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H.J. Res. 2. Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States with respect to the number of terms of office of Members of the Senate and the House of Representatives; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina (for himself, Mr. DORNAN, Mr. SANFORD, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. GOSS, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. DICKEY, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. SALMON, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. DAVIS, Mr. HEINEMAN, Mr. CHABOT, Mrs. SMITH of Washington, Mr. GANSKE, Mr. CHRYSLER, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. COOLEY, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. FOX, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. SHAD-EGG, Mr. METCALF, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. BASS, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. FORBES, Mr. BLUTE, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. KIM, Mr. RIGGS, Mr. LONGLEY, Mr. COX, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mr. BAKER of California, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. COBURN, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. ROTH, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. STUMP, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. ALLARD, Mr. BONO, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. TATE, Ms. DUNN, and Mr. TALENT):

H.J. Res. 3. Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States limiting the period of time U.S. Senators and Representatives may serve; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. ALLARD (for himself, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. BARCIA of Michigan, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. CONDIT, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. EMERSON, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. GILCHREST, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. HEFLEY, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. KNOLLEN-

BERG, Ms. MOLINARI, Mr. OXLEY, Mr. QUILLEN, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. ROTH, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. SCHAEFER, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. STUMP, Mr. TALENT, Mr. WALSH, and Mr. WILSON):

H.J. Res. 4. Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States allowing an item veto in appropriations bills; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. MCCOLLUM (for himself, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. LIGHTFOOT, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. POMBO, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. BUYER, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. STUMP, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mr. MCKEON, Mr. ALLARD, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. CALVERT, Ms. PRYCE, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. DEAL, Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. SCHAEFER, Mr. WILSON, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Ms. HARMAN, Mr. GOSS, Mr. TALENT, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, and Mr. FORBES):

H.J. Res. 5. Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to provide for 4-year terms for Representatives and to limit the number of terms Senators and Representatives may serve; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SPENCE (for himself, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. RICHARDSON, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. GOSS, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. GIBBONS, Mr. PETERSON of Florida, Mrs. FOWLER, Mr. CANADY, Mr. SHAW, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Mr. SCARBOROUGH, Ms. ROS-LEHTINEN, Mr. FOLEY, and Mr. WELDON of Florida):

H. Con. Res. 1. Concurrent resolution recognizing the sacrifice and courage of Army Warrant Officers David Hilemon and Bobby W. Hall II, whose helicopter was shot down over North Korea on December 17, 1994; to the Committee on National Security.

By Mr. BOEHNER:

H. Res. 1. Resolution electing officers of the House of Representatives; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. ARMEY:

H. Res. 2. Resolution to inform the Senate that a quorum of the House has assembled and of the election of the Speaker and the Clerk; considered and agreed to.

H. Res. 3. Resolution authorizing the Speaker to appoint a committee to notify the President of the assembly of the Congress; considered and agreed to.

H. Res. 4. Resolution authorizing the Clerk to inform the President of the election of the Speaker and the Clerk; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. SOLOMON:

H. Res. 5. Resolution providing for the consideration of the resolution (H. Res. 6) adopting the Rules of the House of Representatives for the 104th Congress; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. ARMEY:

H. Res. 6. Resolution adopting the Rules of the House of Representatives for the 104th Congress; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. GEPHARDT:

H. Res. 7. Resolution providing for the designation of certain minority employees; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. SOLOMON:

H. Res. 8. Resolution fixing the daily hour of meeting for the 104th Congress; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. ARMEY:

H. Res. 9. Resolution providing amounts for the Republican Steering Committee and the Democratic Policy Committee; considered and agreed to.

H. Res. 10. Resolution providing for the transfer of two employee positions; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. BOEHNER:

H. Res. 11. Resolution designating majority membership on certain standing committees of the House; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. FAZIO:

H. Res. 12. Resolution designating minority membership on certain standing committees of the House; considered and agreed to.

H. Res. 13. Resolution electing Representative BERNARD SANDERS of Vermont to standing committees; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. LINDER:

H. Res. 14. Resolution providing for the consideration of a joint resolution (H.J. Res. 2) proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States with respect to the number of terms of office of Members of the Senate and the House of Representatives; to the Committee on Rules.

¶1.58 MEMORIALS

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

1. By the SPEAKER: Memorial of the General Assembly of the State of California, relative to air standards in places of employment; to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

2. Also, memorial of the General Assembly of the State of California, relative to the Industry of the Month Program; to the Committee on Commerce.

3. Also, memorial of the General Assembly of the State of California, relative to Peace Corps' World Wise Schools Program; to the Committee on International Relations.

4. Also, memorial of the General Assembly of the State of California, relative to the Osaka Prefectural Government; to the Committee on International Relations.

5. Also, memorial of the General Assembly of the State of California, relative to Code Enforcement Week; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

6. Also, memorial of the General Assembly of the State of California, relative to Italian Americans; to the Committee on House Oversight.

7. Also, memorial of the General Assembly of the State of California, relative to the memorial highways; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

8. Also, memorial of the General Assembly of the State of California, relative to the Roger Van Den Broeke Memorial Plaque; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

9. Also, memorial of the General Assembly of the State of California, relative to the Veterans' Memorial Freeway; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

10. Also, memorial of the General Assembly of the State of California, relative to the Veterans' Memorial Freeway; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

11. Also, memorial of the General Assembly of the State of California, relative to Stone Turnpike Memorial Freeway; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

12. Also, memorial of the General Assembly of the State of California, relative to special highway designations; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

13. Also, memorial of the General Assembly of the State of California, relative to the H. Dana Bowers Memorial Vista Point; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

14. Also, memorial of the General Assembly of the State of California, relative to State trade and commerce with Japan and

other Pacific rim nations; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

¶1.59 PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 1 of rule XXII, private bills and resolutions were introduced and severally referred as follows:

By Mr. DICKEY:

H.R. 410. A bill for the relief of the estate of Wallace B. Sawyer, Jr., to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. GOSS:

H.R. 412. A bill to authorize the Secretary of Transportation to issue a certificate of documentation with appropriate endorsement for employment in the coastwise trade for the vessel *Finesse*; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

H.R. 413. A bill to authorize issuance of a certificate of documentation with appropriate endorsement for the vessel *Smalley 6808* amphibious dredge; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

H.R. 414. A bill to authorize issuance of a certificate of documentation with appropriate endorsement for the vessel *REEL TOY*; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. HAMILTON:

H.R. 415. A bill for the relief of Gerald Albert Carriere; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. JACOBS:

H.R. 416. A bill for the relief of Sara Lou Hendricks; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. KANJORSKI (by request):

H.R. 417. A bill for the relief of Charmaine Bieda; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. STUPAK:

H.R. 418. A bill for the relief of Arthur J. Carron, Jr.; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. TALENT:

H.R. 419. A bill for the relief of Benchmark Rail Group, Inc.; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

¶1.60 PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 1 of rule XXII,

1. The SPEAKER presented a petition of the Embassy of the Argentine Republic, relative to GATT; which was referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 5, 1995 (2)

¶2.1 DESIGNATION OF SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The House was called to order by the SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, who laid before the House the following communication:

WASHINGTON, DC,
January 5, 1995.

I hereby designate the Honorable F. JAMES SENSENBRENNER, Jr., to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NEWT GINGRICH,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

¶2.2 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Wednesday, January 4, 1995.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal was approved.

And then,

¶2.3 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. VOLKMER, pursuant to the special order agreed to on

January 5 (legislative day of January 4), 1995, at 11 o'clock and 47 minutes a.m., the House adjourned until 2 o'clock p.m. on Monday, January 9, 1995.

¶2.4 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. WALKER:

H.R. 12. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to exclude from the gross estate the value of land subject to a qualified conservation easement if certain conditions are satisfied, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. WALKER (for himself, Mr. KA-

SICH, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. ALLARD, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. BAKER of California, Mr. BAKER of Louisiana, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. BLILEY, Mr. BLUTE, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. BONILLA, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. CAMP, Mr. CANADY, Mr. COBLE, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. COX, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. DORNAN, Mr. DUNCAN, Ms. DUNN, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. EWING, Mr. FAWELL, Mr. FOX, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, Mr. FRISA, Mr. GEKAS, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. GOSS, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. HANCOCK, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. HEFLEY, Mr. HERGER, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. KLUG, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. LIGHTFOOT, Mr. LINDER, Mr. LUCAS, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. MCCRERY, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. NUSSLE, Mr. OXLEY, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. PAXON, Mr. PORTMAN, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. SALMON, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. STUMP, Mr. TORKILDSEN, Mr. UPTON, Mrs. VUCANOVICH, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, and Mr. ZIMMER):

H.R. 13. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow individuals to designate that up to 10 percent of their income tax liability be used to reduce the national debt, and to require spending reductions equal to the amounts so designated; to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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.

By Mr. LEACH:

H.R. 14. A bill to repeal the exemption from disclosure requirement for municipal securities, and to require the Securities and Exchange Commission to public model disclosure forms to facilitate compliance with the disclosure requirements; to the Committee on Commerce.

H.R. 15. A bill to amend the Federal Reserve Act to provide for the appointment of the presidents of the Federal Reserve banks by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. DINGELL:

H.R. 16. A bill to provide a program of national health insurance, and for other purposes; 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 consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

By Mr. LEACH:

H.R. 17. A bill to establish the Federal Bank Agency, to abolish the positions of the Comptroller of the Currency and Director of the Office of Thrift Supervision, to consolidate and reform the regulation of insured depository institutions, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

H.R. 18. A bill to enhance competition in the financial services industry by providing prudential framework for the affiliation of banks and securities firms; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services, 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. LEACH and Mr. SCHUMER (for themselves, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, and Mr. BEREUTER):

H.R. 19. A bill to encourage foreign countries to accord national treatment to United States banking, securities, and insurance organizations that operate or seek to operate in those countries; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Service, and in addition to the Committees on Commerce, 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 Mr. LEACH:

H.R. 20. A bill to provide a framework to improve risk management techniques at financial institutions, including the prudential use of derivative products; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services, and in addition to the Committees on Commerce, and Agriculture, 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. GILMAN:

H.R. 21. A bill to amend section 3 of the United States Housing Act of 1937 to more accurately determine the median income for Rockland County, NY, for purposes of housing programs administered by the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

H.R. 22. A bill to establish the position of Coordinator for Counterterrorism within the office of the Secretary of State; to the Committee on International Relations.

H.R. 23. A bill to direct the Secretary of Health and Human Services to establish a schedule of preventive health care services and to provide for coverage of such services in accordance with such schedule under private health insurance plans and health benefit programs of the Federal Government, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, Government Reform and Oversight, Veterans' Affairs, and National Security, 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. SMITH of New Jersey (for himself, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. ZIMMER, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, and Mr. MINGE):

H.R. 24. A bill to amend the Solid Waste Disposal Act to provide congressional authorization for State control over transportation of municipal solid waste, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. BLILEY:

H.R. 25. A bill to amend part B of title XVIII of the Social Security Act to make technical corrections relating to the enact-