

# JOURNAL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

## CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES

Begun and held at the Capitol, in the City of Washington, in the District of Columbia, on Wednesday, the fourth day of January, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and ninety-five, being the *first session* of the ONE HUNDRED FOURTH CONGRESS, held under the Constitution of the United States, and in the two hundred and nineteenth year of the independence of the United States.

### WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 4, 1995 (1)

On which day, being the day fixed by the 20th Amendment to the Constitution of the United States and Public Law 103-395, Mr. Donald K. Anderson, Clerk of the House of Representatives, pursuant to 2 U.S.C. 26, at 12 o'clock noon, called the House to order.

#### ¶1.1 COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK— CERTIFICATES OF ELECTION— ALABAMA

The Clerk laid before the House a communication, which was read as follows:

STATE OF ALABAMA,  
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE,  
*Montgomery, AL, December 19, 1994.*

Hon. DONNALD K. ANDERSON,  
*Clerk,  
U.S. House of Representatives,  
Washington, DC.*

DEAR MR. ANDERSON: According to the unofficial results of the election held on November 8, 1994, in the state of Alabama, the following individuals received a majority of the votes for a term of two years beginning on January 3, 1995, to the United States House of Representatives:

Sonny Callahan—1st District.  
Terry Everett—2nd District.  
Glen Browder—3rd District.  
Tom Beville—4th District.  
Robert E. (Bud) Cramer, Jr.—5th District.  
Spencer Bachus—6th District.  
Earl F. Hilliard—7th District.

The official results and certificates of election will be transmitted to you as soon as I am authorized to do so. Should the official results differ from this in any way, I will notify you immediately.

Sincerely,

JIM BENNETT,  
*Secretary of State.*

Accordingly, by unanimous consent, the Representatives-elect from the State of Alabama were allowed to record their presence by electronic device and also to vote on the election of the Speaker.

#### ¶1.2 CALL OF THE ROLL

The Clerk, by unanimous consent, announced a call by states of the roll, by electronic device, of the Members-elect whose credentials had been received and the foregoing named Members-elect of the State of Alabama, when the following Members-elect responded:

#### ¶1.3 [Roll No. 1] ANSWERED "PRESENT"—432

##### ALABAMA

Bevill	Hilliard	Everett
Browder	Bachus	
Cramer	Callahan	

##### ALASKA

Young

##### ARIZONA

Pastor	Kolbe	Shadegg
Hayworth	Salmon	Stump

##### ARKANSAS

Dickey	Lambert-Lincoln
Hutchinson	Thornton

##### CALIFORNIA

Baker	Farr	Packard
Becerra	Fazio	Pelosi
Beilenson	Filner	Pombo
Berman	Galleghy	Radanovich
Bilbray	Harman	Riggs
Bono	Herger	Rohrabacher
Brown	Horn	Roybal-Allard
Calvert	Hunter	Royce
Condit	Kim	Seastrand
Cox	Lantos	Stark
Cunningham	Lewis	Thomas
Dellums	Lofgren	Torres
Dixon	Martinez	Tucker
Dooley	Matsui	Waters
Doolittle	McKeon	Waxman
Dornan	Miller	Woolsey
Dreier	Mineta	
Eshoo	Moorhead	

##### COLORADO

Allard	McInnis	Schroeder
Hefley	Schaefer	Skaggs

##### CONNECTICUT

DeLauro	Gejdenson	Kennelly
Franks	Johnson	Shays

##### DELAWARE

Castle

##### FLORIDA

Bilirakis	Goss	Ros-Lehtinen
Brown	Hastings	Scarborough
Canady	Johnston	Shaw
Deutsch	McCollum	Stearns
Diaz-Balart	Meek	Thurman
Foley	Mica	Weldon
Fowler	Miller	Young
Gibbons	Peterson	

##### GEORGIA

Barr	Deal	Linder
Bishop	Gingrich	McKinney
Chambliss	Kingston	Norwood
Collins	Lewis	

##### HAWAII

Abercrombie Mink

##### IDAHO

Chenoweth Crapo

##### ILLINOIS

Collins	Flanagan	Porter
Costello	Gutierrez	Poshard
Crane	Hastert	Reynolds
Durbin	Hyde	Rush
Evans	LaHood	Weller
Ewing	Lipinski	Yates
Fawell	Manzullo	

##### INDIANA

Burton	Jacobs	Souder
Buyer	McIntosh	Visclosky
Hamilton	Myers	
Hostettler	Roemer	

##### IOWA

Ganske	Leach	Nussle
Latham	Lightfoot	

##### KANSAS

Brownback	Roberts	
Meyers	Tiahrt	
Baesler	Lewis	Ward
Bunning	Rogers	Whitfield

##### LOUISIANA

Baker	Jefferson	Tauzin
Fields	Livingston	
Hayes	McCrery	

##### MAINE

Baldacci Longley

##### MARYLAND

Bartlett	Gilchrist	Morella
Cardin	Hoyer	Wynn
Ehrlich	Mfume	

MASSACHUSETTS  
Blute Meehan Studts  
Frank Moakley Torokildsen  
Kennedy Neal  
Markey Olver

MICHIGAN  
Barcia Dingell Levin  
Bonior Ehlers Rivers  
Camp Hoekstra Stupak  
Chrysler Kildee Smith  
Conyers Knollenberg Upton

MINNESOTA  
Gutknecht Oberstar Sabo  
Luther Peterson Vento  
Minge Ramstad

MISSISSIPPI  
Montgomery Taylor Wicker  
Parker Thompson

MISSOURI  
Clay Gephardt Skelton  
Danner Hancock Talent  
Emerson McCarthy Volkmer

MONTANA  
Williams

NEBRASKA  
Barrett Bereuter Christensen

NEVADA  
Ensign Vucanovich

NEW HAMPSHIRE  
Bass Zeliff

NEW JERSEY  
Andrews Menendez Smith  
Franks Pallone Torricelli  
Frelinghuysen Payne Zimmer  
LoBiondo Roukema  
Martini Saxton

NEW MEXICO  
Richardson Schiff Skeen

NEW YORK  
Ackerman LaFalce Paxon  
Boehlert Lazio Quinn  
Engel Lowey Rangel  
Flake Maloney Schumer  
Forbes Manton Serrano  
Frisa McHugh Slaughter  
Hinchev McNulty Solomon  
Houghton Molinari Towns  
Kelly Nadler Velazquez  
King Owens Walsh

NORTH CAROLINA  
Ballenger Funderburk Myrick  
Burr Hefner Rose  
Clayton Heineman Taylor  
Coble Jones Watt

NORTH DAKOTA  
Pomeroy

OHIO  
Boehner Hoke Pryce  
Brown Kaptur Regula  
Chabot Kasich Sawyer  
Creameans LaTourette Stokes  
Gillmor Ney Traficant  
Hall Oxley  
Hobson Portman

OKLAHOMA  
Brewster Istook Lucas  
Coburn Largent

OREGON  
Bunn DeFazio Wyden  
Cooley Furse

PENNSYLVANIA  
Borski Fox Mascara  
Clinger Gekas McDade  
Coyne Goodling McHale  
Doyle Greenwood Murtha  
English Holden Shuster  
Fattah Kanjorski Walker  
Foglietta Klink Weldon

RHODE ISLAND  
Kennedy Reed  
SOUTH CAROLINA  
Clyburn Inglis Spence  
Graham Sanford Spratt

SOUTH DAKOTA  
Johnson  
TENNESSEE  
Bryant Ford Quillen  
Clement Gordon Tanner  
Duncan Hilleary Wamp

TEXAS  
Archer DeLay Johnson, E. B.  
Armey Doggett Johnson, Sam  
Barton Edwards Laughlin  
Bentsen Fields Ortiz  
Bonilla Frost Smith  
Bryant Geren Stenholm  
Chapman Gonzalez Stockman  
Coleman Green Tejada  
Combest Hall Thornberry  
de la Garza Jackson-Lee Wilson

UTAH  
Hansen Orton Waldholtz

VERMONT  
Sanders

VIRGINIA  
Bateman Goodlatte Scott  
Bliley Moran Sisisky  
Boucher Payne Wolf  
Davis Pickett

WASHINGTON  
Dicks McDermott Smith  
Dunn Metcalf Tate  
Hastings Nethercutt White

WEST VIRGINIA  
Mollohan Rahall Wise

WISCONSIN  
Barrett Klug Petri  
Gunderson Neumann Roth  
Klecza Obey Sensenbrenner

WYOMING  
Cubin

The roll having been completed, the Clerk announced 432 Members had been recorded, a quorum.

¶1.4 CREDENTIALS OF DELEGATES-ELECT AND RESIDENT COMMISSIONER-ELECTED

The Clerk made the following statement: "The Chair will state that the credentials regular in form have been received showing the election of the Honorable Carlos Romero Barcelo as Resident Commissioner of Puerto Rico for the term of 4 years beginning January 3, 1993; the election of the Honorable Eleanor Holmes Norton as Delegate from the District of Columbia; the election of the Honorable Robert A. Underwood as Delegate from Guam; the election of the Honorable Victor Frazer as Delegate from the Virgin Islands; and the election of the Honorable Eni F.H. Faleomavaega as Delegate from American Samoa".

¶1.5 ELECTION OF THE SPEAKER

Mr. BOEHNER nominated Mr. NEWT GINGRICH, a Member-elect from the 6th District of the State of Georgia.

Mr. FAZIO nominated Mr. RICHARD A. GEPHARDT, a Member-elect from the 3rd District of the State of Missouri.

There being no further nominations, The Clerk then appointed Messrs. THOMAS and FAZIO, Mmes. ROUKEMA

and SCHROEDER, tellers to canvas the vote on the election of the Speaker. Whereupon the House proceeded to vote for a Speaker.

¶1.6 [Roll No. 2] GINGRICH—228

Allard	Frelinghuysen	Morella
Archer	Frisa	Myers
Armey	Funderburk	Myrick
Bachus	Gallely	Nethercutt
Baker (CA)	Ganske	Neumann
Baker (LA)	Gekas	Ney
Ballenger	Gilchrest	Norwood
Barr	Gillmor	Nussle
Barrett (NE)	Gilman	Oxley
Bartlett	Goodlatte	Packard
Barton	Goodling	Paxon
Bass	Goss	Petri
Bateman	Graham	Pombo
Bereuter	Greenwood	Porter
Bilbray	Gunderson	Portman
Bilirakis	Gutknecht	Pryce
Bliley	Hancock	Quillen
Blute	Hansen	Quinn
Boehlert	Hastert	Radanovich
Boehner	Hastings (WA)	Ramstad
Bonilla	Hayworth	Regula
Bono	Hefley	Riggs
Brownback	Heineman	Roberts
Bryant (TN)	Herger	Rogers
Bunn	Hilleary	Rohrabacher
Bunning	Hobson	Ros-Lehtinen
Burr	Hoekstra	Roth
Burton	Hoke	Roukema
Buyer	Horn	Royce
Callahan	Hostettler	Salmon
Calvert	Houghton	Sanford
Camp	Hunter	Saxton
Canady	Hutchinson	Scarborough
Castle	Hyde	Schaefer
Chabot	Inglis	Schiff
Chambliss	Istook	Seastrand
Chenoweth	Johnson (CT)	Sensenbrenner
Christensen	Johnson, Sam	Shadegg
Chrysler	Jones	Shaw
Clinger	Kasich	Shays
Coble	Kelly	Shuster
Coburn	Kim	Skeen
Collins (GA)	King	Smith (MI)
Combest	Kingston	Smith (NJ)
Cooley	Klug	Smith (TX)
Cox	Knollenberg	Smith (WA)
Crane	Kolbe	Solomon
Crapo	LaHood	Souder
Creameans	Largent	Spence
Cubin	Latham	Stearns
Cunningham	LaTourette	Stockman
Davis	Lazio	Stump
DeLay	Leach	Talent
Diaz-Balart	Lewis (CA)	Tate
Dickey	Lewis (KY)	Taylor (NC)
Doolittle	Lightfoot	Thomas
Dornan	Linder	Thornberry
Dreier	Livingston	Tiahrt
Duncan	LoBiondo	Torokildsen
Dunn	Longley	Upton
Ehlers	Lucas	Vucanovich
Ehrlich	Manzullo	Waldholtz
Emerson	Martini	Walker
English	McCollum	Walsh
Ensign	McCrery	Wamp
Everett	McDade	Weldon (FL)
Ewing	McHugh	Weldon (PA)
Fawell	McInnis	Weller
Fields (TX)	McIntosh	White
Flanagan	McKeon	Whitfield
Foley	Metcalf	Wicker
Forbes	Meyers	Wolf
Fowler	Mica	Young (AK)
Fox	Miller (FL)	Young (FL)
Franks (CT)	Molinari	Zeliff
Franks (NJ)	Moorhead	Zimmer

GEPHARDT—202

Abercrombie	Bonior	Clement
Ackerman	Borski	Clyburn
Andrews	Boucher	Coleman
Baessler	Brewster	Collins (IL)
Baldacci	Browder	Collins (MI)
Barcia	Brown (CA)	Condit
Barrett (WI)	Brown (FL)	Conyers
Becerra	Brown (OH)	Costello
Beilenson	Bryant (TX)	Coyne
Bentsen	Cardin	Cramer
Berman	Chapman	Danner
Bevill	Clay	de la Garza
Bishop	Clayton	Deal

DeFazio	Kildee	Rahall
DeLauro	Kleczka	Rangel
Dellums	Klink	Reed
Deutsch	LaFalce	Reynolds
Dicks	Lambert-Lincoln	Richardson
Dingell	Lantos	Rivers
Dixon	Laughlin	Roemer
Doggett	Levin	Rose
Dooley	Lewis (GA)	Roybal-Allard
Doyle	Lipinski	Rush
Durbin	Lofgren	Sabo
Edwards	Lowey	Sanders
Engel	Luther	Sawyer
Eshoo	Maloney	Schroeder
Evans	Manton	Schumer
Farr	Markey	Scott
Fattah	Martinez	Serrano
Fazio	Mascara	Sisisky
Fields (LA)	Matsui	Skaggs
Filner	McCarthy	Skelton
Flake	McDermott	Slaughter
Foglietta	McHale	Spratt
Ford	McKinney	Stark
Frank (MA)	McNulty	Stenholm
Frost	Meehan	Stokes
Furse	Meeke	Studds
Gejdenson	Menendez	Stupak
Geren	Mfume	Tanner
Gibbons	Miller (CA)	Tauzin
Gonzalez	Mineta	Tejeda
Gordon	Minge	Thompson
Green	Mink	Thornton
Gutierrez	Moakley	Thurman
Hall (OH)	Mollohan	Torres
Hall (TX)	Montgomery	Torricelli
Hamilton	Moran	Towns
Harman	Murtha	Traficant
Hastings (FL)	Nadler	Tucker
Hayes	Neal	Velazquez
Hefner	Oberstar	Vento
Hilliard	Obey	Visclosky
Hinchee	Olver	Volkmer
Holden	Ortiz	Ward
Hoyer	Orton	Waters
Jackson-Lee	Owens	Watt (NC)
Jacobs	Pallone	Waxman
Jefferson	Pastor	Williams
Johnson (SD)	Payne (NJ)	Wilson
Johnson, E. B.	Payne (VA)	Wise
Johnston	Pelosi	Woolsey
Kanjorski	Peterson (FL)	Wyden
Kaptur	Peterson (MN)	Wynn
Kennedy (MA)	Pickett	Yates
Kennedy (RI)	Pomeroy	
Kennelly	Poshard	

## ANSWERED "PRESENT"—4

Gephardt	Parker
Gingrich	Taylor (MS)

¶1.7 The roll having been completed, the Clerk announced that the tellers had reached an agreement that the total number of votes cast were 434 of which number Mr. NEWT GINGRICH received 228; Mr. RICHARD A. GEPHARDT received 202. Mr. NEWT GINGRICH, of Georgia, having received 228 votes, being the largest number cast for any Member-elect and a majority of the whole number of votes cast, was declared by the Clerk to have been duly elected Speaker of the House of Representatives for the 104th Congress.

The Clerk announced the appointment of Mr. GEPHARDT, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. DELAY, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. Fazio, Mr. COLLINS OF GEORGIA, Mr. LEWIS OF GEORGIA, Mr. BISHOP, Mr. DEAL, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. LINDER, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. BARR, Mr. CHAMBLISS, and Mr. NORWOOD to escort the Speaker to the Chair.

The SPEAKER was escorted to the Chair by said committee and, following an introduction by Mr. GEPHARDT, addressed the House as follows:

"Let me say first of all that I am deeply grateful to my good friend, DICK GEPHARDT. When my side maybe overreacted to your statement about ending 40 years of Democratic rule, I could

not help but look over at Bob Michel, who has often been up here and who knows that everything DICK said was true. This is difficult and painful to lose, and on my side of the aisle, we have for 20 elections been on the losing side. Yet there is something so wonderful about the process by which a free people decides things.

"In my own case, I lost two elections, and with the good help of my friend VIC FAZIO came close to losing two others. I am sorry, guys, it just did not quite work out. Yet I can tell you that every time when the polls closed and I waited for the votes to come in, I felt good, because win or lose, we have been part of this process.

"In a little while, I am going to ask the dean of the House, JOHN DINGELL, to swear me in, to insist on the bipartisan nature of the way in which we together work in this House. JOHN's father was one of the great stalwarts of the New Deal, a man who, as an FDR Democrat, created modern America. I think that JOHN and his father represent a tradition that we all have to recognize and respect, and recognize that the America we are now going to try to lead grew from that tradition and is part of that great heritage.

"I also want to take just a moment to thank Speaker Foley, who was extraordinarily generous, both in his public utterances and in everything that he and Mrs. Foley did to help Marianne and me, and to help our staff make the transition. I think that he worked very hard to reestablish the dignity of the House. We can all be proud of the reputation that he takes and of the spirit with which he led the speakership. Our best wishes go to Speaker and Mrs. Foley.

"I also want to thank the various house officers, who have been just extraordinary. I want to say for the public record that faced with a result none of them wanted, in a situation I suspect none of them expected, that within 48 hours every officer of this House reacted as a patriot, worked overtime, bent over backwards, and in every way helped us. I am very grateful, and this House I think owes a debt of gratitude to every officer that the Democrats elected 2 years ago.

"This is an historic moment. I was asked over and over, how did it feel, and the only word that comes close to adequate is overwhelming. I feel overwhelmed in every way, overwhelmed by all the Georgians who came up, overwhelmed by my extended family that is here, overwhelmed by the historic moment. I walked out and stood on the balcony just outside of the Speaker's office, looking down the Mall this morning, very early. I was just overwhelmed by the view, with two men I will introduce and know very, very well. Just the sense of being part of America, being part of this great tradition, is truly overwhelming.

"I have two gavels. Actually, DICK happened to use one. Maybe this was appropriate. This was a Georgia gavel I just got this morning, done by Dorsey

Newman of Tallapoosa. He decided that the gavels he saw on TV weren't big enough or strong enough, so he cut down a walnut tree in his backyard, make a gavel, put a commemorative item on it, and sent it up here.

"So this is a genuine Georgia gavel, and I am the first Georgia Speaker in over 100 years. The last one, by the way, had a weird accent, too. Speaker Crisp was born in Britain. His parents were actors and they came to the United States—a good word, by the way, for the value we get from immigration.

"Second, this is the gavel that Speaker Martin used. I am not sure what it says about the inflation of Government, to put them side by side, but this was the gavel used by the last Republican Speaker.

"I want to comment for a minute on two men who served as my leaders, from whom I learned so much and who are here today. When I arrived as a freshman, the Republican Party, deeply dispirited by Watergate and by the loss of the Presidency, banded together and worked with a leader who helped pave the way for our great party victory of 1980, a man who just did a marvelous job. I cannot speak too highly of what I learned about integrity and leadership and courage from serving with him in my freshman term. He is here with us again today. I hope all of you will recognize Congressman John Rhodes of Arizona.

"I want to say also that at our request, the second person was not sure he should be here at all, then he thought he was going to hide in the back of the room. I insisted that he come on down front, someone whom I regard as a mentor. I think virtually every Democrat in the House would say he is a man who genuinely cares about, loves the House, and represents the best spirit of the House. He is a man who I studied under and, on whom I hope as Speaker I can always rely for advice. I hope frankly I can emulate his commitment to this institution and his willingness to try to reach beyond his personal interest and partisanship. I hope all of you will join me in thanking for his years of service, Congressman Bob Michel of Illinois.

"I am very fortunate today. My mom and my dad are here, they are right up there in the gallery. Bob and Kit Gingrich. I am so delighted that they were both able to be here. Sometimes when you get to my age, you cannot have everyone near you that you would like to have. I cannot say how much I learned from my Dad and his years of serving in the U.S. Army and how much I learned from my Mother, who is clearly my most enthusiastic cheerleader.

"My daughters are here up in the gallery, too. They are Kathy Lovewith and her husband Paul, and Jackie and her husband Mark Zyler. Of course, the person who clearly is my closest friend and my best adviser and whom if I listened to about 20 percent more, I would get in less trouble, my wife Marianne, is in the gallery as well.

"I have a very large extended family between Marianne and me. They are virtually all in town, and we have done our part for the Washington tourist season. But I could not help, when I first came on the floor earlier, I saw a number of the young people who are here. I met a number of the children who are on the floor and the young adults, who are close to 12 years of age. I could not help but think that sitting in the back rail near the center of the House is one of my nephews, Kevin McPherson, who is 5. My nieces Susan Brown, who is 6, and Emily Brown, who is 8, and Laura McPherson, who is 9, are all back there, too. That is probably more than I was allowed to bring on, but they are my nieces and my nephews. I have two other nephews a little older who are sitting in the gallery.

"I could not help but think as a way I wanted to start the Speakership and to talk to every Member, that in a sense these young people around us are what this institution is really all about. Much more than the negative advertising and the interest groups and all the different things that make politics all too often cynical, nasty, and sometimes frankly just plan miserable, what makes politics worthwhile is the choice, as DICK GEPHARDT said, between what we see so tragically on the evening news and the way we try to work very hard to make this system of free, representative self-government work. The ultimate reason for doing that is these children, the country they will inherit, and the world they will live in.

"We are starting the 104th Congress. I do not know if you have every thought about this, but for 208 years, we bring together the most diverse country in the history of the world. We send all sorts of people here. Each of us could find at least one Member we thought was weird. I will tell you, if you went around the room the person chosen to be weird would be different for virtually every one of us. Because we do allow and insist upon the right of a free people to send an extraordinary diversity of people here.

"Brian Lamb of C-SPAN read to me Friday a phrase from de Tocqueville that was so central to the House. I have been reading Remini's biography of Henry Clay and Clay, as the first strong Speaker, always preferred the House. He preferred the House to the Senate although he served in both. He said the House is more vital, more active, more dynamic, and more common.

"This is what de Tocqueville wrote: 'Often there is not a distinguished man in the whole number. Its members are almost all obscure individuals whose names bring no associations to mind. They are mostly village lawyers, men in trade, or even persons belonging to the lower classes of society.'

"If we include women, I do not know that we would change much. But the word 'vulgar' in de Tocqueville's time had a very particular meaning. It is a

meaning the world would do well to study in this room. You see, de Tocqueville was an aristocrat. He lived in a world of kings and princes. The folks who come here do so by the one single act that their citizens freely chose them. I do not care what your ethnic background is, or your ideology. I do not care if you are younger or older. I do not care if you are born in America or if you are a naturalized citizen. Everyone of the 435 people have equal standing because their citizens freely sent them. Their voice should be heard and they should have a right to participate. It is the most marvelous act of a complex giant country trying to argue and talk. And, as DICK GEPHARDT said, to have a great debate, to reach great decisions, not through a civil war, not by bombing one of our regional capitals, not by killing a half million people, and not by having snipers. Let me say unequivocally, I condemn all acts of violence against the law by all people for all reasons. This is a society of law and a society of civil behavior.

"Here we are as commoners together, to some extent Democrats and Republicans, to some extent liberals and conservatives, but Americans all. STEVE GUNDERSON today gave me a copy of the "Portable Abraham Lincoln." He suggested there is much for me to learn about our party, but I would also say that it does not hurt to have a copy of the portable F.D.R.

"This is a great country of great people. If there is any one factor or acts of my life that strikes me as I stand up here as the first Republican in 40 years to do so. When I first became whip in 1989, Russia was beginning to change, the Soviet Union as it was then. Into my whip's office one day came eight Russians and a Lithuanian, members of the Communist Party, newspaper editors. They asked me, 'What does a whip do?'

"They said, 'In Russia we have never had a free parliament since 1917 and that was only for a few months, so what do you do?'

"I tried to explain, as DAVE BONIOR or TOM DELAY might now. It is a little strange if you are from a dictatorship to explain you are called the whip but you do not really have a whip, you are elected by the people you are supposed to pressure—other members. If you pressure them too much they will not reelect you. On the other hand if you do not pressure them enough they will not reelect you. Democracy is hard. It is frustrating.

"So our group came into the Chamber. The Lithuanian was a man in his late sixties, and I allowed him to come up here and sit and be Speaker, something many of us have done with constituents. Remember, this is the very beginning of perestroika and glasnost. When he came out of the chair, he was physically trembling. He was almost in tears. He said, 'Ever since World War II, I have remembered what the Americans did and I have never believed the propaganda. But I have to tell you, I

did not think in my life that I would be able to sit at the center of freedom.'

"It was one of the most overwhelming, compelling moments of my life. It struck me that something I could not help but think of when we were here with President Mandela. I went over and saw RON DELLUMS and thought of the great work RON had done to extend freedom across the planet. You get that sense of emotion when you see something so totally different than you had expected. Here was a man who reminded me first of all that while presidents are important, they are in effect an elected kingship, that this and the other body across the way are where freedom has to be fought out. That is the tradition I hope that we will take with us as we go to work.

"Today we had a bipartisan prayer service. FRANK WOLF made some very important points. He said, 'We have to recognize that many of our most painful problems as a country are moral problems, problems of dealing with ourselves and with life.'

"He said character is the key to leadership and we have to deal with that. He preached a little bit. I do not think he thought he was preaching, but he was. It was about a spirit of reconciliation. He talked about caring about our spouses and our children and our families. If we are not prepared to model our own family life beyond just having them here for 1 day, if we are not prepared to care about our children and we are not prepared to care about our families, then by what arrogance do we think we will transcend our behavior to care about others? That is why with Congressman GEPHARDT's help we have established a bipartisan task force on the family. We have established the principle that we are going to set schedules we stick to so families can count on time to be together, built around school schedules so that families can get to know each other, and not just by seeing us on C-SPAN.

"I will also say that means one of the strongest recommendations of the bipartisan committee, is that we have 17 minutes to vote. This is the bipartisan committee's recommendations, not just mine. They pointed out that if we take the time we spent in the last Congress where we waited for one more Member, and one more, and one more, that we literally can shorten the business and get people home if we will be strict and firm. At one point this year we had a 45-minute vote. I hope all of my colleagues are paying attention because we are in fact going to work very hard to have 17 minute votes and it is over. So, leave on the first bell, not the second bell. OK? This may seem particularly inappropriate to say on the first day because this will be the busiest day on opening day in congressional history.

"I want to read just a part of the Contract With America. I don't mean this as a partisan act, but rather to remind all of us what we are about to go through and why. Those of us who

ended up in the majority stood on these steps and signed a contract, and here is part of what it says:

On the first day of the 104th Congress the new Republican majority will immediately pass the following reforms aimed at restoring the faith and trust of the American people in their government: First, require all laws that apply to the rest of the country also to apply equally to the Congress. Second, select a major, independent auditing firm to conduct a comprehensive audit of the Congress for waste, fraud or abuse. Third, cut the number of House committees and cut committee staffs by a third. Fourth, limit the terms of all committee chairs. Fifth, ban the casting of proxy votes in committees. Sixth, require committee meetings to be open to the public. Seventh, require a three-fifths majority vote to pass a tax increase. Eighth, guarantee an honest accounting of our federal budget by implementing zero baseline budgeting.

"Now, I told DICK GEPHARDT last night that if I had to do it over again we would have pledged within 3 days that we will do these things, but that is not what we said. So we have ourselves in a little bit of a box here.

"Then we go a step further. I carry the T.V. Guide version of the contract with me at all times.

"We then say that within the first 100 days of the 104th Congress we shall bring to the House floor the following bills, each to be given full and open debate, each to be given a full and clear vote, and each to be immediately available for inspection. We made it available that day. We listed 10 items. A balanced budget amendment and line-item veto, a bill to stop violent criminals, emphasizing among other things an effective and enforceable death penalty. Third was welfare reform. Fourth, legislation protecting our kids. Fifth was to provide tax cuts for families. Sixth was a bill to strengthen our national defense. Seventh was a bill to raise the senior citizens' earning limit. Eighth was legislation rolling back Government regulations. Ninth was a commonsense legal reform bill, and tenth was congressional term limits legislation.

"Our commitment on our side, and this is an absolute obligation, is first of all to work today until we are done. I know that is going to inconvenience people who have families and supporters. But we were hired to do a job, and we have to start today to prove we will do it. Second, I would say to our friends in the Democratic Party that we are going to work with you, and we are really laying out a schedule working with the minority leader to make sure that we can set dates certain to go home. That does mean that if 2 or 3 weeks out we are running short we will, frankly, have longer sessions on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday. We will try to work this out on a bipartisan basis to, in a workmanlike way, get it done. It is going to mean the busiest early months since 1933.

"Beyond the Contract I think there are two giant challenges. I know I am a partisan figure. But I really hope today that I can speak for a minute to my friends in the Democratic Party as

well as my own colleagues, and speak to the country about these two challenges so that I hope we can have a real dialogue. One challenge is to achieve a balanced budget by 2002. I think both Democratic and Republican Governors will say we can do that but it is hard. I do not think we can do it in a year or two. I do not think we ought to lie to the American people. This is a huge, complicated job.

"The second challenge is to find a way to truly replace the current welfare state with an opportunity society.

"Let me talk very briefly about both challenges. First, on the balanced budget I think we can get it done. I think the baby boomers are now old enough that we can have an honest dialogue about priorities, about resources, about what works, and what does not work. Let me say I have already told Vice President GORE that we are going to invite him to address a Republican conference. We would have invited him in December but he had to go to Moscow, I believe there are grounds for us to talk together and to work together, to have hearings together, and to have task forces together. If we set priorities, if we apply the principles of Edwards Deming and of Peter Drucker we can build on the Vice President's reinventing government effort and we can focus on transforming, not just cutting. The choice becomes not just do you want more or do you want less, but are there ways to do it better? Can we learn from the private sector, can we learn from Ford, IBM, from Microsoft, from what General Motors has had to go through? I think on a bipartisan basis we owe it to our children and grandchildren to get this Government in order and to be able to actually pay our way. I think 2002 is a reasonable timeframe. I would hope that together we could open a dialogue with the American people.

"I have said that I think Social Security ought to be off limits, at least for the first 4 to 6 years of the process, because I think it will just destroy us if we try to bring it into the game. But let me say about everything else, whether it is Medicare, or it is agricultural subsidies, or it is defense or anything that I think the greatest Democratic President of the 20th century, and in my judgment the greatest President of the 20th century, said it right. On March 4, 1933, he stood in braces as a man who had polio at a time when nobody who had that kind of disability could be anything in public life. He was President of the United States, and he stood in front of this Capitol on a rainy March day and he said, 'We have nothing to fear but fear itself.' I want every one of us to reach out in that spirit and pledge to live up to that spirit, and I think frankly on a bipartisan basis. I would say to Members of the Black and Hispanic Caucuses that I would hope we could arrange by late spring to genuinely share districts. You could have a Republican who frankly may not know a thing about your district agree to come for a long weekend with

you, and you will agree to go for a long weekend with them. We begin a dialogue and an openness that is totally different than people are used to seeing in politics in America. I believe if we do that we can then create a dialogue that can lead to a balanced budget.

"But I think we have a greater challenge. I do want to pick up directly on what DICK GEPHARDT said, because he said it right. No Republican here should kid themselves about it. The greatest leaders in fighting for an integrated America in the 20th century were in the Democratic Party. The fact is, it was the liberal wing of the Democratic Party that ended segregation. The fact is that it was Franklin Delano Roosevelt who gave hope to a Nation that was in distress and could have slid into dictatorship. Every Republican has much to learn from studying what the Democrats did right.

"But I would say to my friends in the Democratic Party that there is much to what Ronald Reagan was trying to get done. There is much to what is being done today by Republicans like Bill Weld, and John Engler, and Tommy Thompson, and George Allen, and Christy Whitman, and Pete Wilson. There is much we can share with each other.

"We must replace the welfare state with an opportunity society. The balanced budget is the right thing to do. But it does not in my mind have the moral urgency of coming to grips with what is happening to the poorest Americans.

"I commend to all Marvin Olasky's 'The Tragedy of American Compassion.' Olasky goes back for 300 years and looked at what has worked in America, how we have helped people rise beyond poverty, and how we have reached out to save people. He may not have the answers, but he has the right sense of where we have to go as Americans.

"I do not believe that there is a single American who can see a news report of a 4-year-old thrown off of a public housing project in Chicago by other children and killed and not feel that a part of your heart went, too. I think of my nephew in the back, Kevin, and how all of us feel about our children. How can any American read about an 11-year-old buried with his Teddy bear because he killed a 14-year-old, and then another 14-year-old killed him, and not have some sense of 'My God, where has this country gone?' How can we not decide that this is a moral crisis equal to segregation, equal to slavery? How can we not insist that every day we take steps to do something?

"I have seldom been more shaken than I was after the election when I had breakfast with two members of the Black Caucus. One of them said to me, 'Can you imagine what it is like to visit a first-grade class and realize that every fourth or fifth young boy in that class may be dead or in jail within 15 years? And they are your constituents and you are helpless to change it?' For some reason, I do not know why,

maybe because I visit a lot of schools, that got through. I mean, that personalized it. That made it real, not just statistics, but real people.

"Then I tried to explain part of my thoughts by talking about the need for alternatives to the bureaucracy, and we got into what I think frankly has been a pretty distorted and cheap debate over orphanages.

"Let me say, first of all, my father, who is here today, was a foster child. He was adopted as a teenager. I am adopted. We have relatives who were adopted. We are not talking out of some vague impersonal Dickens 'Bleak House' middle-class intellectual model. We have lived the alternatives.

"I believe when we are told that children are so lost in the city bureaucracies that there are children who end up in dumpsters, when we are told that there are children doomed to go to schools where 70 or 80 percent of them will not graduate, when we are told of public housing projects that are so dangerous that if any private sector ran them they would be put in jail, and the only solution we are given is, "Well, we will study it, we will get around to it," my only point is that this is unacceptable. We can find ways immediately to do things better, to reach out, break through the bureaucracy and give every young American child a better chance.

"Let me suggest to you Morris Schectman's new book. I do not agree with all of it, but it is fascinating. It is entitled 'Working Without a Net.' It is an effort to argue that in the 21st century we have to create our own safety nets. He draws a distinction between caring and caretaking. It is worth every American reading.

"He said caretaking is when you bother me a little bit, and I do enough, I feel better because I think I took care of you. That is not any good to you at all. You may be in fact an alcoholic and I just gave you the money to buy the bottle that kills you, but I feel better and go home. He said caring is actually stopping and dealing with the human being, trying to understand enough about them to genuinely make sure you improve their life, even if you have to start with a conversation like, 'If you will quit drinking, I will help you get a job.' This is a lot harder conversation than, 'I feel better. I gave him a buck or 5 bucks.'

"I want to commend every Member on both sides to look carefully. I say to those Republicans who believe in total privatization, you cannot believe in the Good Samaritan and explain that as long as business is making money we can walk by a fellow American who is hurt and not do something. I would say to my friends on the left who believe there has never been a government program that was not worth keeping, you cannot look at some of the results we now have and not want to reach out to the humans and forget the bureaucracies.

"If we could build that attitude on both sides of this aisle, we would be an

amazingly different place, and the country would begin to be a different place.

"We have to create a partnership. We have to reach out to the American people. We are going to do a lot of important things. Thanks to the House Information System and Congressman VERN EHLERS, as of today we are going to be on line for the whole country, every amendment, every conference report. We are working with C-SPAN and others, and Congressman GEPHARDT has agreed to help on a bipartisan basis to make the building more open to television, more accessible to the American people. We have talk radio hosts here today for the first time. I hope to have a bipartisan effort to make the place accessible for all talk radio hosts of all backgrounds, no matter their ideology. The House Historian's office is going to be more aggressively run on a bipartisan basis to reach out to Close Up, and to other groups to teach what the legislative struggle is about. I think over time we can and will this Spring rethink campaign reform and lobbying reform and review all ethics, including the gift rule.

"But that isn't enough. Our challenge shouldn't be just to balance the budget or to pass the Contract. Our challenge should not be anything that is just legislative. We are supposed to, each one of us, be leaders. I think our challenge has to be to set as our goal, and maybe we are not going to get there in 2 years. This ought to be the goal that we go home and we tell people we believe in: that there will be a Monday morning when for the entire weekend not a single child was killed anywhere in America; that there will be a Monday morning when every child in the country went to a school that they and their parents thought prepared them as citizens and prepared them to compete in the world market; that there will be a Monday morning where it was easy to find a job or create a job, and your own Government did not punish you if you tried.

"We should not be happy just with the language of politicians and the language of legislation. We should insist that our success for America is felt in the neighborhoods, in the communities, is felt by real people living real lives who can say, 'Yes, we are safer, we are healthier, we are better educated, America succeeds.'

"This morning's closing hymn at the prayer service was the Battle Hymn of the Republic. It is hard to be in this building, look down past Grant to the Lincoln Memorial and not realize how painful and how difficult that battle hymn is. The key phrase is, 'As he died to make men holy, let us live to make men free.'

"It is not just political freedom, although I agree with everything Congressman GEPHARDT said earlier. If you cannot afford to leave the public housing project, you are not free. If you do not know how to find a job and do not know how to create a job, you are not free. If you cannot find a place that

will educate you, you are not free. If you are afraid to walk to the store because you could get killed, you are not free.

"So as all of us over the coming months sing that song, 'As he died to make men holy, let us live to make men free,' I want us to dedicate ourselves to reach out in a genuinely non-partisan way to be honest with each other. I promise each of you that without regard to party my door is going to be open. I will listen to each of you. I will try to work with each of you. I will put in long hours, and I will guarantee that I will listen to you first. I will let you get it all out before I give you my version, because you have been patient with me today, and you have given me a chance to set the stage.

"But I want to close by reminding all of us of how much bigger this is than us. Because beyond talking with the American people, beyond working together, I think we can only be successful if we start with our limits. I was very struck this morning with something Bill EMERSON used, a very famous quote of Benjamin Franklin, at the point where the Constitutional Convention was deadlocked. People were tired, and there was a real possibility that the Convention was going to break up. Franklin, who was quite old and had been relatively quiet for the entire Convention, suddenly stood up and was angry, and he said :

I have lived, sir, a long time, and the longer I live the more convincing proofs I see of this truth, that God governs in the affairs of men, and if a sparrow cannot fall to the ground without His notice, is it possible that an empire can rise without His aid?

"At that point the Constitutional Convention stopped. They took a day off for fasting and prayer.

"Then, having stopped and come together, they went back, and they solved the great question of large and small States. They wrote the Constitution, and the United States was created. All I can do is pledge to you that, if each of us will reach out prayerfully and try to genuinely understand each other, if we will recognize that in this building we symbolize America, and that we have an obligation to talk with each other, then I think a year from now we can look on the 104th Congress as a truly amazing institution without regard to party, without regard to ideology. We can say, 'Here, America comes to work, and here we are preparing for those children a better future.'

"Thank you. Good luck and God bless you."

#### ¶1.8 OATH OF OFFICE—SPEAKER

At the request of the Speaker the oath of office was then administered to him by Mr. DINGELL, dean of the House.

#### ¶1.9 OATH OF OFFICE—MEMBERS-ELECT, DELEGATES-ELECT, RESIDENT COMMISSIONER

The SPEAKER said: "According to precedent, the Chair will swear in all Members of the House at this time. If

the Members will rise, the Chair will now administer the oath of office."

The Members-elect, Delegates-elect and Resident Commissioner, then rose in their places and took the oath of office prescribed by law.

¶1.10 SELECTION OF MAJORITY AND MINORITY LEADERS

Mr. BOEHNER notified the House of the selection of the Republican Conference of Mr. ARMEY as majority leader.

Mr. FAZIO notified the House of the selection by the Democratic Caucus of Mr. GEPHARDT as minority leader.

¶1.11 SELECTION OF MAJORITY AND MINORITY WHIPS

Mr. BOEHNER notified the House of the selection of Mr. DELAY as majority whip.

Mr. FAZIO notified the House of the selection of Mr. BONIOR as minority whip.

¶1.12 ORGANIZATIONAL RESOLUTION—ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Mr. BOEHNER submitted the following privileged resolution (H. Res. 1):

*Resolved*, That Robin H. Carle, of the Commonwealth of Virginia, be, and she is hereby, chosen Clerk of the House of Representatives;

That Wilson S. Livingood, of the Commonwealth of Virginia, be, and he is hereby, chosen Sergeant at Arms of the House of Representatives;

That Scott M. Faulkner, of the State of West Virginia, be, and he is hereby, chosen Chief Administrative Officer of the House of Representatives; and

That Reverend James David Ford, of the Commonwealth of Virginia, be, and he is hereby, chosen Chaplain of the House of Representatives.

When said resolution was considered.

Mr. FAZIO demanded that the resolution be divided for a separate vote on the nominee for Chaplain of the House. The resolution was divided.

The Reverend James David Ford of the Commonwealth of Virginia was elected Chaplain of the House of Representatives.

Mr. FAZIO then submitted the following substitute for the remainder of the resolution:

That Thomas O'Donnell, of the State of Maryland, be, and he is hereby, chosen Clerk of the House of Representatives;

That George Kundanis, of the District of Columbia, be, and he is hereby, chosen Sergeant at Arms of the House of Representatives; and

That Marti Thomas, of the District of Columbia, be, and she is hereby, chosen Chief Administrative Officer of the House of Representatives.

The substitute was not agreed to.

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House agree to the remainder of said resolution?

The SPEAKER announced that the yeas had it.

So the remainder of said resolution was agreed to.

Whereupon, Robin H. Carle of the Commonwealth of Virginia, Clerk; Wilson S. Livingood of the Commonwealth of Virginia, Sergeant at Arms; Scott

M. Faulkner of the State of West Virginia, Chief Administrative Officer; and the Reverend James David Ford of the Commonwealth of Virginia, Chaplain; presented themselves at the bar of the House and took the oath of office prescribed by law.

¶1.13 NOTIFICATION OF THE SENATE OF ORGANIZATION OF THE HOUSE

Mr. ARMEY submitted the following privileged resolution, which was considered and agreed to (H. Res. 2):

*Resolved*, That the Senate be informed that a quorum of the House of Representatives has assembled; that NEWT GINGRICH, a Representative from the State of Georgia, has been elected Speaker; and Robin H. Carle, a citizen of the Commonwealth of Virginia, has been elected Clerk of the House of Representatives of the One Hundred Fourth Congress.

¶1.14 COMMITTEE TO NOTIFY THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF THE ASSEMBLY OF THE CONGRESS

Mr. ARMEY submitted the following privileged resolution, which was considered and agreed to (H. Res. 3):

*Resolved*, That a committee of two Members be appointed by the Speaker on the part of the House of Representatives to join with a committee on the part of the Senate to notify the President of the United States that a quorum of each House has assembled and Congress is ready to receive any communication that he may be pleased to make.

The SPEAKER, pursuant to the foregoing resolution, announced the appointment of Messrs. ARMEY and GEPHARDT as members of the committee on the part of the House to join a like committee on the part of the Senate to notify the President of the United States that a quorum of each House has been assembled and that the Congress is ready to receive any communication that he may be pleased to make.

¶1.15 NOTIFICATION TO THE PRESIDENT OF ELECTION OF CERTAIN OFFICERS

Mr. ARMEY submitted the following resolution, which was considered and agreed to (H. Res. 4):

*Resolved*, That the Clerk be instructed to inform the President of the United States that the House of Representatives has elected NEWT GINGRICH, a Representative from the State of Georgia, Speaker; and Robin H. Carle, a citizen of the Commonwealth of Virginia, Clerk of the House of Representatives of the One Hundred Fourth Congress.

¶1.16 PROVIDING FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF H. RES. 6

Mr. SOLOMON, by direction of the House Republican Conference, called up the following privileged resolution (H. Res. 5):

*Resolved*, That upon the adoption of this resolution it shall be in order to consider in the House the resolution (H. Res. 6) adopting the Rules of the House of Representatives for the One Hundred Fourth Congress. The resolution shall be considered as read. The resolution shall be debatable initially for 30 minutes to be equally divided and controlled by the Majority Leader and the Minority Leader or their designees. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the resolution to final adoption without intervening

motion or demand for division of the question except as specified in sections 2 and 3 of this resolution.

SEC. 2. The question of adopting the resolution shall be divided among nine parts, to wit: each of the eight sections of title I; and title II. Each portion of the divided question shall be debatable separately for 20 minutes, to be equally divided and controlled by the Majority Leader and the Minority Leader or their designees, and shall be disposed of in the order stated.

SEC. 3. Pending the question of adopting the ninth portion of the divided question, it shall be in order to move that the House commit the resolution to a select committee, with or without instructions. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the motion to commit to final adoption without intervening motion.

When said resolution was considered.

After debate,

Mr. DREIER moved the previous question on the resolution to its adoption or rejection.

The question being put, *viva voce*,

Will the House now order the previous question?

The SPEAKER announced that the yeas had it.

Mr. BONIOR demanded that the vote be taken by the yeas and nays, which demand was supported by one-fifth of the Members present, so the yeas and nays were ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the affirmative ..... { Yeas ..... 232  
Nays ..... 199

¶1.17 [Roll No. 3] YEAS—232

Allard	Cremeans	Hastings (WA)
Archer	Cubin	Hayworth
Army	Cunningham	Hefley
Bachus	Davis	Heineman
Baker (CA)	Deal	Henger
Baker (LA)	DeLay	Hilleary
Ballenger	Diaz-Balart	Hobson
Barr	Dickey	Hoekstra
Barrett (NE)	Doolittle	Hoke
Bartlett	Dornan	Horn
Barton	Dreier	Hostettler
Bass	Duncan	Houghton
Bateman	Dunn	Hunter
Bereuter	Ehlers	Hutchinson
Bilbray	Ehrlich	Hyde
Bilirakis	Emerson	Inglis
Bliley	English	Istook
Blute	Ensign	Johnson (CT)
Boehlert	Everett	Johnson, Sam
Boehner	Ewing	Jones
Bonilla	Fawell	Kasich
Bono	Fields (TX)	Kelly
Brewster	Flanagan	Kim
Brownback	Foley	King
Bryant (TN)	Forbes	Kingston
Bunn	Fowler	Klug
Bunning	Fox	Knollenberg
Burr	Franks (CT)	Kolbe
Burton	Franks (NJ)	LaHood
Buyer	Frelinghuysen	Largent
Callahan	Frisa	Latham
Calvert	Funderburk	LaTourette
Camp	Gallegly	Lazio
Canady	Ganske	Leach
Castle	Gekas	Lewis (CA)
Chabot	Gilchrest	Lewis (KY)
Chambliss	Gillmor	Lightfoot
Chenoweth	Gilman	Linder
Christensen	Goodlatte	Livingston
Chrysler	Goodling	LoBiondo
Clinger	Goss	Longley
Coble	Graham	Lucas
Coburn	Greenwood	Manzullo
Collins (GA)	Gunderson	Martini
Combest	Gutknecht	McCollum
Cooley	Hall (TX)	McCrary
Cox	Hancock	McDade
Crane	Hansen	McHugh
Crapo	Hastert	McInnis

McIntosh	Riggs	Stockman
McKeon	Roberts	Stump
Metcalf	Rogers	Talent
Meyers	Rohrabacher	Tate
Mica	Ros-Lehtinen	Tauzin
Miller (FL)	Roth	Taylor (NC)
Molinari	Roukema	Thomas
Moorhead	Royce	Thornberry
Morella	Salmon	Tiahrt
Myers	Sanford	Torkildsen
Myrick	Saxton	Upton
Nethercutt	Scarborough	Vucanovich
Neumann	Schaefer	Waldholtz
Ney	Schiff	Walker
Norwood	Seastrand	Walsh
Nussle	Sensenbrenner	Wamp
Oxley	Shadegg	Weldon (FL)
Packard	Shaw	Weldon (PA)
Paxon	Shays	Weller
Petri	Shuster	White
Pombo	Skeen	Whitfield
Porter	Smith (MI)	Wicker
Portman	Smith (NJ)	Wolf
Pryce	Smith (TX)	Young (AK)
Quillen	Smith (WA)	Young (FL)
Quinn	Solomon	Zeliff
Radanovich	Souder	Zimmer
Ramstad	Spence	
Regula	Stearns	

## NAYS—199

Abercrombie	Gordon	Owens
Ackerman	Green	Pallone
Andrews	Gutierrez	Parker
Baesler	Hall (OH)	Pastor
Baldacci	Hamilton	Payne (NJ)
Barcia	Harman	Payne (VA)
Barrett (WI)	Hastings (FL)	Pelosi
Becerra	Hayes	Peterson (FL)
Beilenson	Hefner	Peterson (MN)
Bentsen	Hilliard	Pickett
Berman	Hinchee	Pomeroy
Bevill	Holden	Poshard
Bonior	Hoyer	Rahall
Borski	Jacobs	Rangel
Boucher	Jefferson	Reed
Browder	Johnson (SD)	Reynolds
Brown (CA)	Johnson, E. B.	Richardson
Brown (FL)	Johnston	Rivers
Brown (OH)	Kanjorski	Roemer
Bryant (TX)	Kaptur	Rose
Cardin	Kennedy (MA)	Roybal-Allard
Chapman	Kennedy (RI)	Rush
Clay	Kennelly	Sabo
Clayton	Kildee	Sanders
Clement	Klecicka	Sawyer
Clyburn	Klink	Schroeder
Coleman	LaFalce	Schumer
Collins (IL)	Lambert-Lincoln	Scott
Collins (MI)	Lantos	Serrano
Condit	Laughlin	Sisisky
Conyers	Levin	Skaggs
Costello	Lewis (GA)	Skelton
Coyne	Lipinski	Slaughter
Cramer	Lofgren	Spratt
Danner	Lowe	Stark
de la Garza	Luther	Stenholm
DeFazio	Maloney	Stokes
DeLauro	Manton	Studds
Dellums	Markey	Stupak
Deutsch	Martinez	Tanner
Dicks	Mascara	Taylor (MS)
Dingell	Matsui	Tejeda
Dixon	McCarthy	Thompson
Doggett	McDermott	Thornton
Dooley	McHale	Thurman
Doyle	McKinney	Torres
Durbin	McNulty	Torricelli
Edwards	Meehan	Towns
Engel	Meek	Trafficant
Eshoo	Menendez	Tucker
Evans	Mfume	Velazquez
Farr	Miller (CA)	Vento
Fattah	Mineta	Visclosky
Fazio	Minge	Volkmer
Fields (LA)	Mink	Ward
Filner	Moakley	Waters
Flake	Mollohan	Watt (NC)
Foglietta	Montgomery	Waxman
Ford	Moran	Williams
Frank (MA)	Murtha	Wilson
Frost	Nadler	Wise
Furse	Neal	Woolsey
Gejdenson	Oberstar	Wyden
Gephardt	Obey	Wynn
Geren	Olver	Yates
Gibbons	Ortiz	
Gonzalez	Orton	

## NOT VOTING—3

Bishop	Gingrich	Jackson-Lee
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So the previous question on the resolution was ordered.

Mr. BONIOR moved to commit the resolution to a select committee composed of the Majority Leader and the Minority Leader with instructions to report back the same to the House forthwith with only the following amendment:

Strike all after the resolving clause and insert:

That upon the adoption of this resolution it shall be in order to consider in the House the resolution (H.Res. ) adopting the Rules of the House of Representatives for the One Hundred Fourth Congress, [captioned Committee Print on H.Res. , bearing the date of January 4, 1995], as modified by the amendment printed in section 4 of this resolution. The resolution, as modified, shall be debatable initially for 30 minutes to be equally divided and controlled by the Majority Leader and the Minority Leader or their designees. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the resolution, as modified, to final adoption without intervening motion or demand for division of the question except as specified in sections 2 and 3 of this resolution.

Sec. 2. The question of adopting the resolution, as modified, shall be divided among ten parts, to wit: each of the nine sections of title I; and then title II. Each portion of the divided question shall be debatable separately for 20 minutes, to be equally divided and controlled by the Majority Leader and the Minority Leader or their designees, and shall be disposed of in the order stated.

Sec. 3. Pending the question of adopting the tenth portion of the divided question, it shall be in order to move that the House commit the resolution, as modified, to a select committee, with or without instructions. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the motion to commit to final adoption without intervening motion.

Sec. 4. At the end of Title I add the following new section:

Sec. (109) The Rules of the House of Representatives of the One Hundred Third Congress, including applicable provisions of law or concurrent resolution that constituted rules of the House at the end of the One Hundred Third Congress, together with such amendments thereto as may otherwise have been adopted, are adopted as the Rules of the One Hundred Fourth Congress, with the following amendment:

## BAN ON GIFTS FROM LOBBYISTS

(a) Clause 4 of rule XLIII of the Rules of the House of Representatives is amended to read as follows:

"4. (a)(1) No Member, officer, or employee of the House of Representatives shall accept a gift, knowing that such gift is provided directly or indirectly by a paid lobbyist, a lobbying firm (a person or entity that has 1 or more employees who are lobbyists on behalf of a client other than that person or entity), or an agent of a Foreign principal (as defined in the foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938).

"(2) The prohibition in subparagraph (1) includes the following:

"(A) Anything provided by a lobbyist or a foreign agent which the Member, officer, or employee has reason to believe is paid for, charged to, or reimbursed by a client or firm of such lobbyist or foreign agent.

"(B) Anything provided by a lobbyist, a lobbying firm, or a foreign agent to an entity that is maintained or controlled by a Member, officer, or employee.

"(C) A charitable contribution (as defined in section 170(c) of the Internal Revenue

Code of 1986) made by a lobbyist, a lobbying firm, or a foreign agent on the basis of a designation, recommendation, or other specification of a Member, officer, or employee (not including a mass mailing or other solicitation directed to a broad category of persons or entities).

"(D) A contribution or other payment by a lobbyist, a lobbying firm, or a foreign agent to a legal expense fund established for the benefit of a Member, officer, or employee.

"(E) A charitable contribution (as defined in section 170(c) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986) made by a lobbyist, a lobbying firm, or a foreign agent in lieu of an honorarium to a Member, officer, or employee.

"(F) A financial contribution or expenditure made by a lobbyist, a lobbying firm, or a foreign agent relating to a conference, retreat, or similar event, sponsored by or affiliated with an official congressional organization, for or on behalf of Members, officers, or employees.

"(3) The following are not gifts subject to the prohibition in subparagraph (1):

"(A) Anything for which the recipient pays the market value, or does not use and promptly returns to the donor.

"(B) A contribution, as defined in the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 431 et seq.) that is lawfully made under that Act, or attendance at a fundraising event sponsored by a political organization described in section 527(e) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

"(C) Food or refreshments of nominal value offered other than as part of a meal.

"(D) Benefits resulting from the business, employment, or other outside activities of the spouse of a Member, officer, or employee, if such benefits are customarily provided to others in similar circumstances.

"(E) Pension and other benefits resulting from continued participation in an employee welfare and benefits plan maintained by a former employer.

"(F) Informational materials that are sent to the office of a Member, officer, or employee in the form of books, articles, periodicals, other written materials, audio tapes, videotapes, or other forms of communication.

"(4)(A) A gift given by an individual under circumstances which make it clear that the gift is given for a nonbusiness purpose and is motivated by a family relationship or close personal friendship and not by the position of the Member, officer, or employee shall not be subject to the prohibition in subparagraph (1).

"(B) A gift shall not be considered to be given for a nonbusiness purpose if the Member, officer, or employee has reason to believe the individual giving the gift will seek—

"(i) to deduct the value of such gift as a business expense on the individual's Federal income tax return, or

"(ii) direct or indirect reimbursement or any other compensation for the value of the gift from a client or employer of such lobbyist or foreign agent.

"(C) In determining if the giving of a gift is motivated by a family relationship or close personal friendship, at least the following factors shall be considered:

"(i) The history of the relationship between the individual giving the gift and the recipient of the gift, including whether or not gifts have previously been exchanged by such individuals.

"(ii) Whether the Member, officer, or employee has reason to believe the gift was purchased by the individual who gave the item.

"(iii) Whether the Member, officer, or employee has reason to believe the individual who gave the gift also at the same time gave the same or similar gifts to other Members, officers, or employees.



“(b) In addition to the restriction on receiving gifts from paid lobbyists, lobbying firms, and agents of foreign principals provided by paragraph (a) and except as provided in this Rule, no Member, officer, or employee of the House of Representatives shall knowingly accept a gift from any other person.

“(c)(1) For the purpose of this clause, the term ‘gift’ means any gratuity, favor, discount, entertainment, hospitality, loan, forbearance, or other item having monetary value. The term includes gifts of services, training, transportation, lodging, and meals, whether provided in kind, by purchase of a ticket, payment in advance, or reimbursement after the expense has been incurred.

“(2) A gift to the spouse or dependent of a Member, officer, or employee (or a gift to any other individual based on that individual’s relationship with the Member, officer, or employee) shall be considered a gift to the Member, officer, or employee if it is given with the knowledge and acquiescence of the Member, officer, or employee and the Member, officer, or employee has reason to believe the gift was given because of the official position of the Member, officer, or employee.

“(d) The restrictions in paragraph (b) shall not apply to the following:

“(1) Anything for which the Member, officer, or employee pays the market value, or does not use and promptly returns to the donor.

“(2) A contribution, as defined in the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 431 et seq.) that is lawfully made under that Act, or attendance at a fundraising event sponsored by a political organization described in section 527(e) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

“(3) Anything provided by an individual on the basis of a personal or family relationship unless the Member, officer, or employee has reason to believe that, under the circumstances, the gift was provided because of the official position of the Member, officer, or employee and not because of the personal or family relationship. The Committee on Standards of Official Conduct shall provide guidance on the applicability of this clause and examples of circumstances under which a gift may be accepted under this exception.

“(4) A contribution or other payment to a legal expense fund established for the benefit of a Member, officer, or employee, that is otherwise lawfully made, if the person making the contribution or payment is identified for the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct.

“(5) Any food or refreshments which the recipient reasonably believes to have a value of less than \$20.

“(6) Any gift from another Member, officer, or employee of the Senate or the House of Representatives.

“(7) Food, refreshments, lodging, and other benefits—

“(A) resulting from the outside business or employment activities (or other outside activities that are not connected to the duties of the Member, officer, or employee as an officeholder) of the Member, officer, or employee, or the spouse of the Member, officer, or employee, if such benefits have not been offered or enhanced because of the official position of the Member, officer, or employee and are customarily provided to others in similar circumstances;

“(B) customarily provided by a prospective employer in connection with bona fide employment discussions; or

“(C) provided by a political organization described in section 527(e) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 in connection with a fundraising or campaign event sponsored by such an organization.

“(8) Pension and other benefits resulting from continued participation in an employee

welfare and benefits plan maintained by a former employer.

“(9) Informational materials that are sent to the office of the Member, officer, or employee in the form of books, articles, periodicals, other written materials, audio tapes, videotapes, or other forms of communication.

“(10) Awards or prizes which are given to competitors in contests or events open to the public, including random drawings.

“(11) Honorary degrees (and associated travel, food, refreshments, and entertainment) and other bona fide, nonmonetary awards presented in recognition of public service (and associated food, refreshments, and entertainment provided in the presentation of such degrees and awards).

“(12) Donations of products from the State that the Member represents that are intended primarily for promotional purposes, such as display or free distribution, and are of minimal value to any individual recipient.

“(13) Food, refreshments, and entertainment provided to a Member or an employee of a Member in the Member’s home State, subject to reasonable limitations, to be established by the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct.

“(14) An item of little intrinsic value such as a greeting card, baseball cap, or a T shirt.

“(15) Training (including food and refreshments furnished to all attendees as an integral part of the training) provided to a Member, officer, or employee, if such training is in the interest of the House of Representatives.

“(16) Bequests, inheritances, and other transfers at death.

“(17) Any item, the receipt of which is authorized by the Foreign Gifts and Decorations Act, the Mutual Educational and Cultural Exchange Act, or any other statute.

“(18) Anything which is paid for by the Federal Government, by a State or local government, or secured by the Government under a Government contract.

“(19) A gift of personal hospitality of an individual, as defined in section 109(14) of the Ethics in Government Act.

“(20) Free attendance at a widely attended event permitted pursuant to paragraph (e).

“(21) Opportunities and benefits which are—

“(A) available to the public or to a class consisting of all Federal employees, whether or not restricted on the basis of geographic consideration;

“(B) offered to members of a group or class in which membership is unrelated to congressional employment;

“(C) offered to members of an organization, such as an employees’ association or congressional credit union, in which membership is related to congressional employment and similar opportunities are available to large segments of the public through organizations of similar size;

“(D) offered to any group or class that is not defined in a manner that specifically discriminates among Government employees on the basis of branch of Government or type of responsibility, or on a basis that favors those of higher rank or rate of pay;

“(E) in the form of loans from banks and other financial institutions on terms generally available to the public; or

“(F) in the form of reduced membership or other fees for participation in organization activities offered to all Government employees by professional organizations if the only restrictions on membership relate to professional qualifications.

“(22) A plaque, trophy, or other memento of modest value.

“(23) Anything for which, in exceptional circumstances, a waiver is granted by the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct.

“(e)(1) Except as prohibited by paragraph (a), a Member, officer, or employee may ac-

cept an offer of free attendance at a widely attended convention, conference, symposium, forum, panel discussion, dinner, viewing, reception, or similar event, provided by the sponsor of the event, if—

“(A) the Member, officer, or employee participates in the event as a speaker or a panel participant, by presenting information related to Congress or matters before Congress, or by performing a ceremonial function appropriate to the Member’s, officer’s, or employee’s official position; or

“(B) attendance at the event is appropriate to the performance of the official duties or representative function of the Member, officer, or employee.

“(2) A Member, officer, or employee who attends an event described in subparagraph (1) may accept a sponsor’s unsolicited offer of free attendance at the event for an accompanying individual if others in attendance will generally be similarly accompanied or if such attendance is appropriate to assist in the representation of the House of Representatives.

“(3) Except as prohibited by paragraph (a), a Member, officer, or employee, or the spouse or dependent thereof, may accept a sponsor’s unsolicited offer of free attendance at a charity event, except that reimbursement for transportation and lodging may not be accepted in connection with the event.

“(4) For purposes of this paragraph, the term ‘free attendance’ may include waiver of all or part of a conference or other fee, the provision of local transportation, or the provision of food, refreshments, entertainment, and instructional materials furnished to all attendees as an integral part of the event. The term does not include entertainment collateral to the event, or food or refreshments taken other than in a group setting with all or substantially all other attendees.

“(f) No Member, officer, or employee may accept a gift the value of which exceeds \$250 on the basis of the personal relationship exception in paragraph (d)(3) or the close personal friendship exception in section 106(d) of the Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 unless the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct issues a written determination that one of such exceptions applies.

“(g)(1) The Committee on Standards of Official Conduct is authorized to adjust the dollar amount referred to in paragraph (d)(5) on a periodic basis, to the extent necessary to adjust for inflation.

“(2) The Committee on Standards of Official Conduct shall provide guidance setting forth reasonable steps that may be taken by Members, officers, and employees, with a minimum of paperwork and time, to prevent the acceptance of prohibited gifts from lobbyists.

“(3) When it is not practicable to return a tangible item because it is perishable, the item may, at the discretion of the recipient, be given to an appropriate charity or destroyed.

“(h)(1)(A) Except as prohibited by paragraph (a), a reimbursement (including payment in kind) to a Member, officer, or employee for necessary transportation, lodging and related expenses for travel to a meeting, speaking engagement, factfinding trip or similar event in connection with the duties of the Member, officer, or employee as an officeholder shall be deemed to be a reimbursement to the House of Representatives and not a gift prohibited by this paragraph, if the Member, officer, or employee—

“(i) in the case of an employee, receives advance authorization, from the Member or officer under whose direct supervision the employee works, to accept reimbursement, and

“(ii) discloses the expenses reimbursed or to be reimbursed and the authorization to the Clerk of the House of Representatives within 30 days after the travel is completed.

“(B) For purposes of clause (A), events, the activities of which are substantially recreational in nature, shall not be considered to be in connection with the duties of a Member, officer, or employee as an officeholder.

“(2) Each advance authorization to accept reimbursement shall be signed by the Member or officer under whose direct supervision the employee works and shall include—

“(A) the name of the employee;
“(B) the name of the person who will make the reimbursement;
“(C) the time, place, and purpose of the travel; and

“(D) a determination that the travel is in connection with the duties of the employee as an officeholder and would not create the appearance that the employee is using public office for private gain.

“(3) Each disclosure made under subparagraph (1)(A) of expenses reimbursed or to be reimbursed shall be signed by the Member or officer (in the case of travel by that Member or officer) or by the Member or officer under whose direct supervision the employee works (in the case of travel by an employee) and shall include—

“(A) a good faith estimate of total transportation expenses reimbursed or to be reimbursed;

“(B) a good faith estimate of total lodging expenses reimbursed or to be reimbursed;

“(C) a good faith estimate of total meal expenses reimbursed or to be reimbursed;

“(D) a good faith estimate of the total of other expenses reimbursed or to be reimbursed;

“(E) a determination that all such expenses are necessary transportation, lodging, and related expenses as defined in this paragraph; and

“(F) in the case of a reimbursement to a Member or officer, a determination that the travel was in connection with the duties of the Member or officer as an officeholder and would not create the appearance that the Member or officer is using public office for private gain.

“(4) For the purposes of this paragraph, the term ‘necessary transportation, lodging, and related expenses’—

“(A) includes reasonable expenses that are necessary for travel—

“(i) for a period not exceeding 4 days including travel time within the unanimous consent or 7 days in addition to travel outside the United States; and

“(ii) within 24 hours before or after participation in an event in the United States or within 48 hours before or after participation in an event outside the United States,

unless approved in advance by the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct;

“(B) is limited to reasonable expenditures for transportation, lodging, conference fees and materials, and food and refreshments, including reimbursement for necessary transportation, whether or not such transportation occurs within the periods described in clause (A);

“(C) does not include expenditures for recreational activities or entertainment other than that provided to all attendees as an integral part of the event; and

“(D) may include travel expenses incurred on behalf of either the spouse or a child of the Member, officer, or employee, subject to a determination signed by the Member or officer (or in the case of an employee, the Member or officer under whose direct supervision the officer or employee works) that the attendance of the spouse or child is appropriate to assist in the representation of the House of Representatives.

“(5) The Clerk of the House of Representatives shall make available to the public all advance authorizations and disclosures of re-

imbursement filed pursuant to subparagraph (1) as soon as possible after they are received.”

SEC. . LIMITATION ON ROYALTY INCOME.

(a) LIMITATION.—Clause 3 of rule XLVII of the Rules of the House of Representatives is amended by adding at the end the following new paragraph:

“(g) In calendar year 1995 or thereafter, a Member, officer, or employee of the House may not—

“(1) receive any copyright royalties for any work—

“(A) unless the royalty is received from an established publisher pursuant to usual and customary contractual terms;

“(B) unless the total amount of such royalties for that work does not exceed one-third of that individual’s annual pay as a Member, officer, or employee for the year in which the contract is entered into; and

“(C) without the prior notification and approval of the contract for that work by the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct; or

“(2) receive any advance payment for any such work.”

(b) CONFORMING AMENDMENT.—Clause 3(e)(5) of rule XLVII of the Rules of the House of Representatives is amended to read as follows:

“(5) copyright royalties.”

(c) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendments made by this resolution shall apply only to copyright royalties received by any Member, officer, or employee of the House after adoption of this resolution pursuant to any contract entered into while that individual is such a Member, officer, or employee.

By unanimous consent, the previous question was ordered on the motion to commit with instructions.

The question being put, viva voce, Will the House commit said resolution with instructions?

The SPEAKER announced the nays had it.

Mr. BONIOR demanded that the vote be taken by the yeas and nays, which demand was supported by one-fifth of the Members present, so the yeas and nays were ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the { Yeas ..... 196 negative ..... } Nays ..... 235

1.18 [Roll No. 4] YEAS—196

- Abercrombie Condit Frank (MA)
Ackerman Conyers Frost
Andrews Costello Furse
Baldacci Coyne Gejdenson
Barcia Cramer Gephardt
Barrett (WI) Danner Geren
Becerra de la Garza Gibbons
Beilenson DeFazio Gonzalez
Bentsen DeLauro Gordon
Berman Dellums Green
Bevill Deutsch Gutierrez
Bishop Dicks Hall (OH)
Bonior Dingell Hamilton
Borski Dixon Harman
Boucher Doggett Hastings (FL)
Browder Doyle Hefner
Brown (CA) Durbin Hilliard
Brown (FL) Edwards Hinchey
Brown (OH) Engel Holden
Bryant (TX) Eshoo Hoyer
Cardin Evans Jackson-Lee
Chapman Farr Jacobs
Clay Fattah Jefferson
Clayton Fazio Johnson (SD)
Clement Fields (LA) Johnson, E. B.
Clyburn Filner Johnson
Coleman Flake Kanjorski
Collins (IL) Foglietta Kaptur
Collins (MI) Ford Kennedy (MA)

- Kennedy (RI) Murtha Siskey
Kennelly Nadler Skaggs
Kildee Neal Skelton
Klecicka Oberstar Slaughter
Klink Obey Spratt
LaFalce Olver Stark
Lambert-Lincoln Ortiz Stenholm
Lantos Orton Stokes
Levin Owens Studds
Lewis (GA) Pallone Stupak
Lipinski Parker Taylor (MS)
Lofgren Pastor Tejeda
Lowe Payne (NJ) Thompson
Luther Payne (VA) Thornton
Maloney Pelosi Thurman
Manton Peterson (FL) Torres
Markey Peterson (MN) Torricelli
Martinez Pickett Towns
Mascara Pomeroy Trafficant
Matsui Poshard Tucker
McCarthy Rahall Velazquez
McDermott Rangel Vento
McHale Reed Visclosky
McKinney Reynolds Volkmer
McNulty Richardson Ward
Meehan Rivers Waters
Meek Roemer Watt (NC)
Menendez Rose Waxman
Mfume Roybal-Allard Williams
Miller (CA) Rush Wilson
Mineta Sabo Wise
Minge Sanders Woolsey
Mink Sawyer Wyden
Moakley Schroeder Wynn
Mollohan Schumer Yates
Montgomery Scott
Moran Serrano

NAYS—235

- Allard Duncan Kim
Archer Dunn King
Armey Ehlers Kingston
Bachus Ehrlich Klug
Baesler Emerson Knollenberg
Baker (CA) English Kolbe
Baker (LA) Ensign LaHood
Ballenger Everett Largent
Barr Ewing Latham
Barrett (NE) Fawell LaTourette
Bartlett Fields (TX) Laughlin
Barton Flanagan Lazio
Bass Foley Leach
Bateman Forbes Lewis (CA)
Bereuter Fowler Lewis (KY)
Bilbray Fox Lightfoot
Bilirakis Franks (CT) Linder
Bilely Franks (NJ) Livingston
Blute Frelinghuysen LoBiondo
Boehlert Frisa Longley
Boehner Funderburk Lucas
Bonilla Gallegly Manzullo
Bono Ganske Martini
Brewster Gekas McCollum
Brownback Gilchrest McCrery
Bryant (TN) Gillmor McDade
Bunn Gilman McHugh
Bunning Goodlatte McInnis
Burr Goodling McIntosh
Burton Goss McKeon
Buyer Graham Metcalf
Callahan Greenwood Meyers
Calvert Gunderson Mica
Camp Gutknecht Miller (FL)
Canady Hall (TX) Molinari
Chabot Hancock Moorhead
Chambliss Hansen Morella
Chenoweth Hastert Myers
Christensen Hastings (WA) Myrick
Clinger Hayes Nethercutt
Coble Hayworth Neumann
Coburn Hefley Ney
Collins (GA) Heineman Nussle
Combest Henger Oxley
Cooley Hilleary Packard
Cox Hobson Paxon
Crane Hoekstra Petri
Crapo Hoke Pombro
Creameans Horn Porter
Cubin Hostettler Portman
Cunningham Houghton Pryce
Davis Hunter Quinn
Deal Hutchinsin Hutcheson
DeLay Hyde Radanovich
Diaz-Balart Inglis Ramstad
Dickey Istook Regula
Dooley Johnson (CT) Riggs
Doolittle Johnson, Sam Roberts
Dornan Jones Rogers
Dreier Kasich Rohrabacher
Kelly Kelly Ros-Lehtinen

Roth	Smith (TX)	Vucanovich
Roukema	Smith (WA)	Waldholtz
Royce	Solomon	Walker
Salmon	Souder	Walsh
Sanford	Spence	Wamp
Saxton	Stearns	Weldon (FL)
Scarborough	Stockman	Weldon (PA)
Schaefer	Stump	Weller
Schiff	Talent	White
Seastrand	Tanner	Whitfield
Sensenbrenner	Tate	Wicker
Shadegg	Tauzin	Wolf
Shaw	Taylor (NC)	Young (AK)
Shays	Thomas	Young (FL)
Shuster	Thornberry	Zeliff
Skeen	Tiahrt	Zimmer
Smith (MI)	Torkildsen	
Smith (NJ)	Upton	

NOT VOTING—3

Chrysler	Gingrich	Norwood
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So the motion to commit with instructions was not agreed to.

The question being put, *viva voce*, Will the House agree to said resolution?

The SPEAKER announced that the yeas had it.

Mr. SOLOMON demanded that the vote be taken by the yeas and nays, which demand was supported by one-fifth of the Members present, so the yeas and nays were ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the affirmative .....	{	Yeas .....	251
		Nays .....	181

¶1.19 [Roll No. 5] YEAS—251

Allard	Crapo	Hefley
Archer	Creameans	Heineman
Armey	Cubin	Heger
Bachus	Cunningham	Hilleary
Baesler	Danner	Hobson
Baker (CA)	Davis	Hoekstra
Baker (LA)	Deal	Hoke
Ballenger	DeLay	Horn
Barr	Diaz-Balart	Horstettler
Barrett (NE)	Dickey	Houghton
Bartlett	Doolittle	Hunter
Barton	Dornan	Hutchinson
Bass	Dreier	Hyde
Bateman	Duncan	Inglis
Bereuter	Dunn	Istook
Bevill	Ehlers	Johnson (CT)
Bilbray	Ehrlich	Johnson, Sam
Bilirakis	Emerson	Jones
Biley	English	Kasich
Blute	Ensign	Kelly
Boehlert	Everett	Kim
Boehner	Ewing	King
Bonilla	Fawell	Kingston
Bono	Fields (TX)	Klug
Boucher	Flanagan	Knollenberg
Brewster	Foley	Kolbe
Browder	Forbes	LaHood
Brownback	Fowler	Largent
Bryant (TN)	Fox	Latham
Bunn	Franks (CT)	LaTourette
Bunning	Franks (NJ)	Lazio
Burr	Frelinghuysen	Leach
Burton	Frisa	Lewis (CA)
Buyer	Funderburk	Lewis (KY)
Callahan	Galleghy	Lightfoot
Calvert	Ganske	Linder
Camp	Gekas	Livingston
Canady	Geren	LoBiondo
Castle	Gilchrest	Longley
Chabot	Gillmor	Lucas
Chambliss	Gilman	Manzullo
Chenoweth	Goodlatte	Martini
Christensen	Goodling	McCollum
Chrysler	Goss	McCrery
Clinger	Graham	McDade
Coble	Greenwood	McHugh
Coburn	Gunderson	McInnis
Collins (GA)	Gutknecht	McIntosh
Combest	Hall (TX)	McKeon
Condit	Hancock	Metcalf
Cooley	Hansen	Meyers
Cox	Hastert	Mica
Cramer	Hastings (WA)	Miller (FL)
Crane	Hayworth	Molinari

Montgomery	Rogers
Moorhead	Rohrabacher
Morella	Ros-Lehtinen
Murtha	Roth
Myers	Roukema
Myrick	Royce
Nethercutt	Salmon
Neumann	Sanford
Ney	Saxton
Norwood	Scarborough
Nussle	Schaefer
Orton	Schiff
Oxley	Seastrand
Packard	Sensenbrenner
Parker	Shadegg
Paxon	Shaw
Peterson (MN)	Shays
Petri	Shuster
Pickett	Sisisky
Pombo	Skeen
Porter	Smith (MI)
Portman	Smith (NJ)
Pryce	Smith (TX)
Quillen	Smith (WA)
Quinn	Solomon
Radanovich	Souder
Ramstad	Spence
Regula	Stearns
Riggs	Stenholm
Roberts	Stockman

NAYS—181

Abercrombie	Gutierrez	Olver
Ackerman	Hall (OH)	Ortiz
Andrews	Hamilton	Owens
Baldacci	Harman	Pallone
Barcia	Hastings (FL)	Pastor
Barrett (WI)	Hayes	Payne (NJ)
Becerra	Hefner	Payne (VA)
Beilenson	Hilliard	Pelosi
Bentsen	Hinchey	Peterson (FL)
Berman	Holden	Pomeroy
Bishop	Hoyer	Poshard
Bonior	Jackson-Lee	Rahall
Borski	Jacobs	Rangel
Brown (CA)	Jefferson	Reed
Brown (FL)	Johnson (SD)	Reynolds
Brown (OH)	Johnson, E. B.	Richardson
Bryant (TX)	Johnston	Rivers
Cardin	Kanjorski	Roemer
Chapman	Kaptur	Rose
Clay	Kennedy (MA)	Roybal-Allard
Clayton	Kennedy (RI)	Rush
Clement	Kennelly	Sabo
Clyburn	Kildee	Sanders
Coleman	Klecza	Sawyer
Collins (IL)	Klink	Schroeder
Collins (MI)	LaFalce	Schumer
Conyers	Lambert-Lincoln	Scott
Costello	Lantos	Serrano
Coyne	Laughlin	Skaggs
de la Garza	Levin	Skelton
DeFazio	Lewis (GA)	Slaughter
DeLauro	Lipinski	Spratt
Dellums	Lofgren	Stark
Deutsch	Lowe	Stokes
Dicks	Luther	Studds
Dingell	Maloney	Stupak
Dixon	Manton	Tejeda
Doggett	Markey	Thompson
Dooley	Martinez	Thornton
Doyle	Mascara	Thurman
Durbin	Matsui	Torres
Edwards	McCarthy	Torricelli
Engel	McDermott	Towns
Eshoo	McHale	Tucker
Evans	McKinney	Velazquez
Farr	McNulty	Vento
Fattah	Meehan	Visclosky
Fazio	Meek	Volkmer
Fields (LA)	Menendez	Ward
Filner	Mfume	Waters
Flake	Miller (CA)	Watt (NC)
Foglietta	Mineta	Waxman
Ford	Minge	Williams
Frank (MA)	Mink	Wilson
Frost	Moakley	Wise
Furse	Mollohan	Woolsey
Gedjenson	Moran	Wyden
Gephardt	Nadler	Wynn
Gibbons	Neal	Yates
Gordon	Oberstar	
Green	Obey	

NOT VOTING—2

Gingrich	Gonzalez
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So the resolution was agreed to.  
A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said resolution was agreed to

was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

¶1.20 MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Mr. Hallen, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate has passed resolutions of the following titles, in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

S. RES. 1

*Resolved*, That a committee consisting of two Senators be appointed to join such committee as may be appointed by the House of Representatives to wait upon the President of the United States and inform him that a quorum of each House is assembled and that the Congress is ready to receive any communication he may be pleased to make.

S. RES. 2

*Resolved*, That the Secretary inform the House of Representatives that a quorum of the Senate is assembled and that the Senate is ready to proceed to business.

S. RES. 11

*Resolved*, That the House of Representatives be notified of the election of the Honorable Strom Thurmond, a Senator from the State of South Carolina, as President pro tempore of the Senate.

S. RES. 12

*Resolved*, That the House of Representatives be notified of the election of the Honorable Sheila P. Burke, of California, as Secretary of the Senate.

¶1.21 RULES OF THE HOUSE

Mr. ARMEY, pursuant to House Resolution 5, called up the following privileged resolution (H. Res. 6):

*Resolved*,  
**TITLE I. CONTRACT WITH AMERICA: A BILL OF ACCOUNTABILITY**

SEC. 101. The Rules of the House of Representatives of the One Hundred Third Congress, including applicable provisions of law or concurrent resolution that constituted rules of the House at the end of the One Hundred Third Congress, together with such amendments thereto in this resolution as may otherwise have been adopted, are adopted as the Rules of the House of Representatives of the One Hundred Fourth Congress, with the following amendments:

**Committee, Subcommittee, and Staff Reforms**

(a) COMMITTEE STAFF REDUCTIONS.—In the One Hundred Fourth Congress, the total number of staff of House committees shall be at least one-third less than the corresponding total in the One Hundred Third Congress.

(b) SUBCOMMITTEE REDUCTIONS.—In clause 6 of rule X, amend paragraph (d) to read as follows:

“(d) No committee of the House shall have more than five subcommittees (except the Committee on Appropriations, which shall have no more than thirteen; the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight, which shall have no more than seven; and the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, which shall have no more than six).”.

(c) CONSOLIDATED COMMITTEE STAFF AND BIENNIAL FUNDING.—

(1) In clause 5(a) of rule XI, amend the first sentence to read as follows: “Whenever any committee, commission, or other entity (except the Committee on Appropriations) is to be granted authorization for the payment of its expenses (including all staff salaries) for a Congress, such authorization initially shall be procured by one primary expense resolution reported by the Committee on House Oversight.”.

(2)(A) In clause 5(b) of rule XI, amend the first sentence to read as follows: "After the date of adoption by the House of any such primary expense resolution for any such committee, commission, or other entity for any Congress, authorization for the payment of additional expenses (including staff salaries) in that Congress may be procured by one or more supplemental expense resolutions reported by the Committee on House Oversight, as necessary."

(B) In clause 5(c)(1) of rule XI—

(i) strike "the contingent fund" and insert "committee salary and expense accounts";

(ii) strike "any year" and insert "any odd-numbered year"; and

(iii) strike "for that year" and insert "for that Congress".

(C) In clause 5(c)(2) of rule XI, strike "the contingent fund" and insert "committee salary and expense accounts".

(D) In clause 5(f)(1) of rule XI—

(i) strike "the contingent fund" and insert "committee salary and expense accounts"; and

(ii) strike "of each year" and insert "in each odd-numbered year".

(3)(A) **INTERIM FUNDING RULE.**—For the purposes of implementing this section, and notwithstanding the provisions of clause 5(f) of rule XI, at the beginning of the One Hundred Fourth Congress, the committees established by this resolution are authorized, pending the adoption of the primary expense resolution for the One Hundred Fourth Congress, to expend such sums as are necessary to pay compensation for staff services performed for, or to pay other expenses of, the committee consistent with its planned reductions in committee staff.

(B) Notwithstanding any provision of clause 5(f) of rule XI, payments thereunder during the One Hundred Fourth Congress may be made only on vouchers signed by a Member elected as chairman of the committee concerned in the One Hundred Fourth Congress and approved by the Committee on House Oversight, or, in the case of late expenses of any committee from the One Hundred Third Congress not reestablished by the Rules of the One Hundred Fourth Congress, on vouchers signed by the chairman of the Committee on House Oversight.

(4) In clause 5 of rule XI, amend paragraph (d) to read as follows:

"(d) From the funds made available for the appointment of committee staff pursuant to any primary or additional expense resolution, the chairman of each committee shall ensure that sufficient staff is made available to each subcommittee to carry out its responsibilities under the rules of the committee, and that the minority party is fairly treated in the appointment of such staff."

(5)(A) In clause 6(a)(1) of rule XI, amend the first sentence to read as follows: "Subject to subparagraph (2) and paragraph (f), each standing committee may appoint, by majority vote of the committee, not more than thirty professional staff members from the funds provided for the appointment of committee staff pursuant to primary and additional expense resolutions."

(B) In clause 6(a)(2) of rule XI, amend the first sentence by striking "six persons" and inserting "ten persons (or one-third of the total professional committee staff appointed under this clause, whichever is less)".

(C) In clause 6(a) of rule XI, strike subparagraphs (3) through (5);

(D) In clause 6 of rule XI, amend paragraph (b) to read as follows:

"(b)(1) The professional staff members of each standing committee—

"(A) may not engage in any work other than committee business during congressional working hours; and

"(B) may not be assigned any duties other than those pertaining to committee business."

"(2) This paragraph does not apply to any staff designated by a committee as 'associate' or 'shared' staff who are not paid exclusively by the committee, provided that the chairman certifies that the compensation paid by the committee for any such employee is commensurate with the work performed for the committee, in accordance with the provisions of clause 8 of rule XLIII.

"(3) The use of any 'associate' or 'shared' staff by any committee shall be subject to the review of, and to any terms, conditions, or limitations established by, the Committee on House Oversight in connection with the reporting of any primary or additional expense resolution.

"(4) The foregoing provisions of this clause do not apply to the Committee on Appropriations."

(E) In clause 6(c) of rule XI strike ", clerical and investigating" and insert "and investigative".

(F) In clause 6(d) of rule XI, strike "and the Committee on Budget".

(G)(i) In clause 6(f) of rule XI, strike ", or a minority clerical staff member under paragraph (b)," and strike "or paragraph (b), as applicable".

(ii) In clause 6(f) of rule XI, strike "or the clerical staff, as the case may be,".

(H) In clause 6(g) of rule XI, strike "or (b)" in both places it appears.

(I) In clause 6 of rule XI, amend paragraph (h) to read as follows:

"(h) Paragraph (a) shall not be construed to authorize the appointment of additional professional staff members of a committee pursuant to a request under such paragraph by the minority party members of that committee if ten or more professional staff members provided for in paragraph (a)(1) who are satisfactory to a majority of the minority party members, are otherwise assigned to assist the minority party members."

(J) In clause 6(i) of rule XI, strike "paragraphs (a)(2) and (b)(2)" and insert "paragraph (a)(2)".

SEC. 102. The Rules of the House of Representatives of the One Hundred Third Congress, including applicable provisions of law or concurrent resolution that constituted rules of the House at the end of the One Hundred Third Congress, together with such amendments thereto in this resolution as may otherwise have been adopted, are adopted as the Rules of the House of Representatives of the One Hundred Fourth Congress, with the following amendments:

#### **Truth-in-Budgeting Baseline Reform**

(a) In clause 2(l)(3)(B) of rule XI (relating to cost estimates in committee reports) insert before the semicolon the following: ", except that the estimates with respect to new budget authority shall include, when practicable, a comparison of the total estimated funding level for the relevant program (or programs) to the appropriate levels under current law".

(b) In clause 7(a) of rule XIII (relating to required cost estimates in committee reports)—

(1) strike "and" at the end of the subparagraph (1);

(2) strike the period at the end of the paragraph and insert "; and"; and

(3) add the following new subparagraph at the end:

"(3) when practicable, a comparison of the total estimated funding level for the relevant program (or programs) with the appropriate levels under current law."

SEC. 103. The Rules of the House of Representatives of the One Hundred Third Congress, including applicable provisions of law or concurrent resolution that constituted

rules of the House at the end of the One Hundred Third Congress, together with such amendments thereto in this resolution as may otherwise have been adopted, are adopted as the Rules of the House of Representatives of the One Hundred Fourth Congress, with the following amendments:

#### **Term Limits for Speaker, Committee and Subcommittee Chairmen**

(a) In clause 7 of rule I, insert "(a)" after "7." and add the following new paragraph at the end:

"(b) No person may serve as Speaker for more than four consecutive Congresses, beginning with the One Hundred Fourth Congress (disregarding for this purpose any service for less than a full session in any Congress)."

(b) In clause 6(c) of rule X, insert after the first sentence the following: "No Member may serve as the chairman of the same standing committee, or as the chairman of the same subcommittee thereof, for more than three consecutive Congresses, beginning with the One Hundred Fourth Congress (disregarding for this purpose any service for less than a full session in any Congress)."

SEC. 104. The Rules of the House of Representatives of the One Hundred Third Congress, including applicable provisions of law or concurrent resolution that constituted rules of the House at the end of the One Hundred Third Congress, together with such amendments thereto in this resolution as may otherwise have been adopted, are adopted as the Rules of the House of Representatives of the One Hundred Fourth Congress, with the following amendments:

#### **Proxy Voting Ban**

(a) In clause 2 of rule XI, amend paragraph (f) to read as follows:

#### **"Prohibition against proxy voting"**

"(f) No vote by any member of any committee or subcommittee with respect to any measure or matter may be cast by proxy."

(b) In clause 2(e)(1) of rule XI, strike "and whether by proxy or in person," in the third sentence.

SEC. 105. The Rules of the House of Representatives of the One Hundred Third Congress, including applicable provisions of law or concurrent resolution that constituted rules of the House at the end of the One Hundred Third Congress, together with such amendments thereto in this resolution as may otherwise have been adopted, are adopted as the Rules of the House of Representatives of the One Hundred Fourth Congress, with the following amendments:

#### **Committee Sunshine Rules**

(a) In rule clause 2(g)(1) of rule XI—

(1) insert ", including to radio, television, and still photography coverage, except as provided by clause 3(f)(2)," after "public" the first place it appears;

(2) insert "because disclosure of matters to be considered would endanger national security, would compromise sensitive law enforcement information, would tend to defame, degrade or incriminate any person, or otherwise would violate any law or rule of the House" after "public" the second place it appears; and

(3) strike ", or to any meeting that relates solely to internal budget or personnel matters".

(b) In clause 2(g)(2) of rule XI—

(1) insert ", including to radio, television, and still photography coverage," after "public" the first place it appears; and

(2) insert ", would compromise sensitive law enforcement information," after "would endanger national security" in both places it appears.

(c) In clause 3(d) of rule XI strike "is a privilege made available by the House and".

(d) In clause 3 of rule XI, amend paragraph (e) to read as follows:

“(e) Whenever a hearing or meeting conducted by any committee or subcommittee of the House is open to the public, those proceedings shall be open to coverage by television, radio, and still photography, except as provided in paragraph (f)(2). A committee or subcommittee chairman may not limit the number of television or still cameras to fewer than two representatives from each medium (except for legitimate space or safety considerations, in which case pool coverage shall be authorized).”

SEC. 106. The Rules of the House of Representatives of the One Hundred Third Congress, including applicable provisions of law or concurrent resolution that constituted rules of the House at the end of the One Hundred Third Congress, together with such amendments thereto in this resolution as may otherwise have been adopted, are adopted as the Rules of the House of Representatives of the One Hundred Fourth Congress, with the following amendments:

#### Limitations on Tax Increases

(a) THREE-FIFTHS VOTE REQUIRED FOR TAX INCREASE MEASURES AND AMENDMENTS.—In clause 5 of rule XXI, add the following new paragraph at the end:

“(c) No bill or joint resolution, amendment, or conference report carrying a Federal income tax rate increase shall be considered as passed or agreed to unless so determined by a vote of not less than three-fifths of the Members voting.”

(b) PROHIBITION ON RETROACTIVE TAX INCREASES.—In clause 5 of rule XXI (as amended by (a) above), add the following new paragraph at the end:

“(d) It shall not be in order to consider any bill, joint resolution, amendment, or conference report carrying a retroactive Federal income tax rate increase. For purposes of this paragraph a Federal income tax rate increase is retroactive if it applies to a period beginning prior to the enactment of the provision.”

SEC. 107. The Rules of the House of Representatives of the One Hundred Third Congress, including applicable provisions of law or concurrent resolution that constituted rules of the House at the end of the One Hundred Third Congress, together with such amendments thereto in this resolution as may otherwise have been adopted, are adopted as the Rules of the House of Representatives of the One Hundred Fourth Congress, with the following amendment:

#### Comprehensive House Audit

During the One Hundred Fourth Congress, the Inspector General, in consultation with the Speaker and the Committee on House Oversight, shall coordinate, and as needed contract with independent auditing firms to complete, a comprehensive audit of House financial records and administrative operations, and report the results in accordance with rule VI.

SEC. 108. The Rules of the House of Representatives of the One Hundred Third Congress, including applicable provisions of law or concurrent resolution that constituted rules of the House at the end of the One Hundred Third Congress, together with such amendments thereto in this resolution as may otherwise have been adopted, are adopted as the Rules of the House of Representatives of the One Hundred Fourth Congress, with the following amendment:

#### Consideration of the “Congressional Accountability Act”

It shall be in order at any time after the adoption of this resolution to consider in the House, any rule of the House to the contrary notwithstanding, the bill (H.R. 1) to make certain laws applicable to the legislative branch of the Federal Government, if offered by the majority leader or a designee. The bill

shall be debatable for not to exceed one hour, to be equally divided and controlled by the majority leader and the minority leader or their designees. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the bill to final passage without intervening motion except one motion to recommitt.

#### TITLE II. GENERAL

*Resolved*, That the Rules of the House of Representatives of the One Hundred Third Congress, including applicable provisions of law or concurrent resolution that constituted rules of the House at the end of the One Hundred Third Congress, together with such amendments thereto in this resolution as may otherwise have been adopted, are adopted as the Rules of the House of Representatives of the One Hundred Fourth Congress, with the following amendments:

#### Administrative Reforms

SEC. 201. (a) ABOLITION OF THE OFFICE OF DOORKEEPER; ELECTION OF CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER.—In rule II, strike “Doorkeeper” each place it appears and insert “Chief Administrative Officer”.

(b) ADDITIONAL DUTIES OF CLERK.—In rule III (“Duties of Clerk”), add the following new clauses at the end:

“7. In addition to any other reports required by the Speaker or the Committee on House Oversight, the Clerk shall report to the Committee on House Oversight not later than forty-five days following the close of each semiannual period ending on June 30 or on December 31 on the financial and operational status of each function under the jurisdiction of the Clerk. Each report shall include financial statements, a description or explanation of current operations, the implementation of new policies and procedures, and future plans for each function.

“8. The Clerk shall fully cooperate with the appropriate offices and persons in the performance of reviews and audits of financial records and administrative operations.”

(c) Amend rules IV, V, and VI to read as follows:

#### “RULE IV.

##### “DUTIES OF THE SERGEANT-AT-ARMS.

“1. It shall be the duty of the Sergeant-at-Arms to attend the House during its sittings, to maintain order under the direction of the Speaker or Chairman, and, pending the election of a Speaker or Speaker pro tempore, under the direction of the Clerk, execute the commands of the House, and all processes issued by authority thereof, directed to him by the Speaker.

“2. The symbol of his office shall be the mace, which shall be borne by him while enforcing order on the floor.

“3. He shall enforce strictly the rules relating to the privileges of the Hall and be responsible to the House for the official conduct of his employees.

“4. He shall allow no person to enter the room over the Hall of the House during its sittings; and fifteen minutes before the hour of the meeting of the House each day he shall see that the floor is cleared of all persons except those privileged to remain, and kept so until ten minutes after adjournment.

“5. In addition to any other reports required by the Speaker or the Committee on House Oversight, the Sergeant-at-Arms shall report to the Committee on House Oversight not later than forty-five days following the close of each semiannual period ending June 30 or on December 31 on the financial and operational status of each function under the jurisdiction of the Sergeant-at-Arms. Each report shall include financial statements, a description or explanation of current operations, the implementation of new policies and procedures, and future plans for each function.

“6. The Sergeant-at-Arms shall fully cooperate with the appropriate offices and per-

sons in the performance of reviews and audits of financial records and administrative operations.”

#### “RULE V.

##### “CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER.

“1. The Chief Administrative Officer of the House shall have operational and financial responsibility for functions as assigned by the Speaker and the Committee on House Oversight, and shall be subject to the policy direction and oversight of the Speaker and the Committee on House Oversight.

“2. In addition to any other reports required by the Speaker or the Committee on House Oversight, the Chief shall report to the Committee on House Oversight not later than forty-five days following the close of each semiannual period ending on June 30 or December 31 on the financial and operational status of each function under the jurisdiction of the Chief. Each report shall include financial statements, a description or explanation of current operations, the implementation of new policies and procedures, and future plans for each function.

“3. The Chief shall fully cooperate with the appropriate offices and persons in the performance of reviews and audits of financial records and administrative operations.

#### “RULE VI.

##### “OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL.

“1. There is established an Office of Inspector General.

“2. The Inspector General shall be appointed for a Congress by the Speaker, the majority leader, and the minority leader, acting jointly.

“3. Subject to the policy direction and oversight of the Committee on House Oversight, the Inspector General shall be responsible only for—

“(a) conducting periodic audits of the financial and administrative functions of the House and joint entities;

“(b) informing the Officers or other officials who are the subject of an audit of the results of that audit and suggesting appropriate curative actions;

“(c) simultaneously notifying the Speaker, the majority leader, the minority leader, and the chairman and ranking minority party member of the Committee on House Oversight in the case of any financial irregularity discovered in the course of carrying out responsibilities under this rule;

“(d) simultaneously submitting to the Speaker, the majority leader, and the chairman and ranking minority party member of the Committee on House Oversight a report of each audit conducted under this rule; and

“(e) reporting to the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct information involving possible violations by any Member, officer, or employee of the House of any rule of the House or of any law applicable to the performance of official duties or the discharge of official responsibilities which may require referral to the appropriate Federal or State authorities pursuant to clause 4(e)(1)(C) of rule X.”

(d) In clause 3 of rule X, strike paragraph (j).

(e) In clause 4(d) of rule X—

(1) strike “Committee on House Administration” and insert “Committee on House Oversight”;

(2) strike subparagraphs (2) and (3), insert “and” after “House;” in subparagraph (1), redesignate paragraph (4) as paragraph (2), and amend paragraph (2), as so redesignated, to read as follows:

“(2) providing policy direction for, and oversight of, the Clerk, Sergeant-at-Arms, Chief Administrative Officer, and Inspector General.”

(f) In clause 7 of rule XIV, strike “Sergeant-at-Arms and Doorkeeper are” and insert “Sergeant-at-Arms is”.

### Changes in Committee System

SEC. 202. (a) THE COMMITTEES AND THEIR JURISDICTION.—Clause 1 of rule X of the Rules of the House of Representatives is amended to read as follows:

"1. There shall be in the House the following standing committees, each of which shall have the jurisdiction and related functions assigned to it by this clause and clauses 2, 3, and 4; and all bills, resolutions, and other matters relating to subjects within the jurisdiction of any standing committee as listed in this clause shall (in accordance with and subject to clause 5) be referred to such committees, as follows:

"(a) **Committee on Agriculture.**

"(1) Adulteration of seeds, insect pests, and protection of birds and animals in forest reserves.

"(2) Agriculture generally.

"(3) Agricultural and industrial chemistry.

"(4) Agricultural colleges and experiment stations.

"(5) Agricultural economics and research.

"(6) Agricultural education extension services.

"(7) Agricultural production and marketing and stabilization of prices of agricultural products, and commodities (not including distribution outside of the United States).

"(8) Animal industry and diseases of animals.

"(9) Commodities exchanges.

"(10) Crop insurance and soil conservation.

"(11) Dairy industry.

"(12) Entomology and plant quarantine.

"(13) Extension of farm credit and farm security.

"(14) Inspection of livestock, and poultry, and meat products, and seafood and seafood products.

"(15) Forestry in general, and forest reserves other than those created from the public domain.

"(16) Human nutrition and home economics.

"(17) Plant industry, soils, and agricultural engineering.

"(18) Rural electrification.

"(19) Rural development.

"(20) Water conservation related to activities of the Department of Agriculture.

"(b) **Committee on Appropriations.**

"(1) Appropriation of the revenue for the support of the Government.

"(2) Rescissions of appropriations contained in appropriation Acts.

"(3) Transfers of unexpended balances.

"(4) The amount of new spending authority (as described in the Congressional Budget Act of 1974) which is to be effective for a fiscal year, including bills and resolutions (reported by other committees) which provide new spending authority and are referred to the committee under clause 4(a).

The committee shall include separate headings for 'Rescissions' and 'Transfers of Unexpended Balances' in any bill or resolution as reported from the committee under its jurisdiction specified in subparagraph (2) or (3), with all proposed rescissions and proposed transfers listed therein; and shall include a separate section with respect to such rescissions or transfers in the accompanying committee report. In addition to its jurisdiction under the preceding provisions of this paragraph, the committee shall have the fiscal oversight function provided for in clause 2(b)(3) and the budget hearing function provided for in clause 4(a).

"(c) **Committee on Banking and Financial Services.**

"(1) Banks and banking, including deposit insurance and Federal monetary policy.

"(2) Bank capital markets activities generally.

"(3) Depository institution securities activities generally, including the activities of

any affiliates, except for functional regulation under applicable securities laws, not involving safety and soundness.

"(4) Economic stabilization, defense production, renegotiation, and control of the price of commodities, rents, and services.

"(5) Financial aid to commerce and industry (other than transportation).

"(6) International finance.

"(7) International financial and monetary organizations.

"(8) Money and credit, including currency and the issuance of notes and redemption thereof; gold and silver, including the coinage thereof; valuation and revaluation of the dollar.

"(9) Public and private housing.

"(10) Urban development.

"(d)(1) **Committee on the Budget**, consisting of the following Members:

"(A) Members who are members of other standing committees, including five Members who are members of the Committee on Appropriations, and five Members who are members of the Committee on Ways and Means;

"(B) one Member from the leadership of the majority party; and

"(C) one Member from the leadership of the minority party.

No Member other than a representative from the leadership of a party may serve as a member of the Committee on the Budget during more than four Congresses in any period of six successive Congresses (disregarding for this purpose any service performed as a member of such committee for less than a full session in any Congress), except that an incumbent chairman or ranking minority member having served on the committee for four Congresses and having served as chairman or ranking minority member of the committee for not more than one Congress shall be eligible for reelection to the committee as chairman or ranking minority member for one additional Congress.

"(2) All concurrent resolutions on the budget (as defined in section 3 of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974), other matters required to be referred to the committee under titles III and IV of that Act, and other measures setting forth appropriate levels of budget totals for the United States Government.

"(3) Measures relating to the congressional budget process, generally.

"(4) Measures relating to the establishment, extension, and enforcement of special controls over the Federal budget, including the budgetary treatment of off-budget Federal agencies and measures providing exemption from reduction under any order issued under part C of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985.

"(5) The committee shall have the duty—

"(A) to report the matters required to be reported by it under titles III and IV of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974;

"(B) to make continuing studies of the effect on budget outlays of relevant existing and proposed legislation and to report the results of such studies to the House on a recurring basis;

"(C) to request and evaluate continuing studies of tax expenditures; to devise methods of coordinating tax expenditures, policies, and programs with direct budget outlays, and to report the results of such studies to the House on a recurring basis; and

"(D) to review, on a continuing basis, the conduct by the Congressional Budget Office of its functions and duties.

"(e) **Committee on Commerce.**

"(1) Biomedical research and development.

"(2) Consumer affairs and consumer protection.

"(3) Health and health facilities, except health care supported by payroll deductions.

"(4) Interstate energy compacts.

"(5) Interstate and foreign commerce generally.

"(6) Measures relating to the exploration, production, storage, supply, marketing, pricing, and regulation of energy resources, including all fossil fuels, solar energy, and other unconventional or renewable energy resources.

"(7) Measures relating to the conservation of energy resources.

"(8) Measures relating to energy information generally.

"(9) Measures relating to (A) the generation and marketing of power (except by federally chartered or Federal regional power marketing authorities), (B) the reliability and interstate transmission of, and rate-making for, all power, and (C) the siting of generation facilities; except the installation of interconnections between Government waterpower projects.

"(10) Measures relating to general management of the Department of Energy, and the management and all functions of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission.

"(11) National energy policy generally.

"(12) Public health and quarantine.

"(13) Regulation of the domestic nuclear energy industry, including regulation of research and development reactors and nuclear regulatory research.

"(14) Regulation of interstate and foreign communications.

"(15) Securities and exchanges.

"(16) Travel and tourism.

The committee shall have the same jurisdiction with respect to regulation of nuclear facilities and of use of nuclear energy as it has with respect to regulation of nonnuclear facilities and of use of nonnuclear energy. In addition to its legislative jurisdiction under the preceding provisions of this paragraph (and its general oversight functions under clause 2(b)(1)), such committee shall have the special oversight functions provided for in clause (3)(h) with respect to all laws, programs, and Government activities affecting nuclear and other energy, and nonmilitary nuclear energy and research and development including the disposal of nuclear waste.

"(f) **Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.**

"(1) Child labor.

"(2) Columbia Institution for the Deaf, Dumb, and Blind; Howard University; Freedmen's Hospital.

"(3) Convict labor and the entry of goods made by convicts into interstate commerce.

"(4) Food programs for children in schools.

"(5) Labor standards and statistics.

"(6) Measures relating to education or labor generally.

"(7) Mediation and arbitration of labor disputes.

"(8) Regulation or prevention of importation of foreign laborers under contract.

"(9) United States Employees' Compensation Commission.

"(10) Vocational rehabilitation.

"(11) Wages and hours of labor.

"(12) Welfare of miners.

"(13) Work incentive programs.

In addition to its legislative jurisdiction under the preceding provisions of this paragraph (and its general oversight function under clause 2(b)(1)), the committee shall have the special oversight function provided for in clause 3(c) with respect to domestic educational programs and institutions, and programs of student assistance, which are within the jurisdiction of other committees.

"(g) **Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.**

"(1) The Federal Civil Service, including intergovernmental personnel; the status of officers and employees of the United States, including their compensation, classification, and retirement.

“(2) Measures relating to the municipal affairs of the District of Columbia in general, other than appropriations.

“(3) Federal paperwork reduction.

“(4) Budget and accounting measures, generally.

“(5) Holidays and celebrations.

“(6) The overall economy, efficiency and management of government operations and activities, including Federal procurement.

“(7) National archives.

“(8) Population and demography generally, including the Census.

“(9) Postal service generally, including the transportation of the mails.

“(10) Public information and records.

“(11) Relationship of the Federal Government to the States and municipalities generally.

“(12) Reorganizations in the executive branch of the Government.

In addition to its legislative jurisdiction under the preceding provisions of this paragraph (and its oversight functions under clause 2(b) (1) and (2)), the committee shall have the function of performing the duties and conducting the studies which are provided for in clause 4(c).

“(h) **Committee on House Oversight.**

“(1) Appropriations from accounts for committee salaries and expenses (except for the Committee on Appropriations), House Information Systems, and allowances and expenses of Members, House officers and administrative offices of the House.

“(2) Auditing and settling of all accounts described in subparagraph (1).

“(3) Employment of persons by the House, including clerks for Members and committees, and reporters of debates.

“(4) Except as provided in clause 1(q)(11), matters relating to the Library of Congress and the House Library; statuary and pictures; acceptance or purchase of works of art for the Capitol; the Botanic Gardens; management of the Library of Congress; purchase of books and manuscripts.

“(5) Except as provided in clause 1(q)(11), matters relating to the Smithsonian Institution and the incorporation of similar institutions.

“(6) Expenditure of accounts described in subparagraph (1).

“(7) Franking Commission.

“(8) Matters relating to printing and correction of the Congressional Record.

“(9) Measures relating to accounts of the House generally.

“(10) Measures relating to assignment of office space for Members and committees.

“(11) Measures relating to the disposition of useless executive papers.

“(12) Measures relating to the election of the President, Vice President, or Members of Congress; corrupt practices; contested elections; credentials and qualifications; and Federal elections generally.

“(13) Measures relating to services to the House, including the House Restaurant, parking facilities and administration of the House office buildings and of the House wing of the Capitol.

“(14) Measures relating to the travel of Members of the House.

“(15) Measures relating to the raising, reporting and use of campaign contributions for candidates for office of Representative in the House of Representatives, of Delegate, and of Resident Commissioner to the United States from Puerto Rico.

“(16) Measures relating to the compensation, retirement and other benefits of the Members, officers, and employees of the Congress.

In addition to its legislative jurisdiction under the preceding provisions of this paragraph (and its general oversight function under clause 2(b)(1)), the committee shall

have the function of performing the duties which are provided for in clause 4(d).

“(i) **Committee on International Relations.**

“(1) Relations of the United States with foreign nations generally.

“(2) Acquisition of land and buildings for embassies and legations in foreign countries.

“(3) Establishment of boundary lines between the United States and foreign nations.

“(4) Export controls, including non-proliferation of nuclear technology and nuclear hardware.

“(5) Foreign loans.

“(6) International commodity agreements (other than those involving sugar), including all agreements for cooperation in the export of nuclear technology and nuclear hardware.

“(7) International conferences and congresses.

“(8) International education.

“(9) Intervention abroad and declarations of war.

“(10) Measures relating to the diplomatic service.

“(11) Measures to foster commercial intercourse with foreign nations and to safeguard American business interests abroad.

“(12) Measures relating to international economic policy.

“(13) Neutrality.

“(14) Protection of American citizens abroad and expatriation.

“(15) The American National Red Cross.

“(16) Trading with the enemy.

“(17) United Nations organizations.

In addition to its legislative jurisdiction under the preceding provisions of this paragraph (and its general oversight function under clause 2(b)(1)), the committee shall have the special oversight functions provided for in clause 3(d) with respect to customs administration, intelligence activities relating to foreign policy, international financial and monetary organizations, and international fishing agreements.

“(j) **Committee on the Judiciary.**

“(1) The judiciary and judicial proceedings, civil and criminal.

“(2) Administrative practice and procedure.

“(3) Apportionment of Representatives.

“(4) Bankruptcy, mutiny, espionage, and counterfeiting.

“(5) Civil liberties.

“(6) Constitutional amendments.

“(7) Federal courts and judges, and local courts in the Territories and possessions.

“(8) Immigration and naturalization.

“(9) Interstate compacts, generally.

“(10) Measures relating to claims against the United States.

“(11) Meetings of Congress, attendance of Members and their acceptance of incompatible offices.

“(12) National penitentiaries.

“(13) Patents, the Patent Office, copyrights, and trademarks.

“(14) Presidential succession.

“(15) Protection of trade and commerce against unlawful restraints and monopolies.

“(16) Revision and codification of the Statutes of the United States.

“(17) State and territorial boundaries.

“(18) Subversive activities affecting the internal security of the United States.

“(k) **Committee on National Security.**

“(1) Ammunition depots; forts; arsenals; Army, Navy, and Air Force reservations and establishments.

“(2) Common defense generally.

“(3) Conservation, development, and use of naval petroleum and oil shale reserves.

“(4) The Department of Defense generally, including the Departments of the Army, Navy, and Air Force generally.

“(5) Interoceanic canals generally, including measures relating to the maintenance, operation, and administration of interoceanic canals.

“(6) Merchant Marine Academy, and State Maritime Academies.

“(7) Military applications of nuclear energy.

“(8) Tactical intelligence and intelligence related activities of the Department of the Defense.

“(9) National security aspects of merchant marine, including financial assistance for the construction and operation of vessels, the maintenance of the U.S. shipbuilding and ship repair industrial base, cabotage, cargo preference and merchant marine officers and seamen as these matters relate to the national security.

“(10) Pay, promotion, retirement, and other benefits and privileges of members of the armed forces.

“(11) Scientific research and development in support of the armed services.

“(12) Selective service.

“(13) Size and composition of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Air Force.

“(14) Soldiers' and sailors' homes.

“(15) Strategic and critical materials necessary for the common defense.

In addition to its legislative jurisdiction under the preceding provisions of this paragraph (and its general oversight function under clause 2(b)(1)), the committee shall have the special oversight function provided for in clause 3(a) with respect to international arms control and disarmament, and military dependents education.

“(l) **Committee on Resources.**

“(1) Fisheries and wildlife, including research, restoration, refuges, and conservation.

“(2) Forest reserves and national parks created from the public domain.

“(3) Forfeiture of land grants and alien ownership, including alien ownership of mineral lands.

“(4) Geological Survey.

“(5) International fishing agreements.

“(6) Interstate compacts relating to apportionment of waters for irrigation purposes.

“(7) Irrigation and reclamation, including water supply for reclamation projects, and easements of public lands for irrigation projects, and acquisition of private lands when necessary to complete irrigation projects.

“(8) Measures relating to the care and management of Indians, including the care and allotment of Indian lands and general and special measures relating to claims which are paid out of Indian funds.

“(9) Measures relating generally to the insular possessions of the United States, except those affecting the revenue and appropriations.

“(10) Military parks and battlefields, national cemeteries administered by the Secretary of the Interior, parks within the District of Columbia, and the erection of monuments to the memory of individuals.

“(11) Mineral land laws and claims and entries thereunder.

“(12) Mineral resources of the public lands.

“(13) Mining interests generally.

“(14) Mining schools and experimental stations.

“(15) Marine affairs (including coastal zone management), except for measures relating to oil and other pollution of navigable waters.

“(16) Oceanography.

“(17) Petroleum conservation on the public lands and conservation of the radium supply in the United States.

“(18) Preservation of prehistoric ruins and objects of interest on the public domain.

“(19) Public lands generally, including entry, easements, and grazing thereon.

“(20) Relations of the United States with the Indians and the Indian tribes.

“(21) Trans-Alaska Oil Pipeline.

In addition to its legislative jurisdiction under the preceding provisions of this paragraph (and its general oversight function under clause 2(b)(1)), the committee shall have the special oversight functions provided for in clause 3(e) with respect to all programs affecting Indians.

**“(m) Committee on Rules.**

“(1) The rules and joint rules (other than rules or joint rules relating to the Code of Official Conduct), and order of business of the House.

“(2) Recesses and final adjournments of Congress.

The Committee on Rules is authorized to sit and act whether or not the House is in session.

**“(n) Committee on Science.**

“(1) All energy research, development, and demonstration, and projects therefor, and all federally owned or operated nonmilitary energy laboratories.

“(2) Astronautical research and development, including resources, personnel, equipment, and facilities.

“(3) Civil aviation research and development.

“(4) Environmental research and development.

“(5) Marine research.

“(6) Measures relating to the commercial application of energy technology.

“(7) National Institute of Standards and Technology, standardization of weights and measures and the metric system.

“(8) National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

“(9) National Space Council.

“(10) National Science Foundation.

“(11) National Weather Service.

“(12) Outer space, including exploration and control thereof.

“(13) Science Scholarships.

“(14) Scientific research, development, and demonstration, and projects therefor.

In addition to its legislative jurisdiction under the preceding provisions of this paragraph (and its general oversight function under clause 2(b)(1)), the committee shall have the special oversight function provided for in clause 3(f) with respect to all nonmilitary research and development.

**“(o) Committee on Small Business.**

“(1) Assistance to and protection of small business, including financial aid, regulatory flexibility and paperwork reduction.

“(2) Participation of small-business enterprises in Federal procurement and Government contracts.

In addition to its legislative jurisdiction under the preceding provisions of this paragraph (and its general oversight function under clause 2(b)(1)), the committee shall have the special oversight function provided for in clause 3(g) with respect to the problems of small business.

**“(p) Committee on Standards of Official Conduct.**

“(1) Measures relating to the Code of Official Conduct.

In addition to its legislative jurisdiction under the preceding provision of this paragraph (and its general oversight function under clause 2(b)(1)), the committee shall have the functions with respect to recommendations, studies, investigations, and reports which are provided for in clause 4(e), and the functions designated in titles I and V of the Ethics in Government Act of 1978 and sections 7342, 7351, and 7353 of title 5, United States Code.

**“(q) Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.**

“(1) Coast Guard, including lifesaving service, lighthouses, lightships, ocean derelicts, and the Coast Guard Academy.

“(2) Federal management of emergencies and natural disasters.

“(3) Flood control and improvement of rivers and harbors.

“(4) Inland waterways.

“(5) Inspection of merchant marine vessels, lights and signals, lifesaving equipment, and fire protection on such vessels.

“(6) Navigation and the laws relating thereto, including pilotage.

“(7) Registering and licensing of vessels and small boats.

“(8) Rules and international arrangements to prevent collisions at sea.

“(9) Measures relating to the Capitol Building and the Senate and House office buildings.

“(10) Measures relating to the construction or maintenance of roads and post roads, other than appropriations therefor; but it shall not be in order for any bill providing general legislation in relation to roads to contain any provision for any specific road, nor for any bill in relation to a specific road to embrace a provision in relation to any other specific road.

“(11) Measures relating to the construction or reconstruction, maintenance, and care of the buildings and grounds of the Botanic Gardens, the Library of Congress, and the Smithsonian Institution.

“(12) Measures relating to merchant marine, except for national security aspects of merchant marine.

“(13) Measures relating to the purchase of sites and construction of post offices, customhouses, Federal courthouses, and Government buildings within the District of Columbia.

“(14) Oil and other pollution of navigable waters, including inland, coastal, and ocean waters.

“(15) Marine affairs (including coastal zone management) as they relate to oil and other pollution of navigable waters.

“(16) Public buildings and occupied or improved grounds of the United States generally.

“(17) Public works for the benefit of navigation, including bridges and dams (other than international bridges and dams).

“(18) Related transportation regulatory agencies.

“(19) Roads and the safety thereof.

“(20) Transportation, including civil aviation, railroads, water transportation, transportation safety (except automobile safety), transportation infrastructure, transportation labor, and railroad retirement and unemployment (except revenue measures related thereto).

“(21) Water power.

**“(r) Committee on Veterans' Affairs.**

“(1) Veterans' measures generally.

“(2) Cemeteries of the United States in which veterans of any war or conflict are or may be buried, whether in the United States or abroad, except cemeteries administered by the Secretary of the Interior.

“(3) Compensation, vocational rehabilitation, and education of veterans.

“(4) Life insurance issued by the Government on account of service in the Armed Forces.

“(5) Pensions of all the wars of the United States, general and special.

“(6) Readjustment of servicemen to civil life.

“(7) Soldiers' and sailors' civil relief.

“(8) Veterans' hospitals, medical care, and treatment of veterans.

**“(s) Committee on Ways and Means.**

“(1) Customs, collection districts, and ports of entry and delivery.

“(2) Reciprocal trade agreements.

“(3) Revenue measures generally.

“(4) Revenue measures relating to the insular possessions.

“(5) The bonded debt of the United States (subject to the last sentence of clause 4(g) of this rule).

“(6) The deposit of public moneys.

“(7) Transportation of dutiable goods.

“(8) Tax exempt foundations and charitable trusts.

“(9) National social security, except (A) health care and facilities programs that are supported from general revenues as opposed to payroll deductions and (B) work incentive programs.”.

(b) Any reference in the rules of the House at the end of the One Hundred Third Congress to the following standing committees of the House: the Committee on Armed Services; the Committee on the District of Columbia; the Committee on Education and Labor; the Committee on Energy and Commerce; the Committee on Foreign Affairs; the Committee on Government Operations; the Committee on House Administration; the Committee on Natural Resources; and the Committee on Science, Space and Technology; shall be amended to be a reference to the following standing committees of the House, respectively: the Committee on National Security; the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight; the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities; the Committee on Commerce; the Committee on International Relations; the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight; the Committee on House Oversight; the Committee on Resources; and the Committee on Science.

(c) The chairman of the Committee on the Budget, when elected, may revise (within the appropriate levels established in House Concurrent Resolution 218 of the One Hundred Third Congress) allocations of budget outlays, new budget authority, and entitlement authority among committees of the House in the One Hundred Fourth Congress to reflect changes in jurisdiction under clause 1 of rule X. He shall publish the revised allocations in the Congressional Record. Once published, the revised allocations shall be effective in the House as though made pursuant to sections 302(a) and 602(a) of the Congressional Budget Act of 1974.

(d) In clause 8 of rule XXIV, strike “the Committee on the District of Columbia” through the end of the sentence and insert: “the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight, be set apart for the consideration of such business relating to the District of Columbia as may be presented by said committee.”.

**Oversight Reform**

SEC. 203. (a) In clause 2 of rule X, add the following new paragraphs at the end:

“(d)(1) Not later than February 15 of the first session of a Congress, each standing committee of the House shall, in a meeting that is open to the public and with a quorum present, adopt its oversight plans for that Congress. Such plans shall be submitted simultaneously to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight and to the Committee on House Oversight. In developing such plans each committee shall, to the maximum extent feasible—

“(A) consult with other committees of the House that have jurisdiction over the same or related laws, programs, or agencies within its jurisdiction, with the objective of ensuring that such laws, programs, or agencies are reviewed in the same Congress and that there is a maximum of coordination between such committees in the conduct of such reviews; and such plans shall include an explanation of what steps have been and will be taken to ensure such coordination and cooperation;

“(B) give priority consideration to including in its plans the review of those laws, programs, or agencies operating under permanent budget authority or permanent statutory authority; and

“(C) have a view toward ensuring that all significant laws, programs, or agencies within its jurisdictions are subject to review at least once every ten years.



“(2) It shall not be in order to consider any committee expense resolution (within the meaning of clause 5 of rule XI), or any amendment thereto, for any committee that has not submitted its oversight plans as required by this paragraph.

“(3) Not later than March 31 in the first session of a Congress, after consultation with the Speaker, the majority leader, and the minority leader, the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight shall report to the House the oversight plans submitted by each committee together with any recommendations that it, or the House leadership group referred to above, may make to ensure the most effective coordination of such plans and otherwise achieve the objectives of this clause.

“(e) The Speaker, with the approval of the House, may appoint special ad hoc oversight committees for the purpose of reviewing specific matters within the jurisdiction of two or more standing committees.”

(b) In clause 1 of rule XI, amend paragraph (d) to read as follows:

“(d)(1) Each committee shall submit to the House not later than January 2 of each odd-numbered year, a report on the activities of that committee under this rule and rule X during the Congress ending on January 3 of such year.

“(2) Such report shall include separate sections summarizing the legislative and oversight activities of that committee during that Congress.

“(3) The oversight section of such report shall include a summary of the oversight plans submitted by the committee pursuant to clause 2(d) of rule X, a summary of the actions taken and recommendations made with respect to each such plan, and a summary of any additional oversight activities undertaken by that committee, and any recommendations made or actions taken thereon.”

#### Member Assignment Limits

SEC. 204. In clause 6(b) of rule X, insert “(1)” after “(b)” and add the following new subparagraph at the end:

“(2)(A) No Member, Delegate, or Resident Commissioner may serve simultaneously as a member of more than two standing committees or four subcommittees of the standing committees of the House, except that ex officio service by a chairman and ranking minority member of a committee on each of its subcommittees by committee rule shall not be counted against the limitation on subcommittee service. Any other exception to these limitations must be approved by the House upon the recommendation of the respective party caucus or conference.

“(B) For the purposes of this subparagraph, the term ‘subcommittee’ includes any panel (other than a special oversight panel of the Committee on National Security), task force, special subcommittee, or any subunit of a standing committee that is established for a cumulative period longer than six months in any Congress.”

#### Multiple Referral Reform

SEC. 205. In clause 5 of rule X, amend paragraph (c) to read as follows:

“(c) In carrying out paragraphs (a) and (b) with respect to any matter, the Speaker shall designate a committee of primary jurisdiction; but also may refer the matter to one or more additional committees, for consideration in sequence (subject to appropriate time limitations), either on its initial referral or after the matter has been reported by the committee of primary jurisdiction; or may refer portions of the matter to one or more additional committees (reflecting different subjects and jurisdictions) for the consideration only of designated portions; or may refer the matter to a special ad hoc committee appointed by the Speaker

with the approval of the House (with members from the committees having jurisdiction) for the specific purpose of considering that matter and reporting to the House thereon; or may make such other provisions as may be considered appropriate.”

#### Accuracy of Committee Transcripts

SEC. 206. In clause 2(e)(1) of rule XI, amend the first sentence to read as follows: “Each committee shall keep a complete record of all committee action which shall include—

“(A) in the case of any meeting or hearing transcript, a substantially verbatim account of remarks actually made during the proceedings, subject only to technical, grammatical, and typographical corrections authorized by the person making the remarks involved; and

“(B) a record of the votes on any question on which a rollcall vote is demanded.”

#### Elimination of “Rolling Quorums”

SEC. 207. In clause 2(l)(2)(A) of rule XI, strike “was actually present” and all that follows through the end of the subdivision and insert “was actually present.”

#### Limitation on Committees’ Sitings

SEC. 208. In clause 2 of rule XI, amend paragraph (i) to read as follows:

#### “Limitation on committees’ sitings

“(i)(1) No committee of the House (except the Committee on Appropriations, the Committee on the Budget, the Committee on Rules, the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct, and the Committee on Ways and Means) may sit, without special leave, while the House is reading a measure for amendment under the five-minute rule. For purposes of this paragraph, special leave will be granted unless ten or more Members object; and shall be granted upon the adoption of a motion, which shall be highly privileged if offered by the majority leader, granting such leave to one or more committees.

“(2) No committee of the House may sit during a joint session of the House and Senate or during a recess when a joint meeting of the House and Senate is in progress.”

#### Accountability for Committee Votes

SEC. 209. In clause 2(l)(2) of rule XI amend subdivision (B) to read as follows:

“(B) With respect to each rollcall vote on a motion to report any measure or matter of a public character, and on any amendment offered to the measure or matter, the total number of votes cast for and against, and the names of those members voting for and against, shall be included in the committee report on the measure or matter.”

#### Affirming Minority’s Right on Motions to Recommit

SEC. 210. In clause 4(b) of rule XI, insert before the period at the end the following: “, including a motion to recommit with instructions to report back an amendment otherwise in order (if offered by the minority leader or a designee), except with respect to a Senate bill or resolution for which the text of a House-passed measure has been substituted”.

#### Waiver Policy for Special Rules

SEC. 211. In clause 4 of rule XI, add the following new paragraph at the end:

“(e) Whenever the Committee on Rules reports a resolution providing for the consideration of any measure, it shall, to the maximum extent possible, specify in the resolution the object of any waiver of a point of order against the measure or against its consideration.”

#### Prohibition on Delegate Voting in Committee of the Whole

SEC. 212. (a) In rule XII, strike clause 2 and the designation of the remaining clause.

(b) In clause 1 of rule XXIII, strike “, Resident Commissioner, or Delegate”.

(c) In clause 2 of rule XXIII, strike paragraph (d).

#### Accuracy of the Congressional Record

SEC. 213. In rule XIV, add the following new clause at the end:

“9. (a) The Congressional Record shall be a substantially verbatim account of remarks made during the proceedings of the House, subject only to technical, grammatical, and typographical corrections authorized by the Member making the remarks involved.

“(b) Unparliamentary remarks may be deleted only by permission or order of the House.

“(c) This clause establishes a standard of conduct within the meaning of clause 4(e)(1)(B) of rule X.”

#### Automatic Rollcall Votes

SEC. 214. In rule XV, add the following new clause at the end:

“7. The yeas and nays shall be considered as ordered when the Speaker puts the question on final passage or adoption of any bill, joint resolution, or conference report making general appropriations or increasing Federal income tax rates, or on final adoption of any concurrent resolution on the budget or conference report thereon.”

#### Appropriations Reforms

SEC. 215. (a) CONSIDERATION OF LIMITATION AMENDMENTS.—In clause 2(d) of rule XXI, strike “shall have precedence” and insert “shall, if offered by the majority leader or a designee, have precedence”.

(b) PROHIBITION AGAINST NON-EMERGENCY ITEMS IN EMERGENCY SPENDING BILLS.—In clause 2 of rule XXI, add the following new paragraph at the end:

“(e) No provision shall be reported in any appropriation bill or joint resolution containing an emergency designation for purposes of section 251(b)(2)(D) or section 252(e) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act, or shall be in order as an amendment thereto, if the provision or amendment is not designated as an emergency, unless the provision or amendment rescinds budget authority or reduces direct spending, or reduces an amount for a designated emergency.”

(c) PERMITTING OFFSETTING AMENDMENTS.—In clause 2 of rule XXI (as amended by (b) above), add the following new paragraph at the end:

“(f) During the reading of any appropriation bill for amendment in the Committee of the Whole, it shall be in order to consider en bloc amendments proposing only to transfer appropriations among objects in the bill without increasing the levels of budget authority or outlays in the bill. When considered en bloc pursuant to this paragraph, such amendments may amend portions of the bill not yet read for amendment (following the disposition of any points of order against such portions) and shall not be subject to a demand for division of the question in the House or in the Committee of the Whole.”

(d) LISTING OF UNAUTHORIZED APPROPRIATIONS IN REPORTS.—In clause 3 of rule XXI, insert before the period the following: “, and shall contain a list of all appropriations contained in the bill for any expenditure not previously authorized by law (except for classified intelligence or national security programs, projects, or activities)”.

(e) AUTOMATIC RESERVATION OF POINTS OF ORDER.—In rule XXI, add the following new clause at the end:

“8. At the time any appropriation bill is reported, all points of order shall be considered as reserved.”

#### Ban on Commemoratives

SEC. 216. (a) In rule XXII—

(1) amend clause 2 by inserting “(a)” after “2.” and by adding the following new paragraph at the end:

“(b)(1) No bill or resolution, and no amendment to any bill or resolution, establishing or expressing any commemoration may be introduced or considered in the House.

“(2) For purposes of this paragraph, the term ‘commemoration’ means any remembrance, celebration, or recognition for any purpose through the designation of a specified period of time.”.

(2) amend clause 3 by striking “or private bill” and inserting “or bill or resolution”.

(b) The Committee on Government Reform and Oversight shall consider alternative means for establishing commemorations, including the creation of an independent or Executive branch commission for such purpose, and to report to the House any recommendations thereon.

**Numerical Designation of Amendments**

SEC. 217. In clause 6 of rule XXIII, add the following new sentence at the end: “All amendments to a specified measure submitted for printing in that portion of the Record shall be given numerical designations in the order printed.”.

**Pledge of Allegiance**

SEC. 218. In clause 1 of rule XXIV—

(a) insert after the second order of business the following new order of business: “Third, The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.”; and  
(b) redesignate succeeding orders accordingly.

**Discharge Petitions**

SEC. 219. In clause 3 of rule XXVII, insert the following three new sentences after the fifth sentence: “The Clerk shall cause the names of the Members who have signed a discharge motion during any week to be published in a portion of the Congressional Record designated for that purpose on the last legislative day of that week. The Clerk shall make available each day for public inspection in an appropriate office of the House cumulative lists of such names. The Clerk shall devise a means by which to make such lists available to offices of the House and to the public in electronic form.”.

**Protection of Classified Materials**

SEC. 220. In rule XLIII (“Code of Official Conduct”) insert the following new clause before the two undesignated paragraphs at the end:

“13. Before any Member, officer, or employee of the House of Representatives may have access to classified information, the following oath (or affirmation) shall be executed:

‘I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will not disclose any classified information received in the course of my service with the House of Representatives, except as authorized by House of Representatives or in accordance with its Rules.’

Copies of the executed oath shall be retained by the Clerk of the House as part of the records of the House.”.

**Select Committee on Intelligence**

SEC. 221. (a) In clause 1(a) of rule XLVIII (relating to the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence) strike “nineteen Members with representation to” and insert “sixteen Members, of whom not more than nine may be from the same party. The select committee shall”.

(b)(1) In clause 1(b) of rule XLVIII, insert “(1)” after “(b)”, strike “majority leader”, and insert “Speaker”.

(2) In clause 1(b) of rule XLVIII, add the following new subparagraph at the end:

“(2) The Speaker and minority leader each may designate a member of their leadership staff to assist them in their capacity as ex officio members, with the same access to committee meetings, hearings, briefings, and materials as if employees of the select committee, and subject to the same security

clearance and confidentiality requirements as employees of the select committee under this rule.”.

(3) In clause 7(c) of rule XLVIII, strike subparagraph (3).

(c) In clause 1 of rule XLVIII, amend paragraph (c) to read as follows:

“(c) No Member of the House other than the Speaker and the minority leader may serve on the select committee during more than four Congresses in any period of six successive Congresses (disregarding for this purpose any service for less than a full session in any Congress), except that the incumbent chairman or ranking minority member having served on the select committee for four Congresses and having served as chairman or ranking minority member for not more than one Congress shall be eligible for reappointment to the select committee as chairman or ranking minority member for one additional Congress.”.

(d) In clause 2(a) of rule XLVIII—

(1) insert the following before the period in subparagraph (1): “, and the National Foreign Intelligence Program as defined in section 3(6) of the National Security Act of 1947”;

(2) strike all after “but not limited to,” in subparagraph (2) and insert the following: “the tactical intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the Department of Defense.”.

(3) amend subparagraph (4) to read as follows:

“(4) Authorizations for appropriations, both direct and indirect, for the following:

“(A) The Central Intelligence Agency, Director of Central Intelligence, and the National Foreign Intelligence Program as defined in section 3(6) of the National Security Act of 1947.

“(B) Intelligence and intelligence-related activities of all other departments and agencies of the Government, including, but not limited to, the tactical intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the Department of Defense.

“(C) Any department, agency, or subdivision, or program that is a successor to any agency or program named or referred to in subdivision (A) or (B).”.

**Abolition of Legislative Service Organizations**

SEC. 222. The establishment or continuation of any legislative service organization (as defined and authorized in the One Hundred Third Congress) shall be prohibited in the One Hundred Fourth Congress. The Committee on House Oversight shall take such steps as are necessary to ensure an orderly termination and accounting for funds of any legislative service organization in existence on January 3, 1995.

**Miscellaneous Provisions and Clerical Corrections**

SEC. 223. (a) SPEAKER’S AUTHORITY TO POSTPONE VOTES.—In clause 5(b)(1) of rule I, amend the matter after “questions listed herein:” to read as follows:

“(A) the question of adopting a resolution;  
“(B) the question of passing a bill;

“(C) the question of agreeing to a motion to instruct conferees as provided in clause 1(c) of rule XXVIII: *Provided, however*, That proceedings shall not resume on said question if the conferees have filed a report in the House;

“(D) the question of agreeing to a conference report;

“(E) the question of ordering the previous question on a question described in subdivision (A), (B), (C), or (D); and

“(F) the question of agreeing to a motion to suspend the rules.”.

(b) OFFICE OF FLOOR ASSISTANTS.—There is established in the House of Representatives an office to be known as the Speaker’s Office

for Legislative Floor Activities. The Speaker shall appoint and set the annual rate of pay for employees of the Office. The Office shall have the responsibility of assisting the Speaker in the management of legislative floor activity.

(c) VICE CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEE.—In clause 2(d) of rule XI—

(1) strike “The member” and insert “A member”;

(2) strike “ranking immediately after the chairman” and insert “designated by the chairman of the full committee”.

(d) PROHIBITION AGAINST MEMBERS’ USE OF PERSONAL, ELECTRONIC OFFICE EQUIPMENT ON HOUSE FLOOR.—In clause 7 of rule XIV, insert “or to use any personal, electronic office equipment (including cellular phones and computers)” after “to smoke”.

(e) SPEAKER’S AUTHORITY TO REDUCE TO FIVE-MINUTES A VOTE FOLLOWING A PREVIOUS QUESTION VOTE.—In clause 5(b) of rule XV, amend subparagraph (1) to read as follows:

“(1) after a rollcall vote has been ordered on a motion for the previous question, on any underlying question that follows without intervening business;”.

(f) CLERICAL CORRECTIONS.—

(1) In clause 3 of rule III, insert “; and” before “certify”.

(2) In clause 2(l)(1)(B) of rule XI, strike “does not apply to the reporting” and all that follows through “subdivision (C) and”.

(g) SPECIAL RULE FOR BILL SPONSORSHIP ON OPENING DAY.—In the One Hundred Fourth Congress, each of the first 20 bills introduced in the House (H.R. 1 through H.R. 20), and each of the first two joint resolutions introduced in the House (H.J. Res. 1 and H.J. Res. 2), may have more than one Member reflected as a first sponsor.

Pursuant to House Resolution 5, the question was divided among the eight sections of title I and then title II, and the previous question was considered as ordered on each portion of the divided question.

When section 101 of said resolution was considered.

After debate,  
The question being put, viva voce,  
Will the House agree to section 101?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. WALKER, announced that the yeas had it.

Mr. CHRYSLER demanded that the vote be taken by the yeas and nays, which demand was supported by one-fifth of the Members present, so the yeas and nays were ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the affirmative { Yeas ..... 416  
Nays ..... 12

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[Roll No. 6]  
YEAS—416

Ackerman	Beilenson	Brown (FL)
Allard	Bentsen	Brown (OH)
Andrews	Bereuter	Brownback
Archer	Berman	Bryant (TN)
Armey	Bevill	Bryant (TX)
Bachus	Bilbray	Bunn
Baessler	Bilirakis	Bunning
Baker (CA)	Bishop	Burr
Baker (LA)	Bliley	Burton
Baldacci	Blute	Buyer
Ballenger	Boehkert	Callahan
Barcia	Boehner	Calvert
Barr	Bonilla	Camp
Barrett (NE)	Bonior	Canady
Barrett (WI)	Bono	Cardin
Bartlett	Borski	Castle
Barton	Boucher	Chabot
Bass	Brewster	Chambliss
Bateman	Browder	Chapman
Becerra	Brown (CA)	Chenoweth

Christensen  
Chrysler  
Clay  
Clayton  
Clement  
Coble  
Coburn  
Coleman  
Collins (GA)  
Collins (IL)  
Combest  
Condit  
Conyers  
Cooley  
Costello  
Cox  
Coyne  
Cramer  
Crane  
Crapo  
Cremeans  
Cunningham  
Danner  
Davis  
de la Garza  
Deal  
DeFazio  
DeLauro  
DeLay  
Deutsch  
Diaz-Balart  
Dickey  
Dicks  
Dingell  
Dixon  
Doggett  
Dooley  
Doolittle  
Dornan  
Doyle  
Dreier  
Duncan  
Dunn  
Durbin  
Edwards  
Ehlers  
Ehrlich  
Emerson  
Engel  
English  
Ensign  
Eshoo  
Evans  
Everett  
Ewing  
Farr  
Fawell  
Fazio  
Fields (LA)  
Fields (TX)  
Filner  
Flake  
Flanagan  
Foglietta  
Foley  
Forbes  
Ford  
Fowler  
Fox  
Frank (MA)  
Franks (CT)  
Franks (NJ)  
Frisa  
Frost  
Funderburk  
Furse  
Gallegly  
Ganske  
Gejdenson  
Gekas  
Gephardt  
Geren  
Gibbons  
Gilchrist  
Gillmor  
Gilman  
Gonzalez  
Goodlatte  
Goodling  
Gordon  
Goss  
Graham  
Green  
Greenwood  
Gunderson  
Gutierrez  
Hamilton

Hancock  
Hansen  
Harman  
Hastert  
Hastings (WA)  
Hayes  
Hayworth  
Hefley  
Hefner  
Heineman  
Herger  
Hilleary  
Hinche  
Hobson  
Hoekstra  
Hoke  
Holden  
Horn  
Hostettler  
Houghton  
Hoyer  
Hunter  
Hutchinson  
Hyde  
Inglis  
Istook  
Jackson-Lee  
Jacobs  
Jefferson  
Johnson (CT)  
Johnson (SD)  
Johnson, E.B.  
Johnson, Sam  
Jones  
Kanjorski  
Kaptur  
Kasich  
Kelly  
Kennedy (MA)  
Kennedy (RI)  
Kennelly  
Kildee  
Kim  
King  
Kingston  
Klecza  
Klink  
Klug  
Knollenberg  
Kolbe  
LaFalce  
LaHood  
Lambert-Lincoln  
Lantos  
Largent  
Latham  
LaTourrette  
Laughlin  
Lazio  
Leach  
Levin  
Lewis (CA)  
Lewis (GA)  
Lewis (KY)  
Lightfoot  
Linder  
Lipinski  
Livingston  
LoBiondo  
Lofgren  
Longley  
Lowey  
Lucas  
Luther  
Maloney  
Manton  
Manzullo  
Markey  
Martinez  
Mascara  
Matsui  
McCarthy  
McCollum  
McCrery  
McDade  
McDermott  
McHale  
McHugh  
McInnis  
McIntosh  
McKeon  
McKinney  
McNulty  
Meehan  
Menendez  
Mica

Miller (CA)  
Miller (FL)  
Mineta  
Minge  
Mink  
Moakley  
Molinari  
Mollohan  
Montgomery  
Moorhead  
Moran  
Morella  
Murtha  
Myers  
Myrick  
Nadler  
Neal  
Nethercutt  
Neumann  
Ney  
Norwood  
Nussle  
Oberstar  
Obey  
Olver  
Ortiz  
Orton  
Oxley  
Packard  
Pallone  
Parker  
Pastor  
Paxon  
Payne (NJ)  
Payne (VA)  
Pelosi  
Peterson (FL)  
Peterson (MN)  
Petri  
Pickett  
Pombo  
Pomeroy  
Porter  
Portman  
Poshard  
Pryce  
Quillen  
Quinn  
Radanovich  
Rahall  
Ramstad  
Rangel  
Reed  
Regula  
Reynolds  
Richardson  
Riggs  
Rivers  
Roberts  
Roemer  
Rogers  
Rohrabacher  
Ros-Lehtinen  
Rose  
Roth  
Roybal-Allard  
Royce  
Rush  
Sabo  
Salmon  
Sanders  
Sanford  
Sawyer  
Saxton  
Scarborough  
Schaef  
Schiff  
Schroeder  
Schumer  
Scott  
Seastrand  
Sensenbrenner  
Serrano  
Shadegg  
Shaw  
Shays  
Shuster  
Sisisky  
Skaggs  
Skeen  
Skelton  
Slaughter  
Smith (MI)  
Smith (NJ)  
Smith (TX)  
Smith (WA)  
Solomon  
Souder  
Spence  
Spratt

Stark  
Stearns  
Stenholm  
Stockman  
Stokes  
Studds  
Stump  
Stupak  
Talent  
Tanner  
Tate  
Tauzin  
Taylor (MS)  
Taylor (NC)  
Tejeda  
Thomas  
Thompson  
Thornberry  
Thornton

Thurman  
Tiahrt  
Torkildsen  
Torres  
Torrice  
Towns  
Traficant  
Tucker  
Upton  
Vento  
Visclosky  
Volkmer  
Vucanovich  
Waldholtz  
Walker  
Walsh  
Wamp  
Ward  
Waters

Watt (NC)  
Waxman  
Weldon (FL)  
Weldon (PA)  
Weller  
White  
Whitfield  
Wicker  
Wilson  
Wise  
Wolf  
Woolsey  
Wynen  
Yates  
Young (AK)  
Young (FL)  
Zeliff  
Zimmer

Everett  
Ewing  
Farr  
Fattah  
Fawell  
Fazio  
Fields (LA)  
Fields (TX)  
Filner  
Flake  
Flanagan  
Foglietta  
Foley  
Forbes  
Ford  
Fowler  
Fox  
Frank (MA)  
Franks (CT)  
Franks (NJ)  
Frelinghuysen  
Frisa  
Frost  
Furse  
Gallegly  
Ganske  
Gejdenson  
Gekas  
Gephardt  
Geren  
Gibbons  
Gilchrist  
Gillmor  
Gilman  
Gonzalez  
Goodlatte  
Goodling  
Gordon  
Goss  
Graham  
Green  
Greenwood  
Gunderson  
Gutierrez  
Gutknecht  
Hall (OH)  
Hall (TX)  
Hamilton  
Hancock  
Hansen  
Harman  
Hastert  
Hastings (FL)  
Hastings (WA)  
Hayes  
Hayworth  
Hefley  
Hefner  
Heineman  
Herger  
Hilleary  
Hinche  
Hobson  
Hoekstra  
Hoke  
Holden  
Horn  
Hostettler  
Houghton  
Hoyer  
Hunter  
Hutchinson  
Hyde  
Inglis  
Istook  
Jackson-Lee  
Jacobs  
Jefferson  
Johnson (CT)  
Johnson (SD)  
Johnson, E. B.  
Johnson, Sam  
Johnston  
Jones  
Kanjorski  
Kaptur  
Kasich  
Kelly  
Kennedy (MA)  
Kennedy (RI)  
Kildee  
Kim  
King  
Kingston  
Klecza  
Klink  
Klug  
Knollenberg  
Kolbe  
LaFalce

Ramstad  
Rangel  
Reed  
Regula  
Reynolds  
Richardson  
Riggs  
Rivers  
Roberts  
Roemer  
Rogers  
Rohrabacher  
Ros-Lehtinen  
Rose  
Roth  
Roukema  
Roybal-Allard  
Royce  
Rush  
Sabo  
Sanders  
Sanford  
Sawyer  
Saxton  
Scarborough  
Schaef  
Schiff  
Schroeder  
Schumer  
Scott  
Seastrand  
Sensenbrenner  
Serrano  
Shadegg  
Shaw  
Shays  
Shuster  
Sisisky  
Skaggs  
Skeen  
Skelton  
Slaughter  
Smith (MI)  
Smith (NJ)  
Smith (TX)  
Smith (WA)  
Solomon  
Souder  
Spence  
Spratt  
Stark  
Stearns  
Stenholm  
Stockman  
Stokes  
Studds  
Stump  
Stupak  
Talent  
Tanner  
Tiahrt  
Torkildsen  
Torres  
Torrice  
Towns  
Traficant  
Tucker  
Upton  
Vento  
Visclosky  
Volkmer  
Vucanovich  
Waldholtz  
Walker  
Walsh  
Wamp  
Ward  
Waters  
Watt (NC)  
Weldon (FL)  
Weldon (PA)  
Weller  
White  
Whitfield  
Wicker  
Williams  
Wilson  
Wise  
Wolf

NAYS—12

Abercrombie  
Clyburn  
Collins (MI)  
Dellums  
Clinger  
Cubin

Fattah  
Hastings (FL)  
Hilliard  
Johnston  
Frelinghuysen  
Roukema  
Meek  
Owens  
Williams  
Wynn  
Velazquez

NOT VOTING—5

So section 101 was agreed to.  
A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said section was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

When section 102 of said resolution was considered.

After debate,  
The question being put, viva voce,  
Will the House agree to section 102?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. DREIER, announced that the yeas had it.

Mr. SANFORD demanded that the vote be taken by the yeas and nays, which demand was supported by one-fifth of the Members present, so the yeas and nays were ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the affirmative { Yeas ..... 421  
Nays ..... 6

1.23 [Roll No. 7]  
YEAS—421

Abercrombie  
Ackerman  
Allard  
Andrews  
Archer  
Armey  
Bachus  
Baesler  
Baker (CA)  
Baker (LA)  
Baldacci  
Baltenger  
Barcia  
Barr  
Barrett (NE)  
Barrett (WI)  
Bartlett  
Barton  
Bass  
Bateman  
Becerra  
Beilenson  
Bentsen  
Berntson  
Berman  
Bevill  
Billbray  
Bilirakis  
Bishop  
Bliley  
Blute  
Boehlert  
Collins (GA)  
Collins (IL)  
Bonilla  
Bonior  
Bono  
Borski  
Boucher

Brewster  
Browder  
Brown (CA)  
Brown (FL)  
Brown (OH)  
Brownback  
Bryant (TN)  
Bryant (TX)  
Bunn  
Bunning  
Burton  
Buyer  
Callahan  
Calvert  
Camp  
Canady  
Cardin  
Castle  
Chabot  
Chambliss  
Chapman  
Chenoweth  
Christensen  
Chrysler  
Doyle  
Dreier  
Duncan  
Dunn  
Durbin  
Edwards  
Ehlers  
Ehrlich  
Emerson  
Engel  
English  
Ensign  
Conyers  
Cooley

Costello  
Cox  
Coyne  
Cramer  
Crane  
Crapo  
Cremeans  
Cubin  
Cunningham  
Davis  
de la Garza  
Deal  
DeFazio  
DeLauro  
Dellums  
Deutsch  
Diaz-Balart  
Dickey  
Dicks  
Dixon  
Doggett  
Dooley  
Doolittle  
Dornan  
Doyle  
Dreier  
Duncan  
Dunn  
Durbin  
Edwards  
Ehlers  
Ehrlich  
Emerson  
Engel  
English  
Ensign  
Eshoo  
Evans

Woolsey	Young (AK)	Zimmer
Wyden	Young (FL)	
Wynn	Zeliff	
NAYS—6		
Collins (MI)	Hilliard	Nadler
Dingell	Kennelly	Waxman
NOT VOTING—6		
Clay	Funderburk	Yates
Danner	Gingrich	
DeLay	Salmon	

So section 102 was agreed to.  
 A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said section was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

When section 103 of said resolution was considered.

After debate,  
 The question being put, viva voce,  
 Will the House agree to section 103?  
 The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. EMERSON, announced that the yeas had it.

Mr. NETHERCUTT demanded that the vote be taken by the yeas and nays, which demand was supported by one-fifth of the Members present, so the yeas and nays were ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the affirmative .....  
 Yeas ..... 355  
 Nays ..... 74  
 Answered present 1

¶1.24 [Roll No. 8]  
 YEAS—355

Allard	Clayton	Forbes
Andrews	Clement	Ford
Archer	Clinger	Fowler
Armey	Coble	Fox
Bachus	Coburn	Frank (MA)
Baesler	Collins (GA)	Franks (CT)
Baker (CA)	Combest	Franks (NJ)
Baker (LA)	Condit	Frelinghuysen
Baldacci	Cooley	Frisa
Ballenger	Costello	Frost
Barcia	Cox	Funderburk
Barr	Cramer	Furse
Barrett (NE)	Crane	Galleghy
Barrett (WI)	Crapo	Ganske
Bartlett	Creameans	Gekas
Barton	Cubin	Geren
Bass	Cunningham	Gibbons
Bateman	Danner	Gilchrest
Bereuter	Davis	Gillmor
Bevill	de la Garza	Gilman
Bilbray	Deal	Gonzalez
Bilirakis	DeFazio	Goodlatte
Bishop	DeLauro	Goodling
Biley	DeLay	Gordon
Blute	Deutsch	Goss
Boehlert	Diaz-Balart	Graham
Boehner	Dickey	Green
Bonilla	Dicks	Greenwood
Bono	Doggett	Gunderson
Brewster	Dooley	Gutierrez
Browder	Doolittle	Gutknecht
Brown (CA)	Dornan	Hall (OH)
Brown (FL)	Doyle	Hall (TX)
Brown (OH)	Dreier	Hancock
Brownback	Duncan	Hansen
Bryant (TN)	Dunn	Hastert
Bunn	Edwards	Hastings (WA)
Bunning	Ehlers	Hayes
Burr	Ehrlich	Hayworth
Burton	Emerson	Hefley
Buyer	Engel	Hefner
Callahan	English	Heineman
Calvert	Ensign	Herger
Camp	Eshoo	Hilleary
Canady	Everett	Hinches
Cardin	Ewing	Hobson
Castle	Farr	Hoekstra
Chabot	Fawell	Hoke
Chambliss	Fields (TX)	Holden
Chapman	Filner	Horn
Chenoweth	Flake	Hostettler
Christensen	Flanagan	Houghton
Chrysler	Foley	Hunter

Hutchinson	Metcalf	Seastrand
Hyde	Meyers	Sensenbrenner
Inglis	Mica	Shadegg
Istook	Miller (FL)	Shaw
Jackson-Lee	Mineta	Shays
Jacobs	Minge	Shuster
Johnson (CT)	Mink	Sisisky
Johnson (SD)	Molinari	Skeen
Johnson, Sam	Moorhead	Slaughter
Johnston	Moran	Smith (MI)
Jones	Morella	Smith (NJ)
Kanjorski	Myers	Smith (TX)
Kasich	Myrick	Smith (WA)
Kelly	Nadler	Solomon
Kennedy (MA)	Neal	Souder
Kennelly	Nethercutt	Spence
Kim	Neumann	Spratt
King	Ney	Stearns
Kingston	Norwood	Stenholm
Klecza	Nussle	Stockman
Klug	Olver	Studds
Knollenberg	Orton	Stump
Kolbe	Owens	Stupak
LaFalce	Oxley	Talent
LaHood	Packard	Tanner
Lambert-Lincoln	Parker	Tate
Lantos	Pastor	Tauzin
Largent	Paxon	Taylor (NC)
Latham	Payne (VA)	Tejeda
LaTourette	Peterson (FL)	Thomas
Laughlin	Peterson (MN)	Thornberry
Lazio	Petri	Thornton
Leach	Pickett	Thurman
Levin	Pombo	Tiaht
Lewis (CA)	Pomeroy	Torkildsen
Lewis (KY)	Porter	Torricelli
Lightfoot	Portman	Towns
Linder	Poshard	Trafficant
Lipinski	Pryce	Tucker
Livingston	Quillen	Upton
LoBiondo	Quinn	Volkmer
LoFgren	Radanovich	Vucanovich
Longley	Ramstad	Waldholtz
Lowe	Reed	Walker
Lucas	Regula	Walsh
Luther	Richardson	Wamp
Maloney	Riggs	Ward
Manton	Roberts	Waters
Manzullo	Roemer	Waxman
Markey	Rogers	Weldon (FL)
Martinez	Rohrabacher	Weldon (PA)
Martini	Ros-Lehtinen	Weller
Mascara	Rose	White
Matsui	Roth	Whitfield
McCarthy	Roukema	Wicker
McCollum	Royce	Williams
McCrery	Sabo	Wilson
McDade	Salmon	Wolf
McDermott	Sanford	Woolsey
McHale	Saxton	Wyden
McHugh	Scarborough	Young (AK)
McInnis	Schaefer	Young (FL)
McIntosh	Schiff	Zeliff
McKeon	Schroeder	Zimmer
McKinney	Schumer	
Meehan	Scott	

NAYS—74

Abercrombie	Gephardt	Payne (NJ)
Ackerman	Hamilton	Pelosi
Becerra	Hastings (FL)	Rahall
Beilenson	Hilliard	Rangel
Bentsen	Hoyer	Reynolds
Berman	Jefferson	Rivers
Bonior	Johnson, E. B.	Roybal-Allard
Borski	Kaptur	Rush
Boucher	Kennedy (RI)	Sanders
Bryant (TX)	Kildee	Sawyer
Clyburn	Klink	Serrano
Coleman	Lewis (GA)	Skaggs
Collins (IL)	McNulty	Skelton
Collins (MI)	Meek	Stark
Conyers	Menendez	Stokes
Coyne	Mfume	Taylor (MS)
Dingell	Miller (CA)	Thompson
Dixon	Moakley	Torres
Durbin	Mollohan	Velazquez
Evans	Montgomery	Vento
Fattah	Murtha	Visclosky
Fazio	Oberstar	Watt (NC)
Fields (LA)	Obey	Wise
Foglietta	Ortiz	Wynn
Gejdenson	Pallone	

ANSWERED "PRESENT"—1

Dellums

NOT VOTING—4

Clay	Harman
Gingrich	Yates

So section 103 was agreed to.  
 A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said section was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

When section 104 of said resolution was considered.

After debate,  
 The question being put, viva voce,  
 Will the House agree to section 104?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. BILIRAKAS, announced that the yeas had it.

Mrs. SEASTRAND demanded that the vote be taken by the yeas and nays, which demand was supported by one-fifth of the Members present, so the yeas and nays were ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the affirmative .....  
 Yeas ..... 418  
 Nays ..... 13

¶1.25 [Roll No. 9]  
 YEAS—418

Abercrombie	Coble	Funderburk
Ackerman	Coburn	Furse
Allard	Coleman	Galleghy
Andrews	Collins (GA)	Ganske
Archer	Combest	Gekas
Armey	Condit	Gephardt
Bachus	Cooley	Geren
Baesler	Costello	Gibbons
Baker (CA)	Cox	Gilchrest
Baker (LA)	Coyne	Gillmor
Baldacci	Cramer	Gilman
Ballenger	Crane	Gonzalez
Barcia	Crapo	Goodlatte
Barr	Creameans	Goodling
Barrett (NE)	Cubin	Gordon
Barrett (WI)	Cunningham	Goss
Bartlett	Danner	Graham
Barton	Davis	Green
Bass	de la Garza	Greenwood
Bateman	Deal	Gunderson
Becerra	DeFazio	Gutierrez
Beilenson	DeLauro	Gutknecht
Bentsen	DeLay	Hall (OH)
Bereuter	Deutsch	Hall (TX)
Berman	Diaz-Balart	Hamilton
Bevill	Dickey	Hancock
Bilbray	Dicks	Hansen
Bilirakis	Dixon	Harman
Bishop	Doggett	Hastert
Biley	Dooley	Hastings (FL)
Blute	Doolittle	Hastings (WA)
Boehlert	Dornan	Hayes
Boehner	Doyle	Hayworth
Bonilla	Dreier	Hefley
Bonior	Duncan	Hefner
Bono	Dunn	Heineman
Borski	Durbin	Herger
Boucher	Edwards	Hilleary
Brewster	Ehlers	Hilliard
Browder	Ehrlich	Hinches
Brown (CA)	Emerson	Hobson
Brown (FL)	Engel	Hoekstra
Brown (OH)	Ensign	Hoke
Brownback	Eshoo	Holden
Bryant (TN)	Evans	Horn
Bunn	Everett	Hostettler
Bunning	Ewing	Houghton
Burr	Farr	Hoyer
Burton	Fattah	Hunter
Buyer	Fawell	Hutchinson
Callahan	Fazio	Hyde
Calvert	Fields (LA)	Inglis
Camp	Fields (TX)	Istook
Canady	Filner	Jackson-Lee
Cardin	Flake	Jacobs
Castle	Flanagan	Jefferson
Chabot	Foglietta	Johnson (CT)
Chambliss	Foley	Johnson (SD)
Chapman	Forbes	Johnson, E. B.
Chenoweth	Ford	Johnson, Sam
Christensen	Fowler	Jones
Chrysler	Fox	Kanjorski
Clay	Franks (CT)	Kasich
Clayton	Franks (NJ)	Kelly
Clement	Frelinghuysen	Kennedy (MA)
Clinger	Frisa	Kennedy (RI)
Clyburn	Frost	Kennelly
		Kildee

Kim	Myrick	Shays
King	Nadler	Shuster
Kingston	Neal	Sisisky
Klecicka	Nethercutt	Skaggs
Klink	Neumann	Skeen
Klug	Ney	Skelton
Knollenberg	Norwood	Slaughter
Kolbe	Nussle	Smith (MI)
LaFalce	Oberstar	Smith (NJ)
LaHood	Obey	Smith (TX)
Lantos	Olver	Smith (WA)
Largent	Ortiz	Solomon
Latham	Orton	Souder
LaTourette	Owens	Spence
Laughlin	Oxley	Spratt
Lazio	Packard	Stark
Leach	Pallone	Stearns
Levin	Parker	Stenholm
Lewis (CA)	Pastor	Stockman
Lewis (GA)	Paxon	Stokes
Lewis (KY)	Payne (NJ)	Studds
Lightfoot	Payne (VA)	Stump
Linder	Pelosi	Stupak
Lipinski	Peterson (FL)	Talent
Livingston	Peterson (MN)	Tanner
LoBiondo	Petri	Tate
Lofgren	Pickett	Tauzin
Longley	Pombo	Taylor (MS)
Lowe	Pomeroy	Taylor (NC)
Lucas	Porter	Tejeda
Luther	Portman	Thomas
Maloney	Poshard	Thompson
Manton	Pryce	Thornberry
Manzullo	Quillen	Thornton
Markey	Quinn	Thurman
Martinez	Radanovich	Tiahrt
Martini	Rahall	Torkildsen
Mascara	Ramstad	Torres
Matsui	Rangel	Torricelli
McCarthy	Reed	Towns
McCollum	Regula	Trafficant
McCrery	Reynolds	Tucker
McDade	Richardson	Upton
McDermott	Riggs	Velazquez
McHale	Rivers	Visclosky
McHugh	Roberts	Volkmer
McInnis	Roemer	Vucanovich
McIntosh	Rogers	Waldholtz
McKeon	Rohrabacher	Walker
McKinney	Ros-Lehtinen	Walsh
McNulty	Rose	Wamp
Meehan	Roth	Ward
Meek	Roukema	Watt (NC)
Menendez	Roybal-Allard	Waxman
Metcalf	Royce	Weldon (FL)
Meyers	Rush	Weldon (PA)
Mfume	Sabo	Weller
Mica	Salmon	White
Miller (CA)	Sanders	Whitfield
Miller (FL)	Sanford	Wicker
Mineta	Sawyer	Wilson
Minge	Saxton	Wise
Mink	Scarborough	Wolf
Moakley	Schaefer	Woolsey
Molinari	Schiff	Wyden
Mollohan	Schroeder	Wynn
Montgomery	Schumer	Young (AK)
Moorhead	Seastrand	Young (FL)
Moran	Sensenbrenner	Zeliff
Morella	Serrano	Zimmer
Murtha	Shadegg	
Myers	Shaw	

NAYS—13

Collins (IL)	Frank (MA)	Vento
Collins (MI)	Gejdenson	Waters
Conyers	Kaptur	Williams
Dellums	Lambert-Lincoln	
Dingell	Scott	

NOT VOTING—2

Johnston Yates

So section 104 was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said section was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

When section 105 of said resolution was considered.

After debate,

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House agree to section 105?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, announced that the yeas had it.

Mr. CREMEANS demanded that the vote be taken by the yeas and nays,

which demand was supported by one-fifth of the Members present, so the yeas and nays were ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the affirmative .....	Yeas .....	431
	Nays .....	0

¶1.26 [Roll No. 10]

YEAS—431

Abercrombie	Danner	Hayworth
Ackerman	Davis	Hefley
Allard	de la Garza	Hefner
Andrews	Deal	Heineman
Archer	DeFazio	Herger
Armey	DeLauro	Hilleary
Bachus	DeLay	Hilliard
Baessler	Dellums	Hinchey
Baker (CA)	Deutsch	Hobson
Baker (LA)	Diaz-Balart	Hoekstra
Baldacci	Dickey	Hoke
Ballenger	Dicks	Holden
Barcia	Dingell	Horn
Barr	Dixon	Hostettler
Barrett (NE)	Doggett	Houghton
Barrett (WI)	Dooley	Hoyer
Bartlett	Doolittle	Hunter
Barton	Dornan	Hutchinson
Bass	Doyle	Hyde
Bateman	Dreier	Inglis
Becerra	Duncan	Istook
Beilenson	Dunn	Jackson-Lee
Bentsen	Durbin	Jacobs
Bereuter	Edwards	Jefferson
Berman	Ehlers	Johnson (CT)
Bevill	Ehrlich	Johnson (SD)
Bilbray	Emerson	Johnson, E. B.
Bilirakis	Engel	Johnson, Sam
Bishop	English	Johnston
Bliley	Ensign	Jones
Blute	Eshoo	Kanjorski
Boehlert	Evans	Kaptur
Boehner	Everett	Kasich
Bonilla	Ewing	Kelly
Bonior	Farr	Kennedy (MA)
Bono	Fattah	Kennedy (RI)
Borski	Fawell	Kennelly
Boucher	Fazio	Kildee
Brewster	Fields (LA)	Kim
Browder	Fields (TX)	King
Brown (CA)	Filner	Kingston
Brown (FL)	Flake	Klecicka
Brown (OH)	Flanagan	Klink
Brownback	Foglietta	Klug
Bryant (TN)	Foley	Knollenberg
Bryant (TX)	Forbes	Kolbe
Bunn	Ford	LaFalce
Bunning	Fowler	LaHood
Burr	Fox	Lambert-Lincoln
Burton	Frank (MA)	Lantos
Buyer	Franks (CT)	Largent
Callahan	Franks (NJ)	Latham
Calvert	Frelinghuysen	LaTourette
Camp	Frisa	Laughlin
Canady	Frost	Lazio
Cardin	Funderburk	Leach
Castle	Furse	Levin
Chabot	Gallegly	Lewis (CA)
Chambliss	Ganske	Lewis (GA)
Chapman	Gejdenson	Lewis (KY)
Chenoweth	Gekas	Lightfoot
Christensen	Gephardt	Linder
Chrysler	Geren	Lipinski
Clay	Gibbons	Livingston
Clayton	Gilchrest	LoBiondo
Clement	Gillmor	Lofgren
Clinger	Gilman	Longley
Clyburn	Gonzalez	Lowe
Coble	Goodlatte	Lucas
Coburn	Goodling	Luther
Coleman	Gordon	Maloney
Collins (GA)	Goss	Manton
Collins (IL)	Graham	Manzullo
Collins (MI)	Green	Markey
Combest	Greenwood	Martinez
Condit	Gutierrez	Martini
Conyers	Gutknecht	Mascara
Cooley	Hall (OH)	Matsui
Costello	Hall (TX)	McCarthy
Cox	Hamilton	McCollum
Coyne	Hancock	McCrery
Cramer	Hansen	McDade
Crane	Harman	McDermott
Crapo	Hastert	McHale
Creameans	Hastings (FL)	McHugh
Cubin	Hastings (WA)	McInnis
Cunningham	Hayes	McIntosh

McKeon	Quillen	Stenholm
McKinney	Quinn	Stockman
McNulty	Radanovich	Stokes
Meehan	Rahall	Studds
Meek	Ramstad	Stump
Menendez	Rangel	Stupak
Metcalf	Reed	Talent
Meyers	Regula	Tanner
Mfume	Reynolds	Tate
Mica	Richardson	Tauzin
Miller (CA)	Riggs	Taylor (MS)
Miller (FL)	Rivers	Taylor (NC)
Mineta	Roberts	Tejeda
Minge	Roemer	Thomas
Mink	Rogers	Thompson
Moakley	Rohrabacher	Thornberry
Molinari	Ros-Lehtinen	Thornton
Mollohan	Rose	Thurman
Montgomery	Roth	Tiahrt
Moorhead	Roukema	Torkildsen
Moran	Roybal-Allard	Torres
Morella	Royce	Torricelli
Murtha	Rush	Towns
Myers	Sabo	Trafficant
Myrick	Salmon	Tucker
Nadler	Sanders	Upton
Neal	Sanford	Velazquez
Nethercutt	Sawyer	Vento
Neumann	Saxton	Visclosky
Ney	Scarborough	Volkmer
Norwood	Schaefer	Vucanovich
Nussle	Schiff	Waldholtz
Oberstar	Schroeder	Walker
Obey	Schumer	Walsh
Olver	Scott	Wamp
Ortiz	Seastrand	Ward
Orton	Sensenbrenner	Waters
Owens	Serrano	Watt (NC)
Oxley	Shadegg	Waxman
Packard	Shaw	Weldon (FL)
Pallone	Shays	Weldon (PA)
Parker	Shuster	Weller
Paxon	Sisisky	White
Payne (NJ)	Skaggs	Whitfield
Payne (VA)	Skeen	Wicker
Pelosi	Skelton	Williams
Peterson (FL)	Slaughter	Wilson
Peterson (MN)	Smith (MI)	Wise
Petri	Smith (NJ)	Wolf
Pickett	Smith (TX)	Woolsey
Pombo	Smith (WA)	Wyden
Pomeroy	Solomon	Wynn
Porter	Souder	Young (AK)
Portman	Spence	Young (FL)
Poshard	Spratt	Zeliff
Pryce	Stark	Zimmer
	Stearns	

NOT VOTING—2

Gunderson Yates

So section 105 was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said section was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

When section 106 of said resolution was considered.

After debate,

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House agree to section 106?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. KOLBE, announced that the yeas had it.

Mr. FOX demanded that the vote be taken by the yeas and nays, which demand was supported by one-fifth of the Members present, so the yeas and nays were ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the affirmative .....	Yeas .....	279
	Nays .....	152

¶1.27 [Roll No. 11]

YEAS—279

Allard	Baldacci	Bass
Andrews	Ballenger	Bereuter
Archer	Barcia	Bevill
Armey	Barr	Bilbray
Bachus	Barrett (NE)	Bilirakis
Baker (CA)	Bartlett	Bishop
Baker (LA)	Barton	Bliley

Blute  
Boehlert  
Boehner  
Bonilla  
Gunderson  
Bono  
Gutknecht  
Hall (TX)  
Brewster  
Browder  
Hancock  
Brown (OH)  
Brownback  
Bryant (TN)  
Bunn  
Bunning  
Burr  
Burton  
Buyer  
Callahan  
Calvert  
Camp  
Canady  
Castle  
Chabot  
Chambliss  
Chapman  
Chenoweth  
Christensen  
Chrysler  
Clinger  
Coble  
Coburn  
Collins (GA)  
Combust  
Condit  
Cooley  
Cox  
Cramer  
Crane  
Crapo  
Creameans  
Cubin  
Cunningham  
Danner  
Davis  
de la Garza  
DeLay  
Deutsch  
Diaz-Balart  
Dickey  
Dooley  
Doolittle  
Dornan  
Dunn  
Edwards  
Ehlers  
Ehrlich  
Emerson  
English  
Ensign  
Everett  
Ewing  
Fawell  
Fields (TX)  
Flanagan  
Foley  
Forbes  
Ford  
Fowler  
Fox  
Franks (CT)  
Franks (NJ)  
Frelinghuysen  
Frisa  
Funderburk  
Gallegly  
Ganske  
Gekas  
Geren  
Gilchrist  
Gillmor  
Gilman  
Goodlatte  
Goodling  
Gordon  
Goss

Graham  
Green  
Greenwood  
Gunderson  
Gutknecht  
Hall (TX)  
Hancock  
Hansen  
Harman  
Hastert  
Hastings (WA)  
Hayes  
Hayworth  
Hefley  
Hefner  
Heineman  
Herger  
Hilleary  
Hobson  
Hoekstra  
Hoke  
Holden  
Horn  
Hostettler  
Houghton  
Hunter  
Hutchinson  
Hyde  
Inglis  
Istook  
Johnson (CT)  
Johnson (SD)  
Johnson, Sam  
Jones  
Kasich  
Kelly  
Kim  
King  
Kingston  
Klug  
Knollenberg  
Kolbe  
LaHood  
Lambert-Lincoln  
Largent  
Latham  
LaTourette  
Laughlin  
Lazio  
Leach  
Lewis (CA)  
Lewis (KY)  
Lightfoot  
Linder  
Lipinski  
Livingston  
LoBiondo  
Longley  
Lucas  
Manzullo  
Martini  
Mascara  
McCollum  
McCrery  
McDade  
McHugh  
McInnis  
McIntosh  
McKeon  
Metcalf  
Meyers  
Mica  
Miller (FL)  
Minge  
Molinari  
Montgomery  
Moorhead  
Morella  
Myers  
Myrick  
Nethercutt  
Neumann  
Ney  
Norwood  
Nussle  
Ortiz

Oxley  
Packard  
Pallone  
Parker  
Pastor  
Paxon  
Peterson (MN)  
Petri  
Pombo  
Pomeroy  
Porter  
Portman  
Pryce  
Quillen  
Quinn  
Radanovich  
Ramstad  
Regula  
Richardson  
Riggs  
Roberts  
Roemer  
Rogers  
Rohrabacher  
Ros-Lehtinen  
Rose  
Roth  
Roukema  
Royce  
Salmon  
Sanford  
Saxton  
Scarborough  
Schaefer  
Schiff  
Seastrand  
Sensenbrenner  
Shadegg  
Shaw  
Shays  
Shuster  
Sisisky  
Skeel  
Skelton  
Smith (MI)  
Smith (NJ)  
Smith (TX)  
Smith (WA)  
Solomon  
Souder  
Spence  
Stearns  
Stockman  
Stump  
Talent  
Tanner  
Tate  
Tauzin  
Taylor (MS)  
Taylor (NC)  
Tejeda  
Thomas  
Thornberry  
Tiahrt  
Torkildsen  
Traficant  
Upton  
Vucanovich  
Waldholtz  
Walker  
Walsh  
Wamp  
Ward  
Weldon (FL)  
Weldon (PA)  
Weller  
White  
Whitfield  
Wicker  
Wilson  
Wolf  
Wyden  
Young (AK)  
Young (FL)  
Zeliff  
Zimmer

NAYS—152

Abercrombie  
Ackerman  
Baesler  
Barrett (WI)  
Becerra  
Beilenson  
Bentsen  
Berman  
Bonior  
Borski  
Boucher  
Brown (CA)

Brown (FL)  
Bryant (TX)  
Cardin  
Clay  
Clayton  
Clement  
Clyburn  
Coleman  
Collins (IL)  
Collins (MI)  
Conyers  
Costello

Coyne  
Deal  
DeFazio  
DeLauro  
Dellums  
Dicks  
Dingell  
Dixon  
Doggett  
Durbini  
Engel  
Eshoo

Evans  
Farr  
Fattah  
Fazio  
Fields (LA)  
Filner  
Flake  
Foglietta  
Frank (MA)  
Frost  
Furse  
Gejdenson  
Gephardt  
Gibbons  
Gonzalez  
Gutierrez  
Hall (OH)  
Hamilton  
Hastings (FL)  
Hilliard  
Hinchey  
Hoyer  
Jackson-Lee  
Jacobs  
Jefferson  
Johnson, E. B.  
Johnston  
Kanjorski  
Kaptur  
Kennedy (MA)  
Kennedy (RI)  
Kennelly  
Kildee  
Klecza  
Klink  
LaFalce  
Lantos  
Levin  
Lewis (GA)

Bateman

Lofgren  
Lowey  
Luther  
Maloney  
Manton  
Markey  
Martinez  
Matsui  
McCarthy  
McDermott  
McHale  
McKinney  
McNulty  
Meehan  
Meek  
Menendez  
Mfume  
Miller (CA)  
Mineta  
Mink  
Moakley  
Mollohan  
Moran  
Murtha  
Nadler  
Nadler  
Neal  
Oberstar  
Obey  
Olver  
Orton  
Owens  
Payne (NJ)  
Payne (VA)  
Pelosi  
Peterson (FL)  
Pickett  
Poshard  
Rahall  
Rangel

NOT VOTING—2

Yates

So section 106 was agreed to.  
A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said section was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

When section 107 of said resolution was considered.

After debate,  
The question being put, viva voce,  
Will the House agree to section 107?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. GUNDERSON, announced that the yeas had it.

Mr. BROWBACK demanded that the vote be taken by the yeas and nays, which demand was supported by one-fifth of the Members present, so the yeas and nays were ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the affirmative { Yeas ..... 430  
Nays ..... 1

1.28

[Roll No. 12]

YEAS—430

Abercrombie  
Ackerman  
Allard  
Andrews  
Archer  
Armey  
Bachus  
Baesler  
Baker (CA)  
Baker (LA)  
Baldacci  
Ballenger  
Barcia  
Barr  
Barrett (NE)  
Barrett (WI)  
Bartlett  
Barton  
Bass  
Bateman  
Becerra  
Beilenson  
Bentsen  
Bereuter  
Berman

Bevill  
Bilbray  
Bilirakis  
Bishop  
Bliley  
Blute  
Boehlert  
Boehner  
Bonilla  
Bonior  
Bono  
Borski  
Boucher  
Brewster  
Browder  
Brown (CA)  
Brown (OH)  
Brownback  
Bryant (TN)  
Bryant (TX)  
Bunn  
Bunning  
Burr  
Burton  
Buyer

Reed  
Reynolds  
Rivers  
Roybal-Allard  
Rush  
Sabo  
Sanders  
Sawyer  
Schroeder  
Schumer  
Scott  
Serrano  
Skaggs  
Slaughter  
Spratt  
Stark  
Stenholm  
Stokes  
Studds  
Stupak  
Thompson  
Thornton  
Thurman  
Torres  
Torricelli  
Towns  
Tucker  
Velazquez  
Vento  
Visclosky  
Volkmer  
Waters  
Watt (NC)  
Waxman  
Williams  
Wise  
Woolsey  
Wynn

Conyers  
Cooley  
Costello  
Cox  
Coyne  
Cramer  
Crane  
Crapo  
Creameans  
Cubin  
Cunningham  
Danner  
Davis  
de la Garza  
Deal  
DeFazio  
DeLauro  
DeLay  
Dellums  
Deutsch  
Diaz-Balart  
Dickey  
Dicks  
Dingell  
Dixon  
Doggett  
Dooley  
Doolittle  
Dornan  
Doyle  
Dreier  
Duncan  
Dunn  
Durbin  
Edwards  
Ehlers  
Ehrlich  
Emerson  
Engel  
English  
Ensign  
Eshoo  
Evans  
Everett  
Ewing  
Fawell  
Fazio  
Fields (LA)  
Fields (TX)  
Filner  
Flake  
Flanagan  
Foglietta  
Foley  
Forbes  
Ford  
Fowler  
Fox  
Frank (MA)  
Franks (CT)  
Franks (NJ)  
Frelinghuysen  
Frisa  
Frost  
Funderburk  
Furse  
Gallegly  
Ganske  
Gejdenson  
Gekas  
Gephardt  
Geren  
Gibbons  
Gilchrist  
Gillmor  
Gilman  
Gonzalez  
Goodlatte  
Goodling  
Gordon  
Goss  
Graham  
Green  
Greenwood  
Gunderson  
Gutierrez  
Gutknecht  
Hall (OH)  
Hall (TX)  
Hamilton  
Hancock  
Hansen  
Harman  
Hastert  
Hastings (FL)  
Hastings (WA)  
Hayes  
Hayworth  
Hefley

Hefner  
Heineman  
Herger  
Hilleary  
Hilliard  
Hinche  
Hobson  
Hoekstra  
Hoke  
Holden  
Horn  
Hostettler  
Houghton  
Hoyer  
Hunter  
Hutchinson  
Hyde  
Inglis  
Istook  
Johnson, E. B.  
Johnson, Sam  
Johnston  
Jones  
Kanjorski  
Kaptur  
Kasich  
Kelly  
Kennedy (MA)  
Kennedy (RI)  
Kennelly  
Kildee  
Kim  
King  
Kingston  
Klecza  
Klink  
Klug  
Knollenberg  
Kolbe  
LaFalce  
LaHood  
Lambert-Lincoln  
Lantos  
Largent  
Latham  
LaTourette  
Laughlin  
Lazio  
Leach  
Levin  
Lewis (CA)  
Lewis (GA)  
Lewis (KY)  
Lightfoot  
Linder  
Lipinski  
Livingston  
LoBiondo  
Lofgren  
Longley  
Lowey  
Lucas  
Luther  
Maloney  
Manton  
Manzullo  
Markey  
Martinez  
Martini  
Mascara  
Matsui  
McCarthy  
McCollum  
McCrery  
McDade  
McDermott  
McHale  
McHugh  
McInnis  
McIntosh  
McKeon  
McKinney  
McNulty  
Meehan  
Meek  
Menendez  
Metcalf  
Meyers  
Mfume  
Mica  
Miller (CA)  
Miller (FL)  
Mineta  
Minge  
Mink

Moakley  
Molinari  
Mollohan  
Montgomery  
Moorhead  
Moran  
Morella  
Murtha  
Myers  
Myrick  
Nadler  
Neal  
Nethercutt  
Neumann  
Ney  
Norwood  
Nussle  
Oberstar  
Obey  
Olver  
Ortiz  
Ortiz  
Jefferson  
Johnson (CT)  
Johnson (SD)  
Johnson, E. B.  
Johnson, Sam  
Johnston  
Jones  
Kanjorski  
Kaptur  
Kasich  
Kelly  
Kennedy (MA)  
Kennedy (RI)  
Kennelly  
Kildee  
Kim  
King  
Kingston  
Klecza  
Klink  
Klug  
Knollenberg  
Kolbe  
LaFalce  
LaHood  
Lambert-Lincoln  
Lantos  
Largent  
Latham  
LaTourette  
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Lewis (CA)  
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LoBiondo  
Lofgren  
Longley  
Lowey  
Lucas  
Luther  
Maloney  
Manton  
Manzullo  
Markey  
Martinez  
Martini  
Mascara  
Matsui  
McCarthy  
McCollum  
McCrery  
McDade  
McDermott  
McHale  
McHugh  
McInnis  
McIntosh  
McKeon  
McKinney  
McNulty  
Meehan  
Meek  
Menendez  
Metcalf  
Meyers  
Mfume  
Mica  
Miller (CA)  
Miller (FL)  
Mineta  
Minge  
Mink

Stockman  
Stokes  
Studds  
Stump  
Stupak  
Talent  
Tanner  
Tate  
Tauzin  
Taylor (MS)  
Taylor (NC)  
Tejeda  
Thomas  
Thompson  
Thornberry  
Thornton  
Thurman  
Tiahrt  
Torkildsen

Torres  
Torrice  
Towns  
Traficant  
Tucker  
Upton  
Velazquez  
Vento  
Visclosky  
Volkmer  
Vucanovich  
Waldholtz  
Walker  
Walsh  
Wamp  
Ward  
Waters  
Watt (NC)  
Waxman

Weldon (FL)  
Weldon (PA)  
Weller  
White  
Whitfield  
Wicker  
Williams  
Wilson  
Wise  
Wolf  
Woolsey  
Wyden  
Wynn  
Young (AK)  
Young (FL)  
Zeliff  
Zimmer

Kelly  
Kim  
King  
Kingston  
Klug  
Knollenberg  
Kolbe  
LaHood  
Lambert-Lincoln  
Largent  
Latham  
LaTourette  
Lazio  
Leach  
Lewis (CA)  
Lewis (KY)  
Lightfoot  
Linder  
Livingston  
LoBiondo  
Longley  
Lucas  
Manzullo  
Martini  
McColum  
McCrery  
McDade  
McHugh  
McInnis  
McIntosh  
McKeon  
Metcalf  
Meyers  
Mica  
Miller (FL)  
Molinari  
Montgomery  
Moorhead  
Morella  
Myers

Myrick  
Nethercutt  
Neumann  
Ney  
Norwood  
Nussle  
Oxley  
Packard  
Parker  
Paxon  
Peterson (MN)  
Petri  
Pickett  
Pombo  
Porter  
Portman  
Pryce  
Quillen  
Quinn  
Radanovich  
Ramstad  
Regula  
Riggs  
Roberts  
Rogers  
Rohrabacher  
Ros-Lehtinen  
Rose  
Roth  
Roukema  
Royce  
Salmon  
Sanford  
Saxton  
Scarborough  
Schaefer  
Schiff  
Seastrand  
Sensenbrenner  
Shadegg  
Shaw

Waxman  
Williams  
Wilson

Wise  
Woolsey  
Wyden

Wynn  
Vucanovich  
Yates

NOT VOTING—6

Brown (FL)  
Cox

Dornan  
Markey

NAYS—1  
Fattah

NOT VOTING—2  
Yates

Brown (FL)

So section 107 was agreed to.  
A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said section was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.  
When section 108 of said resolution was considered.  
After debate,  
The question being put, *viva voce*,  
Will the House agree to section 108?  
The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. TORKILDSEN, announced that the yeas had it.

Mrs. KENNELLY objected to the vote on the ground that a quorum was not present and not voting.  
A quorum not being present,  
The roll was called under clause 4, rule XV, and the call was taken by electronic device.

When there appeared

Yeas .....	249
Nays .....	178

1.29 [Roll No. 13]  
YEAS—249

Allard  
Archer  
Armey  
Bachus  
Baesler  
Baker (CA)  
Baker (LA)  
Ballenger  
Barr  
Barrett (NE)  
Bartlett  
Barton  
Bass  
Bateman  
Bereuter  
Bevill  
Bilbray  
Bilirakis  
Bishop  
Bliley  
Blute  
Boehlert  
Boehner  
Bonilla  
Bono  
Brewster  
Brownback  
Bryant (TN)  
Bunn  
Bunning  
Burr  
Burton  
Buyer  
Callahan  
Calvert  
Camp  
Canady  
Castle  
Chabot  
Chambliss  
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NOT VOTING—6

So section 108 was agreed to.  
A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said section was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.  
When title II of said resolution was considered.  
After debate,

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Mr. BONIOR moved to commit title II to a select committee composed of the Majority Leader and the Minority Leader with instructions

At the end of the resolution, add the following:

**TERM LIMITS FOR SPEAKER**

SEC. 224. Clause 7(b) of rule I of the Rules of the House of Representatives is amended by striking out "four" and inserting in lieu thereof "three".

**EQUITABLE PARTY RATIOS ON COMMITTEES**

SEC. 225. (a) In rule X of the Rules of the House of Representatives, clause 6(a) is amended by adding at the end thereof the following new subparagraph:

"(3) The membership of each committee (and each subcommittee, task force, or other subunit thereof) shall reflect the ratio of majority to minority party Members of the House at the beginning of the Congress (unless otherwise provided by House Rules). For the purposes of this clause, the Resident Commissioner from Puerto Rico and the Delegates to the House shall not be counted in determining the party ratio of the House."

(b) In rule X of the Rules of the House of Representatives, clause 6(f) is amended by inserting after the first sentence the following: "The membership of each such select committee (and of any subcommittee, task force or subunit thereof), and of each such conference committee, shall reflect the ratio of the majority to minority party Members of the House at the time of its appointment."

**MAJORITY-MINORITY COMMITTEE STAFF RATIOS**

SEC. 226. (a) Notwithstanding any other provisions of law, not less than one-third of (the staff funding made available to each standing, select, special, ad hoc, or other committee of the House of Representatives shall be allocated to the minority party.

(b) Subsection (a) shall not apply to the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct.

**BUDGET WAIVER LIMITATION**

SEC. 227. Clause 4(e) of rule XI of the Rules of the House of Representatives is amended—

(1) by striking out "(e)" and inserting in lieu thereof "(e)(1)", and

(2) by adding at the end the following:  
"(2) It shall be in order after the previous question has been ordered on any such resolution, to offer motions proposing to strike one or more such waivers from the resolution, and each such motion shall be decided without debate and shall require for adoption the requisite number of affirmative votes as required by the Budget Act or the rules of the House. After disposition of any and all such motions, the House shall proceed to an immediate vote on adoption of the resolution."

## BAN ON GIFTS FROM LOBBYISTS

SEC. 228. Clause 4 of rule XLIII of the Rules of the House of Representatives is amended to read as follows:

"4. (a)(1) No Member, officer, or employee of the House of Representatives shall accept a gift, knowing that such gift is provided directly or indirectly by a paid lobbyist, a lobbying firm (a person or entity that has 1 or more employees who are lobbyists on behalf of a client other than that person or entity), or an agent of a foreign principal (as defined in the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938).

"(2) The prohibition in subparagraph (1) includes the following:

"(A) Anything provided by a lobbyist or a foreign agent which the Member, officer, or employee has reason to believe is paid for, charged to, or reimbursed by a client or firm of such lobbyist or foreign agent.

"(B) Anything provided by a lobbyist, a lobbying firm, or a foreign agent to an entity that is maintained or controlled by a Member, officer, or employee.

"(C) A charitable contribution (as defined in section 170(c) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986) made by a lobbyist, a lobbying firm, or a foreign agent on the basis of a designation, recommendation, or other specification of a Member, officer, or employee (not including a mass mailing or other solicitation directed to a broad category of persons or entities).

"(D) A contribution or other payment by a lobbyist, a lobbying firm, or a foreign agent to a legal expense fund established for the benefit of a Member, officer, or employee.

"(E) A charitable contribution (as defined in section 170(c) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986) made by a lobbyist, a lobbying firm, or a foreign agent in lieu of an honorarium to a Member, officer, or employee.

"(F) A financial contribution or expenditure made by a lobbyist, a lobbying firm, or a foreign agent relating to a conference, retreat, or similar event, sponsored by or affiliated with an official congressional organization, for or on behalf of Members, officers, or employees.

"(3) The following are not gifts subject to the prohibition in subparagraph (1):

"(A) Anything for which the recipient pays the market value, or does not use and promptly returns to the donor.

"(B) A contribution, as defined in the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 431 et seq.) that is lawfully made under that Act, or attendance at a fundraising event sponsored by a political organization described in section 527(e) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

"(C) Food or refreshments of nominal value offered other than as part of a meal.

"(D) Benefits resulting from the business, employment, or other outside activities of the spouse of a Member, officer, or employee, if such benefits are customarily provided to others in similar circumstances.

"(E) Pension and other benefits resulting from continued participation in an employee welfare and benefits plan maintained by a former employer.

"(F) Informational materials that are sent to the office of a Member, officer, or employee in the form of books, articles, periodicals, other written materials, audio tapes, videotapes, or other forms of communication.

"(4)(A) A gift given by an individual under circumstances which make it clear the gift is given for a nonbusiness purpose and is motivated by a family relationship or close personal friendship and not the position of the Member, officer, or employee shall not be subject to the prohibition in subparagraph (1).

"(B) A gift shall not be considered to be given for a nonbusiness purpose if the Mem-

ber, officer, or employee has reason to believe the individual giving the gift will seek—

"(i) to deduct the value of such gift as a business expense on the individual's Federal income tax return, or

"(ii) direct or indirect reimbursement or any other compensation for the value of the gift from a client or employer of such lobbyist or foreign agent.

"(C) In determining if the giving of a gift is motivated by a family relationship or close personal friendship, at least the following factors shall be considered:

"(i) The history of the relationship between the individual giving the gift and the recipient of the gift, including whether or not gifts have previously been exchanged by such individuals.

"(ii) Whether the Member, officer, or employee has reason to believe the gift was purchased by the individual who gave the item.

"(iii) Whether the Member, officer, or employee has reason to believe the individual who gave the gift also at the same time gave the same or similar gifts to other Members, officers, or employees.

"(b) In addition to the restriction on receiving gifts from paid lobbyists, lobbying firms, and agents of foreign principals provided by paragraph (a) and except as provided in this Rule, no Member, officer, or employee of the House of Representatives shall knowingly accept a gift from any other person.

"(c)(1) For the purpose of this clause, the term "gift" means any gratuity, favor, discount, entertainment, hospitality, loan, forbearance, or other item having monetary value. The term includes gifts of services, training, transportation, lodging, and meals, whether provided in kind, by purchase of a ticket, payment in advance, or reimbursement after the expense has been incurred.

"(2) A gift to the spouse or dependent of a Member, officer, or employee (or a gift to any other individual based on that individual's relationship with the Member, officer, or employee) shall be considered a gift to the Member, officer, or employee if it is given with the knowledge and acquiescence of the Member, officer, or employee and the Member, officer, or employee has reason to believe the gift was given because of the official position of the Member, officer, or employee.

"(d) The restrictions in paragraph (b) shall not apply to the following:

"(1) Anything for which the Member, officer, or employee pays the market value, or does not use and promptly returns to the donor.

"(2) A contribution, as defined in the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971 (2 U.S.C. 431 et seq.) that is lawfully made under that Act, or attendance at a fundraising event sponsored by a political organization described in section 527(e) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

"(3) Anything provided by an individual on the basis of a personal or family relationship unless the Member, officer, or employee has reason to believe that, under the circumstances, the gift was provided because of the official position of the Member, officer, or employee and not because of the personal or family relationship. The Committee on Standards of Official Conduct shall provide guidance on the applicability of this clause and examples of circumstances under which a gift may be accepted under this exception.

"(4) A contribution or other payment to a legal expense fund established for the benefit of a Member, officer, or employee, that is otherwise lawfully made, if the person making the contribution or payment is identified for the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct.

"(5) Any food or refreshments which the recipient reasonably believes to have a value of less than \$20.

"(6) Any gift from another Member, officer, or employee of the Senate or the House of Representatives.

"(7) Food, refreshments, lodging, and other benefits—

"(A) resulting from the outside business or employment activities (or other outside activities that are not connected to the duties of the Member, officer, or employee as an officeholder) of the Member, officer, or employee, or the spouse of the Member, officer, or employee, if such benefits have not been offered or enhanced because of the official position of the Member, officer, or employee and are customarily provided to others in similar circumstances;

"(B) customarily provided by a prospective employer in connection with bona fide employment discussions; or

"(C) provided by a political organization described in section 527(e) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 in connection with a fund-raising or campaign event sponsored by such an organization.

"(8) Pension and other benefits resulting from continued participation in an employee welfare and benefits plan maintained by a former employer.

"(9) Informational materials that are sent to the office of the Member, officer, or employee in the form of books, articles, periodicals, other written materials, audio tapes, videotapes, or other forms of communication.

"(10) Awards or prizes which are given to competitors in contests or events open to the public, including random drawings.

"(11) Honorary degrees (and associated travel, food, refreshments, and entertainment) and other bona fide, nonmonetary awards presented in recognition of public service (and associated food, refreshments, and entertainment provided in the presentation of such degrees and awards).

"(12) Donations of products from the State that the Member represents that are intended primarily for promotional purposes, such as display or free distribution, and are of minimal value to any individual recipient.

"(13) Food, refreshments, and entertainment provided to a Member or an employee of a Member in the Member's home State, subject to reasonable limitations, to be established by the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct.

"(14) An item of little intrinsic value such as a greeting card, baseball cap, or a T shirt.

"(15) Training (including food and refreshments furnished to all attendees as an integral part of the training) provided to a Member, officer, or employee, if such training is in the interest of the House of Representatives.

"(16) Bequests, inheritances, and other transfers at death.

"(17) Any item, the receipt of which is authorized by the Foreign Gifts and Decorations Act, the Mutual Educational and Cultural Exchange Act, or any other statute.

"(18) Anything which is paid for by the Federal Government, by a State or local government, or secured by the Government under a Government contract.

"(19) A gift of personal hospitality of an individual, as defined in section 109(14) of the Ethics in Government Act.

"(20) Free attendance at a widely attended event permitted pursuant to paragraph (e).

"(21) Opportunities and benefits which are—

"(A) available to the public or to a class consisting of all Federal employees, whether or not restricted on the basis of geographic consideration;

"(B) offered to members of a group or class in which membership is unrelated to congressional employment;



“(C) offered to members of an organization, such as an employees’ association or congressional credit union, in which membership is related to congressional employment and similar opportunities are available to large segments of the public through organizations of similar size;

“(D) offered to any group or class that is not defined in a manner that specifically discriminates among Government employees on the basis of branch of Government or type of responsibility, or on a basis that favors those of higher rank or rate of pay;

“(E) in the form of loans from banks and other financial institutions on terms generally available to the public; or

“(F) in the form of reduced membership or other fees for participation in organization activities offered to all Government employees by professional organizations if the only restrictions on membership relate to professional qualifications.

“(22) A plaque, trophy, or other memento of modest value.

“(23) Anything for which, in exceptional circumstances, a waiver is granted by the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct.

“(e)(1) Except as prohibited by paragraph (a), a Member, officer, or employee may accept an offer of free attendance at a widely attended convention, conference, symposium, forum, panel discussion, dinner, viewing, reception, or similar event, provided by the sponsor of the event, if—

“(A) the Member, officer, or employee participates in the event as a speaker or a panel participant, by presenting information related to Congress or matters before Congress, or by performing a ceremonial function appropriate to the Member’s, officer’s, or employee’s official position; or

“(B) attendance at the event is appropriate to the performance of the official duties or representative function of the Member, officer, or employee.

“(2) A Member, officer, or employee who attends an event described in subparagraph (1) may accept a sponsor’s unsolicited offer of free attendance at the event for an accompanying individual if others in attendance will generally be similarly accompanied or if such attendance is appropriate to assist in the representation of the House of Representatives.

“(3) Except as prohibited by paragraph (a), a Member, officer, or employee, or the spouse or dependent thereof, may accept a sponsor’s unsolicited offer of free attendance at a charity event, except that reimbursement for transportation and lodging may not be accepted in connection with the event.

“(4) For purposes of this paragraph, the term ‘free attendance’ may include waiver of all or part of a conference or other fee, the provision of local transportation, or the provision of food, refreshments, entertainment, and instructional materials furnished to all attendees as an integral part of the event. The term does not include entertainment collateral to the event, or food or refreshments taken other than in a group setting with all or substantially all other attendees.

“(f) No Member, officer, or employee may accept a gift the value of which exceeds \$250 on the basis of the personal relationship exception in paragraph (d)(3) or the close personal friendship exception in section 106(d) of the Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995 unless the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct issues a written determination that one of such exceptions applies.

“(g)(1) The Committee on Standards of Official Conduct is authorized to adjust the dollar amount referred to in paragraph (d)(5) on a periodic basis, to the extent necessary to adjust for inflation.

“(2) The Committee on Standards of Official Conduct shall provide guidance setting forth reasonable steps that may be taken by

Members, officers, and employees, with a minimum of paperwork and time, to prevent the acceptance of prohibited gifts from lobbyists.

“(3) When it is not practicable to return a tangible item because it is perishable, the item may, at the discretion of the recipient, be given to an appropriate charity or destroyed.

“(h)(1)(A) Except as prohibited by paragraph (a), a reimbursement (including payment in kind) to a Member, officer, or employee for necessary transportation, lodging and related expenses for travel to a meeting, speaking engagement, factfinding trip or similar event in connection with the duties of the Member, officer, or employee as an officeholder shall be deemed to be a reimbursement to the House of Representatives and not a gift prohibited by this paragraph, if the Member, officer, or employee—

“(i) in the case of an employee, receives advance authorization, from the Member or officer under whose direct supervision the employee works, to accept reimbursement, and

“(ii) discloses the expenses reimbursed or to be reimbursed and the authorization to the Clerk of the House of Representatives within 30 days after the travel is completed.

“(B) For purposes of clause (A), events, the activities of which are substantially recreational in nature, shall not be considered to be in connection with the duties of a Member, officer, or employee as an officeholder.

“(2) Each advance authorization to accept reimbursement shall be signed by the Member or officer under whose direct supervision the employee works and shall include—

“(A) the name of the employee;

“(B) the name of the person who will make the reimbursement;

“(C) the time, place, and purpose of the travel; and

“(D) a determination that the travel is in connection with the duties of the employee as an officeholder and would not create the appearance that the employee is using public office for private gain.

“(3) Each disclosure made under subparagraph (1)(A) of expenses reimbursed or to be reimbursed shall be signed by the Member or officer (in the case of travel by the Member or officer) or by the Member or officer under whose direct supervision the employee works (in the case of travel by an employee) and shall include—

“(A) a good faith estimate of total transportation expenses reimbursed or to be reimbursed;

“(B) a good faith estimate of total lodging expenses reimbursed or to be reimbursed;

“(C) a good faith estimate of total meal expenses reimbursed or to be reimbursed;

“(D) a good faith estimate of the total of other expenses reimbursed or to be reimbursed;

“(E) a determination that all such expenses are necessary transportation, lodging, and related expenses as defined in this paragraph; and

“(F) in the case of a reimbursement to a Member or officer, a determination that the travel was in connection with the duties of the Member or officer as an officeholder and would not create the appearance that the Member or officer is using public office for private gain.

“(4) For the purpose of this paragraph, the term ‘necessary transportation, lodging, and related expenses’—

“(A) includes reasonable expenses that are necessary for travel—

“(i) for a period not exceeding 4 days including travel time within the United States or 7 days in addition to travel time outside the United States; and

“(ii) within 24 hours before or after participation in an event in the United States or

within 48 hours before or after participation in an event outside the United States,

unless approved in advance by the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct;

“(B) is limited to reasonable expenditures for transportation, lodging, conference fees and materials, and food and refreshments, including reimbursement for necessary transportation, whether or not such transportation occurs within the periods described in clause (A);

“(C) does not include expenditures for recreational activities or entertainment other than that provided to all attendees as an integral part of the event; and

“(D) may include travel expenses incurred on behalf of either the spouse or a child of the Member, officer, or employee, subject to a determination signed by the Member or officer (or in the case of an employee, the Member or officer under whose direct supervision the officer or employee works) that the attendance of the spouse or child is appropriate to assist in the representation of the House of Representatives.

“(5) The Clerk of the House of Representatives shall make available to the public all advance authorizations and disclosures of reimbursement filed pursuant to subparagraph (1) as soon as possible after they are received.”

#### LIMITATION ON ROYALTY INCOME

SEC. 229. (a) Clause 3 of rule XLVII of the Rules of the House of Representatives is amended by adding at the end the following new paragraph:

“(g) In calendar year 1995 or thereafter, a Member, officer, or employee of the House may not—

“(1) receive any copyright royalties for any work—

“(A) unless the royalty is received from an established publisher pursuant to usual and customary contractual terms;

“(B) unless the total amount of such royalties for that work does not exceed one-third of that individual’s annual pay as a Member, officer, or employee for the year in which the contract is entered into; and

“(C) without the prior notification and approval of the contract for that work by the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct; or

“(2) receive any advance payment for any such work.”

(b) Clause 3(e)(5) of rule XLVII of the Rules of the House of Representatives is amended to read as follows:

“(5) copyright royalties.”

(c) The amendments made by this section shall apply only to copyright royalties received by any Member, officer, or employee of the House after the adoption of this resolution, pursuant to any contract entered into while that individual is such a Member, officer, or employee.

#### AMENDMENT TO THE RULES TO CREATE THE POSITION OF DIRECTOR OF NON-LEGISLATIVE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES

SEC. 230. The Rules of the House of Representatives are amended by adding at the end the following new rule:

##### “RULE LIII

##### “DIRECTOR OF NON-LEGISLATIVE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES

“1. The Director of Non-legislative and Financial Services shall be appointed for a Congress by the Speaker, the majority leader, and the minority leader, acting jointly. The Director may be removed by the House or by the Speaker. The Director shall be paid at the same rate of basic pay as the elected officers of the House.

“2. The Director of Non-legislative and Financial Services shall have extensive managerial and financial experience.

“3. Subject to the policy direction and oversight of the Committee on House Over-

sight, the Director shall have operational and financial responsibility for functions assigned by resolution of the House.

4. Subject to the policy direction and oversight of the Committee on House Oversight, the Director shall develop employment standards that provide that all employment decisions for functions under the Director's supervision be made in accordance with the non-discrimination provisions of clause 9 of rule XLIII and of rule LI, without regard to political affiliation, and solely on the basis of fitness to perform the duties involved. No adverse personnel action may be taken by the Director without cause."

TRANSFER OF FUNCTIONS TO THE DIRECTOR OF NON-LEGISLATIVE AND FINANCIAL SERVICES.

SEC. 231. As soon as practicable, but not later than the ninetieth day beginning after the date of adoption of this resolution, the functions and entities specified in subsection (d) shall be transferred to the Director of Non-legislative and Financial Services.

(b) The Committee on House Oversight shall have authority to prescribe regulations providing for—

(1) the orderly transfer of the functions and entities specified in subsection (d); and  
 (2) such additional transfers of functions and entities specified in subsection (d) with respect to the Clerk, the Sergeant-at-Arms, and the Director as may be necessary for the improvement of non-legislative and financial services in the House.

(c) Except as provided in subsection (d), functions and entities within the jurisdiction of the Committee on House Oversight under rule X may not be transferred to the Director.

(d) The functions and entities referred to in subsection (a) are: Office of Employee Assistance, Finance Office, pay and mileage of Members, House Information Systems, Office Furnishings, Office Supply Service, Office Systems Management, Placement Office, Special Services Office, Telecommunications, Telephone Exchange, Typewriter Repair, Barber Shop, Beauty Shop, House Restaurant System, Office of Photography, Inside Mail and Internal Mail Operations (including coordination with postal substations to be operated by the United States Postal Service), Guide Service, and Child Care Center, and the non-legislative functions of the Printing Services, Recording Studio, and Records and Registration.

OPEN RULE FOR CONSIDERATION OF CONGRESSIONAL ACCOUNTABILITY ACT

SEC. 232. (a) Section 108 of this resolution shall have no force or effect.

(b) At any time after the adoption of this resolution the Speaker may, pursuant to clause 1(b) of Rule XXIII declare the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union for consideration of the bill (H.R. 1) to apply certain laws to the Congress. The first reading of the bill shall be dispensed with. General debate shall be confined to the bill and shall not exceed one hour equally divided and controlled by the Majority and Minority Leaders. After general debate the bill shall be considered for amendment under the five-minute rule. The bill shall be considered as read. At the conclusion of consideration of the bill for amendment the Committee shall rise and report the bill to the House with such amendments as may have been adopted. Any Member may demand a separate vote in the House on any amendment adopted in the Committee of the Whole to the bill. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the bill and amendments thereto to final passage without intervening motion except one motion to commit with or without instructions.

Pursuant to House Resolution 5 the previous question was ordered on the motion to commit with instructions.

The question being put, viva voce, Will the House commit said resolution with instructions?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. THOMAS of California, announced the nays had it.

Mr. FRANK demanded a recorded vote on the motion to commit with instructions, which demand was supported by one-fifth of a quorum, so a recorded vote was ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the { Yeas ..... 201  
 negative ..... { Nays ..... 227

¶1.30 [Roll No. 14] AYES—201

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| Barrett (WI) | Hall (TX)       | Parker        |
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| Bishop       | Hilliard        | Peterson (MN) |
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| Boucher      | Hoyer           | Poshard       |
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| Bryant (TX)  | Johnson, E. B.  | Rivers        |
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| Clayton      | Kennedy (MA)    | Rush          |
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| Coleman      | Kildee          | Sawyer        |
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| DeFazio      | Lowe            | Stokes        |
| DeLauro      | Luther          | Studds        |
| Dellums      | Maloney         | Stupak        |
| Deutsch      | Manton          | Tanner        |
| Dicks        | Markey          | Tauzin        |
| Dingell      | Martinez        | Taylor (MS)   |
| Dixon        | Mascara         | Tejeda        |
| Doggett      | Matsui          | Thompson      |
| Dooley       | McCarthy        | Thornton      |
| Doyle        | McDermott       | Thurman       |
| Durbin       | McHale          | Torres        |
| Edwards      | McKinney        | Torricelli    |
| Engel        | McNulty         | Towns         |
| Eshoo        | Meehan          | Trafficant    |
| Evans        | Meek            | Tucker        |
| Farr         | Menendez        | Velazquez     |
| Fattah       | Mfume           | Vento         |
| Fazio        | Miller (CA)     | Visclosky     |
| Fields (LA)  | Mineta          | Volkmer       |
| Filner       | Minge           | Ward          |
| Flake        | Mink            | Waters        |
| Foglietta    | Moakley         | Watt (NC)     |
| Ford         | Mollohan        | Waxman        |
| Frank (MA)   | Montgomery      | Williams      |
| Frost        | Moran           | Wilson        |
| Furse        | Murtha          | Wise          |
| Gejdenson    | Nadler          | Woolsey       |
| Gephardt     | Neal            | Wyden         |
| Geran        | Oberstar        | Wynn          |

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| Allard     | Barrett (NE) | Bliley      |
| Archer     | Bartlett     | Blute       |
| Army       | Barton       | Boehler     |
| Bachus     | Bass         | Boehner     |
| Baker (CA) | Bateman      | Bonilla     |
| Baker (LA) | Bereuter     | Bono        |
| Ballenger  | Billbray     | Brownback   |
| Barr       | Bilirakis    | Bryant (TN) |

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| Bunn          | Hansen        | Packard       |
| Bunning       | Hastert       | Paxon         |
| Burr          | Hastings (WA) | Petri         |
| Burton        | Hayworth      | Pombo         |
| Buyer         | Hefley        | Porter        |
| Callahan      | Heineman      | Portman       |
| Calvert       | Herger        | Pryce         |
| Camp          | Hilleary      | Quillen       |
| Canady        | Hobson        | Quinn         |
| Castle        | Hoekstra      | Radanovich    |
| Chabot        | Hoke          | Ramstad       |
| Chambliss     | Horn          | Regula        |
| Chenoweth     | Hostettler    | Riggs         |
| Christensen   | Houghton      | Roberts       |
| Chrysler      | Hunter        | Rogers        |
| Clinger       | Hutchinson    | Rohrabacher   |
| Coble         | Hyde          | Ros-Lehtinen  |
| Coburn        | Inglis        | Roth          |
| Collins (GA)  | Istook        | Roukema       |
| Combest       | Johnson (CT)  | Royce         |
| Cooley        | Johnson, Sam  | Salmon        |
| Cox           | Jones         | Sanford       |
| Crane         | Kasich        | Saxton        |
| Crapo         | Kelly         | Scarborough   |
| Creameans     | Kim           | Schaefer      |
| Cubin         | King          | Schiff        |
| Davis         | Kingston      | Seastrand     |
| DeLay         | Klug          | Sensenbrenner |
| Diaz-Balart   | Knollenberg   | Shadegg       |
| Dickey        | Kolbe         | Shaw          |
| Doolittle     | LaHood        | Shays         |
| Dornan        | Largent       | Shuster       |
| Dreier        | Latham        | Skeen         |
| Duncan        | LaTourette    | Smith (MI)    |
| Dunn          | Lazio         | Smith (NJ)    |
| Ehlers        | Leach         | Smith (TX)    |
| Ehrlich       | Lewis (CA)    | Smith (WA)    |
| Emerson       | Lewis (KY)    | Solomon       |
| English       | Lightfoot     | Souder        |
| Ensign        | Linder        | Spence        |
| Everett       | Livingston    | Stearns       |
| Ewing         | LoBiondo      | Stockman      |
| Fawell        | Longley       | Stump         |
| Fields (TX)   | Lucas         | Talent        |
| Flanagan      | Manzullo      | Tate          |
| Foley         | Martini       | Taylor (NC)   |
| Forbes        | McCollum      | Thomas        |
| Fowler        | McCrery       | Thornberry    |
| Fox           | McDade        | Tiahrt        |
| Franks (CT)   | McHugh        | Torkildsen    |
| Franks (NJ)   | McInnis       | Upton         |
| Frelinghuysen | McIntosh      | Vucanovich    |
| Frisa         | McKeon        | Waldholtz     |
| Funderburk    | Metcalf       | Walker        |
| Galleghy      | Meyers        | Walsh         |
| Ganske        | Mica          | Wamp          |
| Gekas         | Miller (FL)   | Weldon (FL)   |
| Gilchrest     | Molinari      | Weldon (PA)   |
| Gillmor       | Moorhead      | Weller        |
| Gilman        | Morella       | White         |
| Goodlatte     | Myers         | Whitfield     |
| Goodling      | Myrick        | Wicker        |
| Goss          | Nethercutt    | Wolf          |
| Graham        | Neumann       | Young (AK)    |
| Greenwood     | Ney           | Young (FL)    |
| Gunderson     | Norwood       | Zeliff        |
| Gutknecht     | Nussle        | Zimmer        |
| Hancock       | Oxley         |               |

NOT VOTING—5

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| Brown (FL) | Rangel | Yates |
| Cunningham | Stark  |       |

So the motion to commit with instructions was not agreed to.

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House agree to title II?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. THOMAS, announced that the yeas had it.

So title II was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said title II of House Resolution 5 was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

¶1.31 CONGRESSIONAL ACCOUNTABILITY ACT

Mr. SHAYS, pursuant to section 108 of House Resolution 6, called up the bill (H.R. 1) to make certain laws appli-

cable to the legislative branch of the Federal Government.

When said bill was considered and read twice.

After debate,

Pursuant to section 108 of House Resolution 6 the previous question was considered as ordered.

The bill was ordered to be engrossed and read a third time, was read a third time by title.

The question being put, viva voce,

Will the House pass said bill?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. EHLERS, announced that the yeas had it.

Mr. SHAYS demanded that the vote be taken by the yeas and nays, which demand was supported by one-fifth of the Members present, so the yeas and nays were ordered.

The vote was taken by electronic device.

It was decided in the affirmative

Yeas .....	429
Nays .....	0

¶1.32 [Roll No. 15]  
YEAS—429

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| Abercrombie  | Clement      | Flanagan      |
| Ackerman     | Clinger      | Foglietta     |
| Allard       | Clyburn      | Foley         |
| Andrews      | Coble        | Forbes        |
| Archer       | Coburn       | Ford          |
| Army         | Coleman      | Fowler        |
| Bachus       | Collins (GA) | Fox           |
| Baesler      | Collins (IL) | Frank (MA)    |
| Baker (CA)   | Collins (MI) | Franks (CT)   |
| Baker (LA)   | Combest      | Franks (NJ)   |
| Baldacci     | Condit       | Frelinghuysen |
| Ballenger    | Conyers      | Frisa         |
| Barcia       | Cooley       | Frost         |
| Barr         | Costello     | Funderburk    |
| Barrett (NE) | Cox          | Furse         |
| Barrett (WI) | Coyne        | Gallegly      |
| Bartlett     | Cramer       | Ganske        |
| Barton       | Crane        | Gejdenson     |
| Bass         | Crapo        | Gekas         |
| Bateman      | Creameans    | Gephardt      |
| Becerra      | Cubin        | Geren         |
| Beilenson    | Cunningham   | Gibbons       |
| Bentsen      | Danner       | Gilchrest     |
| Bereuter     | Davis        | Gillmor       |
| Berman       | de la Garza  | Gilman        |
| Bevill       | Deal         | Gonzalez      |
| Bilbray      | DeFazio      | Goodlatte     |
| Bilirakis    | DeLauro      | Goodling      |
| Bishop       | DeLay        | Gordon        |
| Bliley       | Dellums      | Goss          |
| Blute        | Deutsch      | Graham        |
| Boehlert     | Diaz-Balart  | Green         |
| Boehner      | Dickey       | Greenwood     |
| Bonilla      | Dicks        | Gunderson     |
| Bonior       | Dingell      | Gutierrez     |
| Bono         | Dixon        | Gutknecht     |
| Borski       | Doggett      | Hall (OH)     |
| Boucher      | Dooley       | Hall (TX)     |
| Brewster     | Doolittle    | Hamilton      |
| Browder      | Dornan       | Hancock       |
| Brown (CA)   | Doyle        | Hansen        |
| Brown (OH)   | Dreier       | Harman        |
| Brownback    | Duncan       | Hastert       |
| Bryant (TN)  | Dunn         | Hastings (FL) |
| Bryant (TX)  | Durbin       | Hastings (WA) |
| Bunn         | Edwards      | Hayes         |
| Bunning      | Ehlers       | Hayworth      |
| Burr         | Ehrlich      | Hefley        |
| Burton       | Emerson      | Hefner        |
| Buyer        | Engel        | Heineman      |
| Callahan     | English      | Herger        |
| Calvert      | Ensign       | Hilleary      |
| Camp         | Eshoo        | Hilliard      |
| Canady       | Evans        | Hinches       |
| Cardin       | Everett      | Hobson        |
| Castle       | Ewing        | Hoekstra      |
| Chabot       | Farr         | Hoke          |
| Chambliss    | Fattah       | Holden        |
| Chapman      | Fawell       | Horn          |
| Chenoweth    | Fazio        | Hostettler    |
| Christensen  | Fields (LA)  | Houghton      |
| Chrysler     | Fields (TX)  | Hoyer         |
| Clay         | Filner       | Hunter        |
| Clayton      | Flake        | Hutchinson    |

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| Hyde            | Miller (FL)   | Schumer       |
| Inglis          | Mineta        | Scott         |
| Istook          | Minge         | Seastrand     |
| Jackson-Lee     | Mink          | Sensenbrenner |
| Jacobs          | Moakley       | Serrano       |
| Jefferson       | Molinari      | Shadegg       |
| Johnson (CT)    | Mollohan      | Shaw          |
| Johnson (SD)    | Montgomery    | Shays         |
| Johnson, E.B.   | Moorhead      | Shuster       |
| Johnson, Sam    | Moran         | Sisisky       |
| Johnston        | Morella       | Skaggs        |
| Jones           | Murtha        | Skeen         |
| Kanjorski       | Myers         | Skelton       |
| Kaptur          | Myrick        | Slaughter     |
| Kasich          | Nadler        | Smith (MI)    |
| Kelly           | Neal          | Smith (NJ)    |
| Kennedy (MA)    | Nethercutt    | Smith (TX)    |
| Kennedy (RI)    | Neumann       | Smith (WA)    |
| Kennelly        | Ney           | Solomon       |
| Kildee          | Norwood       | Souder        |
| Kim             | Nussle        | Spence        |
| King            | Oberstar      | Spratt        |
| Kingston        | Obey          | Stearns       |
| Klecza          | Olver         | Stenholm      |
| Klink           | Ortiz         | Stockman      |
| Klug            | Orton         | Stokes        |
| Knollenberg     | Owens         | Studds        |
| Kolbe           | Oxley         | Stump         |
| LaFalce         | Packard       | Stupak        |
| LaHood          | Pallone       | Talent        |
| Lambert-Lincoln | Parker        | Tanner        |
| Lantos          | Lantos        | Pastor        |
| Largent         | Paxon         | Tate          |
| Latham          | Payne (NJ)    | Tauzin        |
| LaTourette      | Payne (VA)    | Taylor (MS)   |
| Laughlin        | Pelosi        | Taylor (NC)   |
| Lazio           | Peterson (FL) | Tejeda        |
| Leach           | Peterson (MN) | Thomas        |
| Levin           | Petri         | Thompson      |
| Lewis (CA)      | Pickett       | Thornberry    |
| Lewis (GA)      | Pombo         | Thornton      |
| Lewis (KY)      | Pomeroy       | Thurman       |
| Lightfoot       | Porter        | Tiaht         |
| Linder          | Portman       | Torkildsen    |
| Lipinski        | Poshard       | Torres        |
| Livingston      | Pryce         | Torricelli    |
| LoBiondo        | Quillen       | Towns         |
| Lofgren         | Quinn         | Traficant     |
| Longley         | Radanovich    | Tucker        |
| Lowe            | Rahall        | Upton         |
| Lucas           | Ramstad       | Velazquez     |
| Luther          | Rangel        | Vento         |
| Maloney         | Reed          | Visclosky     |
| Manton          | Regula        | Volkmer       |
| Manzullo        | Reynolds      | Vucanovich    |
| Markey          | Richardson    | Waldholtz     |
| Martini         | Riggs         | Walker        |
| Mascara         | Rivers        | Walsh         |
| Matsui          | Roberts       | Wamp          |
| McCarthy        | Roemer        | Ward          |
| McCollum        | Rogers        | Waters        |
| McCrery         | Rohrabacher   | Watt (NC)     |
| McDade          | Ros-Lehtinen  | Waxman        |
| McDermott       | Rose          | Weldon (FL)   |
| McHale          | Roth          | Weldon (PA)   |
| McHugh          | Roukema       | Weller        |
| McInnis         | Roybal-Allard | White         |
| McIntosh        | Royce         | Whitfield     |
| McKeon          | Rush          | Wicker        |
| McKinney        | Sabo          | Williams      |
| McNulty         | Salmon        | Wilson        |
| Meehan          | Sanders       | Wise          |
| Meek            | Sanford       | Wolf          |
| Menendez        | Sawyer        | Woolsey       |
| Metcalf         | Saxton        | Wyden         |
| Meyers          | Scarborough   | Wynn          |
| Mfume           | Schaefer      | Young (AK)    |
| Mica            | Schiff        | Young (FL)    |
| Miller (CA)     | Schroeder     | Zeliff        |
|                 |               | Zimmer        |

NOT VOTING—4

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| Brown (FL) | Stark |
| Martinez   | Yates |

So the bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said bill was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

Ordered, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

¶1.33 ADJOURNMENT OVER

On motion of Mr. ARMEY, by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That when the House adjourns on Thursday, January 5, 1995, it adjourn to meet at 2:00 p.m. on Monday, January 9, 1995.

¶1.34 HOUR OF MEETING

On motion of Mr. ARMEY, by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That when the House adjourns on Monday, January 9, 1995, it adjourn to meet at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, January 11, 1995.

¶1.35 HOUR OF MEETING

On motion of Mr. ARMEY, by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That when the House adjourns on Wednesday, January 11, 1995, it adjourn to meet at 10:00 a.m. on Friday, January 13, 1995.

¶1.36 CALENDAR WEDNESDAY BUSINESS DISPENSED WITH

On motion of Mr. ARMEY, by unanimous consent,

Ordered, That business in order for consideration on Wednesday, January 11, 1995, under clause 7, rule XXIV, the Calendar Wednesday rule, be dispensed with.

¶1.37 REPORT OF COMMITTEE TO NOTIFY THE PRESIDENT

Mr. ARMEY was recognized and said:

Mr. Speaker, your committee appointed on the part of the House to join a like committee on the part of the Senate to notify the President of the United States that a quorum of each House has been assembled and is ready to receive any communication that he may be pleased to make has performed that duty.

Mr. Speaker, I might point out that the committee consisted of myself and the minority leader, the gentleman from Missouri [Mr. GEPHARDT]. We had a pleasant conversation with the President. I am sure he will be communicating to us later.

Mr. Speaker, I yield, if he should wish, to the minority leader, the gentleman from Missouri [Mr. GEPHARDT], for any remarks he would like to make.

Mr. GEPHARDT. Mr. Speaker, I thank the gentleman for yielding.

This call was a tradition which we have usually fulfilled. We fulfilled it earlier today or yesterday with the gentleman from Texas. We did inform the President, as we are required to do, that the House is seated, we have elected officers, elected a Speaker, and that we were ready for legislative action, and I believe we are having a meeting later today with the President and the bipartisan leadership.

¶1.38 MINORITY EMPLOYEES

Mr. GEPHARDT, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution, which was considered and agreed to (H. Res. 7):

Resolved, That pursuant to the Legislative Pay Act of 1929, as amended, the six minority employees authorized therein shall be the following named persons, effective January 3, 1995, until otherwise ordered by the House, to-wit: Thomas O'Donnell, George Kundanis, Marti Thomas, Michael Wessel, Laura Nichols, and Steve Elmendorf, each to receive gross compensation pursuant to the provisions of House Resolution 119, Ninety-fifth Congress, as enacted into permanent law by

section 115 of Public Law 95-94. In addition, the Minority Leader may appoint and set the annual rate of pay for up to three further minority employees.

#### ¶1.39 DAILY HOUR OF MEETING

Mr. SOLOMON submitted the following privileged resolution, which was considered and agreed to (H. Res. 8):

*Resolved*, That unless otherwise ordered, the hour of meeting of the House shall be 2 o'clock post meridiem on Mondays; 11 o'clock ante meridiem on Tuesdays and Wednesdays; and 10 o'clock ante meridiem on all other days of the week up to and including May 13, 1995; and that from May 15, 1995, until the end of the first session, the hour of daily meeting of the House shall be noon on Mondays and 10 o'clock ante meridiem on all other days of the week.

#### ¶1.40 ORDER OF BUSINESS—"MORNING HOUR" DEBATE AND SPECIAL ORDERS

On motion of Mr. SOLOMON, by unanimous consent,

*Ordered*, That until February 16, 1995, the House convene 90 minutes earlier than the time otherwise established by order of the House on Mondays and Tuesdays of each week solely for the purpose of conducting "morning hour" debates under the following conditions:

(1) Prayer by the Chaplain, approval of the Journal, and the pledge of allegiance to the flag to be postponed until the resumption of the House session following the completion of "morning hour" debate;

(2) Debate to be limited to thirty minutes allocated to each party, with initial and subsequent recognitions alternating between parties;

(3) Recognition to be conferred by the Speaker only pursuant to lists submitted by the respective leaderships;

(4) No Member to be permitted to address the House for longer than five minutes except for the Majority Leader, Minority Leader, and Minority Whip; and

(5) "Morning hour" debate to be followed by a recess declared by the Speaker pursuant to clause 12 of rule I, until the appointed hour for the resumption of legislative business.

#### ¶1.41 REPUBLICAN STEERING COMMITTEE AND DEMOCRATIC POLICY COMMITTEE

Mr. ARMEY, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution, which was considered and agreed to (H. Res. 9):

*Resolved*, That, effective at the beginning of the 104th Congress, there shall be available, in equal amounts to the Republican Steering Committee and the Democratic Policy Committee, such sums as may be necessary, to be provided, as determined by the Committee on Appropriations, from amounts previously appropriated for other purposes under the appropriation for salaries and expenses of the House of Representatives, fiscal year 1995.

#### ¶1.42 MAJORITY EMPLOYEES

Mr. ARMEY, by unanimous consent, submitted the following resolution, which was considered and agreed to (H. Res. 10):

*Resolved*, That, effective at the beginning of the 104th Congress, two statutory em-

ployee positions under the chief majority whip are transferred to the majority leader.

#### ¶1.43 ARMY WARRANT OFFICERS DAVID HILEMON AND BOBBY W. HALL II

On motion of Mr. SPENCE, by unanimous consent, the Committee on National Security was discharged from further consideration of the following concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 1):

Whereas on December 17, 1994, the helicopter of Army Chief Warrant Officer David Hilemon and Army Chief Warrant Officer Bobby W. Hall II was shot down over North Korea;

Whereas as a result of this incident, Chief Warrant Officer Hilemon sacrificed his life for his country and Chief Warrant Officer Hall was taken captive by the Korean People's Army;

Whereas on December 22, 1994, Chief Warrant Officer Hilemon's remains were returned to the United States at the Demilitarized Zone at Panmunjom and on December 28, 1994, he was laid to rest with full military honors and in full view of Mt. Ranier in the State of Washington, in accordance with the wishes of Chief Warrant Officer Hilemon; and

Whereas Chief Warrant Officer Hall, held in captivity for 13 days under stressful circumstances, served his country above and beyond the call of duty: Now, therefore, be it

*Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring)*, That the Congress—

(1) recognizes the sacrifice of Army Chief Warrant Officer David Hilemon to his country and expresses gratitude for his selflessness and deepest regret for his loss to his family; and

(2) recognizes the exceptional service of Army Chief Warrant Officer Bobby W. Hall II to his country and expresses commendation for his courage.

When said concurrent resolution was considered and agreed to.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby said concurrent resolution was agreed to was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said concurrent resolution.

#### ¶1.44 COMMITTEE ELECTIONS—MAJORITY

Mr. BOEHNER submitted the following privileged resolution, which was considered and agreed to (H. Res. 11):

*Resolved*, That the following named Members be, and they are hereby, elected to the following standing committees of the House of Representatives:

COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE: Mr. Roberts, Chairman; Mr. Emerson; Mr. Gunderson; Mr. Combust; Mr. Allard; Mr. Barrett of Nebraska; Mr. Boehner; Mr. Ewing; Mr. Doolittle; Mr. Goodlatte; Mr. Pombo; Mr. Canady; Mr. Smith of Michigan; Mr. Everett; Mr. Lucas; Mr. Lewis of Kentucky; Mr. Baker of Louisiana; Mr. Crapo; Mr. Calvert; Ms. Chenoweth; Mr. Hostettler; Mr. Bryant of Tennessee; Mr. Latham; Mr. Cooley; Mr. Foley; Mr. Chambliss; and Mr. LaHood.

COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS: Mr. Livingston, Chairman; Mr. McDade; Mr. Myers of Indiana; Mr. Young of Florida; Mr. Regula; Mr. Lewis of California; Mr. Porter; Mr. Rogers; Mr. Skeen; Mr. Wolf; Mr. DeLay; Mr. Kolbe; Mrs. Vucanovich; Mr. Lightfoot; Mr. Packard; Mr. Callahan; Mr. Walsh; Mr. Taylor of North Carolina; Mr. Hobson; Mr. Istook; Mr. Bonilla; Mr. Knollenberg; Mr. Miller of Florida; Mr. Dickey; Mr. Kingston; Mr. Riggs; Mr. Frelinghuysen; Mr. Wicker; Mr. Forbes; Mr. Nethercutt; Mr. Bunn; and Mr. Neumann.

COMMITTEE ON BANKING AND FINANCIAL SERVICES: Mr. Leach, Chairman; Mr. McCollum; Mrs. Roukema; Mr. Bereuter; Mr. Roth; Mr. Baker of Louisiana; Mr. Lazio; Mr. Bachus; Mr. Castle; Mr. King; Mr. Royce; Mr. Lucas; Mr. Weller; Mr. Hayworth; Mr. Metcalf; Mr. Bono; Mr. Ney; Mr. Ehrlich; Mr. Barr; Mr. Chrysler; Mr. Cremeans; Mr. Fox; Mr. Heineman; Mr. Stockman; Mr. LoBiondo; Mr. Watts of Oklahoma (when sworn); and Mrs. Kelly.

COMMITTEE ON THE BUDGET: Mr. Kasich, Chairman; Mr. Hobson; Mr. Walker; Mr. Kolbe; Mr. Shays; Mr. Herger; Mr. Bunning; Mr. Smith of Texas; Mr. Allard; Mr. Miller of Florida; Mr. Lazio; Mr. Franks of New Jersey; Mr. Smith of Michigan; Mr. Inglis; Mr. Hoke; Ms. Molinari; Mr. Nussle; Mr. Hoekstra; Mr. Largent; Mrs. Myrick; Mr. Brownback; Mr. Shadegg; Mr. Radanovich; and Mr. Bass.

COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE: Mr. Bliley, Chairman; Mr. Moorhead; Mr. Fields of Texas; Mr. Oxley; Mr. Bilirakis; Mr. Schaefer; Mr. Barton of Texas; Mr. Hastert; Mr. Upton; Mr. Stearns; Mr. Paxon; Mr. Gillmor; Mr. Klug; Mr. Franks of Connecticut; Mr. Greenwood; Mr. Crapo; Mr. Cox; Mr. Burr; Mr. Bilbray; Mr. Whitfield; Mr. Ganske; Mr. Frisa; Mr. Norwood; Mr. White; and Mr. Coburn.

COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC AND EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES: Mr. Goodling, Chairman; Mr. Petri; Mrs. Roukema; Mr. Gunderson; Mr. Fawell; Mr. Ballenger; Mr. Barrett of Nebraska; Mr. Cunningham; Mr. Hoekstra; Mr. McKeon; Mr. Castle; Mrs. Meyers of Kansas; Mr. Sam Johnson of Texas; Mr. Talent; Mr. Greenwood; Mr. Hutchinson; Mr. Knollenberg; Mr. Riggs; Mr. Graham; Mr. Weldon of Florida; Mr. Funderburk; Mr. Souder; Mr. McIntosh; and Mr. Norwood.

COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT REFORM AND OVERSIGHT: Mr. Clinger, Chairman; Mr. Gilman; Mr. Burton of Indiana; Mrs. Morella; Mr. Shays; Mr. Schiff; Ms. Ros-Lehtinen; Mr. Zeliff; Mr. McHugh; Mr. Horn; Mr. Mica; Mr. Blute; Mr. Davis; Mr. McIntosh; Mr. Fox; Mr. Tate; Mr. Chrysler; Mr. Gutknecht; Mr. Souder; Mr. Martini; Mr. Scarborough; Mr. Shadegg; Mr. Flanagan; Mr. Bass; Mr. LaTourette; Mr. Sanford; and Mr. Ehrlich.

COMMITTEE ON HOUSE OVERSIGHT: Mr. Thomas of California, Chairman; Mr. Ehlers; Mr. Roberts; Mr. Boehner; Ms. Dunn; Mr. Diaz-Balart; and Mr. Ney.

COMMITTEE ON INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS: Mr. Gilman, Chairman; Mr. Goodling; Mr. Leach; Mr. Roth; Mr. Hyde; Mr. Bereuter; Mr. Smith of New Jersey; Mr. Burton of Indiana; Mrs. Meyers of Kansas; Mr. Gallegly; Ms. Ros-Lehtinen; Mr. Ballenger; Mr. Rohrabacher; Mr. Manzullo; Mr. Royce; Mr. King; Mr. Kim; Mr. Brownback; Mr. Funderburk; Mr. Chabot; Mr. Sanford; and Mr. Salmon.

COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY: Mr. Hyde, Chairman; Mr. Moorhead; Mr. Sensenbrenner; Mr. McCollum; Mr. Gekas; Mr. Coble; Mr. Smith of Texas; Mr. Schiff; Mr. Gallegly; Mr. Canady; Mr. Inglis of South Carolina; Mr. Goodlatte; Mr. Buyer; Mr. Hoke; Mr. Bono; Mr. Heineman; Mr. Bryant of Tennessee; Mr. Chabot; Mr. Flanagan; and Mr. Barr.

COMMITTEE ON NATIONAL SECURITY: Mr. Spence, Chairman; Mr. Stump; Mr. Hunter; Mr. Kasich; Mr. Bateman; Mr. Hansen; Mr. Weldon of Pennsylvania; Mr. Dornan; Mr. Hefley; Mr. Saxton; Mr. Cunningham; Mr. Buyer; Mr. Torkildsen; Mrs. Fowler; Mr. McHugh; Mr. Talent; Mr. Everett; Mr. Bartlett of Maryland; Mr. McKeon; Mr. Lewis of Kentucky; Mr. Watts of Oklahoma (when sworn); Mr. Thornberry; Mr. Hostettler; Mr. Chambliss; Mr. Hilleary; Mr. Scarborough; Mr. Jones; Mr. Longley; Mr. Tiahrt; and Mr. Hastings of Washington.

COMMITTEE ON RESOURCES: Mr. Young of Alaska, Chairman; Mr. Hansen; Mr. Saxton;

Mr. Gallegly; Mr. Duncan; Mr. Hefley; Mr. Doolittle; Mr. Allard; Mr. Gilchrest; Mr. Calvert; Mr. Pombo; Mr. Torkildsen; Mr. Hayworth; Mr. Cremeans; Ms. Cubin; Mr. Cooley; Ms. Chenoweth; Ms. Smith of Washington; Mr. Radanovich; Mr. Jones; Mr. Thornberry; Mr. Hastings of Washington; Mr. Metcalf; Mr. Longley; and Mr. Shadegg.

COMMITTEE ON RULES: Mr. Solomon, Chairman; Mr. Quillen; Mr. Drier; Mr. Goss; Mr. Linder; Ms. Pryce; Mr. Diaz-Balart; Mr. McInnis; and Ms. Waldholtz.

COMMITTEE ON SCIENCE: Mr. Walker, Chairman; Mr. Sensenbrenner; Mr. Boehlert; Mr. Fawell; Mrs. Morella; Mr. Weldon of Pennsylvania; Mr. Rohrabacher; Mr. Schiff; Mr. Barton of Texas; Mr. Calvert; Mr. Baker of California; Mr. Bartlett of Maryland; Mr. Ehlers; Mr. Wamp; Mr. Weldon of Florida; Mr. Graham; Mr. Salmon; Mr. Davis; Mr. Stockman; Mr. Gutknecht; Ms. Seastrand; Mr. Tiahrt; Mr. Largent; Mr. Hilleary; Ms. Cubin; Mr. Foley; and Mrs. Myrick.

COMMITTEE ON SMALL BUSINESS: Mrs. Meyers of Kansas, Chairman; Mr. Hefley; Mr. Zeliff; Mr. Talent; Mr. Manzullo; Mr. Torkildsen; Mr. Bartlett of Maryland; Ms. Smith of Washington; Mr. LoBiondo; Mr. Wamp; Mrs. Kelly; Mr. Chrysler; Mr. Longley; Mr. Jones; Mr. Salmon; Mr. Hilleary; Mr. Souder; Mr. Brownback; Mr. Chabot; Mrs. Myrick; Mr. Funderburk; and Mr. Metcalf.

COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE: Mr. Shuster, Chairman; Mr. Young of Alaska; Mr. Clinger; Mr. Petri; Mr. Boehlert; Mr. Bateman; Mr. Emerson; Mr. Coble; Mr. Duncan; Ms. Molinari; Mr. Zeliff; Mr. Ewing; Mr. Gilchrest; Mr. Hutchinson; Mr. Baker of California; Mr. Kim; Mr. Horn; Mr. Franks of New Jersey; Mr. Blute; Mr. Mica; Mr. Quinn; Mrs. Fowler; Mr. Ehlers; Mr. Bachus; Mr. Weller; Mr. Wamp; Mr. Latham; Mr. LaTourette; Ms. Seastrand; Mr. Tate; Mrs. Kelly; Mr. LaHood; and Mr. Martini.

COMMITTEE ON VETERANS' AFFAIRS: Mr. Stump, Chairman; Mr. Smith of New Jersey; Mr. Bilirakis; Mr. Spence; Mr. Hutchinson; Mr. Everett; Mr. Buyer; Mr. Quinn; Mr. Bachus; Mr. Stearns; Mr. Ney; Mr. Fox; Mr. Flanagan; Mr. Barr; Mr. Stockman; Mr. Weller; Mr. Hayworth; and Mr. Cooley.

COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS: Mr. Archer, Chairman; Mr. Crane; Mr. Thomas of California; Mr. Shaw; Mrs. Johnson of Connecticut; Mr. Bunning; Mr. Houghton; Mr. Herger; Mr. McCrery; Mr. Hancock; Mr. Camp; Mr. Ramstad; Mr. Zimmer; Mr. Nussle; Mr. Sam Johnson of Texas; Ms. Dunn; Mr. Collins of Georgia; Mr. Portman; Mr. English of Pennsylvania; Mr. Ensign; and Mr. Christensen.

#### 1.45 COMMITTEE ELECTIONS—MINORITY

Mr. FAZIO submitted the following privileged resolution, which was considered and agreed to (H. Res. 12):

##### COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE

E (Kika) de la Garza, Texas; George E. Brown, Jr., California; Charlie Rose, North Carolina; Charles W. Stenholm, Texas; Harold L. Volkmer, Missouri; Tim Johnson, South Dakota; Gary A. Condit, California; Collin C. Peterson, Minnesota; Calvin M. Dooley, California; Eva M. Clayton, North Carolina; David Minge, Minnesota; Earl F. Hilliard, Alabama; Earl Pomeroy, North Dakota; Tim Holden, Pennsylvania; Cynthia McKinney, Georgia; Scotty Baesler, Kentucky; Karen L. Thurman, Florida; Sanford Bishop, Georgia; Bennie G. Thompson, Mississippi; Sam Farr, California; Ed Pastor, Arizona; John Baldacci, Maine.

##### COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

David R. Obey, Wisconsin; Sidney R. Yates, Illinois; Louis Stokes, Ohio; Tom Beville, Alabama; John P. Murtha, Pennsylvania;

Charles Wilson, Texas; Norman D. Dicks, Washington; Martin Olav Sabo, Minnesota; Julian C. Dixon, California; Vic Fazio, California; W.G. (Bill) Hefner, North Carolina; Steny H. Hoyer, Maryland; Richard J. Durbin, Illinois; Ronald D. Coleman, Texas; Alan B. Mollohan, West Virginia; Jim Chapman, Texas; Marcy Kaptur, Ohio; David E. Skaggs, Colorado; Nancy Pelosi, California; Peter J. Visclosky, Indiana; Thomas M. Foglietta, Pennsylvania; Esteban Edward Torres, California; Nita M. Lowey, New York; Ray Thornton, Arkansas.

##### COMMITTEE ON BANKING AND FINANCIAL SERVICES

Henry B. Gonzalez, Texas; John J. LaFalce, New York; Bruce F. Vento, Minnesota; Charles E. Schumer, New York; Barney Frank, Massachusetts; Paul E. Kanjorski, Pennsylvania; Joseph P. Kennedy II, Massachusetts; Floyd H. Flake, New York; Kweisi Mfume, Maryland; Maxine Waters, California; Bill Orton, Utah; Carolyn B. Maloney, New York; Luis V. Gutierrez, Illinois; Lucille Roybal-Allard, California; Thomas M. Barrett, Wisconsin; Nydia M. Velazquez, New York; Albert R. Wynn, Maryland; Cleo Fields, Louisiana; Melvin Watt, North Carolina; Maurice Hinchey, New York; Gary Ackerman, New York; Ken Bentsen, Texas.

##### COMMITTEE ON THE BUDGET

Martin Olav Sabo, Minnesota; Charles Stenholm, Texas; Louise M. Slaughter, New York; Mike Parker, Mississippi; William J. Coyne, Pennsylvania; Alan B. Mollohan, West Virginia; Jerry F. Costello, Illinois; Harry Johnston, Florida; Patsy T. Mink, Hawaii; Bill Orton, Utah; Earl Pomeroy, North Dakota; Glen Browder, Alabama; Lynn Woolsey, California; John Olver, Massachusetts; Lucille Roybal-Allard, California; Carrie Meek, Florida; Lynn Rivers, Michigan; Lloyd Doggett, Texas.

##### COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE

John D. Dingell, Michigan; Henry A. Waxman, California; Edward J. Markey, Massachusetts; W.J. (Billy) Tauzin, Louisiana; Ron Wyden, Oregon; Ralph M. Hall, Texas; John Bryant, Texas; Rick Boucher, Virginia; Thomas J. Manton, New York; Edolphus Towns, New York; Gerry E. Studds, Massachusetts; Frank Pallone, Jr., New Jersey; Sherrod Brown, Ohio; Blanche Lambert, Arkansas; Bart Gordon, Tennessee; Elizabeth Furse, Oregon; Peter Deutsch, Florida; Bobby Rush, Illinois; Anna Eshoo, California; Ron Klink, Pennsylvania; Bart Stupak, Michigan.

##### COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC AND EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

William (Bill) Clay, Missouri; George Miller, California; Dale E. Kildee, Michigan; Pat Williams, Montana; Matthew G. Martinez, California; Major R. Owens, New York; Thomas C. Sawyer, Ohio; Donald M. Payne, New Jersey; Patsy T. Mink, Hawaii; Robert E. Andrews, New Jersey; Jack Reed, Rhode Island; Tim Roemer, Indiana; Eliot L. Engel, New York; Xavier Becerra, California; Robert C. "Bobby" Scott, Virginia; Gene Green, Texas; Lynn Woolsey, California; Carlos Romero-Barcelo, Puerto Rico; Mel Reynolds, Illinois.

##### COMMITTEE ON INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

Lee H. Hamilton, Indiana; Sam Gejdenson, Connecticut; Tom Lantos, California; Robert G. Torricelli, New Jersey; Howard L. Berman, California; Gary L. Ackerman, New York; Harry Johnston, Florida; Eliot L. Engel, New York; Eni F. H. Faleomavaega, American Samoa (Delegate); Matthew G. Martinez, California; Donald M. Payne, New Jersey; Robert E. Andrews, New Jersey; Robert Menendez, New Jersey; Sherrod Brown, Ohio; Cynthia McKinney, Georgia; Alcee L. Hastings, Florida; Albert R. Wynn, Mary-

land; Michael R. McNulty, New York; James P. Moran, Virginia.

##### COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY

John Conyers, Jr., Michigan; Patricia Schroeder, Colorado; Barney Frank, Massachusetts; Charles E. Schumer, New York; Howard L. Berman, California; Rick Boucher, Virginia; John Bryant, Texas; Jack Reed, Rhode Island; Jerrold Nadler, New York; Robert C. "Bobby" Scott, Virginia; Melvin Watt, North Carolina; Xavier Becerra, California; Jose Serrano, New York; Zoe Lofgren, California; Shelia Jackson-Lee, Texas.

##### COMMITTEE ON NATIONAL SECURITY

Ronald V. Dellums, California; G.V. (Sonny) Montgomery, Mississippi; Patricia Schroeder, Colorado; Ike Skelton, Missouri; Norman Sisisky, Virginia; John M. Spratt, Jr., South Carolina; Solomon P. Ortiz, Texas; Owen B. Pickett, Virginia; Lane Evans, Illinois; John S. Tanner, Tennessee; Glen Browder, Alabama; Gene Taylor, Mississippi; Neil Abercrombie, Hawaii; Chet Edwards, Texas; Frank Tejeda, Texas; Martin T. Meehan, Massachusetts; Robert A. Underwood, Guam (Delegate); Jane Harman, California; Paul McHale, Pennsylvania; Pete Geren, Texas; Peter Peterson, Florida; Bill Jefferson, Louisiana; Rosa DeLauro, Connecticut; Mike Ward, Kentucky; Patrick Kennedy, Rhode Island.

##### COMMITTEE ON SMALL BUSINESS

John J. LaFalce, New York; Ron Wyden, Oregon; Norman Sisisky, Virginia; Kweisi Mfume, Maryland; Floyd H. Flake, New York; Glenn Poshard, Illinois; Eva M. Clayton, North Carolina; Martin T. Meehan, Massachusetts; Nydia M. Velazquez, New York; Cleo Fields, Louisiana; Walter R. Tucker, California; Earl F. Hilliard, Alabama; Pete Peterson, Florida; Bennie Thompson, Mississippi; Chaka Fattah, Pennsylvania; Ken Bentsen, Texas; Karen McCarthy, Missouri; Bill Luther, Minnesota; Patrick Kennedy, Rhode Island.

##### COMMITTEE ON TECHNOLOGY AND COMPETITIVENESS

George E. Brown, Jr., California; Ralph M. Hall, Texas; James A. Traficant, Jr., Ohio; James A. Hayes, Louisiana; John S. Tanner, Tennessee; Pete Geren, Texas; Tim Roemer, Indiana; Robert E. (Bud) Cramer, Alabama; James Barcia, Michigan; Paul McHale, Pennsylvania; Jane Harman, California; Eddie Bernice Johnson, Texas; David Minge, Minnesota; John Olver, Massachusetts; Alcee Hastings, Florida; Lynn Rivers, Michigan; Karen McCarthy, Missouri; Mike Ward, Kentucky; Zoe Lofgren, California; Lloyd Doggett, Texas; Michael Doyle, Pennsylvania; Shelia Jackson-Lee, Texas; Bill Luther, Minnesota.

##### COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE

Norman Y. Mineta, California; James L. Oberstar, Minnesota; Nick Joe Rahall II, West Virginia; Robert A. Borski, Pennsylvania; William O. Lipinski, Illinois; Robert Wise, West Virginia; James A. Traficant, Jr., Ohio; Peter A. DeFazio, Oregon; James A. Hayes, Louisiana; Bob Clement, Tennessee; Jerry F. Costello, Illinois; Mike Parker, Mississippi; Greg Laughlin, Texas; Glenn Poshard, Illinois; Robert E. (Bud) Cramer, Alabama; Barbara-Rose Collins, Michigan; Eleanor Holmes Norton, D.C. (Delegate); Jerrold Nadler, New York; Pat Danner, Missouri; Robert Menendez, New Jersey; James E. Clyburn, South Carolina; Corrine Brown, Florida; Nathan Deal, Georgia; James A. Barcia, Michigan; Bob Filner, California; Walter R. Tucker, California; Eddie Bernice Johnson, Texas; Bill Brewster, Oklahoma.

##### COMMITTEE ON VETERANS' AFFAIRS

G.V. (Sonny) Montgomery, Mississippi; Lane Evans, Illinois; Joseph P. Kennedy II,

Massachusetts; Chet Edwards, Texas; Maxine Waters, California; Bob Clement, Tennessee; Bob Filner, California; Frank Tejeda, Texas; Luis V. Gutierrez, Illinois; Scotty Baesler, Kentucky; Sanford Bishop, Georgia; James E. Clyburn, South Carolina; Corrine Brown, Florida; Michael Doyle, Pennsylvania; Frank Mascara, Pennsylvania.

COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

Sam Gibbons, Florida; Charles B. Rangel, New York; Fortney Pete Stark, California; Andrew Jacobs, Jr., Indiana; Harold E. Ford, Tennessee; Robert T. Matsui, California; Barbara B. Kennelly, Connecticut; William J. Coyne, Pennsylvania; Sander M. Levin, Michigan; Benjamin L. Cardin, Maryland; Jim McDermott, Washington; Gerald D. Kleczka, Wisconsin; John Lewis, Georgia; L.F. Payne, Virginia; Richard E. Neal, Massachusetts.

¶1.46 COMMITTEE ELECTION—MINORITY

Mr. FAZIO submitted the following privileged resolution, which was considered and agreed to (H. Res. 13):

*Resolved*, That the following named Member be and is hereby elected to the following standing committees:

Committee on Banking and Financial Services: Bernard Sanders of Vermont.

Committee on Government Reform and Oversight: Bernard Sanders of Vermont.

¶1.47 HOUSE PAGE BOARD

The SPEAKER, pursuant to section 127 of Public Law 97-377, appointed to the House of Representatives Page Board, Messrs. EMERSON AND KOLBE.

¶1.48 HOUSE OFFICE BUILDING COMMISSION

The SPEAKER, pursuant to provisions of 40 U.S.C., 175 and 176, appointed to the House Office Building Commission, Mr. ARMEY, to serve with himself and Mr. GEPHARDT.

¶1.49 PERMANENT SELECT COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE

The SPEAKER, pursuant to the provisions of clause 1 of rule XLVIII and clause 6(f) of rule X, appointed as members of the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, the following Members:

Mr. COMBEST, of Texas, Chairman;  
Mr. DORNAN, of California;  
Mr. YOUNG, of Florida;  
Mr. HANSEN, of Utah;  
Mr. LEWIS, of California;  
Mr. GOSS, of Florida;  
Mr. SHUSTER, of Pennsylvania;  
Mr. MCCOLLUM, of Florida;  
Mr. CASTLE, of Delaware;  
Mr. DICKS, of Washington;  
Mr. RICHARDSON, of New Mexico;  
Mr. DIXON, of California;  
Mr. TORRICELLI, of New Jersey;  
Mr. COLEMAN, of Texas;  
Ms. PELOSI, of California; and  
Mr. LAUGHLIN, of Texas.

¶1.50 QUESTION OF ORDER OF THE HOUSE

The SPEAKER, upon consultation with the Minority Leader, announced that the format for recognition for "Morning Hour" debate and restricted special order speeches, which began on February 23, 1994, will continue until February 16, 1995, as outlined below:

On Tuesdays, following legislative business, the Chair may recognize

Members for special order speeches up to midnight, and such speeches may not extend beyond midnight. On all other days of the week, the Chair may recognize Members for special order speeches up to four hours after the conclusion of five-minute special order speeches. Such speeches may not extend beyond the four-hour limit without the permission of the Chair, which may be granted only with advance consultation between the leaderships and notification to the House. However, at no time shall the Chair recognize for any special order speeches beyond midnight.

The Chair will first recognize Members for five-minute special order speeches, alternating initially and subsequently between the parties regardless of the date the order was granted by the House. The Chair will then recognize longer special order speeches. The four-hour limitation will be divided between the majority and minority parties. Each party is entitled to reserve its first hour for respective leaderships or their designees, regardless of the date the order was granted by the House.

The allocation of time within each party's two-hour period (or shorter period if prorated to end by midnight) is to be determined by a list submitted to the Chair by the respective leaderships. Members may not sign up for any special order speeches earlier than one week prior to the special order, and additional guidelines may be established for such sign-ups by the respective leaderships.

Pursuant to clause 9(b)(1) of rule I, the television cameras will not pan the chamber, but a "crawl" indicating Morning Hour or that the House has completed its legislative business and is proceeding with special order speeches will appear on the screen. Other television camera adaptations during this period may be announced by the Chair.

The continuation of this format for recognition by the Speaker is without prejudice to the Speaker's ultimate power of recognition under clause 2 of rule XIV should circumstances so warrant.

¶1.51 DEPUTY CLERK OF THE HOUSE

The SPEAKER laid before the House the following communication, which was read as follows:

OFFICE OF THE CLERK,  
U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
*Washington, DC, January 4, 1995.*  
Hon. NEWT GINGRICH,  
*The Speaker, U.S. House of Representatives,*  
*Washington, DC.*

DEAR MR. SPEAKER. Under Clause 4 of Rule III of the Rules of the U.S. House of Representatives, I herewith designate Ms. Linda Nave, Deputy Clerk, to sign any and all papers and do all other acts for me under the name of the Clerk of the House which she would be authorized to do by virtue of this designation, except such as are provided by statute, in case of my temporary absence or disability.

This designation shall remain in effect for the 104th Congress or until modified by me.

With great respect, I am

Sincerely yours,

ROBIN H. CARLE,

*Clerk, U.S. House of Representatives.*

¶1.52 COMMUNICATIONS

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

1. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting a report of one revised deferral of budgetary resources, totaling \$1.2 billion, pursuant to 2 U.S.C. 685(c) (H. Doc. No. 104-8); to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

2. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting his request to make available appropriations totaling \$32,200,000 in budget authority for the Departments of Housing and Urban Affairs, and Commerce, and to designate these amounts as emergency requirements pursuant to section 251(b)(2)(D)(i) of the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985, as amended, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1107 (H. Doc. No. 104-9); to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

3. A letter from the Comptroller General, the General Accounting Office, transmitting a review of the President's first special impoundment message for fiscal year 1995, pursuant to 2 U.S.C. 685 (H. Doc. No. 104-14); to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

4. A letter from the Controller, Office of the Under Secretary of Defense, transmitting a report of a violation of the Anti-Deficiency Act which occurred in the Department of the Army, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1517(b); to the Committee on Appropriations.

5. A letter from the Comptroller, Office of the Under Secretary of Defense, transmitting a report of a violation of the Anti-Deficiency Act which occurred in the Department of the Air Force, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1517(b); to the Committee on Appropriations.

6. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of Defense, transmitting a copy of the President's Executive order updating the "Manual for Courts-Martial, United States, 1984"; to the Committee on National Security.

7. A letter from the President and Chairman, Export-Import Bank of the United States, transmitting a report involving United States exports to Indonesia, pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 635(b)(3)(i); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

8. A letter from the Secretary of Education, transmitting final priorities—Special Studies Program, pursuant to 20 U.S.C. 1232(d)(1); to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

9. A letter from the Secretary of Education, transmitting final priorities—rehabilitation training programs, pursuant to 20 U.S.C. 1232(d)(1); to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

10. A letter from the Secretary of Education, transmitting final priorities—special demonstrations; and projects with industry, pursuant to 20 U.S.C. 1232(d)(1); to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

11. A letter from the Secretary of Education, transmitting final regulations—William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan Program, pursuant to 20 U.S.C. 1232(d)(1); to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

12. A letter from the Secretary of Education, transmitting final regulations—Federal Perkins Loan Program, Federal Work-Study, and Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant Program, pursuant to 20 U.S.C. 1232(d)(1); to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities.

13. A letter from the Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, transmitting notification concerning to project arrangements to be conducted under the 1992 agreement with Australia on cooperation in radar activities (Transmittal No. 13-94), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2767(f); to the Committee on International Relations.

14. A letter from the Acting Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, transmitting the fiscal year 1994 annual report on the operation of the special defense acquisition fund, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2795b(a); to the Committee on International Relations.

15. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting a report pursuant to section 3 of the AECA concerning the unauthorized transfer of U.S.-origin defense articles, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2314(d); to the Committee on International Relations.

16. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting an unclassified report on the Loan Guarantees to Israel Program and on economic conditions in Israel, pursuant to section 226(k) of the Foreign Assistance Act of 1961, as amended; to the Committee on International Relations.

17. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting the second monthly report on the situation in Haiti, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1541 note; to the Committee on International Relations.

18. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting the third monthly report on the situation in Haiti, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1541 note; to the Committee on International Relations.

19. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting the bi-monthly report on progress toward a negotiated solution of the Cyprus problem, including any relevant reports from the Secretary General of the United Nations, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2373(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

20. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting the final part of his report on the extent to which federally funded international exchange programs share similar objectives, pursuant to section 229(a) of the Foreign Relations Authorization Act, fiscal years 1994 and 1994; to the Committee on International Relations.

21. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting a report on developments since his last report concerning the national emergency with respect to the Governments of Serbia and Montenegro, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1703(c) (H. Doc. No. 104-5); to the Committee on International Relations and ordered to be printed.

22. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting notification that the Libyan emergency is to continue in effect beyond January 7, 1995, pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1622(d) (H. Doc. No. 104-7); to the Committee on International Relations and ordered to be printed.

23. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting a report on the status of efforts to obtain Iraq's compliance with the resolutions adopted by the U.N. Security Council, pursuant to Public Law 102-1, section 3 (105 Stat. 4) (H. Doc. No. 104-11); to the Committee on International Relations and ordered to be printed.

24. A letter from the Assistant Legal Adviser for Treaty Affairs, Department of State, transmitting copies of international agreements, other than treaties, entered into by the United States, pursuant to 1 U.S.C. 112b(a); to the Committee on International Relations.

25. A letter from the Assistant Legal Adviser for Treaty Affairs, Department of State, transmitting copies of international agreements, other than treaties, entered into by the United States, pursuant to 1 U.S.C.

112b(a); to the Committees on International Relations.

26. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the Secretary's certification and justifications that the Republic of Belarus, the Republic of Kazakhstan, the Russian Federation, and Ukraine are committed to the courses of action described in section 1201 of the Cooperative Threat Reduction Act of 1994; to the Committee on International Relations.

27. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting his fourth report on the continuing deployment of a United States Army peacekeeping contingent as part of the U.N. Protection Force (UNPROFOR) in the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia [FYROM], consistent with the War Powers Resolution (H. Doc. No. 104-6); to the Committee on International Relations and ordered to be printed.

28. A letter from the Director, Office of Management and Budget, transmitting OMB estimate of the amount of change in outlays or receipts, as the case may be, in each fiscal year through fiscal year 1999 resulting from passage of H.R. 5110, pursuant to Public Law 101-508, section 13101(a) (104 Stat. 1388-582); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

29. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting his report on the implementation of locality-based comparability payments for General Schedule employees for calendar year 1995, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 5304(d)(3) (H. Doc. No. 104-13); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight and ordered to be printed.

30. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Agriculture, transmitting the semi-annual report of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

31. A letter from the inspector general, Department of Commerce, transmitting the semiannual report on the activities of the inspector general for the period ending September 30, 1994, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

32. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Education, transmitting the semi-annual report of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

33. A letter from the Secretary of Education, transmitting the semiannual report of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

34. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the semiannual report of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, and management report for the same period, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2515, 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

35. A letter from the Secretary, Department of the Interior, transmitting the semi-annual report of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, together with the Secretary's report on audit followup, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

36. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 10-347, "Closing of a Public

Alley in Square 120, S.O. 91-8, Act of 1994," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

37. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 10-344, "Armory Board Interim Authority Temporary Amendment Act of 1994," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

38. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 10-346, "Public Assistance and Day Care Policy Temporary Amendment Act of 1994," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

39. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 10-345, "Prevention of the Spread of the Human Immunodeficiency Virus and Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome Temporary Amendment Act of 1994," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

40. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 10-343, "Qualified Massage Therapists Amendment Act of 1994," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

41. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 10-340, "Medicaid Benefits Protection Act of 1994," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

42. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 10-341, "Respiratory Care Practice Amendment Act of 1994," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

43. A letter from the Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of D.C. Act 10-342, "Moratorium on the Issuance of New Retailer's Licenses Class B Amendment Act of 1994," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 1-233(c)(1); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

44. A letter from the Auditor, District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of a report entitled "Review of the Implementation of Audit Recommendations For the Public Access Corporation of the District of Columbia," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 47-117(d); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

45. A letter from the Auditor, District of Columbia, transmitting a copy of a report entitled "Program Review of the District of Columbia Lottery and Charitable Games Control Board For Fiscal Years 1988 Through 1993," pursuant to D.C. Code, section 47-117(d); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

46. A letter from the Comptroller General, General Accounting Office, transmitting the list of all reports issued or released in November 1994, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 719(h); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

47. A letter from the Chairman, Armed Forces Retirement Home Board, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

48. A letter from the Chairman, Commodity Futures Trading Commission, transmitting the annual report under the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act for fiscal year 1995, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to

the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

49. A letter from the Chief Executive Officer, Corporation for National Service, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

50. A letter from the Chairman, Corporation for Public Broadcasting, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

51. A letter from the Secretary, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

52. A letter from the Secretary, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the semiannual report of activities of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, and the Secretary's semiannual report for the same period, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2515, 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

53. A letter from the Deputy Secretary, Department of Defense, transmitting the semiannual report of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (96 Stat. 750, 102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

54. A letter from the Attorney General, Department of Justice, transmitting the semiannual report of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, and the management report for the same period, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2515, 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

55. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Transportation, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

56. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the semiannual report of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, and the Department's management report for the same period, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526, 2640); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

57. A letter from the Administrator, Environmental Protection Agency, transmitting the semiannual report of the Office of Inspector General covering the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, and the semiannual management report, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

58. A letter from the Chairman, Farm Credit Administration, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

59. A letter from the Federal Housing Finance Board, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Com-

mittee on Government Reform and Oversight.

60. A letter from the Chairman, Federal Trade Commission, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

61. A letter from the Administrator, General Services Administration, transmitting the semiannual report on the activities of the Department's inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, and the management report for the same period, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

62. A letter from the Chairman, International Trade Commission, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

63. A letter from the Chairman, Interstate Commerce Commission, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

64. A letter from the Administrator, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, transmitting the semiannual report on the activities of the inspector general for the period ending September 30, 1994, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

65. A letter from the Acting Archivist, National Archives, transmitting the annual report under the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act for fiscal year 1994, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

66. A letter from the Chairman, National Credit Union Administration, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

67. A letter from the Chairman, National Credit Union Administration, transmitting the annual report under the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act for fiscal year 1994, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

68. A letter from the Chairman, National Endowment for the Arts, transmitting the annual report under the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act for fiscal year 1994, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

69. A letter from the President, National Endowment for Democracy, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

70. A letter from the Chairman, National Labor Relations Board, transmitting the semiannual report of the Office of the Inspector General for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 8E(h)(2) (102 Stat. 2525); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

71. A letter from the Chairman, National Mediation Board, transmitting the 1994 annual report in compliance with the Inspector General Act amendments of 1988, pursuant to

Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

72. A letter from the Chairman, National Science Board, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, through September 30, 1994, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

73. A letter from the Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting the semiannual report of the inspector general for the period of April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, and management response for the same period, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2515, 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

74. A letter from the Director, Peace Corps, transmitting the annual report under the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act for fiscal year 1995, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(C)(3); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

75. A letter from the Director, Peace Corps, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

76. A letter from the Chairman, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting a copy of the annual report in compliance with the Government in the Sunshine Act during the calendar year 1993, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b(j); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

77. A letter from the Chairman, Securities and Exchange Commission, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

78. A letter from the Director, Selective Service System, transmitting the annual report under the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act for fiscal year 1994, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

79. A letter from the Administrator, Small Business Administration, transmitting the semiannual report of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, and the management report on final actions, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

80. A letter from the Secretary, Smithsonian Institution, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

81. A letter from the Executive Director, State Justice Institute, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

82. A letter from the Chairman, Thrift Depositor Protection Oversight Board, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.



83. A letter from the Chairman, U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

84. A letter from the Administrator, U.S. Information Agency, transmitting the semiannual report of the inspector general's activities for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, pursuant to Public Law 99-399, section 412(a); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

85. A letter from the Director, U.S. Information Agency, transmitting the semiannual report of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, pursuant to Public Law 99-399, section 412(a); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

86. A letter from the Chairman, U.S. Merit Systems Protection Board, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

87. A letter from the Director, U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, transmitting the annual report under the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act for fiscal year 1994, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

88. A letter from the Staff Director, U.S. Commission on Civil Rights, transmitting the semiannual report on activities of the inspector general for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, pursuant to Public Law 95-452, section 5(b) (102 Stat. 2526); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

89. A letter from the Chairman, U.S. Commission for the Preservation of America's Heritage Abroad, transmitting the annual report under the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act for fiscal year 1994, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

90. A letter from the Public Printer, U.S. Government Printing Office, transmitting the semiannual report of the Office of Inspector General for the period April 1, 1994, through September 30, 1994, and the management report for the same period, pursuant to 44 U.S.C. 3903 (102 Stat. 2531); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

91. A letter from the Director, U.S. Soldiers' & Airmen's Home, transmitting the annual report under the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act for fiscal 1994, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

92. A letter from the Director, Woodrow Wilson Center, transmitting the annual report under the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act for fiscal year 1994, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

93. A letter from the Clerk of the House, transmitting a list of reports pursuant to clause 2, rule III of the Rules of the House of Representatives (H. Doc. No. 104-15); to the Committee on House Oversight and ordered to be printed.

94. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting a report on standards for assessing and enhancing the seismic safety of existing buildings constructed for or leased by the Federal Government, pursuant to Public Law 101-614, section 8 (104 Stat. 3237); to the Committee on Science.

95. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting a report concerning emigration laws and policies of the Republic of Bulgaria, pursuant to 19 U.S.C. 2432(b) (H. Doc. No. 104-10); to the

Committee on Ways and Means and ordered to be printed.

96. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting a report concerning emigration laws and policies of the Russian Federation, pursuant to 19 U.S.C. 2432(b) (H. Doc. No. 104-12); to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered to be printed.

97. A letter from the Acting Secretary, Department of the Treasury; transmitting the U.S. Government annual report for the fiscal year ended September 30, 1994, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 331(c); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

98. A letter from the Director, Office of Management and Budget, transmitting OMB's final sequestration report to the President and Congress for fiscal year 1995, pursuant to Public Law 101-508, section 13101(a) (104 Stat. 1388-587); to the Committee on the Whole House on the State of the Union.

#### ¶1.53 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to Ms. BROWN of Florida, after 10:15 p.m. today.

And then,

#### ¶1.54 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. SOLOMON, at 2 o'clock and 24 minutes a.m., Thursday, January 5 (Legislative Day of Wednesday, January 4), 1995, the House adjourned.

#### ¶1.55 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 Stat. 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.

#### ¶1.56 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. MILLER of California: Committee on Natural Resources. Legislative and review activities of the Committee on Natural Resources during the 103d Congress (Rept. No. 103-890). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

#### ¶1.57 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. SHAYS, Mr. GOODLING, and Mr. THOMAS (for themselves, and Mr. MCHALE, Mr. HOYER, Mr. DICKEY,

Mr. HAMILTON, Mrs. FOWLER, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. FAWELL, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. TORKILSDEN, Mr. MCKEON, Mr. ALLARD, Mr. ARCHER, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. BAKER of Louisiana, Mr. BAKER of California, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. BARR, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. BEREUTER, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. BILLEY, Mr. BLUTE, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. BONILLA, Mr. BONO, Mr. BRYANT of Tennessee, Mr. BUNN of Oregon, Mr. BUNNING of Kentucky, Mr. BURR, Mr. BUYER, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. CAMP, Mr. CANADY, Mr. CASTLE, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. CHRYSLER, Mr. CLINGER, Mr. COBLE, Mr. COBURN, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. COX, Mr. CRANE, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. CREMEANS, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. DAVIS, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. DREIER, Ms. DUNN of Washington, Mr. EHRlich, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. EWING, Mr. FLANAGAN, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, Mr. FRANKS of Connecticut, Mr. FRISA, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. GANSKE, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. GOSS, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mr. HANCOCK, Mr. HEFLEY, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. HORN, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. SAM JOHNSON, Mr. JONES, Mr. KASICH, Mr. KIM, Mr. KING, Mr. KLUG, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. LAZIO of New York, Mr. LEACH, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. LIGHTFOOT, Mr. LINDER, Mr. LIVINGSTON, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. LONGLEY, Mr. LUCAS, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. MCDADE, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. MCINNIS, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. MARTINI, Mrs. MEYERS of Kansas, Mr. MICA, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Ms. MOLINARI, Mr. MOORHEAD, Mrs. MORELLA, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. NEY, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. NUSSLE, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. PAXON, Mr. PETRI, Mr. PORTER, Ms. PRYCE, Mr. QUILLEN, Mr. QUINN, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. REGULA, Mr. RIGGS, Mr. ROBERTS, Mr. ROHRABACHER, Mr. ROTH, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. SKEEN, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. STUMP, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mrs. VUCANOVICH, Mr. WAMP, Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. BRYANT of Texas, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. CONDIT, Ms. DANNER, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. FILNER, Mr. GORDON, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. JOHNSON of South Dakota, Mr. JOHNSTON of Florida, Mr. KLINK, Mr. LAFALCE, Mrs. MALONEY, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. ORTON, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. POMBO, Mr. POSHARD, Mr. REED, Mr. ROEMER, Mr. SCHUMER, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. STENHOLM, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. FORBES, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. ROSE, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. PARKER, Mr. SCHAEFER, and Mr. UPTON:

H.R. 1. A bill to make certain laws applicable to the legislative branch of the Federal Government; to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities, and in addition to the Committees on House Oversight, Government Reform and Oversight, Rules, and the Judiciary, 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. CLINGER, Mr. BLUTE, Mr. NEUMANN, and Mr. PARKER (for themselves, Mr. ALLARD, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. BAKER of California, Mr. BUNNING, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. BARR, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. BONO, Mr. BRYANT of Tennessee, Mr. BROWNBACK, Mr. BURR, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. CALLAHAN, Mr. CAMP, Mr. CANADY, Mr. CASTLE, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. CHRYSLER, Mr. COBURN, Mr. COLLINS of Georgia, Ms. COLLINS of Michigan, Mr. COOLEY, Mr. COX, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. CREMEANS, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Ms. DANNER, Mr. DAVIS, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. DORNAN, Mr. DREIER, Ms. DUNN, Mr. EMERSON, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. EWING, Mr. FAWELL, Mr. FLANAGAN, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. FORBES, Mrs. FOWLER, Mr. FOX, Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, Mr. FRISA, Mr. GANSKE, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. GOODLING, Mr. GOSS, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. GUNDERSON, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. HANCOCK, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. HEINEMAN, Mr. HERGER, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. HOBSON, Mr. HOKE, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. HORN, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. ISTOOK, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. JONES, Mr. KIM, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. LATHAM, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. LAZIO, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. LIGHTFOOT, Mr. LINDER, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. LONGLEY, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. MICA, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Ms. MOLINARI, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. NUSSLE, Mr. OXLEY, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. POMBO, Mr. PORTMAN, Mr. QUILLEN, Mr. QUINN, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. RIGGS, Mr. ROTH, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. SANFORD, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. SCHAEFER, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. SHAW, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. STOCKMAN, Mr. STUMP, Mr. TALENT, Mr. TATE, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. UPTON, Mrs. WALDHOLTZ, Mr. WAMP, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. WICKER, Mr. WELLER, Mr. ZELIFF, Mr. ZIMMER, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. PAXON, Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. COBLE, Mr. EHRlich, and Mrs. MEYERS of Kansas):

H.R. 2. A bill to give the President item veto authority over appropriation acts and targeted tax benefits in revenue acts; to the committee on Government Reform and Oversight, 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. MCCOLLUM, Mr. CANADY, Mr. BARR, and Mr. BREWSTER (for themselves, Mr. ALLARD, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. BAKER of California, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. BLILEY, Mr. BLUTE, Mr. BONO, Mr. BUNNING, Mr. BURR, Mr. CALLAHAN, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. CAMP, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. CHRYSLER, Mr. CLINGER, Mr. COBURN, Mr. COOLEY, Mr. CREMEANS, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. DAVIS, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. DORNAN, Ms. DUNN, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. EMERSON, Mr. EWING, Mr. EVERETT,

Mr. FLANAGAN, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. FORBES, Mrs. FOWLER, Mr. FOX, Mr. FRISA, Mr. GANSKE, Mr. GILCHREST, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. GORDON, Mr. GOSS, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. HANCOCK, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. HEINEMAN, Mr. HERGER, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. HOBSON, Mr. HOKE, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. JONES, Mr. KIM, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. LATHAM, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. LIGHTFOOT, Mr. LINDER, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. MICA, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Ms. MOLINARI, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. NUSSLE, Mr. OXLEY, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. POMBO, Mr. QUINN, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. RIGGS, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. ROTH, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. SHAW, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. STOCKMAN, Mr. STUMP, Mr. TATE, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. TIAHRT, Mrs. WALDHOLTZ, Mr. WAMP, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. WELLER, Mr. WICKER, Mr. ZIMMER, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. PAXON, Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. COBLE, Mr. EHRlich, Mrs. MEYERS of Kansas, and Mr. HUNTER):

H.R. 3. A bill to control crime; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SHAW, Mr. TALENT, and Mr. LATOURETTE (for themselves, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. JONES, Mr. TIAHRT, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. ENSIGN, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. GANSKE, Mr. EWING, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. COBURN, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. BUNNING, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. LIGHTFOOT, Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. HOBSON, Mr. CREMEANS, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. FOX, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. ROTH, Mr. WAMP, Mr. GOODLING, Mr. GILCHREST, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. BLILEY, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. STUMP, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. DORNAN, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. FORBES, Mr. LINDER, Mr. BLUTE, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. COOLEY, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. CLINGER, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. CALLAHAN, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. CHRYSLER, Mr. CAMP, Mr. HANCOCK, Mr. NUSSLE, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. MCCRERY, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. BAKER of Louisiana, Mr. COLLINS of Georgia, Mr. ARCHER, Mr. THOMAS, Mr. HERGER, Mr. SAM JOHNSON, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. STOCKMAN, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mr. BAKER of California, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. HEINEMAN, Mrs. FOWLER, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. FLANAGAN, Mr. BURR, Mr. LATHAM, Ms. MOLINARI, Mr. GUNDERSON, Mr. RIGGS, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. ALLARD, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. WICKER, Mr. BONO, Mr. FRISA, Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. CANADY, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. BARR, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. HORN, Ms. DUNN, Mr. TATE, Mr. MICA, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. PAXON, Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. COBLE, and Mr. EHRlich):

H.R. 4. A bill to restore the American family, reduce illegitimacy, control welfare spending, and reduce welfare dependence:

Title I, referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services, 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;

Title II, referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on Economic and Educational Opportunities, 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;

Title III, referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Banking and Financial Services, Economic and Educational Opportunities, the Budget, 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;

Title IV, referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Banking and Financial Services, Commerce, Economic and Educational Opportunities, the Judiciary, 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;

Title V, referred to the Committee on Agriculture, and in addition to the Committees on Economic and Educational Opportunities and the Judiciary, 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;

Title VI-VII, referred to the Committee on Ways and Means; and

Title VIII, referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Agriculture, Budget, Economic and Educational Opportunities, Banking and Financial Services, Commerce, Agriculture, the Judiciary, 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. CLINGER, Mr. PORTMAN, Mr. CONDIT, and Mr. DAVIS (for themselves, and Mr. SHAYS, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. MICA, Mr. HORN, Mr. ZELIFF, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. SCHIFF, Mr. BLUTE, Mr. FOX, Mr. WALSH and Mr. CUNNINGHAM):

H.R. 5. A bill to curb the practice of imposing unfunded Federal mandates on States and local governments, to ensure that the Federal Government pays the costs incurred by those governments in complying with certain requirements under Federal statutes and regulations, and to provide information on the cost of Federal mandates on the private sector, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight, and in addition to the Committees on Rules, the Budget, and the Judiciary, 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. CRANE, Mr. NUSSLE, and Mr. SALMON (for themselves, Mr. ALLARD, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. BAKER of California, Mr. BAKER of Louisiana, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. BARR, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. BLILEY, Mr. BLUTE, Mr. BONO, Mr. BUNNING, Mr. BURR, Mr. CALLAHAN, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. CAMP, Mr. CANADY, Mr.

CREMEANS, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. CHRYSLER, Mr. COBURN, Mr. COOLEY, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. DORNAN, Ms. DUNN, Mr. EMERSON, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. EWING, Mr. FLANAGAN, Mr. FOLEY, Mrs. FOWLER, Mr. FORBES, Mr. FOX, Mr. FRISA, Mr. GANSKE, Mr. GILCREST, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. GOODLING, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. GUNDERSON, Mr. HANCOCK, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. HEINEMAN, Mr. HERGER, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. HOBSON, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. ISTOOK, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. JONES, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. LATHAM, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. LIGHTFOOT, Mr. LINDER, Mr. LONGLEY, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. MICA, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Ms. MOLINARI, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. RIGGS, Mr. ROTH, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. SHAW, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. STOCKMAN, Mr. STUMP, Mr. TALENT, Mr. TATE, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. THOMAS, Mr. TIAHRT, Mrs. WALDHOLTZ, Mr. WAMP, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. WELLER, Mr. WICKER, Mr. ZIMMER, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. PAXON, Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Mr. BROWNBACK, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. COBLE, Mr. EHRLICH, and Mrs. MEYERS of Kansas);

H.R. 6. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide a tax credit for families, to reform the marriage penalty, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. SPENCE, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. BRYANT of Tennessee, Mr. HAYES (for themselves, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. DORNAN, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. TORKILDSEN, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. LONGLEY, Mr. CALLAHAN, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. HOKE, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. FUNDERBURK, Mr. CLINGER, Mr. KIM, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. POMBO, Mr. NUSSLE, Mr. CRANE, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. PAXON, Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. COBLE, Mr. EHRLICH, Mrs. MEYERS of Kansas, Mr. STOCKMAN, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mr. BAKER of California, Mr. COX, Mr. SHAW, Mr. HERGER, Mr. HEINEMAN, Mrs. FOWLER, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. HANCOCK, Mr. ZIMMER, Mr. LINDER, Mr. EMERSON, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. JONES, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. TIAHRT, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, Mr. EWING, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. GANSKE, Mr. COBURN, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. WELLER, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. BUNNING, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. LIGHTFOOT, Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. HOBSON, Mr. CREMEANS, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. GOODLING, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. FOX, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. WAMP, Mr. GILCREST, Mr. BLUTE, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. BLILEY, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. STUMP, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. FLANAGAN, Mr.

BURR, Ms. MOLINARI, Mr. GUNDERSON, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. RIGGS, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. WICKER, Mr. BONO, Mr. COOLEY, Mr. FRISA, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. SHADEGG, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. CHRYSLER, Mr. CANADY, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. BARR, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. FORBES, Mrs. WALDHOLTZ, Mr. TATE, Ms. DUNN, Mr. MICA, and Mr. MCHUGH);

H.R. 7. A bill to revitalize the national security of the United States:

Title I, referred to the Committee on International Relations, and in addition to the Committee on 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;

Title II, referred to the Committee on National Security;

Title III, referred to the Committee on National Security, and in addition to the Committee on International Relations, 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;

Section 401, referred to the Committee on National Security; and in addition to the Committee on International Relations, 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;

Section 402, referred to the Committee on International Relations;

Title V, referred to the Committee on International Relations, and in addition to the Committee on National Security and the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, 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;

Title VI, referred to the Committee on International Relations; and

Title VII, referred to the Committee on the Budget.

By Mr. BUNNING, Mr. HASTERT, Mrs. KELLY, and Mrs. THURMAN (for themselves, Mr. WICKER, Mr. HOKE, Mr. FRISA, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. SHADEGG, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. CHRYSLER, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. CANADY, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. BARR, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. FORBES, Mr. HORN, Mrs. WALDHOLTZ, Mr. TATE, Ms. DUNN, Mr. MICA, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. CRANE, Mr. DORNAN, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. OXLEY, Mr. ROHRABACHER, Ms. DANNER, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. KIM, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. CALLAHAN, Mr. TALENT, Mr. BAKER of Louisiana, Mr. SCHAEFER, Mr. FILNER, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. PAXON, Mr. THOMAS, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. COBLE, Mr. EHRLICH, Mrs. MEYERS of Kansas, Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Mr. GOSS, Mr. STOCKMAN, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mr. COX, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. BAKER of California, Mr. SHAW, Mr. HERGER, Mr. HEINEMAN, Mr. HANCOCK, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mrs. FOWLER, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. ZIMMER, Mr. LINDER, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. EMERSON, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. JONES, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. TIAHRT, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. EWING, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr.

GANSKE, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. COBURN, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. WELLER, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. LIGHTFOOT, Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. HOBSON, Mr. CREMEANS, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. FOX, Mr. GOODLING, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. ROTH, Mr. WAMP, Mr. GILCREST, Mr. BLUTE, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. CAMP, Mr. UPTON, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. STUMP, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. FLANAGAN, Mr. BURR, Mr. LATHAM, Mr. DAVIS, Ms. MOLINARI, Mr. GUNDERSON, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. RIGGS, Mr. PORTER, Mr. ALLARD, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. COOLEY, and Mr. BONO);

H.R. 8. A bill to amend the Social Security Act to increase the earnings limit, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the increase in the tax on social security benefits and to provide incentives for the purchase of long-term care insurance, and for other purposes;

Titles I-III, referred to the Committee on Ways and Means; and

Title IV, referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. ARCHER, Mr. DELAY, Mr. SAXTON, and Mrs. SMITH of Washington (for themselves, Mr. TAUZIN, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. DORNAN, Mr. ROHRABACHER, Mr. BLUTE, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. LINDER, Mr. KIM, Mr. MICA, Mr. BACHUS, Ms. DANNER, Mr. HOKE, Mr. CLINGER, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. CALLAHAN, Mr. SHAW, Mr. NUSSLE, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. COX, Mr. STOCKMAN, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mr. BAKER of California, Mr. HERGER, Mr. HEINEMAN, Mrs. FOWLER, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. HANCOCK, Mr. TALENT, Mr. EMERSON, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. JONES, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. MYRICK, Mr. EWING, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. GANSKE, Mr. SCHAEFER, Mr. BAKER of Louisiana, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. COBURN, Mr. WELLER, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. BUNNING, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. LIGHTFOOT, Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. HOBSON, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. FOX, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. ROTH, Mr. WAMP, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. BLILEY, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. FLANAGAN, Mr. LATHAM, Ms. MOLINARI, Mr. GUNDERSON, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. RIGGS, Mr. ALLARD, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. SANFORD, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. COOLEY, Mr. WICKER, Mr. BONO, Mr. FRISA, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. SHADEGG, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. CHRYSLER, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. CANADY, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. GOODLING, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. BARR, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. FORBES, Mrs. WALDHOLTZ, Mr. TATE, Ms. DUNN, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. PAXON, Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. COBLE, Mr. EHRLICH, and Mrs. MEYERS of Kansas);

H.R. 9. A bill to create jobs, enhance wages, strengthen property rights, maintain certain economic liberties, decentralize and reduce the power of the Federal Government with respect to the States, localities, and

citizens of the United States, and to increase the accountability of Federal officials:

Titles I-II, referred to the Committee on Ways and Means;

Title III, referred to the Committee on Science, and in addition to the Committees on Commerce and Government Reform and Oversight, 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;

Title IV, referred to the Committee on the Budget, and in addition to the Committees on Rules, Government Reform and Oversight, and the Judiciary, 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;

Title V, referred to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight;

Title VI-IX, referred to the Committee on the Judiciary;

Title X, referred to the Committee on the Budget, and in addition to the Committees on Government Reform and Oversight, Rules, and the Judiciary, 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;

Title XI, referred 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; and

Title XII, referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. HYDE, Mr. RAMSTAD, Ms. CHENOWETH, and Mr. CONDIT (for themselves, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. ALLARD, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. BAKER of California, Mr. BAKER of Louisiana, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. BLILEY, Mr. BLUTE, Mr. BONO, Mr. BUNNING, Mr. BURR, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. CALLAHAN, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. CAMP, Mr. CANADY, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. CHRYSLER, Mr. CLINGER, Mr. COBURN, Mr. COOLEY, Mr. COX, Mr. CRANE, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. DAVIS, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. DORNAN, Ms. DUNN, Mr. EMERSON, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. EWING, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. FORBES, Mrs. FOWLER, Mr. FOX, Mr. FRISA, Mr. GANSKE, Mr. GILCHREST, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. GOODLING, Mr. GUNDERSON, Mr. HANCOCK, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. HEINEMAN, Mr. HERGER, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. HOBSON, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. JONES, Mr. KIM, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. LIGHTFOOT, Mr. LINDER, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. MICA, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Ms. MOLINARI, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. NUSSLE, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. PORTER, Mr. PORTMAN, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. RIGGS, Mr. ROHRABACHER, Mr. ROTH, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. SANFORD, Mr. SCHAEFER, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. SHAW, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. STOCKMAN, Mr. STUMP, Mr. TALENT, Mr. TATE, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. TEJEDA, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. UPTON, Mrs. WALDHOLTZ, Mr. WAMP, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. ZIMMER, Mr.

CRAPO, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. PAXON, Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. EHRLICH, and Mrs. MEYERS of Kansas):

H.R. 10. A bill to reform the Federal civil justice system; to reform product liability law;

Title I, referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, 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; and

Title II, referred to the Committee on Commerce, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, 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. VUCANOVICH, Mr. THOMAS, and Mr. WELLER (for themselves, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. CRANE, Mr. FORBES, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. ROHRABACHER, Mr. DORNAN, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. BLUTE, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. ZIMMER, Mr. LINDER, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. COOLEY, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. HOKE, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. KIM, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. CALLAHAN, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. CHRYSLER, Mr. HANCOCK, Mr. NUSSLE, Mr. BAKER of Louisiana, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. STOCKMAN, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mr. BAKER of California, Mr. SHAW, Mr. HERGER, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mrs. FOWLER, Mr. EMERSON, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. HEINEMAN, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. JONES, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. TIAHRT, Mrs. MYRICK, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. EWING, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. GANSKE, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. COBURN, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. BUNNING, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. LIGHTFOOT, Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. CREMEANS, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. SCHAEFER, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. FOX, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. GOODLING, Mr. WAMP, Mr. GILCHREST, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. BLILEY, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. CAMP, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. STUMP, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. FLANAGAN, Mr. BURR, Mr. LATHAM, Ms. MOLINARI, Mr. GUNDERSON, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. RIGGS, Mr. ALLARD, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. WICKER, Mr. BONO, Mr. FRISA, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. TALENT, Mr. SHADEGG, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. CANADY, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. BARTON of Texas, Mr. BARR, Mr. ARMEY, Mrs. WALDHOLTZ, Mr. TATE, Ms. DUNN, Mr. MICA, Mr. MCHUGH, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. ROTH, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. PAXON, Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Mr. COBLE, Mr. EHRLICH, and Mrs. MEYERS of Kansas):

H.R. 11. A bill to strengthen the rights of parents:

Titles I-II, referred to the Committee on Ways and Means;

Title III, referred to the Committee on the Judiciary;

Title IV, referred to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight; and

Title V, referred to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committee on the Judiciary, 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. BARTON of Texas, Mr. HYDE, Mr. TATE, and Mr. PETE GEREN of

Texas (for themselves, Mr. ALLARD, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. MICA, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. BAKER of California, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. BARR, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. BLUTE, Mr. BONILLA, Mr. BONO, Mr. BROWNBACK, Mr. BUNNING, Mr. BURR, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. CAMP, Mr. CANADY, Mr. CASTLE, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. CHRYSLER, Mr. COBURN, Mr. COLLINS of Georgia, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. COOLEY, Mr. COX, Mr. CRANE, Mr. CREMEANS, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Ms. DANNER, Mr. DORNAN, Mr. DUNCAN, Ms. DUNN, Mr. EMERSON, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. EWING, Mr. FAWELL, Mr. FLANAGAN, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. FORBES, Mrs. FOWLER, Mr. FOX, Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, Mr. FRISA, Mr. GANSKE, Mr. GEKAS, Mr. GILCHREST, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. GOODLING, Mr. GOSS, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mr. HANCOCK, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. HEINEMAN, Mr. HERGER, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. HOBSON, Mr. HORN, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina, Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. SAM JOHNSON, Mr. JONES, Mr. KIM, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. LATHAM, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. LEACH, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. LIGHTFOOT, Mr. LINDER, Mr. LOBIONDO, Mr. LUCAS, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. MCCRERY, Ms. MOLINARI, Mrs. MEYERS of Kansas, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. MOORHEAD, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. NEUMANN, Mr. NUSSLE, Mr. OXLEY, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. POMBO, Mr. PORTMAN, Ms. PRYCE, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. QUILLLEN, Mr. QUINN, Mr. RIGGS, Mr. ROTH, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. SANFORD, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. SCHAEFER, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. SHADEGG, Mr. SHAW, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. SPENCE, Mr. STEARS, Mr. STOCKMAN, Mr. STUMP, Mr. TALENT, Mr. TAUZIN, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. TIAHRT, Mrs. WALDHOLTZ, Mr. WAMP, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. WELLER, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. WICKER, Mr. ZIMMER, Mr. CRAPO, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. PAXON, Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Mr. COBLE, and Mr. EHRLICH):

H.J. Res. 1. Joint resolution proposing a balanced budget amendment to the Constitution of the United States; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, and Mr. LOBIONDO (for themselves, and Mr. LIGHTFOOT, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. ALLARD, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. BAKER of California, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. BARCIA of Michigan, Mr. BARR, Mr. BARRETT of Nebraska, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, Mr. BASS, Mr. BERREUTER, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. BLILEY, Mr. BLUTE, Mr. BONILLA, Mr. BROWNBACK, Mr. BRYANT of Tennessee, Mr. BUNNING, Mr. BURR, Mr. BUYER, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. CAMP, Mr. CANADY, Mr. CHAMBLISS, Mr. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. COBLE, Mr. COLLINS of Georgia, Mr. COOLEY, Mr. CRANE, Mr. CREMEANS, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. DEAL, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mr. DICKEY,

Mr. DOOLITTLE, Ms. DUNN, Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. EWING, Mr. FIELDS of Texas, Mr. FLANAGAN, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. FORBES, Mr. FOX, Mr. FRANKS of Connecticut, Mr. FRISA, Mr. FUNDERBURK, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. GANSKE, Mr. GEKAS, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. GOSS, Mr. GRAHAM, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. GUNDERSON, Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mr. HANCOCK, Ms. HARMAN, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. HOBSON, Mr. HOEKSTRA, Mr. HOKE, Mr. HORN, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. INGLES of South Carolina, Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. SAM JOHNSON, Mr. KIM, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. KLUG, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. LATHAM, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. LAZIO, Mr. LEACH, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, Mr. LINDER, Mr. LUCAS, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. MCKEON, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. METCALF, Mr. MICA, Mr. MILLER of Florida, Mr. MINGE, Mrs. MYRICK, Mr. NEUMANN, Mr. NEY, Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. NUSSLE, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. PAXON, Mr. POMBO, Mr. PORTMAN, Ms. PRYCE, Mr. QUINN, Mr. RAMSTAD, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. RIGGS, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. ROYCE, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. SCARBOROUGH, Mr. SCHAEFER, Ms. SEASTRAND, Mr. SHAD-EGG, Mr. SHAW, Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. SOLOMON, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. STOCKMAN, Mr. STUMP, Mr. TALENT, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. TORKILDSEN, Mr. UPTON, Mrs. WALDHOLTZ, Mr. WAMP, Mr. WELLER, Mr. WHITE, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. WILSON, Mr. ZELIFF, Mr. ZIMMER, and Mr. MCINNIS):

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-