

tions were introduced and severally referred as follows:

By Mr. DEFAZIO:

H.R. 1088. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide that the employment taxes shall not apply to amounts paid by certain State funds as compensation for unpaid wages; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. CREMEANS:

H.R. 1089. A bill to ensure that the acquisition of lands for inclusion in the National Forest System does not result in reduced property tax revenues for the county in which the acquired lands are located; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. BILIRAKIS:

H.R. 1090. A bill to provide a minimum survivor annuity for the unmarried surviving spouses of retired members of the Armed Forces who died before having an opportunity to participate in the survivor benefit plan; to the Committee on National Security.

By Mr. BLILEY (for himself, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. BATEMAN, and Mr. WOLF):

H.R. 1091. A bill to improve the National Park System in the Commonwealth of Virginia; to the Committee on Resources.

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

H.R. 1092. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide that the depreciation rules which apply for regular tax purposes also shall apply for alternative minimum tax purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. DE LA GARZA (for himself, Mr. HOLDEN, Mr. FARR, Mr. BROWN of California, Mr. PASTOR, and Mr. STENHOLM):

H.R. 1093. A bill entitled "Food Stamp Program Integrity Act of 1995"; to the Committee on Agriculture, and in addition to the Committees on Ways and Means, 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. DURBIN (for himself, Mr. SKEEN, and Mr. GUNDERSON):

H.R. 1094. A bill to amend the Food Stamp Act of 1977 to reduce fraud by establishing forfeiture applicable to property exchanged, used in, or resulting from trafficking in food stamp benefits; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. FIELDS of Louisiana:

H.R. 1095. A bill to establish a State system of licensing or registering persons engaged in a business which regularly and primarily charges fees for cashing checks, and to provide for insured financial depository institutions to cash checks issued by States of the United States; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. FRANKS of Connecticut:

H.R. 1096. A bill to assure compliance with the guarantees of the 5th, 14th, and 15th amendment to the Constitution by prohibiting the intentional creation of legislative districts based on race, color, or language minority status of voters within such districts; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. GRAHAM (for himself, Mr. TAUZIN, Mr. BALLENGER, Mr. JONES, and Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina):

H.R. 1097. A bill to terminate the Office of the Surgeon General of the Public Health Service; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. HEFLEY (for himself, Mr. HERGER, and Mr. FIELDS of Texas):

H.R. 1098. A bill to provide for the elimination of the Department of Housing and Urban Development, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services, 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. HOUGHTON (for himself, Mr. BREWSTER, Mr. SHAW, and Mr. JACOBS):

H.R. 1099. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to limit the applicability of the generation-skipping transfer tax; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. MALONEY (for herself, Mr. JOHNSON of South Dakota, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. TORRICELLI, Ms. RIVERS, Ms. LOWEY, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. SERRANO, Ms. WOOLSEY, and Mr. FATTAH):

H.R. 1100. A bill to establish a temporary commission to recommend reforms in the laws relating to elections for Federal office; to the Committee on House 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. MORAN (for himself, Mr. DAVIS, and Mrs. MORELLA):

H.R. 1101. A bill to abolish the Board of Review of the Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. PETRI (for himself, Mr. OBEY, Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. ROTH, Mr. GUNDERSON, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. KLUG, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, and Mr. NEUMANN):

H.R. 1102. A bill to amend the Federal Water Pollution Control Act to reserve a portion of the funds made available for capitalization grants for water pollution control revolving funds for the purpose of making grants to States that set aside amounts of State funds for water pollution control in excess of the amounts required under such act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. POMBO (for himself, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. FOLEY, Mrs. THURMAN, Mr. PASTOR, and Mr. FARR):

H.R. 1103. A bill entitled "Amendments to the Perishable Agricultural Commodities Act, 1930"; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. SANFORD (for himself, Mr. DEAL of Georgia and Mrs. CHENOWETH):

H.R. 1104. A bill to protect and enforce the equal privileges and immunities of citizens of the United States and the constitutional rights of the people to choose Senators and Representatives in Congress; to the Committee on House Oversight.

By Mr. SCHUMER:

H.R. 1105. A bill to amend the Truth in Lending Act to require additional disclosures with respect to credit card accounts, to require a study of the competitiveness of the credit card industry, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mr. STUDDS:

H.R. 1106. A bill to deauthorize a portion of the project for navigation, Falmouth, MA, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. VISCLOSKEY:

H.R. 1107. A bill to direct the Secretary of the Army to develop a watershed management plan for the Lake George area of Indiana, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. McNULTY (for himself and Mr. SHAYS):

H.J. Res. 71. Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States repealing the 22d article of

amendment, thereby removing the restrictions on the number of terms an individual may serve as President; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. OBERSTAR (for himself, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, and Mr. SMITH of New Jersey):

H.J. Res. 72. Joint resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States with respect to the right to life; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SANFORD (for himself, Mr. KLUG, Mr. BROWNBACK, Mr. ENSIGN, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. SALMON, Mr. DAVIS, Mr. STOCKMAN, Mr. COOLEY, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. BRYANT of Tennessee, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. NEUMANN, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. LATHAM, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. GRAHAM, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. GANSKE, and Mr. HOSTETTLER):

H. Res. 102. Resolution requiring the transfer to private sector providers of responsibility for certain administrative and maintenance entities and functions of the House of Representatives, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Rules, and in addition to the Committee on House 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.

¶35.26 PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 1 of rule XXII,

Mr. ROTH introduced a bill (H.R. 1108) to authorize the Secretary of Transportation to issue a certificate of documentation with appropriate endorsement for employment in the coastwise trade and on the Great Lakes and their tributary and connecting waters in trade with Canada for each of two barges; which was referred to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

¶35.27 ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

- H.R. 65: Mr. RIGGS and Mr. CRAMER.
- H.R. 70: Mr. ANDREWS.
- H.R. 78: Mr. WELDON of Florida.
- H.R. 103: Ms. BROWN of Florida.
- H.R. 104: Ms. LOFGREN.
- H.R. 109: Mr. GALLEGLY and Ms. SLAUGHTER.
- H.R. 159: Mr. HANCOCK, Mr. HOSTETTLER, Mr. BILBRAY, and Mr. SAXTON.
- H.R. 240: Mr. SPENCE and Mr. BURR.
- H.R. 246: Mr. FUNDERBURK.
- H.R. 303: Ms. WOOLSEY, Mr. RIGGS, and Mr. CRAMER.
- H.R. 328: Mr. FORBES and Mr. JEFFERSON.
- H.R. 359: Mrs. CHENOWETH.
- H.R. 482: Mr. HERGER and Mr. SCHAEFER.
- H.R. 491: Mr. STUMP.
- H.R. 495: Mr. NEUMANN, Mr. ZELIFF, and Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland.
- H.R. 564: Mr. LIPINSKI.
- H.R. 595: Mr. BONILLA.
- H.R. 598: Mr. DICKEY, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. PETRI, Mr. SAXTON, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. GANSKE, Mr. THORNBERRY, Mr. BILBRAY, and Mr. WELLER.
- H.R. 692: Mr. COLEMAN, Mr. THOMPSON, and Mr. OLVER.
- H.R. 698: Mr. SENSENBRENNER, Mr. LAHOOD, and Mr. SPENCE.
- H.R. 789: Mr. ANDREWS and Mrs. ROUKEMA.
- H.R. 809: Mr. CANADY.
- H.R. 822: Mr. WICKER, Mr. GUTKNECHT, and Mr. BACHUS.
- H.R. 838: Mr. MINGE.
- H.R. 844: Mr. FROST, Mr. LIGHTFOOT, Mr. COOLEY, Mr. JOHNSON of South Dakota, and Mr. EWING.
- H.R. 860: Mr. GOSS, Mr. ROYCE, and Mr. HEFLEY.

H.R. 887: Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota.  
 H.R. 895: Mr. GUTKNECHT, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, Ms. LOFGREN, and Mr. KNOLLENBERG.  
 H.R. 939: Mrs. KELLY.  
 H.R. 971: Ms. FURSE.  
 H.R. 977: Mr. DORNAN.  
 H.R. 1010: Mr. TEJEDA, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. SCOTT, and Mr. EVANS.  
 H.R. 1023: Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania.  
 H.R. 1029: Mrs. SCHROEDER, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. MANTON, Mr. WELLER, Ms. LOWEY, Mr. UNDERWOOD, and Ms. LOFGREN.  
 H.R. 1047: Mr. SHUSTER.  
 H. Con. Res. 12: Mr. FUNDERBURK, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. BOEHNER, and Mr. PETE GEREN of Texas.  
 H. Res. 25: Mr. ROYCE, Mr. EMERSON, and Mr. NETHERCUTT.

#### ¶35.28 DELETIONS OF SPONSORS FROM PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

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

H.J. Res. 2: Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. MCINTOSH, and Mr. ROYCE.

#### THURSDAY, MARCH 2, 1995 (36)

The House was called to order by the SPEAKER.

#### ¶36.1 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Wednesday, March 1, 1995.

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

#### ¶36.2 COMMUNICATIONS

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

430. A letter from the Director, Standards of Conduct Office, Department of Defense, transmitting a report of individuals who filed DD Form 1787, Report of DOD and Defense Related Employment, for fiscal year 1993, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 2397(e); to the Committee on National Security.

431. A letter from the Deputy Under Secretary of Defense (Environmental Security), transmitting a letter concerning the annual report on the progress DOD has made concerning environmental compliance at military installations; to the Committee on National Security.

432. A letter from the President, Export-Import Bank, 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.

433. A letter from the President and Chairman, Export-Import Bank of the United States, transmitting a report involving U.S. exports to various countries, pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 635(b)(3)(i); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

434. A letter from the Chairman of the Board, National Credit Union Administration, transmitting the office's pay structure for fiscal year 1994 and fiscal year 1995, pursuant to Public Law 101-73, section 1206 (103 Stat. 523); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

435. A letter from the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting a report entitled, "Effect of the 1990 Census on CDBG Program Funding"; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

436. A letter from the Executive Director, Thrift Depositor Protection Oversight Board, transmitting a report on the status of various savings associations, pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1441a(k); to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

437. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the 1995 international narcotics control strategy report, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2291(b)(2); to the Committee on International Relations.

438. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting the President's certification of the 29 major illicit narcotics producing and transit countries pursuant to section 490 of the Foreign Assistance Act; to the Committee on International Relations.

439. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting a report regarding United States Armed Forces in Somalia (H. Doc. No. 104-42); to the Committee on International Relations and ordered to be printed.

440. A letter from the Director, U.S. Information Agency, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1996 and 1997 for the U.S. Information Agency, and for other purposes, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 1110; to the Committee on International Relations.

441. A letter from the Comptroller General of the United States, transmitting a report on independence of legal services provided to inspectors general appointed by the President; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

442. A letter from the Special Assistant for Management and Administration, Executive Office of the President, 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.

443. A letter from the Chairman, Merit Systems Protection Board, transmitting the 16th annual report on the activities of the Board during fiscal year 1994, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 1209(b); to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

444. A letter from the Chairman, National Endowment for the Arts, 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.

445. A letter from the Executive Secretary, National Security Council, 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.

446. A letter from the Director, Peace Corps, 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.

447. A letter from the Chairman, Railroad Retirement Board, 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.

448. A letter from the Chairman, Securities and Exchange Commission, 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.

449. A letter from the Executive Director, Thrift Depositor Protection Oversight Board, 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.

450. A letter from the Director, U.S. Trade and Development Agency, transmitting a re-

port 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.

451. A letter from the Director, U.S. Information Agency, 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.

452. A letter from the Secretary of the Interior, transmitting the Department's views to H.R. 925; to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight.

453. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Transportation, transmitting a report on tanker safety and liability, pursuant to Public Law 102-241, section 32 (105 Stat. 2222); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

454. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Veterans Affairs, transmitting the 1994 annual report, pursuant to 38 U.S.C. 214, 221(c), 664; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

455. A letter from the Chairman, Prospective Payment Assessment Commission, transmitting the annual report on the Prospective Payment Assessment Commission, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 1395ww(e)(6)(G)(i); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

456. A letter from the U.S. Trade Representative, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1996 and 1997 for the Office of the U.S. Trade Representative; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

457. A letter from the Under Secretary of Defense, transmitting the DOD implementation plan of matching of disbursements to obligations before payment, pursuant to Public Law 103-335, section 8137; jointly, to the Committees on National Security and Appropriations.

#### ¶36.3 MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Mr. Hallen, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate had passed without amendment a concurrent resolution of the House of the following title:

H. Con. Res. 20. Concurrent resolution permitting the use of the rotunda of the Capitol for ceremonies as part of the commemoration of the days of remembrance of victims of the Holocaust.

The message also announced that pursuant to section 2761 of title 22, United States Code, the Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, and upon the recommendation of the Republican leader, appoints Mr. STEVENS as chairman of the Senate delegation to the British-American Interparliamentary Group during the 104th Congress.

The message also announced that pursuant to section 201(a)(2) of Public Law 93-344, the Chair announces, on behalf of the President pro tempore of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the appointment of Ms. June Ellenoff O'Neill as Director of the Congressional Budget Office for the term of office beginning on January 3, 1995, effective March 1, 1995.

The message also announced that pursuant to sections 276d-276g of title 22, United States Code, the Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, appoints Mr. MURKOWSKI as chairman of the Senate delegation to the Canada-United States Interparliamentary Group during the 104th Congress.