

H.R. 3844. Referral to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure extended for a period ending not later than October 16, 1998.

H.R. 4377. Referral to the Committee on Commerce extended for a period ending not later than October 16, 1998.

H.R. 4567. Referral to the Committee on Commerce extended for a period ending not later than October 16, 1998.

## PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 5 of Rule X and clause 4 of Rule XXII, public bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mrs. MORELLA (for herself, Mr. BARCIA of Michigan, Mr. LEACH, Mr. KUCINICH, and Mr. LAFALCE):

H.R. 4756. A bill to ensure that the United States is prepared to meet the Year 2000 computer problem; to the Committee on Science.

By Mr. GILMAN (for himself, Mr. HAMILTON, Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. BERMAN, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. DAVIS of Florida, Mr. MICA, Mr. YOUNG of Florida, and Mr. WEXLER):

H.R. 4757. A bill to designate the North/South Center as the Dante B. Fascell North-South Center; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. EVANS:

H.R. 4758. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to improve access of veterans to emergency medical care in non-Department of Veterans Affairs medical facilities; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. OXLEY (for himself and Mr. HALL of Texas):

H.R. 4759. A bill to require the Federal Communications Commission to repeal redundant reporting and record keeping requirements, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. BARCIA of Michigan:

H.R. 4760. A bill to require the United States Fish and Wildlife Service to approve a permit required for importation of certain wildlife items taken in Tajikistan; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. CRANE (for himself, Mr. SMITH of Oregon, Mr. THOMAS, Mr. STENHOLM, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. WATKINS, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. HERGER, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. TANNER, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mr. CAMP, Mr. EWING, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. NUSSLE, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. COLLINS, Ms. DUNN of Washington, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. POMBO, Mr. PORTMAN, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. WELLER, and Mr. BERRY):

H.R. 4761. A bill to require the United States Trade Representative to take certain actions in response to the failure of the European Union to comply with the rulings of the World Trade Organization; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. ADERHOLT (for himself, Mr. NEY, Mr. REGULA, Mr. WALSH, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. DICKEY, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. EVANS, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, and Mr. KUCINICH):

H.R. 4762. A bill to impose a temporary ban on the importation of certain steel products from Japan, Russia, and Brazil, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. MINK of Hawaii:

H.R. 4763. A bill to declare certain Amerasians to be citizens of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. ADERHOLT:

H.R. 4764. A bill to require any Federal or State court to recognize any notarization made by a notary public licensed by a State other than the State where the court is located when such notarization occurs in or affects interstate commerce; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BLILEY (for himself and Mr. GINGRICH):

H.R. 4765. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to increase the amount allowable for qualified adoption expenses, to permanently extend the credit for adoption expenses, and to adjust the limitations on such credit for inflation; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BURTON of Indiana:

H.R. 4766. A bill to require the Secretary of Education to conduct a study and submit a report regarding the availability of educational instruction in the English language to student citizens in the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Ms. DEGETTE:

H.R. 4767. A bill to amend titles XIX and XXI of the Social Security Act to improve the coverage of needy children under the State Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) and the Medicaid Program; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. ENGEL:

H.R. 4768. A bill to designate the United States Courthouse located at 40 Centre Street in New York, New York, as the "Thurgood Marshall United States Courthouse"; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania:

H.R. 4769. A bill to require the Secretary of the Treasury to prepare a report on the current Federal program costs, and Federal revenues, attributable to the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico and on other matters relating to the taxation of residents of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. FAWELL:

H.R. 4770. A bill to amend the Labor-Management Reporting and Disclosure Act of 1959; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. HEFLEY:

H.R. 4771. A bill to direct the Secretary of Health and Human Services to waive the penalty for late enrollment under part B of the Medicare Program for certain military retirees and dependents, and for other purposes; to the Committee on 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. HILL:

H.R. 4772. A bill to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to prohibit disbursements of non-Federal funds by foreign nationals in campaigns for election for Federal office; to the Committee on House Oversight.

By Mr. MCDERMOTT (for himself, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. JEFFERSON, and Mr. MATSUI):

H.R. 4773. A bill to provide for assistance by the United States to promote economic growth and stabilization of Northern Ireland and the border counties of the Irish Republic; to the Committee on International Relations, 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. MORAN of Kansas (for himself, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. SNOWBARGER, and Mr. RYUN):

H.R. 4774. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service at 410 North 6th Street in Garden City, Kansas, as the "Clifford R. Hope Post Office"; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

By Mr. MORAN of Kansas:

H.R. 4775. A bill to amend title 36, United States Code, to grant a Federal charter to The National Teachers Hall of Fame in Emporia, Kansas; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. MYRICK:

H.R. 4776. A bill to make it a Federal crime to use a weapon of a State or local law enforcement officer in the commission of a crime against the officer; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Ms. NORTON (for herself and Mr. NADLER):

H.R. 4777. A bill to expand authority for programs to encourage Federal employees to commute by means other than single-occupancy motor vehicles to include an option to pay cash for agency-provided parking spaces, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

By Mr. PITTS (for himself, Mr. FAWELL, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. PETRI, Mr. TALENT, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, and Mr. MANZULLO):

H.R. 4778. A bill to amend the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 to clarify the exemption for houseparents from the minimum wage and maximum hours requirements of that Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. SALMON:

H.R. 4779. A bill to provide block grant options for certain education funding; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. SALMON:

H.R. 4780. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a credit against income tax for expenses of attending elementary and secondary schools and for contributions to charitable organizations which provide scholarships for children to attend such schools; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BOB SCHAFFER:

H.R. 4781. A bill to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to require the national committees of political parties to file pre-general election reports with the Federal Election Commission without regard to whether or not the parties have made contributions or expenditures under such Act during the periods covered by such reports; to the Committee on House Oversight.

By Mr. THOMPSON:

H.R. 4782. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to make the dependent care tax credit refundable and to increase the amount of allowable dependent care expenses, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. LIVINGSTON:

H.J. Res. 133. A joint resolution making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1999, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Ms. PELOSI (for herself, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. TORRES, Mr. YATES, Mr. RUSH, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. MINGE, Mr. SABO, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. OLIVER, Ms.

KILPATRICK, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. STARK, Mr. FROST, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. SANDERS, Ms. RIVERS, Ms. WATERS, Mr. LEACH, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. McDERMOTT, Ms. WOOLSEY, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Ms. LOFGREN, and Mr. DAVIS of Illinois):

H. Con. Res. 347. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress regarding measures to achieve a peaceful resolution of the conflict in the state of Chiapas, Mexico, and for other purposes; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. SCARBOROUGH (for himself, Mr. ARMEY, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Ms. CARSON, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, and Mr. ABERCROMBIE):

H. Res. 590. A resolution recognizing and honoring Hunter Scott for his efforts to honor the memory of the captain and crew of the U.S.S. INDIANAPOLIS and for the outstanding example he has set for the young people of the United States; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

By Mr. MEEKS of New York (for himself, Mr. CONYERS, and Mr. JACKSON of Illinois):

H. Res. 591. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the Supreme Court of the United States should improve its employment practices with regard to hiring more qualified minority applicants to serve as clerks to the Justices; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

#### PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 1 of Rule XXII, private bills and resolutions of the following titles were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. ORTIZ:

H.R. 4783. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Transportation to issue a certificate of documentation with appropriate endorsement for employment in the coastwise trade for the vessel GRIEFSWALD; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. YATES:

H.R. 4784. A bill for the relief of Marin Turcinovic, and his fiancée, Corina Dechalup; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

#### ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 23: Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. STUPAK, Ms. LEE, Mr. COYNE, Mr. MURTHA, and Mr. VENTO.

H.R. 44: Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN.

H.R. 167: Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN.

H.R. 168: Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN.

H.R. 371: Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. SOUDER, and Mrs. BONO.

H.R. 616: Mr. SHERMAN.

H.R. 836: Mr. SHAYS and Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri.

H.R. 900: Mr. BECERRA, Mr. WATT of North Carolina, Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri, and Mr. THOMPSON.

H.R. 1059: Mr. HILL.

H.R. 1073: Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN.

H.R. 1111: Mr. DRIER and Mr. HALL of Ohio.

H.R. 1126: Mr. STRICKLAND.

H.R. 1232: Mr. KLECZKA and Mr. ABERCROMBIE.

H.R. 1261: Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota.

H.R. 1354: Mr. LANTOS and Mr. GEJDENSON.

H.R. 1401: Mr. ACKERMAN.

H.R. 2009: Mr. ROEMER.

H.R. 2273: Mr. JENKINS.

H.R. 2397: Mr. WISE and Mr. BLAGOJEVICH.

H.R. 2465: Mr. LIPINSKI.

H.R. 2524: Mrs. CAPPS.

H.R. 2560: Mr. HASTERT, Mr. GALLEGLY, and Mr. MURTHA.

H.R. 2635: Mr. MINGE and Mr. JOHNSON of Wisconsin.

H.R. 2715: Mr. NEY and Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina.

H.R. 2733: Mr. CUMMINGS.

H.R. 2908: Mr. HOEKSTRA.

H.R. 2938: Mr. VISCLOSKEY.

H.R. 2950: Mr. BURTON of Indiana.

H.R. 3008: Mr. GILLMOR.

H.R. 3033: Mr. DEUTSCH.

H.R. 3279: Mr. DEFazio.

H.R. 3514: Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, and Mr. LEVIN.

H.R. 3572: Mr. BUYER.

H.R. 3637: Mr. FATTAH.

H.R. 3702: Mr. STRICKLAND.

H.R. 3720: Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. NORWOOD, and Mr. CALVERT.

H.R. 3766: Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky and Mr. BLUMENAUER.

H.R. 3779: Mr. BOB SCHAFER, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. SAWYER, and Mrs. WILSON.

H.R. 3794: Mr. BLUMENAUER.

H.R. 3833: Mr. UNDERWOOD.

H.R. 3879: Mr. EWING.

H.R. 3946: Mr. DOYLE, Ms. SANCHEZ, and Mrs. CAPPS.

H.R. 3949: Mr. THOMAS and Mr. DICKEY.

H.R. 3956: Ms. BROWN of Florida and Mr. ABERCROMBIE.

H.R. 4019: Mr. SPRATT and Mr. DOYLE.

H.R. 4035: Mr. HILL, Mr. MOAKLEY, Mr. BUNNING of Kentucky, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. MASCARA, Mr. POSHARD, and Mrs. NORTUP.

H.R. 4036: Mr. HILL, Mr. BAKER, Mr. MOAKLEY, Mr. BUNNING of Kentucky, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. FALCONE, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. DICKS, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. PARKER, Mr. SHAW, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. MASCARA, Mr. POSHARD, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. SPRATT, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. SCARBOROUGH, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, and Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD.

H.R. 4126: Mrs. LINDA SMITH of Washington.

H.R. 4127: Mr. SANDERS.

H.R. 4130: Mr. DEFazio.

H.R. 4153: Mr. CAMP.

H.R. 4154: Mr. NORWOOD.

H.R. 4291: Mr. MALONE of Connecticut.

H.R. 4358: Mr. ROTHMAN.

H.R. 4383: Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. WYNN, and Mr. NORWOOD.

H.R. 4415: Mr. SCARBOROUGH.

H.R. 4449: Mr. JOHNSON of Wisconsin and Mr. HINOJOSA.

H.R. 4467: Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. BONIOR, and Ms. DELAURO.

H.R. 4492: Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. METCALF, and Mr. BLUMENAUER.

H.R. 4513: Mr. REDMOND.

H.R. 4545: Mr. PALLONE.

H.R. 4546: Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. MCCRERY, Mr. SNOWBARGER, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. BOB SCHAFER, Mr. PORTER, Mr. TALENT, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. DUNCAN, and Mr. CHAMBLISS.

H.R. 4552: Mrs. MALONEY of New York.

H.R. 4553: Mr. BEREUTER and Mr. BOB SCHAFER.

H.R. 4581: Mr. OBERSTAR.

H.R. 4628: Mr. FARR of California.

H.R. 4648: Mr. MARKEY, Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts, and Mr. MEEHAN.

H.R. 4653: Mr. FILNER, Mr. TRAFICANT, and Mr. HINCHEY.

H.R. 4683: Mr. SANDERS, Mr. SHERMAN, and Ms. SLAUGHTER.

H.R. 4686: Mr. FORD.

H.R. 4709: Mr. YOUNG of Florida.

H.R. 4717: Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri, Mr. GIBBONS, and Mr. ADERHOLT.

H.R. 4727: Mr. MURTHA, Mr. STUPAK, and Mr. PALLONE.

H.R. 4733: Mr. BENTSEN.

H.R. 4737: Ms. ESHOO.

H. Con. Res. 122: Ms. SLAUGHTER.

H. Con. Res. 229: Ms. GRANGER, Mr. LATOURETTE, and Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN.

H. Con. Res. 274: Mr. GOSS and Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN.

H. Con. Res. 286: Mr. OBERSTAR and Ms. MCKINNEY.

H. Con. Res. 314: Mr. CANADA of Florida.

H. Con. Res. 325: Mr. CONYERS.

H. Con. Res. 328: Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. OBEY, Mr. TANNER, Mr. HOEKSTRA, and Mr. BENTSEN.

H. Con. Res. 335: Mrs. MORELLA.

H. Con. Res. 345: Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. HEFLEY, Mr. FORBES, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. GREEN, Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania, Mr. GIBBONS, Mr. SCHUMER, Mr. COOK, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. TALENT, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. SNOWBARGER, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, and Mr. BURTON of Indiana.

H. Res. 406: Mr. HASTINGS of Washington.

H. Res. 483: Mr. SAWYER, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. OWENS, and Mr. MEEKS of New York.

H. Res. 519: Mr. GOODLING.

H. Res. 561: Mr. PORTER.

H. Res. 571: Mr. GRAHAM and Mr. ABERCROMBIE.