

7788. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract to French Guiana or Sea Launch [Transmittal No. DTC 025-00], pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

7789. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract to Japan [Transmittal No. DTC 005-00], pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

7790. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract to Egypt [Transmittal No. DTC 004-00], pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

7791. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed Manufacturing License Agreement with Japan [Transmittal No. DTC 006-00], pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

7792. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification of a proposed Manufacturing License Agreement with Japan [Transmittal No. DTC 007-00], pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on International Relations.

7793. A letter from the Comptroller of the Currency, transmitting the 1999 Performance Report; to the Committee on Government Reform.

7794. A letter from the Managing Director, Federal Housing Finance Board, transmitting the Board's final rule—Amendments to the Freedom of Information Act Regulation [No. 2000-19] (RIN: 3069-AB02) received April 24, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Government Reform.

7795. A letter from the Director, Office of Government Ethics, transmitting the Annual Program Performance Report for FY 1999; to the Committee on Government Reform.

7796. A letter from the Secretary, Premerger Notification Office, Bureau of Competition, Federal Trade Commission, transmitting the Commission's final rule—Premerger Notification: Reporting and Waiting Period Requirements [Billing Code: 6750-01P] received April 5, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

7797. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Eurocopter France Model AS-350B, BA, B1, B2, C, D, and D1, and AS-355E, F, F1, F2 and N Helicopters [Docket No. 98-SW-82-AD; Amendment 39-11681; AD 86-15-10 R2] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 28, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7798. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Fokker Model F27 Series Airplanes Equipped With Rolls-Royce 532-7 "Dart 7" (RDa-7) Series Engines [Docket No. 2000-NM-95-AD; Amendment 39-11684; AD 2000-07-28] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 28, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7799. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, trans-

mitting the Department's final rule—Airworthiness Directives; Various Transport Category Airplanes Equipped With Certain Honeywell Air Data Inertial Reference Units [Docket No. 2000-NM-83-AD; Amendment 39-11683; AD 2000-07-27] (RIN: 2120-AA64) received April 28, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7800. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 29997; Amdt. No. 1988] received April 28, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7801. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 29996; Amdt. No. 1987] received April 28, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7802. A letter from the Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule—Standard Instrument Approach Procedures; Miscellaneous Amendments [Docket No. 29995; Amdt. No. 1986] received April 28, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

7803. A letter from the the Legislative Special Assistant, the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the U.S., transmitting proceedings of the 99th National Convention of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, held in San Antonio, Texas, August 29-September 4, 1998, pursuant to 36 U.S.C. 118 and 44 U.S.C. 1332; (H. Doc. No. 106-245); to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs and ordered to be printed.

7804. A letter from the Deputy Executive Secretary, Health Care Financing Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule—Medicare Program; Suggestion Program on Methods to Improve Medicare Efficiency [HCFA-4000-FC] (RIN: 0938-AJ30) received April 18, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and Commerce.

7805. A letter from the Deputy Executive Secretary, Office of the Inspector General, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's final rule—Health Care Fraud and Abuse Data Collection Program: Reporting of Final Adverse Actions—received April 18, 2000, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); jointly to the Committees on Ways and Means and Commerce.

7806. A letter from the Secretary and Executive Director, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, transmitting the 25th Annual Report of the Corporation, which includes the Corporation's financial statements as of September 30, 1999, pursuant to 29 U.S.C. 1308; jointly to the Committees on Education and the Workforce, Ways and Means, and Government Reform.

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. YOUNG of Alaska: Committee on Resources. H.R. 297. A bill to authorize the construction of the Lewis and Clark Rural Water System and to authorize assistance to the Lewis and Clark Rural Water System, Inc., a nonprofit corporation, for the planning and construction of the water supply

system, and for other purposes; with amendments (Rept. 106-633). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. BLILEY: Committee on Commerce. H.R. 2498. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for recommendations of the Secretary of Health and Human Services regarding the placement of automatic external defibrillators and Federal buildings in order to improve survival rates of individuals who experience cardiac arrest in such buildings, and to establish protections from civil liability arising from the emergency use of the devices; with an amendment (Rept. 106-634). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina: Committee on Appropriations. H.R. 4516. A bill making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001, and for other purposes (Rept. 106-635). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

Mr. DREIER: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 510. Resolution providing for further consideration of the bill (H.R. 4444) to authorize extension of nondiscriminatory treatment (normal trade relations treatment) to the People's Republic of China (Rept. 106-636). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. LINDER: Committee on Rules. House Resolution 511. Resolution providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 3916) to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to repeal the excise tax on telephone and other communication services (Rept. 106-637). Referred to the House Calendar.

Mr. LEACH: Committee on Banking and Financial Services. H.R. 2764. A bill to license America's Private Investment Companies and provide enhanced credit to stimulate private investment in low-income communities, and for other purposes; with an amendment (Rept. 106-638). Referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union.

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. GONZALEZ (for himself, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, and Mr. HINOJOSA):

H.R. 4515. A bill to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to reduce the interest rate on installment payments of the estate tax on closely held business interests; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina:

H.R. 4516. A bill making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001, and for other purposes; House Calendar No. 350. House Report No. 106-635.

By Mr. SUNUNU (for himself and Mr. BASS):

H.R. 4517. A bill to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 24 Tsienneto Road in Derry, New Hampshire, as the "Alan B. Shepard, Jr. Post Office Building"; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. DOOLEY of California (for himself and Mr. SMITH of Washington):

H.R. 4518. A bill to amend the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, to reauthorize and make improvements to that Act, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey:

H.R. 4519. A bill to amend the Public Buildings Act of 1959 concerning the safety and security of children enrolled in childcare facilities located in public buildings under the

control of the General Services Administration; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, and in addition to the Committee on Government Reform, 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. GOODLING (for himself, Mr. KILDEE, and Ms. WOOLSEY):

H.R. 4520. A bill to amend the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act to improve program integrity of the child and adult care food program; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. HILL of Montana (for himself,

Mr. KASICH, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. CANNON, Mrs. CUBIN, Mr. TAUZIN, Mr. GILCHREST, Mr. COOKSEY, Ms. DUNN,

Mr. PITTS, Mr. THUNE, Mr. WATKINS, Mr. COOK, Mr. JONES of North Carolina,

Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. RILEY, Mr. PORTMAN, Mr. POMEROY, Mr. HUTCHINSON,

Mr. LUCAS of Kentucky, Mr. BLUNT, Mr. GIBBONS, Ms. GRANGER, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. POMBO,

Mr. SUNUNU, Mr. HASTINGS of Washington, Mr. SHIMKUS, and Mr. SIMPSON):

H.R. 4521. A bill to direct the Secretary of the Interior to authorize and provide funding for rehabilitation of the Going-to-the-Sun Road in Glacier National Park, to authorize funds for maintenance of utilities related to the Park, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Resources.

By Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota:

H.R. 4522. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to provide a presumption of service connection for certain specified diseases and disabilities in the case of veterans who were exposed during military service to carbon tetrachloride; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. SMITH of Michigan:

H.R. 4523. A bill to amend the Agricultural Market Transition Act to permit a producer to lock in a loan deficiency payment rate for a portion of a crop; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. SMITH of Michigan:

H.R. 4524. A bill to amend the Agricultural Market Transition Act to increase the number of farmers eligible for nonrecourse marketing assistance loans or loan deficiency payments and the amount of production for which such loans and payments are available; to the Committee on Agriculture.

By Mr. STARK:

H.R. 4525. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to establish a program under which the Secretary of Health and Human Services makes cash awards to private entities that discover drugs that cure or prevent diseases whose cure or prevention is designated by the Secretary as a national priority; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. TRAFICANT:

H.R. 4526. A bill to provide for the issuance of a semipostal for the American Battle Monuments Commission; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. UDALL of New Mexico (for himself and Mr. UDALL of Colorado):

H.R. 4527. A bill to authorize the President to present a gold medal on behalf of the Congress to the Navajo Code Talkers in recognition of their contributions to the Nation; to the Committee on Banking and Financial Services.

By Mrs. CUBIN:

H. Con. Res. 333. Concurrent resolution providing for the acceptance of a statue of Chief Washakie, presented by the people of Wyoming, for placement in National Statuary Hall, and for other purposes; to the Committee on House Administration.

By Mr. FATTAH:

H. Res. 509. A resolution recognizing the importance of African-American music to global culture and calling on the people of the United States to study, reflect on, and celebrate African-American music; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 8: Mrs. TAUSCHER.

H.R. 347: Mrs. CHENOWETH-HAGE.

H.R. 363: Mr. PAUL.

H.R. 460: Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. BLAGOJEVICH, and Mr. PACKARD.

H.R. 827: Mr. ALLEN.

H.R. 828: Mr. GILCHREST.

H.R. 860: Mr. VISCLOSKEY.

H.R. 904: Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island.

H.R. 920: Mr. STARK, Mr. EVANS, and Ms. WOOLSEY.

H.R. 1020: Mr. EHRLOCK, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, and Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 1046: Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. LEWIS of Kentucky, and Mr. MORAN of Kansas.

H.R. 1057: Mr. EVANS.

H.R. 1063: Mr. DELAHUNT.

H.R. 1102: Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York.

H.R. 1179: Mrs. CHENOWETH-HAGE.

H.R. 1228: Mr. CLAY.

H.R. 1247: Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma.

H.R. 1322: Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. BRADY of Texas, Mrs. CHENOWETH-HAGE, Mr. HANSEN, Mr. MORAN of Kansas, Mr. WATKINS, Mr. REYNOLDS, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mrs. BIGGERT, Mr. EWING, Mr. ETHERIDGE, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. RADANOVICH, and Mr. DOOLITTLE.

H.R. 1505: Mr. BISHOP.

H.R. 1560: Mr. MCINNIS and Mr. EHLERS.

H.R. 1592: Mr. LARGENT.

H.R. 1621: Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. BISHOP, and Mr. RODRIGUEZ.

H.R. 2613: Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. HUTCHINSON, and Mr. BAIRD.

H.R. 2660: Ms. BERKLEY.

H.R. 2720: Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, Mr. MANZULLO, and Ms. MCKINNEY.

H.R. 2774: Mr. OLVER and Mrs. MINK of Hawaii.

H.R. 2814: Mr. LIPINSKI.

H.R. 2892: Mr. EHRLOCK.

H.R. 2953: Mr. WATKINS and Mr. CLEMENT.

H.R. 3006: Mr. EVANS.

H.R. 3055: Mr. BALDACCI.

H.R. 3083: Mr. FORBES.

H.R. 3132: Mr. WEYGAND.

H.R. 3144: Mr. LIPINSKI.

H.R. 3192: Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. SAWYER, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. SABO, Mr. DIXON, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, and Mr. WEYGAND.

H.R. 3198: Mr. BISHOP and Mr. COLLINS.

H.R. 3256: Mr. UPTON.

H.R. 3315: Mr. LANTOS.

H.R. 3463: Mr. MENENDEZ.

H.R. 3518: Mr. KOLBE.

H.R. 3544: Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. COOKSEY, Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri, and Ms. GRANGER.

H.R. 3569: Ms. DEGETTE.

H.R. 3575: Mr. STENHOLM.

H.R. 3578: Mr. ROGAN.

H.R. 3593: Mr. HOUGHTON.

H.R. 3625: Mr. JEFFERSON, Mrs. MYRICK, and Mr. KOLBE.

H.R. 3628: Ms. RIVERS and Mr. MCHUGH.

H.R. 3634: Mr. BAIRD.

H.R. 3677: Mr. HYDE.

H.R. 3688: Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, Ms. VELAZQUEZ, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr.

MCDERMOTT, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. ROTHMAN, and Mr. TIERNEY.

H.R. 3710: Ms. DANNER, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. DICKS, Mr. FORD, Mr. ENGEL, and Mr. BAIRD.

H.R. 3915: Mr. CAMPBELL and Mr. GILCHREST.

H.R. 3981: Mr. LANTOS.

H.R. 4013: Mr. GANSKE.

H.R. 4034: Mr. NORWOOD.

H.R. 4041: Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. OLVER, Mr. RANGEL, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mrs. TAUSCHER, and Mr. EVANS.

H.R. 4042: Mr. BONIOR, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. OLVER, Mr. RANGEL, Ms. SCHAKOWSKY, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, Mr. SHERMAN, and Ms. PELOSI.

H.R. 4132: Mr. PALLONE, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, and Mr. WICKER.

H.R. 4168: Mr. BARCIA, Mr. SISISKY, and Mr. LUCAS of Kentucky.

H.R. 4204: Mr. GARY MILLER of California.

H.R. 4206: Ms. LEE, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, and Mrs. JONES of Ohio.

H.R. 4214: Mr. SHIMKUS and Mr. GILCHREST.

H.R. 4219: Mr. ADERHOLT, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. LARSON, Mr. FOLEY, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. BORSKI, Mrs. KELLY, Mrs. THURMAN, and Mr. MALONEY of Connecticut.

H.R. 4245: Mr. SHIMKUS.

H.R. 4257: Mr. NORWOOD, Mr. DICKEY, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. GREEN of Texas, and Mr. SCHAFER.

H.R. 4259: Mr. TERRY, Mr. LARSON, Mr. CONDIT, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, and Mr. MORAN of Kansas.

H.R. 4274: Mr. BONILLA, Mr. GREENWOOD, Mr. KUYKENDALL, Mr. GILCHREST, Mr. GOODE, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mrs. FOWLER, Mr. QUINN, and Mr. SALMON.

H.R. 4303: Mr. SOUDER.

H.R. 4320: Mr. EVANS.

H.R. 4329: Mr. SMITH of Washington.

H.R. 4357: Mrs. THURMAN and Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD.

H.R. 4453: Mr. TIERNEY and Mr. LANTOS.

H.R. 4479: Mr. DEUTSCH and Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO.

H.R. 4489: Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. KNOLLENBERG, and Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota.

H.J. Res. 98: Mr. BECERRA.

H. Con. Res. 133: Mr. HOLT.

H. Con. Res. 275: Mr. SPRATT.

H. Con. Res. 285: Mr. BALDACCI, Mr. WOLF, and Mr. ETHERIDGE.

H. Con. Res. 305: Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. BOEHNER, Mr. SKEEN, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. RYUN of Kansas, Mr. CANADY of Florida, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. DEAL of Georgia, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. EHLERS, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. NUSSLE, Mr. WICKER, Mr. CALLAHAN, Mr. CALVERT, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. WATTS of Oklahoma, Mr. SPENCE, Mr. HULSHOF, Mr. RILEY, Mr. STUMP, Mr. METCALF, Mr. CRANE, and Mr. BURR of North Carolina.

H. Con. Res. 306: Mr. PALLONE, Mr. HOLT, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. HINOJOSA, Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. SHOWS, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Mr. INSLEE, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. CAPUANO, Mr. CUMMINGS, Ms. BROWN of Florida, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mrs. CHRISTENSEN, Mr. STARK, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. EVANS, Mr. CLAY, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. HASTINGS of Florida, Mr. OLVER, Mr. EHRLOCK, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mrs. BIGGERT, Mr. RODRIGUEZ, Mr. NETHERCUTT, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. DIXON, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. SNYDER, Mr. DICKS, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. FILLNER, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. KIND, Mr. PORTER, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mr. PAYNE, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. DELAHUNT, and Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York.