

EXTENSION OF REMARKS

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

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

Mr. BENTSEN.
Mr. KUCINICH.
Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts.
Ms. DELAURO.
Mr. BOYD.
Mr. SCHUMER.
Mr. CONYERS.
Mr. HAMILTON.
Mr. SKELTON.
Mr. WAXMAN.
Mr. TRAFICANT.
Mr. SHERMAN.
Mrs. MALONEY of New York.
Mr. ENGEL.
Mr. FILNER.
Mr. RANGEL.
Mr. STARK.
Mrs. LOWEY.

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

Mr. DAVIS of Virginia.
Mr. SHAYS.

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

Mr. WELLER.
Mr. ADAM SMITH of Washington.
Mr. BARCIA.
Mr. ABERCROMBIE.
Mr. RAMSTAD.
Ms. WATERS.
Mr. BISHOP.
Mr. CONDIT.
Mr. ORTIZ.
Mr. UNDERWOOD.
Mr. TALENT.
Mr. CALVERT.
Mr. DIXON.
Mr. PALLONE.
Mr. OWENS.
Mrs. MALONEY of New York.
Mrs. ROUKEMA.
Mrs. MORELLA.
Mr. BENTSEN.

ADJOURNMENT TO TUESDAY,
FEBRUARY 3, 1998

Mr. OWENS. Mr. Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. SNOWBARGER). Pursuant to the provisions of House Concurrent Resolution 201, 105th Congress, the House stands adjourned until 12:30 p.m. on Tuesday, February 3, 1998, for morning hour debates.

The motion was agreed to; accordingly (at 5 o'clock and 25 minutes p.m.), pursuant to House Concurrent Resolution 201, the House adjourned until Tuesday, February 3, 1998, at 12:30 p.m., for morning hour debates.

OATH OF OFFICE MEMBERS, RESIDENT COMMISSIONER, AND DELEGATES

The oath of office required by the sixth article of the Constitution of the

United States, and as provided by section 2 of the act of May 13, 1884 (23 State.22), to be administered to Members, Resident Commissioner, and Delegates of the House of Representatives, the text of which is carried in 5 U.S.C. 3331:

I, AB, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office on which I am about to enter. So help me God.

has been subscribed to in person and filed in duplicate with the Clerk of the House of Representatives by the following Member of the 105th Congress, pursuant to the provisions of 2 U.S.C. 25:

Honorable Vito Fossella, Thirteenth District of New York.

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. BLILEY: Committee on Commerce. Supplemental report on H.R. 10. A bill to enhance competition in the financial services industry by providing a prudential framework for the affiliation of banks, securities firms, and other financial service providers, and for other purposes (REPT. 105-164 PT. 4).

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. LEACH (for himself, Mr. CASTLE, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. BAKER, and Mrs. ROUKEMA):

H.R. 3116. A bill to address the Year 2000 computer problems with regard to financial institutions, to extend examination parity to the Director of the Office of Thrift Supervision and the National Credit Union Administration, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. CANADY of Florida (for himself and Mr. SCOTT):

H.R. 3117. A bill to reauthorize the United States Commission on Civil Rights, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. ABERCROMBIE (for himself and Mrs. MINK of Hawaii):

H.R. 3118. A bill to amend title XIX of the Social Security Act to increase the Federal medical assistance percentage for Hawaii to 59.8 percent; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. BLUNT:

H.R. 3119. A bill to amend the Trademark Act of 1946 with respect to the dilution of famous marks; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. CANNON (for himself, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. BLILEY, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. SANFORD, and Mr. SESSIONS):

H.R. 3120. A bill to designate the United States Post Office located at 95 West 100 South Street in Provo, Utah, as the "Howard C. Nielson Post Office Building"; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

By Mr. ENGEL (for himself, Mr. LAZIO of New York, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. YATES, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. PAXON, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. SAXTON, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. FORBES, and Mr. FROST):

H.R. 3121. A bill to provide for the recovery of insurance issued for victims of the Holocaust; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. FORBES:

H.R. 3122. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the inclusion in gross income of Social Security benefits; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HOLDEN:

H.R. 3123. A bill to suspend the duty on niobium oxide until January 1, 2002; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HOLDEN:

H.R. 3124. A bill to suspend the duty on vanadium pentoxide (anhydride) until January 1, 2002; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HOUGHTON (for himself, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. WELLER, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. WATKINS, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mrs. KENNELLY of Connecticut, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. McNULTY, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. BECERRA, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. COYNE, Mr. BUNNING of Kentucky, Ms. DUNN of Washington, Mr. HULSHOF, and Mr. SHAW):

H.R. 3125. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to extend the work opportunity credit for 3 years; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. KLECZKA (for himself, Mr. STARK, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Ms. RIVERS, and Mr. PALLONE):

H.R. 3126. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to restore the non-applicability of private contracts for the provision of Medicare benefits; 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. MANZULLO (for himself and Mr. MATSUI):

H.R. 3127. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the information reporting requirement relating to the Hope Scholarship and Lifetime Learning Credits imposed on educational institutions and certain other trades and businesses; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. NADLER (for himself, Mr. FROST, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. FILNER, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. YATES, and Mrs. CLAYTON):

H.R. 3128. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act with respect to restrictions on changes in benefits under MedicareChoice plans; 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 Mrs. ROUKEMA:

H.R. 3129. A bill to establish a program to encourage local educational agencies to work with the private sector to provide care to children who are less than the age of compulsory school attendance; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. SHAW (for himself and Mr. LEVIN):

H.R. 3130. A bill to provide for an alternative penalty procedure for States that fail to meet Federal child support data processing requirements, to reform Federal incentive payments for effective child support performance, and to provide for a more flexible penalty procedure for States that violate interjurisdictional adoption requirements; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. SHAYS (for himself, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. MCHALE, Mr. MEEHAN, and Mr. WHITE):

H.R. 3131. A bill to make available on the Internet, for purposes of access and retrieval by the public, certain information available through the Congressional Research Service web site; to the Committee on House Oversight.

By Ms. STABENOW (for herself, Mr. BARCIA of Michigan, Ms. KILPATRICK, Ms. CARSON, and Mr. KILDEE):

H.R. 3132. A bill to establish food safety research, education, and extension as a priority of the Department of Agriculture, to require the use of a designated team within the Department of Agriculture to enable the Department and other Federal agencies to rapidly respond to food safety emergencies, and to improve food safety through the development and commercialization of food safety technology; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. STEARNS (for himself and Mr. WICKER):

H.R. 3133. A bill to prohibit the expenditure of Federal funds to conduct or support research on the cloning of humans, and to express the sense of the Congress that other countries should establish substantially equivalent restrictions; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on Science, 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. WEYGAND (for himself, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Mr. FILNER, Mr. LAFALCE, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, and Mr. SHAYS):

H.R. 3134. A bill to warn senior citizens of the dangers of telemarketing fraud and to provide them with information that will help them protect themselves; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. WEYGAND (for himself and Mr. FROST):

H.R. 3135. 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. ENGEL (for himself, Mr. KING of New York, Mrs. KELLY, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, and Mr. LANTOS):

H. Con. Res. 205. Concurrent resolution exploring human rights abuses in Kosovo and calling for increased American involvement; to the Committee on International Relations.

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

H. Con. Res. 206. Concurrent resolution permitting the use of the rotunda of the Capitol for a ceremony as part of the commemoration of the days of remembrance of victims of the Holocaust; to the Committee on House Oversight.

By Mr. LEWIS of California:

H. Res. 342. A resolution designating minority membership on certain standing committees of the House; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. HAYWORTH (for himself, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. ARCHER, Mr. THOMAS, Mr.

DELAY, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania, Mr. CRANE, Mr. LIVINGSTON, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. SALMON, Mr. SESSIONS, and Mr. STUMP):

H. Res. 343. A resolution expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the award of attorneys' fee, costs, and sanctions of \$285,864.78 ordered by United States District Judge Royce C. Lamberth on December 18, 1997, should not be paid with taxpayer funds; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 1 of Rule XXII,

Mr. TRAFICANT introduced A bill (H.R. 3136) to recognize and compensate Boris Korczak for intelligence gathering services rendered during the cold war; which was referred to the Committee on Intelligence (Permanent Select).

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 51: Mr. ADAM SMITH of Washington.
H.R. 76: Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts, Mr. RUSH, Mr. CALLAHAN, and Mrs. LOWEY.
H.R. 126: Mr. PAXON.
H.R. 135: Mr. MINGE and Mr. SCHIFF.
H.R. 145: Mr. BOYD, Ms. DELAURO, and Mr. WATT of North Carolina.
H.R. 164: Mr. FORD and Mrs. EMERSON.
H.R. 371: Mr. CUNNINGHAM.
H.R. 532: Mr. MCCRERY, Mr. ACKERMAN, and Mr. HYDE.
H.R. 586: Mr. SHERMAN and Mr. MOLLOHAN.
H.R. 598: Mr. BONILLA.
H.R. 611: Mr. FORD and Mr. CUMMINGS.
H.R. 641: Mr. TALENT.
H.R. 715: Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey and Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland.
H.R. 716: Mr. PAXON.
H.R. 758: Mr. DOOLITTLE.
H.R. 836: Mr. CAMPBELL, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, and Mr. DINGELL.
H.R. 853: Mr. KUCINICH.
H.R. 857: Mr. GOODLATTE and Mr. BISHOP.
H.R. 859: Mr. UPTON.
H.R. 884: Ms. NORTON and Ms. PELOSI.
H.R. 922: Mr. QUINN, Mr. CALLAHAN, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. CLEMENT, and Mrs. LINDA SMITH of Washington.
H.R. 923: Mr. QUINN, Mr. CALLAHAN, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. CLEMENT, and Mrs. LINDA SMITH of Washington.
H.R. 981: Mr. FORD, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, and Mr. LAFALCE.
H.R. 982: Mr. LAFALCE.
H.R. 1023: Mr. ROGERS.
H.R. 1056: Mr. CANADY of Florida.
H.R. 1071: Mr. PAUL.
H.R. 1117: Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. YATES, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. ETHERIDGE, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. MILLER of California, Ms. NORTON, Mr. TIERNEY, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. BENTSEN, Mr. HALL of Texas, Ms. STABENOW, Mr. TOWNS, Ms. FURSE, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. LEACH, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. SAWYER, Mr. RUSH, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. OLVER, Mr. WISE, Mr. THOMPSON, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. TORRES, Mr. KENNEDY of Massachusetts, Mr. PAYNE, Mr. MARKEY, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. FORD, Mr. SHERMAN, Mrs. TAUSCHER, and Mr. VENTO.
H.R. 1126: Mr. CLYBURN.
H.R. 1132: Mr. FOX of Pennsylvania.
H.R. 1176: Mr. GUTIERREZ.
H.R. 1191: Mr. SANDERS.

H.R. 1281: Mr. BROWN of Ohio.
H.R. 1284: Mr. SERRANO.
H.R. 1334: Mr. ALLEN.
H.R. 1362: Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. RUSH, Mr. BOYD, Mr. STUPAK, and Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut.
H.R. 1367: Mr. KUCINICH.
H.R. 1375: Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Mr. WOLF, and Ms. DANNER.
H.R. 1376: Ms. JACKSON-LEE, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. MARKEY, and Mr. CLEMENT.
H.R. 1390: Mr. DOYLE.
H.R. 1408: Mr. SHAYS.
H.R. 1425: Ms. JACKSON-LEE.
H.R. 1450: Mr. HAMILTON.
H.R. 1525: Mr. HORN.
H.R. 1539: Mr. YOUNG of Alaska and Mr. WOLF.
H.R. 1573: Mr. GREEN, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. KIND of Wisconsin, and Mr. FORD.
H.R. 1584: Mr. PAUL.
H.R. 1595: Mr. LATOURETTE, Mrs. NORTHUP, Mr. BRYANT, and Mr. PORTER.
H.R. 1656: Mr. PAYNE.
H.R. 1711: Mr. CANADY of Florida, Mr. KIM, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. COBLE, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mr. BAKER, and Mr. SNOWBARGER.
H.R. 1736: Mr. FORD and Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD.
H.R. 1737: Mr. SANDERS.
H.R. 1766: Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. BISHOP, Mr. BONILLA, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. CALLAHAN, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. DEFazio, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. HEFLEY, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. MASCARA, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. McHUGH, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. MILLER of California, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. ROEMER, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. SCOTT, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. SISISKY, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. SPRATT, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Mrs. LOWEY, Mr. RILEY, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. CANNON, Mr. FOLEY, and Mr. CLYBURN.
H.R. 1951: Mr. EVANS, Mr. WATT of North Carolina, Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. BALDACCIO, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. LUTHER, Mr. LANTOS, and Mr. DIXON.
H.R. 1987: Mrs. CLAYTON, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. DELLUMS, and Mr. FORD.
H.R. 2009: Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. EHRLICH, Mr. STUPAK, Ms. PELOSI, Ms. RIVERS, and Mr. TIERNEY.
H.R. 2020: Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. DAVIS of Illinois, Mr. REDMOND, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. JACKSON, Mr. GUTIERREZ, Mr. RUSH, Mr. RYUN, and Ms. KAPTUR.
H.R. 2021: Mr. WELDON of Florida.
H.R. 2023: Mrs. KENNELLY of Connecticut.
H.R. 2070: Mr. SHERMAN.
H.R. 2088: Mr. PAPPAS, Mr. THOMPSON, and Mrs. NORTHUP.
H.R. 2110: Ms. LOFGREN and Mr. PAYNE.
H.R. 2125: Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey and Mr. PAYNE.
H.R. 2149: Ms. PELOSI.
H.R. 2173: Mr. HORN, Mr. COOKSEY, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. LAMPSON, and Mr. ENGLISH of Pennsylvania.
H.R. 2191: Mr. STEARNS and Mr. PEASE.
H.R. 2374: Mr. ACKERMAN, Mrs. KENNELLY of Connecticut, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. MANTON, and Ms. LOFGREN.
H.R. 2392: Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania.
H.R. 2397: Mr. GOODLATTE, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. PAYNE, and Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota.
H.R. 2409: Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. CUMMINGS, Mr. VENTO, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, and Mr. PAYNE.
H.R. 2457: Mr. GREEN.
H.R. 2459: Mr. BACHUS.
H.R. 2495: Mr. WATT of North Carolina.
H.R. 2499: Mr. COOK, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. PICKETT, Mr. BACHUS, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. MOLLOHAN, Mr.