

Mr. RODRIGUEZ (at the request of Mr. HOYER) for today on account of travel delays.

Mr. CARTER (at the request of Mr. BOEHNER) for today on account of travel delays.

Mr. PEARCE (at the request of Mr. BOEHNER) for today on account of traveling back to Washington, DC, on official business.

Mr. POE (at the request of Mr. BOEHNER) for today on account of travel delays.

Mr. YOUNG of Florida (at the request of Mr. BOEHNER) for today on account of official business.

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 Mr. SIRES) to revise and extend their remarks and include extraneous material:)

Mr. SKELTON, for 5 minutes, today.
 Mr. PALLONE, for 5 minutes, today.
 Ms. WOOLSEY, for 5 minutes, today.
 Mr. HINCHEY, for 5 minutes, today.
 Mr. SIRES, for 5 minutes, today.
 Mr. SPACE, for 5 minutes, today.
 Mrs. MALONEY of New York, for 5 minutes, today.

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

Mr. POE, for 5 minutes, July 24, 25 and 29.
 Mr. BURTON of Indiana, for 5 minutes, today, July 23, 24 and 25.
 Mr. JONES of North Carolina, for 5 minutes, July 24, 25 and 29.
 Mr. GARRETT of New Jersey, for 5 minutes, today, July 23, 24 and 25.
 Mr. BOOZMAN, for 5 minutes, today.
 Mr. BILIRAKIS, for 5 minutes, today.
 Mr. CARTER, for 5 minutes, today.
 Mr. MORAN of Kansas, for 5 minutes, today, July 23, 24 and 25.
 Mr. HALL of Texas, for 5 minutes, July 23.
 Mr. WAMP, for 5 minutes, July 23.
 Mr. MCHENRY, for 5 minutes, July 25.
 Mr. CALVERT, for 5 minutes, July 24 and 25.
 Mr. KLINE of Minnesota, for 5 minutes, today.
 Mr. FLAKE, for 5 minutes, today.

SENATE BILL REFERRED

A bill of the Senate of the following title was taken from the Speaker's table and, under the rule, referred as follows:

S. 3294. An act to provide for the continued performance of the functions of the United States Parole Commission; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

BILLS PRESENTED TO THE PRESIDENT

Lorraine C. Miller, Clerk of the House reports that on July 15, 2008 she

presented to the President of the United States, for his approval, the following bills.

H.R. 3403. To promote and enhance public safety by facilitating the rapid deployment of IP-enabled 911 and E-911 services, encourage the Nation's transition to a national IP-enabled emergency network, and improve 911 and E-911 access to those with disabilities.

H.R. 3712. To designate the United States courthouse located at 1716 Spielbusch Avenue in Toledo, Ohio, as the "James M. Ashley and Thomas W.L. Ashley United States Courthouse."

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. KING of Iowa. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 11 p.m.), the House adjourned until tomorrow, Wednesday, July 23, 2008, 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:

7678. A letter from the Chairman, Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, transmitting the Board's semiannual Monetary Policy Report pursuant to Pub. L. 106-569; to the Committee on Financial Services.

7679. A letter from the Chairman and President, Export-Import Bank, transmitting a report on transactions involving U.S. exports to India pursuant to Section 2(b)(3) of the Export-Import Bank Act of 1945, as amended; to the Committee on Financial Services.

7680. A letter from the Assistant Legal Adviser for Treaty Affairs, Department of State, transmitting pursuant to the Taiwan Relations Act, agreements concluded by the American Institute and the Taipei Economic and Cultural Representative Office in Washington on March 14, 2008, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 3311(a); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

7681. A letter from the Acting Director, Defense Security Cooperation Agency, transmitting pursuant to the reporting requirements of Section 36(b)(1) of the Arms Export Control Act, as amended, Transmittal No. 08-78 concerning the Department of the Army's proposed Letter(s) of Offer and Acceptance to Australia for defense articles and services; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

7682. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting pursuant to section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, certification of a proposed agreement for the export of defense articles to the Government of Thailand (Transmittal No. DDTC 030-08); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

7683. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting pursuant to section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, certification of a proposed agreement for the export of major defense equipment to the Government of Singapore (Transmittal No. DDTC 068-08); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

7684. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting pursuant to section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, certification regarding the proposed technical assistance agreement for defense services, including technical data, and defense articles to Israel (Transmittal No. DDTC 074-08); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

7685. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting pursuant to section 36(c) of the Arms Export Control Act, certification of a proposed agreement for the export of defense articles or defense services to the Government of Canada (Transmittal No. DDTC 129-07); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

7686. A letter from the White House Liaison, Department of Education, transmitting a report pursuant to the Federal Vacancies Reform Act of 1998; to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

7687. A letter from the Chairman, National Transportation Safety Board, transmitting the annual report under the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act (FMFIA) of 1982 for June 30, 2008, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform.

7688. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Security Zone; Liquefied Natural Gas Carriers, Massachusetts Bay, Massachusetts [Docket No. USCG-2008-0301] (RIN: 1625-AA87) received July 10, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7689. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Navigation and Navigable Waters; Technical, Organizational, and Conforming Amendments [USCG-2008-0179] (RIN: 1625-ZA16) received July 10, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7690. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Drawbridge Operation Regulations; Niantic River, CT [Docket No. USCG-2008-0149] received July 15, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7691. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Drawbridge Operation Regulations; Connecticut River, Old Lyme, CT [Docket No. USCG-2008-0148] received July 15, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7692. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Drawbridge Operation Regulation; Gulf Intracoastal Waterway, Bradenton Beach, FL, Schedule Change [Docket No. USCG-2008-0117] (RIN: 1625-AA09) received July 15, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7693. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Drawbridge Operation Regulations; Intracoastal Waterway (ICW); Beach Thoroughfare, NJ [USCG-2008-0113] (RIN: 1625-AA-09) received July 15, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7694. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Drawbridge Operation Regulations; Piscataqua River, Portsmouth, NH, and Kittery, ME [USCG-2008-0111] received July 15, 2008, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7695. A letter from the Chief, Regulations and Administrative Law, Department of