\$23.1 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Wednesday, February 8, 1995.

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

\$23.2 COMMUNICATIONS

Executive and other communications, pursuant to clause 2, rule XXIV. were referred as follows:

354. A letter from the Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, transmitting the Department of the Army's proposed lease of defense articles to the United Nations for use in Rwanda (Transmittal No. 12-95), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2796a(a); to the Committee on International Relations.

355. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting the fourth monthly report on the situation in Haiti, pursuant to section 3 of Public Law 103-423; to the Committee on International Relations.

356. A letter from the Director, U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, transmitting the Agency's report entitled, "Arms Control Negotiating and Implementation Records," pursuant to section 713(b) of Public Law 103-236; to the Committee on International Relations.

357. A letter from the Executive Director, Pennsylvania Avenue Development Corporation, transmitting a report of activities under the Freedom of Information Act for calendar year 1994, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(d): to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

358. A letter from the Director, U.S. Office of Personnel Management, transmitting the Biennial Report to the Congress on the Senior Executive Service, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 3135 and 5 U.S.C. 4314(d); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

359. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Commerce, transmitting the 1994 annual report of the Visiting Committee on Advanced Technology of the National Institute of Standards and Technology [NIST], U.S. Department of Commerce, pursuant to Public Law 100-418, section 5131(b) (102 Stat. 1443); to the Committee on Science.

360. A letter from the Director, U.S. Office of Personnel Management, transmitting the Office's report to Congress on locality pay for officers of the Secret Service Uniformed Division and the Bureau of Engraving and Printing Police Force; jointly, to the Committees on Appropriations and Government Reform and Oversight.

¶23.3 PROVIDING FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 667

Mr. QUILLEN, by direction of the Committee on Rules, called up the following resolution (H. Res. 63):

Resolved, That 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. 667) to control crime by incarcerating violent criminals. The first reading of the bill shall be dispensed with. All points of order against consideration of the bill for failure to comply with clause 2(1)(2)(B) or clause 2(1)(6) of rule XI are waived. General debate shall be confined to the bill and shall not exceed one hour equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on the Judiciary. After general debate the bill shall be considered for amendment under the five-minute rule for a

period not to exceed ten hours. It shall be in order to consider as an original bill for the purpose of amendment under the five-minute rule the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on the Judiciary now printed in the bill. The committee amendment in the nature of a substitute shall be considered as read. Points of order against the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute for failure to comply with clause 7 of rule XCI or clause 5(a) of rule XXI are waived. During consideration of the bill for amendment, the chairman of the Committee of the Whole may accord priority in recognition on the basis of whether the Member offering an amendment has caused it to be printed in the portion of the Congressional Record designated for that purpose in clause 6 of rule XXIII. Amendments so printed shall be considered as read. At the conclusion of consideration of the hill 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 or to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute. The previous question shall be considered as ordered on the bill and amendments thereto to final passage without intervening motion except one motion to recommit with or without instructions.

When said resolution was considered. After debate.

On motion of Mr. QUILLEN, the previous question was ordered on the resolution to its adoption or rejection and under the operation thereof, 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

\$23.4 VIOLENT CRIMINAL INCARCERATION

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. COMBEST, pursuant to House Resolution 63 and rule XXIII, declared the House resolved into the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union for the consideration of the bill (H.R. 667) to control crime by incarcerating violent criminals.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. COMBEST, by unanimous consent, designated Mr. KOLBE as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole; and after some time spent therein,

\$23.5 RECORDED VOTE

A recorded vote by electronic device was ordered in the Committee of the Whole on the following amendment submitted by Mr. CHAPMAN:

Page 2, after line 3, insert the following: SEC. 2. CONDITION FOR GRANTS.

(a) STATE COMPLIANCE.—The provisions of title V of the Violent Crime Control and Law Enforcement Act of 1994, as amended by this Act, shall not take effect until 50 percent or more of the States have met the requirements of 503(b) of such Act.

(b) REPORT.-Beginning in fiscal year 1996, the Attorney General shall submit a report to the Congress not later than February 1 of each fiscal year regarding the number of States that have met the requirements of section 503(b) of the Violent Crime Control and Law Enforcement Act of 1994, as amended by this Act.

(c) EFFECTIVE DATE.-Beginning on the first day of the first fiscal year after the Attorney General has filed a report that certifies that 50 percent or more of the States have met the requirements of section 503(b) of the Violent Crime Control and Law Enforcement Act of 1994, as amended by this Act, title V of such Act shall become effective.

(d) PRISONS.—Until the requirements of this section are met, title II of the Violent Crime Control and Law Enforcement Act of 1994 shall remain in effect as such title was in effect on the day preceding the date of the enactment of this Act.

It was decided in the Yeas 169 negative 261

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