

much bigger than that. It's time we start looking out for them.

If we look at this bill itself, CJS, it's 12 percent bigger than it was last year. In the year that we're running record deficits every year, we're expanding this bill by 12 percent.

I appreciate what the Member said about the last 8 years. We missed a historic opportunity as Republicans to actually rein in spending. We didn't do it, to our eternal shame, and that's part of the reason we're smack dab in the minority today. We put ourselves on a course toward a fiscal cliff.

But now we're still headed toward that fiscal cliff. And with bills like this that cost 12 percent more than last year, we've stepped on the accelerator. Why are we doing that? And if we can't stop creating new institutes to study seafood or anything else, then where are we going to cut? Where is the fiscal responsibility that we keep hearing about that's being employed? I just can't see it here.

And like I said, we're creating a new institute here, a new institute that will now be reliant, I'm sure—I will bet just about anything that we will be back next year with another earmark for that same seafood institute that we just created because we've just got to keep it going now. And that will just add more to the deficit. Remember, we have to spend more every year.

I urge support of the amendment.

With that, I yield back the balance of my time.

The CHAIR. The gentleman from West Virginia has 1 minute remaining.

Mr. MOLLOHAN. I just wanted to mention to the gentleman from Arizona that I don't know if it's making him feel any better about the 12-percent increase in the bill, which he accurately notes, but approximately 7 percent of that—maybe a little more than 7 percent of that is the increase in Census, about \$4 billion to prepare for the 2010 census. It's an unusual increase, and it is directly related to the census and would be a short-term funding increase for that.

I yield back the balance of my time.

The CHAIR. The question is on the amendment offered by the gentleman from Arizona (Mr. FLAKE).

The question was taken; and the Chair announced that the noes appeared to have it.

Mr. FLAKE. Mr. Chairman, I demand a recorded vote.

The CHAIR. Pursuant to clause 6 of rule XVIII, further proceedings on the amendment offered by the gentleman from Arizona will be postponed.

Mr. OBEY. Mr. Chairman, I move to strike the last word.

The CHAIR. The gentleman from Wisconsin is recognized for 5 minutes.

Mr. OBEY. I just want to take this occasion to express my sympathy to the gentleman on his loss this evening. I'm not talking about anything that happened here on the floor, but I understand he was a victim in a 15-10 drubbing of the Republicans in the con-

gressional baseball game by the Democrats. And I understand that despite the fact that the gentleman hit a triple, alas it was in a losing cause. We know how you feel. We've felt it many times in the last decade.

Mr. FLAKE. Will the gentleman yield?

Mr. OBEY. Yes.

Mr. FLAKE. I thank the gentleman not at all for bringing that up. I had hoped to improve my batting average by coming to the floor tonight, and it doesn't seem that I have. So I will have to settle for the one triple.

Mr. MOLLOHAN. Will the gentleman yield?

Mr. OBEY. Surely.

Mr. MOLLOHAN. I just wanted to tell the gentleman from Arizona that learning that makes us all feel, on this side of the aisle, better about waiting for him tonight.

Mr. OBEY. I yield back.

Mr. MOLLOHAN. Mr. Chairman, I move that the Committee do now rise.

The motion was agreed to.

Accordingly, the Committee rose; and the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. OBEY) having assumed the chair, Mr. ALTMIRE, Chair of the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, reported that that Committee, having had under consideration the bill (H.R. 2847) making appropriations for the Departments of Commerce and Justice, and Science, and Related Agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2010, and for other purposes, had come to no resolution thereon.

ADJUSTMENT TO THE BUDGET ALLOCATIONS FOR THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS FOR EACH OF THE FISCAL YEARS 2009 AND 2010

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Under a previous order of the House, the gentleman from South Carolina (Mr. SPRATT) is recognized for 5 minutes.

Mr. SPRATT. Mr. Speaker, under section 423(a)(1) of S. Con. Res. 13, the concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 2010, I hereby submit for printing in the CONGRESSIONAL RECORD an adjustment to the budget allocations for the Committee on Appropriations for each of the fiscal years 2009 and 2010. Section 423(a)(1) of S. Con. Res. 13 permits the chairman of the Committee on the Budget to adjust discretionary spending limits for overseas deployments and other activities when these activities are so designated. Such a designation is included in the bill H.R. 2892, Making appropriations for the Department of Homeland Security for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2010, and for other purposes. Corresponding tables are attached.

This adjustment is filed for the purposes of section 302 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974, as amended. For the purposes of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974, as amended, this adjusted allocation is to be considered as an allocation included in the budget resolution, pursuant to section 427(b) of S. Con. Res. 13.

DISCRETIONARY APPROPRIATIONS—APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE 302(a) ALLOCATION

(In millions of dollars)

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Current allocation:		
Fiscal Year 2009 .....	1,482,201	1,247,872
Fiscal Year 2010 .....	1,086,418	1,306,420
Changes for overseas deployment and other activities designations: H.R. 2892 (Appropriations for Homeland Security):		
Fiscal Year 2009 .....	0	0
Fiscal Year 2010 .....	242	194
Revised allocation:		
Fiscal Year 2009 .....	1,482,201	1,247,872
Fiscal Year 2010 .....	1,086,660	1,306,614

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to:

Mrs. BACHMANN (at the request of Mr. BOEHNER) for today and the balance of the week on account of the serious illness of her stepmother.

Mr. BONNER (at the request of Mr. BOEHNER) for June 16 until 4 p.m. on account of attending events with Alabama's Governor and other elected leaders to recruit significant economic development projects for the First District of Alabama.

Mr. YOUNG of Florida (at the request of Mr. BOEHNER) for today until 4 p.m. on account of illness in the family.

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

Mr. SPRATT, for 5 minutes, today.

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

Mr. POE of Texas, for 5 minutes, June 23 and 24.

Mr. JONES, for 5 minutes, June 23 and 24.

Mr. MORAN of Kansas, for 5 minutes, June 23 and 24.

ADJOURNMENT

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

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 11 o'clock and 59 minutes p.m.), the House adjourned until tomorrow, Thursday, June 18, 2009, at 10 a.m.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

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

2245. A letter from the Congressional Review Coordinator, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule — South American Cactus Moth; Quarantine and Regulations [Docket No.: APHS-

2006-0153] (RIN: 0579-AC25) received June 9, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2246. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — *Aspergillus flavus* AF36 on Pistachio; Extension of Temporary Exemption from the Requirement of a Tolerance [EPA-HQ-OPP-2007-0158; FRL-8416-7] received June 2, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2247. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Trifluridazole; Pesticide Tolerances [EPA-HQ-OPP-2007-0312; FRL-8414-6] received June 2, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

2248. A letter from the Principal Deputy Director of Defense Research and Engineering, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's annual report describing the activities of the DPA Title III Fund, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 2094(f)(3), section 304(f)(3); to the Committee on Financial Services.

2249. A letter from the Chairman and President, Export-Import Bank, transmitting a report on transactions involving U.S. exports to the Republic of Korea pursuant to Section 2(b)(3) of the Export-Import Bank Act of 1945, as amended; to the Committee on Financial Services.

2250. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's Annual Report entitled, "Delays in Approvals of Applications Related to Citizen Petitions and Petitions for Stay of Agency Action for Fiscal Year 2008", pursuant to 21 U.S.C. 355, section 505(q)(3); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2251. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator/Office of Diversion Control, Department of Justice, transmitting the Department's final rule — Schedules of Controlled Substances: Placement of Lacosamide into Schedule V [Docket No.: DEA-325F] received June 9, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2252. A letter from the Program Analyst, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule — Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards; Roof Crush Resistance; Phase-In Reporting Requirements [Docket No.: NHTSA-2009-0093] (RIN: 2127-AG51) received June 8, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2253. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Revisions to the California State Implementation Plan, San Diego Air Pollution Control District [EPA-R09-OAR-2009-0314; FRL-8906-1] received June 2, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2254. A letter from the Director, Regulatory Management Division, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule — Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans; Rhode Island; Carbon Monoxide Limited Maintenance Plan for Providence, Rhode Island [EPA-R01-OAR-2008-0796; A-1-FRL-8785-6] received June 3, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2255. A letter from the Chief of Staff, Media Bureau, Federal Communication Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — In the Matter of Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Nevada City and Mineral, California) [MB Docket No.: 09-9 RM-

1151] received May 29, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2256. A letter from the Chief of Staff, Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — In the Matter of Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Williston, South Carolina) [MB Docket No.: 08-201 RM-11478] received May 29, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2257. A letter from the Chief of Staff, Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — In the Matter of Amendment of Section 73.202(b), Table of Allotments, FM Broadcast Stations. (Beatty and Goldfield, Nevada) [MB Docket No.: 08-68 RM-11421] received May 29, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2258. A letter from the Chief of Staff, Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — In the Matter of Amendment of Section 73.622(i), Final DTV Table of Allotments, Television Broadcast Stations (Fort Wayne, Indiana) [MB Docket No.: 08-208 RM-11495] received June 9, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2259. A letter from the Chief of Staff, Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — In the Matter of Amendment of Section 73.622(i), Final DTV Table of Allotments, Television Broadcast Stations (Williston, North Dakota) [MB Docket No.: 08-140 RM-11470] received June 9, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2260. A letter from the Chief of Staff, Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — In the Matter of Amendment of Section 73.622(i), Final DTV Table of Allotments, Television Broadcast Stations. (Yuma, Arizona) [MB Docket No.: 08-163 RM-11482] received June 9, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2261. A letter from the Chief of Staff, Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — In the Matter of Amendment of Section 73.622(i), Final DTV Table of Allotments, Television Broadcast Stations. (South Bend, Indiana) [MB Docket No.: 08-102 RM-11439] received June 9, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2262. A letter from the Chief of Staff, Media Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — In the Matter of Amendment of Section 73.622(i), Final DTV Table of Allotments, Television Broadcast Stations. (Buffalo, New York) [MB Docket No.: 09-46 RM-11524] received June 9, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2263. A letter from the Deputy General Counsel, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Electric Reliability Organization Interpretations of Specific Requirements of Frequency Response and Bias and Voltage and Reactive Control Reliability Standards [Docket No.: RM08-16-000] received June 8, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2264. A letter from the General Counsel, FERC, Federal Energy Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — Western Electricity Coordinating Council Regional Reliability Standard Re-

garding Automatic Time Error Correction [Docket No.: RM08-12-000; Order No.723] received May 26, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2265. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule — List of Approved Spent Fuel Storage Casks: HI-STORM 100 Revision 6 [NRC-2009-0132] (RIN: 3150-AI60) received June 2, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

2266. A letter from the Assistant Director for Policy, OFAC, Department of Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule — Sudanese Sanctions Regulations — received June 9, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

2267. A letter from the Chair, United States Commission on International Freedom, transmitting the Commission's 2009 Annual Report documenting serious abuses of freedom of thought, conscience, religion, and belief around the world, pursuant to Public Law 107-228, section 202(a); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

2268. A letter from the Shareholder, Congressional Medal of Honor Society, transmitting the Society's annual financial report for 2007, pursuant to 36 U.S.C. 1101; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

2269. A letter from the National Chairman Naval Sea Cadet Corps, U.S. Naval Sea Cadet Corps, transmitting the Corp's 2008 Annual Audit along with the 2008 Annual Report, pursuant to Public Law 87-655; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

2270. A letter from the Attorney — Advisor, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's final rule — Safety Zone; Dutch Shoe Regatta; San Diego Harbor, San Diego, CA [Docket No.: USCG-2008-1253] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received June 8, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

2271. A letter from the Chief Counsel, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule — Sale and Issue of Marketable Book-Entry Treasury Bills, Notes, and Bonds [[Docket No.: BFD GRSR 09-01] [Department of the Treasury Circular, Public Debt Series No. 1-93]] received June 9, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2272. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Treatment of Certain Employer-Owned Life Insurance Contracts [Notice 2009-48] received May 27, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2273. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Section 51 — Work Opportunity Tax Credit [Notice 2009-28] received June 2, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2274. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Information Reporting for Lump-Sum Timber Sales [TD 9450] (RIN: 1545-BE75) received June 2, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2275. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Substantiating Business Use of Employer-Provided Cell Phones [Notice 2009-46] received June 2, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2276. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue

Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Tier I Issue — International Hybrid Instrument Transactions [LMSB Control No: LMSB-4-0509-122 Impacted IRM 4.51.5] received May 27, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2277. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Non-business Energy Property [Notice 2009-53] received June 8, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2278. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Tier I Issue: I.R.C. Section 118 Abuse Directive #7 — received June 10, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2279. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Guidance under Section 409A(a)(2)(A)(v) on certain transactions pursuant to the Emergency Economic Stabilization Act of 2008 [Notice 2009-49] received June 8, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2280. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations Branch, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Tier I Issue: Section 118 Abuse Directive #8 [LMSB Control No.: LMSB-PQ-0509-130 Impacted IRM 4.51.5] received June 8, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2281. A letter from the Chief, Publications and Regulations, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule — Cox v. Commissioner, 514 F.3d 1119 (10th Cir. 2008), rev'g 126 T.C. 237 (2006). [IRB No.: 2009-22] received June 8, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

2282. A letter from the Secretary, Federal Trade Commission, transmitting the Commission's eighth annual report concerning fraud by businesses or individuals that market advice or assistance to students and parents who may be seeking financial aid for higher education; jointly to the Committees on Education and Labor and the Judiciary.

2283. A letter from the Inspector General, Special Inspector General For Iraq Reconstruction, transmitting the Special Inspector General for Iraq Reconstruction (SIGIR) April 2009 Quarterly Report, pursuant to Public Law 108-106, section 3001; jointly to the Committees on Foreign Affairs and Appropriations.

2284. A letter from the Office Manager, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule — Medicare Program; Revisions to FY 2009 Medicare Severity-Long-term Care Diagnosis-Related Group (MS-LTC-DRG) Weights [CMS-1337-IFC] (RIN: 0938-AP76) received June 3, 2009, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and Energy and Commerce.

#### 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. CONYERS: Committee on the Judiciary. House Resolution 520. Resolution impeaching Samuel B. Kent, judge of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Texas, for high crimes and misdemeanors (Rept. 111-159). Referred to the House Calendar.

Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ: Committee on Appropriations. H.R. 2918. A bill making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2010, and for other purposes (Rept. 111-160). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

#### PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

By Mr. MARKEY of Massachusetts (for himself, Mr. VAN HOLLEN, and Mr. WELCH):

H.R. 2908. A bill to provide for the sale of light grade petroleum from the Strategic Petroleum Reserve and its replacement with heavy grade petroleum; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. McDERMOTT:

H.R. 2909. A bill to amend title XI of the Social Security Act to provide for an improved method to measure poverty so as to enable a better assessment of the effects of programs under the Social Security Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, 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. KIND (for himself, Ms. SCHWARTZ, Mr. REICHERT, and Mr. HERGER):

H.R. 2910. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide for S corporation reform, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BLUMENAUER (for himself, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. LEVIN, and Mr. PASCRELL):

H.R. 2911. A bill to improve end-of-life care; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, and the Judiciary, 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. ROS-LEHTINEN (for herself, Mr. MARIO DIAZ-BALART of Florida, Mr. LINCOLN DIAZ-BALART of Florida, Ms. CORRINE BROWN of Florida, and Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ):

H.R. 2912. A bill to authorize and request the President to award the congressional Medal of Honor posthumously to Captain Felix Sosa-Camejo for his gallant and heroic actions during the Vietnam War, ending with his death in combat on February 13, 1968; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN (for herself, Ms. WASSERMAN SCHULTZ, Mr. MACK, Mr. ROONEY, Ms. CORRINE BROWN of Florida, Ms. GINNY BROWN-WAITE of Florida, Mr. MEEK of Florida, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, and Mr. MARIO DIAZ-BALART of Florida):

H.R. 2913. A bill to designate the United States courthouse located at 301 Simonton Street in Key West, Florida, as the "Sidney M. Aronovitz United States Courthouse"; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. CHAFFETZ:

H.R. 2914. A bill to amend the Food, Conservation, and Energy Act of 2008 to terminate marketing assistance loans and loan deficiency payments for mohair producers; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. CHAFFETZ:

H.R. 2915. A bill to prohibit United States contributions to the International Fund for

Ireland; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

By Mr. CHAFFETZ:

H.R. 2916. A bill to provide that no recreation grants made using funds from the Land and Water Conservation Fund may be used to acquire land or make improvements in State or local parks; to the Committee on Natural Resources.

By Mr. LIPINSKI:

H.R. 2917. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to deny any deduction for advertising prescription drugs; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BLUMENAUER:

H.R. 2919. A bill to amend part B of title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide Medicare physician incentive payments for efficient areas; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on 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. HOYER (for himself, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. HILL, Mr. WELCH, Mr. SPRATT, Mr. ALTMIRE, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. ARCURI, Mr. BACA, Mr. BAIRD, Mr. BARROW, Ms. BEAN, Mr. BERRY, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. BOCCIERI, Mr. BOREN, Mr. BOSWELL, Mr. BOYD, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. BRALEY of Iowa, Mr. BRIGHT, Mr. BUTTERFIELD, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. CARDOZA, Mr. CARNAHAN, Mr. CARNEY, Ms. CASTOR of Florida, Mr. CHANDLER, Mr. CHILDERS, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. CONNOLLY of Virginia, Mr. COOPER, Mr. COSTA, Mr. COURTNEY, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. CUPELLA, Mrs. DAHLKEMPER, Mr. DAVIS of Alabama, Mr. DAVIS of Tennessee, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Ms. DEGETTE, Ms. DELAUNO, Mr. DONNELLY of Indiana, Mr. DRIEHAUS, Mr. EDWARDS of Texas, Mr. ELLSWORTH, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. ETHERIDGE, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. POSTER, Ms. FUDGE, Ms. GIFFORDS, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. GORDON of Tennessee, Mr. GENE GREEN of Texas, Mr. GRIFFITH, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mrs. HALVORSON, Mr. HARE, Ms. HARMAN, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. HEINRICH, Ms. HERSETH SANDLIN, Mr. HIGGINS, Mr. HIMES, Mr. HODES, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. INSLIE, Mr. JOHNSON of Georgia, Mr. KAGEN, Mr. KANJORSKI, Ms. KILROY, Mrs. KIRKPATRICK of Arizona, Mr. KISSELL, Mr. KLEIN of Florida, Ms. KOSMAS, Mr. KRATOVIL, Mr. LANGEVIN, Mr. LARSEN of Washington, Mr. LARSON of Connecticut, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. LOEBSACK, Mr. LUJAN, Mr. LYNCH, Mr. MAFFEI, Mrs. MALONEY, Ms. MARKEY of Colorado, Mr. MARSHALL, Mr. MASSA, Mr. MATHESON, Ms. MATSUI, Ms. MCCOLLUM, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. MCINTYRE, Mr. MCMAHON, Mr. MCNERNEY, Mr. MELANCON, Mr. MINNICK, Mr. MOORE of Kansas, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. PATRICK J. MURPHY of Pennsylvania, Mr. MURPHY of New York, Mr. NYE, Mr. PASCRELL, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. PERLMUTTER, Mr. PERRIELLO, Mr. PETERS, Mr. PETERSON, Mr. PIERLUISI, Mr. POMEROY, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. QUIGLEY, Mr. REYES, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. ROSS, Mr. RUPPERSBERGER, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, Mr. SABLAN, Mr. SALAZAR, Ms. LINDA T. SANCHEZ of California, Ms. LORETTA SANCHEZ of California, Mr. SARBANES, Mr. SCHAUER, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. SCHRADER, Ms. SCHWARTZ, Mr. SCOTT of Georgia, Mr. SCOTT of Virginia,