

(RIN: 2900-A187) received June 17, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

9881. A letter from the the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, the Department of State, transmitting Presidential Determination 98-28, stating that the further extension of the waiver authority granted by section 402 of the Trade Act of 1974, as amended, will substantially promote the objectives of section 402 of the Act, and has further determined that continuation of the waiver applicable to the Republic of Belarus will substantially promote the objectives of section 402 of the Act; (H. Doc. No. 105-278); to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered to be printed.

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. H.R. 2795. A bill to extend certain contracts between the Bureau of Reclamation and irrigation water contractors in Wyoming and Nebraska that receive water from Glendo Reservoir; with an amendment (Rept. 105-604). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. CANADY: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 3682. A bill to amend title 18, United States Code, to prohibit taking minors across State lines to avoid laws requiring the involvement of parents in abortion decisions; with an amendment (Rept. 105-605). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. THOMAS: Committee on House Oversight. H.R. 3748. A bill to amend the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 to authorize appropriations for the Federal Election Committee for fiscal year 1999, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 105-606). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. GILMAN: Committee on International Relations. House Resolution 392. Resolution relating to the importance of Japanese-American relations and the urgent need for Japan to more effectively address its economic and financial problems and open its markets by eliminating informal barriers to trade and investment, thereby making a more effective contribution to leading the Asian region out of its current financial crisis, insuring against a global recession, and reinforcing regional stability and security; with amendments (Rept. 105-607 Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

DISCHARGE OF COMMITTEE

Pursuant to clause 5 of rule X the Committees on Ways and Means and Rules discharged from further consideration. H.R. 3849 referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Pursuant to clause 5 of rule X the following action was taken by the Speaker: the Committee on Banking and Financial Services discharged from further consideration. House Resolution 392 referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

TIME LIMITATION OF REFERRED BILL

Pursuant to clause 5 of rule X the following action was taken by the Speaker:

House Resolution 392. Referral to the Committee on Ways and Means extended for a period ending not later than July 17, 1998.

H.R. 2281. Referral to the Committees on Commerce and Ways and Means extended for a period ending not later than July 21, 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 Mr. SCHUMER (for himself and Mrs. LOWEY):

H.R. 4138. A bill to encourage the identification and return of stolen artwork; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. BLILEY (for himself, Mr. WOLF, Mr. GOODE, Mr. PICKETT, Mr. BOUCHER, Mr. DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. BATEMAN, Mr. SCOTT, Mr. SISISKY, and Mr. MORAN of Virginia):

H.R. 4139. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exclude from gross income amounts received under State programs providing compensation for birth-related injuries; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. RADANOVICH (for himself, Mr. EHRLICH, Mr. BOB SCHAFFER, Mr. FORBES, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. MCCOLLUM, and Mr. RIGGS):

H.R. 4140. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the special taxes on wholesale and retail dealers in liquor and beer, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. GINGRICH (for himself, Mr. COLLINS, and Mr. DEAL of Georgia):

H.R. 4141. A bill to amend the Act authorizing the establishment of the Chattahoochee River National Recreation Area to modify the boundaries of the Area, and to provide for the protection of lands, waters, and natural, cultural, and scenic resources within the national recreation area, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma:

H.R. 4142. A bill to provide that the wage of certain Department of Defense employees is determined by a recent wage survey; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

By Mr. LANTOS (for himself, Ms. PELOSI, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. MILLER of California, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. STARK, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Ms. LEE, and Ms. LOFGREN):

H.R. 4143. A bill to revise the boundaries of the Golden Gate National Recreation Area, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. KINGSTON:

H.R. 4144. A bill to ensure the protection of natural, cultural, and historical resources in Cumberland Island National Seashore and Cumberland Island Wilderness in the State of Georgia; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. JACKSON:

H.R. 4145. A bill to establish a program under the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development to eliminate redlining in the insurance business; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. DEFAZIO (for himself, Ms. FURSE, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, and Mr. WISE):

H.R. 4146. A bill to encourage States to require a holding period for any student expelled for bringing a gun to school; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania (for himself, Mr. HORN, Mr. FATTAH, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. FOLEY, Mrs. THURMAN, and Ms. JACKSON-LEE):

H.R. 4147. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to increase the maximum annual contribution to education individual retirement accounts to \$5,000 for higher education purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. SMITH of Oregon:

H.R. 4148. A bill to amend the Export Apple and Pear Act to limit the applicability of the Act to apples; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. SMITH of Oregon (for himself, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. HERGER, and Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina):

H.R. 4149. A bill to reduce overhead and other costs associated with the management of the National Forest System, to improve the fiscal accountability of the Forest Service through an improved financial accounting system, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. STENHOLM (for himself, Mr. DOOLEY of California, Mr. MINGE, Mr. BOSWELL, and Mr. ETHERIDGE):

H.R. 4150. A bill to appropriate funds necessary for United States participation in a quota increase and the New Arrangements to Borrow of the International Monetary Fund, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. SHADEGG (for himself, Mr. CLEMENT, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. COBURN, Mr. BLUNT, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. PASCRELL, Mr. WYNN, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. FILNER, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. MANTON, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Ms. SANCHEZ, Ms. PELOSI, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. PITTS, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. STUMP, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. VENTO, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. SALMON, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. SESSIONS, Ms. DUNN of Washington, Mr. BASS, and Mr. LARGENT):

H.R. 4151. A bill to amend chapter 47 of title 18, United States Code, relating to identity fraud, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. GEJDENSON (for himself, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. GEPHARDT, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. FAZIO of California, Mrs. KENNELLY of Connecticut, Mr. FROST, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. CLAY, Mr. POMEROY, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. YATES, Mr. SANDLIN, Ms. SANCHEZ, Mr. VENTO, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. PASCRELL, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. LANTOS, Ms. LEE, Mr. FILNER, Mr. TOWNS, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. GORDON, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. MANTON, Mr. DELAHUNT, Ms. CARSON, Mr. NADLER, Mr. LEVIN, and Mr. BORSKI):

H.R. 4152. A bill to provide retirement security for all Americans; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Education and the Workforce, Government Reform and Oversight, and Transportation and Infrastructure, 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 (for himself, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. FROST, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, and Ms. BROWN of Florida):

H.R. 4153. A bill to provide for equitable retirement for military reserve technicians

who are covered under the Federal Employment Retirement System or the Civil Service Retirement System; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

By Mr. ADERHOLT (for himself, Mr. DELAY, Mr. RILEY, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. PITTS, Mr. PICKERING, Mrs. CHENOWETH, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. SOUDER, and Mr. GRAHAM):

H.R. 4154. A bill to declare rights to religious liberty; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. LAZIO of New York (for himself, Mr. STARK, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. CAMP, Mrs. KELLY, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. ROGAN, Mr. EHLERS, and Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin):

H.R. 4155. A bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to extend the authority of State Medicaid fraud control units to investigate and prosecute fraud in connection with Federal health care programs and abuse of residents of board and care facilities; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. ALLEN:

H.R. 4156. A bill to limit the disposal of former naval vessels and Maritime Administration vessels for purpose of scrapping abroad and to require the Secretary of the Navy to carry out a ship scrapping pilot program; to the Committee on National Security, and in addition to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 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. BARR of Georgia (for himself, Mr. LINDER, Mr. NEY, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. CHAMBLISS, and Mr. NORWOOD):

H.R. 4157. A bill to amend the Clean Air Act to modify the application of certain provisions regarding the inclusion of entire metropolitan statistical areas within non-attainment areas, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland:

H.R. 4158. A bill to authorize the private ownership and use of certain secondary structures and surplus lands administered as part of any national historical park that are not consistent with the purposes for which the park was established, if adequate protection of natural, aesthetic, recreational, cultural, and historical values is assured by appropriate terms, covenants, conditions, or reservations; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. BLUNT (for himself, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. HILL, Mr. REGULA, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. PITTS, Ms. GRANGER, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. SNOWBARGER, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. GUTKNECHT, and Ms. PRYCE of Ohio):

H.R. 4159. A bill to amend section 1926 of the Public Health Service Act to waive sanctions against a State that provides for drivers'-license-related sanctions for minors who purchase or possess tobacco products for personal consumption; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. BONILLA (for himself and Mr. DICKS):

H.R. 4160. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide for a special enrollment period for certain military retirees and their dependents to enroll under part B of such title, without penalty for late enrollment, in order to participate in the TRICARE Senior Prime demonstration sites pursuant to the Balanced Budget Act of 1997; 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 consider-

ation of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mrs. CAPPS:

H.R. 4161. A bill to amend title 28, United States Code, to provide for an additional place of holding court for the Western Division of the Central Judicial District of California; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mrs. CHENOWETH:

H.R. 4162. A bill to improve public understanding of, and access to, the information and reasoning supporting significant Federal agency rulemaking proposals by specifying a consistent and informative format for Federal Register notices of such rulemaking actions; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. CLAY:

H.R. 4163. A bill to direct the Secretary of the Interior to install a plaque commemorating the Dred Scott decision at the entrance to the Old Court House in the Jefferson National Expansion Memorial; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. COBLE:

H.R. 4164. A bill to amend title 28, United States Code, with respect to the enforcement of child custody and visitation orders; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. CRANE:

H.R. 4165. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide an exemption from the gas guzzler tax for automobiles that are lengthened by certain small manufacturers; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. CRAPO (for himself and Mrs. CHENOWETH):

H.R. 4166. A bill to amend the Idaho Admission Act regarding the sale or lease of school land; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mrs. EMERSON (for herself, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Ms. DANNER, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, Mr. BLUNT, and Mr. BARR of Georgia):

H.R. 4167. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a refundable credit to military retirees for premiums paid for coverage under Medicare part B; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Commerce, 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. FILNER:

H.R. 4168. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide the same level of health care for certain Filipino World War II veterans residing in the Philippines that veterans residing in the United States receive; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. FORBES:

H.R. 4169. A bill to improve educational facilities, reduce class size, provide parents with additional educational choices for their children, and for certain 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. GUTKNECHT (for himself and Ms. ESHOO):

H.R. 4170. A bill to amend title IV of the Public Health Service Act to establish a National Center for Bioengineering Research; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. HALL of Ohio:

H.R. 4171. A bill to direct the Secretary of Transportation to conduct a study and transmit a report to Congress on improving the safety of persons present at roadside emergency scenes and to encourage States to enact and enforce laws based upon that report; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. HERGER (for himself, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. CRANE, Mr. SHAW, Mr. BUNNING of Kentucky, Mr. MCCREERY, Mr. CAMP, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. PORTMAN, Mr. WATKINS, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. POMBO, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. PAPPAS, Mrs. CHENOWETH, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. HILLEARY, and Ms. DANNER):

H.R. 4172. A bill to require the Commissioner of Social Security to provide prisoner information obtained from the States to Federal and federally assisted benefit programs as a means of preventing the erroneous provision of benefits to prisoners; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HOUGHTON (for himself, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. CRANE, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. SAM JOHNSON, Mr. HERGER, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, and Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts):

H.R. 4173. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to simplify certain rules relating to the taxation of United States business operating abroad, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. KASICH:

H.R. 4174. A bill to amend the Congressional Budget and Impoundment Control Act of 1974 to provide for the expedited consideration of certain proposed rescissions of budget authority; to the Committee on the Budget, and in addition to the Committee on 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. KUCINICH (for himself, Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. HILLIARD, Ms. WOOLSEY, Ms. CARSON, Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN, Mr. FORD, Mr. NADLER, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. FROST, Ms. LOFGREN, and Ms. VELAZQUEZ):

H.R. 4175. A bill to promote youth entrepreneurship education and training; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. MARKEY:

H.R. 4176. A bill to amend the Communications Act of 1934 to protect consumers against 'spamming', 'slamming', and 'cramming', and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mrs. MINK of Hawaii (for herself, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. FILNER, Mr. GILMAN, and Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD):

H.R. 4177. A bill to amend the Social Security Act to further extend health care coverage under the Medicare program; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Commerce, 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. PRICE of North Carolina:

H.R. 4178. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide that periods of leave required to be permitted by the Family and Medical Leave Act of 1993 shall be treated as hours of service for purposes of the pension participation and vesting rules; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on 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. RUSH:

H.R. 4179. A bill to authorize qualified organizations to provide technical assistance and capacity building services to micro-enterprise development organizations and

programs and to disadvantaged entrepreneurs using funds from the Community Development Financial Institutions Fund, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. SAXTON (for himself and Mr. DELAHUNT):

H.R. 4180. A bill to reduce fishing capacity in United States fisheries; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. SHERMAN (for himself, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. SALMON, Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. MCNULTY, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. PAPPAS, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. FORBES, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. RYUN, Mr. CALVERT, and Mr. SNOWBARGER):

H.R. 4181. A bill to require the expenditure of funds for the construction of United States chancery facilities in Berlin and Jerusalem in such a manner as to ensure comparable rates of construction and occupation of the 2 facilities; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. SNYDER (for himself, Mr. BERRY, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. DICKEY, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, and Mr. THOMPSON):

H.R. 4182. A bill to establish the Little Rock Central High School National Historic Site in the State of Arkansas, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. SOLOMON (for himself, Mr. HOUGHTON, and Mr. TOWNS):

H.R. 4183. A bill to protect the Nation's electricity ratepayers by amending the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978 to ensure that rates charged by qualifying small power producers and qualifying cogenerators do not exceed the incremental cost to the purchasing utility of alternative electric energy at the time of delivery, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Ms. STABENOW (for herself, Mr. KILDEE, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. KIND of Wisconsin, Mr. SAWYER, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, Mr. WEYGAND, and Mr. MCGOVERN):

H.R. 4184. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide incentives to elementary and secondary teachers for acquisition of computer hardware and software; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Ms. STABENOW (for herself, Mr. KILDEE, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. KIND of Wisconsin, Mr. SAWYER, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, Mr. WEYGAND, Mr. MCGOVERN, and Mr. LEVIN):

H.R. 4185. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide incentives to elementary and secondary teachers for technology-related training for purposes of integrating educational technologies into the courses taught in our Nation's classrooms; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. STARK:

H.R. 4186. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide flexibility in contracting for claims processing under the Medicare program; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Commerce, 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. STARK:

H.R. 4187. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to require disclosure of certain information about benefit management for prescription drugs by MedicareChoice organizations; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Commerce, 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. STEARNS (for himself, Mr. STUMP, Mr. SNYDER, Mr. HAYWORTH, and Mr. FILNER):

H.R. 4188. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide for a portion of funds received from national tobacco legislation to be made available for health care for veterans; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. THOMPSON (for himself, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. KILDEE, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Ms. WATERS, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. BROWN of California, Ms. CARSON, Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN, Mr. CLAY, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. DIXON, Mr. ENGEL, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. FILNER, Ms. FURSE, Mr. FORD, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. JACKSON, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. LANTOS, Ms. LEE, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. MEEKS of New York, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. McDERMOTT, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. NADLER, Ms. NORTON, Mr. OWENS, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. PAYNE, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. RUSH, Mr. SCOTT, Mr. SERRANO, Mr. STOKES, Mr. TORRES, Mr. TOWNS, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. WYNN, Mr. MEEHAN, and Mr. GEPHARDT):

H.R. 4189. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to establish authorities of the departmental Office of Minority Health with respect to tobacco products, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. WELLER (for himself and Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts):

H.R. 4190. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on a certain drug substance used as an HIV antiviral drug; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. WELLER (for himself and Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts):

H.R. 4191. A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on certain drug substances used as an HIV antiviral drug; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. YOUNG of Alaska (for himself, Mr. MILLER of California, and Mr. HAYWORTH):

H.R. 4192. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to clarify the tax treatment of Settlement Trusts established pursuant to the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. BARR of Georgia:

H.J. Res. 124. A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to authorize the line item veto; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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

H.J. Res. 125. A joint resolution finding the Government of Iraq in material and unacceptable breach of its international obligations; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. GOSS:

H. Con. Res. 297. Concurrent resolution providing for an adjournment of the two Houses; considered and agreed to.

By Ms. CHRISTIAN-GREEN (for herself, Ms. KILPATRICK, Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Mr. JEFFERSON, and Mr. CONYERS):

H. Res. 495. A resolution relating to the recognition of the connection between the

emancipation of African slaves in the Danish West Indies, now the United States Virgin Islands, to the American Declaration of Independence from the British Government; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. TIAHRT:

H. Res. 496. A resolution amending the Rules of the House of Representatives to require a three-fifths vote to increase the minimum wage; to the Committee on Rules.

By Mr. TRAFICANT:

H. Res. 497. A resolution amending the Rules of the House of Representatives to require a two-thirds vote on any bill or joint resolution that either authorizes the President to enter into a trade agreement that is implemented pursuant to fast-track procedures or that implements a trade agreement pursuant to such procedures; to the Committee on Rules.

MEMORIALS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, memorials were presented and referred as follows:

L035. The SPEAKER presented a memorial of the Senate of the State of Colorado, relative to Senate Joint Memorial 98-001 memorializing Congress to adopt legislation amending 4 U.S.C. sec. 114 to include severance payments and termination payments within the retirement income of a non-resident individual upon which states may not impose income tax; 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. 80: Mr. PAPPAS.

H.R. 121: Mr. ROYCE.

H.R. 145: Ms. WATERS, Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD, Mr. BALDACCIO, Mr. DAVIS of Florida, and Mr. PAYNE.

H.R. 350: Mr. YATES, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. DOOLEY of California, Mr. PICKERING, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. WALSH, Mr. SNOWBARGER, Mr. MCNULTY, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, and Mr. DAVIS of Virginia.

H.R. 352: Mr. LUTHER and Mr. PAPPAS.

H.R. 414: Mr. LUTHER and Mr. ROYCE.

H.R. 502: Mr. ROYCE.

H.R. 547: Mr. LUTHER.

H.R. 593: Mr. ROYCE.

H.R. 603: Mr. ROYCE and Mr. PAPPAS.

H.R. 699: Mr. GOODLATTE.

H.R. 718: Mr. PAPPAS.

H.R. 915: Ms. LEE, Mrs. LINDA SMITH of Washington, and Mr. WAXMAN.

H.R. 959: Mr. UPTON and Mr. PASCRELL.

H.R. 972: Mr. BACHUS.

H.R. 993: Mr. ROYCE.

H.R. 1005: Mr. BACHUS and Mr. PAPPAS.

H.R. 1126: Ms. STABENOW and Mr. BAESLER.

H.R. 1140: Mr. BARCIA of Michigan.

H.R. 1173: Ms. NORTON, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. GILMAN, and Mr. KANJORSKI.

H.R. 1231: Mr. LUCAS of Oklahoma.

H.R. 1232: Mr. LEWIS of Georgia.

H.R. 1334: Mr. LAZIO of New York.

H.R. 1340: Mr. PAPPAS.

H.R. 1401: Mr. LAMPSON and Mr. BALDACCIO.

H.R. 1410: Mr. GOODLING.

H.R. 1438: Mr. BACHUS.

H.R. 1475: Mr. PAPPAS.

H.R. 1524: Mr. CAMP.

H.R. 1571: Mr. DIXON.

H.R. 1577: Mr. BACHUS.

H.R. 1666: Mr. ROYCE.

H.R. 1699: Mr. FROST.

H.R. 1711: Mr. BARCIA of Michigan, Mr. CANNON, Mr. DOYLE, Mrs. CUBIN, and Mr. MCINNIS.