

Ways and Means, 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. HORN (for himself and Mr. TURNER):

H.R. 4931. A bill to provide for the training or orientation of individuals, during a Presidential transition, who the President intends to appoint to certain key positions, to provide for a study and report on improving the financial disclosure process for certain Presidential nominees, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. KLINK:

H.R. 4932. A bill to amend titles XIX and XXI of the Social Security Act to expand access of children to health care; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. KLINK (for himself and Mr. EVANS):

H.R. 4933. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to reauthorize the program for veterans readjustment appointments within the Federal Government; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD (for herself, Mr. LAMPSON, and Ms. MCCARTHY of Missouri):

H.R. 4934. A bill to authorize the Consumer Product Safety Commission to issue a consumer product safety rule to prevent injuries to users of vending machines; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. MINGE (for himself, Mr. EVANS, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. FILNER, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. OBERSTAR, and Mr. HOLDEN):

H.R. 4935. A bill to amend title 38, United States Code, to increase the size of the estate an incompetent veteran being furnished institutional care by the Department of Veterans Affairs may have without being subject to suspension of benefits; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mrs. MYRICK:

H.R. 4936. A bill to increase the penalty imposed on a sexually violent offender who fails to comply with requirements to register or report, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. SMITH of Washington:

H.R. 4937. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act to provide relief to providers of services under the Medicare Program by correcting reductions in payment rates instituted under the Balanced Budget Act of 1997; to the Committee on Ways and Means, 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. STARK (for himself, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. GEPHARDT, Mr. DINGELL, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. WEYGAND, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. FROST, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. GREEN of Texas, Ms. KILPATRICK, Mr. WEINER, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. MEEHAN, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. MCGOVERN, Mr. LEVIN, Mrs. MALONEY of New York, Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. DEUTSCH, Mr. ANDREWS, Mr. STUPAK, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. BONIOR, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. SERRANO, Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD, Mr. FILNER, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. HINCHEY, Mr. CARDIN, Mr. SANDLIN, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. KANJORSKI, Mr.

DEFAZIO, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi, Mr. NADLER, Mr. WAXMAN, Mr. FARR of California, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. CUMMINGS, and Mr. KUCINICH):

H.R. 4938. A bill to amend title XVIII of the Social Security Act and the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 to improve access to health insurance and Medicare benefits for individuals ages 55 to 65 to be fully funded through premiums and anti-fraud provisions, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to allow a credit against income tax for payment of such premiums and of premiums for certain COBRA continuation coverage, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Ways and Means, and in addition to the Committees on Commerce, and Education and the Workforce, 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 Ms. VELAZQUEZ:

H.R. 4939. A bill to amend the Public Health Service Act to prohibit discrimination regarding exposure to hazardous substances, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. WAMP (for himself, Mr. TANNER, Mr. FORD, Mr. BRYANT, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. GORDON, Mr. DUNCAN, and Mr. JENKINS):

H.R. 4940. A bill to designate the museum operated by the Secretary of Energy in Oak Ridge, Tennessee, as the "American Museum of Science and Energy", and for other purposes; to the Committee on Science.

By Mr. WYNN (for himself, Mr. SHAD-EGG, Mr. PALLONE, Mr. BILBRAY, and Ms. ESHOO):

H.R. 4941. A bill to amend the Federal Power Act to provide for the reliability of the electric power transmission system in the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce.

By Mr. GRAHAM:

H. Con. Res. 379. Concurrent resolution reaffirming the first amendment right to freely exercise religious beliefs without the fear of governmental condemnation; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

By Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California (for himself and Mr. YOUNG of Alaska):

H. Res. 562. A resolution providing for the concurrence by the House, with amendments, in the Senate amendment to H.R. 1167; considered and agreed to.

#### ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

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

H.R. 107: Mr. BACHUS.  
H.R. 148: Mr. RUSH.  
H.R. 488: Mr. CUMMINGS.  
H.R. 531: Mr. NEAL of Massachusetts, Mr. BAKER, and Mr. ABERCROMBIE.  
H.R. 534: Mr. UDALL of New Mexico, Mr. FORD, Mr. BERRY, and Mr. FILNER.  
H.R. 797: Mr. DICKS.  
H.R. 860: Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon.  
H.R. 920: Mr. FILNER.  
H.R. 1227: Ms. MILLENDER-MCDONALD.  
H.R. 1399: Mrs. LOWEY.  
H.R. 1606: Mr. TIERNEY.  
H.R. 1621: Mr. RANGEL, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. UDALL of New Mexico, Mr. BARR of Georgia, Mr. WAXMAN, and Mr. HAYES.  
H.R. 1731: Mr. DOOLEY of California.  
H.R. 1850: Mr. NEY.  
H.R. 1871: Ms. ROYBAL-ALLARD.  
H.R. 1890: Mrs. LOWEY and Ms. WOOLSEY.  
H.R. 1982: Mr. FILNER, Mr. EVANS, and Mr. UDALL of New Mexico.

H.R. 2121: Mr. SMITH of Michigan and Mr. DAVIS of Illinois.

H.R. 2562: Mr. PICKETT.

H.R. 2710: Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. HOLT, Mr. BE-REUTER, and Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York.

H.R. 2814: Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California.

H.R. 2870: Mr. FATTAH, Mr. POMEROY, and Mr. WEYGAND.

H.R. 2902: Mr. COSTELLO.

H.R. 3044: Mr. RUSH.

H.R. 3083: Mr. REYES, Mr. BENTSEN, and Mr. SMITH of Washington.

H.R. 3091: Mr. EDWARDS, Mr. MCDERMOTT, Mr. CLEMENT, and Mr. GUTIERREZ.

H.R. 3105: Mr. HASTINGS of Florida.

H.R. 3170: Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 3235: Ms. BALDWIN.

H.R. 3377: Mr. INSLEE.

H.R. 3463: Mr. CROWLEY and Mr. LIPINSKI.

H.R. 3571: Mr. PASCRELL.

H.R. 3806: Mr. PASCRELL.

H.R. 3825: Mr. RAHALL.

H.R. 3850: Mr. BOUCHER.

H.R. 3880: Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 3907: Mr. PETERSON of Pennsylvania.

H.R. 3983: Mr. BLUMENAUER, Mr. CLEMENT, Ms. HOOLEY of Oregon, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. LARSON, Mr. LAMPSON, Mr. PRICE of North Carolina, Mr. SNYDER, Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. TANNER, Mr. THOMPSON of California, and Mr. REYES.

H.R. 3998: Mr. HINOJOSA.

H.R. 4001: Mr. THOMPSON of Mississippi and Ms. RIVERS.

H.R. 4030: Ms. DEGETTE.

H.R. 4178: Mr. SCOTT, Mr. BATEMAN, and Mr. COX.

H.R. 4213: Mr. BUYER and Mr. COOK.

H.R. 4215: Mr. DOOLEY of California.

H.R. 4236: Mrs. FOWLER.

H.R. 4239: Mr. CLYBURN and Mr. LAFALCE.

H.R. 4259: Mr. BEREUTER and Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin.

H.R. 4271: Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. FILNER, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. ETHERIDGE, Mr. LANTOS, and Mr. RAMSTAD.

H.R. 4272: Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. FILNER, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. ETHERIDGE, Mr. LANTOS, and Mr. RAMSTAD.

H.R. 4273: Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. FILNER, Mrs. MINK of Hawaii, Mr. ETHERIDGE, Mr. LANTOS, and Mr. RAMSTAD.

H.R. 4328: Mr. BATEMAN.

H.R. 4357: Ms. RIVERS.

H.R. 4395: Mr. GARY MILLER of California.

H.R. 4410: Mr. DEUTSCH.

H.R. 4492: Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin.

H.R. 4543: Mr. BECERRA, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. JEFFERSON, and Mr. THORNBERRY.

H.R. 4547: Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. BEREUTER, and Mr. COMBEST.

H.R. 4550: Mr. WICKER.

H.R. 4567: Ms. DEGETTE.

H.R. 4644: Ms. SLAUGHTER and Mr. LANTOS.

H.R. 4664: Mr. FROST and Mr. LATOURETTE.

H.R. 4673: Mr. ENGLISH, Mr. GEJDENSON, and Mr. LANTOS.

H.R. 4677: Mr. BEREUTER.

H.R. 4740: Mr. CONYERS.

H.R. 4746: Mr. UDALL of New Mexico.

H.R. 4756: Mr. FROST, Ms. EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON of Texas, Mr. CROWLEY, and Mrs. MEEK of Florida.

H.R. 4759: Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Mr. WHITFIELD, and Mr. NETHERCUTT.

H.R. 4807: Mr. MOORE, Mr. HALL of Ohio, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. MENENDEZ, Mr. SHAW, Mr. HILLIARD, Mr. PETERSON of Minnesota, Mr. QUINN, Ms. MCKINNEY, Mr. UNDERWOOD, Mr. DAVIS of Virginia, Mr. LEWIS of Georgia, Mrs. MEEK of Florida, Mr. SMITH of Texas, Mr. OLVER, Mr. HOYER, Mr. FRANKS of New Jersey, Mr. WEINER, Mr. MURTHA, Mr. KLINK, Mr. POMEROY, Mr. SAXTON, Mr. BOEHLERT, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. DAVIS of Florida, Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania, Mr. TAUZIN, Mr. SKEEN, Mr. CAPUANO,

Mr. DOOLEY of California, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Mr. MOAKLEY, Mr. MEEKS of New York, Mrs. CLAYTON, Mr. WU, Ms. DANNER, Mr. COYNE, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. STENHOLM, Mr. PASTOR, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. DOYLE, Mr. TRAFICANT, Mr. PICKERING, Mr. TIERNEY, Mr. SCOTT, Mr. SESSIONS, Mr. BOYD, Mr. KENNEDY of Rhode Island, and Mr. HINOJOSA.

H.R. 4825: Mr. BURR of North Carolina, Mr. STEARNS, Mr. SCOTT, Mr. BERMAN, and Mr. BLUNT.

H.R. 4827: Mr. BEREUTER.

H.R. 4848: Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. BARRETT of Wisconsin, Mr. WEINER, Mr. KILDEE, Mrs. MCCARTHY of New York, Ms. WATERS, Mr. TIERNEY, Mrs. CAPPS, Mr. OWENS, Mr. MEEKS of New York, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. ROMERO-BARCELO, Mr. OSE, Ms. BERKLEY, Mr. ACKERMAN, and Mr. BLAGOJEVICH.

H.R. 4850: Mr. SHIMKUS and Mr. BONIOR.

H.R. 4856: Ms. SCHAKOWSKY.

H.R. 4864: Mr. DEMINT, Mr. METCALF, Mr. ROTHMAN, Mr. MANZULLO, Mr. NEY, Mr. PETRI, Mrs. EMERSON, Mr. LARSON, Ms. DELAURO, Mr. WOLF, Mr. SWEENEY, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. LATOURETTE, Mrs. FOWLER, and Mr. STRICKLAND.

H.R. 4888: Mr. GOODE, Mr. PITTS, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. RILEY, Mr. WELDON of Florida, Mr. ISTOOK, Mrs. CHENOWETH-HAGE, Mr. TIAHRT, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. MCINTOSH, Mr. BACHUS, Mr. MCCOLLUM, Mr. RYUN of Kansas, Mr. HILLEARY, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. HUTCHINSON, Mr. COX, Mr. LARGENT, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, Mr. EVERETT, Mr. BRADY of Texas, and Mr. GARY MILLER of California.

H.R. 4894: Mr. PHELPS, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. DOOLEY of California, Mr. COOKSEY, Mr. LEACH, and Mr. SHIMKUS.

H.R. 4895: Mr. PHELPS, Mr. LAHOOD, Mr. WHITFIELD, Mr. DOOLEY of California, Mr. COOKSEY, and Mr. SHIMKUS.

H.R. 4902: Mr. TANCREDO.

H.R. 4907: Mr. PICKETT and Mr. GOODE.

H.J. Res. 102: Mr. DAVIS of Virginia.

H. Con. Res. 321: Mr. WEXLER, Mr. FORBES, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Ms. SLAUGHTER, Mr. RAHALL, Mr. DOYLE, and Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts.

H. Con. Res. 327: Mr. CROWLEY and Mr. ORTIZ.

H. Con. Res. 341: Mr. DAVIS of Illinois.

H. Con. Res. 346: Mr. NADLER.

H. Con. Res. 357: Mr. NADLER.

H. Con. Res. 363: Mr. NADLER.

H. Con. Res. 368: Mr. HOYER.

H. Con. Res. 370: Mr. PORTER, Mr. STARK, Mr. DIAZ-BALART, and Mr. FILNER.

H. Con. Res. 372: Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Mr. BUYER, Mr. ALLEN, and Mr. BALDACCI.

H. Con. Res. 375: Mrs. ROUKEMA.

H. Res. 543: Mr. WEXLER.

H. Res. 544: Mr. SOUDER, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, and Mr. DREIER.

H. Res. 548: Mr. STEARNS, Mr. SAM JOHNSON of Texas, and Mr. LARGENT.

H. Res. 549: Mr. BUYER, Mr. CONYERS, Mr. BORSKI, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. MCKEON, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. LAZIO, Mr. SCOTT, Mr. KUYKENDALL, Mr. ADERHOLT, and Mr. ETHERIDGE.

H. Res. 561: Ms. CARSON, Ms. DEGETTE, Mr. LARGENT, Ms. LOFGREN, Mr. PETRI, Mr. FILNER, Mrs. TAUSCHER, Mr. MCINTYRE, and Mr. SUNUNU.

## AMENDMENTS

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

H.R. —

(D.C. APPROPRIATIONS, FY 2001)

OFFERED BY: MR. TIAHRT

AMENDMENT NO. 1: At the end of the bill, insert after the last section (preceding the short title) the following new section:

SEC. \_\_\_\_ (a) No person may distribute any needle or syringe for the hypodermic injection of any illegal drug in any area of the District of Columbia which is within 1000 feet of a public or private day care center, elementary school, vocational school, secondary school, college, junior college, or university, or any public housing project, public swimming pool, park, playground, video arcade, or youth center, or an event sponsored by any such entity.

(b) Whoever violates subsection (a) shall be fined not more than \$500 for each needle or syringe distributed in violation of such subsection.

(c) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, any amount collected by the District of Columbia pursuant to subsection (b) shall be deposited in a separate account of the General Fund of the District of Columbia and used exclusively to carry out (either directly or by contract) drug prevention or treatment programs. For purposes of this subsection, no program of distributing sterile needles or syringes for the hypodermic injection of any illegal drug may be considered a drug prevention or treatment program.