

Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ OF CALIFORNIA, FOR 5 MINUTES, TODAY.

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. BURGESS) to revise and extend their remarks and include extra-neous material:)

Mr. POE, for 5 minutes, May 9.

Mr. MCCORTER, for 5 minutes, May 3.

Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN for 5 minutes, for May 8 and May 9.

Mr. GOHMERT, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. BURGESS, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. GINGREY, for 5 minutes, today.

BILLS PRESENTED TO THE PRESIDENT

Lorraine C. Miller, Clerk of the House reports that on May 1, 2007, she presented to the President of the United States, for his approval, the following bills.

H.R. 1591. Making emergency supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2007, and for other purposes.

H.R. 1681. To amend the Congressional Charter of The American National Red Cross to modernize its governance structure, to enhance the ability of the board of governors of The American National Red Cross in the 21st century, and for other purposes.

ADJOURNMENT

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

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at midnight), the House adjourned until today, Thursday, May 3, 2007, 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:

1443. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Emerald Ash Border; Quarantined Areas; Michigan [APHIS-2006-0131] received February 27, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

1444. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Viruses, Serums, and Analogous Products; Suspension, Revocation, or Termination of Biological Licenses or Permits; Inspections [APHIS Docket No. 02-107-2] (RIN: No. 0579-AC29) received April 11, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

1445. A letter from the Regulatory Contact, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Rules of Practice Governing Proceedings under the Packers and Stockyards Act (RIN: 0580-AA97) received April 11, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

1446. A letter from the Administrator, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Soybean Promotion and Research: Qualified State Soybean Boards; Correction [Docket No. LS-06-06] received March 26, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

1447. A letter from the Administrator, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the

Department's final rule — Processed Fruits and Vegetables [Docket # AMS-FV-07-0025; FV-05-379] (RIN: 0581-AC56) received March 26, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

1448. A letter from the Administrator, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Tomatoes Grown in Florida; Change in Handling Requirements [Docket No. AMS-FV-06-0208; FV07-966-1 IFR] received March 26, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

1449. A letter from the Administrator, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Hazelnuts Grown in Oregon and Washington; Establishment of Final Free and Restricted Percentages for the 2006-2007 Marketing Year [Docket No. AMS-FV-06-0175; FV07-982-1 IFR] received March 26, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

1450. A letter from the Administrator, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — Cut Flowers From Countries With Chrysanthemum White Rust [Docket No. 03-016-3] (RIN: 0579-AC18) received April 10, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

1451. A letter from the Under Secretary for Personnel and Readiness, Department of Defense, transmitting a letter on the approved retirement Vice Admiral Albert M. Calland III, United States Navy, and his advancement to the grade of vice admiral on the retired list; to the Committee on Armed Services.

1452. A letter from the Under Secretary for Personnel and Readiness, Department of Defense, transmitting a letter on the approved retirement of Lieutenant General Donald J. Wetekam, United States Air Force, and his advancement to the grade of lieutenant general on the retired list; to the Committee on Armed Services.

1453. A letter from the Under Secretary for Acquisitions, Technology and Logistics, Department of Defense, transmitting a copy of the Department of Defense (DoD) Chemical and Biological Defense Program (CBDP) Annual Report to Congress, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1523; to the Committee on Armed Services.

1454. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Commerce, transmitting a copy of draft legislation to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to terminate the Telecommunications Development Fund; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

1455. 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; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1456. A letter from the President, Overseas Private Investment Corporation, transmitting a copy of a draft bill entitled, "To amend the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961 with respect to the activities of the Overseas Private Investment Corporation"; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

1457. A letter from the Chief Administrative Officer, transmitting the quarterly report of receipts and expenditures of appropriations and other funds for the period January 1, 2007 through March 31, 2007 as compiled by the Chief Administrative Officer, pursuant to 2 U.S.C. 104a; (H. Doc. No.110-32); to the Committee on House Administration and ordered to be printed.

1458. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Interior, transmitting a copy of a draft bill entitled, "Reclamation Water Management Improvement Act"; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

1459. A letter from the Assistant Secretary, Land and Minerals Management, Department of the Interior, transmitting a copy of a draft bill entitled, "to repeal certain oil and gas incentives contained in the Energy Policy Act of 2005 and for other purposes"; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

1460. A letter from the Chairman — Surface Transportation Board, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — REGULATIONS GOVERNING FEES FOR SERVICES PERFORMED IN CONNECTION WITH LICENSING AND RELATED SERVICES-2007 UPDATE [STB Ex Parte No. 542 (Sub-No. 14)] received April 20, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1461. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Modification of Class E Airspace; Phillipsburg, KS. [Docket No. FAA-2006-25943; Airspace Docket No. 06-ACE-13] received April 13, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1462. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Modification of Class E Airspace; Thedford, NE. [Docket No. FAA-2006-25942; Airspace Docket No. 06-ACE-12] received April 13, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1463. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Pilatus Aircraft Ltd. Model PC-7 Airplanes [Docket No. FAA-2006-25582; Directorate Identifier 2006-CE-42-AD; Amendment 39-14813; AD 2006-23-01] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 10, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1464. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Pratt & Whitney PW4074, PW4074D, PW4077, PW4077D, PW4084D, PW4090, PW4090-3, and PW4098 Turbofan Engines [Docket No. FAA-2006-24487; Directorate Identifier 2006-NE-13-AD; Amendment 39-14810; AD 2006-22-13] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 10, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1465. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Airbus Model A300 Airplanes [Docket No. FAA-2006-25634; Directorate Identifier 2006-NM-143-AD; Amendment 39-14844; AD 2006-25-03] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 10, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1466. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Gulfstream Model G-159 Airplanes [Docket No. 96-NM-143-AD; Amendment 39-14843; AD 2006-25-02] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 10, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1467. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Boeing Model 767 Airplanes [Docket No. FAA-2006-24814; Directorate Identifier 2006-NM-093-AD; Amendment 39-14833; AD 2006-24-04] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 10, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1468. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness

Directives; Empresa Brasileira de Aeronautica S.A. (EMBRAER) Model EMB-135BJ and EMB-145XR Airplanes [Docket No. 2004-NM-36-AD; Amendment 39-14788; AD 2006-21-04] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 10, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1469. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Cirrus Design Corporation Models SR20 and SR22 Airplanes [Docket No. FAA-2006-24010; Directorate Identifier 2006-CE-14-AD; Amendment 39-14787; AD 2006-21-03] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 10, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1470. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; McDonnell Douglas Model DC-9-10 Series Airplanes; DC-9-20 Series Airplanes; DC-9-30 Series Airplanes; DC-9-40 Series Airplanes; and DC-9-50 Airplanes [Docket No. FAA-2005-21779; Directorate Identifier 2002-NM-349-AD; Amendment 39-14790; AD 2006-21-06] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 10, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1471. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Airworthiness Directives; Hartzell Propeller Inc. Propellers and McCauley Propeller Systems Controllable Propellers. [Docket No. FAA-2005-20141; Directorate Identifier 2005-NE-01-AD; Amendment 39-14836; AD 2006-24-07] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 10, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1472. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Application of Section 409A to Non-qualified Deferred Compensation Plans [TD 9321] (RIN: 1545-BE79) received April 13, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

1473. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Disallowance of Certain Entertainment, Etc., Expenses — received April 10, 2007, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

1474. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Labor, transmitting a copy of a draft bill entitled, "Child Labor Protection Act of 2007"; jointly to the Committees on Education and Labor and the Judiciary.

1475. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Election Commission, transmitting 5 recommendations for legislative action, pursuant to 2 U.S.C. 438(a)(9); jointly to the Committees on House Administration 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. LANTOS: Committee on Foreign Affairs. H.R. 982. A bill to promote democratic values and enhance democracy, and for other purposes (Rept. 110-119). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. MCGOVERN: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 364. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 1592) to provide Federal assistance to States, local

jurisdictions, and Indian tribes to prosecute hate crimes, and for other purposes (Rept. 110-120). Referred to the House Calendar.

PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. BOUCHER (for himself, Mr. PENCE, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. COBLE, Mr. YARMUTH, and Mr. WALDEN of Oregon):

H.R. 2102. A bill to maintain the free flow of information to the public by providing conditions for the federally compelled disclosure of information by certain persons connected with the news media; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California (for himself, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. ALLEN, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. SARBANES, Ms. SHEA-PORTER, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Mr. LOEBACK, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, and Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York):

H.R. 2103. A bill to amend title IV of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 to require the Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, in the case of airline pilots who are required by regulation to retire at age 60, to compute the actuarial value of monthly benefits in the form of a life annuity commencing at age 60; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. BARRETT of South Carolina (for himself, Mr. KUHLMANN of New York, Mr. ALEXANDER, Mr. LAMBORN, Mr. LUCAS, Mr. MARCHANT, Mr. GARRETT of New Jersey, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. PEARCE, Mr. CAMPBELL of California, Mr. GOHMERT, Mr. GINGREY, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. PITTS, Mr. AKIN, Mr. GOODE, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. CANTOR, Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin, Mr. BISHOP of Utah, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. WALBERG, Mr. SHADEGG, Mrs. MUSGRAVE, Ms. FOX, Mr. CONAWAY, Mr. FRANKS of Arizona, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. ROGERS of Alabama, Mr. WICKER, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. BROWN of South Carolina, and Mr. CARTER):

H.R. 2104. A bill to protect the right of elected and appointed officials to express their religious beliefs through public prayer; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. CHANDLER:

H.R. 2105. A bill to prevent the abuse and exploitation of older individuals; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. CHANDLER:

H.R. 2106. A bill to ensure that sex offenders and sexually violent predators are not eligible for parole; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. CHRISTENSEN:

H.R. 2107. A bill to create the Office of Chief Financial Officer of the Government of the Virgin Islands, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Ms. DELAURO (for herself, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Ms. MATSUI, and Mrs. DAVIS of California):

H.R. 2108. A bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act with respect to the safety of food for humans and pets; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mrs. DRAKE:

H.R. 2109. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to provide Federal penalties for certain killings by illegal aliens, and for

other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. FORTENBERRY (for himself, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. TERRY, and Mr. SMITH of Nebraska):

H.R. 2110. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for tax exempt qualified small issue bonds to finance agricultural processing property; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HOLT (for himself, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. WU, and Mr. REYES):

H.R. 2111. A bill to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 to establish a partnership program in foreign languages; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

By Mr. ISRAEL:

H.R. 2112. A bill to amend the Energy Policy Act of 1992 to require the Federal Government to acquire not fewer than 50,000 plug-in hybrid electric vehicles; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

By Mr. MAHONEY of Florida:

H.R. 2113. A bill to grant a right of first refusal to the Town of Jupiter Island, Florida, with respect to Coast Guard property on Jupiter Island, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mrs. MALONEY of New York (for herself, Mr. SHAYS, Ms. LEE, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. HONDA, Ms. MCCOLLUM of Minnesota, Mr. CASTLE, Mr. MICHAUD, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. MEEKS of New York, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. GRUJALVA, Mr. MCNULTY, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. CARNAHAN, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, and Ms. WATSON):

H.R. 2114. A bill to provide a United States voluntary contribution to the United Nations Population Fund only for the prevention, treatment, and repair of obstetric fistula; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. MARSHALL:

H.R. 2115. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act and title XIX of the Social Security Act to provide for a screening and treatment program for prostate cancer in the same manner as is provided for breast and cervical cancer; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. MEEK of Florida (for himself and Mr. CANTOR):

H.R. 2116. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide incentives to encourage investment in the expansion of freight rail infrastructure capacity and to enhance modal tax equity; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. PAUL (for himself, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, and Mr. DUNCAN):

H.R. 2117. A bill to amend the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act concerning foods and dietary supplements, to amend the Federal Trade Commission Act concerning the burden of proof in false advertising cases, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota (for himself, Mr. BOUSTANY, Mr. MARSHALL, Mr. GRAVES, Mr. PUTNAM, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, and Mr. AKIN):

H.R. 2118. A bill to establish the National Institute of Food and Agriculture, to provide funding for the support of fundamental agricultural research of the highest quality, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. POMEROY (for himself, Mr. COLE of Oklahoma, and Mr. KILDEE):

H.R. 2119. A bill to amend titles I and IV of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 to modify the definition of governmental plan with respect to Indian tribal