

Rules Committee in room H-312 of the Capitol by noon on Tuesday, September 12, 2006. Members should draft their amendments to the bill as ordered reported by the Committee on the Judiciary, which was filed with the House on July 21, 2006.

Members should use the Office of Legislative Counsel to ensure that their amendments are drafted in the most appropriate format, and they should check with the Office of the Parliamentarian to be certain that their amendments comply with the rules of the House.

APPOINTMENT OF CONFEREES ON H.R. 5122, G.V. "SONNY" MONTGOMERY NATIONAL DEFENSE AUTHORIZATION ACT FOR FISCAL YEAR 2007

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Without objection, the Chair appoints the following conferees:

From the Committee on Armed Services, for consideration of the House bill and the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. HUNTER, WELDON of Pennsylvania, HEFLEY, SAXTON, McHUGH, EVERETT, BARTLETT of MARYLAND, THORNBERRY, HOSTETTLER, JONES of North Carolina, RYUN of Kansas, GIBBONS, HAYES, CALVERT, SIMMONS, Mrs. DRAKE, Messrs. DAVIS of Kentucky, SKELTON, SPRATT, ORTIZ, TAYLOR of Mississippi, ABERCROMBIE, MEEHAN, REYES, SNYDER, SMITH of Washington, Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, and Mr. ANDREWS.

From the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, for consideration of that committee under clause 11 of rule X: Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. LAHOOD, and Ms. HARMAN.

From the Committee on Education and the Workforce, for consideration of sections 571 and 572 of the House bill, and sections 571, 572, 1081, and 1104 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. McKEON, KLINE, and GEORGE MILLER of California.

From the Committee on Energy and Commerce, for consideration of sections 314, 601, 602, 710, 3115, 3117, and 3201 of the House bill, and sections 332-335, 352, 601, 722, 2842, 3115, and 3201 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. BARTON of Texas, GILLMOR, and DINGELL.

From the Committee on Government Reform, for consideration of sections 343, 721, 811, 823, 824, 1103, 1104, and 3115 of the House bill, and sections 371, 619, 806, 823, 922, 1007, 1043, 1054, 1088, 1089, 1101, and 3115 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. TOM DAVIS of Virginia, SHAYS, and WAXMAN.

From the Committee on Homeland Security, for consideration of section 1026 of the House bill, and section 1044 of the Senate amendment, and modi-

fications committed to conference: Messrs. KING of New York, REICHERT, and THOMPSON of Mississippi.

From the Committee on International Relations, for consideration of sections 1021-1023, 1201-1204, 1206, title XIII, sections 3113 and 3114 of the House bill, and sections 1014, 1021-1023, 1054, 1092, 1201-1208, 1210, 1214, title XIII, sections 3112 and 3113 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. HYDE, LEACH, and LANTOS.

From the Committee on the Judiciary, for consideration of section 1021 of the House bill, and sections 666, 1044, 1086, 1089, 1091, and 1094 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. SENSENBRENNER, COBLE, and CONYERS.

From the Committee on Resources, for consideration of sections 601, 602, and 1036 of the House bill, and section 601 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. POMBO, WALDEN of Oregon, and GRIJALVA.

From the Committee on Science, for consideration of sections 312 and 911 of the House bill, and sections 333, 874, and 1082 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. BOEHLERT, SODREL, and GORDON.

From the Committee on Small Business, for consideration of sections 874 and 1093 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Mr. MANZULLO, Mrs. KELLY, and Ms. VELÁZQUEZ.

From the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, for consideration of sections 312, 551, 601, 602, and 2845 of the House bill, and sections 333, 584, 601, 1042, 1095, 2842, 2851-2853, and 2855 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. YOUNG of Alaska, LOBIONDO, and OBERSTAR.

From the Committee on Veterans' Affairs, for consideration of sections 666, 682, 683, 687, 721, and 923 of the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. BUYER, BOOZMAN, and Ms. HERSETH.

There was no objection.

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HONORING THE AHWATUKEE ALL-STARS

(Mr. HAYWORTH asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute and to revise and extend his remarks.)

Mr. HAYWORTH. Mr. Speaker, it is a ritual of the school year where millions of American students return to class and offer an essay entitled, "What I Did on My Summer Vacation."

Mr. Speaker, for a special group of 11-, 12- and 13-year-olds from the Fifth Congressional District of Arizona, it is quite a daunting challenge, because, Mr. Speaker, that select group of young men, nicknamed The Dawgs, the all-stars of Ahwatukee's Little League

advanced all the way to the Little League World Series in Williamsport, Pennsylvania.

This special team went out as winners. They won their final game but due to a rule for a tie-breaker had the unfortunate experience of not advancing. In fact, of the nine teams that won two games at Williamsport, sadly only the team from Ahwatukee did not advance. But they are more than exceptions, Mr. Speaker; they are true champions, not only the best in the west but a team that went out winners in Williamsport.

Mr. Speaker, I include in the RECORD the roster of this team and their championship season and would remark as I close, Mr. Speaker, with the observation that they have now entered the history of this House as well as the history of the Little League World Series.

ROSTER FOR AHWATUKEE DAWGS

#18 Michael Anderson, #16 Eric Camarillo, #3 Shaun Chase, #5 Max Harden, #9 Justin Hyden, #44 David Hulls, #11 Connor Kelly, #25 Sam Kingery, #17 Scott Kingery, #14 Chase Knox, #7 Ryan Modi, and #10 Hunter Rodriguez.

Overall Record: 4 Tournaments, 22-2.

Record in Williamsport: 2-1. Dawgs vs. Lemont, Illinois 1-0 (Win); Dawgs vs. Columbus, Georgia 4-1 (Loss); and Dawgs vs. Staten Island, New York 4-1 (Win).

TRUTH SQUAD ON WASTE, FRAUD AND ABUSE

(Mr. CARDOZA asked and was given permission to address the House for 1 minute.)

Mr. CARDOZA. Mr. Speaker, the Truth Squad on Waste, Fraud and Abuse is charged with holding the Bush administration accountable for its mis-handling of taxpayer dollars.

That is something that this Republican Congress has failed to do. On issue after issue, from Katrina to Iraq to border security, to health care, we have seen outrageous waste of American tax dollars. And this Congress has repeatedly failed to hold the administration accountable for it.

Today, the Truth Squad is unveiling the Golden Drain Award, which you see next to me in this picture. The Golden Drain is an award that will be displayed in my office, and it will be given each week to a recipient who has been most derelict in their duty as stewards of American taxpayer dollars. We will award this award next week for the first time.

All told, the Truth Squad has identified over \$150 billion of American tax dollars that have gone down the drain of waste, fraud and abuse. Enough is enough, Mr. Speaker. It is time for accountability. It is time for a new direction. It is time to audit America's books.

NO AMNESTY FOR ILLEGAL ALIENS

(Ms. GINNY BROWN-WAITE of Florida asked and was given permission to