

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to:

Mr. RIGGS (at the request of Mr. ARMEY) for July 30 and 31 on account of personal reasons.

Mr. YATES (at the request of Mr. GEPHARDT) after 7 p.m. today for physical reasons.

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

Mr. CONYERS, for 5 minutes, today.

Ms. NORTON, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, for 5 minutes, today.

Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. BENTSEN, for 5 minutes, today.

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

Mr. COLLINS, for 5 minutes, today.

Mr. CAMPBELL, for 5 minutes, today.

EXTENSION OF REMARKS

By unanimous consent, permission to revise and extend remarks was granted to:

Ms. DELAURO, and to include extraneous material on H.R. 4194, in the Committee of the Whole today regarding the children's sleepwear amendment.

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. TRAFICANT) and to include extraneous material:)

Mr. SANDERS.

Mr. KIND.

Mr. BENTSEN.

Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri.

Mr. STARK.

Mr. HAMILTON.

Mr. ABERCROMBIE.

Mr. FORD.

Mr. SERRANO.

Mr. KUCINICH.

Mr. VENTO.

Mr. BLAGOJEVICH.

Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts.

Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas.

Mrs. MALONEY of New York.

Mr. HOYER.

Mr. RANGEL.

Mr. ETHERIDGE.

Mr. MARKEY.

Mrs. CLAYTON.

Mr. HINCHEY.

Ms. LEE.

Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD.

EXTENSION OF REMARKS

By unanimous consent, permission to revise and extend remarks was granted to:

(The following Members (at the request of Mr. BURR of North Carolina) and to include extraneous material:)

Mr. EHRLICH.

Mr. SAXTON.

Mr. MCKEON.

Mr. DELAY.

Mr. FORBES.

Mr. SPENCE.

Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey.

Mr. CALVERT.

Mr. NEY.

Mr. RADANOVICH.

Mr. SMITH of New Jersey.

Mr. SMITH of Oregon.

Mr. RIGGS.

Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN.

BILL PRESENTED TO THE PRESIDENT

Mr. THOMAS, from the Committee on House Oversight, reported that that committee did on this day present to the President, for his approval, a bill of the House of the following title:

H.R. 39. An act to reauthorize the African Elephant Conservation Act.

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. BURR of North Carolina. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 1 o'clock and 3 minutes a.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until today Thursday, July 30, 1998, at 1 p.m.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS, ETC.

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

10359. A letter from the Administrator, Farm Service Agency, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the Department's final rule—Subordination of Direct Loan Security to Secure a Guaranteed Line of Credit; Correction (RIN: 0560-AE92) received July 21, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Agriculture.

10360. A letter from the Director, Defense Procurement, Department of Defense, transmitting the Department's final rule—Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement [DFARS Case 97-D012] received July 22, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on National Security.

10361. A letter from the Director, Office of Legislative Affairs, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, transmitting the Corporation's final rule—Resolution and Receivership Rules (RIN: 3064-AB92) received July 21, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

10362. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Office of Policy, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Oral Dosage Form New Animal Drugs; Bacitracin Methylene Disalicylate Soluble [21 CFR Part 520] received July 23, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10363. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementa-

tion Plans; Colorado; 1993 Periodic Carbon Monoxide Emission Inventories For Colorado [CO-001-0024a; FRL-6124-4] received July 10, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10364. A letter from the Secretary, Federal Trade Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Rule Concerning Disclosures Regarding Energy Consumption And Water Use Of Certain Home Appliances And Other Products Required Under The Energy Policy And Conservation Act ("Appliance Labeling Rule") received July 21, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10365. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Office of Policy, Food and Drug Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Indirect Food Additives: Adjuvants, Production Aids, and Sanitizers [Docket No. 97F-0405] received July 23, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10366. A letter from the Director, Regulations Policy and Management Staff, Office of Policy, Food and Drug Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Secondary Direct Food Additives Permitted in Food for Human Consumption [Docket No. 94F-0040] received July 23, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10367. A letter from the Director, Office of Congressional Affairs, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Licenses for Industrial Radiography and Radiation Safety Requirements for Industrial Radiographic Operations; Clarifying Amendments and Corrections (RIN: 3150-AE07) received July 23, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Commerce.

10368. 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—received July 23, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

10369. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Public Availability of Information; Electronic FOIA Amendment [Docket No. OST-96-1430; Amdt. 1] (RIN: 2105-AC69) received July 21, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

10370. A letter from the Deputy Assistant Administrator For 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; Management Measures for Nontrawl Sablefish [Docket No. 980406085-8164-01; I.D. 031198C] (RIN: 0648-AJ27) received July 21, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

10371. A letter from the Director, Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, transmitting the Office's final rule—Indiana Regulatory Program [SPATS No. IN-130-FOR; State Program Amendment No. 95-8] received July 21, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

10372. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Division Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Department's final rule—Posting of Signs and Written Notification to Purchasers of Handguns [T.D. ATF-402; Ref: Notice No. 855] (RIN: 1512-AB68) received July 21, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

10373. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; McDonnell Douglas Model MD-11 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-209-AD; Amendment 39-10665; AD 98-15-14] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received July 21, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10374. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 29280; Amdt. No. 1879] (RIN: 2120-AA65) received July 21, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10375. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 29281; Amdt. No. 1879] (RIN: 2120-AA65) received July 21, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10376. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Dornier Model 328-100 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-133-AD; Amendment 39-10662; AD 98-15-11] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received July 21, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10377. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Modification of Class E Airspace; Porterville, CA [Airspace Docket No. 98-AWP-2] received July 21, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10378. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Modification of Class E Airspace; Ukiah, CA [Airspace Docket No. 98-AWP-11] received July 21, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10379. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Revision of Class D and Establishment of Class E Airspace; Yuma MCAS-Yuma International Airport, AZ; Correction [Airspace Docket No. 98-AWP-14] received July 21, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10380. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 29282; Amdt. No. 1880] (RIN: 2120-AA65) received July 21, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10381. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Saab Model SAAB SF340A and SAAB 340B Series Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-117-AD; Amendment 39-10661; AD 98-15-10] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received July 21, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10382. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Aerospatiale Model ATR42 and ATR72 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-149-AD; Amendment 39-10663; AD 98-15-12] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received July 21, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10383. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Dassault Model Mystere-Falcon 50 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 98-NM-230-AD; Amendment 39-10658; AD 98-15-07] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received July 21, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10384. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; British Aerospace Model BAe 146 and Model Avro 146-RJ Series Airplanes [Docket No. 97-NM-02-AD; Amendment 39-10659; AD 98-15-08] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received July 21, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10385. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Airbus Model A320-111 and -211 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 97-NM-160-AD; Amendment 39-10660; AD 98-15-09] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received July 21, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10386. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Airbus Model A320 and Model A321 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 94-NM-94-AD; Amendment 39-10657; AD 98-15-06] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received July 21, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10387. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Raytheon Aircraft Company 90, 100, 200, and 300 Series Airplanes [Docket No. 97-CE-92-AD; Amendment 39-10664; AD 98-15-13] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received July 21, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10388. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulatory Management and Information, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the Agency's final rule—Amendments to the Effluent Limitations Guidelines, Pretreatment Standards, and New Source Performance Standards for the Organic Pesticide Chemicals Manufacturing Industry—Pesticide Chemicals Point Source Category [FRL-6126-6] received July 23, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10389. A letter from the Deputy General Counsel, Small Business Administration, transmitting the Administration's final rule—Small Business Investment Companies [13 CFR Part 107] received July 21, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Small Business.

10390. A letter from the Director, Office of Regulations Management, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the Department's final rule—Payment for Non-VA Physician Services Associated with Either Outpatient or Inpatient Care Provided at Non-VA Facilities (RIN: 2900-AH66) received July 23, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

10391. 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 [31 CFR Part 356] received July 18, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

10392. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Rules and Regulations [Revenue Ruling 98-37] received July 23, 1998, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

10393. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Treatment Of Loans With Below-Market Interest Rates [Revenue Ruling 98-34] received July 21, 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. ARCHER: Committee on Ways and Means. House Joint Resolution 120. Resolution disapproving the extension of the waiver authority contained in section 402(c) of the Trade Act of 1974 with respect to Vietnam; adversely (Rept. 105-653). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. SHUSTER: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 3482. A bill to designate the Federal building located at 11000 Wilshire Boulevard in Los Angeles, California, as the "Abraham Lincoln Federal Building" (Rept. 105-654). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. SHUSTER: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. H.R. 3598. A bill to designate the Federal building located at 700 East San Antonio Street in El Paso, Texas, as the "Richard C. White Federal Building" (Rept. 105-655). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. SHUSTER: Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. S. 2032. A act to designate the Federal building in Juneau, Alaska, as the "Hurff A. Saunders Federal Building"; with amendments (Rept. 105-656). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. SMITH of Texas: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 3736. A bill to amend the Immigration and Nationality Act to make changes relating to H-1B nonimmigrants; with an amendment (Rept. 105-657). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. SOLOMON: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 507. Resolution providing special investigative authority for the Committee on Education and the Workforce; with an amendment (Rept. 105-658). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. GOODLING: Committee of Conference. Conference report on H.R. 1385. A bill to consolidate, coordinate, and improve employment, training, literacy, and vocational rehabilitation programs in the United States, and for other purposes (Rept. 105-659). Ordered to be printed.

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. CRANE (for himself and Mr. MATSUI):

H.R. 4342. A bill to make miscellaneous and technical changes to various trade laws, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. MOAKLEY:

H.R. 4343. A bill to amend the Congressional Budget Act of 1974 regarding the application of points of order to unreported measures in the House of Representatives; to the Committee on Rules, and in addition to the Committee on the Budget, 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.