

233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

9788. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 12-373, "Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Federal Law Conformity, Motor Vehicle Insurance, Regulatory Reform, and Consumer Law Temporary Amendment Act of 1998," pursuant to D.C. Code section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

9789. A letter from the Executive Director, Committee For Purchase From People Who Are Blind Or Severely Disabled, transmitting the Committee's final rule—Procurement List; Additions and Deletions—received June 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

9790. A letter from the Acting Chair, Fish and Wildlife Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Subsistence Management Regulations for Public Lands in Alaska, Subpart C and Subpart D—1998-1999 Subsistence Taking of Fish and Wildlife Regulations (RIN: 1018-AE12) received June 18, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

9791. A letter from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Fisheries Off West Coast States and in the Western Pacific; Pacific Coast Groundfish Fishery; Whiting Closure for the Mothership Sector [Docket No. 971229312-7312-01; I.D. 052898A] received June 15, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

9792. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Cessna Aircraft Company Model 182S Airplanes [Docket No. 98-CE-59-AD; Amendment 39-10598; AD 98-13-10] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received June 18, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

9793. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Changes in accounting periods and in methods of accounting [Revenue Procedure 98-39] received June 16, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

9794. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Certain Transfers of Stock or Securities by U.S. Persons to Foreign Corporations and Related Reporting Requirements [TD 8770] (RIN: 1545-AP81; RIN: 1545-AI32) received June 18, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

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. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. House Joint Resolution 113. Resolution approving the location of a Martin Luther King, Jr. Memorial in the Nation's Capital (Rept. 105-589). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. LIVINGSTON: Committee on Appropriations. Report on the Suballocation of Budget Totals for Fiscal Year 1999 (Rept. 105-590). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. YOUNG of Florida: Committee on Appropriations. H.R. 4103. A bill making appro-

priations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes (Rept. 105-591). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. KOLBE: Committee on Appropriations. H.R. 4104. A bill making appropriations for the Treasury Department, the United States Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain Independent Agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes (Rept. 105-592). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. SOLOMON: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 482. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 4101) making appropriations for Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes (Rept. 105-593). 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. SCHUMER:

H.R. 4102. A bill to establish an early childhood education services referral hotline; to amend the Child Care and Development Block Grant Act of 1990 to authorize additional appropriations and to authorize activities to improve the quality of child care services; to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide credit for employer expenses in providing certain dependent care services, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, 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. YOUNG of Florida:

H.R. 4103. A bill making appropriations for the Department of Defense for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes.

By Mr. KOLBE:

H.R. 4104. A bill making appropriations for the Treasury Department, the United States Postal Service, the Executive Office of the President, and certain Independent Agencies, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes.

By Mr. COX of California:

H.R. 4105. A bill to establish a national policy against State and local interference with interstate commerce on the Internet, to exercise congressional jurisdiction over interstate commerce by establishing a moratorium on the imposition of exactions that would interfere with the free flow of commerce via the Internet, to establish a national policy against federal and state regulation of Internet access and online services, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary, and in addition to the Committees on Commerce, Ways and Means, and Rules, 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. ABERCROMBIE:

H.R. 4106. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow businesses a deduction for meals provided employees on premise, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MCCOLLUM:

H.R. 4107. A bill to establish the United States Immigration Court; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. GANSKE:

H. Con. Res. 293. Concurrent resolution expressing the sense of the Congress on the importance of enacting patient protection legislation; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Education and the Workforce, and 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 Ms. WATERS (for herself, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. CLAY, Mr. STOKES, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. DIXON, Mr. OWENS, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. PAYNE, Ms. NORTON, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. BISHOP, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. HILLIARD, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. RUSH, Mr. SCOTT, Mr. WATT of North Carolina, Mr. WYNN, Mr. THOMPSON, Mr. FATTAH, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Mr. JACKSON, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. CUMMINGS, Ms. CARSON, Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. FORD, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. MEEKS of New York, and Ms. LEE):

H. Con. Res. 294. Concurrent resolution recognizing the 50th Anniversary of the integration of the Armed Forces, and for other purposes; to the Committee on National Security.

PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 1 of Rule XXII,

Ms. LEE introduced a bill (H.R. 4108) to authorize the Secretary of Transportation to issue a certificate of documentation with appropriate endorsement for employment in the coastwise trade for the vessel SARAH B; which was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 306: Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi, Mr. MENENDEZ, and Mr. PAPPAS.

H.R. 687: Mr. POSHARD and Ms. LEE.

H.R. 902: Mr. PICKERING.

H.R. 953: Mr. LEVIN and Ms. LEE.

H.R. 1061: Ms. STABENOW and Mr. LAFALCE.

H.R. 1126: Mr. MINGE and Mr. ROEMER.

H.R. 1134: Mr. LAZIO of New York.

H.R. 1202: Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, Mr. KIND of Wisconsin, and Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin.

H.R. 1689: Mr. ANDREWS.

H.R. 1712: Mr. HILL.

H.R. 1858: Ms. LEE.

H.R. 2124: Mr. BLILEY.

H.R. 2198: Mr. LAZIO of New York.

H.R. 2281: Mr. PICKERING.

H.R. 2380: Mr. NUSSLE.

H.R. 2733: Mr. BARCIA of Michigan, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. MORAN of Kansas, Mr. STARK, Mr. HOOLEY of Oregon, Mr. BILBRAY, and Mr. ROTHMAN.

H.R. 2923: Mr. BLUMENAUER.

H.R. 3179: Mr. NADLER.

H.R. 3240: Mr. FILNER.

H.R. 3293: Mr. LANTOS and Ms. KILPATRICK.

H.R. 3396: Mr. BISHOP, Mr. MINGE, Mr. METCALF, and Mr. LAMPSON.

H.R. 3400: Ms. JACKSON-LEE and Mr. FORD.

H.R. 3514: Mr. POSHARD.

H.R. 3594: Mr. PAUL and Mrs. EMERSON.

H.R. 3604: Mr. STARK.

H.R. 3605: Mr. BRADY of Texas.
 H.R. 3634: Mr. HOYER, Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. MCINTYRE, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. BOYD, Mr. CLAYTON, Mr. BENTSEN, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. EHLERS, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. BAESLER, Mr. WALSH, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. JOHN, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. TANNER, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. MANZULO, and Mr. RAHALL.

H.R. 3636: Mr. FARR and California.
 H.R. 3684: Mrs. CUBIN.
 H.R. 3722: Mr. REDMOND.
 H.R. 3736: Mr. THORNBERRY and Mr. CAMPBELL.

H.R. 3783: Mr. DOOLITTLE.
 H.R. 3795: Mrs. LOWEY and Mrs. ROUKEMA.
 H.R. 3875: Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. DIXON, Mr. BLUMENAUER, and Mr. STARK.

H.R. 3923: Mr. BAESLER and Mr. BUNNING of Kentucky.

H.R. 3940: Mr. FILNER, Mr. TORRES, and Mr. McDERMOTT.

H.R. 3941: Mr. BAESLER.
 H.R. 3949: Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. TURNER, Mr. GOODLING, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. BLILEY, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. GORDON, and Mr. PORTMAN.

H.R. 3975: Mr. SOUDER.
 H.R. 3980: Mr. SANDLIN.

H.R. 3985: Ms. CARSON, Mr. LUTHER, and Mr. RILEY.

H.R. 3990: Mr. KANJORSKI and Mr. MANTON.
 H.R. 4019: Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina and Mr. PACKARD.

H.R. 4070: Mr. MCGOVERN.
 H.R. 4078: Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. JACKSON, and Mr. SISISKY.

H.J. Res. 123: Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. LEACH, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, and Mr. FOLEY.

H. Con. Res. 55: Mr. SAXTON.
 H. Con. Res. 203: Mr. LAHOOD and Mr. WALSH.

H. Con. Res. 274: Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. SCARBOROUGH, Mr. FROST, and Mrs. MORELLA.

H. Con. Res. 278: Mr. FOSSELLA, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. HEFLEY, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. KIM, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, and Mr. HILLEARY.

H. Con. Res. 287: Ms. KILPATRICK.

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. 2908: Mr. WATT of North Carolina.

AMENDMENTS

Under clause 6 of rule XXIII, proposed amendments were submitted as follows:

H.R. 4101

OFFERED BY: MR. BASS

AMENDMENT No. 2: Insert before the short title the following new section:

SEC. (a) LIMITATION ON USE OF FUNDS.—Not more than \$18,800,000 of the funds made available in this Act may be used for the Wildlife Services Program under the heading "ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH INSPECTION SERVICE."

(b) CORRESPONDING REDUCTION IN FUNDS.—The amount otherwise provided by this Act for salaries and expenses under the heading "ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH INSPECTION SERVICE" is hereby reduced by \$10,000,000.

H.R. 4101

OFFERED BY: MR. DOOLEY OF CALIFORNIA

AMENDMENT No. 3: Add after the final section the following new section:

SEC. ____ The amounts otherwise provided by this Act are revised by reducing the amount made available for the Department of Agriculture for special grants for agricultural research under the heading "RESEARCH AND EDUCATION ACTIVITIES-COOPERATIVE STATE RESEARCH, EDUCATION, AND EXTENSION SERVICE" and providing an additional amount for the Department of Agriculture (consisting of \$49,273,000 for section 401 of the Agricultural Research, Extension, and Education Act of 1998 notwithstanding section 730), both in the amount of \$49,273,000.

H.R. 4101

OFFERED BY: MR. FOLEY

AMENDMENT No. 4: Page 69, after line 14, insert the following section:

SEC. 739. None of the funds made available in this Act to the Food and Drug Administration may be expended to implement or enforce any rule that prohibits the manufacture, distribution, or sale of metered-dose inhalers that use chlorofluorocarbons.

H.R. 4101

OFFERED BY: MR. HALL OF OHIO

AMENDMENT No. 5: Page 13, line 14, insert "(reduced by \$8,000,000)" after the dollar figure.

Page 14, line 24, insert "(reduced by \$8,000,000)" after the dollar figure.

Page 15, line 18, insert "(reduced by \$9,000,000)" after the dollar figure.

Page 17, line 4, insert "(reduced by \$9,000,000)" after the dollar figure.

Page 48, line 9, insert "(increased by \$10,000,000)" after the dollar figure.

H.R. 4101

OFFERED BY: MR. NEUMANN

AMENDMENT No. 6: Add after the final section the following new section:

SEC. ____ None of the funds appropriated or otherwise made available by this Act may be used to make available or administer, or to pay the salaries of personnel of the Department of Agriculture who make available or administer, a nonrecourse loan to a producer of quota peanuts during fiscal year 1999 under section 155 of the Agricultural Market Transition Act (7 U.S.C. 7271) at a national average loan rate in excess of \$550 per ton for quota peanuts.

H.R. 4101

OFFERED BY: MR. OBEY

AMENDMENT No. 7: Strike out section 736.

H.R. 4101

OFFERED BY: MR. PETRI

AMENDMENT No. 8: At the end of section 736 (page 68, line 2), add the following new sentence: "Notwithstanding section 147(3) of the Agricultural Market Transition Act (7 U.S.C. 7256(3)), congressional consent for the Northeast Interstate Dairy Compact shall terminate on April 4, 1999.

H.R. 4101

OFFERED BY: MR. PETRI

AMENDMENT No. 9: Add after the final section the following new section:

SEC. ____ None of the funds made available in this Act may be used to assist or cooperate with, or to pay the salaries of personnel of the Department of Agriculture who assist or cooperate with, the Northeast Interstate Dairy Compact referred to in section 147 of the Agricultural Market Transition Act (7 U.S.C. 7256) after April 4, 1999.

H.R. 4101

OFFERED BY: MR. SANDERS

AMENDMENT No. 10: In the item in title I relating to "RESEARCH AND EDUCATION ACTIVITIES" under the heading "COOPERATIVE STATE RESEARCH, EDUCATION, AND EXTENSION SERVICE", insert after the dollar amount re-

lating to "sustainable agriculture research and education" the following: "(increased by \$2,000,000)".

In the item in title I relating to "RESEARCH AND EDUCATION ACTIVITIES" under the heading "COOPERATIVE STATE RESEARCH, EDUCATION, AND EXTENSION SERVICE", insert after the final dollar amount the following: "(increased by \$2,000,000)".

In the item in title I relating to "SALARIES AND EXPENSES" under the heading "ANIMAL AND PLANT HEALTH INSPECTION SERVICE", insert after the first dollar amount the following: "(reduced by \$2,000,000)".

H.R. 4101

OFFERED BY: MR. SANDERS

AMENDMENT No. 11: Page 35, line 3, insert after the dollar amount "(increased by \$10,000,000)".

Page 53, line 13, insert after the second dollar amount "(reduced by \$10,000,000)".

H.R. 4101

OFFERED BY: MR. SANDERS

AMENDMENT No. 12: In the item in title III relating to "SALARIES AND EXPENSES" under the heading "RURAL BUSINESS-COOPERATIVE SERVICE", insert after the first dollar amount the following: "(increased by \$5,000,000)".

In the item in title V relating to "EXPORT CREDIT" under the heading "FOREIGN ASSISTANCE AND RELATED PROGRAMS", insert after the dollar amount the following: "(reduced by \$5,000,000)".

H.R. 4101

OFFERED BY: MR. SANDERS

AMENDMENT No. 13: In the item in title IV relating to "FOOD DONATIONS PROGRAMS FOR SELECTED GROUPS", insert after the dollar amount "(increased by \$10,000,000)".

In the item in title VI relating to "FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION—SALARIES AND EXPENSES", insert after the second dollar amount "(reduced by \$10,000,000)".

H.R. 4101

OFFERED BY: MR. SANDERS

AMENDMENT No. 14: Add after the final section the following new section:

SEC. ____ For an additional amount for the Department of Agriculture (consisting of an additional \$10,000,000 for "RURAL COMMUNITY ADVANCEMENT PROGRAM"), and none of the funds made available in this Act may be used to implement or otherwise carry out the amendments made by section 737, \$10,000,000.

H.R. 4101

OFFERED BY: MRS. LINDA SMITH OF WASHINGTON

AMENDMENT No. 15: Add after the final section the following new section:

SEC. ____ None of the funds made available in this Act to the Department of Agriculture may be used to make available or administer, or to pay the salaries of personnel of the Department of Agriculture who make available or administer, any crop insurance under the Federal Crop Insurance Act (7 U.S.C. 1501 et seq.) or noninsured crop disaster assistance under section 196 of the Federal Agriculture Improvement and Reform Act of 1996 (7 U.S.C. 7333) for tobacco.

H.R. 4103

OFFERED BY: MR. SANDERS

AMENDMENT No. 1: At the end of title VIII (page ____, after line ____), insert the following new section:

SEC. ____ None of the funds appropriated or otherwise made available by this Act may be used to enter into or renew a contract with any company owned, or partially owned, by the People's Republic of China or the People's Liberation Army of the People's Republic of China.