

a draft of proposed legislation entitled the "Federal Employees Health Benefits Children's Equity Act of 1997"; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

7027. A letter from the Secretary of Energy, transmitting the FY 1997 annual report under the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act (FMFIA) of 1982, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

7028. A letter from the Chairman, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting a report of activities under the Freedom of Information Act for 1997, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

7029. A letter from the the Administrative Assistant, the Disabled American Veterans, transmitting the report of the proceedings of the organization's 76th National Convention, including their annual audit report of receipts and expenditures as of December 31, 1996, pursuant to 36 U.S.C. 90i and 44 U.S.C. 1332; (H. Doc. No. 105—208); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs and ordered to be printed.

7030. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting an updated report concerning the emigration laws and policies of Albania, pursuant to 19 U.S.C. 2432(b); (H. Doc. No. 105—210); to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered to be printed.

7031. A letter from the Chairman, International Trade Commission, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to provide authorization of appropriations for the United States International Trade Commission for fiscal year 2000; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

7032. A letter from the Executive Director, Office of Compliance, transmitting supplementary notice of proposed rulemaking for publication in the Congressional RECORD, pursuant to Public Law 104—1, section 303(b) (109 Stat. 28); jointly to the Committees on House Oversight and Education and the Workforce.

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. DREIER: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 352. Resolution providing for consideration of motions to suspend the rules (Rept. 105—415). Referred to the House Calendar.

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 Mr. COBLE:

H.R. 3163. A bill to amend the Trademark Act of 1946 to provide protection for trade dress, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SAXTON (for himself and Mr. YOUNG of Alaska):

H.R. 3164. A bill to describe the hydrographic services functions of the Administrator of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. BAKER:

H.R. 3165. A bill to amend the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 to provide an opportunity for judicial review concerning the adoption of accounting principles applicable

to issuers of federally-registered securities; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. BURTON of Indiana (for himself, Mr. ARCHER, Mr. THOMAS, Mr. MICA, Mr. SALMON, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. COOKSEY, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. CANNON, Mr. HASTERT, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. COX of California, Mr. STUMP, Mr. PAUL, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. WALSH, Mr. PAPPAS, Mr. DREIER, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. GANSKE, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. MCCREY, Mr. CRANE, Mr. BRADY, Mr. SAM JOHNSON, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. CAMP, Ms. GRANGER, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. DELAY, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. TALENT, Mr. PETRI, Mr. COOK, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. BOEHNER, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. SPENCE, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. BOB SCHAFFER, Mr. LINDER, Mr. METCALF, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. NUSSLE, Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. KLUG, Mr. ROHRBACHER, and Mr. DICKEY):

H.R. 3166. A bill to amend title 5, United States Code, to permit the use of medical savings accounts under the health benefits program for Federal employees, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight, 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. ACKERMAN (for himself, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. LAZIO of New York, Mr. FORBES, and Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York):

H.R. 3167. A bill to designate the United States Post Office located at 297 Larkfield Road in East Northport, New York, as the "Jerome Anthony Ambro, Jr. Post Office Building"; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

By Mr. HUTCHINSON (for himself, Mr. CANADY of Florida, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. BLUNT, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. FILNER, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. FROST, Mr. MARTINEZ, Ms. FURSE, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. WEXLER, and Mr. SHADEGG):

H.R. 3168. A bill to clarify that bail bond sureties and bounty hunters are subject to both civil and criminal liability for violations of Federal rights under existing Federal civil rights law, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island:

H.R. 3169. A bill to amend the Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970 to include State and local law enforcement agencies under the protection of such Act; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mrs. KENNELLY of Connecticut:

H.R. 3170. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to prevent the conversion of ordinary income or short-term capital gain into income eligible for the long-term capital gain rates, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. KLUG (for himself, Mr. OXLEY, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. STEARNS, and Mr. PAXON):

H.R. 3171. A bill to require the Federal Communications Commission to eliminate from its regulations the restrictions on the cross-ownership of broadcasting stations and newspapers; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania:

H.R. 3172. A bill to provide that funds received by the Federal Government from a tobacco industry settlement shall be used for

part A of Medicare; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. RANGEL:

H.R. 3173. A bill to lift the trade embargo on Cuba, and for other purposes; to the Committee on International Relations, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, Commerce, and Government Reform and Oversight, 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. WHITE (for himself, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, and Mr. NETHERCUTT):

H.R. 3174. A bill to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to require electronic preservation and filing of reports filed with the Federal Election Commission by certain persons, to require such reports to be made available through the Internet, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Oversight.

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

H. Con. Res. 209. Concurrent resolution remembering the life of George Washington and his contributions to the Nation; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

By Mr. SHAYS (for himself, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mrs. KENNELLY of Connecticut, Mr. REGULA, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. FROST, and Mr. GOODE):

H. Con. Res. 210. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of Congress with respect to promoting coverage of individuals under long-term care insurance; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, and Education and the Workforce, 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. FAZIO of California:

H. Res. 351. A resolution designating minority membership on certain standing committees of the House; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. KINGSTON (for himself, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. CALLAHAN, Mrs. FOWLER, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. WAMP, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, and Mr. DEAL of Georgia):

H. Res. 353. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives concerning human rights and due process in Ecuador; to the Committee on International Relations.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 135: Mr. BURTON of Indiana.

H.R. 347: Mr. SHADEGG.

H.R. 453: Mr. VENTO, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. DEFazio, Ms. RIVERS, Mr. FOLEY, and Mr. WEXLER.

H.R. 586: Mr. COYNE.

H.R. 612: Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. POSHARD, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. WISE, Mr. BAESLER, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. MOLLOHAN, Mr. HEFLEY, and Mr. COOK.

H.R. 634: Mr. BONILLA.

H.R. 859: Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. STUMP, Mr. TURNER, and Mr. JONES.

H.R. 979: Mr. HEFNER, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. METCALF, and Mr. HINOJOSA.

H.R. 1104: Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts and Mr. SHERMAN.

H.R. 1111: Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, and Mr. MOLLOHAN.

H.R. 1114: Mr. CASTLE and Mr. COMBEST.

H.R. 1126: Mrs. LOWEY and Mr. GORDON.

H.R. 1215: Mr. GILMAN.

H.R. 1231: Mr. ADAM SMITH of Washington.

H.R. 1302: Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island.

H.R. 1362: Mr. BASS.

H.R. 1595: Mr. BALLENGER.

H.R. 1689: Mr. TURNER, Mr. WEYGAND, Mr. LOBIONDO, and Mr. HOSTETTLER.

H.R. 1763: Mr. SHAYS.

H.R. 1814: Mr. FOLEY.

H.R. 1951: Mr. JACKSON, Mr. OBERSTAR, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. POSHARD, and Mr. BLAGOJEVICH.

H.R. 2023: Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island.

H.R. 2053: Mr. FATTAH.

H.R. 2145: Mr. FARR of California, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. THORNBERRY, and Mr. WATKINS.

H.R. 2154: Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. FROST, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. FATTAH, Mrs. THURMAN, and Mr. GEJDENSON.

H.R. 2191: Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota.

H.R. 2202: Mrs. MYRICK and Mr. ENGEL.

H.R. 2228: Mrs. MALONEY of New York.

H.R. 2250: Mrs. MYRICK and Mr. CALVERT.

H.R. 2363: Mr. HASTINGS of Washington.

H.R. 2365: Mr. HINCHEY.

H.R. 2374: Mr. DELLUMS.

H.R. 2497: Mr. SKEEN, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. PORTMAN, Mr. HORN, Mr. FOSSELLA, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. PEASE, Mr. LEWIS of California, Mr. LATHAM, Mr. SMITH of Oregon, Mr. PICKERING, Mr. BAKER, Mr. MCKEON, Mr. HUNTER.

H.R. 2499: Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. JACKSON, and Mr. GUTIERREZ.

H.R. 2537: Mr. DEFazio and Mr. GALLEGLY.

H.R. 2556: Mr. METCALF.

H.R. 2560: Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. HOYER, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. EDWARDS, Mr. SISISKY, and Mr. ROTHMAN.

H.R. 2604: Mr. PORTER, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mr. CANADY of Florida, and Mr. TALENT.

H.R. 2701: Mr. MANTON, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. SCHUMER, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. MCNULTY, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, Mr. NADLER, Mr. HINCHEY, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. WALSH, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. KING of New York, and Mr. MOLLOHAN.

H.R. 2713: Mr. FILNER and Mr. MCDERMOTT.

H.R. 2714: Mr. BILBRAY.

H.R. 2757: Mr. POSHARD.

H.R. 2760: Mr. HANSEN.

H.R. 2775: Mr. FATTAH, Mr. GOODLING, Mr. COYNE, Mr. KANJORSKI, and Mr. MCHALE.

H.R. 2817: Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania and Mr. BLUNT.

H.R. 2855: Mr. DEFazio and Mr. BORSKI.

H.R. 2868: Mr. DEFazio.

H.R. 2870: Mr. DOOLEY of California.

H.R. 2874: Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 2884: Mr. PETRI and Mr. GOODLATTE.

H.R. 2908: Mr. WALSH, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. ORTIZ, and Mr. HILL.

H.R. 2912: Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Ms. STABENOW, and Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma.

H.R. 2914: Mr. SKELTON.

H.R. 2923: Mr. FROST, Mr. MOLLOHAN, and Mr. CUNNINGHAM.

H.R. 2936: Mr. ADERHOLT.

H.R. 2939: Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. OXLEY, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. COBLE, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. FOLEY, and Mr. CALVERT.

H.R. 2973: Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, and Mr. SESSIONS.

H.R. 2983: Mr. EVANS, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. MCGOVERN, and Ms. WOOLSEY.

H.R. 3001: Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. FILNER, and Ms. FURSE.

H.R. 3033: Mr. FROST, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. CLAY, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. THOMPSON, Mr. STOKES, Ms. CARSON, Mr. RUSH, Mr. CUMMINGS, and Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts.

H.R. 3086: Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts and Mr. RAHALL.

H.R. 3101: Mr. FROST and Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 3102: Mr. MATSUI, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. KLUG, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. FROST, and Mr. PAUL.

H.R. 3110: Mrs. MYRICK and Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 3120: Mr. KOLBE, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. COOK, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. MCKEON, and Mr. PACKARD.

H.R. 3126: Mr. BORSKI.

H.R. 3133: Mr. METCALF.

H. Con. Res. 106: Mr. WEXLER.

H. Con. Res. 202: Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. DICKEY, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, Mr. BUYER, and Mr. CANNON.

H. Res. 267: Mr. SANDERS, Mr. PETRI, Mr. MCINTOSH, and Mr. FAWELL.

DELETIONS OF SPONSORS FROM PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

H.R. 2021: Mr. LIPINSKI.

H. Con. Res. 182: Mr. DAVIS of Virginia.