

120299A] received January 28, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Resources.

6038. A letter from the Chief, Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—SPECIAL LOCAL REGULATIONS: Bahia De Mayaguez, Puerto Rico [CGD07-99-020] (RIN: 2115-AE46) received January 27, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6039. A letter from the Chief, Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—SPECIAL LOCAL REGULATIONS: "Thunder Over Charlotte Amalie" The 14th Annual Virgin Islands Carnival Fireworks Display, Saint Thomas, USVI [CGD07 99-029] (RIN: 2115-AE46) received January 27, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6040. A letter from the Chief, Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—SPECIAL LOCAL REGULATIONS: Moonlight Fireworks Display, Water Bay, Saint Thomas, USVI [CGD07 99-031] (RIN: 2115-AE46) received January 27, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6041. A letter from the Chief, Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—SPECIAL LOCAL REGULATIONS: Moonlight Fireworks Display, Caneel Bay, Saint John, USVI [CGD07 99-032] (RIN: 2115-AE47) received January 27, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6042. A letter from the Chief, Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—SPECIAL LOCAL REGULATIONS: Savannah Waterfront Association's July 4th fireworks display, Savannah, GA [CGD07 99-041] (RIN: 2115-AE46) received January 27, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6043. A letter from the Chief, Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Special Local Regulations for Marine Events; Baltimore Inner Harbor, Baltimore, Maryland [CGD 05-99-025] (RIN: 2115-AE46) received January 27, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6044. A letter from the Chief, Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Special Local Regulations for Marine Events; Baltimore Inner Harbor, Baltimore, Maryland [CGD 05-99-028] (RIN: 2115-AE46) received January 27, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6045. A letter from the Chief, Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—SPECIAL LOCAL REGULATIONS: Palm Beach County Offshore Grand Prix, Riviera Beach, Florida [CGD07-99-059] (RIN: 2115-AE46) received January 27, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6046. A letter from the Chief, Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—SPECIAL LOCAL REGULATIONS: Moonlight Fire-

works Display, Great Bay, St. Thomas, U.S.V.I. [CGD07-99-006] (RIN: 2115-AE46) received January 27, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6047. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Establishment of Class E Airspace; Burlington, VT [Airspace Docket No. 99-ANE-91] received December 13, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6048. A letter from the Chief, Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Safety Zones, Security Zones, And Special Local Regulations [USCG-1999-5938] received January 27, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6049. A letter from the Chief, Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Special Local Regulations: City of Clarksville Riverfest; Cumberland River mile 126.5 to 128.5, Clarksville, TN [CGD08-99-054] (RIN: 2115-AE46) received January 27, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6050. A letter from the Chief, Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Special Local Regulations: July 4th Celebration; Ohio River Mile 943.0-944.3; Metropolis, IL [CGD08-99-045] received January 27, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6051. A letter from the Chief, Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Special Local Regulations: July 4th Celebration; Ohio River Mile 934.0-935.0; Paducah, KY [CGD08-99-044] (RIN: 2115-AE46) received January 27, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6052. A letter from the Chief, Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Special Local Regulations; East West Powerboat Shoot Out Offshore Boat Race Corpus Christi Ship Channel, Corpus Christi, Texas [CGD08-99-043] (RIN: 2115-AE46) received January 27, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6053. A letter from the Chief, Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, USCG, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Special Local Regulations: Eskimo Escapades, Tennessee River Mile 647.7, Knoxville, TN [CGD08-99-003] (RIN: 2115-AE46) received January 27, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

6054. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Department of the Treasury, transmitting the Service's final rule—Master and prototype plan program [Rev. Proc. 2000-20] received January 28, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

6055. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Stock Transfer Rules [TD 8862] (RIN: 1545-AI32) received January 28, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

6056. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting

the Service's final rule—Employee Plans Compliance Resolution System [Rev. Proc. 2000-16] received January 28, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

6057. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Termination of Puerto Rico and Possession Tax Credit; New Lines of Business Prohibited [TD 8868] (RIN: 1545-AV68) received January 28, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

6058. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Stock Transfer Rules: Supplemental Rules [TD 8863] (RIN: 1545-AX64) received January 28, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

6059. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Weighted Average Interest Rate Update [Notice 2000-8] received January 28, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

6060. A letter from the Chief, Regulations Unit, Internal Revenue Service, transmitting the Service's final rule—Amortization of Intangible Property [TD 8865] (RIN: 1545-AS77) received January 28, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Ways and Means.

6061. A letter from the Acting Assistant Secretary for Economic Development, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule—Economic Development Administration Regulations: Revision to Implement Economic Development Administration Reform Act of 1998 [Docket Nos. 990106003-9169-03 and 980813217-9141] (RIN: 0610-AA56 and 0610-AA59) received December 13, 1999, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Transportation and Infrastructure and Banking and Financial Services.

## REPORTS OF COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

*[Omitted from the Record of February 3, 2000]*

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. SENSENBRENNER: Committee on Science. H.R. 1656. A bill to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 2000 and 2001 for the commercial application of energy technology and related civilian energy and scientific programs, projects, and activities of the Department of Energy, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 106-492 Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

*[Filed on February 7, 2000]*

Mr. ARCHER: Committee on Ways and Means. H.R. 6. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to eliminate the marriage penalty by providing that the income rate bracket amounts, and the amount of the standard deduction, for joint returns shall be twice the amount applicable to unmarried individuals; with amendments (Rept. 106-493). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. HYDE: Committee on the Judiciary. H.R. 2366. A bill to provide small businesses certain protections from litigation excesses and to limit the product liability of non-manufacturer product sellers; with an amendment (Report. 106-494 Pt. 1). Ordered to be printed.

### TIME LIMITATION OF REFERRED BILL

Pursuant to clause 5 of rule X the following action was taken by the Speaker:

*[Omitted from the Record of February 3, 2000]*

H.R. 1656. Referral to the Committees on Commerce and Education and the Workforce extended for a period ending not later than April 14, 2000.

*[The following occurred on February 7, 1999]*

H.R. 2366. Referral to the Committee on Commerce extended for a period ending not later than February 14, 2000.

### PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 2 of rule XII, public bills and resolutions of the following titles were introduced and severally referred, as follows:

By Mr. ANDREWS:

H.R. 3579. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to expand the incentives for the environmental cleanup of certain contaminated industrial sites designated as brownfields; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. LOWEY (for herself, Mr. FOLEY, Ms. GRANGER, and Mr. QUINN):

H.R. 3580. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to revise the update factor used in making payments to PPS hospitals under the Medicare program; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mrs. MALONEY of New York (for herself and Mrs. MEEK of Florida):

H.R. 3581. A bill to make additional funds available to the Secretary of Commerce for purposes of the 2000 decennial census, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. CONYERS (for himself, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, and Mr. WEXLER):

H. Res. 416. A resolution condemning the conduct of U.S. District Judge Alan McDonald for bringing the appearance of improper racial, ethnic, and religious bias upon the Federal Judiciary, urging the Federal Judiciary to protect against the perception of racial, ethnic, and religious bias within their ranks, and calling for the nomination and confirmation of candidates to the Federal bench that reflect the diversity of American society; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

### ADDITIONAL SPONSORS TO PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 230: Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin.  
H.R. 735: Mr. KUYKENDALL.  
H.R. 742: Mr. PICKETT.  
H.R. 860: Mr. WEINER.  
H.R. 864: Mrs. JONES of Ohio.  
H.R. 865: Mr. FOLEY.  
H.R. 997: Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts and Mr. MARKEY.

H.R. 1044: Mr. SMITH of Michigan, Mrs. CHENOWETH-HAGE, and Mr. MCINTYRE.

H.R. 1062: Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mr. SHERMAN, Ms. PELOSI, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, and Mr. SHAYS.

H.R. 1082: Mr. KUYKENDALL.

H.R. 1304: Mr. METCALF, Mr. HALL of Ohio, Mr. SKELTON, and Mr. CALVERT.

H.R. 1349: Mrs. FOWLER.

H.R. 1367: Mr. MINGE and Mr. SMITH of New Jersey.

H.R. 1389: Mr. COBURN and Mr. WU.

H.R. 1398: Mr. WAMP.

H.R. 1443: Mr. MORAN of Virginia and Mr. BONIOR.

H.R. 1824: Ms. VELAZQUEZ.

H.R. 2086: Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, Mr. WALDEN of Oregon, and Mr. BLUMENAUER.

H.R. 2128: Mr. GEKAS.

H.R. 2544: Mr. PETRI.

H.R. 2564: Mr. BOSWELL.

H.R. 2655: Mr. BLUNT.

H.R. 2662: Mr. CUNNINGHAM.

H.R. 2687: Mr. BLUMENAUER.

H.R. 2814: Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland.

H.R. 2900: Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts and Mrs. LOWEY.

H.R. 2966: Mr. BERMAN, Mr. HOYER, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. SKEEN, and Mr. WEXLER.

H.R. 2985: Mr. SESSIONS and Mrs. ROUKEMA.

H.R. 3040: Mr. SKEEN and Mr. KOLBE.

H.R. 3144: Mr. KANJORSKI.

H.R. 3193: Mr. SKELTON, Mr. BALDACCI, Mrs. MYRICK, and Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO.

H.R. 3256: Mr. EVANS, Mr. FILNER, and Mr. DOYLE.

H.R. 3399: Mr. ISTOOK.

H.R. 3439: Mr. WATKINS, Mr. THUNE, Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, and Mr. SESSIONS.

H.R. 3514: Ms. PELOSI, Mr. LATHAM, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, and Ms. RIVERS.

H.R. 3525: Mr. BARR of Georgia, Mr. KASICH, Mr. FLETCHER, Mr. TANCREDO, Mr. STUMP, Mr. ISAKSON, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. LUCAS of

Oklahoma, Mr. BARTLETT of Maryland, and Mr. BUYER.

H.R. 3535: Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. GEJDENSON, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. WEINER, and Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota.

H.R. 3573: Mr. BACHUS, Mr. BARCIA, Mr. BARR of Georgia, Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. BONIOR, Mrs. BONO, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. CALLAHAN, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. COOK, Mr. COOKSEY, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. DELAHUNT, Mr. DICKS, Mr. DIXON, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. EHRLICH, Mrs. EMERSON, Ms. ESHOO, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. FILNER, Mr. FORBES, Mr. FORD, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. HAYWORTH, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. HOYER, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. ISTOOK, Mr. JENKINS, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. KINGSTON, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mr. LUCAS of Kentucky, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. MCINTYRE, Mr. METCALF, Mr. MICA, Mrs. MORELLA, Mrs. NAPOLITANO, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. ORTIZ, Ms. PELOSI, Mr. QUINN, Mr. RADANOVICH, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. ROGAN, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. SCARBOROUGH, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. SUNUNU, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. TERRY, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. UPTON, Mr. WALDEN of Oregon, Mr. WAMP, Mr. WATKINS, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. WHITFIELD, and Mr. WYNN.

H. Con. Res. 76: Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. THOMPSON of California, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. SHIMKUS, and Mr. SCHAFFER.

H. Con. Res. 77: Mrs. FOWLER.

H. Con. Res. 123: Mr. MANZULLO.

H. Con. Res. 228: Mr. WU and Mr. EWING.

### AMENDMENTS

Under clause 8 of rule XVIII, proposed amendments were submitted as follows:

H.R. 2086

OFFERED BY Mr. CAPUANO

AMENDMENT NO. 1: Page 20, line 21, through page 21, line 7, strike section 9.