, Las Vegas and Pecos, New Mexico) [MB Docket No. 04-218; RM-10987; RM-11237] received October 27, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5239. A letter from the Legal Advisor to the Bureau Chief, MB, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Amendment of the Television Table of Allotments to Delete Noncommercial Reservation of Channel 39, 620-626 MHz, Phoenix, Arizona, and to Add Noncommercial Reservation on Channel 11, 198-204 MHz, Holbrook, Arizona [MB Docket No. 04-312; RM No. 11049] received October 27, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5240. A letter from the Legal Advisor to the Bureau Chief, MB, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Barnesboro and Gallitzin, Pennsylvania) [MB Docket No. 05-103; RM-11205] received October 27, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5241. A letter from the Secretary of the Commission, Bureau of Consumer Protection, Federal Trade Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Rule Concerning Disclosures Regarding Energy Consumption and Water Use of Certain Home

Appliances and Other Products Required Under the Energy Policy and Conservation Act ("Appliance Labeling Rule") — received November 8, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

5242. A letter from the Chairman, Holocaust Memorial Museum, transmitting the Museum's FY 2005 Report on Audit and Investigative Activities in accordance with the Inspector General Act of 1978; to the Committee on Government Reform.

5243. A letter from the Chairman, Merit Systems Protection Board, transmitting the Board's report entitled, "Building a High-Quality Workforce: The Federal Career Intern Program," pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 1204(a)(3); to the Committee on Government Reform.

5244. A letter from the Under Secretary for Oceans and Atmosphere, Department of Commerce, transmitting information regarding the activities of the Northwest Atlantic Fisheries Organization for 2004, pursuant to 16 U.S.C. 5601 et seq; to the Committee on Resources.

5245. A letter from the Acting 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; Reallocation of Pacific Cod in the Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands Management Area [Docket No. 041126332-5039-02; I.D. 100405D] received October 24, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5246. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, NMFS, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Fisheries off West Coast States and in the Western Pacific; Pacific Coast Groundfish Fishery; End of the Pacific Whiting Primary Season for the Catcher/processor Sector [Docket No. 040830250-5109-04; I.D. 101805C] received November 8, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

5247. A letter from the Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, transmitting the Department's report detailing the progress and the status of compliance with privatization requirements, pursuant to Public Law 105-33 section 11201(c) (111 Stat. 734); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

5248. A letter from the Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, transmitting the Department's report entitled, "Report to Congress on AMBER Alert, July 2005," pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 5791 Public Law 108-21, section 301(e); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

5249. A letter from the Director, Administrative Office of the United States Courts, transmitting the first annual report to Congress on victims' rights, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. 3771 Public Law 108-405, section 104(a); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

5250. A letter from the National Treasurer, American Ex-Prisoners of War, transmitting a copy of the Financial Statements with the Independent Auditors' report, for the year ended August 31, 2004, pursuant to 36 U.S.C. 1101 and 1103; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

5251. A letter from the Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice, transmitting the annual report of the Office of Justice Programs for Fiscal Years 2003 and 2004, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 3712(b); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

5252. A letter from the Controller, National Society Daughters of the American Revolution, transmitting the Audited Financial Statements of NSDAR for the Fiscal Year ending February 28, 2005, pursuant to 36 U.S.C. 1102; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

5253. A letter from the Deputy Executive Director, Reserve Officers Association, transmitting the Association's report of audit for the year ending March 31, 2005, pursuant to 36 U.S.C. 1101(41) and 1103; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

5254. A letter from the National President, Women's Army Corps Veterans' Association, transmitting the financial statement of Women's Army Corps Veterans Association for fiscal year ending June 30, 2005, pursuant to 36 U.S.C. 1103 and 1101(64); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

5255. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Secretary for Tax Analysis, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's report entitled, "Taxable REIT Subsidiaries: Analysis of the First Year's Returns, Tax Year 2001," pursuant to Public Law 106-170, section 547; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5256. A letter from the Director, Regulations and Rulings Division, Alcohol & Tobacco Tax & Trade Bureau, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule — Suspension of Special (Occupational) Tax (2004R-778P) [T.D. TTB-36] (RIN: 1513-AB04) received November 8, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5257. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's FY 2002 and FY 2003 Annual Report on the Child Support Enforcement Program in accordance with 452(a) of the Social Security Act; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5258. A letter from the Acting Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — 2006 Limitations Adjusted As Provided in Section 415(d), etc. [Notice 2005-75] received November 8, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5259. A letter from the Acting Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Weighted Average Interest Rate Update [Notice 2005-72] received November 8, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5260. A letter from the Acting Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Low-Income Housing Credit Allocation and Certification; Revisions [TD 9228] (RIN: 1545-BE50) received November 8, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5261. A letter from the Acting Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Extension of Time for Filing Returns [TD 9229] (RIN: 1545-BE63) received November 8, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5262. A letter from the Chair, IRS Oversight Board, transmitting a copy of the Board's 2005 annual report that discusses the IRS's performance over the past year; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5263. A letter from the Secretary, Judicial Conference of the United States, transmitting a draft bill entitled, "To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to make certain rules regarding sales of property to comply with conflict-of-interest requirements applicable to the federal judiciary, and for other purposes."; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5264. A letter from the Regulations Officer, Social Security Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule — Deemed Duration of Marriage for Widows/Widowers and Removal of Restriction on Benefits to Children of Military Parents

Overseas [Regulations Nos. 4 and 16] (RIN: 0960-AG23) received October 19, 2005, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

5265. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's requested legislative proposals as part of the National Defense Authorization Bill for Fiscal Year 2006; jointly to the Committees on Armed Services, Financial Services, and Ways and Means.

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. POMBO: Committee on Resources. H.R. 125. A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to construct facilities to provide water for irrigation, municipal, domestic, military, and other uses from the Santa Margarita River, California, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 109-297 Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

Mr. POMBO: Committee on Resources. H.R. 3351. A bill to make technical corrections to laws relating to Native Americans, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 109-298 Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

Mr. SENSENBRENNER: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 3889. A bill to further regulate and punish illicit conduct relating to methamphetamine, and for other purposes; with amendments (Rept. 109-299 Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

Mr. REGULA: Committee of Conference. Conference report on H.R. 3010. A bill making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2006, and for other purposes (Rept. 109-300). Ordered to be printed.

[Filed on November 17 (legislative day, November 16, 2005)]

Mr. PUTNAM: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 558. Resolution providing for consideration of the joint resolution (H.J. Res. 72) making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2006, and for other purposes (Rept. 109-301). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mrs. CAPITO: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 559. Resolution waiving points of order against the conference report to accompany the bill (H.R. 3010) making appropriations for the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2006, and for other purposes (Rept. 109-302). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. PUTNAM: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 560. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4241) to provide for reconciliation pursuant to section 201(a) of the concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 2006 (Rept. 109-303). Referred to the House Calendar.

DISCHARGE OF COMMITTEE

Pursuant to clause 2 of rule XII the Committee on Armed Services discharged from further consideration H.R. 125. Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered to be printed.

Pursuant to clause 2 of rule XII the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure discharged from further consideration H.R. 3351. Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the

State of the Union and ordered to be printed.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. JEFFERSON (for himself, Mr. MCCRERY, Mr. BAKER, Mr. ALEXANDER, Mr. MELANCON, Mr. JINDAL, and Mr. BOUSTANY):

H.R. 4337. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for Gulf tax credit bonds and advance refundings of certain tax-exempt bonds, and to provide a Federal guarantee of certain State bonds; to the Committee on Ways and Means. Considered and passed.

By Mr. RADANOVICH:

H.R. 4338. A bill to provide veterans benefits to certain individuals who serve in the United States merchant marine during a period of war; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. BUYER (for himself, Mr. EVANS, Mr. BOOZMAN, Ms. HERSETH, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Ms. CORRINE BROWN of Florida, and Mr. BAKER):

H.R. 4339. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to establish in the Department of Veterans Affairs an Office of National Veterans Sports Programs and Special Events; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. BLUNT (for himself and Mr. RANGEL) (both by request):

H.R. 4340. A bill to implement the United States-Bahrain Free Trade Agreement; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HALL (for himself, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. BONILLA, Mr. OTTER, Mr. CONAWAY, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. NEUGEBAUER, Mrs. WILSON of New Mexico, Mr. CARTER, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. COSTA, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. OSBORNE, Mr. SIMPSON, Mr. PICKERING, Mr. ROSS, Mr. HAYES, Mr. GOHMERT, Mr. HENSARLING, Mr. ORTIZ, Mr. PAUL, Mr. BRADY of Texas, Mr. POMBO, Mr. SALAZAR, and Mr. SHADEGG):

H.R. 4341. A bill to amend the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act of 1980 ("Superfund") to provide that manure is not considered a hazardous substance or pollutant or contaminant under that Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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. 4342. A bill to enhance the effectiveness of rural business financing programs; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. RUSH (for himself, Mr. UPTON, Mr. CONYERS, and Mr. SCHWARZ of Michigan):

H.R. 4343. A bill to provide for the issuance of a commemorative postage stamp in honor of Rosa Parks; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. ANDREWS:

H.R. 4344. A bill to establish a demonstration program to provide comprehensive health assessments for students; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, 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 Ms. BERKLEY (for herself and Mr. PORTER):

H.R. 4345. A bill to provide for the conveyance of a United States Fish and Wildlife Service administrative site to the city of Las Vegas, Nevada; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. BUYER (for himself, Mr. SOUDER, and Mr. CHOCOLA):

H.R. 4346. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 122 South Bill Street in Francesville, Indiana, as the "Malcolm Melville 'Mac' Lawrence Post Office"; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Ms. CARSON (for herself, Mr. CONYERS, Ms. LEE, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. CAPUANO, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. SANDERS, and Mr. GUTIERREZ):

H.R. 4347. A bill to end homelessness in the United States; to the Committee on Financial Services, and in addition to the Committees on Agriculture, Energy and Commerce, Education and the Workforce, Government Reform, Veterans' Affairs, and 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. HASTINGS of Florida (for himself and Mr. WEXLER):

H.R. 4348. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a tax credit for the purchase and installation of emergency generators; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HINCHEY (for himself, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. DOGGETT, Mr. FILNER, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. LANTOS, Mrs. MCCARTHY, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. STARK, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. WAXMAN, and Ms. WOOLSEY):

H.R. 4349. A bill to require Medicare providers to disclose publicly staffing and performance in order to promote improved consumer information and choice; 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. HOLT:

H.R. 4350. A bill to provide for grants from the Secretary of Energy to State and local educational agencies for EnergySmart schools and Energy Star programs; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. LYNCH (for himself, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. LANTOS, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. HIGGINS, Mr. SANDERS, and Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California):

H.R. 4351. A bill to require the Secretary of Defense, acting through the Defense Contract Audit Agency, to review all defense contracts relating to reconstruction or troop support in Iraq involving any contractors, subcontractors, or Federal officers or employees that have been indicted or convicted for contracting improprieties; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. MILLER of Florida:

H.R. 4352. A bill to amend titles 10 and 38, United States Code, to modify the circumstances under which a person who has committed a capital offense is denied certain burial-related benefits and funeral honors, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, and in addition to the Committee on Armed Services, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speak-

er, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. SHAYS (for himself and Mr. MARKEY):

H.R. 4353. A bill to direct the Secretary of Homeland Security to notify passengers when they are flying on an aircraft carrying unscreened cargo; to the Committee on Homeland Security.

By Mr. WEINER (for himself and Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN):

H.R. 4354. A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to establish a separate nonimmigrant classification for fashion models; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. WU:

H.R. 4355. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve services for veterans residing in rural areas; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. LEWIS of California:

H.J. Res. 72. A joint resolution making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2006, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. CONYERS (for himself and Ms. NORTON):

H. Con. Res. 300. Concurrent resolution paying tribute to Shirley Horn in recognition of her many achievements and contributions to the world of jazz and American culture; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. CONAWAY:

H. Con. Res. 301. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress that any bill or joint resolution that provides for the establishment of a new Federal program should contain a provision that eliminates one or more current Federal programs of equal or greater cost; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mrs. JO ANN DAVIS of Virginia:

H. Con. Res. 302. Concurrent resolution supporting the national motto of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BAIRD (for himself, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. LARSEN of Washington,

Mr. SIMMONS, Mr. CASE, Ms. MCCOLLUM of Minnesota, Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. TANNER, Mr. SALAZAR, Mr. SWEENEY, Mr. COOPER, Ms. HERSETH, Ms. MATSUI, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. WAMP, Mr. CLEAVER, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. BERRY, Mr. ROSS, and Mr. SCOTT of Georgia):

H. Res. 556. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that a National Methamphetamine Prevention Week should be established to increase awareness of methamphetamine and to educate the public on ways to help prevent the use of that damaging narcotic; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. UDALL of Colorado (for himself and Mr. SWEENEY):

H. Res. 557. A resolution urging the president to issue a proclamation declaring a Winter Outdoors Month to call attention to the need for all people to exercise and to get outdoors in the winter; to the Committee on Government Reform.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 414: Mr. FARR and Mr. UDALL of New Mexico.

H.R. 415: Mr. ALEXANDER and Mrs. EMERSON.

H.R. 476: Mr. ROTHMAN.

H.R. 501: Ms. LEE.

H.R. 517: Mr. SHUSTER.

H.R. 582: Mr. HOLT.

H.R. 633: Mr. PALLONE.

H.R. 687: Mr. SESSIONS.

H.R. 697: Ms. SOLIS and Mr. CLEAVER.

H.R. 698: Mr. CALVERT, Mr. BONNER, Mr. WALDEN of Oregon, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. GOHMERT, Mr. POE, Mr. ISSA, and Mr. ROYCE.

H.R. 772: Mr. REHBERG.

H.R. 808: Ms. CORRINE BROWN of Florida, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. LIPINSKI, and Mr. ANDREWS.

H.R. 896: Mr. LEACH, Ms. WOOLSEY, and Ms. MATSUI.

H.R. 972: Mr. PASTOR, Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. FOSSELLA, and Mr. KLINE.

H.R. 986: Mr. WALDEN of Oregon.

H.R. 995: Mr. BUTTERFIELD.

H.R. 1053: Mr. BOEHLERT and Mr. SCHWARZ of Michigan.

H.R. 1059: Mr. MEEKS of New York.

H.R. 1103: Mr. ROTHMAN.

H.R. 1106: Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota.

H.R. 1131: Mr. SCHIFF and Mr. ROHR-ABACHER.

H.R. 1141: Mr. FEENEY and Mr. GINGREY.

H.R. 1202: Mr. CHANDLER.

H.R. 1259: Mrs. NAPOLITANO and Mr. SPRATT.

H.R. 1297: Mr. MOORE of Kansas.

H.R. 1298: Mr. SHERMAN.

H.R. 1402: Mr. RUSH and Ms. NORTON.

H.R. 1498: Mr. SCOTT of Georgia.

H.R. 1521: Mr. ROTHMAN.

H.R. 1554: Mr. STRICKLAND and Mr. ALLEN.

H.R. 1582: Mr. DICKS and Mr. HONDA.

H.R. 1648: Mrs. MCCARTHY.

H.R. 1671: Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota.

H.R. 1717: Mr. MENENDEZ.

H.R. 1736: Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California and Mr. POMBO.

H.R. 1849: Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 1871: Mr. UDALL of Colorado.

H.R. 2012: Mr. MOORE of Kansas, Mr. PAS-TOR, and Mr. FOSSELLA.

H.R. 2061: Mr. CARTER.

H.R. 2531: Mr. MCGOVERN.

H.R. 2561: Mr. PAUL.

H.R. 2565: Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 2646: Mr. MORAN of Kansas.

H.R. 2662: Ms. KAPTUR.

H.R. 2716: Mr. ROTHMAN.

H.R. 2761: Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 2861: Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. ORTIZ, Mr. GINGREY, Mr. REYES, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. DOGGETT, and Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas.

H.R. 2932: Mr. JENKINS.

H.R. 2943: Mrs. BIGGERT and Mr. VAN HOLLEN.

H.R. 2952: Mr. BRADY of Texas, Mr. PETRI, and Mr. NEUGEBAUER.

H.R. 2972: Mrs. JO ANN DAVIS of Virginia.

H.R. 3042: Mr. ROTHMAN.

H.R. 3095: Mr. GINGREY, Mr. GARRETT of New Jersey, Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mr. DAVIS of Kentucky, Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. WESTMORE-LAND, and Mr. WELDON of Florida.

H.R. 3195: Mr. BUTTERFIELD.

H.R. 3268: Mr. ROHRABACHER.

H.R. 3284: Mr. BUTTERFIELD.

H.R. 3301: Ms. CARSON.

H.R. 3326: Mr. SCHIFF and Ms. MATSUI.

H.R. 3361: Mr. LYNCH.

H.R. 3430: Mr. NORWOOD.

H.R. 3476: Mr. MICA and Mr. BILIRAKIS.

H.R. 3478: Mr. FOLEY, Mr. BOUSTANY, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Mr. TURNER, Mrs. JO ANN DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. FILNER, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. GONZALEZ, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mrs. MILLER of Michigan, Mrs. MCCARTHY, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Mr. STRICKLAND, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, and Mr. WALDEN of Oregon.

H.R. 3579: Mrs. MALONEY.

- H.R. 3582: Ms. BEAN.
 H.R. 3616: Mr. McDERMOTT.
 H.R. 3630: Mr. LOBIONDO.
 H.R. 3640: Mr. UDALL of New Mexico, Mr. MEEK of Florida, Mr. SANDERS, and Mr. DINGELL.
 H.R. 3641: Mr. BECERRA.
 H.R. 3642: Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. MEEK of Florida, Mr. TOWNS, and Mr. ALLEN.
 H.R. 3698: Mr. INSLEE.
 H.R. 3734: Ms. CARSON.
 H.R. 3774: Mr. BUTTERFIELD.
 H.R. 3779: Mr. WOLF.
 H.R. 3792: Mrs. DAVIS of California.
 H.R. 3837: Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. FATTAH, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ, Mr. FARR, and Mr. HONDA.
 H.R. 3861: Mr. CONYERS, Mr. MELANCON, Ms. CARSON, Ms. HOOLEY, Ms. HERSETH, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. ISRAEL, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. CASE, Mr. ETHERIDGE, Mr. POMEROY, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Ms. WATSON, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. MOORE of Kansas, Mr. EDWARDS, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. HOLT, and Mr. MEEKS of New York.
 H.R. 3907: Mr. CONAWAY, Mr. KING of Iowa, Mr. GINGREY, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. MARCHANT, Mr. AKIN, Mr. SODREL, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. GOHMERT, and Mr. COLE of Oklahoma.
 H.R. 3944: Mr. BUTTERFIELD.
 H.R. 3985: Mr. ETHERIDGE, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. PETRI, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. EVANS, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Mr. SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. BOUCHER, Ms. KILPATRICK of Michigan, Mr. CARDOZA, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. COOPER, Mr. SPRATT, and Mr. CLAY.
 H.R. 4013: Mr. MATHESON.
 H.R. 4047: Mr. HOLT.
 H.R. 4049: Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California.
 H.R. 4059: Mr. TOM DAVIS of Virginia.
 H.R. 4071: Mr. BASS and Mr. HENSARLING.
 H.R. 4078: Mr. TERRY, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, and Mr. PAUL.
 H.R. 4098: Mr. JENKINS, Mr. PLATTS, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, and Mr. BACHUS.
 H.R. 4099: Mr. KLINE.
 H.R. 4145: Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. DICKS, Mr. WEXLER, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Mr. TANNER, Mr. SKELTON, Mr. CHANDLER, Mr. HIGGINS, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. INSLEE, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. LARSEN of Washington, Mr. ETHERIDGE, and Ms. HERSETH.
 H.R. 4148: Ms. LEE.
 H.R. 4168: Mr. KENNEDY of Minnesota.
 H.R. 4200: Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin, Mr. FORTÚNO, Mr. CONAWAY, Mr. COBLE, Mrs. JO ANN DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. OSBORNE, Mr. TIBERI, Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, Mr. AKIN, Mr. CARTER, Mr. KLINE, and Mr. THORNBERRY.
 H.R. 4225: Mr. HONDA, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. MEEKS of New York, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. RUPPERSBERGER, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. HIGGINS, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. JEFFERSON, and Ms. WOOLSEY.
 H.R. 4229: Mr. STARK.
 H.R. 4238: Mr. POE.
 H.R. 4239: Mrs. CUBIN and Mr. DUNCAN.
 H.R. 4253: Mr. MILLER of Florida.
 H.R. 4263: Mr. BISHOP of New York.
 H.R. 4298: Mrs. JONES of Ohio and Mr. McDERMOTT.
 H.R. 4300: Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin.
 H.R. 4313: Mrs. BONO, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. SIMPSON, and Mr. MILLER of Florida.
 H.R. 4321: Mr. KING of Iowa, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. AKIN, Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mr. WESTMORELAND, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. GOHMERT, Ms. FOXX, Mr. KINGSTON, and Mr. PENCE.
 H.R. 4323: Mr. SHAW and Mr. FORTUÑO.
 H.R. 4325: Mr. TOM DAVIS of Virginia.
 H.R. 4326: Mr. FORBES and Mrs. DRAKE.
 H.R. 4330: Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. DAVIS of Florida, Mr. DAVIS of Alabama, and Mr. WEXLER.
 H. Con. Res. 40: Mr. PALLONE.
 H. Con. Res. 42: Mr. VAN HOLLEN.
 H. Con. Res. 190: Ms. FOXX and Mr. SHERMAN.
 H. Con. Res. 207: Mrs. MCCARTHY, Ms. KILPATRICK of Michigan, Mr. SNYDER, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, and Mr. SKELTON.
 H. Con. Res. 230: Mr. HERGER and Mr. SCOTT of Georgia.
 H. Con. Res. 231: Ms. BALDWIN.
 H. Con. Res. 235: Mr. BAKER and Mr. COBLE.
 H. Con. Res. 272: Mr. SIMMONS, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. PAYNE, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. MARSHALL, and Mr. GALLEGLY.
 H. Con. Res. 280: Mr. SHERMAN and Mr. SCOTT of Georgia.
 H. Con. Res. 284: Mr. SHERMAN.
 H. Con. Res. 292: Mr. UPTON.
 H. Res. 223: Mr. KUCINICH.
 H. Res. 456: Ms. SCHWARTZ of Pennsylvania, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. MCGOVERN, and Mr. SHERMAN.
 H. Res. 458: Mr. SHERMAN.
 H. Res. 477: Mr. SNYDER.
 H. Res. 487: Mr. SMITH of Washington, Mr. GOODE, Mr. HOYER, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. RENZI, Mr. SHUSTER, Mrs. CAPITO, and Mr. HOLT.
 H. Res. 498: Ms. HERSETH and Mrs. MCCARTHY.
 H. Res. 521: Mr. ANDREWS.
 H. Res. 529: Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. WELLER, Mr. ISSA, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. CARDOZA, Ms. LEE, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, and Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN.
 H. Res. 535: Ms. DELAURO and Mr. SHERMAN.
 H. Res. 545: Mr. PICKERING.
 H. Res. 546: Mr. BAIRD.
 H. Res. 547: Mrs. JO ANN DAVIS of Virginia and Mr. BISHOP of Utah.

DELETIONS OF SPONSORS FROM PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

H.R. 2669: Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ.